

MODEL

WALL MOUNTED MOUNTED 'COMPACT' WATER COOLERS

- RBA2730-UG-Series** Textured Grey Finish Stainless Steel Water Cooler
- RBA2731-UG-Series** Textured Grey Finish Stainless Steel Water Cooler with Vandal Resistant Button
- RBA2732-UG-Series** Satin Finish Stainless Steel Water Cooler [shown]
- RBA2733-UG-Series** Satin Finish Stainless Steel Water Cooler with Vandal Resistant Button



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This product is to be installed in accordance with the Plumbing Code of Australia (NCC Vol. 3) and AS/NZS3500 as well as any other applicable requirements subject to the jurisdiction under which the product may be installed. Please read the entirety of this booklet before commencing installation. Please leave this booklet with the owner of the fixture when finished.

Components Supplied

- Water cooler assembly
- S-clip
- Maintenance key

Components Supplied by Others

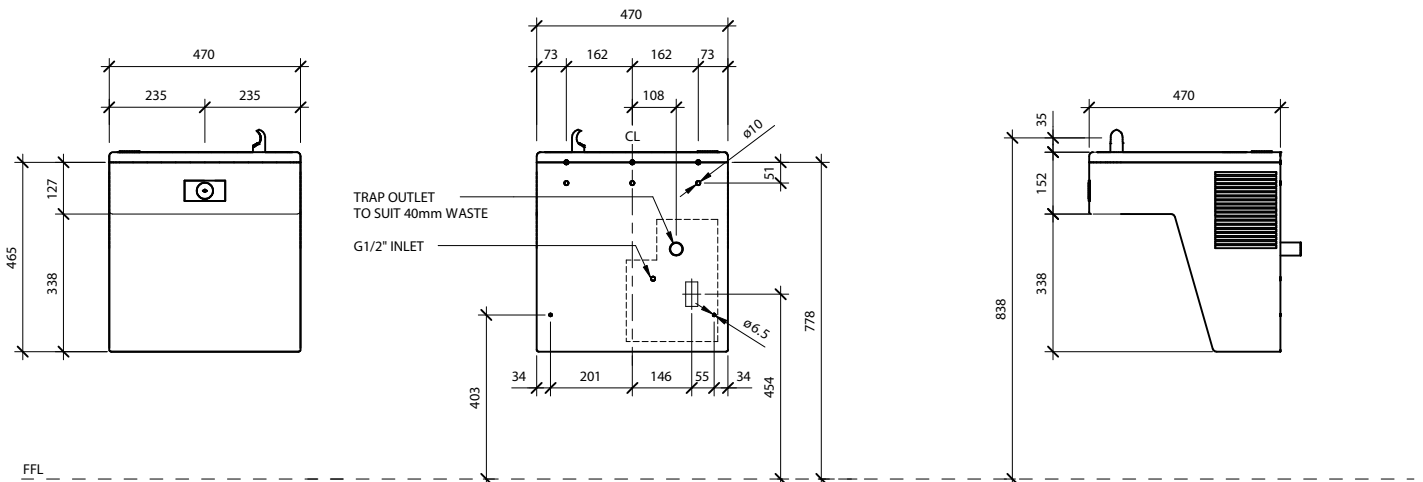
- 40mm Trap
- Stop valve
- Electrical outlet
- Mounting fixings

Hydraulic Requirements

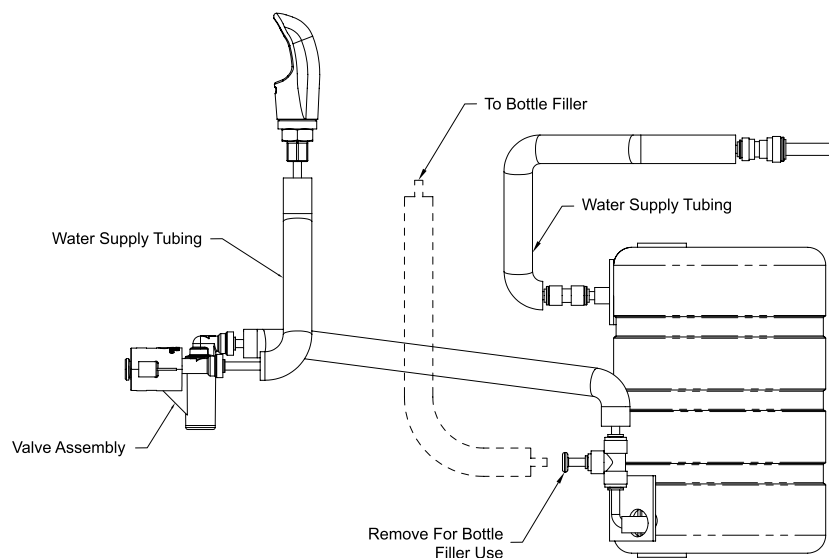
Operating pressure: 200 - 500kPa
 Inlet: 1/2" BSP
 Outlet: 40mm BSP Waste
 Water Temp: 4° - 30°

