

## Frestec FR 742 WH

# Frestec 7.4 CU' Refrigerator with Freezer (Model FR 742 WH) Instruction Manual

Model: FR 742 WH

## INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the safe and efficient operation, maintenance, and troubleshooting of your Frestec 7.4 CU' Refrigerator with Freezer, Model FR 742 WH. Please read this manual thoroughly before using the appliance and keep it for future reference.

## IMPORTANT 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 appliance is properly grounded.
- Do not use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer.
- Unplug the refrigerator before cleaning or performing any maintenance.
- Keep ventilation openings clear of obstruction.
- Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.
- This appliance is intended for household use only.

## SETUP AND INSTALLATION

### Unpacking

Carefully remove all packaging materials. Inspect the refrigerator for any damage during transit. Keep packaging materials away from children.

### Placement

Place the refrigerator on a firm, level surface. Ensure adequate clearance around the appliance for proper ventilation. The dimensions are approximately 21.26"D x 21.26"W x 57.09"H. This is a freestanding unit.

## TO FIT YOUR HOME PERFECTLY

**7.4 Cu.Ft. Large capacity for daily supplies.**

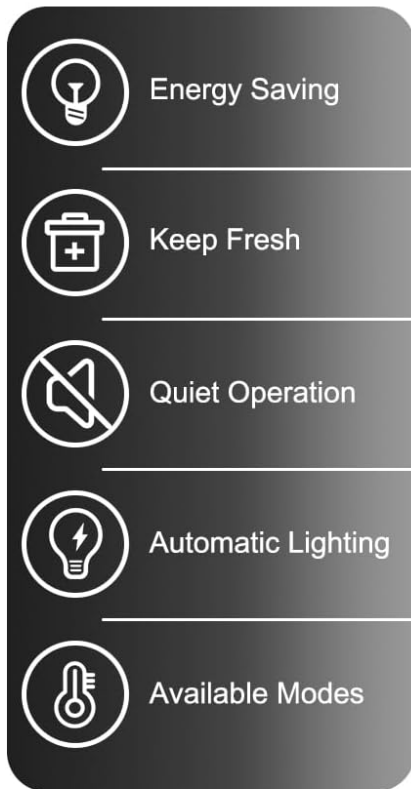


Image: Front view of the Frestec 7.4 CU' Refrigerator with key dimensions (57.09" height, 21.26" width, 21.26" depth) and features like Energy Saving, Keep Fresh, Quiet Operation, Automatic Lighting, and Available Modes.

### Leveling the Appliance

Use the adjustable feet at the bottom of the refrigerator to ensure it is level. This helps with door alignment and efficient operation.

### Reversible Door Design

The refrigerator features a reversible door design, allowing you to change the door swing direction to suit your kitchen layout. This process involves unscrewing and reattaching hinges and door seals. Refer to the detailed instructions below for reversing the door.

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Video: A demonstration of the Frestec refrigerator's features, including the reversible door design, adjustable shelves, and temperature control. This video highlights the flexibility in setup and maintenance.



Image: Diagram illustrating the reversible door design, showing how the door can be configured to open from either the left or right side.

## OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

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### Initial Startup

After installation, 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, allow it to cool for several hours before placing food inside.

### Adjustable Temperature Control

The refrigerator features an adjustable thermostat control. The freezer temperature can be set from 21.2°F to -0.4°F, ideal for frozen food and ice cream. The refrigerator zone operates from 32°F to 50°F, keeping ingredients fresh and locking in moisture. Adjust the dial inside the refrigerator compartment to your desired setting.



Image: Close-up view of the mechanical thermostat dial, typically located inside the refrigerator compartment, used to adjust temperature settings.

### Automatic Lighting

The interior of the refrigerator automatically illuminates when the door is opened, making it easy to find items, especially in low-light conditions.

### Storage Features

- **Removable Glass Shelves:** The refrigerator includes removable glass shelves and a wire shelf for flexible organization. These can be adjusted or removed to accommodate taller items.
- **Crisper Drawer:** A dedicated crisper drawer is provided to help maintain the freshness of fruits and vegetables by locking in moisture.
- **Door Storage:** The refrigerator door features multiple shelves and compartments, including can and bottle holders, for convenient storage of beverages and condiments.

# GET FAMILIAR WITH MORE DETAILS

- 1 Removable Wire Shelf & Glass Shelf**
- 2 Mechanical Thermostat**
- 3 Automatic Lights**
- 4 Can Holder & Bottle Holder**
- 5 Crisper**

