P/N IGFC-FC FOOD CASES-0708
CONTAINS INFORMATION FOR THE FOLLOWING
FC-D HAVING NO REFRIGERATION OR HOT UNITS,
FC-C COLD, FC-H HOT FC-C COMBINATION HOT AND COLD
Keep this booklet with the case at all times for future reference.

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**Basic Counter**

- Optional Duplex Outlet
- Adjustable Shelf Standards
- Optional Storage Drawer (w/ Full Extension Drawer Slides)
- Wire Rack
- Rear Storage Doors
Cut and Plan Views (Cont’d)

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**Soup Wells, Hot Well and Griddle**

**Plan View**

- 38" x 38" Soup Wells
- 6" Hightmouth
- (4) 11 QUART SOUP WELLS

**Front Elevation**

- 38" x 38" Soup Wells
- 18" Hightmouth
- 14" 20" Hot Well
- 12" x 20" Hot Well

**Griddle Counter**

- 48" x 48"
- Stepped Griddle Top
- Tempered Glass Sneezeguard

**Mechanical Stubup Area**

- Electrical, Drain And Water

**Black Background**

**Scale**

- 1/2" = 1'-0"
The FC comes in various lengths and should be installed in a proper and uniform manner. The following guidelines will help ensure proper installation.

1. Case location should be near a floor sink or waste outlet - with electrical and refrigeration access usually under the case.
2. All plumbing should conform to local codes.
3. When the FC FOOD CASE is to be installed in an existing fixture or in a supplied fixture, the FC FOOD CASE and the new or existing fixture should be leveled front to back and side to side.
4. The electrical junction box is located under the FC FOOD CASE which is where the electrical is terminated by the manufacturer. The junction box is a standard 2x4 box with knock-outs and cover.
5. The refrigeration is also stubbed down under the case for connection to liquid and suction lines from the remote FC FOOD CASE case.
6. In cases where more than one FC FOOD CASE are installed, run drains separately to the sink or drain outlet.
7. For FC FOOD CASE units installed in an existing table, the lip on the unit should be sealed with a NSF approved sealant and all phillips screws slots should be sealed with same.
8. The FC FOOD CASE should be dropped in the existing table oriented with the discharge air blowing from the front to the back of the fixture, the front is identifiable by the adjustable top air discharge control pins.
9. A thermostat and solenoid mounted in the suction line is recommended for temperature control and defrost.
10. Set defrost per case specs section of this book.

**Exterior Loading**

These models have not been structurally designed to support excessive external loading. Do not walk on their tops; This could cause serious personal injury and damage to the fixture.

**Leveling**

**IMPORTANT!** It is imperative that the FC FOOD CASE and the FIXTURE that the FC FOOD CASE is installed in, be leveled from front to back and side to side prior to joining. A level case is necessary to insure proper operation, water drainage.

**NOTE:**
A. To avoid removing concrete flooring, begin lineup leveling from the highest point of the store floor.
B. When wedges are involved in a lineup, set them first.

All cases were leveled and joined prior to shipment to insure the closest possible fit when cases are joined in the field. To avoid removing concrete flooring, begin line-up leveling from the highest point of the store floor.
Bumper Installation Instructions

Step 1: Make sure the aluminum channel and end caps are installed.

Step 2: Use silicone lubricant to help the bumper slide into the channel.

Step 3: Starting on one end: while inserting the bumper, push it up against the end cap to prevent the bumper from shrinking after installation (when it gets cold).

Step 4: As you insert the bumper into the channel with one hand, pull the bumper toward you with the other to open the inside lips. Slowly apply pressure by rolling the bumper into the track.
Boston Series 2000

NOTE: Flexible top: Over cut vinyl 1/8” for every 4’ section for the flexible top to ensure a proper fit.
NOTE: Rigid Top: Do not over cut.

1. Attach the base and end/corner cap to the desired surface by inserting #8 pan head screws through the pre-slotted holes in both the end cap and the base. Insert screws through the two holes of end cap and tighten.

2a. Flexible Top: Butt end of the vinyl top against end/corner cap. While applying pressure, bend back vinyl top so that vinyl legs are positioned within the base grooves. Roll vinyl top over full length of base, then tap with rubber mallet to ensure vinyl is securely locked into the base.
2b. Rigid Top: Snap the Rigid Top over the Rigid Base.