Provide 102mm minimum clear space on fixture sides to allow for proper ventilation through cabinet louvers. Due to cold waste water, we recommend the trap supplied by installer be insulated to prevent excessive condensation.

Rough-in and Dimensions



Pipe Installation [with bottle filler option]



Installation

1. Check rough-in drawings against supplied product.
2. Mount hanger bracket to wall. Hanger bracket **MUST** be securely anchored with fasteners sufficient to support 3 times the weight of the water cooler.
3. Remove the bottom cover from the water cooler and set aside in a safe place. Place the screws in a safe place for re-use in later stages of installation.
4. Hang the water cooler on the hanger bracket, ensuring the bracket tabs engage **AND** seat in the slots in the back of the water cooler. Verify the water cooler is level, straight and plumb.
5. Anchor water cooler to wall at other mounting points in base. If necessary, shim lower rear mounting points to level unit.
6. Thoroughly flush the supply line and then connect water supply to water cooler.
7. Make up trap waste connection.
8. Flush the supply line to remove all foreign debris.
9. Connect water supply to water cooler with 1/2" BSP.
10. Turn on building water supply and check all connections for leaks.
11. Air within the water supply will cause an irregular bubbler outlet stream until purged out by incoming water. Covering the bubbler with a clean cup [or similar object] is recommended when first activating water cooler. Depress push button until steady water stream is achieved.
12. Adjust bubbler to the site requirements;
 - 12a. If water flow requires adjustment, insert a flat-headed screwdriver into the centre of the button actuator.
Turning clockwise will increase flow and turning counterclockwise will decrease flow.
 - 12b. If water temperature requires adjustment, insert a flat-headed screwdriver into the cold water thermostat.
Turning clockwise will reduce water temperature and counterclockwise will increase water temperature.
 - 12c. Bubbler Stream – Bubbler can be rotated slightly to direct the stream backwards or forwards.
13. Plug water cooler into electrical outlet and make sure unit begins to function.
14. Assemble bottom cover to water cooler with screws furnished.

Cleaning & Maintenance

1. Motors have lifetime lubrication and do not require scheduled maintenance.
2. Excess dirt or poor ventilation will cause the compressor overload protector to turn the compressor off and it will cycle on and off with no cold water coming out of bubbler. Periodically clean with vacuum cleaner, air hose or brush the condenser fins and cabinet ventilation louvers. In environments where dirt and dust is more prevalent, clean more frequently.
3. Periodically remove access panels and clean out in-line strainer.
4. Do **NOT** use harsh chemicals, abrasive or petroleum based cleaners. Use of these will void RBA warranty.
5. Exterior panels can be cleaned using mild household detergents or warm, soapy water. Extra care must be used cleaning chrome plated items and mirror finished stainless steel. They can scratch easily and should only be cleaned using a clean, soft cloth and mild soap with water or a mild glass cleaner.

Spare Parts

RBA Code No.	Description
RBA7003-095-001	Valve Assembly
RBA7003-099-000	Pushbutttton

Troubleshooting

Before making any of the repairs listed, make sure the water cooler is disconnected from the electrical supply and the water supply valve is shut off.

Problem	Probable cause
Compressor Does Not Run	Check the power supply cord.
	Check the electrical receptacle for power and correct voltage. The incoming voltage must be within 10% of the rated voltage on the serial nameplate.
	The cold thermostat is accessible by removing the bottom access cover. If the cold thermostat capillary bulb loses its charge or becomes kinked it will fail in the open position causing a disruption of power to the compressor. Unplug the water cooler, using an ohm meter, check for continuity across the two electrical terminals on the thermostat. Install a new thermostat if there is no continuity.
	Check for loose wires within the compressor box. The incoming power leads must be connected to the overload and relay. If all components check positive for continuity, then test the wiring harness plug for continuity.
Compressor Runs – Water Is Warm	The most common cause for a water cooler to run without producing cold water is a loss of refrigerant. The water cooler must be taken to a certified refrigerant technician for repairs.
	Make sure the condenser fan motor is operative. The fan blade must turn freely to help remove the heat of compression.
	An incorrect refrigerant charge, restriction or defective compressor [not pumping] will also cause the compressor to run without producing cold water. All these signs indicate a problem within the refrigeration system and the water cooler must be checked by an authorized service company.
Noisy Operation	Check to make sure the fan blade is rotating freely.
	Make sure the water cooler is correctly mounted to the wall. Absence of the two lower mounting bolts may cause excess noise and vibration.
	Check the compressor mounting to make sure the pins and clips are not rattling. If the compressor appears to be noisy internally, it must be replaced.

