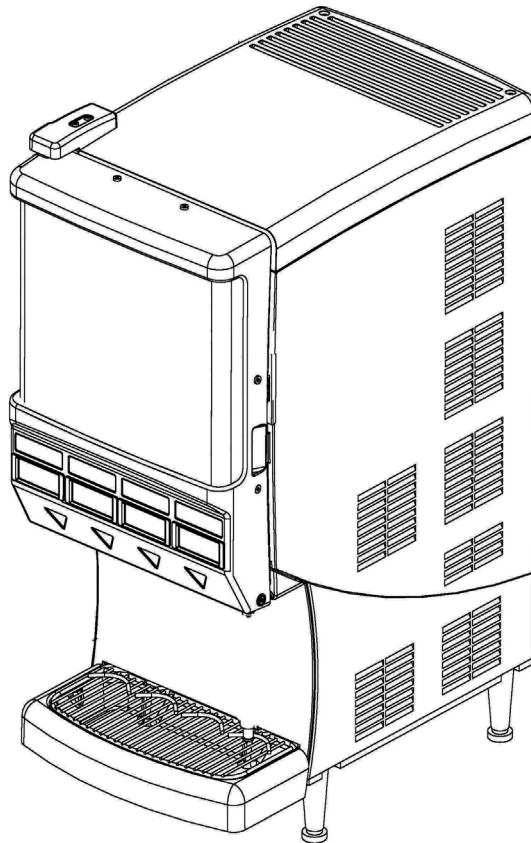




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## INSTALLATION MANUAL



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# SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

## READ AND FOLLOW ALL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

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### Safety Overview

- Read and follow **ALL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS** in this manual and any warning/caution labels on the unit (decals, labels or laminated cards).
- Read and understand ALL applicable OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration) safety regulations before operating this unit.

### Recognition

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#### *Recognize Safety Alerts*



*This is the safety alert symbol. When you see it in this manual or on the unit, be alert to the potential of personal injury or damage to the unit.*

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### Different Types of Alerts

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#### **DANGER:**

Indicates an immediate hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **WILL** result in serious injury, death or equipment damage.

#### **WARNING:**

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **COULD** result in serious injury, death, or equipment damage.

#### **CAUTION:**

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, **MAY** result in minor or moderate injury or equipment damage.

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### SAFETY TIPS

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- Carefully read and follow all safety messages in this manual and safety signs on the unit.
- Keep safety signs in good condition and replace missing or damaged items.
- Learn how to operate the unit and how to use the controls properly.
- **Do not** let anyone operate the unit without proper training. This appliance is **not** intended for use by very young children or infirm persons without supervision. Young children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

- Keep your unit in proper working condition and do not allow unauthorized modifications to the unit.
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## QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSONNEL

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### **WARNING:**

Only trained and certified electrical, plumbing and refrigeration technicians should service this unit. **ALL WIRING AND PLUMBING MUST CONFORM TO NATIONAL AND LOCAL CODES. FAILURE TO COMPLY COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY, DEATH OR EQUIPMENT DAMAGE.**

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## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

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This unit has been specifically designed to provide protection against personal injury. To ensure continued protection, observe the following:



### **WARNING:**

Disconnect power to the unit before servicing following all lock out/tag out procedures established by the user. Verify all of the power is off to the unit before any work is performed.

Failure to disconnect the power could result in serious injury, death or equipment damage.



### **CAUTION:**

Always be sure to keep area around the unit clean and free of clutter. Failure to keep this area clean may result in injury or equipment damage.

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## SHIPPING AND STORAGE

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### **CAUTION:**

Before shipping, storing, or relocating the unit, the unit must be sanitized and all sanitizing solution must be drained from the system. A freezing ambient environment will cause residual sanitizing solution or water remaining inside the unit to freeze resulting in damage to internal components.

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## MOUNTING IN OR ON A COUNTER

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**WARNING:**

When installing the unit in or on a counter top, the counter must be able to support a weight in excess of 189 lbs. (85.7 kg.) to insure adequate support for the unit.

