

Title (en)  
Refrigerator

Title (de)  
Kühlschrank

Title (fr)  
Réfrigérateur

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Abstract (en)  
A refrigerator (10) is provided. The refrigerator (10) may include a barrier (16) that partitions an interior of the refrigerator (10) into a freezing compartment (32) and a refrigerating compartment (22), a recess (154) formed in the barrier (16) and having a predetermined depth, and a cover (160) for opening or closing a top of the recess (154). A seating step (156) may be formed at a peripheral portion of the recess (154) to receive a peripheral portion of the cover (160) seated thereon. A guide groove (158) may extend from the seating step (156) to guide movement of the cover (160). Storage items may be stored in the recess (154) independently of other food articles.

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