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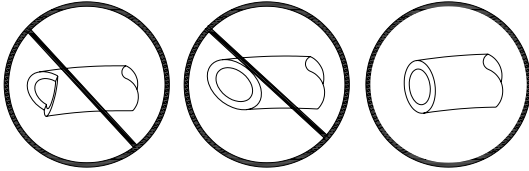
Restricted Or No Water Flow	Ensure water supply service stop valve is fully open.
	Verify minimum 200 kPa supply line flow pressure.
	Check for twists or kinks in bubbler tubing.
	Check the water inlet strainer. Sediment from the main supply can get trapped in the screen along with installation materials such as pipe dope and flux. The screen should be cleaned and checked on a regular basis and replaced if needed.
	The cartridge valve located in the water control assembly or bubbler can also become clogged with foreign material. The cartridge valve can only be replaced and not repaired.
	The water cooler may also develop a freezing condition in which the water will become frozen inside the evaporator coil. This indicates a refrigeration problem or thermostat failure in which case the water cooler needs to be checked by a qualified technician
	Check flow adjustment. If necessary, adjust bubbler to site requirements, see Installation Step #12 [Page 3].
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Compressor Cycling on Overload Protector	A dirty condenser or a blocked fan will cause a high head pressure and frequent cycling of the overload protector.
	Check the incoming voltage to make sure it is within 10% of the serial nameplate rating.
	A restriction or moisture in the system will also cause intermittent cycling. A certified refrigeration mechanic should be contacted in this situation.
	Change the overload or relay if defective.

Pushfit Installation

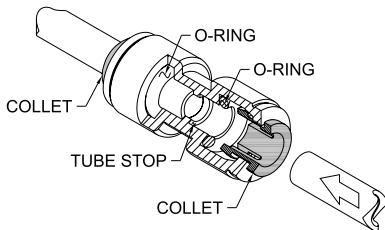
Note: fittings and tube should be kept clean, bagged and undamaged prior to installation.

Figure 2

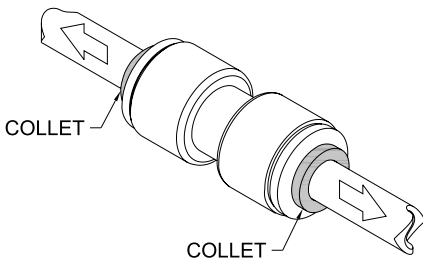
1. Cut to fit length of 1/4" PE Tubing and remove any burrs or sharp edges. Ensure that the outside diameter is free from score marks. Tube ends should be square.



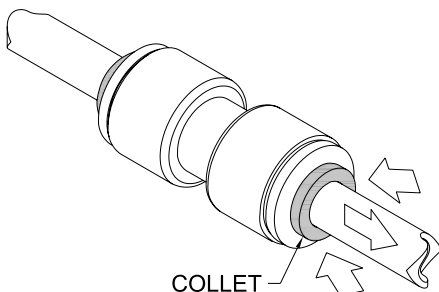
2. Firmly and fully insert the Tubing end into the Push-In Fitting up to the Tube Stop located approximately 1/2" [13mm] deep.



3. Pull on the fitted Tubing to ensure it is secure. Tube should not come free from the Fitting. Water test the connection assembly prior to leaving the site to ensure there are no leaks.



4. Prior to disconnecting the Tube from the Fitting, ensure that the Water Line is depressurised. Push Collet Square towards the Push-In Fitting Body and hold. While holding the Collet in, pull on the PE Tubing to remove from the Push-In Fitting.



Note: This product should be installed, by suitably qualified persons, in a fit for purpose application, to suitable materials, using suitable fixings and comply with any relevant codes. It should be inspected periodically for signs of wear and tear that may affect performance or safety.

Dimensions are subject to manufacturer's tolerance of +/-10mm. Rough-in should be completed with each fixture.

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