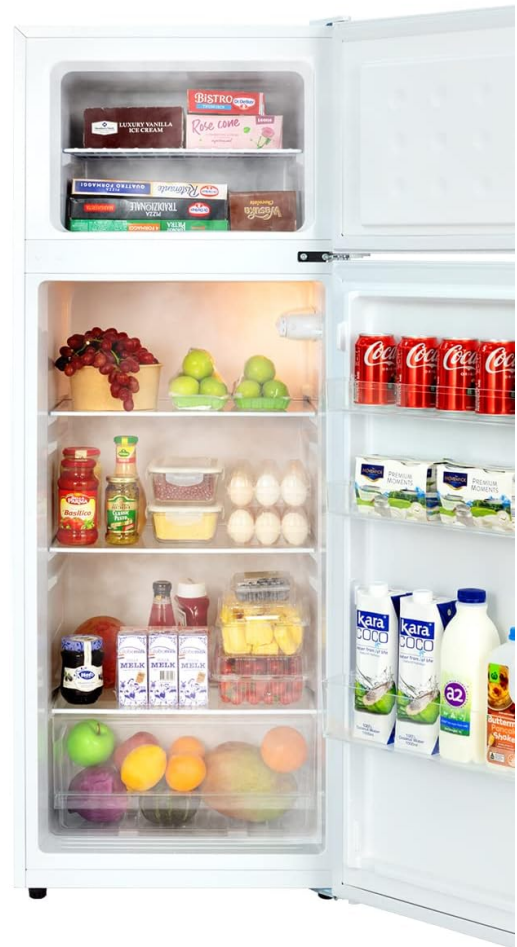


Image: Interior view of the Frestec 7.4 CU' Refrigerator, pointing out key features such as removable wire and glass shelves, mechanical thermostat, automatic lights, can holder, and crisper drawer.



Image: A hand demonstrating the removal of a glass shelf from the refrigerator interior, illustrating the adjustable storage options.



Image: A crisper drawer filled with various fruits and vegetables, demonstrating its function for fresh produce storage.

## MAINTENANCE AND CARE

### Cleaning the Interior

Regularly clean the interior of your refrigerator. Remove all food items and shelves. Use a mild detergent

and warm water to wipe down surfaces. Rinse with clean water and dry thoroughly. The removable shelves facilitate easy cleaning.



Image: A hand cleaning the interior of the refrigerator with a cloth, emphasizing the ease of cleaning due to removable components.

## Defrosting the Freezer

This model features manual defrost. When frost accumulates to a thickness of 1/4 inch or more, it is recommended to defrost the freezer. Unplug the unit, remove all contents, and allow the frost to melt naturally. Wipe away melted water and dry the interior before restarting.

## Cleaning the Exterior

Wipe the exterior surfaces with a soft cloth and mild detergent. Avoid abrasive cleaners or solvents. Keep the condenser coils at the back of the unit clean to ensure efficient operation.

## Detachable Door Seal

The door seal is detachable for easy cleaning and maintenance, helping to ensure a tight seal for optimal cooling efficiency.



Image: A hand demonstrating the detachment of the door seal, highlighting its removable feature for cleaning.

## TROUBLESHOOTING

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

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Refrigerator does not operate	Not plugged in; circuit breaker tripped; power outage.	Check power connection; reset breaker; check household power.
Temperature is not cold enough	Thermostat set too warm; door opened too frequently; excessive food load; poor ventilation.	Adjust thermostat to a colder setting; ensure door is closed properly; allow space for air circulation; clear vents.

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
Excessive frost in freezer	Freezer door not sealed properly; frequent door opening; manual defrost needed.	Check door seal and alignment; reduce door openings; perform manual defrost.
Unusual noises	Appliance not level; items vibrating inside; compressor noise (normal).	Level the refrigerator; rearrange items; normal operation may produce some sounds.

## SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	Frestec
Model Info	FR 742 WH
Item Weight	86 pounds
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	21.26" x 21.26" x 57.09"
Capacity	7.4 Cubic Feet
Refrigerator Fresh Food Capacity	6 Cubic Feet
Freezer Capacity	1.4 Cubic Feet
Annual Energy Consumption	336 Kilowatt Hours Per Year
Noise Level	43 Decibels
Installation Type	Freestanding
Color	White
Special Feature	Adjustable Temperature Control
Number of Doors	2
Defrost System	Manual
Shelf Type	Glass, Wire
Door Hinges	Reversible
Included Components	Cabinet, Compressor, Condenser

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# ENERGYGUIDE

Refrigerator-Freezers

- Manual Defrost
- Top Mount Freezer

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Model : FR 742 WH

Capacity : 7.4 Cubic Feet

**Compare ONLY to other labels with yellow numbers.**  
Labels with yellow numbers are based on the same test procedures.

Estimated Yearly Energy Cost

**\$40**

Cost Ranges

Models with similar features

\$24

\$41

All models

\$18

\$70

**336** kWh

Estimated Yearly Electricity Use



- Your cost will depend on your utility rates and use.
- Both cost ranges based on models of similar size capacity.
- Models with similar features have manual defrost.
- Estimated energy cost based on a national average electricity cost of 12 cents per kWh.

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Image: The official Energy Guide label for the Frestec Refrigerator-Freezer, Model FR 742 WH, indicating an estimated yearly energy cost of \$40 and 336 kWh of electricity use, certified by Energy Star.

## WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Frestec offers a 2-year warranty on this product, reflecting their commitment to quality and durability. For warranty claims, technical support, or service inquiries, please refer to the contact information provided with your purchase documentation or visit the official Frestec website.

For additional information and support, you may visit the [Frestec Store on Amazon](#).

