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For Kenmore Washing Machines

1. INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the safe and effective installation, operation, and maintenance of your Owgift Washer Water Inlet Valve. This component is designed as a direct replacement part for specific Kenmore washing machine models, ensuring proper water flow and temperature control during wash cycles. Please read this manual thoroughly before attempting any installation or repair.

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING: To reduce the risk of electric shock, fire, explosion, serious injury, or death, always follow these basic safety precautions:

- Always disconnect the washing machine from its electrical power supply before performing any service or maintenance.
- Turn off the water supply to the washing machine before beginning any work.
- Wear appropriate personal protective equipment, such as gloves and eye protection.
- If you are unsure about any step, consult a qualified appliance repair technician.
- Ensure all connections are secure and free of leaks before restoring power and water.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Your package should contain the following item:

- 1 x Owgift Washer Water Inlet Valve

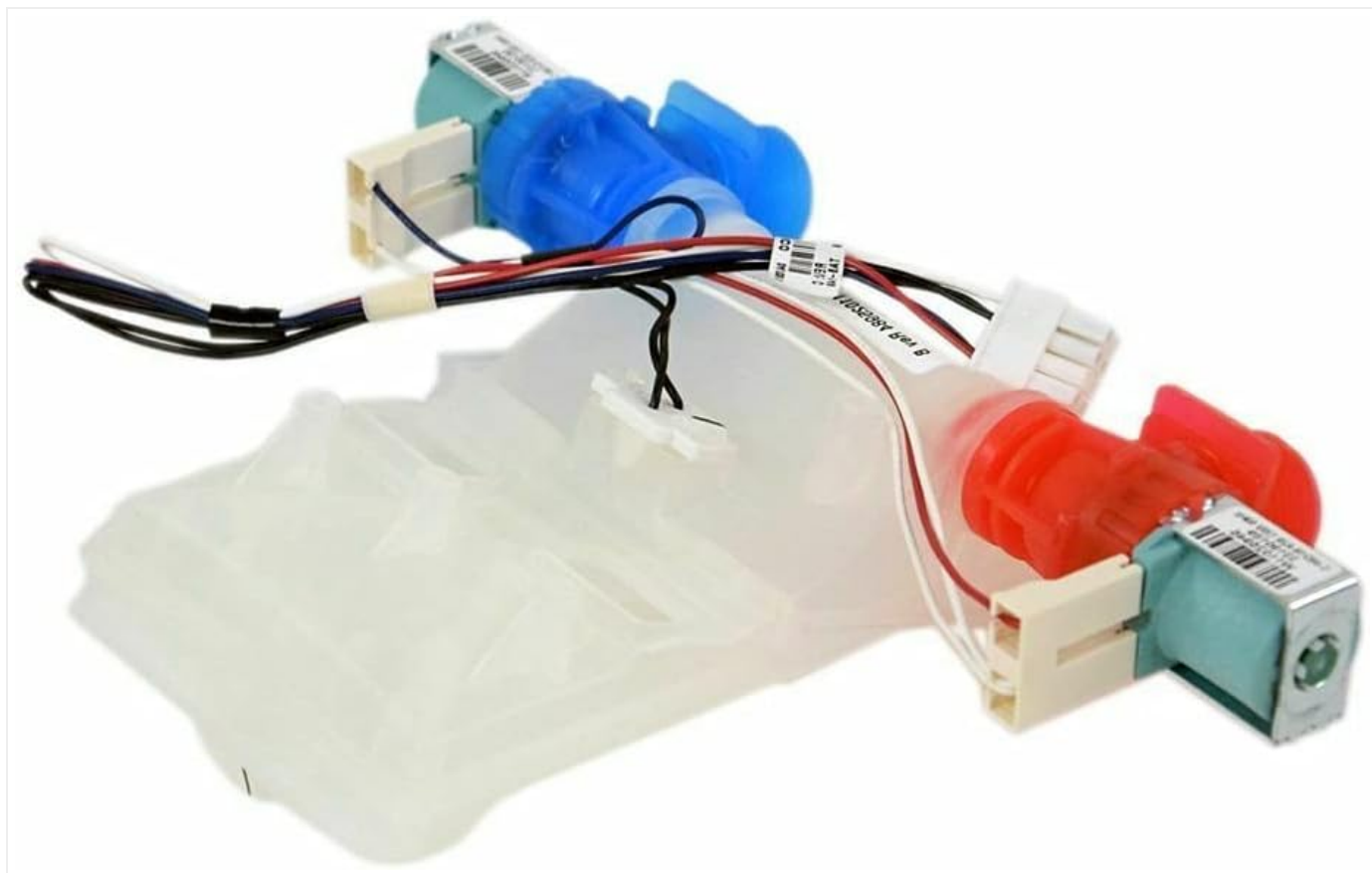


Image 1: The Owigift Washer Water Inlet Valve, featuring two solenoid valves (blue and red) and electrical connectors, designed for controlling water flow into the washing machine.

