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HOSHIZAKI MODULAR ICE MAKER

 MODEL
 FM-170EE-HC

 FM-170EE-HCN
 FM-170EE-50-HC

 FM-170EE-50-HC
 FM-170EE-50-HCN

SERVICE MANUAL

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I. SPECIFICATIONS

1. DIMENSIONS/CONNECTIONS

[a] FM-170EE-HC, FM-170EE-HCN











2. SPECIFICATIONS

[a] FM-170EE-HC

ITEM	HOSHIZAKI FLAKE ICE MAKER		
MODEL	FM-170EE-HC (for EU CE marking/EMC,LVD)		
AC SUPPLY VOLTAGE	1 PHASE 220-240V 50Hz		
AMPERAGE	2.8A (AT.32℃, WT.21℃)		
STARTING AMPERAGE	13A		
ELECTRIC CONSUMPTION	495W (AT.32℃, WT.21℃)		
POWER FACTOR	77%		
POWER SUPPLY CAPACITY	Min. 0.79KVA (3.3A)		
	Approx. 165kg (AT.10℃, WT.10℃)		
ICE PRODUCTION PER 24h	Approx. 135kg (AT.21°, WT.15°)		
	Approx. 100kg (A1.320, W1.210) Approx. 0.165 m^{3} (AT 100, WT 100)		
WATER CONSUMPTION PER 24h	Approx. 0.135m ³ (AT.21°, WT.15°)		
	Approx. 0.100m ³ (AT.32°, WT.21°)		
SHAPE OF ICE	Flake		
MAX STORAGE CAPACITY	Approx. 26kg – Leveled (Bin Control Setting Approx. 21kg)		
DIMENSIONS	640mm(W)× 600mm(D)× 800(798–833)mm(H)		
EXTERIOR	Stainless Steel, Galvanized Steel (Rear)		
INSULATION	Polyurethane Foam		
CONNECTIONS-ELECTRIC	Y-Type Con. (with EU. Plug)		
CONNECTIONS-WATER SUPPLY	Inlet G3/4 (connected at rear side)		
CONNECTIONS-DRAIN	Outlet R3/4 (connected at rear side)		
ICE MAKING SYSTEM	Auger type		
HARVESTING SYSTEM	Direct driven Auger (80 W Gear Motor)		
COMPRESSOR	Hermetic		
CONDENSER	Fin and Tube type, Air-cooled		
HEAT REJECTION	1240W		
EVAPORATOR	Copper Tube on Cylinder		
REFRIGERANT CONTROL	Expansion Valve		
REFRIGERANT CHARGE	R290		
BIN CONTROL SYSTEM	Mechanical Bin Control (or Actuator and Reed Switch) (Time Delay Controlled)		
ICE MAKING WATER CONTROL	Float Switch and Water Valve		
ELECTRICAL PROTECTION	Class I Appliance, 6A Circuit breaker		
COMPRESSOR PROTECTION	Auto-reset Overload Protector		
	Auto-reset Pressure Switch Manual-reset Circuit Breaker		
GEAR MOTOR PROTECTION	Auto-reset Thermal Protector		
LOW WATER PROTECTION	Float Switch and Timer		
WEIGHT	Net weight 71kg/Gross weight 82kg		
PACKAGE	Carton 746mm(W)× 706mm(D)× 922mm(H)		
ACCESSORIES	Scoop, Installation Kit		
OPERATING CONDITIONS	Ambient Temp.: 5 - 40° C, Water Supply Temp.: 5-350 Water Supply Pressure: 0.05-0.8MPa		

[b] FM-170EE-HCN

ITEM	HOSHIZAKI FLAKE ICE MAKER		
MODEL	FM-170EE-HCN (for EU CE marking/EMC,LVD)		
AC SUPPLY VOLTAGE	1 PHASE 220-240V 50Hz		
AMPERAGE	2.8A (AT.32℃, WT.21℃)		
STARTING AMPERAGE	13A		
ELECTRIC CONSUMPTION	500W (AT.32c, WT.21c)		
POWER FACTOR	78%		
POWER SUPPLY CAPACITY	Min. 0.79KVA (3.3A)		
	Approx. 145kg (AT.100, WT.100)		
ICE PRODUCTION PER 24h	Approx. 120kg (AT.21°, WT.15°)		
	Approx. 90kg (AI.32C, WI.21C) Approx. 0.145 m^3 (AT.10c, WT.10c)		
WATER CONSUMPTION PER 24h	Approx. $0.120m^{3}(AT.21c, WT.15c)$		
	Approx. 0.090m ³ (AT.32°, WT.21°)		
SHAPE OF ICE	Nugget		
MAX STORAGE CAPACITY	Approx. 32kg – Leveled (Bin Control Setting Approx. 27kg)		
DIMENSIONS	640mm(W)×600mm(D)×800(798–833)mm(H)		
EXTERIOR	Stainless Steel, Galvanized Steel (Rear)		
INSULATION	Polyurethane Foam		
CONNECTIONS-ELECTRIC	Y-Type Con. (with EU. Plug)		
CONNECTIONS-WATER SUPPLY	Inlet G3/4 (connected at rear side)		
CONNECTIONS-DRAIN	Outlet R3/4 (connected at rear side)		
ICE MAKING SYSTEM	Auger type		
HARVESTING SYSTEM	Direct driven Auger (80 W Gear Motor)		
COMPRESSOR	Hermetic		
CONDENSER	Fin and Tube type, Air—cooled		
HEAT REJECTION	1240W		
EVAPORATOR	Copper Tube on Cylinder		
REFRIGERANT CONTROL	Expansion Valve		
REFRIGERANT CHARGE	R290		
BIN CONTROL SYSTEM	Mechanical Bin Control (or Actuator and Reed Switch) (Time Delay Controlled)		
ICE MAKING WATER CONTROL	Float Switch and Water Valve		
ELECTRICAL PROTECTION	Class I Appliance, 6A Circuit breaker		
COMPRESSOR PROTECTION	Auto-reset Overload Protector Auto-reset Pressure Switch		
	Manual-reset Circuit Breaker		
Auto-reset Thermal Protector			
LOW WATER PROTECTION	Float Switch and Timer		
WEIGHT	Net weight 71kg/Gross weight 82kg		
PACKAGE	Carton 746mm(W)× 706mm(D)× 922mm(H)		
ACCESSORIES	Scoop, Installation Kit		
OPERATING CONDITIONS	Ambient Temp.: 5 — 40°C, Water Supply Temp.: 5—350 Water Supply Pressure: 0.05—0.8MPa		

