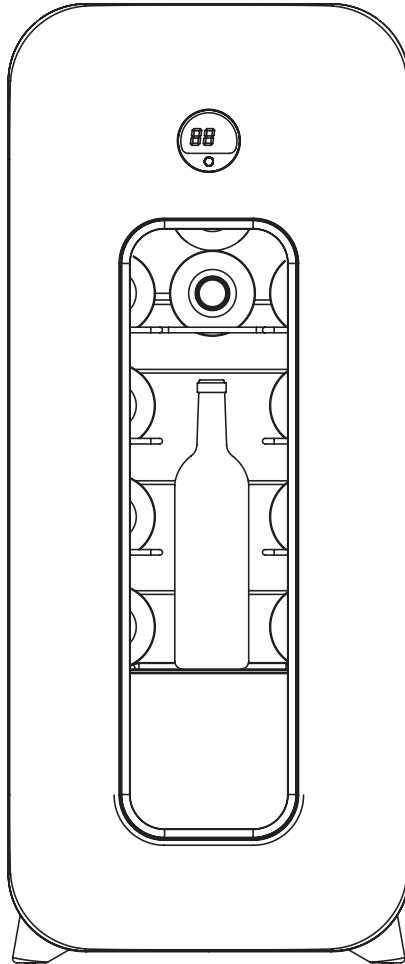




USER MANUAL AND PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

ICE COLD ANYWHERE



VT-19R

SINGLE ZONE RETRO
WINE COOLER

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IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

SNOMASTER VT-19R RETRO WINE COOLER

This manual contains important information including safety and installation instructions of the SnoMaster Wine Cooler. Please read this manual carefully before use and follow all safety information and instructions. It is recommended to keep this manual for easy reference so that you are familiar with the operation of your appliance.

BEFORE USING YOUR APPLIANCE

- Ensure all packaging materials, stickers, and films are removed from the product. Clean the product's surfaces with a mild detergent and a damp cloth before the initial use.
- Before connecting the appliance to a power source, let it stand upright for approximately 24 hours. This measure helps minimise the risk of cooling-system malfunctions that might occur due to handling during transportation.
- Clean the interior surface using a soft cloth and lukewarm water.

CRITICAL SAFETY INFORMATION FOR YOUR SAFETY

Before using this appliance, ensure it is correctly positioned and installed as outlined in this manual. Follow these basic precautions to prevent the risk of fire, electrical shock, or injury:

- This appliance is designed for domestic use only. It is intended exclusively for storing sealed bottled wines or beverages.
- Ensure the plug is easily accessible after positioning the appliance.
- Avoid connecting or disconnecting the electric plug with wet hands.
- To disconnect the appliance, hold the plug and pull it from the wall outlet. Never pull out by the cord.
- It's advisable to use a dedicated power source and avoid using extension cords.
- Unplug the appliance or disconnect power before performing any cleaning, maintenance, or servicing. Failure to do so can result in electrical shock or even death.

- If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent, or a similarly qualified person to prevent any hazard.
- The fuse (or circuit breaker) size should be 10 amps or higher.
- This appliance can be used by children aged 8 years and older and persons with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, provided they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the safe use of the appliance, and understand the associated hazards. The appliance should not be used as a toy. Cleaning and user maintenance should not be carried out by children unless they are supervised.
- To ensure proper ventilation for the appliance, the front of the unit must be completely unobstructed. Place the unit away from direct sunlight and heat sources (stove, heater, radiator, etc.).
- Unless specifically recommended in this manual, do not attempt to repair or replace any part of the appliance. All other servicing should be referred to a qualified technician.
- Ensure sufficient personnel are available to move and install the appliance to prevent any damage or injuries.
- The appliance needs to be level for optimal operation. You can adjust the appliance's feet to level it.
- Never clean appliance parts with flammable fluids as they may create a fire hazard or explosion. Also, avoid storing or using gasoline or other flammable vapours and liquids near this appliance.
- Avoid solvent-based cleaning agents or abrasives on the interior as they may damage or discolour it.
- This appliance should only be used for its intended purpose.
- Avoid using electrical appliances inside the wine cooler.
- The use of attachments not recommended by the manufacturer may be hazardous.
- Before disposing of the appliance, keep it away from fire or similar glowing substances.
- GWP (Global Warming Potential): R600a.
- When disposing of the appliance, remove the door and leave the shelves in place to prevent children from climbing inside easily.
- Ensure the coolant circuit, especially the heat exchanger at the back/bottom of the unit, is not damaged.

