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Model: 3KIF711S

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the BALAY 3KIF711S Integrated Refrigerator and Freezer. This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient use of your appliance. Please read these instructions carefully before installation, operation, or maintenance to ensure optimal performance and to prevent damage or injury. Keep this manual for future reference.

The BALAY 3KIF711S is an integrated appliance designed to blend seamlessly with your kitchen cabinetry, offering a total capacity of 265 liters, comprising a 237-liter refrigerator compartment and an 88-liter freezer compartment. It features an automatic defrost system and reversible doors for flexible installation.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Your safety and the safety of others are paramount. Please observe all safety warnings and instructions provided in this manual.

- **Electrical Safety:** Ensure the appliance is connected to a properly grounded electrical outlet. Do not use extension cords or multiple socket adapters. Disconnect the appliance from the power supply before cleaning or maintenance.
- **Child Safety:** This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.
- **Ventilation:** Ensure adequate ventilation around the appliance. Do not block ventilation openings. Insufficient ventilation can lead to overheating and reduced efficiency.
- **Flammable Materials:** Do not store explosive substances such as aerosol cans with a flammable propellant in this appliance. Do not place flammable or explosive materials near the appliance.
- **Installation:** Installation must be performed by a qualified technician in accordance with local regulations and the provided instructions.

3. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

3.1 Unpacking

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

3.2 Placement

The BALAY 3KIF711S is designed for integrated installation within kitchen cabinetry. Ensure the chosen location provides sufficient space for proper ventilation. The appliance requires a stable, level surface to operate efficiently and quietly. Avoid placing the appliance near heat sources (e.g., ovens, radiators, direct sunlight) or in excessively damp environments.

3.3 Electrical Connection

Connect the appliance to a dedicated 220V, 50Hz grounded power outlet. Ensure the plug is easily accessible after installation. The appliance has a power rating of 3600W, which should be considered for circuit capacity.

3.4 Door Reversal

The doors of this appliance are reversible, allowing them to open from either the left or right side to suit your kitchen layout. Refer to the detailed installation diagrams provided with the appliance for specific instructions on how to reverse the doors. This procedure typically requires specialized tools and should be performed by a qualified technician.

3.5 Initial Startup

After installation, wait at least 4 hours before plugging in the appliance. This allows the refrigerant to settle. Once plugged in, set the desired temperatures. Allow the appliance to run for several hours (approximately 4-6 hours) before loading it with food to ensure it reaches the correct operating temperatures.



Figure 1: Front view of the BALAY 3KIF711S integrated refrigerator and freezer with both compartments open, showcasing the interior layout including shelves, drawers, and door bins. The upper compartment is the refrigerator, and the lower compartment is the freezer.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 Control Panel Overview

The control panel is located inside the refrigerator compartment, typically at the top. It allows you to adjust the temperature settings and activate special functions.