[c] FM-170EE-50-HC

ITEM	HOSHIZAKI FLAKE ICE MAKER		
MODEL	FM-170EE-50-HC (for EU CE marking/EMC,LVD)		
AC SUPPLY VOLTAGE	1 PHASE 220-240V 50Hz		
AMPERAGE	2.8A (AT.32℃, WT.21℃)		
STARTING AMPERAGE	13A		
ELECTRIC CONSUMPTION	495W (AT.32C, WT.21C)		
POWER FACTOR	77%		
POWER SUPPLY CAPACITY	Min. 0.79KVA (3.3A)		
	Approx. 165kg (AT.10°, WT.10°)		
ICE PRODUCTION PER 24h	Approx. 135kg (AT.21°, WT.15°)		
	Approx. 100kg (AT.32°, WT.21°)		
WATER CONSIMPTION PER 245	Approx. 0.165m (AI.100, WI.100) Approx. 0.135m ³ (AI.21c, WI.15c)		
	Approx. 0.100m ³ (AT.32°, WT.21°)		
SHAPE OF ICE	Flake		
MAX STORAGE CAPACITY	Approx. 57kg – Leveled (Bin Control Setting Approx. 41kg)		
DIMENSIONS	940mm(W)×600mm(D)×800(798-833)mm(H)		
EXTERIOR	Stainless Steel, Galvanized Steel (Rear)		
INSULATION	Polyurethane Foam		
CONNECTIONS-ELECTRIC	Y-Type Con. (with EU. Plug)		
CONNECTIONS-WATER SUPPLY	Inlet G3/4 (connected at rear side)		
CONNECTIONS-DRAIN	Outlet R3/4 (connected at rear side)		
ICE MAKING SYSTEM	Auger type		
HARVESTING SYSTEM	Direct driven Auger (80 W Gear Motor)		
COMPRESSOR	Hermetic		
CONDENSER	Fin and Tube type, Air—cooled		
HEAT REJECTION	1240W		
EVAPORATOR	Copper Tube on Cylinder		
REFRIGERANT CONTROL	Expansion Valve		
REFRIGERANT CHARGE	R290		
BIN CONTROL SYSTEM	Mechanical Bin Control (or Actuator and Reed Switch) (Time Delay Controlled)		
ICE MAKING WATER CONTROL	Float Switch and Water Valve		
ELECTRICAL PROTECTION	Class I Appliance, 6A Circuit breaker		
COMPRESSOR PROTECTION	Auto-reset Overload Protector Auto-reset Pressure Switch		
	Manual-reset Circuit Breaker		
GEAN MUTUR PROTECTION	Auto-reset Thermal Protector		
LOW WATER PROTECTION	Float Switch and Timer		
WEIGHT	Net weight 81kg/Gross weight 94kg		
PACKAGE	Carton 1046mm(W)×706mm(D)×922mm(H)		
ACCESSORIES	Scoop, Installation Kit		
OPERATING CONDITIONS	Ambient Temp.: 5 - 40° C, Water Supply Temp.: 5-35° Water Supply Pressure: 0.05-0.8MPa		

[d] FM-170EE-50-HCN

ITEM	HOSHIZAKI FLAKE ICE MAKER		
MODEL	FM-170EE-50-HCN (for EU CE marking/EMC,LVD)		
AC SUPPLY VOLTAGE	1 PHASE 220-240V 50Hz		
AMPERAGE	2.8A (AT.32℃, WT.21℃)		
STARTING AMPERAGE	13A		
ELECTRIC CONSUMPTION	500W (AT.32c, WT.21c)		
POWER FACTOR	78%		
POWER SUPPLY CAPACITY	Min. 0.79KVA (3.3A)		
	Approx. 145kg (AT.10°, WT.10°)		
ICE PRODUCTION PER 24h	Approx. 120kg (AT.21°, WT.15°)		
	Approx. 90kg (AI.32C, WI.2TC) Approx. 0.145 m^3 (AT.10c, WT.10c)		
WATER CONSUMPTION PER 24h	Approx. 0.120m ³ (AT.21°, WT.15°)		
	Approx. 0.090m ³ (AT.32°, WT.21°)		
SHAPE OF ICE	Flake		
MAX STORAGE CAPACITY	Approx. 57kg – Leveled (Bin Control Setting Approx. 41kg)		
DIMENSIONS	940mm(W)×600mm(D)×800(798-833)mm(H)		
EXTERIOR	Stainless Steel, Galvanized Steel (Rear)		
INSULATION	Polyurethane Foam		
CONNECTIONS-ELECTRIC	Y-Type Con. (with EU. Plug)		
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ICE MAKING SYSTEM	Auger type		
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CONDENSER	Fin and Tube type, Air—cooled		
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REFRIGERANT CONTROL	Expansion Valve		
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ICE MAKING WATER CONTROL	Float Switch and Water Valve		
ELECTRICAL PROTECTION	Class I Appliance, 6A Circuit breaker		
COMPRESSOR PROTECTION	Auto-reset Overload Protector Auto-reset Pressure Switch		
GEAR MOTOR PROTECTION	Manual-reset Circuit Breaker		
	Auto-reset Thermal Protector		
	Net weight 81kg/Cross weight 04kg		
	Carton 1046mm(W)x 706mm(D)x 022mm(U)		
ACCESSODIES	Second Installation Vit		
AUUESSURIES	Ambient Temp : 5 - 40°: Water Supply Temp : 5-35°		
OPERATING CONDITIONS	Water Supply Pressure: 0.05–0.8MPa		

II. GENERAL INFORMATION

1. CONSTRUCTION

Fan Motor -

Self-contained flaker models FM-170EE-HC, FM-170EE-HCN, FM-170EE-50-HC and FM-170EE-50-HCN include Water Supply, Evaporator, Condensing and Control Assemblies.