3. If necessary wipe clean with any household cleaning product.

Helpful Hints:
- For best results, before cutting, install a scrap piece of base into vinyl top to achieve a clean cut.
- Set the uncoiled flexible vinyl at room temperature 24 hours prior to installation.
- Lubricate the inside of the vinyl with soapy water or silicone before installing.
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Installation (Cont’d)

Boston 1000 Series

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Plumbing

Waste Outlet and P-TRAP
The waste outlet is located at the left hand end of these fixtures allowing drip piping to be run under the fixture lengthwise.
A 1" P-TRAP and threaded adapter are supplied with each fixture. The P-TRAP must be installed to prevent air leakage and insect entrance into the fixture.

Installing Condensate Drain
Poorly or improperly installed condensate drains can seriously interfere with the operation of this refrigerator, and result in costly maintenance and product losses. Please follow the recommendations listed below when installing condensate drains to insure a proper installation:

1. Never use pipe for condensate drains smaller than the nominal diameter of the pipe or P-TRAP supplied with the case.
2. When connecting condensate drains, the P-TRAP must be used as part of the condensate drain to prevent air leakage or insect entrance. Store plumbing system floor drains should be at least 14" off the center of the case to allow use of the P-TRAP pipe section. Never use two water seals in series in any one line. Double P-TRAPS in series will cause a lock and prevent draining.
3. Always provide as much down hill slope ("fall") as possible; 1/8" per foot is the preferred minimum. PVC pipe, when used, must be supported to maintain the 1/8" pitch and to prevent warping.
4. Avoid long runs of condensate drains. Long runs make it impossible to provide the "fall" necessary for good drainage.
5. Provide a suitable air break between the flood rim of the floor drain and outlet of condensate drain. 1" is ideal.
6. Prevent condensate drains from freezing:
   a. Do not install condensate drains in contact with non-insulated suction lines. Suction lines should be insulated with a non absorbent insulation material such as Armstrong’s Armaflex.
   b. Where condensate drains are located in dead air spaces (between refrigerators or between a refrigerator and a wall), provide means to prevent freezing. The water seal should be insulated to prevent condensation.

Refrigeration

Refrigerant Type
The standard refrigerant will be R-22 unless otherwise specified on the customer order. Check the serial plate on the case for information.

Piping
The refrigerant line outlets are piped through the rear of the fixture at the left hand end when viewed from the back. Insulate suction lines to prevent condensation from dripping.

Refrigeration Lines

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NOTE: The standard coil is piped at 3/8” (suction); however, the store tie-in may vary depending on the number of coils and the draw the case has. Depending on the case setup, the connecting point in the store may be 1/8”, 1/4”, or 1/2”. Refer to the particular case you are hooking up.

Refrigerant lines should be sized as shown on the refrigeration legend furnished by the store.
Install P-TRAPS (oil traps) at the base of all suction line vertical risers.
Pressure drop can rob the system of capacity. To keep the pressure drop to a minimum, keep refrigerant line run as short as possible, using the minimum number of elbows. Where elbows are required, use long radius elbows only.

Control Settings
See FC Food Cases technical data sheet for the appropriate settings for your merchandiser. Maintain these parameters to achieve near constant product temperatures. Product temperature should be measured first thing in the morning, after having been refrigerated overnight. For all multiplexing, defrost should be time terminated. Loadmaster valves are not recommended. Defrost times should be as directed in the FC Food Cases technical data sheet. The number of defrosts per day should never change. The duration of the defrost cycle may be adjusted to meet conditions present at your location.

Evaporator Fans
The evaporator fans are located at the center front of these merchandisers directly beneath the display pans.
FOR ACCESS TO THE FANS: Remove the right hand deck pan as viewed from the front of the case.

Access to TX Valves and Drain Lines
Mechanical - Remove product from end of case. Remove product racks. Remove refrigeration and drain access panels (labeled). TX valve (mechanical only) and drain are located under each access panel at end of the case.
Electronic - The Electronic Expansion valve master and slave cylinder(s) are located within the electrical access panel(s).
**Electronic Expansion Valve (Optional)**
A wide variety of electronic expansion valves and case controllers can be utilized. Please refer to EEV and controller manufacturers information sheet. Sensors for electronic expansion valves will be installed on the coil inlet, coil outlet, and in the discharge air. (Some supermarkets require a 4th sensor in the return air). Case controllers will be located in the electrical raceway or under the case.

