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## Beverage and Wine Center



## Instruction Manual

MODEL: GDBC47  
4.5 Cu. Ft. Capacity  
115V~, 60Hz, 80W

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Thank you for purchasing your Beverage and Wine Center by Montgomery Ward®. We guarantee that it will perform to the highest standard, time after time, with all the convenience, easy cleanup and durability you rely on from Wards.

Your new Beverage and Wine Center is stylish enough to fit in with any décor. With the small footprint it won't take up much space, but it's still large enough take care of your beverage needs.

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## PLEASE SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS

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## Important Safeguards

### PLEASE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE USE

Basic safety precautions should always be followed when using the Beverage and Wine Center.

**WARNING: Before discarding this appliance, remove the door and leave shelves in place to avoid child entrapment.**

**WARNING: TO AVOID THE RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK, ALWAYS MAKE SURE THE PRODUCT IS UNPLUGGED FROM THE ELECTRICAL OUTLET BEFORE ASSEMBLING, DISASSEMBLING OR RELOCATING. DO NOT TRY TO SERVICE THIS PRODUCT YOURSELF.**

- To protect against electrical shock, do not place cord, plug or appliance in water or other liquid.
- Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children. Do not allow children to climb inside of appliance.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use, before moving or cleaning. Always unplug using the plug and not by pulling on the cord.
- Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug, or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Call our toll-free customer service number for information regarding returning or replacing the product.
- Maintain a ventilation clearance of at least 2 inches around all sides of appliance.
- Do not use outdoors.
- Do not use appliance for anything other than its intended use.
- Only position on a solid, level surface.
- Do not allow unit to rest on power cord.
- Never carry, push or pull the appliance by the door.
- Do not move or tilt while in operation.
- Never install the unit where it could be subjected to:
  - Other products that produce heat (furnace, stove, dishwashers, etc.).
  - Flammable materials, including liquids.
  - Excessive dust.
  - Mechanical vibration or shock.
  - Moisture.
- Never store paint, gasoline, oil or other flammable liquids in fridge. Do NOT use for perishable food.
- Do NOT use in a recessed or enclosed cabinet. Unit is free standing only.

## Important Safeguards (cont'd)

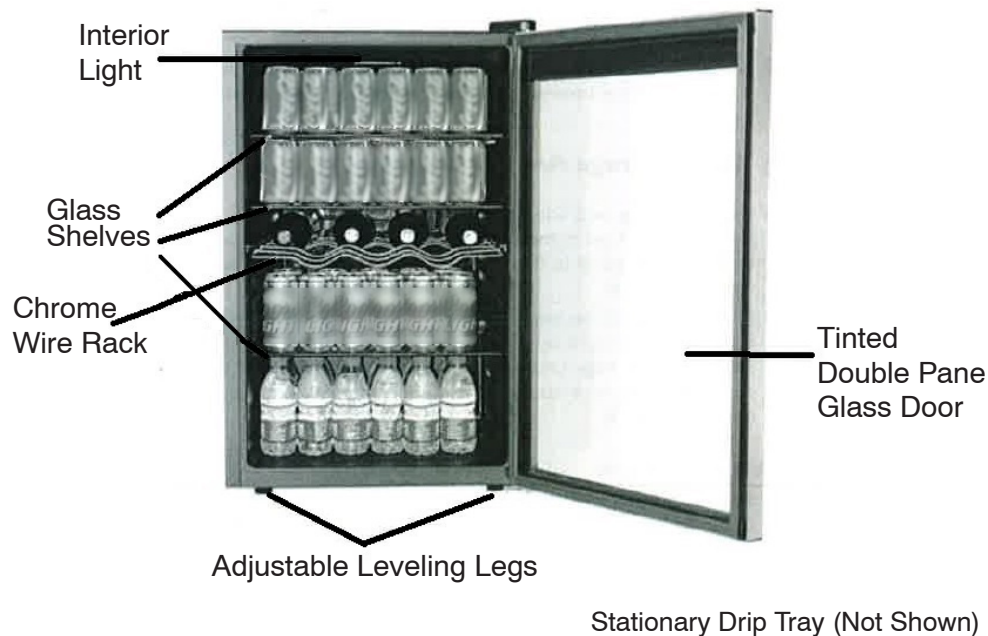
15. Do NOT install in a room that is lower than 55° F.
16. Avoid the use of an extension cord. If it is absolutely necessary to use an extension cord, the marked rating must be equal to or greater than the rating of the appliance. Only use a 3-wire extension cord with a 3-blade grounding plug.

## 3-Prong Plug

This appliance has a 3-prong plug for use in a 3-prong (grounding) outlet to minimize the possibility of electric shock. This appliance should only be used with a 120V, 60Hz grounded outlet. Failure to follow these instructions could result in fire, electrical shock, serious injury or death.

If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, contact a qualified electrician to install a 3-prong (grounding) outlet. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way. Failure to follow these instructions could result in fire, electrical shock, serious injury or death.

## Parts & Features



## Installation

1. After unpacking, dispose of all packing materials in accordance with local ordinances.
2. Position the beverage center on a solid, level surface. Use the leveling legs to adjust level, if necessary. Turn the leveling legs clockwise to lower the unit or counterclockwise to raise.
3. Beverage center should have a minimum of 2 inches of clearance around the entire unit to allow for adequate ventilation.
4. Allow the unit to sit upright and undisturbed for 8 hours before plugging in.
5. After the unit has settled for 8 hours, plug the unit into an outlet that is approved for the voltage listed on the rating plate. A beep will sound.
6. The LCD will display the factory default temperature setting of 46° F for the internal temperature of the appliance.