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ICE MAKING UNIT [FM-170EE-HC, FM-170EE-50-HC]



ICE MAKING UNIT [FM-170EE-HCN, FM-170EE-50-HCN]



2. OPERATION - How it works

Potable water flows from the external supply tap and enters the water inlet on the machine, passes through an electrically operated Water Valve before flowing into the Reservoir Tank. From the Tank, water flows by gravity into the bottom of the Evaporator to completely surround the Auger and fill the Evaporator with water to the same level as in the Reservoir Tank.

Water leakage at the bottom of the Evaporator is prevented by the use of a mechanical seal.

The Evaporator serves to change the water into ice by using a heat exchange process in conjunction with the Compressor/Condenser assembly.

As water is used and turned into ice, the level in the Evaporator and the Reservoir Tank will fall. At a pre-determined level, a dual action Float Switch fitted to the Reservoir Tank electrically commands the Water Valve to open and refill the Tank. This system functions therefore to maintain a constant water level inside the Evaporator assembly.

The Auger, which is located inside the Evaporator is driven by an external Gear Motor assembly. The rotating Auger carries the ice upwards where it is pressed against the Extruding Head at the top of the Evaporator to remove excess water, before finally being extruded and broken into irregular shapes and sizes of ice by the Flake/Nugget Cutter or into cubelet ice.

The continuous flow of ice is then pushed into the Ice Spout and falls by gravity into the Storage Bin below.

Moving the Operation Switch, located on the Control Box, to the "ON" position starts an automatic and continuous icemaking process. When the Storage Bin has filled with ice, the Bin Control Switch, located at the top of the Storage Bin, stops the icemaking process. When ice is removed from the Storage Bin, the Bin Control Switch will automatically reset and restart the icemaking process.

3. TIMER BOARD

[a] SOLID-STATE CONTROL

- 1) An exclusive HOSHIZAKI solid-state control is employed.
- 2) A Printed Circuit Board (hereafter called "Timer Board") includes a stable and highquality control system.
- 3) No adjustment is required.

[b] TIMER BOARD

- CAUTION -

- 1. Fragile, handle very carefully.
- 2. A timer board contains CMOS (Complementary Metal-Oxide Semiconductor) integrated circuits, which are susceptible to failure due to static discharge. It is especially important to either wear an anti-static wrist strap or touch a metal part of the machine before servicing to be static free.
- 3. Do not touch the electronic devices on either side of the board to prevent damage.
- 4. Do not change wiring and connections. Especially, never misconnect terminals.
- 5. Do not repair the electronic devices or parts on the board in the field. Always replace the whole board assembly when it fails.

The icemaker is controlled by the Timer Board for the following purposes:

- 1) To prevent the Gear Motor and the Compressor from starting or stopping simultaneously.
- 2) To reduce ice remaining in the Evaporator.
- 3) To protect the unit in case of low water and low water pressure.
- 4) To protect the unit from short cycling if the Bin Control resets quickly.









Fig. 2



PART CODE	437305-02	
MODEL	H2AA144C02	
RATING	24 VAC 50/60Hz	
T1	60 ± 15 sec.	
T2	90 ± 22 sec.	
T3	150 ± 45 sec.	
T4	Max. 1 sec.	
T5	Max. 0.25 sec.	
T6	Max. 1 sec.	

Fig. 3

Note: "T" (time) functions of the Timer Board are non-adjustable.

Functions of Terminals

1) Terminals 1, 2

Power supply AC 24V.

2) Terminals 3, 4

Control X1 (GM) and X2 (CM) Relays. When closed, energize X1 (GM) in 1 sec. and X2 (CM) in 60 sec. When opened, de-energize X1 (GM) in 150 sec. and X2 (CM) in 90 sec.

3) Terminals 5, 6

Control X1 (GM) and X2 (CM) Relays. When opened, de-energize X1 (GM) and X2 (CM) immediately. When closed, energize X1 (GM) in 1 sec. and X2 (CM) in 60 sec.

4) Terminals 7, 8, 9

X1 (GM) contacts. 8 is a movable contact, 7 is a make contact, and 9 is a break contact.

5) Terminals 10, 11

Control X2 (CM) Relay. When opened, de-energize X2 (CM) immediately. When closed, energize X2 (CM) immediately.

- Note: 1.X2 Relay is a single pole, normally open relay, and its terminals are mounted on the relay itself.
 - 2. The above operation times are median. See Fig. 3 for details.
 - 3. GM = Gear Motor CM = Compressor

III. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

WARNING ·

The installation must be carried out by qualified personnel, in accordance with current regulations, according to the manufacturer's instructions.

1. UNPACKING





- 1) After removing the packaging, make sure that the icemaker is in good condition. If in doubt, please do not use the equipment.
- 2) Remove the shipping tape holding the Door and Front Panel.

3) Open the Door, take out the package containing accessories, and check the contents: a) Installation Kit

a) motaliation Mit	
Inlet Hose	1
Outlet Hose	1
Adjustable Leg	4
b) Scoop	1

- 4) Remove the Front Panel (Left) and Top Panel. See Fig. 5.
- 5) Remove the protective plastic film from the panels. If the icemaker is exposed to the sun or to heat, remove the film after the icemaker cools.



Fig. 5

2. LOCATION

WARNING -

- This icemaker is not intended for outdoor use. Normal operating ambient temperature should be within 5°C to 40°C. Normal operating water temperature should be within 5°C to 35°C. Operation of the icemaker, for extended periods, outside of these normal temperature ranges may affect production capacity.
- 2. The icemaker should not be located next to ovens, grills or other high heat producing equipment.
- 3. The location should provide a firm and level foundation for the equipment.

