



## User Guide

# Tastic<sup>®</sup> Neo<sup>™</sup>

Heat • Vent • Light

Model: 31111 Neo Single White - Hardwired

Model: 31112 Neo Single Silver - Hardwired

Model: 31211 Neo Single White - Remote

Model: 31212 Neo Single Silver - Remote

Model: 31311 Neo Single White - Commercial

Model: 31312 Neo Single Silver - Commercial

Model: 32111 Neo Dual White - Hardwired

Model: 32112 Neo Dual Silver - Hardwired

Model: 32211 Neo Dual White - Remote

Model: 32212 Neo Dual Silver - Remote

Model: 32311 Neo Dual White - Commercial

Model: 32312 Neo Dual Silver - Commercial

Electrical Rating: 230~240 V. 50 Hz.



Model: 31111, 31112, 31211, 31212,  
31311 and 31312 Neo Single



Model: 32111, 32112, 32211, 32212,  
32311 and 32312 Neo Dual

# Welcome

Thank you for buying this IXL Tastic Neo. Even if you have used a Tastic before, there are very good reasons to read this user guide before using this one:

- You and your family, property and home will be safe from harm.
- You will learn how this appliance may differ from others.
- By using the Tastic Neo fully and properly, you will get maximum life and value from it.
- Our warranty depends on you using the Tastic Neo according to this user guide.

It will only take you a few minutes, so please read on!

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Model: 31211 Neo Single – White



Model: 31112 Neo Single – Silver

### 31211 Neo Single – White

1 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Remote Control

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 31212 Neo Single – Silver

1 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Remote Control

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 31111 Neo Single – White

1 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 31112 Neo Single – Silver

1 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 31311 Neo Single – White

1 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

Designed to connect to centrally ducted extraction system with minimum airflow of 25 l/s.

### 31312 Neo Single – Silver

1 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

Designed to connect to centrally ducted extraction system with minimum airflow of 25 l/s.



Model: 32211 Neo Dual - White



### 32211 Neo Dual – White

2 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Remote Control

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 32212 Neo Dual – Silver

2 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Remote Control

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 32111 Neo Dual – White

2 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s

### 32112 Neo Dual – Silver

2 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

170 mm Ducted Blower, 346 m³/hr or 96 l/s



Model: 32112 Neo Dual - Silver

### 32311 Neo Dual – White

2 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

Designed to connect to centrally ducted extraction system with minimum airflow of 25 l/s.

### 32312 Neo Dual – Silver

2 x 800 W Tungsten Halogen Heat Lamps

3 x 7 W LED Downlights

Hardwired

Cutout Template Supplied

Designed to connect to centrally ducted extraction system with minimum airflow of 25 l/s.



**Do not allow insulation material to rest against the sides or top of the Tastic Neo unit when installed. This Tastic unit must be installed horizontally in the ceiling. There is no IP rating on any IXL Tastic Neo.**

**NOTE:** This product must be installed by a qualified installer.

Read through these instructions completely before commencing installation.

The tungsten halogen lamps heat by direct radiation rather than by heating the air in the room, so the Tastic should be located directly over where drying off occurs.

Locate the Tastic in accordance with the requirements of the current Australian/New Zealand Wiring Rules AS/NZS 3000 relating to damp situations.

In some installations this may mean that no part of the Tastic may be located directly above any part of a bath or shower recess or enclosure.

For unenclosed showers refer to Wiring Rules conditions.

Switches and other controls must not be located where they can be touched by a person in the bath or shower.

**NOTE:** Tastic products must only be installed horizontally in ceiling.

- Do not look directly into heat lamps when in use.
- Tastic products are not tanning lamps.
- Make sure the lamps have cooled and power is off to the Tastic before removing lamps for replacement.
- Do not operate this appliance without the fascia or glass panels in position.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Young children should be supervised to ensure they do not play with the appliance.
- This appliance must be mounted with the lowest point at least 2.3 metres from the floor.
- If the supply cord is damaged, it should be replaced by the IXL Appliances or its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.
- This appliance must not be mounted immediately below a socket outlet.

