

## Severin RKG 8932

# Severin RKG 8932 Retro Combined Refrigerator Instruction Manual

Model: RKG 8932 | Brand: Severin

## 1. INTRODUCTION AND SAFETY INFORMATION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation of your Severin RKG 8932 Retro Combined Refrigerator. Please read these instructions carefully before installation and use, and keep them for future reference.

### 1.1 General Safety Guidelines

- 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.
- Keep ventilation openings clear of obstruction.
- This appliance is intended for household use only.
- Unplug the appliance before cleaning or maintenance.

## 2. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Severin RKG 8932 is a combined refrigerator and freezer unit featuring a retro design. It offers efficient food storage with a total net capacity of 206 liters.

### 2.1 Key Features

- Total Net Capacity: 206 L (Refrigerator: 162 L, Freezer: 44 L)
- Quality design with metal door handle, glass shelves, and chrome-plated door covers.
- Modern LED interior lighting for bright and optimal visibility.
- Adjustable glass shelves for flexible storage.
- Adjustable feet for stable positioning.

### 2.2 Components





Figure 1: Front view of the Severin RKG 8932 Retro Combined Refrigerator. This image shows the appliance's overall retro design, including the top refrigerator door and bottom freezer door, both equipped with chrome-plated metal handles.





Figure 2: Interior view of the refrigerator compartment. This image displays the adjustable glass shelves, door shelves, and the crisper drawer at the bottom, along with the internal LED lighting.



Figure 3: Close-up of the chrome-plated metal door handles. This detail highlights the retro aesthetic and the quality finish of the handles.

### 3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

#### 3.1 Unpacking

1. Carefully remove all packaging materials.
2. Inspect the appliance for any damage during transit. Report any damage to your retailer immediately.
3. Keep packaging materials out of reach of children.

## 3.2 Placement

- Place the refrigerator on a firm, level surface.
- Ensure adequate ventilation around the appliance. Maintain a minimum distance of 10 cm from walls and other furniture.
- Avoid direct sunlight and heat sources (e.g., radiators, ovens).
- The appliance is designed for ambient temperatures within climate class N, ST (Normal, Subtropical).

## 3.3 Leveling

Adjust the appliance's feet to ensure it is perfectly level. This prevents vibrations and ensures proper door closure.

## 3.4 Electrical Connection

- Before plugging in, ensure the voltage specified on the rating plate matches your mains supply.
- Connect the appliance to a properly grounded socket.
- Allow the appliance to stand upright for at least 2-4 hours before plugging it in to allow the refrigerant to settle.

# 4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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## 4.1 Initial Start-up

After connecting the appliance to the power supply, the interior light will illuminate. The refrigerator will begin cooling. Allow the appliance to run for several hours empty before loading food.

## 4.2 Temperature Control

The temperature control is located inside the refrigerator compartment, typically near the light. Rotate the dial to adjust the cooling intensity. Higher numbers generally indicate colder temperatures.

- **Refrigerator Compartment:** Ideal for fresh food storage.
- **Freezer Compartment (4-star):** Suitable for long-term storage of frozen foods and freezing fresh food. Freezing capacity is 2 kg per 24 hours.

## 4.3 Food Storage Guidelines

- Store food in sealed containers to prevent drying out and odor transfer.
- Do not place hot food directly into the refrigerator or freezer. Allow it to cool first.
- Avoid overloading the shelves to ensure proper air circulation.
- The crisper drawer is designed for fruits and vegetables.

# 5. MAINTENANCE

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## 5.1 Cleaning

1. Always unplug the appliance before cleaning.
2. Clean the interior and exterior surfaces with a soft cloth and a mild detergent solution.
3. Do not use abrasive cleaners, solvents, or sharp objects.

4. Regularly clean the drain hole in the refrigerator compartment to prevent water buildup.
5. Clean the condenser coils at the back of the appliance periodically (e.g., every 6-12 months) to maintain efficiency.

## 5.2 Defrosting

The refrigerator compartment features automatic defrosting. Water from defrosting collects in a tray above the compressor and evaporates.

The freezer compartment requires manual defrosting when the ice layer becomes approximately 3-5 mm thick. To defrost:

1. Unplug the appliance.
2. Remove all frozen food and wrap it in several layers of newspaper to keep it cold.
3. Leave the freezer door open. Place a towel or shallow tray at the bottom to collect melting ice.
4. Do not use sharp objects or heating devices to speed up defrosting.
5. Once defrosted, clean and dry the interior thoroughly before plugging the appliance back in and returning food.

## 6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting customer service, please check the following common issues and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not operate.	No power supply.	Check if the plug is properly inserted and the power outlet is working.
Refrigerator is not cold enough.	Temperature setting is too high; door is not closed properly; too much food loaded; frequent door opening.	Adjust temperature setting; ensure door seals properly; reduce food load; avoid frequent door opening.
Excessive noise.	Appliance is not level; contact with wall/furniture.	Adjust leveling feet; ensure adequate clearance around the appliance.
Water on the bottom of the refrigerator compartment.	Blocked drain hole.	Clear the drain hole with a small, soft tool.

## 7. SPECIFICATIONS

Technical data for the Severin RKG 8932 Retro Combined Refrigerator:

- **Model Number:** 8932
- **Dimensions (H x W x D):** 146 cm x 55 cm x 61.5 cm
- **Weight:** 39 kg
- **Total Net Capacity:** 206 Liters
- **Refrigerator Volume:** 162 Liters
- **Freezer Volume:** 44 Liters (4-star compartment)
- **Energy Efficiency Class:** E
- **Annual Energy Consumption:** 180 kWh/year
- **Noise Level:** 39 dB

- **Climate Class:** N, ST
- **Freezing Capacity:** 2 kg/24 hours
- **Storage Time During Power Failure:** 12 hours
- **Voltage:** 230 Volts
- **Installation Type:** Freestanding
- **Defrost System:** Automatic (Refrigerator), Manual (Freezer)
- **Door Hinge:** Right (reversible, consult service for reversal)



Figure 4: Energy label for the Severin RKG 8932, showing energy efficiency class E, annual energy consumption of 180 kWh, refrigerator volume of 162L, freezer volume of 44L, and noise level of 39dB. For more details, scan the QR code or visit [EPREL database](#).

## 8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Severin RKG 8932 appliance comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the warranty card included with your purchase for specific terms and conditions.

- **Manufacturer's Warranty:** Minimum 24 months.
- For technical assistance, spare parts, or warranty claims, please contact Severin customer service or your authorized retailer.
- Keep your proof of purchase for warranty purposes.

For additional information, you may visit the official Severin website or contact their support channels.