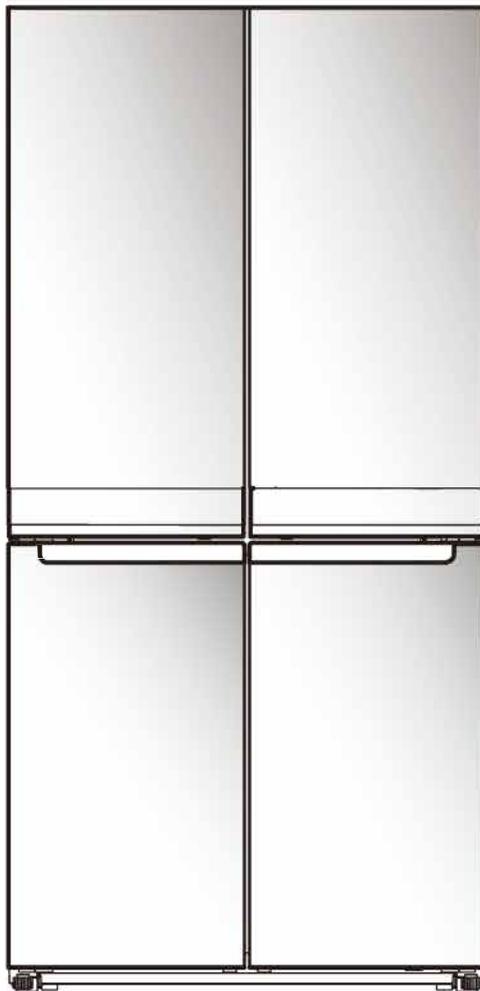


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# INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

## Getting Started INSTALLATION CHECKLIST

### ✓ Electrical Power

#### ⚠ WARNING



#### Electrical Shock Hazard

- Plug into a grounded (earthed) outlet.
- Do not remove ground prong.
- Do not use an adapter.
- Do not use an extension cord.
- Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, fire, or electrical shock.

- Plug refrigerator into a earthed socket.

### ✓ Doors

- If doors need to be removed during installation, see the “Remove and Replace Refrigerator Doors” and “Remove and Replace Freezer Door Fronts” sections.
- Doors seal completely.
- Refrigerator is level. Adjust leveling feet so they are snug against the floor.
- Doors are even across the top. (Use door alignment feature if necessary).

### ✓ Final Checks

- Remove all shipping material.
- Set temperature controls to the recommended setting.
- Save instructions and other literature.
- ☒ In order to receive a more complete assistance, please register your product on [www.whirlpool.eu/register](http://www.whirlpool.eu/register).

## Unpack the Refrigerator

#### ⚠ WARNING

#### Excessive Weight Hazard

Use two or more people to move and install refrigerator.

Failure to do so can result in back or other injury.

### Refrigerator Delivery

A minimum door opening of 838 mm (33") is required. If door opening is 914 mm (36") or less, then removal of doors, drawer and hinges is required.

Cart the refrigerator from the side for all door openings.

#### When Moving Your Refrigerator:

Your refrigerator is heavy. When moving the refrigerator for cleaning or service, be sure to cover the floor with cardboard or hardboard to avoid floor damage. Always pull the refrigerator straight out when moving it. Do not wiggle or “walk” the refrigerator when trying to move it, as floor damage could occur.

### Remove the Packaging

- Remove tape and glue residues from surfaces before turning on the refrigerator. Rub a small amount of liquid dish detergent over the adhesive with your fingers. Wipe with warm water and dry.
- Do not use sharp instruments, rubbing alcohol, flammable fluids, or abrasive cleaners to remove tape or glue. These products can damage the surface of your refrigerator.
- Dispose of/recycle all packaging materials.

### Clean Before Using

After you remove all of the packaging materials, clean inside of your refrigerator before using it. See cleaning instructions in the “Refrigerator Care” section.

#### Important information to know about glass shelves and covers:

Do not clean glass shelves or covers with warm water when they are cold. Shelves and covers may break if exposed to sudden temperature changes or impact, such as bumping. Tempered glass is designed to shatter into many small, pebble-size pieces. This is normal. Glass shelves and covers are heavy. Use both hands when removing them to avoid dropping.

## Location Requirements

### **⚠ WARNING**



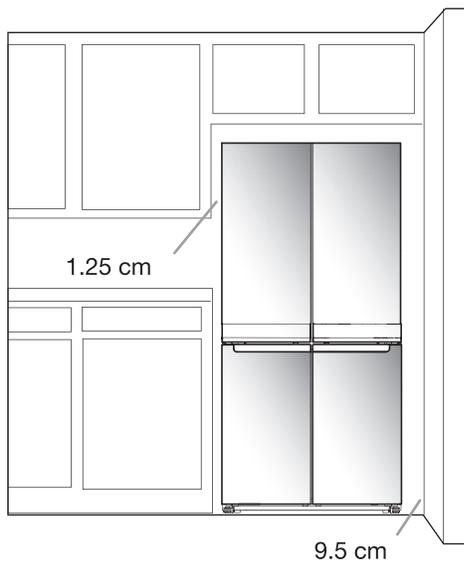
#### Explosion Hazard

Keep flammable materials and vapors, such as gasoline, away from refrigerator.