**WARNING:** Curtains or combustible material may ignite if in contact with the heater.

## SAFETY FEATURES

### Thermal Switch (Hardwired & Remote Tastic Neo)

When Tastic Neo works in FAN OFF mode and the temperature inside the unit reaches 55°C, the thermal switch will switch on the fan automatically. When the temperature drops, the thermal switch will switch off the fan.

**Thermal Switch (Commercial Tastic Neo only)**

When for any reason the temperature inside the unit reaches 55°C, the thermal switch will cut off power to the Tastic Neo. When the temperature drops, the thermal switch will reconnect the power.

**Over-temperature switch (PTCR) (Hardwired & Commercial Tastic Neo):**

When for any reason the temperature inside the unit reaches 80°C, the PTCR will cut off power to the Tastic Neo. The PTCR can be reset by turning off power to the unit at the isolating switch and allowing to cool for 10-15 minutes. In such a case the Service Centre should be called as this is not normal operation.

**Thermal fuse (Remote Tastic Neo only)**

When for any reason the temperature inside the unit reaches 93°C, the thermal fuse will cut off power to the Tastic Neo. In such a case the Service Centre should be called to replace the thermal fuse.

## How it Works

The IXL Tastic Neo range has been designed to exacting standards to give you many years of trouble-free operation. To ensure you get the most from your Tastic there are a few simple points to keep in mind.

**HEAT LAMPS**

The IXL Tastic Neo uses 800W tungsten halogen heat lamps in conjunction with reflective elements, for a more efficient dispersion of radiant heat. The tungsten halogen lamps provide instantaneous heat, and are designed to heat you and not your bathroom - that's the efficient way infra red heat works. To get the full benefit of Tastic's tungsten halogen warmth, stand directly under the heat lamps. IXL's exclusive halogen lamps have been designed specifically for this application, and concentrate their heat for maximum effectiveness.

Make sure you have the Tastic model that suits your bathroom ceiling height. This Tastic is manufactured to offer peak performance with bathroom ceiling heights up to 2.4 m

**VENTILATION**

To ensure optimum performance of the exhaust fan, it is essential that there is adequate air flow into your bathroom to help the Tastic's efficient exhaust fan to remove steam while you shower, venting directly outside. Your Tastic works by drawing steam-laden air from the room, and as with all exhaust fans it is essential that sufficient air inlets are provided. Ensure adequate inlets exist through windows, vents or under the door. Air flow path from inlet to fan should ideally pass over the steam source.

**CENTRE LIGHTS**

The 3 LED centre lights in Tastic Neo models are designed to provide directional lighting in your bathroom. For specific tasks like shaving or putting make-up on, you may need extra lighting to suit your individual needs.

The heat lamps can also be used to provide additional bright illumination for your bathroom. Lighter coloured walls and decor also help brighten your bathroom by reflecting more light.

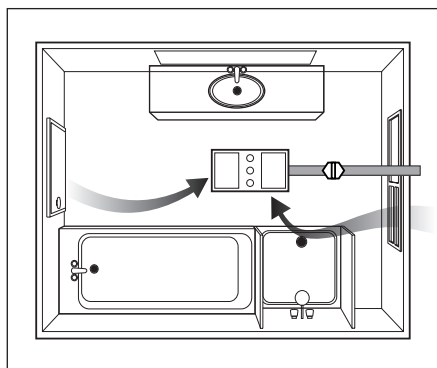


Fig. 1: Ideal placement of Tastic.  
Sufficient air inlets into room are required

For maximum efficiency and fan performance there are a few key points to keep in mind when installing your Tastic.

### Sufficient air inlet into room

Steam will only be removed if there is sufficient flow of air through the room. Ensure generous inlets exist through windows, vents or under the door. Air flow path from inlet to fan should ideally pass over the steam sources (see Fig.1).

Bathrooms which have high ceilings, are larger than average, or have an open shower may all require additional ventilation. We recommend that you visit our website for further details and suggestions on effectively ventilating your bathroom.