**FAILURE TO COMPLY COULD RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY, DEATH OR EQUIPMENT DAMAGE.**

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# REQUIREMENTS

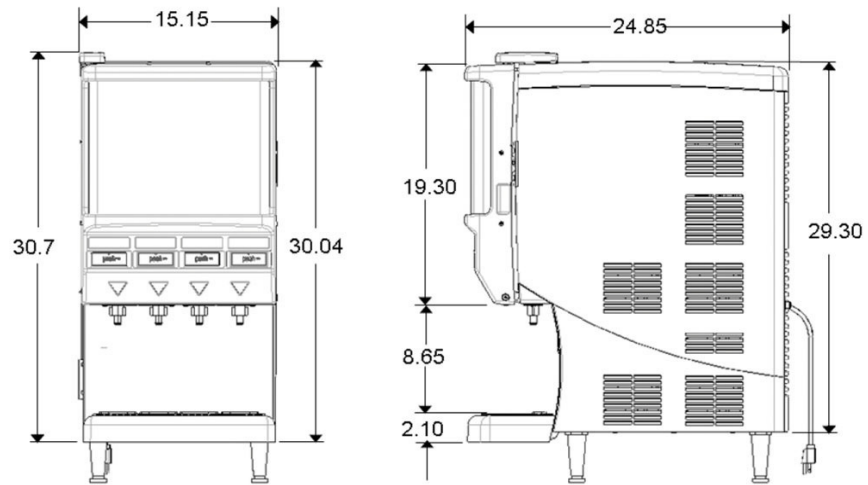


Figure 1. Unit Dimensions

## Nameplate Data

Model QST ELITE 4000, 115 VAC, 5 amps, 1 phase 60 hertz, 6.34 – 6.41 oz. (180-182g) R-134a refrigerant. Test press: High side 400 psi (2757.9 kilopascals), (27.6 bar). Low side 88 psi (606.7 kilopascals), (6.1 bar).

Model Quest ELITE 4000, 230 VAC, 2 amps, 1 phase 50 hertz, 6.34 - 6.41 oz. (180-182g) R-134a refrigerant. Test press: High side 400 psi (2757.9 kilopascals) (27.6 bar). Low side 88 psi (606.7 kilopascals), (6.1 bar).

Model Quest ELITE 4000, 220 VAC, 2 amps, 1 phase 60 hertz, 6.34 - 6.41 oz. (180-182g) R-134a refrigerant. Test press: High side 400 psi (2757.9 kilopascals) (27.6 bar). Low side 88 psi (606.7 kilopascals), (6.1 bar).

## Concentrate Storage

Four 0.8 gallon (3.0 liter) disposable bottles.

**NOTE: Refillable Concentrate reservoirs also available.**





## Recommended Clearance

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12" (30.48 cm) on top and 4" (10.16 cm) required in back for air circulation and 4" at the sides of the unit.

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## Electrical Connection

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6 ft. long (1.83 m) power cord with 3-prong plug attached to dispenser. Export models are shipped with a European plug.



### CAUTION:

Only trained and certified electrical technicians should replace the power cord or the unit should be returned to an Authorized Service Center for power cord replacement." The replacement cord must meet all requirements of the original equipment manufacturer.

**Failure to comply could result in serious injury, death or damage to the equipment.**

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## Power Supply

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15 amps at 120 volts dedicated power supply.  
10 amps at 230 volts dedicated power supply.

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## Water Connection

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3/8 in. (0.95 cm) SAE male flare fitting on dispenser (Figure 2).