**Thermostatic Expansion Valve Location**
This device is located on the same side as the refrigeration stub. A Sporlan balanced port expansion valve model is furnished as standard equipment, unless otherwise specified by customer.

**Expansion Valve Adjustment**
Expansion valves must be adjusted to fully feed the evaporator. Before attempting any adjustments, make sure the evaporator is either clear or very lightly covered with frost, and that the fixture is within 10°F of its expected operating temperature.

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**Measuring the Operating Superheat**
1. Determine the suction pressure with an accurate pressure gauge at the evaporator outlet.
2. From a refrigerant pressure temperature chart, determine the saturation temperature at the observed suction pressure.
3. Measure the temperature of the suction gas at the thermostatic remote bulb location.
4. Subtract the saturation temperature obtained in step No. 2 from the temperature measured in step No. 3.
5. The difference is superheat.
6. Set the superheat for 5°F - 7°F.

**T-STAT Location**
T-STATS are located within the electrical raceway.

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**Wiring Color Code**

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**Electrical Service Receptacles (When Applicable)**
The receptacles located on the exterior of the merchandiser are intended for scales and lighted displays. They are not intended nor suitable for large motors or other external appliances.

**Field Wiring and Serial Plate Amperage**
Field Wiring must be sized for component amperes printed on the serial plate. Actual ampere draw may be less than specified. Field wiring from the refrigeration control panel to the merchandisers is required for refrigeration thermostats. Case amperes are listed on the wiring diagram, but always check the serial plate.

**Ballast Location**
Ballasts are located within the access panel.
Handling and Hot Food Equipment

Each hot unit has an individual heater with a separate control. These are thermostatically controlled with an indicator light showing when the heater has cycled on and is heating. The pilot lamp above each control knob indicates when the well heater is heating.

These units are for short-term holding and display of precooked hot foods. They are not intended to cool or reheat food. The temperature of the food entering the display should be approximately 160°F when first inserted.

Any attempt to use the hot unit to display large amounts of food for long periods of time will result in dehydrated, overcooked and unsafe food. The quality of food will progressively worsen as the length of time increases. The deterioration of product quality is a function of time and temperature. All products are affected even though in a gravy or other liquid. They may appear to withstand the temperature better than “dry” foods such as fried chicken but this is not necessarily true. ALL foods will continue to be affected by prolonged exposure to elevated temperatures.

The following guidelines are provided only as a general guide for the use of this equipment. The local health agency for your area can provide specific temperature requirements.

Critical attention must be given to the heat controls for these hot tables. Both the upper and lower heat controls must be adjusted to achieve proper food temperatures. Hot foods should be held at a constant temperature of at least 140°F (60°C) (minimum FDA requirement to prevent spoiling). However, increasing the temperature too high will also cause the food to overcook, dry out, lose its flavor, texture and color. Food held for prolonged periods at high temperatures will also lose some of their nutritional value.

Different foods require different control settings. The type of food, the quantities of food and length of time that it is to remain in the hot table must be considered when establishing control settings. Therefore, it must be the user’s responsibility to establish the correct control settings to maintain the food at the safest, tastiest and most saleable condition.

**FOOD TEMPERATURES CAN BE ACCURATELY DETERMINED ONLY THROUGH THE USE OF FOOD THERMOMETERS!**

Important Food Handling Tips
1. Preheat case 30 minutes before loading product.
2. Never place food directly into warmer. Always use an inset.
3. Food must be displayed in a single layer, in contact with the heat source at all times.
5. At start, set griddle to “7”. After loading, recheck temperature every 1/2 hour to see that unit is operating properly. Adjust the thermostat (a higher number for hotter and a lower number for cooler) to maintain a product temperature of 150°F (66°C).

The setting will depend on the type and quantity of product being displayed. Be sure to test product temperature with a thermometer frequently for good product maintenance.

6. Oldest food should be displayed closest to customer.
7. At end of the day, remove product and let case cool. Then clean with soap and water (use oven cleaner on the difficult spots). Polish and clean glass with a good glass cleaner.

Hot Unit Operation

Location of controls
The controls to regulate the temperature are located at the rear of the case behind the unit it is controlling.

Startup
1. Turn griddle on to “7” position.
2. After a 30 minute heating period, stock with food.

