#### **Recommended Maintenance Schedule**

Stage	Filters Description	6 Months	1 Year	2-4 years	5-7 years
1	5 Micron Sediment Filter Or sediment/GAC Combo Filter	<b>~</b>			
2	Carbon Block Filter(CTO)	<b>✓</b>			

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## **Limited Warranty**

For a period of one year from the date of original purchase, we will replace or repair any part of the countertop water system that we find to be defective in operation due to faulty materials or workmanship with the exception of the replaceable filters and membranes.

Damage to any part of this countertop system because of misuse; misapplication; negligence; alteration; accident; installation; or operation contrary to our instructions, incompatibility with original accessories, or damage caused by freezing, flood, fire, or Act of God, is not covered by this warranty. In all such cases, regular charges will apply. This limited warranty does not include service to diagnose a claimed malfunction in this unit. This warranty is void if the claimer is not the original purchaser of the unit or if the unit is not operated under normal municipal water or well water conditions.

We assume no warranty liability in connection with this Countertop System other than as specified herein. We shall not be liable for consequential damages of any kind of nature due to the use of this product. Our maximum obligation under this warranty shall be limited to a refund of the purchase price or replacement of a product tested to be defective.



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# COUNTERTOP FILTER SYSTEM USER'S MANUAL



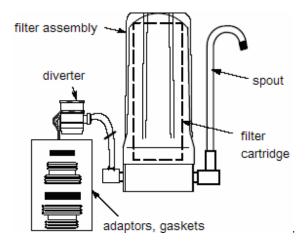
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#### **Parts List**

The Countertop Water Filter consists of the following parts:

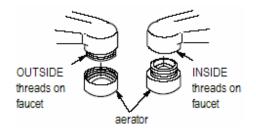
- Filter assembly with water supply tubing and spout;
- 2. Cartridge (s): The cartridge can be 5 μ Sediment Cartridge; Granular Activated Carbon Cartridge; Block Carbon Cartridge; other Special Filter Cartridges; or combo of these cartridges.
- 3. A parts bag containing adaptors and gasket for the diverter valve.



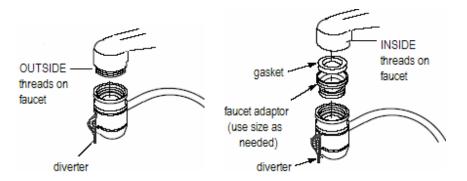
## Installation

 Remove the aerator from the faucet. Usually you can take it off with your fingers. If needed, use pliers. It's a normal "right hand" thread. Remove by turning counterclockwise. Save the aerator. If you move your filter later, you'll need it.

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- 2. Install and tighten the diverter valve as follows.
  - a) For faucet with **External** threads: connect diverter directly to the faucet.
  - b) For faucet with **Internal** threads: use the adaptor and gasket to fit the faucet, and then install diverter and adaptor.



3. Place the filter in the desired location on the countertop.

## **Operation Procedure**

- 1. Open the **COLD** water faucet and adjust to a medium flow.
- Turn the diverter knob to cross position (open) to direct water to the filter.
- 3. Let the filter run for ten minutes to rinse the new cartridge and to drive as much air as possible from the filter. New filters (and old filters with newly replaced cartridges) hold much trapped air. Until the air is expelled (which sometimes takes a couple of days), the filter will not operate normally. You can drink the water, although it may appear cloudy and water may continue to dribble from the spout after the unit is turned off. Both conditions are the result of trapped air and will soon go away.
- 4. When the container is full of filtered water, close the cold water faucet. Then be sure the diverter valve has closed (knob downward).
- 5. Do NOT close the diverter knob while the cold water faucet is open. Always close the faucet first, to prevent damage the diverter.

### \*\* Caution \*\*

- 1. USE COLD WATER ONLY. DO NOT DIRECT HOT WATER INTO THE COUNTERTOP FILTER.
- 2. THE FIRST TIME YOU USE THE FILTER, DISCARD THE FIRST 2-3 GLASSES OF FILTERED WATER.

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