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Mintu Door Gasket Boot Seal Replacement User Manual

For Kenmore Washing Machines

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Mintu Door Gasket Boot Seal Replacement. This part is designed to replace worn or damaged door gaskets in compatible Kenmore washing machine models, ensuring a proper seal and preventing leaks.

COMPATIBILITY

This Mintu Door Gasket Boot Seal is a replacement part compatible with specific Kenmore washing machine models. Please verify your washer's model number against the list below to ensure proper fit. If your model is not listed, this gasket may not fit.

Compatible Models:

- WF220ANW/XAA-0001
- WF220ANW/XAA-0002
- WF338AAB/XAA
- WF338AAW/XAA
- WF339AAW/XAA
- WF361BVBEWR/A1-0001
- WF363BTBEUF/A1-0001
- WF365BTBGWR/A1-0001
- WF210ANW

Replacement for Part Numbers:

- 40249032012
- 402.49032012
- 40249032013
- 402.49032013
- 40249032010
- 40249032011
- 402.49032010
- 402.49032011

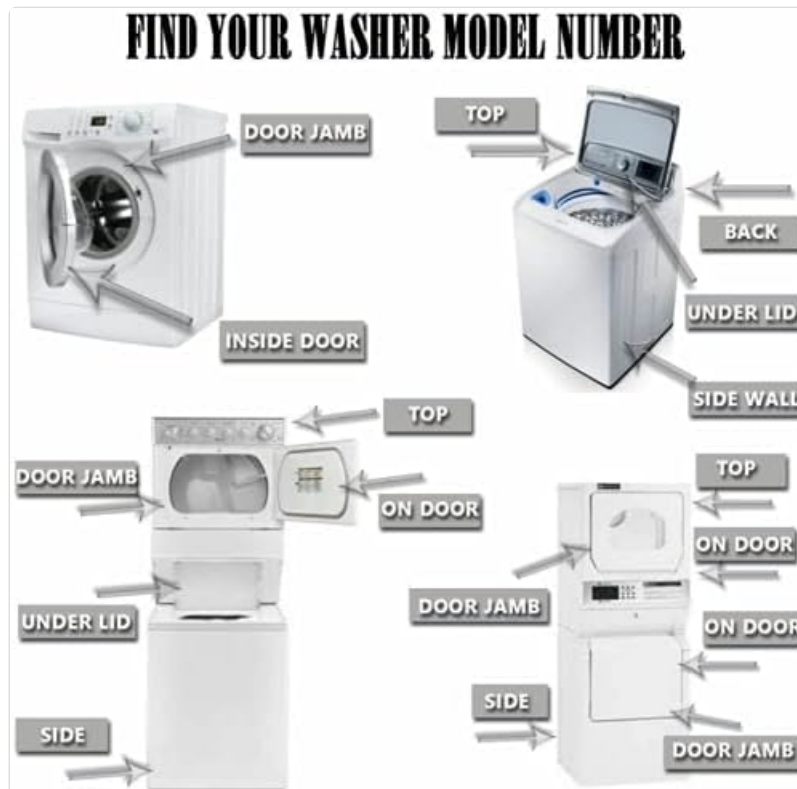


Figure 1: Common locations to find your washing machine model number. This diagram illustrates where to look on front-load and top-load washers, including door jamb, top, back, under lid, side wall, and inside door.

INSTALLATION

Replacing a washing machine door gasket requires careful attention. If you are unsure about any step, it is recommended to consult a qualified technician.

Safety Precautions:

- Always unplug the washing machine from the power outlet before beginning any repair or maintenance.
- Turn off the water supply to the washing machine.
- Wear appropriate safety gear, such as gloves, to protect your hands.