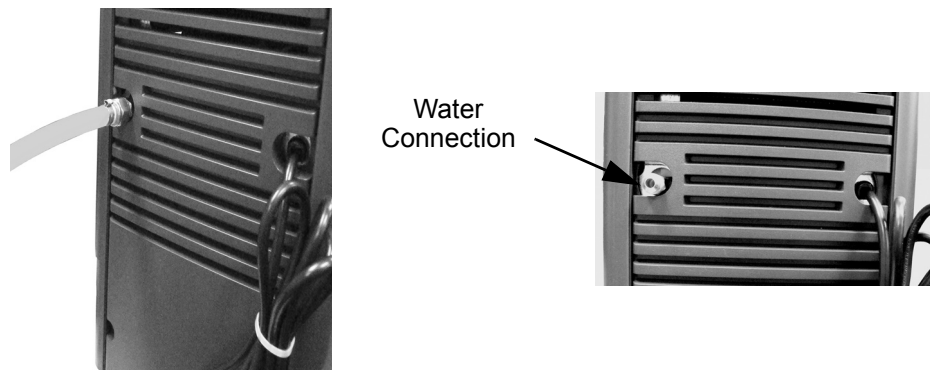


Figure 2. Water Connection

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## Water Supply Requirements

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60 psi (413.7 kilopascals) (4.1 bar) maximum static pressure. 30 psi (206.8 kilopascals) (2.1 bar) minimum dynamic pressure; i.e., flowing pressure measured at dispenser water inlet with 3.0 (88.7 ml) per second water flow. Optimum recommended pressure 50 psi (344.7 kilopascals) (3.5 bar) dynamic pressure.

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## Ice Bank/Pull Down

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Weight 14-16 lbs. (6.35 - 7.25 kg.). Pull Down: 3.5 - 5.5 hours at 75°F (24°C)

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# APPLICATIONS

This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as the following:

- Staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments.
- Farm houses and by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments
- Bed and breakfast type environments
- Catering and similar non-retail applications

## PLUMBING REQUIREMENTS

This dispenser must be connected to a **COLD WATER** system with operating pressure between 30psi minimum and 60 psi maximum (206.8 kilopascals and 413.7 kilopascals). This water source must be capable of producing a minimum flow rate of 3 fluid ounces (88.7 milliliters) per second. A shut off valve should be installed in the line before the dispenser. Install a regulator in the line when pressure is greater than 100 psi (690 kPa) to reduce it to 50 psi (345 kPa). The regulator is also necessary if the water source has pressure fluctuations. The main water inlet is a 3/8" (9.52 mm) MFL connection (Figure 3).

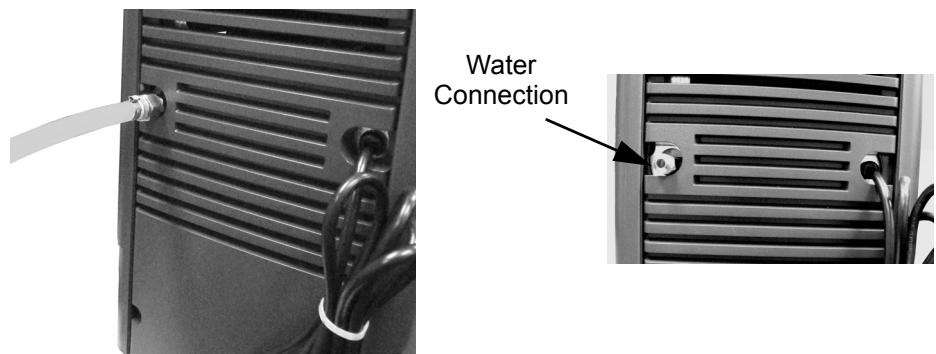


Figure 3. Plumbing Connection

### **WARNING:**

This equipment must be installed to comply with the International Plumbing Code of the International Code Council and the Food Code Manual of the Food and Drug Administration (FDA). For models installed outside the U.S.A., you must comply with the applicable Plumbing/Sanitation Code for your area.

**Failure to comply could result in serious injury, death or damage to the equipment.**

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## RECEIVING

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Each unit is completely tested and inspected before shipment. At the time of shipment, the carrier accepts the unit and any claim for damage must be made with the carrier.

Upon receiving the unit(s) from the carrier, inspect the carton for visible damage. If damage exists, have the carrier make a note on the bill of lading and file a claim with the carrier.