*Controls May Have a Variety of Configurations depending on the cases application*
Clean occasionally with a mild soapy solution with washing them down with a mild soapy solution with a bacteria killing agent. NOTE: When cleaning hot well area, pay special attention to the auto-fill sensor. It should be kept clean or the water in the well could possibly fill to capacity and overflow. Clean occasionally with a mild cleaning solution. Wiping it dry will help ensure that the sensor operates properly.

5. Wipe down non-glass areas on the outside of the case.

**Overhead Heating System**
Tubular heaters and fluorescent lights are located above each well to provide both top heat and illumination.

**User Information (Cont’d)**

**Shutdown**
1. Remove all food.
2. Turn off all heat and light controls.
3. Allow unit to cool for 15 minutes.
4. Thoroughly clean all stainless steel surfaces by washing them down with a mild soapy solution with a bacteria killing agent. NOTE: When cleaning hot well area, pay special attention to the auto-fill sensor. It should be kept clean or the water in the well could possibly fill to capacity and overflow. Clean occasionally with a mild cleaning solution. Wiping it dry will help ensure that the sensor operates properly.
5. Wipe down non-glass areas on the outside of the case.

**General Cleaning**

**Case Cleaning**
Long life and satisfactory performance of any equipment are dependent upon the care given to it.

**Cleaning**
Hussmann recommends using a clean damp chamois, or a paper towel marketed as dust and abrasive free with 210® Plastic Cleaner and Polish available by calling Sumner Labs at 1-800-542-8656. Hard, rough cloths or paper towels will scratch the acrylic and should not be used.

**Antistatic Coatings**
The 210® has proven to be very effective in not only cleaning and polishing the Plexiglass surface, but also providing antistatic and anti-fog capabilities. This product also seals pores and provides a protective coating.

**Cold Food Stocking**
Improper temperature and lighting will cause serious product loss. Discoloration, dehydration and spoilage can be controlled with proper use of the equipment and handling of product. Product temperature should always be maintained at a constant and proper temperature. This means that from the time the product is received, through storage, preparation and display, the temperature of the product must be controlled to maximize life of the product. Hussmann cases were not designed to “heat up” or “cool down” product - but rather to maintain an item’s proper temperature for maximum shelf life. To achieve the protection required always:
User Information (Cont’d)

1. Minimize processing time to avoid damaging temperature rise to the product. Product should be at proper temperature.
2. Keep the air in and around the case area free of foreign gasses and fumes or food will rapidly deteriorate.
3. Maintain the display merchandisers temperature controls as outlined in the refrigerator section of this manual.
4. Do not place any product into these refrigerators until all controls have been adjusted and they are operating at the proper temperature. Allow merchandiser to operate a minimum of 6 hours before stocking with any product.
5. When stocking, never allow the product to extend beyond the recommended load limit. Air discharge and return air flue must be unobstructed at all times to provide proper refrigeration. Do not stock product within the top air discharge zone (See diagram).

6. This case was designed and tested using stainless steel hotel pans. The use of any other material (such as crocks) may insulate the product and thus, not be kept cold. Containers made of materials other than stainless steel is discouraged and may void warranty.
7. Avoid the use of supplemental flood or spot lighting. Display light intensity has been designed for maximum visibility and product life at the factory. The use of higher output fluorescent lamps (H.O. and V.H.O.), will shorten the shelf life of the product.

Important Steps

1. Do not set temperature too cold, as this causes product dehydration. Refer to case specs section for proper settings.
2. Temperature control should be by means of a T-STAT and Suction Stop Solenoid at each case. Do not use EPR valves, Liquid Line Solenoids or electronic control devices of any kind, as these allow temperature swings causing dehydration and excessive energy consumption.

Case Cleaning

Long life and satisfactory performance of any equipment are dependent upon the care given to it. To insure long life, proper sanitation and minimum maintenance costs, the refrigerator should be thoroughly cleaned frequently. SHUT OFF FAN DURING CLEANING PROCESS. It can be unplugged within the case, or shut off case at the source. The interior bottom may be cleaned with any domestic soap or detergent based cleaners. Sanitizing solutions will not harm the interior bottom, however, these solutions should always be used according to the manufacturer’s directions. It is essential to establish and regulate cleaning procedures. This will minimize bacteria causing discoloration which leads to degraded product appearance and significantly shortening product shelf life. Soap and hot water are not enough to kill this bacteria. A sanitizing solution must be included with each cleaning process to eliminate this bacteria.