- 4. Allow 15 cm clearance at rear, sides and top for proper air circulation and ease of maintenance and/or service should they be required.
- 5. This appliance is not suitable for installation in an area where a water jet could be used and where dripping is not allowed.
- 6. Do not place anything on top of the icemaker or in front of the Louver.
- 7. This icemaker will not work at subfreezing temperatures. To prevent damage to the water supply line, drain the icemaker when air temperature is below zero (see "II. 2. PREPARING THE ICEMAKER FOR LONG STORAGE" in the instruction manual).
- 8. The noise from this icemaker is 55 dB or less.
- 9. Avoid prolonged exposure of the appliance to direct sunlight.
- 10. This appliance contains flammable refrigerant in its cooling unit; maintenance and recharging must therefore only be carried out by authorized technicians.

3. INSTALLATION

- * Incorrect installation can cause harm to people, animals or things, for which the manufacturer cannot be held responsible.
- 1) Position the icemaker in the selected permanent site.
- 2) Level the icemaker in both the left-to-right and front-to-rear directions by adjusting the legs.

4. ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

- WARNING -

THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED

This icemaker requires an earth that meets the national and local electrical code requirements. To prevent possible severe electrical shock to individuals or extensive damage to equipment, install a proper earth wire to the icemaker. Remove the plug from the mains socket before any maintenance, repairs or cleaning is undertaken.

* This appliance requires a separate 220 - 240VAC, 13A supply. The electrical supply must be protected by a suitable circuit breaker.

- * The main control box fuse is rated at 6A and should only be replaced by a qualified service engineer.
- * Usually an electrical permit and services of a licensed electrician are required.
- * If the supply cord and the plug should need to be replaced, it should only be done by a qualified service engineer.

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* The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

Green & Yellow = Earth Blue = Neutral Brown = Live

As the colours of the wire in the mains lead of this appliance may not correspond with the coloured markings identifying the terminals in your plug, proceed as follows:

The wire which is coloured Green-and-Yellow must be connected to the terminal in the plug which is marked with the letter E or by the symbol \perp or coloured Green or Green-and-Yellow. The wire which is coloured Blue must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter N or coloured Black. The wire which is coloured Brown must be connected to the terminal which is marked with the letter L or coloured Red.

* Should the socket outlets in the installation site not be suitable for the plug supplied with your product, the plug must be removed (cut off if it is moulded on plug) and an appropriate plug fitted.

If the non-rewirable plug has been cut from the power supply cord, it must be disposed of. There should be no attempt to reuse it. Inserting such a plug into a socket elsewhere presents a serious risk of electrical shock.

* The non-rewirable plug must never be used without a fuse cover being fitted.

The correct replacement for the detachable fuse cover is identifiable from the manufacturer's reference number stamped on the plug.

Supply of replacement fuse covers can be obtained from Hoshizaki Parts/Service Centres.

Fuses should be rated at 13A and approved to BS 1362.

5. WATER SUPPLY AND DRAIN CONNECTIONS

- * The connections to the mains water supply must be made in accordance with the countries' current requirements of the Water Supply or Water Fittings Regulations.
- * Only potable water should be used for the icemaker.
- * Water supply pressure should be minimum 0.5 bar and maximum 8 bar. If the pressure exceeds 8 bar, use a proper pressure reducing valve. Do <u>NOT</u> throttle back the supply tap.
- * A plumbing permit and services of a licensed plumber may be required in some areas.
- * The icemaker drain is gravity flow, so ensure drain pipe has an adequate pitch or fall.
- * Water should drain into an open trap.
- 1) Attach angled end of white flexible inlet hose (accessory) to the G3/4 fitting at the top rear of the icemaker as indicated, ensuring rubber sealing washer is correctly positioned. Hand tighten sufficiently to provide leak free joint.
- 2)Attach the other end of inlet hose to the water tap, noting washer is correctly positioned before hand tightening as above.
- 3)Attach grey flexible outlet hose (accessory) to the R3/4 fitting at the bottom rear of the icemaker as indicated, confirming fitment of rubber washer before finally hand tightening the joint. This pipe can be cut to length as necessary to suit position of main drain.



Fig. 6



IV. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- WARNING -

- 1. This icemaker is designed to produce and store edible ice. To keep the icemaker hygienic:
 - * Wash your hands before removing ice. Use the Plastic Scoop provided (accessory).
 - * The Storage Bin is for ice use only. Do not store anything else in the Bin.
 - * Clean the Storage Bin before use (see "V. 1. PERIODICAL CLEANING").
 - * Keep the Scoop clean. Clean it by using a neutral cleaner and rinse thoroughly.

* Close the Door after removing ice to prevent entrance of dirt, dust or insects into the Storage Bin.

- 2. The use of any electrical equipment involves the observance of some fundamental rules. In particular:
 - * Instances of high humidity and moisture increase the risk of electrical short circuits and potential electrical shocks. If in doubt, disconnect the icemaker.
 - * Do not damage the power cord or pull it in order to disconnect the icemaker from the feed network.
 - * Use the attachment plug as the main power disconnect switch for the icemaker.
 - * Appliance must be positioned so that the plug is accessible.
 - * Do not touch the attachment plug and other electrical parts or operate the Operation Switch with damp hands.
 - * This appliance is not suitable for unsupervised use by young children or aged or infirm persons.
 - * Do not attempt to modify the icemaker. Only qualified personnel may disassemble or repair the appliance.
- 3. All parts are factory-adjusted. Improper adjustments may result in failure.
- 4. If the unit is turned off, wait for at least 3 minutes before restarting the icemaker to prevent damage to the Compressor.

1. START UP

- 1) Check that the power supply cord is disconnected.
- 2) With the Front Panel (Left) removed, check that the Operation Switch on the Control Box is turned on.



Fig. 8

Fig. 9

- 3) Replace the Front Panel (Left) and Top Panel in their correct position.
- 4) Open the water supply tap.
- 5) Connect the power supply and energise.
- 6) The following should occur in sequence:
 - a) Water Reservoir will fill.
 - b) Gear Motor will start.
 - c) Compressor will start.