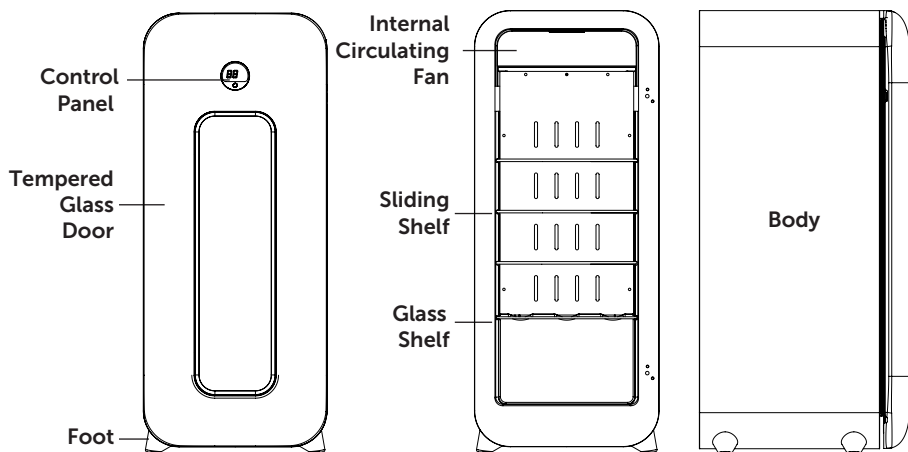


The recycle symbol on the product or its packaging indicates that this product must not be disposed of as regular household waste. It should be taken to a designated collection point for recycling electrical and electronic goods.

STRUCTURE AND INSTALLATION



The images provided below only describe the appliance. The dimensions and shelf quantity may differ among the models in the same series.



DO NOT TURN ON FOR AT LEAST 24 HOURS AFTER DELIVERY

Let the appliance stand upright for approximately 24 hours before connecting it to the power source, which helps to reduce the possibility of a cooling-system malfunction from handling during transportation.

UNPACKING AND CLEANING THE WINE COOLER

- Remove all exterior and interior packing materials.
 - Before connecting the appliance to a power source, let it stand upright for approximately 24 hours. This helps to reduce the possibility of a cooling-system malfunction due to handling during transportation.
 - Use a soft cloth and lukewarm water to clean the interior surface.
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OPERATING THE WINE COOLER

OPERATING CONDITIONS

This appliance is designed for operation in SN to T climates (refer to the climate class chart below). We recommend maintaining an ambient temperature of 22-25°C. This temperature range optimises the appliance's performance and lowers power consumption.

Climate Class	Ambient Temperature	Climate Class	Ambient Temperature
SN = Subnormal	10°C -32°C (50°F-90°F)	ST =Subtropical	18°C -38°C (64°F-100°F)
N = Normal	16°C -32°C (61°F-90°F)	T = Tropical	18°C -43°C (64°F-109°F)

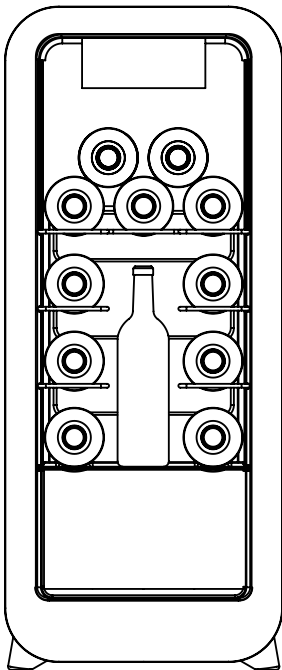
If the ambient temperature falls outside the specified climate range, the performance of the unit may be compromised. Operating the appliance in extremely cold or hot conditions could cause internal temperatures to fluctuate. Consequently, the set temperature of 5-22°C may not always be achieved.