1. Scrub thoroughly, cleaning all surfaces, with soap and hot water.
2. Rinse with hot water, but do not flood.
3. Apply the sanitizing solution according to the manufacturer’s directions.
4. Rinse thoroughly.
5. Dry completely before resuming operation.

Cleaning Glass and Mirrors

Only use a soft cloth and mild glass cleaner for cleaning any glass or mirrored components. Be sure to rinse and/or dry completely.

Never use hot water on cold glass surfaces! It may shatter and cause serious injury! Allow glass surfaces to warm first.
Maintenance

Access Panels
The electrical J box is located in the center of the case beneath the plate shelf. The access for condensing units (in the self contained units) is located on the side of the stand, at the end. Ends of stand are fitted for removal, if condensing unit has to be taken out.

T-5 Bulbs
T-5 lamps are furnished with a shatterproof protective coating. The same type of lamp with protective coating must be used if replaced. All lamps have the label below.

Evaporator Fans
The evaporator fans are located at the center front of these merchandisers directly beneath the display pans. Should fans or blades need servicing, always replace fan blades with the raised embossed side of the blade TOWARD THE MOTOR.

Copper Coils
The copper coils used in Hussmann merchandisers may be repaired in the field. Materials are available from local refrigeration wholesalers. Hussmann recommends using #15 Sil-Fos for repairs.

Tips and Troubleshooting
Before calling for service, check the following:
1. Check electrical power supply to the equipment for connection.
2. Check fixture loading. Overstocking case will affect its proper operation.
3. If frost is collecting on fixture and/or product, check that Humidity Control is working properly, and that no outside doors or windows are open-allowing moisture to enter store.

Stainless Steel Cleaning and Care
There are three basic things, which can break down your stainless steel’s passivity layer and allow corrosion.

1. Mechanical Abrasion
   Mechanical Abrasion means those things that will scratch the steel’s surface. Steel Pads, wire Brushes, and Scrapers are prime examples.

2. Water
   Water comes out of our tap in varying degrees of hardness. Depending on what part of the country you live in, you may have hard or soft water. Hard water may leave spots. Also, when heated, hard water leaves deposits behind that, if left to sit, will break down the passive layer and rust your stainless steel. Other deposits from food preparation and service must be properly removed.

3. Chlorides
   Chlorides are found nearly everywhere. They are in water, food and table salt. One of the worst perpetrators of chlorides can come from household and industrial cleaners.

Don’t Despair! Here are a few steps that can help prevent stainless steel rust.

1. Use the Proper Tools
   When cleaning your stainless steel products, take care to use non-abrasive tools. Soft Clothes and plastic scouring pads will NOT harm the steel’s passive layer. Stainless steel pads can also be used but the scrubbing motion must be in the same direction of the manufacturer’s polishing marks.

2. Clean With the Polish Lines
   Some stainless steels come with visible polishing lines or “grain”. When visible lines are present, you should ALWAYS scrub in a motion that is parallel to them. When the grain cannot be seen, play it safe and use a soft cloth or plastic scouring pad.
3. **Use Alkaline, Alkaline Chlorinated or Non-chloride Containing Cleaners**
   While many traditional cleaners are loaded with chlorides, the industry is providing an ever increasing choice of non-chloride cleaners. If you are not sure of your cleaner’s chloride content contact your cleaner supplier. If they tell you that your present cleaner contains chlorides, ask for an alternative. Also, avoid cleaners containing quaternary salts as they also can attack stainless steel & cause pitting and rusting.

4. **Treat your Water**
   Though this is not always practical, softening hard water can do much to reduce deposits. There are certain filters that can be installed to remove distasteful and corrosive elements. Salts in a properly maintained water softener are your friends. If you are not sure of the proper water treatment, call a treatment specialist.

5. **Keep your Food Equipment Clean**
   Use alkaline, alkaline chlorinated or non-chlorinated cleaners at recommended strength. Clean frequently to avoid build-up of hard, stubborn stains. If you boil water in your stainless steel equipment, remember the single most likely cause of damage is chlorides in the water. Heating cleaners that contain chlorides has a similar effect.

6. **RINSE, RINSE, RINSE**
   If chlorinated cleaners are used you must rinse, rinse, rinse and wipe dry immediately. The sooner you wipe off standing water, especially when it contains cleaning agents, the better. After wiping the equipment down, allow it to air dry for the oxygen helps maintain the stainless steel’s passivity film.