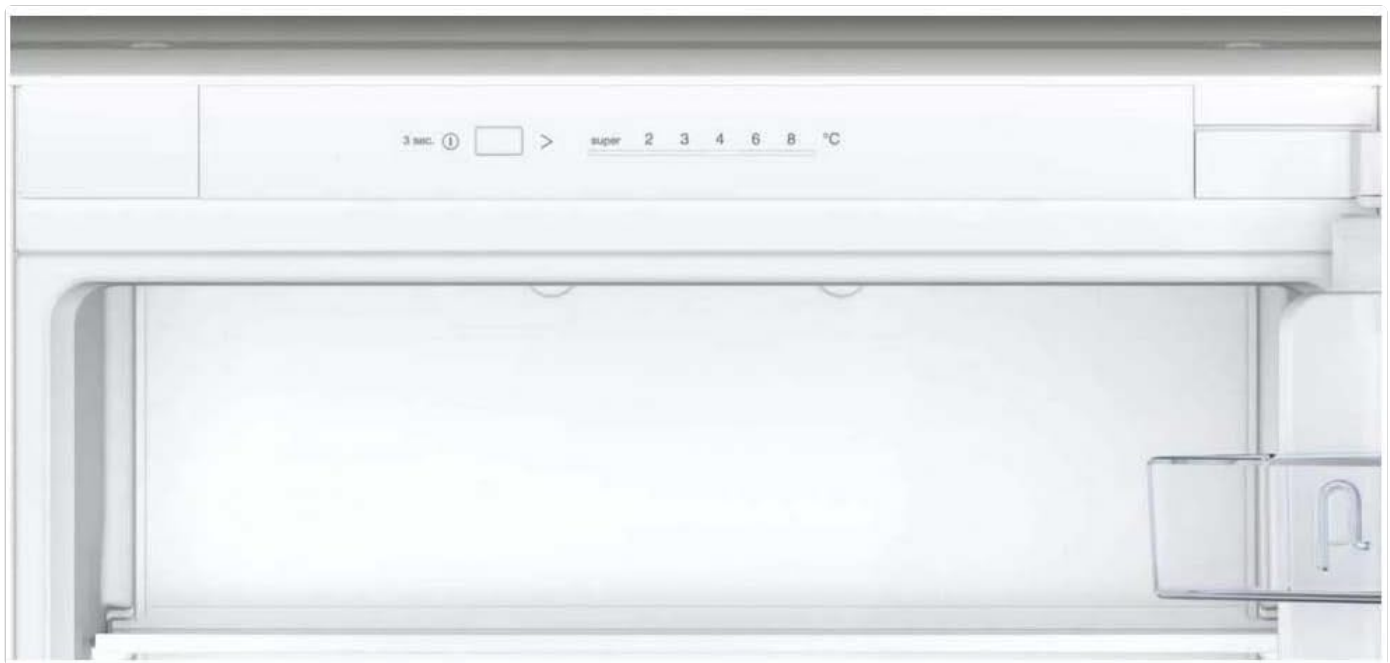


Figure 2: Close-up view of the control panel, showing temperature settings (2, 3, 4, 6, 8 °C) and a 'Super' function button, along with a power button (indicated by '3 sec' and an icon).

4.2 Temperature Settings

Use the control panel to set the desired temperature for the refrigerator compartment. The available settings typically range from 2°C to 8°C. A lower number indicates a colder temperature. The freezer compartment temperature is usually pre-set or automatically adjusted in relation to the refrigerator setting.

- **Refrigerator:** Recommended temperature is usually between 4°C and 5°C for optimal food preservation.
- **Freezer:** The freezer maintains a temperature suitable for long-term storage of frozen foods, typically -18°C or colder.

4.3 Special Functions

Super Cooling/Freezing: The 'Super' function (visible on the control panel) is designed to rapidly cool or freeze newly added food items. Activate this function when adding a large quantity of fresh food to the refrigerator or freezer. It will automatically deactivate after a set period or when the target temperature is reached. Refer to the appliance's specific instructions for activation and duration.

4.4 Food Storage Guidelines

- **Refrigerator:** Store fresh foods, dairy products, and cooked leftovers. Use the designated drawers for fruits and vegetables to maintain their freshness.
- **Freezer:** Store pre-packaged frozen foods and items intended for long-term preservation. Ensure food is properly sealed to prevent freezer burn.
- Avoid placing hot food directly into the refrigerator or freezer; allow it to cool down first.

5. MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING

Regular cleaning and maintenance ensure the longevity and efficient operation of your appliance.

- **Before Cleaning:** Always unplug the appliance from the power outlet before cleaning.
- **Interior Cleaning:** Clean the interior regularly with a solution of mild detergent and warm water. Wipe dry thoroughly. Do not use abrasive cleaners, solvents, or harsh chemicals. Remove shelves and drawers for easier cleaning.
- **Exterior Cleaning:** Wipe the exterior surfaces with a soft cloth dampened with water and a mild detergent. For stainless steel surfaces (if applicable), use a specialized stainless steel cleaner.

- **Automatic Defrost:** This appliance features an automatic defrost system for both the refrigerator and freezer compartments, eliminating the need for manual defrosting. Ensure the drain hole (if visible) is clear to prevent water accumulation.
- **Door Seals:** Regularly check and clean the door seals to ensure they are free from food particles and remain flexible. A tight seal is crucial for energy efficiency.
- **Power Outage:** In case of a power outage, keep the doors closed to maintain the internal temperature for as long as possible. Avoid opening the doors unnecessarily.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

Before contacting customer service, please refer to the following common issues and their potential solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Appliance does not operate.	No power supply; power cord not plugged in; circuit breaker tripped.	Check power connection; check household fuse/circuit breaker.
Temperature is not cold enough.	Door not closed properly; frequent door opening; large amount of warm food added; poor ventilation; temperature setting too high.	Ensure door is sealed; avoid frequent opening; allow food to cool before storing; ensure proper ventilation; adjust temperature setting lower.
Unusual noises.	Appliance not level; objects vibrating against the appliance; normal operating sounds (e.g., refrigerant flow, compressor).	Level the appliance using adjustable feet; ensure no objects are touching the back or sides; some sounds are normal.
Water on the floor or inside.	Blocked drain hole; excessive humidity; door left ajar.	Clear the drain hole; ensure proper ventilation; close door completely.

If the problem persists after attempting these solutions, please contact a qualified service technician or BALAY customer support.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

Brand	BALAY
Model Number	3KIF711S
Type	Integrated Refrigerator and Freezer
Total Capacity	265 Litres
Refrigerator Volume	237 Litres
Freezer Volume	88 Litres
Dimensions (W x D x H)	60 cm x 60 cm x 180 cm
Color	White
Voltage	220V
Power	3600W (Note: This may refer to peak power or circuit requirement)
Energy Efficiency Class	C
Defrost System	Automatic
Door Reversibility	Yes
Material	Steel

8. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Specific warranty details for your BALAY 3KIF711S appliance are typically provided with your purchase documentation. Please refer to the warranty card or sales receipt for information regarding warranty period, terms, and conditions.

For technical assistance, spare parts, or service requests, please contact your retailer or the official BALAY customer support in your region. When contacting support, have your appliance model number (3KIF711S) and serial number ready.

