

Manual Defrost Thermostat Installation

To replace your thermostat for cold plate style refrigerators, unplug your unit's power cord(s). Note that your unit may have more then one power cord. The first step is to disconnect the capillary tube or thermostat probe from the inside back wall of the cooling zone.

On **refrigerators with a white wine thermostat**, remove the white clip that holds the capillary tube to the top portion of the cold plate. Pry off this clip with a small, flat bladed screwdriver.

On **refrigerators with a dual range thermostat**, unscrew the Phillips head screw located at the bottom left of the cold plate holding it to the back wall. With the cold plate partially disconnected, you can move it to access the white nylon clamps that hold the thermostat probe to the back wall. If your unit has a drip tray installed, you can lift the drip rail up along with the cold plate. Unscrew the nylon clamps to free the thermostat probe.

Remove the thermostat knob located on the ceiling, inside the refrigerator, by pulling the knob toward you. Next, remove the Phillips head screw that is accessible with the knob removed, this will detach the white plastic thermostat cover box.

With the cover removed, you can disconnect the two wires coming off the right side of the thermostat. *If* replacing a white thermostat with a dual range thermostat, disconnect the green ground wire and cut it off close to the ceiling, it is no longer needed. The two Phillips head screws holding the thermostat in place may now be removed to completely disconnect to thermostat.

To reinstall, reverse steps of removal.

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