7. **Never Use Hydrochloric Acid (Muriatic Acid) on Stainless Steel**

8. **Regularly Restore/Passivate Stainless Steel**

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**Electrical Wiring Diagrams**

Due to the Custom nature of these case, the wiring diagrams and loads are appended to each guide. For additional copies, please contact the factory. Have the unit serial number available.
Appendices

Appendix A. - Temperature Guidelines - Refrigerated

The refrigerators should be operated according to the manufacturer’s published engineering specifications for entering air temperatures for specific equipment applications. Table 1 shows the typical temperature of the air entering the food zone one hour before the start of defrost and one hour after defrost for various categories of refrigerators. Refer to Appendix C for Field Evaluation Guidelines.

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1.2 Refrigeration piping should be sized according to the equipment manufacturer’s recommendations and installed in accordance with normal refrigeration practices. Refrigeration piping should be insulated according to Hussmann’s recommendations.

1.3 A clogged waste outlet blocks refrigeration. The installer is responsible for the proper installation of the system which dispenses condensate waste through an air gap into the building indirect waste system.

1.4 The installer should perform a complete start-up evaluation prior to the loading of food into the refrigerator, which includes such items as:
   a) Initial temperature performance, Coils should be properly fed with a refrigerant according to manufacturer’s recommendations.
   b) Observation of outside influences such as drafts, radiant heating from the ceiling and from lamps. Such influence should be properly corrected or compensated for.
   c) At the same time, checks should be made of the store dry-bulb and wet-bulb temperatures to ascertain that they are within the limits prescribed by Hussmann.
   d) Complete start-up procedures should include checking through a defrost to make certain of its adequate frequency and length without substantially exceeding the actual needs. This should include checking the electrical or refrigerant circuits to make sure that defrosts are correctly programmed for all the refrigerators connected to each refrigeration system.
   e) Recording instruments should be used to check performance.

Appendix B. - Application Recommendations - Refrigerated

1.0 Temperature performance is critical for controlling bacteria growth. Therefore, the following recommendations are included in the standard. They are based on confirmed field experience over many years.

1.1 The installer is responsible for following the installation instructions and recommendations provided by Hussmann for the installation of each individual type refrigerator.

Hot

1.0 Hot cases are tested to maintain all hot food at 140°F - 150°F. These cases are not designed to heat up or cook food. It is the user’s responsibility to stock the hot food cases immediately after the cooking of the food with a pulp temperature of at least 150°F to 160°F.

1.2 The installer should perform a complete start-up evaluation prior to the loading of food into the hot food case, which includes such items as:
   a) Initial temperature performance, Griddles and Hot Wells.
   b) Observation of outside influences such as drafts, radiant heating from the ceiling and from lamps. Such influence should be properly corrected or compensated for.
   c) Complete start-up procedures should include:
      1. Heat / display lamps are lighting
      2. Indicator lamps on control panel(s) are working
      3. Auto-fill is functioning properly (Service cases)
      4. Hot Griddles are functioning.
Appendix C. Field Recommendations - Refrigerated Recommendations for field evaluating the performance of retail food refrigerators and hot cases

1.0 The most consistent indicator of display refrigerator performance is temperature of the air entering the product zone (see Appendix A). In practical use, the precise determination of return air temperature is extremely difficult. Readings of return air temperatures will be variable and results will be inconsistent. The product temperature alone is not an indicator of refrigerator performance.

NOTE: Public Health will use the temperature of the product in determining if the refrigerator will be allowed to display potentially hazardous food. For the purpose of this evaluation, product temperature above the FDA Food Code 1993 temperature for potentially hazardous food will be the first indication that an evaluation should be performed. It is expected that all refrigerators will keep food at the FDA Food Code 1993 temperature for potentially hazardous food.