IMPORTANT

- 1. Check the conditions and quality of the ice production.
- 2. Do not use ice produced in the trial run. It might be contaminated with foreign matter in the water circuit. Discard or flush down the drain.

3. Clean the Storage Bin before use (see "V. 1. PERIODICAL CLEANING").

2. PREPARING THE ICEMAKER FOR LONG STORAGE

WARNING ·

When shutting off the icemaker for an extended time, drain out all water from the water line and remove ice from the Storage Bin. The Storage Bin should be cleaned and dried. Drain the icemaker to prevent damage to the water supply line at sub-freezing temperatures. Shut off the icemaker until the proper ambient temperature is resumed.

1) Close the water supply tap.

- 2) Run the icemaker (for about 10 minutes) until the Compressor and the Gear Motor stop automatically.
- 3) Unplug the icemaker and remove the Front Panel (Left).
- 4) Remove the Inlet Hose from the water tap, and drain the Hose.
- 5) Unhook the Drain Hose (Water Level Gauge).
- 6) Drain water, and refit the Drain Hose, the Inlet Hose and the Front Panel in their correct position.
- 7) Remove all ice from the Storage Bin. Clean and dry the Bin.

V. MAINTENANCE

- WARNING -

- 1. Before carrying out any cleaning or maintenance operations, unplug the icemaker from the electrical supply network.
- 2. A trained service person should check and clean the Condenser at least once a year.
- 3. This appliance must not be cleaned by use of a water jet.
- 4. To prevent possible damage, do not clean the plastic parts with water above 40°C or in a dishwasher.

1. PERIODICAL CLEANING

[1] Exterior

Wipe the exterior at least once per week with a clean, soft cloth. Use a damp cloth containing a neutral cleaner to wipe off grease or dirt.

[2] Storage Bin Interior Cleaning/Sanitisation (as required)

- 1) Open the Storage Bin Door, and remove all ice.
- 2) Remove the Drain Cap located in the base of the Storage Bin.
- 3) Wash the Bin Liner, Plastic Spill Flap and Drain Cap with a neutral non-abrasive cleaner. Rinse thoroughly.

Note: Take care not to damage the Bin Control Actuator at the top of the Bin.

- 4) Mix 5 litres of water with 18 ml of 5.25% sodium hypochlorite solution in a suitable container or the recommended Hoshizaki sanitiser as directed.
- 5) Soak a clean sponge or cloth with the solution and wipe all the surfaces of the Bin Liner, Plastic Spill Flap and Drain Cap.
- 6) Refit the Drain Cap. Wipe the inside surface of the Bin Door with the solution. Close the Bin Door.
- 7) The remaining solution can be used to sanitise utensils.

Note: Do not wipe dry or rinse after sanitising, but allow to air dry.

[3] Ice Scoop, Bin Door Exterior and Door Handle Cleaning/Sanitisation (Daily)

- 1) Either mix 3 litres of water with 11 ml of 5.25% sodium hypochlorite solution in a suitable container, or the recommended Hoshizaki sanitiser as directed.
- 2) Soak the Scoop in the solution for more than 3 minutes. Rinse thoroughly, and shake to remove surplus liquid.

Note: Using a cloth to dry may re-contaminate.

- 3) Use a neutral cleaner to wash the Storage Bin Door exterior, especially the Handle at the top of the Door. Rinse with a clean cloth and fresh water.
- 4) Soak a clean cloth with the sanitising solution, and wipe the surfaces. Use fresh water and a clean cloth to rinse.

[4] Air Filter

Plastic mesh Air Filters remove dirt or dust from the air, and keep the Condenser from getting clogged. If the Filters get clogged, the icemaker's performance will be reduced. Remove and clean the Air Filter at least twice per month:

- 1) Slide the Air Filter off the Louver.
- 2) Clean the Air Filter by using a vacuum cleaner. When severely clogged, use warm water and a neutral cleaner to wash the Air Filter.
- 3) Rinse and dry the Air Filter thoroughly, and place it in position.



Fig. 10

2. CLEANING OF WATER SYSTEM

 HOSHIZAKI recommends cleaning this unit at least twice a year. More frequent cleaning, however, may be required in some existing water conditions. 	
2. Always wear rubber gloves, eye protectors, apron, etc. for safe handling of the cleaner and sanitiser.	
3. Use the cleaners and sanitisers recommended by Hoshizaki. Contact your local Hoshizaki office for further details. (The instructions below give an example of those recommended cleaners and sanitisers.)	
4. Never mix cleaning and sanitising solutions in an attempt to shorten cleaning time.	
5. Wipe off any splashed or spilt cleaner/sanitiser immediately.	
6. Do not use any ammonia type cleaners on any part of the icemaker.	

<STEP 1>

Dilute the solutions with water as follows:

Cleaning solution: "Nickel-Safe Ice Machine Cleaner" by The Rectorseal Corporation or similar. Prepare approximately 3 L of solution as directed on the container.

Sanitising solution: 30 mL of 5.25% sodium hypochlorite with 7.6 L of water or the Hoshizaki recommended sanitiser as directed on the container.

– IMPORTANT –

For safety and maximum effectiveness, use the solutions immediately after dilution.

<STEP 2>

Use the cleaning solution to remove lime deposits in the water system.

- 1) Unplug the icemaker.
- 2) Close the water supply tap.

