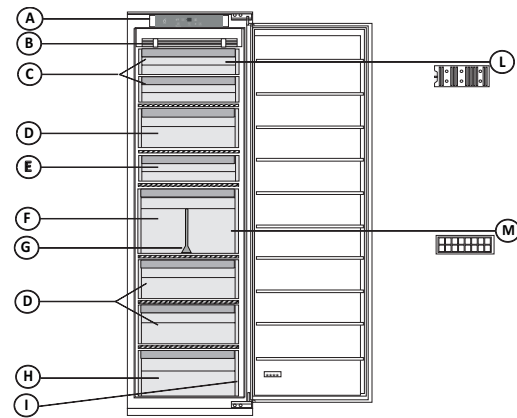


Hotpoint

QUICK START GUIDE



- A. Control panel
- B. Light (LED system)
- C. Freezer Flaps (freezing area)
- D. Middle Drawer Freezer
- E. Small Drawer Freezer
- F. Big Drawer Freezer
- G. Drawer Divider*
- H. Lower Drawer
- I. Rating plate* (located at side of drawer)
- L. Ice packs
- M. Ice tray*

* Available only on certain models.

The ideal temperatures for preserving foods are already factory-set.

Read the instructions carefully before using the appliance.
Features, technical data and images may vary according to the model.

ON/STANDBY

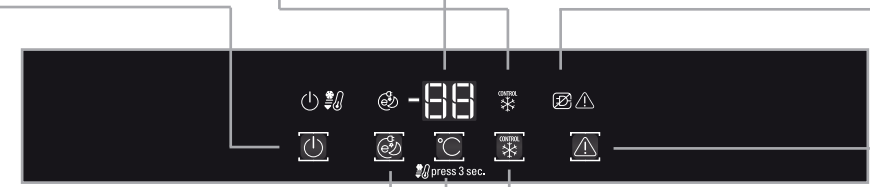
Press for 3 seconds to turn the appliance off. In Stand-by mode, two dashes light up on the display and the light in the refrigerator compartment does not turn on. To turn the product on again, a brief press on the button is sufficient.
Note: this procedure does not disconnect the appliance from the electricity supply.

GOOD NIGHT FUNCTION (Good night)

Good night function allows one to concentrate the energy consumption of the product during off-peak time (usually coinciding with night time), when energy is available in large quantity and it costs less than during the day (only in specific countries –using multiple-rate system based on off-peak times- check your rate plan with your utility company). To activate the function, press the button Good night at the reduced rate start time (depending on the specific rates plan). For example, if the reduced rate applies starting at 10:00 p.m., press the button that corresponds to that time. When the LED is ON, the function is active. After you activate the function, the product automatically starts to adapt the energy consumption to the time (i.e. Consuming more energy during the night then during the day).
IMPORTANT: In order to work properly, the function must be enabled both during the night and during the day. The function will remain enabled until deactivated (it will also be deactivated in the event of a blackout, or whenever the appliance is turned off). To deactivate the function, press the button again. When the LED is OFF, the function is not active.
Note: the power consumption of the appliance is declared with the Good night function disabled

FREEZE CONTROL indicator

TEMPERATURE DISPLAY
 The display shows the freezer compartment temperature (between -16°C and -24°C). It is possible to set a different temperature with the “°C” button.



FREEZE CONTROL

“Freeze Control” is an advanced technology that reduces temperature fluctuations in the whole freezer compartment to minimum, thanks to an innovative air system. Freeze burns are reduced up to 50% and food preserves its original quality and color.

To activate/deactivate the “Freeze Control” function press the Freeze Control Button

The function works properly in a defined range of temperature: between -22°C and -24°C. When the function is engaged and the current temperature in the freezer is set to the warmer set point than -22°C, the temperature is automatically set to -22°C to match the working range. If the function is engaged and the user modify the freezer temperature out of the working range, the function is automatically switched off.
 In case of “Fast freeze” is engaged, the function “Freeze control” is inhibited until the “Fast Freeze” function switched off.

BLACK OUT ALARM

This alarm is triggered in the event of a prolonged power outage that has caused the temperature inside the freezer compartment to rise.
 The red indicator light flashes and an acoustic signal is triggered, which will remain active until the door is closed. The freezer compartment temperature indicators may flash.

To turn the sound signal off, press the “Turn off alarm” button . If the freezer compartment has not yet reached the temperature for the optimal preservation of the food items, the temperature alarm may be triggered (see temperature alarm). Check the food before consuming it.

TURNING OFF THE SOUND ALARM

To turn off the sound alarm, briefly press the button .

FAST FREEZE

Press for 3 seconds the °C button 24 hours before placing large amount of fresh food in the freezer compartment. When the function is turned on the icon lights up. The function turns off automatically after 48 hours, or manually by pressing the °C button.
Note: do not put foods that are to be frozen in contact with others that are already frozen

What to do if...	Possible reasons:	Solutions:
The control panel is switched off, the appliance does not work.	The appliance may be in On/Stand-by mode. There may be an appliance power supply problem.	Turn the appliance on pressing the On/Stand-by button. Make sure:: - there is not a power outage - the plug is properly inserted in the power socket and the mains double-pole switch (if present) is in the correct position (i.e. allows the appliance to be powered) - the household electrical system protection devices are efficient - the power cable is not broken.
The internal light does not work.	The light may need replacing. The appliance may be in On/Stand-by mode	- Contact the authorised Technical Assistance Service. - Turn the appliance on pressing the On/Stand-by button
The temperature inside the compartment is not cold enough.	There could be various causes (see “Solutions”)	Make sure:: - the door close properly - the appliance is not installed near a heat source - the set temperature is adequate - the circulation of air through the ventilation grilles on the base of the appliance is not obstructed.
The front edge of the appliance, at the door striker seal, is hot.	This is not a defect. It prevents condensation from forming.	No solution is necessary.
The red icon is flashing and a sound signal is activated	Door open alarm It is activated when the door remains open for a prolonged period of time.	To turn the sound signal off, close the door of the product.
The red icon will light up, a sound signal is activated and the letter “F” is flashing on the display.	Malfunction alarm The alarm indicates the malfunction of a technical component.	Call the authorized Technical Assistance Service. To turn the sound signal off, briefly press the “Turn off sound alarm”
The Temperature display blinks (°C) and the Alarm Indicator remains on.	Temperature alarm The inside temperature is not adequate.	Press the Stop Alarm button ; the acoustical alarm stops, the Temperature Display (°C) blinks and the Alarm Indicator remains on until a temperature < -10°C is reached.
The Black Out Alarm icon remains on, the Alarm indicator blinks and the Temperature display (°C) blinks, showing the maximum temperature reached during blackout.	Long Black-Out alarm Prolonged power failure, able to cause the inside temperature to increase to 0°C.	Press the Stop Alarm button ; the acoustical alarm stops, the Temperature Display (°C) blinks and the Alarm Indicator remains on until a temperature < -10°C is reached.