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## UNPACKING

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- Remove staples securing carton to pallet.
- Lift carton up and off of unit.
- Remove inserts and shipping bag.
- Open upper cabinet door and remove installation kit.
- Remove bolts securing unit to pallet.
- Lift unit off of pallet.

**NOTE: Do not lay the unit on it's side or back. This may cause vital oils to drain from the compressor resulting in damage during start-up and consequently voiding the warranty.**

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# COUNTER LOCATION

Select a location in a well ventilated area, close to a grounded electrical outlet. If possible do not place the unit close to hot and/or steaming machines.

## MINIMUM AIRFLOW CLEARANCE

The minimum airflow clearance is: 4" (10.16 cm) in back and 12" (30.48 cm) on top and open to the front.

**⚠ IMPORTANT:**  
Condenser air is drawn in from the bottom of the rear panel and discharged out the top of the rear panel. Failure to maintain clearance space will reduce capacity of the unit and cause premature compressor failure.

The Dispenser needs to be placed using 4inch legs that are included.

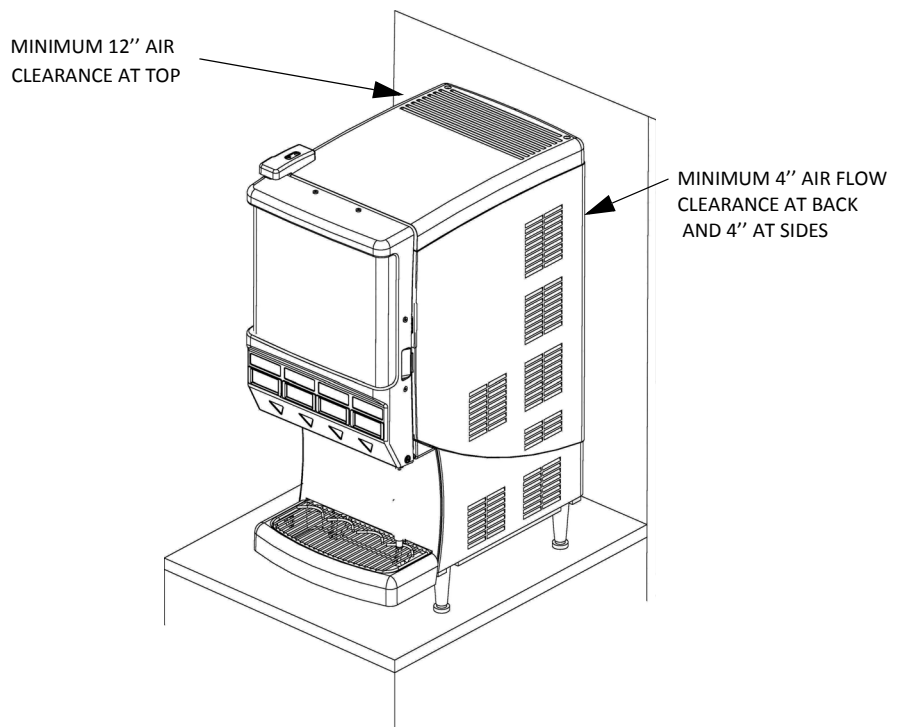


Figure 4. Minimum Clearances

## FILLING THE ICE BATH

The ice bath holds approximately 3.5 gallons (13.4 liters) of water. The fill tube is located behind the front splash plate and capped with a 0.5" plug.

1. Remove the 0.5" plug and attach the tube to any one of the dispense nozzles.
2. Open the door and verify that the flush/dispense lever is in the dispense mode. (see Figure 5) Ice bath must always be filled in the dispense mode.

