# **Bottom Mount Built-in Refrigerator**

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**IMPORTANT:** Observe all governing codes and ordinances.

Electrical: A 115 Volt, 60 Hz., AC only 15- or 20-amp fused, grounded electrical supply is required. It is recommended that a separate circuit serving only your refrigerator be provided. Use an outlet that cannot be turned off by a switch. Do not use an extension cord.

A grounded 3 prong electrical outlet should be placed within 4" (10.2 cm) of the right side cabinets or end panel.

Location: Do not install in a location where the temperature will fall below 55°F (13°C). It is recommended that you do not install the refrigerator near an oven, radiator, or other heat source.

- Floor must support the refrigerator weight, more than 600 lbs. (272 kg), door panels, and contents of the refrigerator.
- Ceiling height must allow for side tipping radius. See "Tipping Radius."
- Location should permit door to open fully. See "Door Swing Dimensions."
- Location must permit top grille removal. See "Opening Dimensions."

## Water Supply:

A cold water supply with water pressure between 30 and 120 psi (207 and 827 kPa) is required to operate the water dispenser and ice maker. If you have questions about your water pressure, call a licensed, qualified plumber.

## **Reverse Osmosis Water Supply**

**IMPORTANT:** The pressure of the water supply coming out of a reverse osmosis system going to the water inlet valve of the refrigerator needs to be between 30 and 120 psi (207 and 827 kPa).

- All installations must meet local plumbing code requirements.
- The water shutoff should be located in the base cabinet on either side of the refrigerator or some other easily accessible area. The right-hand side is recommended. The access hole through the cabinet must be within 1/2" (12.7 mm) of the rear wall.

NOTE: If the water shutoff valve is in the back wall behind the refrigerator, it must be at an angle so that the tube is not kinked when the refrigerator is pushed into its final location.



## DOOR SWING DIMENSIONS

The location must permit the door to open a minimum of 90°. Allow 41/2" (11.4 cm) minimum space between the side of the refrigerator and a corner wall. NOTE: More clearance may be required if you are using overlay panels or custom handles.

36" (91.4 cm) French Door Models

39¾" (101 cm)

41" (104 cm)



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Dimensions are for planning purposes only. For complete details, see Installation Instructions packed with product. Specifications subject to change without notice.

### **PRODUCT DIMENSIONS**

- Height dimensions are shown with the leveling legs extended to 1/8" (3 mm) below the rollers.
- Width dimensions were measured from trim edge to trim edge.



\* When leveling legs are fully extended to 11/4" (3.2 cm) below rollers, add 11/8" (2.9 cm) to the height dimensions.

#### SIDE VIEW



## **TOP VIEW**



The water line attached to the back of the refrigerator is 5' (1.5 m) long.



42" (106.7 cm) Models

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**FRONT VIEW** 

#### **OPENING DIMENSIONS**

To avoid tipping during use, the solid soffit must be within 1" (2.5 cm) maximum above the refrigerator. If the solid soffit is higher than 1" (2.5 cm) or one is not available, then the refrigerator must be braced.

If anti-tip boards are needed, they must be installed to the rear wall studs so that the bottom of the anti-tip board is  $84^{\circ}$  (213.4 cm) from the floor.

**NOTE:** Do not remove the foam gasket on top of the compressor cover unless removal is necessary to fit the unit under a soffit. Removal of the gasket will cause loss in cooling efficiency.



B. Compressor cover

**NOTE:** If installing under a solid soffit, after installation raise the leveling legs so that the gasket is pressed snugly against the soffit.



#### **TIPPING RADIUS**

Be sure there is adequate ceiling height to stand the refrigerator upright when it is moved into place.

The dolly wheel height must be added to the tipping radius when a dolly is used.

■ If needed, the tipping radius can be reduced. See "Reduce Tipping Radius."

#### Side Tipping Radius (36" [91.4 cm] Models)



A. Tip this side only.

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