WINE STORAGE

The standard shelves are optimally designed for Bordeaux-style bottle storage. The maximum bottle capacity may vary depending on the sizes or dimensions of the wine bottles you intend to store.

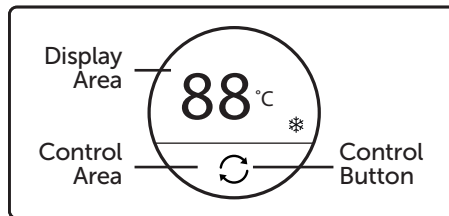
- To prevent damage to the door gasket, ensure the door is fully opened before pulling out the shelves.
- Do not cover the shelves with aluminium foil or any other material as it could hinder proper air circulation.
- Wine should be stored in sealed bottles. If the wine cooler is to remain empty for an extended period, we recommend unplugging the appliance. After thoroughly cleaning the interior, leave the door slightly open. This allows air to circulate within the cabinet, preventing potential condensation, mold, or odours.

BELOW ARE THE RECOMMENDED TEMPERATURES FOR CHILLING/STORING YOUR WINES.



Wine Type	Recommended Temperature
Red	14-18°C (59°F-64°F)
White	6-14°C (48°F-57°F)
Rose	6-12°C (50°F-52°F)
Sparkling	5-10°C (41°F-46°F)

CONTROL PANEL



POWER ON/OFF CONTROL

When the appliance is plugged in to a power outlet, it powers on automatically.



WARNING

To avoid stressing the compressor, please do not turn on the appliance again within 5 minutes after you turn it off.

TEMPERATURE SETTING

- The temperature setting range for this appliance is between **5°C - 22°C**.
- Touch the control button to **cycle through and set** the desired temperature.
- If untouched for 5 seconds, the **digital display will revert** to show the set temperature.

Note: If you are using the appliance for the first time or restarting it after a long period of shutdown, you may notice a slight discrepancy between the set temperature and the displayed temperature.

This is normal and will resolve after a few hours of operation.

TEMPERATURE DISPLAY WINDOW

- The temperature is shown in a digital format for easy readability. When you are setting the temperature, the display shows the set temperature.
- If the temperature probe malfunctions, the display window will show "HH" or "LL" instead of a numerical figure, and a continuous buzzing sound will be heard. In such instances, the appliance is thoughtfully designed to maintain periodic operation of the compressor and fans. This functionality helps to preserve the coldness within the cabinet, protecting your stored wines.

INTERIOR LIGHTING CONTROL

- To turn the interior LED lighting on or off, touch and hold the control button for 3 seconds.
- If not manually turned off, the interior lighting will remain continuously on.

CLEANING THE WINE COOLER

- Turn off the power, unplug the appliance, and remove all contents including shelves.
 - Use a sponge to clean the inside surfaces with a solution of baking soda and warm water. The solution should consist of approximately 2 tablespoons of baking soda to 1 litre of warm water.
 - Wash the shelves with a mild detergent solution. Allow the shelves to dry thoroughly before reinstalling them in the wine cooler.
 - When cleaning the controls or any other electrical display areas, ensure your sponge or cloth is not overly saturated.
 - Clean the external cabinet with warm water and a mild liquid detergent. Wipe dry with a clean, soft cloth.
 - Avoid using steel wool or steel brushes on the stainless steel parts of the appliance. These materials can contaminate the stainless steel with particles, leading to possible rust.
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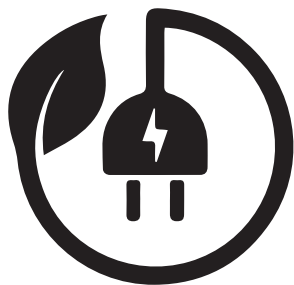
POWER FAILURE

Most power failures are resolved within a few hours and should not affect your appliance's temperature if you limit the frequency of door openings. If you anticipate a prolonged power outage, take appropriate measures to safeguard your stored items.