**NOTE: Non flush units does not have a flush/dispense lever hence for filling water bath on non flush units please remove the concentrate Storage bottles first and then attach the tube to any one of the dispense nozzles and Close the door, press and hold the dispense button (push) until the tank is filled and water trickles from the overflow**

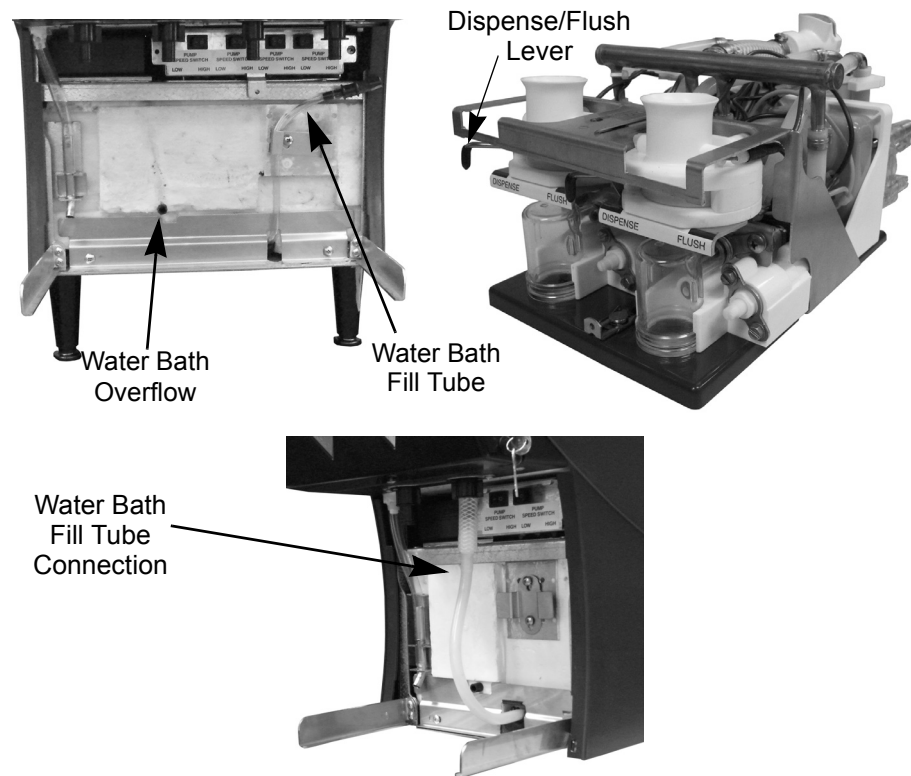


Figure 5. Water Bath and Dispense/Flush Lever

3. Close the door, press and hold the dispense button (push), shown in Figure 6, until the tank is filled and water trickles from the overflow.



**Figure 6. Dispense Buttons**

4. Once the ice bath is full, store the fill tube in the vertically recessed holder. The fill tube can now be used as a “sight glass” to monitor the water level in the ice bath.
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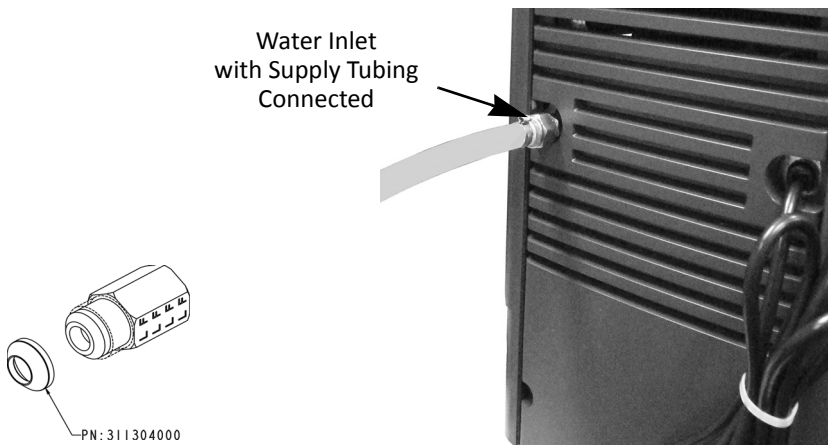
# CONNECTING THE WATER SUPPLY

The Quest Elite series Juice Dispenser is designed to dispense juice at a high flow rate. It is very important that the incoming water line be dedicated for use by the dispenser only and does not have other machines connected which could cause a water surge, (i.e., a dishwasher, coffee maker, etc.).