1.1 The following recommendations are made for the purpose of arriving at easily taken and understood data which, coupled with other observations, may be used to determine whether a display refrigerator is working as intended:

a) INSTRUMENT - A stainless steel stem-type thermometer is recommended and it should have a dial a minimum of 1 inch internal diameter. A test thermometer scaled only in Celsius or dually scaled in Celsius and Fahrenheit shall be accurate to 1°C (1.8°F). Temperature measuring devices that are scaled only in Fahrenheit shall be accurate to 2°F. The thermometer should be checked for proper calibration. (It should read 32°F when the stem is immersed in an ice water bath).

b) LOCATION - The probe or sensing element of the thermometer should be located in the airstream where the air first enters the display or storage area, and not more than 1 inch away from the surface and in the center of the discharge opening.

c) READING - It should first be determined that the refrigerator is refrigerating and has operated at least one hour since the end of the last defrost period. The thermometer reading should be made only after it has been allowed to stabilize, i.e., maintain a constant reading.

d) OTHER OBSERVATIONS - Other observations should be made which may indicate operating problems, such as unsatisfactory product, feel/appearance.

e) CONCLUSIONS - In the absence of any apparent undesirable conditions, the refrigerator should be judged to be operating properly. If it is determined that such condition is undesirable, i.e., the product is above proper temperature, checks should be made for the following:

1. Has the refrigerator been loaded with warm product?
2. Is the product loaded beyond the “Safe Load Line” markers?
3. Are the return air ducts blocked?
4. Are the entering air ducts blocked?
5. Is a dumped display causing turbulent airflow and mixing with room air?
6. Are spotlights or other high intensity lighting directed onto the product?
7. Are there unusual draft conditions (from heating/air-conditioning ducts, open doors, etc.)?
8. Is there exposure to direct sunlight?
9. Are display signs blocking or diverting airflow?
10. Are the coils of the refrigerator iced up?
11. Is the store ambient over 75°F, 55% RH as set forth in ASHRAE Standard 72 and ASHRAE Standard 117?
12. Are the shelf positions, number, and size other than recommended by Hussmann?
13. Is there an improper application or control system?
14. Is the evaporator fan motor/blade inoperative?
15. Is the defrost time excessive?
16. Is the defrost termination, thermostat (if used) set too high?
17. Are the refrigerant controls incorrectly adjusted?
18. Is the air entering the condenser above design conditions? Are the condenser fins clear of dirt, dust, etc.?
19. Is there a shortage of refrigerant?
20. Has the equipment been modified to use replacements for CFC-12, CFC-502 or other refrigerant? If so, have the modifications been made in accordance with the recommendations of the equipment manufacturer? Is the refrigerator charged with the proper refrigerant and lubricant? Does the system use the recommended compressor?
1.0 The most consistent indicator of display hot case performance is temperature of the product itself.

NOTE: Public Health will use the temperature of the product in determining if the hot case will be allowed to display potentially hazardous food. For the purpose of this evaluation, product temperature above the FDA Food Code 1993 temperature for potentially hazardous food will be the first indication that an evaluation should be performed. It is expected that all hot cases will keep food at the FDA Food Code 1993 temperature to prevent the sale of potentially hazardous food.

1.1 The following recommendations are made for the purpose of arriving at easily taken and understood data which, coupled with other observations, may be used to determine whether a display refrigerator is working as intended:

a) INSTRUMENT - A stainless steel stem-type thermometer is recommended and it should have a dial a minimum of 1 inch internal diameter. A test thermometer scaled only in Celsius or dually scaled in Celsius and Fahrenheit shall be accurate to 1°C (1.8°F). Temperature measuring devices that are scaled only in Fahrenheit shall be accurate to 2°F. The thermometer should be checked for proper calibration. (It should read 32°F when the stem is immersed in an ice water bath).

b) LOCATION - The thermometer must be inserted into the food itself to acquire proper food pulp temperature.

c) READING - The thermometer reading should be made only after it has been allowed to stabilize, i.e., maintain a constant reading. Loading Product: Cases should be allowed to heat up for one hour before product is loaded. Temperature adjustments: Allow 4 hours after adjustment has been made before testing pulp temperature of product.

d) OTHER OBSERVATIONS - Other observations should be made which may indicate operating problems, such as unsatisfactory product, feel/appearance.

Appendix D. - Recommendations to User - Refrigerated

1.0 Hussmann Corporation provides instructions and recommendations for proper periodic cleaning. The user will be responsible for such cleaning, including the cleaning of low temperature equipment within the compartment and the cooling coil area(s). Cleaning practices, particularly with respect to proper refrigerator unloading and warm-up, must be in accordance with applicable recommendations.

1.1 Cleaning of non frozen food equipment should include a weekly cleaning of the food compartment as a minimum to prevent bacteria growth from accumulating. Actual use and products may dictate more frequent cleaning. Circumstances of use and equipment design must also dictate the frequency of cleaning the display areas. Weekly washing down of the storage compartment is also recommended, especially for equipment subject to drippage of milk or other liquids, or the collection of vegetable, meat, crumbs, etc. or other debris or litter. Daily cleaning of the external areas surrounding the storage or display compartments with detergent and water will keep the equipment presentable and prevent grime buildup.