## Overview

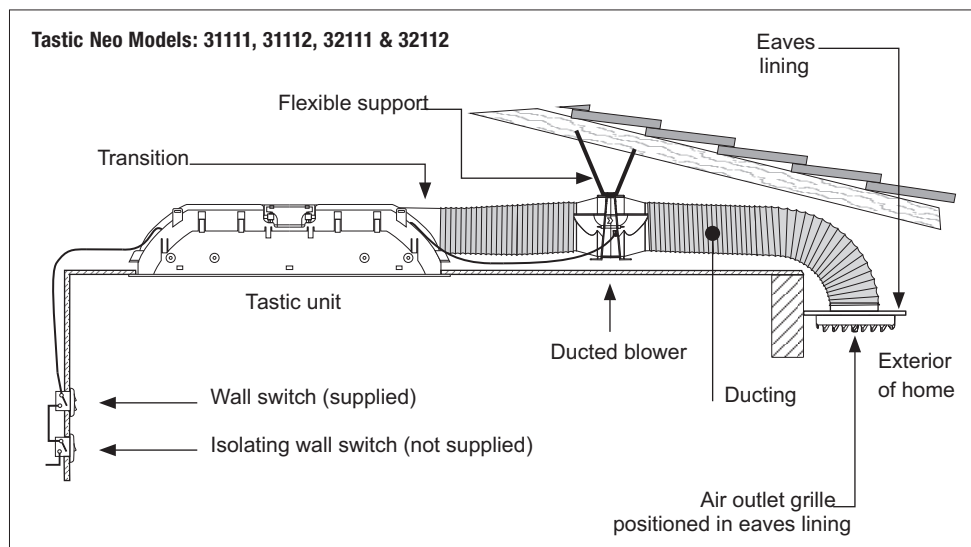


Fig. 2: Layout of Tastic Neo Single and Dual.

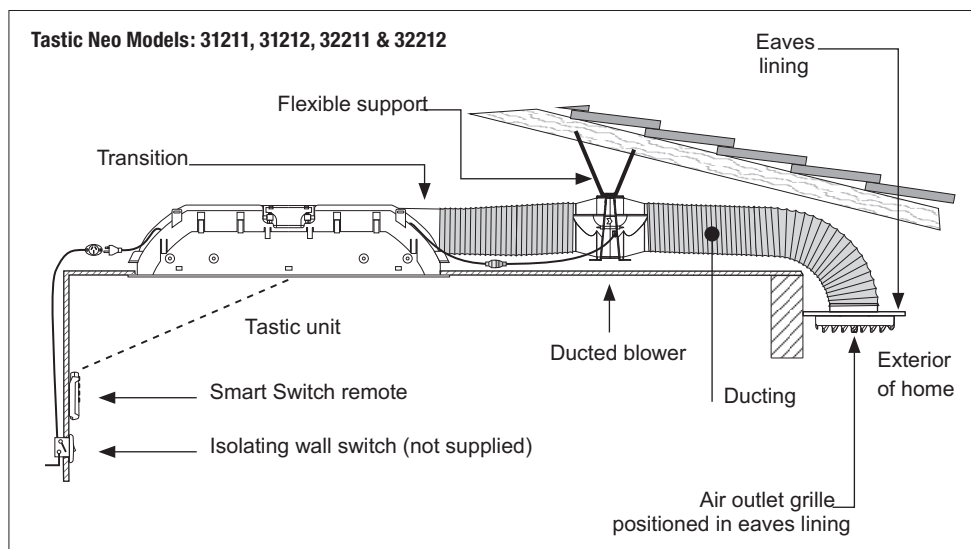


Fig. 3: Layout of Tastic Neo Smart Switch Single and Dual.