- 3) Remove all ice from the Storage Bin to avoid contamination by the cleaner.
- 4) Remove the Front Panel (Left) and the Top Panel.
- 5) Unhook the Drain Hose and drain the water system.
- 6) Refit the Drain Hose in its correct position.
- 7) Remove the Control Water Valve by releasing the Fitting Nut. Do not lose the Packing.
- 8) Remove the Cover of the Reservoir. Remove any loose debris or scale.
- 9) Carefully fill the Reservoir with the solution to the overflow point. If necessary, use a small brush to clean the inside of the Reservoir.
- 10) Refit the Cover of the Reservoir and the Control Water Valve in their correct position.
 - Note: This unit will start immediately the power is turned on when the Reservoir is full.
- 11) Loose fit the Top Panel and refit the Front Panel (Left) in position.
- 12) Allow the icemaker to stand for about 10 minutes, then plug in the icemaker to make ice with the solution until the machine automatically stops.
- 13) Open the water supply tap and allow the machine to continue icemaking for a further 15 minutes. Unplug the icemaker.
- 14) Remove the Front Panel (Left).
- 15) Unhook the Drain Hose and drain the water system.
- 16) Refit the Front Panel (Left) in its correct position.
- 17) Plug in the icemaker to supply water to the Reservoir.
- 18) Unplug the icemaker when the Gear Motor starts.
- 19) Repeat items 14) to 18) at least twice to fully flush the solution.
- 20) Pour warm water into the Storage Bin to melt any ice down the drain.
- Note: 1. If the machine has heavy deposits of scale, repeat the complete cleaning procedure.
 - 2. Do not increase the proportion of cleaning solution to shorten cleaning times, as this may lock the Auger when completing item 12).

<STEP 3>

Note: Sanitising should always be completed after cleaning or alternately as an individual procedure if conditions exist to make it necessary.

Use 2.8 lit. of the sanitizing solution to sanitize the icemaker.

- 21) Close the water supply tap.
- 22) Follow items 4) to 20) to complete sanitisation of the water system.

<STEP 4>

Use the remaining sanitising solution to sanitise removable parts.

- 23) Remove the Front Panel (Left) and lift off the Top Panel.
- 24) Remove the Snap Pin, the Shaft and the Activator (See Fig. 11) from the Bin Control Assembly.
- 25) Remove the Thumbscrews, the Spout and the Spout Packing (See Fig. 11).





1. Shaft

- 2. Activator
- 3. Snap Pin
- 4. Spout
- 5. Thumbscrew
- 6. Spout Packing

Fig. 11

- 26) Immerse these parts in the sanitizing solution for about 15 minutes.
- 27) Rinse these parts thoroughtly with clean water.



- 33) Refit the Mesh into the Valve and the Valve into its correct position.
- 34) Open the water supply tap and check for leaks.
- 35) Refit the Top and Front Panels securely with the screws.
- 36) Plug in the icemaker and make ice for 30 minutes.
- 37) Unplug the icemaker and pour warm water into the Storage Bin to melt the ice.
- 38) Plug in the icemaker and start the automatic icemaking process.

IMPORTANT

- 1. After cleaning, do not use ice made from the sanitizing solution. Be careful not to leave any solution in the Storage Bin.
- 2. Follow carefully any instructions provided with the bottles of cleaning or sanitizing solution.
- 3. Never run the icemaker when the Reservoir is empty.

VI. TECHNICAL INFORMATION

1. WATER CIRCUIT AND REFRIGERANT CIRCUIT



REFRIGERANT CIRCUIT

2. WIRING DIAGRAM



3. TIMING CHART

[a] PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION

When the Operation Switch is moved to the "ON" position, water is supplied through the Control Water Valve. This cycle continues until the Reservoir is full and the Float Switch signals to close the Water Valve. The Gear Motor will then start in 1 second and the Compressor in 60 seconds. This starts the normal icemaking process.

During normal operation, the icemaker will stop only when the Ice Storage Bin is full and the Bin Control activates. This will automatically reset to resume normal operation.





[b] PROTECTORS

1) Pressure Switch

If the Pressure Switch activates, the Gear Motor, Fan Motor and Compressor stop simultaneously in 0.25 sec. When the switch resets at the correct pressure, the icemaker starts the icemaking process in the same way as startup. (See "[a] PRINCIPLE OF OPERATION.")

Although the Pressure Switch will automatically reset, the Compressor will stop for at least 5 minutes for protection in case the head pressure rises to activate the Pressure Switch again. If this happens, the icemaker will start and stop repeatedly without making ice until the cause of head pressure rise is removed.

2) Motor Protector (GM)

When the Protector activates, the Gear Motor, Fan Motor and Compressor stop simultaneously in 0.25 sec. The Protector has to be manually reset. Check and resolve the cause of the Protector tripping before pressing the Reset.





3) Low Water Control

The icemaker will stop when the water level in the Reservoir falls below the lower float level and is not refilled to the upper float level within 90 seconds due to either an interruption in the water supply or low water pressure. When the water reaches the upper float level, the icemaker will automatically resume the icemaking process.



Fig. 15

4. PERFORMANCE DATA

[a] FM-170EE-HC, FM-170EE-50-HC



[b] FM-170EE-HCN, FM-170EE-50-HCN



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VII. SERVICE DIAGNOSIS

1. NO ICE PRODUCTION

PROBLEM	CHECK	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
[1] The icemaker	a) Power Supply	1. OFF position.	1. Move to ON position.
will not start.	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	2. Loose connections.	2. Tighten.
		3. Bad contacts.	3. Check for continuity and replace.
		4. Blown fuse.	4. Replace.
		5. Unplugged.	5. Plug in.
	b) Circuit Breaker	1. OFF position.	1. Move to ON position.
	(Control Box)	2. Bad contacts.	2. Check for continuity and replace.
	c) Transformer Receptacle (on upper part of Control Box)	1. Disconnected.	1. Connect.
	d) Transformer	1. Coil winding opened.	1. Replace.
	e) Water Valve	1. Coil winding opened.	1. Replace.
		2. Strainer clogged.	2. Clean.
	f) Water Supply Tap	1. Closed.	1. Open.
		2. Water failure.	2. Wait till water is supplied.
	g) Plug and	1. Disconnected.	1. Connect.
	Receptacle (Control Box)	2. Terminal out of Plug or Receptacle.	2. Insert Terminal back in position.
	h) Bin Control	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
		2. Activator does not move freely.	2. Clean Axle and its corresponding holes or replace Bin Control.
	i) Protection Switch	1. Bin Control defective.	1. Check Bin Control and replace.
		2. Switch turned on.	2. Check Protection Switch.
[2] Water does not	a) Water Control	1. Contacts fused.	1. Replace.
stop, and the	Relay	2. Coil winding opened.	2. Replace.
icemaker will not start.	b) Float Switch	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
		2. Float does not move freely.	2. Clean or replace.
	c) Hoses	1. Disconnected.	1. Connect.
[3] Water has been supplied,	a) Water Control Relay	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
but the icemaker will not start.	b) Gear Motor Protector	1. Tripped.	1. Find the cause, resolve it, and press Reset Button on Motor Protector.
	c) Gear Motor Relay	1. Coil winding opened.	1. Replace.
	(Control Timer)	2. Bad contacts.	2. Check for continuity and replace.
	d) Control Timer (Printed Circuit Board)	1. Broken.	1. Replace.