Tools Required:

- Screwdriver (Phillips and/or flathead, depending on your washer model)
- Pliers
- Spring expansion tool (optional, but helpful for spring clamps)
- Clean cloth
- Mild detergent and water for cleaning

Step-by-Step Installation:

1. **Prepare the Washer:** Unplug the washer and turn off the water supply. Pull the washer away from the wall to access the rear if necessary.
2. **Remove Outer Spring Clamp:** Open the washer door. Locate the outer spring clamp that holds the gasket to the front panel. Use a flathead screwdriver or spring expansion tool to pry off or release this clamp. Carefully pull the outer lip of the old gasket away from the front panel.
3. **Remove Inner Spring Clamp:** Reach inside the washer drum and locate the inner spring clamp that secures the gasket to the outer tub. This clamp might be a wire or a spring-loaded band. Use pliers or a spring expansion tool to release and remove this clamp.

4. **Remove Old Gasket:** Once both clamps are removed, carefully pull the old door gasket out of the washer. Note its orientation for reference.
5. **Clean the Area:** Thoroughly clean the area where the gasket sits, both on the front panel and around the outer tub. Remove any dirt, soap residue, mold, or mildew. This ensures a proper seal for the new gasket.
6. **Install New Gasket:**



Figure 2: The Mintu Door Gasket Boot Seal Replacement. This image shows the circular rubber seal designed to fit around the washing machine door opening.

Orient the new Mintu gasket correctly. There is usually a small arrow or mark on the gasket that indicates the top. Carefully fit the inner lip of the new gasket onto the outer tub, ensuring it is seated properly all the way around.

7. **Install Inner Spring Clamp:** Reinstall the inner spring clamp around the inner lip of the new gasket, securing it to the outer tub. Ensure it is tight and evenly distributed.
8. **Install Outer Spring Clamp:** Pull the outer lip of the new gasket over the front panel opening. Reinstall the outer spring clamp, ensuring it securely holds the gasket in place around the front panel.
9. **Check for Proper Seating:** Gently push on the gasket to ensure it is firmly seated and there are no gaps or twists.
10. **Test the Washer:** Plug the washer back in and turn on the water supply. Run a short cycle (e.g., rinse and spin) without laundry to check for any leaks around the new gasket.

MAINTENANCE

Proper maintenance of your washing machine door gasket can extend its lifespan and prevent issues like mold growth and leaks.

- **Regular Cleaning:** After each wash cycle, wipe down the inside of the gasket with a clean cloth to remove any excess water, lint, or detergent residue.
- **Deep Cleaning:** Periodically (e.g., monthly), clean the gasket thoroughly using a mixture of warm water and mild detergent, or a specialized washing machine cleaner. Pay attention to the folds and crevices where mold and mildew can accumulate.
- **Air Dry:** Leave the washer door ajar after use to allow the gasket and drum to air dry. This helps prevent

moisture buildup and mold growth.

- **Inspect for Damage:** Regularly inspect the gasket for any signs of wear, tears, cracks, or excessive mold. Early detection of damage can prevent leaks and allow for timely replacement.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues after installing the new gasket, refer to the following common problems and solutions:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Water Leakage	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gasket not seated properly.• Clamps not installed correctly or securely.• Gasket is twisted or pinched.• Damage to the new gasket during installation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Re-check gasket seating and ensure it's flush with the tub and front panel.• Verify both inner and outer clamps are securely in place and tight.• Remove and re-install the gasket, ensuring it is not twisted.• Inspect the gasket for any tears or holes. If damaged, replacement may be necessary.
Mold/Mildew Growth	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Moisture trapped in gasket folds.• Infrequent cleaning.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wipe down gasket after each use.• Leave washer door ajar to air dry.• Perform regular deep cleaning of the gasket.
Unusual Noises	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gasket rubbing against drum or door.• Improperly installed clamps.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensure gasket is properly seated and not interfering with moving parts.• Check clamp installation for tightness and correct positioning.

SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	Mintu
Part Type	Door Gasket Boot Seal Replacement
Compatible Appliance Type	Washing Machine (Front-Load)
Unit Count	1.00 Count
Manufacturer	Mintu
UPC	017015804448

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Money Back Guarantee:

Mintu offers a money-back guarantee within 30 days from the date of purchase. If you are not satisfied with your product, a refund will be issued. Please retain your proof of purchase for warranty claims.

Customer Support:

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