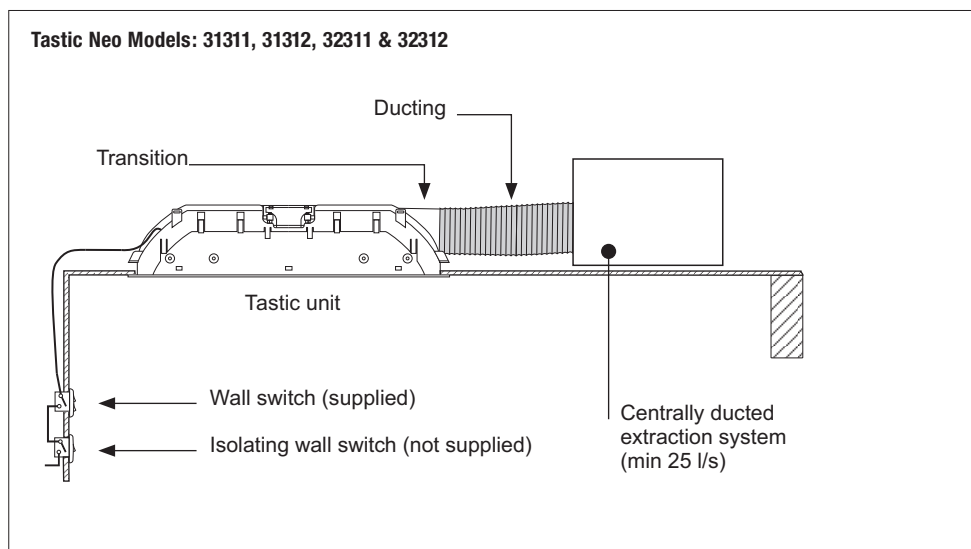


Fig. 4: Layout of Tastic Neo Commercial Single and Dual.



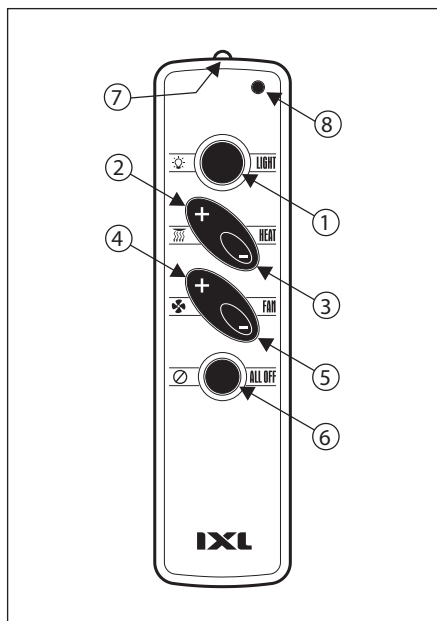


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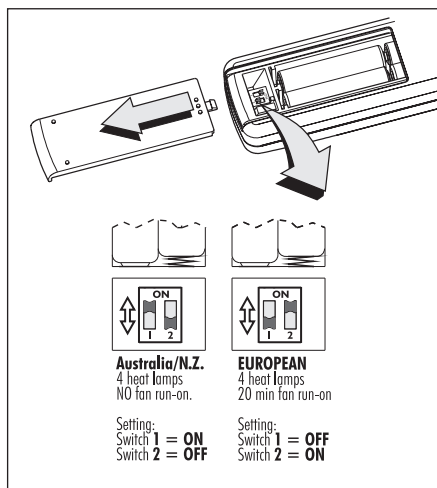


Fig. 6

### The Smart Switch system and functions

All functions are controlled by the Smart Switch (Fig. 5), a battery powered wall mounted remote unit that sends an Infra red (IR) signal to a receiver mounted in the Tastic Neo fascia. Subsequent signals go to the Control Unit mounted on the top of the Tastic unit.

**NOTE:** While the heat lamps are turned **ON**, the centre lamps are turned **OFF**.

1. Switch the centre light **ON** or **OFF**.
2. Switch heat lamp **ON**.
3. Switch heat lamp **OFF**.
4. Pressing this button once will switch **ON** the **FAN**.
5. Switches the **FAN OFF**.
6. Switches **ALL** functions **OFF**.
7. IR transmitter.
8. Transmitter indicator.

### Remote dip switch settings

The factory preset of the Dip Switches is for Europe (20 min fan run-on), all other country/regions are to reset dip switches as per local ventilation requirements. Recommended settings as per details shown in Figs. 6 & 7.

**NOTE:** The Smart Switch handset is not water resistant. Do not immerse the Smart Switch in water or allow water to splash on the Smart Switch.

### Initial Power Up

Upon initial connection to mains voltage, the centre lights will be switched on automatically for a minimum of 2 mins.