**⚠ IMPORTANT:**

**The water supply should be consistent with proper water quality standards (neutral pH of 7.0 to 8.0), and should not be connected to a water softener. It is the installer's responsibility to ensure that all water connections to the dispenser are sized, installed with adequate backflow protection and maintained to comply with Federal, State, and Local Laws.**

1. Secure the 3/8" (0.95 cm) swivel nut on the flexible supply tubing to the water inlet located at the rear of the dispenser. Make sure that the flared gasket is used (flared gasket P/N 311304000 is included with the installation kit).



**Figure 7. Water Supply Connection on Rear of Unit**

2. When securing flare nut, use a backup wrench on the male side of the inlet fitting (unit side) to prevent twisting of the copper tube inside the unit and/or possible damage to the water strainer/solenoid. Water shut off outside the unit is recommended.



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# ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

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A minimum of 15 amps electrical service is needed for 120VAC power supply. A minimum of 10 amps electrical service is needed for 230VAC power supply.

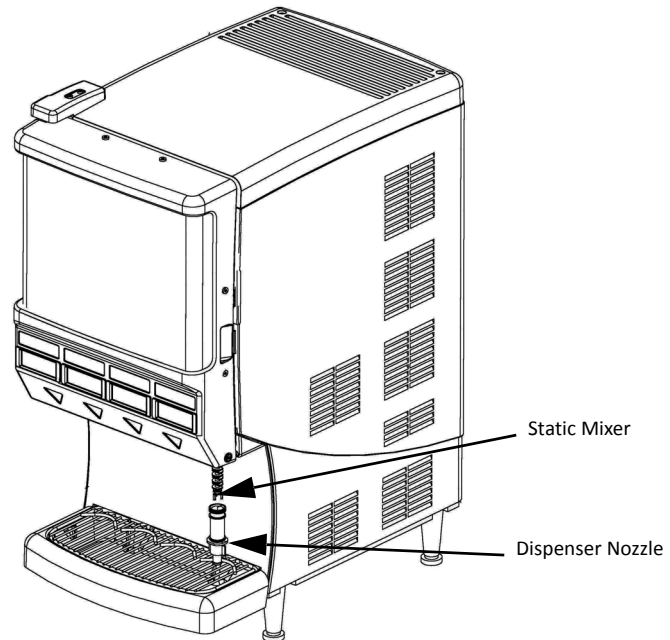
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# PRIMING/FLUSHING WATER SYSTEM

To properly prime the unit with water and remove air pockets in the system, open the cabinet door and make sure that all the valve levers are in the **Dispense** position.

Close the door and press the dispense button for a few seconds. Repeat until a steady flow of water is observed from all dispense valves.

**NOTE: Some splashing may occur during this purge cycle.**



**Figure 8. Dispense Nozzle**

# PROGRAMMING THE PORTION CONTROL

If the dispenser has optional portion controls, they have been pre-programmed from the factory to pour 7, 12, and 16 ounce drinks. The “extra large” (pitcher icon) size has also been pre-programmed to pour 16 ounces.

To change the pour sizes, please perform the procedure described in Table 1.

**Table 1**

Step	Action
1	Simultaneously, press and hold <b>Small</b> and <b>Extra Large</b> buttons on the Portion Control Module until the <b>Refill</b> light starts blinking. Release the buttons. The blinking <b>Refill</b> light indicates the programming mode is active. See Figure 9.
2	Place a cup under the dispense nozzle and push the selected size button (small, medium, large, or extra large). Hold the button in until the cup fills to the desired portion, then release the button. Repeat the procedure for the remaining sizes.
3	After programming all the drink sizes, press and release the <b>Stop</b> button to return the Portion Control to the operational mode. The blinking <b>REFILL</b> light goes off.
4	In the future, to change the portion size of the drinks, the individual sizes can be adjusted by performing Step 2. It is not necessary to reprogram every size. Additionally, the portion control has full memory retention in case of a power failure.



**Figure 9. Control Panel**

## STOP BUTTON

To pour a drink without using a pre-programmed portion control size, simply push and hold the Stop button. Release when the glass is full.





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