PROBLEM	CHECK	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
[3] (Continued)	e) Gear Motor	1. Coil winding opened.	1. Replace.
	Protect Relay	2. Bad contacts.	2. Check for continuity and
			replace.
	f) Pressure Switch	1. Dirty Air Filter or	1. Clean.
		Condenser.	
		2. Ambient temperature	2. Check for recommended
		too warm.	temperature.
		3. Fan not rotating.	<u>3. See 3 - [1] - a).</u>
		4. Refrigerant overcharged.	4. Recharge.
		5. Refrigerant line or	5. Clean and replace Drier.
		components plugged.	
		6. Bad contacts.	6. Check for continuity and replace.
		7. Loose connections.	7. Tighten.
[4] Gear Motor	a) X2 Relay on	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and
starts, but	Control Timer		replace.
Compressor		2. Coil winding opened.	2. Replace Timer.
will not start or operates	b) Starter	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
intermittently.		2. Coil winding opened.	2. Replace.
		3. Loose connections.	3. Tighten.
	c) Start Capacitor or Run Capacitor	1. Defective.	1. Replace.
	d) Compressor	1. Loose connections.	1. Tighten.
		2. Motor winding opened	2. Replace.
		or earthed.	
		3. Motor Protector	3. Find out the cause of
		tripped.	overheat or overcurrent.
	e) Power Supply	1. Circuit Ampacity too	1. Install a larger-sized
		low.	conductor.
[5] Gear Motor and Compressor start, but no ice is produced.	a) Refrigerant Line	1. Gas leaks.	1. Check for leaks with a leak detector. Reweld leak, replace Drier and charge with refrigerant. The amount of refrigerant is marked on Nameplate or Label.
		2. Refrigerant line clogged.	2. Replace the clogged component.

2. LOW ICE PRODUCTION

PROBLEM	CHECK	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
[1] Low ice	a) Refrigerant Line	1. Gas leaks.	1. See 1 - [5] - a).
production.		2. Refrigerant line	2. Replace the clogged
		clogged.	component.
		3. Overcharged.	3. Recharge.
	b) High-side	1. Dirty Air Filter or	1. Clean.
	Pressure Too	Condenser.	
	High	2. Ambient temperature	2. Check for recommended
		too warm.	temperature.
		3. Fan rotating too slow.	3. See 3 - [1] - a).
		4. Bad ventilation.	4. Remove anything blocking vents.
	c) Expansion Valve (not adjustable)	1. Low-side pressure too low.	1. Replace.
		2. Low-side pressure too	2. See if Expansion Valve
		high.	Bulb is mounted properly,
			and replace the valve if
			necessary.

3. OTHERS

PROBLEM	CHECK	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
[1] Abnormal	a) Fan Motor	1. Bearing worn out.	1. Replace.
noise		2. Fan blade deformed.	2. Replace fan blade.
		3. Fan blade does not	3. Replace.
		move freely.	
	b) Compressor	1. Bearings worn out, or cylinder valve broken.	1. Replace.
		 Mounting pad out of position. 	2. Reinstall.
	c) Refrigerant Lines	1. Rub or touch lines or other surfaces.	1. Reset or secure pipes.
	d) Gear Motor	1. Bearing or Gear wear/damage.	1. Replace.
	e) Evaporator	1. Too much pressure loss.	1. Replace.
		2. Scale on inside wall of Freezing Cylinder.	 Remove Auger. Use a solution of lime removing cleaner to clean periodically. If water is found to surpass the following levels, install a conditioner. Hardness 50 ppm Silica 30 ppm
		3. Water does not flow from Reservoir into Evaporator (air staying	3. Straighten bent hose.
		in Evaporator).	

PROBLEM	CHECK	POSSIBLE CAUSE	REMEDY
[2] Overflow from Reservoir	a) Water Supply	1. Water pressure too high.	1. Install a Pressure Reducing Valve.
(Water does not stop.)	b) Water Valve	1. Diaphragm does not close.	1. Clean or replace.
	c) Float Switch	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
	d) Water Control Relay	1. Bad contacts.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
		2. Coil winding opened.	2. Replace.
[3] Gear Motor Protector operates	a) Power Supply Voltage	1. Too high or too low.	1. Connect the unit to a power supply of proper voltage.
frequently.	b) Evaporator Assy	1. Bearings or Auger worn out.	1. Replace Bearing or Auger.
	c) Bin Control	1. Activator does not move freely.	1. Clean Axle and its corresponding holes or replace Bin Control.
[4] Icemaker does not stop even if	a) Bin Control	1. Contacts fused.	1. Check for continuity and replace.
Bin is full of ice.		2. Activator does not move freely.	2. Clean Axle and its corresponding holes or replace Bin Control.
[5] Water leaks at	a) Mechanical Seal	1. Worn out.	1. Replace.
the bottom of Evaporator		2. Bad assembly.	2. Clean and assemble.

VIII. REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF COMPONENTS

1. REFRIGERATION CIRCUIT

· 🏠 WARNING ·

This machine contains flammable refrigerant. Do not attempt to break into the refrigerant circuit unless qualified, competent and authorised to do so.

