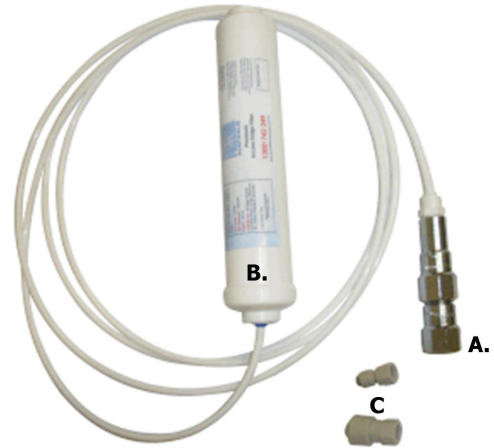


ICE & WATER FRIDGE CONNECTION KIT (WITH EXTERNAL FILTER)

This kit is designed to connect ice and water fridges with an external filter to a standard water supply.

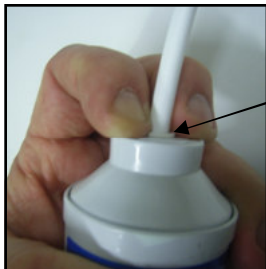
1. Connect the PLV (**A**) to the water supply.
2. Estimate where the filter (**B**) is to be positioned. The filter can float lose or be fitted to a wall with the mounting bracket provided.
3. Estimate the distance from the PLV to the inlet side of the filter cut the hose to this length. Use a craft or Stanley knife and make a clean square cut at 90 degrees to the hose.
4. Push the hose into the fitting on the end of the PLV. It will go in about 5 – 10mm before hitting home. Give the hose a tug to make sure it is locked into position.
5. Take the filter and note the flow direction arrow. Take the inlet end and fit the other end of the hose as per above.
6. Get a small bucket or similar and point the outlet side of the filter into the bucket and slowly turn on the water supply. Run about 2 – 3 litres of water through the filter. The initial flow will have a grey to black colour, this is normal and is just loose carbon granules being forced from the filter. Once the water is running clear run an extra litre through and then turn off water supply.
7. There are 2 fittings supplied (**C**) with the kit. One of these will fit the water inlet connection on the back of the fridge, usually situated at either the top or bottom corner of the fridge. Tighten a little more than hand tight, do not over tighten. Discard the unused fitting.
8. Estimate the approximate amount of hose needed between the fridge fitting and the outlet of the filter and cut to size. Note – make sure you have enough hose to fully pull out the fridge for 6 monthly filter replacements. Better to use more hose than less. Fit the hose to the fridge fitting and the filter outlet as above.
9. Turn on the water supply, leave fridge for 5 minutes and check for leaks.
10. Push fridge back into place.
11. Run about 4 – 5 litres of water through the system before using. Discard the first tray of ice cubes.



Note: When it comes time to replace your filter, to remove hoses from the filter

1. Turn off the water supply and release a few drops of water from the dispenser on the fridge door.
2. Where the hose enters the filter depress the little floating locking collar with your thumb nail, or similar, and just pull the hose out. Have a towel ready as you will get a small amount of spillage.

If you have any problems with this installation please call us on our Help Line 1300 742249



You can use your fingers or a firm edged object to hold down the locking collar, this will allow the hose to easily slide out.

Rinse your filter into a container or bucket to remove loose carbon and to activate the filter correctly.



TROUBLE SHOOTING GUIDE FOR FRIDGE FILTERS

Cannot remove hose from old filter:

Couple of options, in all cases turn off the water supply and drain a few drops of water from the water dispenser. If the old filter has push fitting connectors, push the locking collar down with your thumb nail or similar and pull out the tube. If the filter has locking nuts easiest way is to cut the tube near the nut using a sharp craft or Stanley type knife.

A small drip or leak from the filter:

Turn off the water supply, remove the hose, as above, cut about 25mm off the hose and reinsert. The hose will go in about 10 – 15mm and hit a stop. Give the hose a gentle tug to make sure it is securely located and turn on water supply.

GENERAL PROBLEMS

Water flow is intermittent:

There is still air in the lines. Depress the dispenser lever for 1 – 2 minutes until the water flows freely

The Water Tastes Different:

The older the filter being replaced, the more likely this will occur. All that has happened is the water is being subjected to far better filtration than you've become accustomed to. Water filters cannot add anything to the taste of water, they are "filters" and hence only remove contaminants and chemicals from the mains supply.

The Filter Doesn't Last the Full 6 Months, or the Flow Slows to an Unacceptable Level:

Generally the filters supplied by manufacturers are quite fine and provide excellent drinking water. However, in some cases, particularly areas with high sediment, the filter will prematurely clog up. Typical situations would be, tank water where heavy rain can stir up sediments in the tank, certain parts of Melbourne (due to low dam levels) and some more obscure events, such as nearby road works or building sites where trucks shake up the residual sediments in the mains water pipes. There is an inexpensive solution where we can supply an additional in-line sediment filter that is fitted on the supply line at the back of your fridge. This is a sediment only filter that takes out larger particles and "protects" your standard filter from premature blockage. It's a DIY and takes about 2 – 3 minutes to install for a handy person.

Our commitment is to provide you with the best quality filters, all made in USA, at the best prices, so, should you have further problems or need assistance with your fridge filters please call our customer service help line on 1300 742 249.