

Dishwasher Leak Diagnostic Checklist

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Make it safe first

1 Cut the power

Unplug the dishwasher or switch off its breaker before touching anything.

2 Close the water valve

Shut the supply valve under the sink so the machine cannot refill.

3 Soak up the water

Dry the floor so the leak does not spread under the cabinets.

Trace the leak

1 Watch a test cycle

Run a short rinse and note where the first water appears and when.

2 Front, at the door

Feel the gasket for cracks or crust and check the latch closes fully.

3 Under the center

Points to the pump seal or a cracked hose. This is a technician job.

4 Check every hose clamp

A loose or rusted clamp is a two-minute fix under the sink.

5 Free the float

Make sure the plastic float dome on the tub floor moves freely.

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