4. COMPATIBILITY

This Owigift Washer Water Inlet Valve is compatible with various Kenmore washing machine models. Please verify your washer's model number against the list below to ensure proper fit and function. If your model number is not listed, or if you are uncertain, please contact customer support for assistance.

Compatible Kenmore Washer Models:

- 110.20222510
- 110.20232710
- 110.20232711
- 110.20242510
- 110.20362811
- 110.22242511
- 110.22342512
- 110.22352510
- 110.22352511
- 110.22442511
- 110.22442512
- 110.22532510
- 110.22532512
- 110.25122810
- 110.25132411
- 110.5142511
- 110.5142512

5. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Follow these steps carefully to replace the water inlet valve in your Kenmore washing machine. It is recommended to have a bucket and towels ready to catch any residual water.

1. **Preparation:** Gather necessary tools, which may include screwdrivers (Phillips and flathead), pliers, and a nut driver. Ensure the work area is well-lit and clear.
2. **Disconnect Utilities:**
 - Unplug the washing machine from the electrical outlet.
 - Turn off the hot and cold water supply valves located behind the washer.
 - Disconnect the hot and cold water inlet hoses from the back of the washer. Be prepared for some water to drain out.
3. **Access the Valve:** Depending on your specific Kenmore model, you may need to remove the back panel of the washer or the top panel to access the water inlet valve. Refer to your washer's service manual for exact panel removal instructions.
4. **Remove Old Valve:**
 - Carefully disconnect the electrical connectors from the solenoids on the old valve. Note their positions for reinstallation.
 - Disconnect any internal hoses or tubing attached to the valve.
 - Unscrew or unclip the old water inlet valve from its mounting bracket or housing.
 - Remove the old valve.
5. **Install New Valve:**
 - Position the new Owigift water inlet valve in the same location as the old one.
 - Secure the new valve using the original screws or clips.
 - Reconnect any internal hoses or tubing to the new valve. Ensure connections are snug to prevent leaks.
 - Reconnect the electrical connectors to the solenoids on the new valve. Ensure they are firmly seated. In some cases, you may need to reuse your old plug if the new one does not match perfectly.
6. **Reconnect Utilities:**
 - Reattach the hot and cold water inlet hoses to the corresponding ports on the new valve. Hand-tighten, then use pliers for an additional quarter turn, being careful not to overtighten.
 - Slowly turn on the hot and cold water supply valves. Check for any leaks at the hose connections.
 - Plug the washing machine back into the electrical outlet.
7. **Test Operation:** Run a short wash cycle (e.g., Rinse & Spin) to verify that the washer fills with water correctly and that there are no leaks. Observe the water flow and ensure both hot and cold water are dispensed as expected.

6. POST-INSTALLATION CHECK

After installation and initial testing, perform a final check:

- Visually inspect all hose connections for any signs of dripping or leaks.
- Ensure the washer fills with water at a normal rate and that the water temperature selection functions correctly.
- Confirm that the washer completes a full cycle without error codes related to water supply.

7. MAINTENANCE

The Owigift Washer Water Inlet Valve is designed for durability and requires minimal maintenance. However, periodic inspection can help ensure its longevity:

- Periodically check the water inlet hoses and connections for cracks, bulges, or leaks. Replace hoses if any damage is observed.
- Inspect the small screens inside the water inlet ports on the valve. If they appear clogged with sediment, carefully remove and clean them.

8. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues after replacing the water inlet valve, consider the following:

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Washer does not fill with water.	Water supply valves are off. Inlet screens are clogged. Electrical connection loose.	Ensure water supply valves are fully open. Clean inlet screens. Check electrical connections to the valve solenoids.
Slow water fill.	Partially closed water supply valves. Clogged inlet screens. Low household water pressure.	Fully open water supply valves. Clean inlet screens. Consult a plumber if household water pressure is consistently low.
Water leaks from valve or hoses.	Loose hose connections. Damaged hoses. Improperly seated valve.	Tighten hose connections. Replace damaged hoses. Ensure valve is securely mounted and all internal connections are tight.
Only hot or cold water fills.	One water supply valve is off. One solenoid on the valve is faulty or disconnected.	Ensure both hot and cold water supply valves are open. Check electrical connections to both solenoids. If problem persists, the valve may be defective.

If troubleshooting steps do not resolve the issue, please contact Owigift customer support.

9. SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Owigift
Material	Stainless Steel (Internal components/housing)
Number of Ports	2
Compatibility	Kenmore Washing Machines (Specific models listed in Section 4)
UPC	718997280854

10. CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For any questions, concerns, or assistance with your Owigift Washer Water Inlet Valve, please contact our customer support team. We are committed to resolving your issues promptly.

- **Response Time:** We aim to solve your problem within 24 hours.
- **Contact Information:** Please refer to your purchase documentation or the seller's platform for specific contact details.

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