

Electrolux 240434401

Electrolux 240434401 Water Filter Cup Instruction Manual

Model: 240434401 | Brand: Electrolux

PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Electrolux 240434401 Water Filter Cup is a genuine replacement part designed for compatible Electrolux and Frigidaire refrigerators. This component serves as the housing for your refrigerator's water filter cartridge, ensuring proper filtration and water delivery. It is crucial for maintaining the quality of your drinking water and ice.

Key Features:

- **Genuine Replacement Part:** Ensures compatibility and optimal performance with your appliance.
- **Model #240434401:** Specifically designed for compatible Electrolux and Frigidaire refrigerator models.
- **Durable Construction:** Made from plastic, built for longevity.
- **Improves Water Quality:** Works in conjunction with the water filter cartridge to enhance water taste and quality.



Image: Electrolux 240434401 Water Filter Cup (shown with a compatible filter cartridge).

Safety Precautions:

- Always turn off the water supply to your refrigerator before beginning installation.
- Have a towel ready to catch any residual water.

Removing the Existing Water Filter Cup:

1. Locate the water filter cup inside your refrigerator. It is typically found in the upper right corner of the fresh food compartment.
2. Press the release button or twist the existing cup counter-clockwise to unlock it.
3. Carefully pull the cup downwards and out. Some water may drip, which is normal.
4. Remove the old filter cartridge and the O-ring from the cup. Inspect the O-ring for wear; a new O-ring (not included with this cup) may be required for a proper seal.

Installing the New Water Filter Cup:

1. Insert your new or existing water filter cartridge into the new 240434401 Water Filter Cup. Ensure it is seated correctly.
2. Align the new filter cup with the housing in the refrigerator.
3. Push the cup upwards and then twist it clockwise until it locks securely into place. You should feel a click or resistance when it is properly seated.
4. Turn the water supply back on.

Flushing the System:

1. Dispense approximately 2-3 gallons of water through the refrigerator's dispenser to flush the system. This removes air from the lines and any carbon fines from the new filter cartridge.
2. Discard the flushed water.
3. Check for any leaks around the filter cup area.

OPERATION

Once installed, the Electrolux 240434401 Water Filter Cup functions automatically as part of your refrigerator's water filtration system. It continuously filters water as it passes through to the dispenser and ice maker. No further user interaction is required during normal operation.

MAINTENANCE AND REPLACEMENT

Filter Cartridge Replacement:

While the 240434401 is the filter cup/housing, the filter cartridge *inside* it requires regular replacement. It is recommended to replace your refrigerator's water filter cartridge every 6 months or sooner if water flow decreases significantly or water quality diminishes.

O-Ring Inspection:

When replacing the filter cartridge or the cup itself, always inspect the O-ring for any signs of wear, cracks, or damage. A worn O-ring can lead to leaks. Note that the O-ring is typically not included with the replacement filter cup and may need to be purchased separately (e.g., Frigidaire 218904301 Filter Cup O-Ring).

TROUBLESHOOTING COMMON ISSUES

Water Leaks:

- **Cause:** Improper installation, damaged O-ring, or cracked filter cup.
- **Solution:**
 - Ensure the filter cup is twisted fully and securely into place.
 - Check the O-ring for damage and replace if necessary.
 - Verify the filter cartridge is correctly seated within the cup.
 - If the cup itself is cracked, replace it with a new genuine part.

Reduced Water Flow:

- **Cause:** Clogged filter cartridge (if old) or air in the system.
- **Solution:**
 - Replace the water filter cartridge if it's past its recommended lifespan.
 - Flush the system thoroughly by dispensing several gallons of water to remove trapped air.

Cloudy or Discolored Water:

- **Cause:** Air bubbles after replacement, or carbon fines from a new filter cartridge.
- **Solution:**
 - Flush the system thoroughly by dispensing 2-3 gallons of water. This should clear up the water.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Model Number	240434401
Brand	Electrolux
Material	Plastic
Product Dimensions	4"D x 2"W x 5"H
Item Weight	0.32 ounces (9.07 g)
Color	White
Unit Count	1 Count
External Testing Certification	ADA
Product Benefits	Improves water taste and quality (when used with a filter cartridge)

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

As a genuine Electrolux replacement part, this product is covered by the standard manufacturer's warranty. For specific warranty details, please refer to your refrigerator's user manual or contact Electrolux customer support.

Customer Support:

For further assistance, technical support, or to purchase additional genuine replacement parts, please visit the official Electrolux website or contact their customer service department.

You can also visit the [Electrolux Store on Amazon](#) for more products and information.