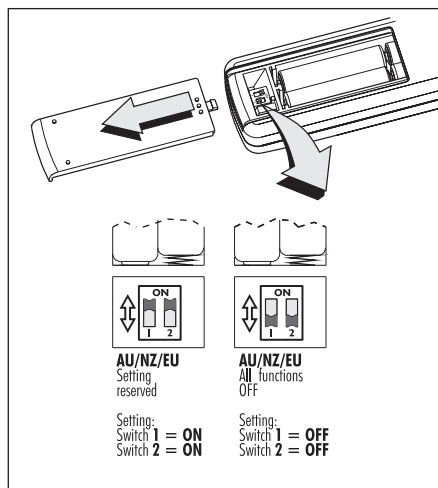


Fig. 7

### 40 Minute Delay Off

This Tastic has a power saving feature which will automatically switch off all functions except the centre lights approximately 40 minutes after the last signal is received from the IR remote handset, provided the last signal was one of the following button operations: FAN +, FAN -, HEAT + and HEAT -.

### 20 Minute Auto Run-on Fan (Required in European Countries)

This Tastic includes an automatic run-on for the fan. Each time the fan is switched on, it will run for a minimum of 20 minutes. If you switch the fan OFF during this time, the fan will run-on for the remainder of the 20 minutes. If you switch the fan OFF after the fan has run for at least 20 minutes, the fan will stop. See Fig. 6 for handset switch settings.

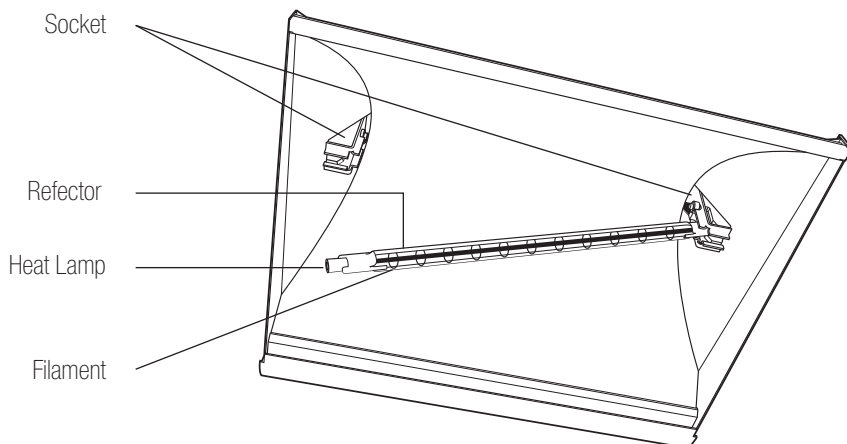
### Replacement Batteries

Smart Switch – 4 x AAA / 1.5 V / UM-4 batteries IXL Cat. No. 626655

Batteries supplied with the Smart Switch are not covered by the manufacturer's warranty.

**NOTE:** All four batteries should be replaced together when necessary – do not use old batteries with new batteries.

## Parts



## Preparing

Turn the heat lamp off and let it cool for at least 5 minutes. For extra safety, switch the power off at the isolating switch.

Position a sturdy ladder of sufficient height to let you safely and comfortably reach the Tastic Neo. Ask someone to hold the ladder if you can.

## Removing Glass Shield

With one hand gently press the glass shield (at a point close to the air inlet) 2 mm towards the ceiling and carefully slide it towards the air inlet.

Hold your other hand below the other end of the shield to catch it when it drops.

If the shield chips, cracks or breaks, do not use the heat lamp without it. Replace it with IXL Tastic® Neo Tempered Glass Shield Part 12200, not normal household glass.