If any component of the refrigeration circuit requires removal or replacement, please contact the manufacturer:

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[a] APPLICABLE PARTS

Refrigerant (R290) Compressor Evaporator Casing Air-cooled Condenser Air-cooled Condenser Fan Motor Drier Thermal Expansion Valve (with MOP)

[b] SERVICE INSTRUCTIONS

Always restore the original bindings after servicing the refrigeration circuit. Otherwise, vibration may cause overstress and damage to the circuit, resulting in refrigerant leak.

After replacing the Evaporator or Auger, run the icemaker for 30 minutes to produce ice, check for impurities, and discard.

[c] REFRIGERANT

The HFC-free refrigerant is flammable and sealed in the refrigeration system. Although the refrigerant does not leak out under normal usage, take utmost care when handling this icemaker so as not to cause any damages to the system. In the case of accidental damage to the refrigeration system causing refrigerant leak, do not create a source of ignition in the area. Do not operate electrical switches or plugs in the area, do not use naked flame. Immediately ventilate the area by opening doors and/or windows.

[d] COMPRESSOR

The Compressor absorbs the low-pressure refrigerant gas vaporized in the Evaporator (to reduce the pressure inside the Evaporator), compresses the refrigerant into high-temperature high-pressure gas, and sends it out to the Condenser.

The hermetic-type Compressor is efficient in refrigeration, and the refrigeration circuit is designed to endure long hours of operation. The Compressor is mounted on vibration damping rubber to prevent transmission of vibration. In case of accidental overload, the Case Thermostat or Overload Relay will shut down the Compressor. The Reset Button must be pressed to reset the Overload Relay.

[e] EVAPORATOR CASING

The Evaporator Casing is a thin and rigid stainless steel pipe tightly coiled around with a copper tube and solder finished. The refrigerant flows through a very narrow path in the Expansion Valve with a sudden drop of pressure and evaporates by absorbing heat of vaporization from the Evaporator Casing. The water supplied inside the Evaporator Casing is deprived of heat and forms ice film which will be scraped and moved up by the Auger.

[f] CONDENSER

The Condenser refrigerates and liquefies the high-temperature high-pressure refrigerant gas discharged from the Compressor into high-pressure liquid refrigerant. The Condenser is air-cooled.

A dirty Condenser will significantly reduce the refrigeration efficiency and performance, and will also shorten the service life of the components (especially refrigeration circuit). The frequency of cleaning depends on the installation conditions.

a) Air-cooled Condenser (Spiral tube type)

A copper tube is attached on a spiral aluminum plate with high heat conductivity to promote heat radiation, and a Fan Motor is also provided for forced air cooling. Use a vacuum cleaner or brush to remove dirt and dust between the spiral fins. Be careful not to bend the fins.

[g] CONDENSER COOLING FAN MOTOR

The Fan Motor cools the Air-cooled Condenser and sends air to condense refrigerant gas inside the Condenser.

[h] DRIER

The Drier uses desiccants (molecular sieves + activated alumina) to absorb moisture in the refrigeration circuit. The built-in filter also corrects foreign matter in the refrigeration

circuit to prevent troubles with valves clogged with dirt or moisture.

[i] THERMOSTATIC EXPANSION VALVE

The Expansion Valve throttles high-pressure liquid refrigerant into low-temperature low-pressure state by adiabatic expansion and maintains the proper amount of refrigerant supply depending on the Evaporator load. The Thermostatic Expansion Valve controls the valve position to regulate the superheat (difference between evaporating temperature and suction gas temperature). No superheat control is available from outside.

To check the Expansion Valve for proper operation, remove the Bulb while the Compressor is running. If the suction pressure rises, the Expansion Valve is working normally.

Note: Do not leave the Bulb removed for a long time while the Compressor is running. The Compressor may fail due to liquid return.

2. EVAPORATOR ASSEMBLY

🏠 WARNING —

This machine contains flammable refrigerant. Do not attempt to disassemble and service the evaporator assembly unless qualified, competent and authorised to do so.

If any component of the evaporator assembly requires removal or replacement, please contact the manufacturer:

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[a] APPLICABLE PARTS

See Fig. 16.





3. FAN MOTOR

- 1) Unplug the icemaker.
- 2) Remove the Top Panel, the Front Panel (Left) and the Left Side Panel.
- 3) Remove the wire connectors from the Fan Motor leads.
- 4) Remove the Fan Motor Bracket and the Fan Motor.
- 5) Install the new Fan Motor onto the Bracket, and re-fix the Fan Blade.
- 6) Refit the Fan Motor Assembly and the wire connectors.
- 7) Refit the panels in their correct position.
- 8) Plug in the icemaker.

4. FLOAT SWITCH

- 1) Unplug the icemaker.
- 2) Close the water supply tap.
- 3) Remove the Inlet Hose from the water tap, and drain the Hose.
- 4) Remove the Top Panel and the Front Panel (Left).
- 5) Drain the water system using the Drain Hose (Water Level Gauge).
- 6) Disconnect the wire connectors of the Float Switch leads.
- 7) Unfasten the flanged top, turn it and then remove the Float Switch.
- 8) Install the new Float Switch.
- 9) Re-connect the switch leads using new connectors.
- 10) Refit the panels in their correct position.
- 11) Open the water supply tap.
- 12) Plug in the icemaker, and check the Float Switch functions normally.

5. CONTROL WATER VALVE

- 1) Unplug the icemaker.
- 2) Close the water supply tap.
- 3) Remove the Inlet Hose from the water tap, and drain the Hose.
- 4) Remove the Top Panel and the Front Panel (Left).
- 5) Disconnect the Terminals from the Control Water Valve.
- 6) Loosen the Fitting Nut on the Control Water Valve Inlet, and remove the Control Water Valve. Do not lose the Packing inside the Fitting Nut.
- 7) Remove the Reservoir Inlet Cover from the Control Water Valve.
- 8) Install the new Control Water Valve.
- 9) Assemble the removed parts in the reverse order of which they were removed.
- 10) Open the water supply tap.
- 11) Check for water leaks.
- 12) Refit the panels in their correct position.
- 13) Plug in the icemaker.