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Model: KGNF 185 A2+ IN

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient use of your Bauknecht KGNF 185 A2+ IN refrigerator-freezer. Please read these instructions carefully before installation and operation, and keep them for future reference.





Figure 1: Front view of the Bauknecht KGNF 185 A2+ IN Refrigerator-Freezer. This image shows the appliance's exterior, highlighting its stainless steel finish and integrated handles.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Always follow basic safety precautions when using electrical appliances to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and injury.

- Ensure the appliance is properly grounded.
- Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.
- Do not use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer.
- Unplug the appliance before cleaning or performing maintenance.
- Keep ventilation openings clear of obstruction.
- This appliance is intended for household use only.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

3.1 Unpacking

Remove all packaging materials, including tape and protective films. Dispose of packaging responsibly.

3.2 Placement

Place the appliance on a firm, level surface. Ensure adequate ventilation by leaving sufficient space around the unit (e.g., 5-10 cm at the back and sides). Avoid direct sunlight and heat sources. Level the appliance using the adjustable feet to ensure proper door closure and operation.

3.3 Door Reversal (Optional)

The door hinges can be reversed if required for your kitchen layout. This process may be complex and requires careful attention to detail. Refer to the detailed diagrams in the separate installation guide for specific instructions. It is recommended to seek professional assistance if you are unsure.

3.4 Initial Power-On

After positioning and leveling, wait at least 4-6 hours before plugging the appliance into a power outlet. This allows the refrigerant to settle. Once plugged in, the appliance will begin to cool. Allow several hours for the internal temperature to stabilize before loading with food.





Figure 2: Side view of the Bauknecht KGNF 185 A2+ IN with the door slightly ajar. This illustrates the appliance's depth and the hinge mechanism.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Temperature Control

The refrigerator and freezer temperatures can be adjusted using the electronic control panel located on the door. Refer to the display for current settings and use the buttons to modify them according to your needs. The recommended refrigerator temperature is 4°C (39°F) and freezer temperature is -18°C (0°F).

4.2 ProFresh Technology

The ProFresh system helps maintain optimal humidity levels and consistent temperatures throughout the refrigerator compartment, preserving food freshness for longer.

4.3 Gourmet FreshBox and Maxi Box

These specialized drawers are designed for optimal storage of specific food types. The Gourmet FreshBox provides ideal conditions for delicate foods, while the Maxi Box offers ample space for larger items, helping to organize and extend the life of your groceries.



Figure 3: Close-up of the refrigerator's interior, showing the Gourmet FreshBox and Maxi Box drawers. These drawers are designed for specialized food storage.

4.4 LED Top Lighting

The interior of the refrigerator is illuminated by energy-efficient LED lighting, providing clear visibility of all contents.

4.5 QuickIce Function

The QuickIce feature allows for rapid ice cube production. Fill the provided ice trays with water and place them in the designated area within the freezer. While designed for quick freezing, extracting ice cubes from the rigid trays may require some effort. Avoid using sharp objects to remove ice.

4.6 Party Function (Fast Freezing)

Activate the Party Function for rapid freezing of newly added items or for quickly chilling beverages. This function temporarily lowers the freezer temperature to accelerate the freezing process. An alarm may sound to indicate its activation or completion.



Figure 4: Interior view of the Bauknecht KGNF 185 A2+ IN with both refrigerator and freezer doors open. This shows the internal layout,

shelves, and drawers.

5. MAINTENANCE

5.1 Cleaning

Regularly clean the interior and exterior of your appliance. Before cleaning, always unplug the refrigerator-freezer from the power supply. Use a soft cloth and a mild, non-abrasive detergent. Avoid harsh chemicals or abrasive cleaners that could damage surfaces. Clean door seals regularly to ensure a tight seal.

5.2 Defrosting

This appliance features an automatic defrosting system for both the refrigerator and freezer compartments (NoFrost technology). Manual defrosting is generally not required. If ice buildup occurs, ensure the door seals are intact and the doors are closing properly.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues with your appliance, consult the following common problems and solutions before contacting service.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance is noisy	Appliance not level. Compressor or fan operation. Items inside rattling.	Adjust leveling feet. Normal operation sounds. Rearrange items to prevent rattling.
Refrigerator not cooling	Power supply issue. Temperature setting too high. Door left open.	Check power plug and circuit breaker. Adjust temperature setting lower. Ensure door is fully closed.
Door does not close properly	Appliance not level. Food items obstructing closure. Damaged door seal.	Adjust leveling feet. Rearrange food items. Inspect and replace seal if damaged.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Bauknecht
Model Name	KGNF 185 A2+ IN
Configuration	Bottom Freezer
Color	Stainless Steel (Pro Touch)
Total Capacity (Refrigerator)	222 Liters
Total Capacity (Freezer)	94 Liters
Height	189 cm

Feature	Detail
Energy Class	A++
Annual Energy Consumption	244 kWh/year
Defrost System	Automatic (NoFrost)
Special Features	ProFresh, Gourmet FreshBox, LED Top Light, QuickIce, Party Function
Installation Type	Freestanding
Weight	71 Kilograms
Noise Level	42 dB (as per manufacturer's data, noted in reviews)

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

For warranty information, please refer to the warranty card included with your appliance or contact Bauknecht customer service directly. Keep your proof of purchase for any warranty claims. For technical support or service requests, please visit the official Bauknecht website or contact their authorized service centers.

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