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Model: GLR12TRDEFR | Brand: Galanz

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Galanz GLR12TRDEFR Refrigerator. Please read it thoroughly before installation and use, and keep it for future reference.

The Galanz GLR12TRDEFR is a 12.0 Cu Ft dual-door refrigerator featuring a retro design, adjustable electrical thermostat control, and a top-mount freezer compartment. It is designed for freestanding installation.

SAFETY INFORMATION

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

- Ensure the refrigerator is properly grounded.
- Do not operate the appliance with a damaged cord or plug.
- Keep ventilation openings clear of obstruction.
- Do not store explosive substances such as aerosol cans with a flammable propellant in this appliance.
- Unplug the refrigerator before cleaning or performing any maintenance.
- This appliance uses R600a refrigerant, which is flammable. Handle with care and ensure proper ventilation during installation and servicing.
- Do not allow children to play with or inside the refrigerator.

Proposition 65 Warning: *This product may contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.*

WHAT'S IN THE BOX

- 1 x Galanz GLR12TRDEFR Refrigerator

- 5 x Removable Glass Shelves
- 1 x Crystal Crisper

SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Your Galanz GLR12TRDEFR refrigerator is designed for freestanding installation. Follow these steps for proper setup:

1. **Unpacking:** Carefully remove all packaging materials, including the base and any adhesive tape. Keep packaging materials out of reach of children.
2. **Placement:** Place the refrigerator on a flat, stable surface away from direct sunlight and heat sources (e.g., stove, heater). Ensure adequate air circulation around the unit. Allow at least 4 inches of space from the back and sides for proper ventilation.
3. **Leveling:** The refrigerator comes with 2 leveling front legs. Adjust these legs to ensure the unit is perfectly level. This is crucial for proper door alignment and efficient operation.
4. **Electrical Connection:** Connect the refrigerator to a dedicated 120V/60Hz grounded electrical outlet. Do not use extension cords or adapter plugs.
5. **Door Handles:** Please note that the door handles on this model are not reversible. Ensure the door swing direction (left-hinged) is suitable for your space before purchase and installation.
6. **Initial Operation:** After placement and connection, allow the refrigerator to stand upright for at least 2-4 hours before plugging it in. This allows the refrigerant to settle. Once plugged in, let it run empty for a few hours to reach optimal temperature before loading food.



Image: Galanz GLR12TRDEFR Refrigerator in a living room setting, showcasing its retro design and compact size.



Image: Diagram illustrating the dimensions of the Galanz GLR12TRDEFR Refrigerator: 23.74" W x 66.93" H x 29.45" D.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Temperature Control

The refrigerator features an adjustable electrical thermostat control. You can manually adjust the temperature using the control dial located inside the fresh food compartment. Turn the knob to set the desired temperature, ranging from cool to coldest.

- **Refrigerator Temperature Range:** 32°F to 47°F (0°C to 8°C)
- **Freezer Compartment Temperature:** ≤0°F (-18°C)

For optimal food preservation, it is recommended to set the temperature to a medium setting initially and adjust as needed based on your food storage requirements and ambient room temperature.

Interior Organization

The interior of your refrigerator is designed for flexible storage:

- **Glass Shelves:** Five removable glass shelves allow you to organize different types of food. These shelves can be adjusted to various heights to accommodate taller items.
- **Crystal Crisper:** A dedicated crisper drawer is provided for storing fruits and vegetables, helping to maintain their freshness.

- **Door Storage:** The door features a 2-gallon bottle door storage and a 9-can dispenser, providing convenient access to frequently used beverages and condiments.
- **Top Mount Freezer:** The top compartment functions as a freezer, suitable for storing frozen foods or making ice cubes.



Image: Interior view of the Galanz GLR12TRDEFR Refrigerator, showing adjustable glass shelves, crisper, and door storage for bottles and cans.

MAINTENANCE

Cleaning

Regular cleaning helps maintain the efficiency and appearance of your refrigerator. Always unplug the unit before cleaning.

- **Interior:** Clean the interior surfaces, shelves, and crisper with a mild detergent and warm water. Rinse thoroughly and dry.
- **Exterior:** Wipe the exterior with a soft cloth and mild soap. For the retro red finish, avoid abrasive cleaners that could damage the surface.
- **Door Gaskets:** Clean the door gaskets regularly to ensure a tight seal.
- **Defrosting:** This model features a Frost Free defrost system, minimizing the need for manual defrosting in the fresh food compartment. However, the freezer compartment may accumulate some frost over time, which should be removed periodically.

Power Outage

In case of a power outage, keep the refrigerator doors closed to maintain internal temperature for as long as possible. Avoid opening the doors unnecessarily.

TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Refrigerator does not operate.	Not plugged in; circuit breaker tripped; temperature control set to "OFF".	Ensure plug is firmly in outlet; reset circuit breaker; turn temperature control to a desired setting.
Temperature is not cold enough.	Temperature control set too warm; door opened too frequently; large amount of warm food added; poor ventilation.	Adjust temperature control to a colder setting; minimize door openings; allow warm food to cool before placing in fridge; ensure adequate space around the unit.
Food in fresh food compartment freezes.	Temperature control set too cold; food placed too close to the cooling element.	Adjust temperature control to a warmer setting; reposition food items away from the back wall or cooling vents.
Excessive frost in freezer.	Freezer door not closed properly; high humidity; frequent door openings.	Ensure door is fully closed; avoid leaving door open for extended periods; manually defrost if necessary.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Unusual noises.	Refrigerator not level; items vibrating inside; normal operating sounds (e.g., refrigerant flow, compressor).	Adjust leveling legs; rearrange items; these sounds are normal.

SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand Name	Galanz
Model Info	GLR12TRDEFR
Item Weight	140 pounds
Product Dimensions	23.74 x 29.45 x 66.93 inches
Efficiency	Energy Star
Capacity	12 Cubic Feet
Annual Energy Consumption	312 Kilowatt Hours Per Year
Refrigerator Fresh Food Capacity	9.36 Cubic Feet
Freezer Capacity	2.65 Cubic Feet
Noise Level	42 dB
Installation Type	Freestanding
Form Factor	Stand Alone
Special Features	Automatic Defrost, Compact, Energy Efficient, Low Noise, Separate Freezer
Color	Red
Voltage	120 Volts
Number of Racks	5
Crispers/Drawers	1
Defrost System	Frost Free
Door Hinges	Left
Door Material Type	Aluminum
Shelf Type	Glass
Material Type	ABS+METAL+GLASS+FOAMING+PAPER
Number Of Doors	2
Configuration	Freezer-on-Top

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Your Galanz GLR12TRDEFR Refrigerator comes with a manufacturer's warranty. Please refer to the official user manual (PDF) for detailed warranty terms and conditions. Keep your purchase receipt for warranty claims. For technical support, service, or parts, please contact Galanz customer service. You may also find additional information and support on the official Galanz website.

- **Official User Manual (PDF):** [Download PDF](#)
- **Protection Plans:** Additional protection plans may be available for purchase to extend coverage beyond the manufacturer's warranty. Check with your retailer for options.