MOVING THE WINE COOLER

- Empty all items from the wine cooler.
- Secure all loose items (like shelves) inside your appliance using tape.
- Retract the adjustable legs to the base to prevent any damage.
- Securely tape the door shut.

During transportation, ensure the appliance remains upright. Use a blanket or similar protective covering to safeguard the appliance's exterior.



ENERGY SAVING TIPS

- Position the appliance away from heat -generating appliances and direct sunlight.
- Maintain adequate ventilation around the unit. Never obstruct the air vents.
- Only open the door when necessary. Limit extended periods of the door being open or frequent opening and closing.

TROUBLESHOOTING

If you feel the appliance is out of order, follow these instructions to try to see if you can solve the problem simply by yourself before calling for service.

PROBLEM	PROBLEM POSSIBLE CAUSE / MEASURE
The wine cooler does not operate	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Not plugged in.• The appliance is turned off.• The circuit breaker tripped.
The wine cooler is not cold enough	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Check the temperature control setting.• External environment may require a higher setting.• The door is opened too frequently.• The door is not closed completely.• The door gasket does not seal properly.
Automatically turn-on and turn-off frequently	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The ambient temperature is higher than normal.• A wine cooler is overstocked and there is not enough room for air circulation.• The door is opened too frequently.• The door is not closed completely.• The temperature control is not set correctly.• The door gasket does not seal properly.
The lighting does not work	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Not plugged in.• The circuit breaker tripped or the fuse has blown.• The lighting is turned off.

TROUBLESHOOTING

PROBLEM	PROBLEM POSSIBLE CAUSE / MEASURE
Too much vibration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Check to assure that the appliance is level. • Check to assure no parts inside the cabinet or in the compressor chamber are loose.
The wine cooler seems to make too much noise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The rattling noise may come from the flow of the refrigerant, which is normal. As each cycle ends, you may hear gurgling sounds caused by the flow of refrigerant. • Contraction and expansion of the inside walls may cause popping and crackling noises. • The appliance is not level.
The door will not close properly	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The wine cooler is not level. • The gasket is dirty. • The shelves are out of position.
The display window is shown with "HH" or "LL" instead of a digital figure, and/or with continuous buzz sound.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The temperature probe is out of order.



THANK YOU FOR PURCHASING THE SNOMASTER VT-19R WINE COOLER

• WARRANTY, SERVICE AND SUPPORT •

This product is warranted for **5 years on the compressor, 3 years on the unit and 1 year on all parts not listed from the date of purchase**. Warranty does not cover products that have not been used in accordance with the user guide or are outside the warranty terms and conditions, which can be found at the following url:

<https://snomaster.co.za/warranty/>

WARRANTY REGISTRATION

Register your SnoMaster Wine Cooler now for warranty, and allow us to provide you with the best possible after sales service:

- Please log onto our website at **www.snomaster.co.za**
- Click on the 'Warranty' tab.
- Enter warranty information and upload proof of purchase at the bottom of the page.

SERVICE AND SUPPORT

Should an instance arrive where you require assistance, contact our service team:

- Please log onto our website at **www.snomaster.co.za**
- Click on the 'Support' tab.
- Click 'Find a Repair Agent Near You' and enter your region.
- Alternatively contact us via email: **info@snomaster.co.za** or contact us on **+27 11 392 5315**.