### Control Panel Settings

To access the control panel settings, press and hold the Lock/Unlock button for three seconds. A beep will sound.

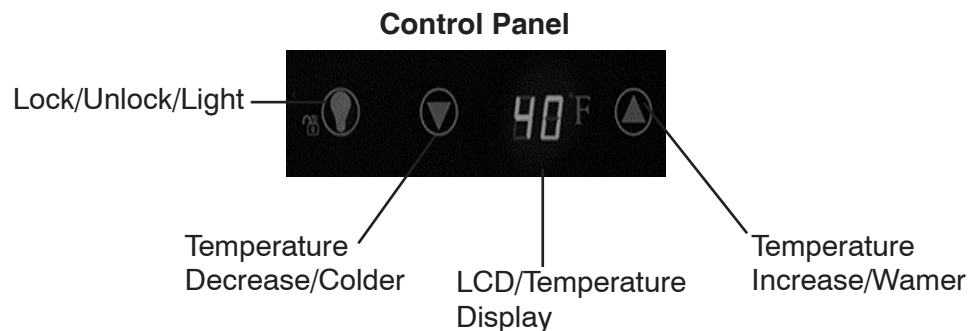
#### Interior Light:

Turn on the interior light by pressing the Lock/Unlock button. The interior light will not activate when the control panel is locked.

#### Temperature Controls:

Adjust the temperature setting by pressing the up and down arrow buttons. The temperature range is 40° F - 61° F and will increase/decrease one degree at a time. Once the desired temperature has been reached, press the Lock/Unlock button.

NOTE: The control panel automatically locks after 30 seconds of inactivity.



**Shelving**

The glass shelves and wire rack are removable for you to create a configuration that best suits your beverage needs.

To remove a shelf, gently tip the shelf up and pull out of the unit. Slide back in the desired position.

Cleaning and Maintenance

**WARNING:** To avoid electrical shock, always unplug unit before cleaning. Failure to follow this instruction can result in death or injury.

**NOTE:** Any time the unit is unplugged, the temperature will default to the factory setting. Reset your desired temperature setting.

**Cleaning**

**General:**

- Prepare a cleaning solution of 3-4 tablespoons of baking soda mixed with warm water.
- Using a soft cloth or sponge, dampened with the cleaning solution, wipe down interior and exterior of unit.
- Rinse with clean, warm water and dry with a soft cloth.
- Never use an abrasive cleanser or pad as this could damage the finish.

**NOTE:** Removable racks and shelves should only be handwashed.

**Gaskets:**

- Clean door gaskets every three months according to the general instructions shown above.
- Apply a thin layer of petroleum jelly to the hinge side of the gasket to keep the gasket pliable and to ensure a good seal.

**Defrosting:**

The Beverage and Wine Center is designed with a manual defrost system. The unit will defrost when it is unplugged. Water is automatically channeled to the drip tray on the back of the unit. Heat transfer from the compressor will evaporate the water when the unit is running.

**Power Interruption**

Remove the power cord from the electrical outlet when a power outage occurs. Replace the plug to the AC outlet when power is restored. The temperature will default to the factory setting. Reset your desired temperature setting.

**Long Term Care and Moving**

When the Beverage and Wine Center will not be used for an extended period of time, remove contents, unplug unit and clean according to general cleaning instructions. Prop the door open to allow air circulation.

Only move the unit when it is vertical. Moving the unit in a horizontal position can cause damage to the refrigerant and compressor.

Troubleshooting

Problem	Possible Cause	Remedy
Unit makes a bubbling sound.	Refrigerant is passing through the cooling coils.	This is normal operation.
Unit makes a clunking sound.	The unit is not level.	Adjust the leveling legs.
Beverages are not cold.	Thermostat is set at too high of a temperature.	Adjust the temperature to a colder setting.
	Proper amount of airflow is not maintained.	Allow 1/2 inch of space between items and inside walls.
	Door is not fully sealed.	Make sure door is shut properly and that gaskets are tight and clean.
Beverages are frozen.	Thermostat is set at too cold of a temperature.	Adjust the temperature to a warmer setting.
Ice buildup on interior walls.	Thermostat may be faulty.	If lowering the temperature does not fix the problem, call for customer service.

If any item, for any reason, does not meet your expectations, just return it to us. We'll gladly either:

- Refund your merchandise amount
- Credit your account
- Send a replacement

You can return any unused item in its original packaging within 60 days of its receipt for a full refund of the purchase price (excluding shipping and handling charges).

**Please send returns to:**

**Montgomery Ward, Inc.  
Attn: Customer Returns  
2000 Harrison Suite 100  
Clinton, IA 52732-6676**

**When returning an item:**

- Use the original packaging and pack it securely.
- Please adequately insure your item in case you need to make a claim with the carrier you choose for returning your item.
- Include your order number and reason for return.
- We recommend keeping the receipt for 4 weeks.



### 1 Year Limited Warranty

Montgomery Ward, Inc. warrants this product to be free from defects in material and workmanship for one year from provable date of purchase.

Within this warranty period, Montgomery Ward will repair or replace, at its option, defective parts of this product at no charge, provided the product is returned, freight prepaid with proof of purchase to Montgomery Ward. Allow 2-4 weeks for return shipping.

This warranty does not cover improper installation, misuse, abuse or neglect on part of the owner. Warranty is also invalid in any case that the product is taken apart or serviced by an unauthorized service station.

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