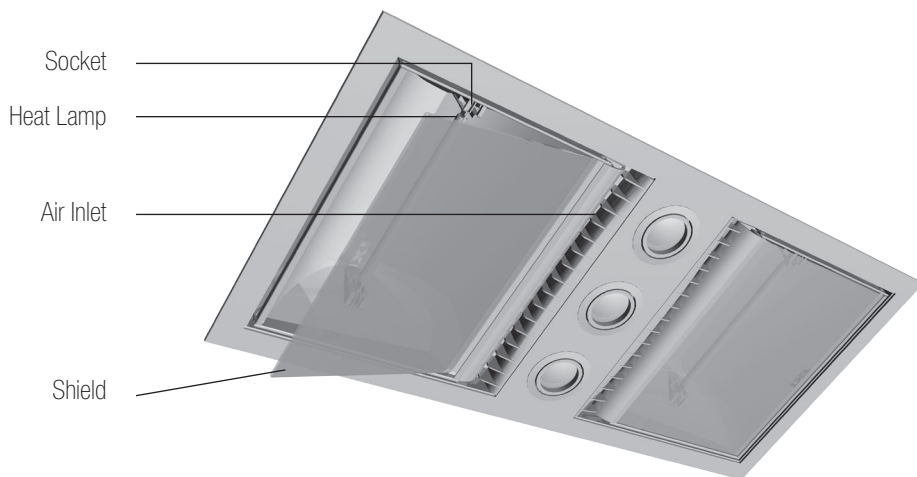
## Removing Old Heat Lamp

A spring-loaded socket holds each end of the heat lamp.

Gently grasp the heat lamp and push it towards one socket.

When it is free of the other socket, carefully pull the heat lamp down towards you.

The heat lamp is not recyclable. Dispose of it like a normal incandescent light globe (i.e. unbroken, with your general waste, wrapped in any paper or cloth you used).



## Fitting New Heat Lamp

Natural skin oils and salts damage new halogen lamps and shorten their life. Only handle a new heat lamp with soft, dry, clean, lint-free cloth or paper. You can wear gloves, cover your fingers or wrap the heat lamp until it is installed (so long as you remove all cloth or paper when finished).

If your skin touches a new heat lamp, wipe it gently with alcohol-moistened cloth or paper.

The heat lamp is half coated with a white reflector. When you grasp the heat lamp, face the back of the reflector to the ceiling (so you can see the heat lamp's filament). Not doing this will reduce performance.

Fit one end of the heat lamp into a socket and gently push it away from the other socket.

When there is enough room, fit the other end of the heat lamp into its socket.

Gently rotate the heat lamp to ensure it is correctly seated (i.e. it looks like the old one did before you removed it).

Replace the shield by reversing the directions for removing it.

Switch the power on and test the heat lamp.

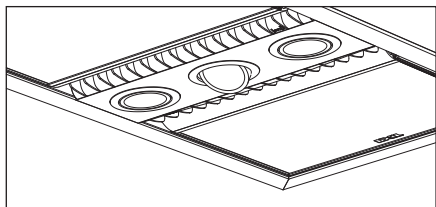


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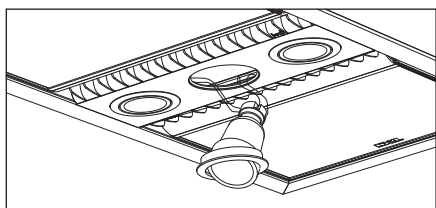


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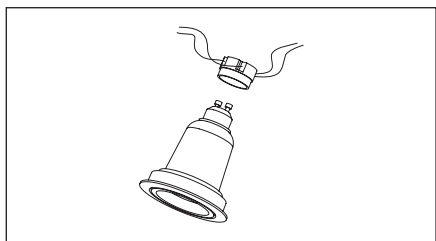


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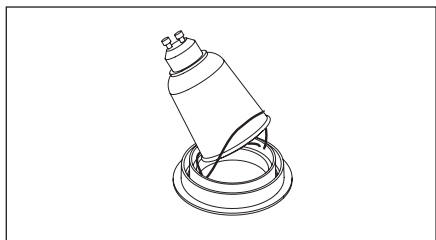


Fig. 11

### Step 1 – Figure 8

Tilt the lamp ring.

### Step 2 – Figure 9

Grip the lamp ring and pull lamp fitting away from fascia.

### Step 3 – Figure 10

Twist the lamp holder to separate from the lamp.

### Step 4 – Figure 11

Remove the lamp from the lamp ring.

### Step 5

Reverse the steps above to re-fit the lamp.

**NOTE:** Replacement with any other lamps other than those listed below may cause damage to the Tastic Neo and void the warranty.

## Heat Lamps

The IXL Tastic lamps have been specially developed for best performance.

R7s, 258mm long, 800W max. IXL Cat No. 113800

**NOTE:** Replace only with genuine IXL approved infra red halogen heat lamps.

## Light Bulb

GU10 7W LED Cat No. 12253

Light bulb is not covered by manufacturer's warranty.