1.2 Load levels as defined by the manufacturer must be observed.

1.3 The best preservation is achieved by following these rules:

a) Buy quality products.

b) Receive perishables from transit equipment at the ideal temperature for the particular product.

c) Expedite perishables to the store’s storage equipment to avoid unnecessary warm-up and prolonged temperature recovery. Food store refrigerators are not food chillers nor can they reclaim quality lost through previous mishandling.

d) Care must be taken when cross merchandising products to ensure that potentially hazardous vegetable products are not placed in non refrigerated areas.

e) Display and storage equipment doors should be kept closed during periods of inactivity.

f) Minimize the transfer time of perishables from storage to display.

g) Keep meat under refrigeration in meat cutting and processing area except for the few moments it is being handled in processing. When a cut or tray of meat is not to be worked on immediately, the procedure should call for returning it to refrigeration.

h) Keep tools clean and sanitized. Since mechanical equipment is used for fresh meat processing, all such equipment should be cleaned at least daily and each time a different kind of meat product comes in contact with the tool or equipment.
i) Make sure that all refrigeration equipment is installed and adjusted in strict accordance with the manufacturer’s recommendations.

j) See that all storage and refrigeration equipment is kept in proper working order by routine maintenance.

Hot

1. Hussmann should provide instructions and recommendations for proper periodic cleaning. The user will be responsible for such cleaning, including the cleaning of equipment within the compartment and the hot area(s). Cleaning practices, particularly with respect to proper refrigerator unloading and warm-up, must be in accordance with applicable recommendations.

1. Allow the case to preheat for one hour prior to loading.

2. Hot foods should enter the case directly after cooking or no lower than 150°F - 160°F. The Hot Cases are not designed to heat up or cook food.

3. Self Service - be sure to display product in single layer in direct contact with heating surface and/or wire rack.

4. All griddle type units are designed to maintain temperatures above the FDA guideline of 140°F. This is product temperature, not air or griddle temperature. Due to the open design of these units, they must be loaded with product for proper operation. When units are empty, they experience rapid rise of heated air from air outside the case. This action gives empty units a false, lower than desired, temperature reading. Loading the case traps the air at the griddle, raising temperatures to the 165°F to 185°F range, keeping product well above the FDA guidelines. Remember, these units must be loaded with product to maintain safe product temperature.

5. Check the food pulp temperature frequently with a thermometer to make sure it is at the proper holding temperature. Hot foods should be at 140°F. The thermometer must be inserted into the food itself for the proper temperature.

6. Do not display more food than will be sold within a 4 hour period.

7. When restocking, bring older food to the front, and stock fresher food on top.

8. Clean spills as soon as they happen.

9. Fingerprints and food splatter will drastically shorten bulb life. Clean splatter off the bulbs immediately with a soft cloth. When handling bulbs, wear cotton gloves or use a cotton rag/towel.

10. When “freshening” foods such as macaroni and cheese with added water, heat the water in a clean container until it is 10°F to 20°F above the desired holding temperature of the food. This will keep the food at a safe serving temperature. Depending on the amount of water, the temperature can drop 10°F to 20°F in as little as five minutes.

11. When transferring hot foods in the heated merchandiser to clean pans, preheat the clean pan. Transferring hot foods to room temperature pans can cause the temperature of the food to drop 20°F or more thus causing food to be at an unsafe serving temperature.

12. Clean spills as they happen simply by wiping with a cloth. Be sure to use a dry cloth on very hot surfaces to prevent steam burns.

13. Turn the equipment off and allow to cool before cleaning.

14. To remove “baked-on” splatter from Stainless Steel, the following may be used

- Grade F Italian Pumice, Scour or rub with a damp cloth.
- Liquid NuSteel, Scour with a small amount of dry cloth.
- Paste NuSteel.
- Household Cleaners, Rub with a damp cloth.
- Coopers Stainless Steel Cleaner.
- Allen Stainless Steel Polish.
The **MODEL NAME** and **SERIAL NUMBER** is required in order to provide you with the correct parts and information for your particular unit. They can be found on a small metal plate on the unit. Please note them below for future reference.

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