# 4. MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR

Maintenance and repair must be carried out by qualified personnel authorized by the manufacturer.



The manufacturer declines any responsibility for jobs carried out by unauthorized personnel or the use of non-original spare parts.

## 4.1 ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

Prohibited to romove the guards and safety devices: It's strictly forbidden to remove guards or safety devices when performing routine maintenance operation. The manufacturer disclaims all liability that may arise this regulation is not observed.

## In case of FIRE:

- Disconnect the unit from the electrical power socket.
- Do not use water to extinguish the fire.
- Use powder or foam extinguishers.

## 4.1.1 Cleaning the interior and exterior of the appliance

The appliance is designed for the laboratory product storage so it is important to keep it clean. The equipment is thoroughly cleaned at the factory before being shipped. We recommend, however, to clean the interior cabinet before the first start up of the appliance. **Before attempt any cleaning** operation make sure the power cord is disconnected.

- -Cleaning product: use soft clean cloth wet with water and neutral detergent only. Do not use solvent or bleach.
- -Rinsing: use a cloth or sponge soaked with fresh clean water. Do not use water jet.
- -Frequency: once a week or at different intervals in accordance with the type of product.

#### 4.1.2 Condenser cleaning

The condenser is a heat exchanger. If it is dirty or clogged the air cannot circulate freely through the same, it cannot discharge heat properly so reducing proportionally the performance and the efficiency of the refrigeration system.

FOR THOSE REASONS IT IS IMPORTANT TO KEEP CLEAN THE CONDENSER COIL, TYPICALLY MONTHLY.



Always switch off the unit and disconnect power cord before cleaning, it is dangerous to do it with power ON: fan may start suddenly at any time.

Use a convenient ladder to reach the condenser. Use an air jet or vacuum with a soft dry brush if necessary and remove any dust or fluff from the heat exchanger fins.

After cleaning, start the equipment.



<u>During the cleaning operation wear gloves and safety glasses to protect yourself from any injury</u>

# 4.1.3 Sliding door's rails cleaning.

Keep clean the sliding door housing to avoid the door can't close completely. Use a soft clean cloth or a soft brush in order to remove any residuals can block the door to slide in the full closure position.



# 5. TROUBLESHOOTING

The Chart shows the most frequent break downs, possible causes and relative remedies:

PROBLEM DESCRIPTION	POSSIBLE CAUSE	SOLUTION
	The main switch is "off"	Main switch "on"
The appliance does not come on	There is no tension	Check plug, socket, electric connection
	Other	Contact technical assistance
The refrigerator unit does not start	Set temperature is reached	Set new temperature
	Defrosting is in operation	Wait for end of cycle, switch off and switch back on
	Control Panel is broken	Contact technical assistance
	Other	Contact technical assistance
The refrigerator is continuously working but does not reach the set temperature	Room is too hot	Air better
	Condenser is dirty	Clean condenser
	Refrigerant fluid is insufficient	Contact technical assistance
	Condenser fan has stopped	Contact technical assistance
	Door not properly closed	Check door seals
	Evaporator is frosted up	Manual defrosting
	Defrost valve is open	Contact technical assistance
Refrigerator does not stop at set temperature	Control Panel is broken	Contact technical assistance
	Temperature probe is broken	Contact technical assistance
	Door is not airtight	Close door
lce blocks on evaporator	Improper use	Contact technical assistance
	Control Panel is broken	Contact technical assistance
	Appliance not levelled	Check that appliance is level.
	Contact with external bodies	Check that no tube or ventilator fan is in contact with external bodies.
	Screws or nuts loose	Tighten
	Other	Contact technical assistance

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IN ORDER TO GUARANTEE THE EFFICIENCY OF THE APPLIANCE AND ITS CORRECT FUNCTIONING THE MANUFACTURER'S INSTRUCTIONS MUST BE FOLLOWED AND PERIODIC SERVICING MUST BE CARRIED OUT BY PROFESSIONALLY QUALIFIED PERSONNEL.

(LEGAL REQUIREMENT FOR THE PREVENTION OF ACCIDENTS AT WORK AND THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES)

IT IS OBLIGATORY TO BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH POWER SUPPLY REGULATIONS

# 6. SPARE PARTS

## SUPPLY OF ORIGINAL SPARE PARTS

For the substitution of any parts, spares can be obtained at manufacturer's authorised centres, on giving

- Serial number and year of manufacture (See picture of the data plate, pag.6);
- · Component identification number (see Chapter 6).

Any malfunctioning due to non-original spare parts will not be recognised by our technicians.

The parts replacement must be carried out by personnel authorized by the manufacturer.