**NOTE:** These lamps can be replaced with Halogen or LED lamps, 50W maximum.

## Cleaning & Maintenance

**WARNING:** Always make sure the unit is turned off and allow all bulbs to cool before cleaning.

Maintenance of the Tastic Neo is required to ensure the quality of the product and functions are maintained.

It is recommended that the Tastic Neo body, fascia and globes be checked and cleaned every 2 years.

To clean the fascia and air inlet use a damp cloth with liquid glass cleaner.

Cleaning and maintenance will help to preserve the life-span and performance of the Tastic Neo.

## Service

**NOTE:** Do not remove the Tastic Neo from the ceiling. Your Tastic Neo will be serviced in your home. If service is required, please contact IXL's Service Centre on 1300 727 421.

## Frequently asked questions

**Q** – Will my Tastic Neo heat my bathroom?

**A** – No your Tastic Neo is designed to provide infra red radiant heat to warm the body while drying, when standing directly underneath. It is not designed as a room heater.

**Q** – Can I install my Tastic Neo directly above a shower recess?

**A** – For safety reasons it is not recommended to install above shower recess. Please refer to the current Australian/New Zealand Wiring Rules AS/NZS 3000 relating to damp situations for further details.

**Q** – What is the maximum recommended light globe wattage that I can install in my Tastic?

**A** – 50W Halogen GU10 downlights can be installed in a Tastic Neo.

**Q** – What will happen if I leave my heat lamps on without fan operation?

**A** – The fan will commence operation automatically to keep the unit operating at a safe temperature. When the unit has cooled sufficiently the fan will switch off automatically.

**Q** – Why is my Tastic Neo making noise?

**A** – All Tastics create some noise due to the rapid movement of air through the Tastic.

**Q** – Can I retro fit a remote control to my existing hardwired Tastic Neo?

**A** – No, unfortunately this is not possible.

**Q** – Can the installer rotate the IXL wall switch mechanisms?

**A** – Yes, the wall switches can be rotated by a qualified electrical trades person.

**Q** – Can my installer use an alternative wall switch mechanism other than the one supplied with my IXL product?

**A** – Yes, your authorised installer can use an alternative switch mechanism.

**Q -** My Tastic unit's extraction fan doesn't seem to be removing all the moisture and steam from my bathroom?

**A –** There are a number of factors that will influence the exhaust fan's performance. Firstly you can improve your cross ventilation via an open door or window; refer to page 7 of the instructions for details on improving the room's air flow.

If you live in a traditionally cooler climate, in the winter months during hot showers, you may notice that there is more moisture and condensation build up. If this is the case, you may wish to improve your natural ventilation or invest in an additional exhaust fan.

Bathrooms which have high ceilings, are larger than average, or have an open shower may all require additional ventilation. We recommend that you visit our website for further details and suggestions on effectively ventilating your bathroom.

## Products

### IXL Range: Tastic and Ventilation

Within the IXL Tastic and ventilation range there are a number of products and optional accessories available, these include:

- Tastic 3 in 1: Heat, Light and Fan
- Tastic 2 in 1: Heat and Light
- Ducted Tastics
- Ventilation Fans
- Ventilation and Light Units
- Eco Tastics
- Remote controlled Tastics (Smart Switch)
- Easy Duct Thermal Transfer System
- Tastic Neo.

### IXL Range: Accessories

- Genuine IXL Heat Lamps
- Centre Globes
- In line Ducting
- Grilles and Fascias

For more information or help, please contact Sampford IXL on 1300 727 421 or visit the website at [www.sampfordixl.com.au](http://www.sampfordixl.com.au)



**RECORD THE DETAILS OF YOUR MODEL AND KEEP THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION  
DO NOT SEND THIS TO IXL**

Installed By .....

Suburb .....

Date of Purchase .....

Model No. ....      Serial No .....

This Warranty against defects for your newly purchased Tastic product is proudly prepared by Sampford IXL Pty Ltd, phone 1300 727 421.

