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Model: 4204490

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides comprehensive instructions for the installation, operation, and maintenance of your Sub-Zero 4204490 Refrigerator Water Filter Replacement Cartridge. Designed to ensure the highest quality water and ice, this filter utilizes advanced carbon technology to reduce contaminants, chlorine, taste, and odor, while preserving essential minerals. Regular replacement is crucial for optimal performance and water purity.





Image: Two Sub-Zero 4204490 water filter replacement cartridges, showing product labeling and design.

COMPATIBLE **M**ODELS

The Sub-Zero 4204490 water filter is compatible with various Sub-Zero refrigerator models, including Built-In, PRO48, and Integrated Refrigerators. Please refer to the image below for a detailed list of compatible models.

Compatible Sub-Zero Models

Professional Models:

648PRO, BI-30UG, BI-36F

Classic Models:

BI-36S, BI-36U, BI-36UFD, BI-36UFDID, BI-36UID, BI-42S, BI-42SD, BI-42SID, BI-42UFD, BI-42UFDID, BI-48S, BI-48SD, BI-48SID

Designer Models:

IC-18FI, IC-24CI, IC-24FI, IC-30FI, IC-30RID, IC-36FI, IC-36RID, IT-30CI, IT-30CI, IT-30FI, IT-30R, IT-36CI, IT-36CIID, IT-36RID, IW-30CI

Image: A graphic detailing compatible Sub-Zero Professional, Classic, and Designer refrigerator models for the 4204490 water filter.

INSTALLATION AND REPLACEMENT

Replacing your Sub-Zero water filter is a straightforward process. Follow these steps to ensure proper installation and continued access to clean, filtered water.

Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. Access the Water Filter:

- For Classic (BI), Professional (PRO3650, PRO4850, 648PRO) models: Pull out and tilt the bottom edge of the grille assembly.
- For Designer (IT, IC) Tall & Column Models: Open the fridge door, pull out the bottom edge of the filter door panel.
- For UC-15I Ice Maker: Open the door and locate the filter on the bottom-left.
- 2. **Remove Old Filter:** Rotate the cartridge counterclockwise, then pull it out. Expect some water spillage. A jar opener can assist with stubborn filters.
- 3. Install New Filter: Remove the cap from the new filter and insert it into the manifold. Turn clockwise

until seated.

4. Reset Filter Icon:

- · Classic Models: Hold the filter reset button for 5 seconds.
- Professional Models: Touch "Refresh" to reset.
- 648PRO Models: The control resets automatically.
- 5. **Discard First Bucket of Ice:** This helps clean the system and clear air from the line.

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Image: A visual guide illustrating the five easy steps for replacing the Sub-Zero water filter.

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Video: Official Sub-Zero Water Filter Replacement Instructions (4204490). This video demonstrates the complete process of replacing the water filter, including accessing the filter, removing the old one, installing the new one, and resetting the filter indicator.

Visual Aids for Installation:



Image: Close-up view of the Sub-Zero water filter correctly installed within the refrigerator's upper compartment, next to the water filter reset button.



Image: A person's hands reaching into the refrigerator compartment to access the water filter, demonstrating the initial step of the replacement process.



Image: A person's hands carefully inserting a new Sub-Zero water filter into its designated manifold within the refrigerator, illustrating the installation step.



Image: A close-up view of the "Water Filter Reset Button" label and button, indicating where to press to reset the filter life indicator after replacement.

OPERATING PRINCIPLES AND BENEFITS

The Sub-Zero 4204490 water filter continuously works to purify your water supply. It employs a multi-stage filtration process to remove impurities and enhance water quality.

- High-Performance Filtration: Removes contaminants for pure and clean water with improved taste.
- Advanced Carbon Technology: Reduces chlorine and impurities while preserving essential minerals.
- NSF Certified: Meets rigorous health and safety standards 42 and 53 for trusted purification.

Advanced Filtration for a Healthier Home



Image: A single Sub-Zero water filter shown alongside text describing its benefits, including high-performance filtration, advanced carbon technology, easy replacement, and NSF certification.



Image: A diagram showing the internal structure of a water filter with arrows indicating water flow through carbon filtering media, highlighting enhanced water quality, sediment prevention, longer filter life, and eco-friendly solution.

MAINTENANCE

To maintain optimal water quality, the Sub-Zero 4204490 water filter should be replaced regularly. The filter is rated for 750 gallons or one year of use, whichever occurs first. An icon will illuminate on your refrigerator's display panel when the cartridge must be replaced.

After replacing the filter, always remember to reset the filter indicator on your appliance as described in the installation section.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you experience issues after replacing your water filter, consider the following common troubleshooting steps:

- Cloudy Water or Air Bubbles: This is common immediately after replacement due to trapped air.

 Dispense several gallons of water and discard the first few batches of ice to purge air from the system.
- **Reduced Water Flow:** Ensure the new filter is fully seated and turned clockwise until secure. A loose connection can restrict water flow.

- **Unusual Taste or Odor:** Verify that you have installed a genuine Sub-Zero 4204490 filter. Non-OEM filters may not provide the same level of filtration. Continue flushing the system by dispensing water and ice. If the issue persists, re-install the filter to ensure proper seating.
- Filter Indicator Not Resetting: Follow the specific reset instructions for your Sub-Zero model as detailed in the "Installation and Replacement" section. Ensure you hold the button for the specified duration.

SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature | Detail |
|--------------------------------|--|
| Brand | SUB-ZERO |
| Model Number | 4204490 |
| Material | Resin, Carbon Fiber |
| Product Dimensions | 2.6"D x 5"W x 11.9"H |
| Item Weight | 1.32 pounds |
| Number of Items | 2 (for 2-pack) |
| External Testing Certification | NSF/ANSI Standards 42 and 53 |
| Product Benefits | Removes Odor, Chlorine, Taste, Sediment |
| Filter Life | 750 gallons or 1 year (whichever occurs first) |

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

This Sub-Zero water filter is a genuine OEM part, manufactured by Sub-Zero in Madison, WI, U.S.A. For warranty information or technical support, please refer to the documentation provided with your Sub-Zero appliance or visit the official Sub-Zero website. Using authentic parts ensures compatibility and maintains the integrity of your appliance's warranty.

For further assistance, you may contact authorized Sub-Zero service providers or the Sub-Zero customer support line.

Related Documents - 4204490



Sub-Zero ICBID-RP Integrated Drawer Refrigerator Sealed System Service Information

This document provides detailed service information for the sealed system of the Sub-Zero ICBID-RP Integrated Drawer Refrigerator, focusing on R600a refrigerant handling, safety precautions, and the operational flow of the sealed system components.



Sub-Zero DEC3650R 36-Inch Designer Column Refrigerator - Panel Ready Specifications

Detailed specifications, features, accessories, and installation guidelines for the Sub-Zero DEC3650R 36-inch panel-ready designer column refrigerator. Includes dimensions, electrical requirements, and product details.



Sub-Zero Designer Series Undercounter Refrigeration Use and Care Guide

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Sub-Zero Model 736TC(I) Integrated Refrigerator/Freezer Planning and Installation Guide

Comprehensive planning and installation guide for the Sub-Zero Model 736TC(I) 36-inch integrated over-and-under refrigerator and freezer. Includes features, specifications, dimensions, and detailed cabinetry integration instructions.



Sub-Zero BI-36R/O 36" Built-In Refrigerator - Panel Ready Specifications

Detailed specifications, features, dimensions, and installation information for the Sub-Zero BI-36R/O 36-inch built-in panel-ready refrigerator. Learn about its advanced features, accessories, and product details.



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