Failure to do so can result in death, explosion, or fire.

To ensure proper ventilation for your refrigerator, allow for a 1.25 cm space on each side and at the top. Allow for a 5 cm space behind the refrigerator. If your refrigerator has an ice maker, allow extra space at the back for the water line connections. When installing your refrigerator next to a fixed wall, leave a 9.5 cm minimum space between the refrigerator and wall to allow the door to swing open.

**NOTE:** This refrigerator is intended for use in a location where the temperature ranges from a minimum of 10°C to a maximum of 43°C. The preferred room temperature range for optimum performance, which reduces electricity usage and provides superior cooling, is between 15°C and 32°C. It is recommended that you do not install the refrigerator near a heat source, such as an oven or radiator.



## Electrical Requirements

### **⚠ WARNING**



#### Electrical Shock Hazard

Plug into a grounded (earthed) outlet.

Do not remove ground prong.

Do not use an adapter.

Do not use an extension cord.

Failure to follow these instructions can result in death, fire, or electrical shock.

**IMPORTANT:** Installation and electrical connection must be carried out by a qualified technician according to the manufacturer's instructions and in compliance with the local safety regulations.

- The refrigerator is designed to operate on a separate 220-240 V, 10 A, 50-60 Hz circuit.
- Make sure the voltage specified on the rating plate corresponds to that of your home.
- It must be possible to disconnect the appliance from the power supply by unplugging it or by means of a main two pole switch installed upstream of the socket.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent or similarly qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

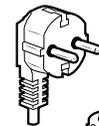
Before you move your refrigerator into its final location, it is important to make sure you have the proper electrical connection:

#### Recommended Earthing Method

220-240 V 50 Hz, 220 V 60 Hz, or 230/240 V 50 Hz AC only 10 A fused and earthed electrical supply is required.



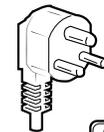
Type B



Type E and F



Type I



Type M



Type G

#### For Australia and New Zealand:

Your new appliance has been especially manufactured to meet all Australian Standards and Conditions.

Some notations in the installation instructions may refer to electrical requirements in other countries, so we draw your particular attention to these specific notes.

Your appliance needs to be plugged into a 230/240 V 50 Hz AC only 10 A earthed socket.

## Electrical Requirements (Great Britain and Ireland only)

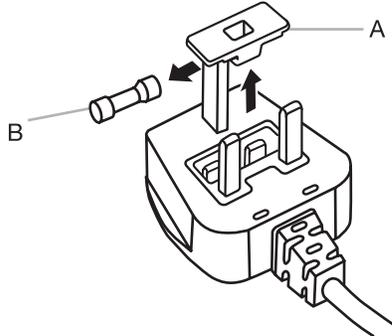
**IMPORTANT:** This refrigerator must be earthed.

### Fuse Replacement

If the main lead of this refrigerator is fitted with a BS1363A, 13 A fused plug, to replace a fuse in this type plug use an A.S.T.A. approved fuse to BS 1362 type and proceed as follows:

1. Remove the fuse cover (A) and fuse (B).
2. Fit replacement 13 A fuse into the fuse cover.
3. Reinsert both the fuse and its cover into the plug.

**IMPORTANT:** The fuse cover must be refitted when changing a fuse. If fuse cover is lost, the plug must not be used until a correct replacement cover is fitted. A correct replacement is identified by the colour insert or colour "word" embossed on the base of the plug. Replacement fuse covers are available at your local electrical shop.



A. Fuse cover  
B. Fuse

### For the Republic of Ireland (only):

The information given in respect of Great Britain will frequently apply, but a third type of plug and socket is also used, the 2-pin, side earth type.

### Socket/Plug (valid for both countries):

If the fitted plug is not suitable for your socket, please contact After-sales Service for further instruction. Please do not attempt to change the plug yourself. This procedure needs to be carried out by a qualified technician in compliance with the manufacturer's instructions and current standard safety regulations.

## Temperature

This refrigerator is designed for operation in places where the temperature comes within the following ranges, according to climatic class shown on the rating plate. The refrigerator may not work properly if it is left for a long time at a temperature outside the specified range.

**NOTE:** It is recommended that you do not install the refrigerator near a heat source, such as an oven or radiator.

Climatic Class	Amb. T. (°C)	Amb. T. (°F)
SN	From 10 to 32	From 50 to 90
N	From 16 to 32	From 61 to 90
ST	From 16 to 38	From 61 to 100
T	From 16 to 43	From 61 to 110