1. Sampford IXL Tastic products come with guarantees that do not exclude the following consumer entitlements under the Australian Consumer Law:
  - a. replacement or refund for a major failure and compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage; and
  - b. to have the goods repaired or replaced if goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.
2. Sampford IXL warrants that your product and related supply will be free from defects in materials and workmanship during the warranty term. Your warranty term is five years with a two year replacement warranty on the heat lamps, inline blower and remote control electronics, commencing from the date of purchase. Sampford IXL acknowledges this product requires professional installation and product removal is hazardous to consumers, accordingly any necessary inspections and services will be carried out on site. You should not attempt de-installation.
3. Subject to Point 1, Sampford IXL will repair any defects in materials and workmanship during the warranty term and if the product is deemed irreparable provide a replacement of an equivalent current model where the balance of the warranty period from the original date of purchase will take effect. Also subject to Point 1, where the inline blower unit is installed into an environment that has limited access and the unit needs to be serviced or replaced under warranty, a replacement blower will be supplied free of charge by Sampford IXL however, all associated reinstallation charges will be borne by the owner.
4. To the fullest extent permitted by law and subject always to Point 1, Sampford IXL will not be liable for:
  - a. any loss or damage arising from loss of use, loss of profits or revenue; or
  - b. for any indirect or consequential loss or damage resulting from any breach of this warranty against defects.
5. Defective Sampford IXL Tastic products may be repaired using refurbished parts or if required, completely replaced by a refurbished product of the same type.

## Limitations to Your IXL Warranty

6. Subject to Point 1, this Warranty:
  - a. will only be provided to the original purchaser where the original purchase was made from a Sampford IXL Authorised Dealer or Reseller and proof of such purchase can be presented at the time of service;
  - b. only applies to Sampford IXL Tastic products purchased in Australia from a Sampford IXL Authorised Dealer or Reseller and installed by a qualified person where a Certificate of Compliance in accordance with State/Territory laws is provided;
  - c. will not apply where the defect in or failure of the product is attributable to misuse, abuse, accident or non-observation of the manufacturer's instructions. This product must be used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions;

- d. will not cover faults due to normal wear and tear with reasonable use nor consumable components such as globes, filters, glass items, etc;
- e. will not cover any damages or problems caused to this product by natural forces eg. storm, fire, flood, and earthquake; or by intrusion or accumulation (or both) of foreign matters eg. dust, soil, and moisture. Sampford IXL recommends that you take out appropriate insurances to protect your product to this end;
- f. will not apply if this product is installed in a mobile dwelling eg. caravan or boat;
- g. will not apply if this product is removed from the location where it was first installed;
- h. is immediately void if the serial or model number label is removed or defaced;
- i. is immediately void if the product is serviced or repaired by a unauthorised/unqualified personnel;
- j. covers use of this product for domestic use only;
- k. will not be restarted or extended upon repair or replacement of the product or a part.

## How to make a Claim under Your IXL Warranty

- 7. To make a claim under this Warranty you will need to:
  - a. contact Sampford IXL service department on 1300 727 421 or [aftersalesservice@sampfordixl.com.au](mailto:aftersalesservice@sampfordixl.com.au) to provide details and register your claim enabling a Sampford IXL assessment;
  - b. submit proof of purchase with your claim eg. tax invoice or purchase receipt;
  - c. where a property has been constructed by a builder/developer and it is fitted with IXL products, please submit proof of purchase by way of the certificate of occupancy, with your claim.
- 8. Sampford IXL will contact you to make arrangements for service on site.
- 9. Subject to Point 1, you will be responsible for any costs relating to the provision of your product to a Sampford IXL Authorised Service Dealer.
- 10. Subject to Point 1, in the event you live more than 50 km from a Sampford IXL Authorised Service Dealer you may be subject to travel or transport costs to facilitate the repairing or replacement of your IXL product.
- 11. Sampford IXL and its Authorised Service Dealers reserve the right to seek reimbursement of any costs incurred by them should your IXL product be found to be in good working order.

## Privacy

The privacy of your personal information has always been important to us. To learn more about how we collect, keep and use your personal information, please obtain a copy of our privacy statement by visiting our website at [www.sampfordixl.com.au](http://www.sampfordixl.com.au) or by contacting us via email on [info@sampfordixl.com.au](mailto:info@sampfordixl.com.au) or by telephone on 1300 727 421.

For comments, questions or warranty matters:

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