FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS







More questions? We have the answers.

FAQs

Which Colour Option Should I Choose?

A number of our bulbs come with the colour option Warm White, Daylight and Cool White. Warm White is similar to conventional lighting and has a softer feel. Warm White is perfect for areas such as living rooms and bedrooms. Cool White is a brighter, whiter light and is more suited for the Bathroom and Kitchen. Daylight is the most natural colour and sits between Warm and Cool.

Will LED bulbs fit into my old light fixtures?

Yes, all our bulbs are designed to be a perfect fit to replace your old halogens unless it is other wise stated in the product description.

Any fittings being placed within a bathroom/wet room/shower room should not only be Fire Rated but also be waterproof and hold a suitable certification of IP65 or higher in order to be compliant with relevant building regulations for bathrooms.

3 Do I need an LED-compatible transformer?

You may only need a transformer if you are buying 12v bulbs. All 240 bulbs do not require a transformer, 12v bulbs are MR16, G4 and MR11.

Standard electronic transformers can cause certain types of LED bulbs to flicker, resulting in permanent long-term damage to the LED bulb itself. This problem is most evident in 12V MR16 LED bulbs where a standard transformer does not provide a smooth flow of current, causing flickering problems. To avoid damaging your new LED bulbs it is always best to use LED drivers/transformers.

? Can LED light bulbs be used with dimmers?

Yes, certain types of LED bulbs are dimmable. For standard household dimmers you need a trailing edge or low voltage LED dimmer switch.

Do LED light bulbs switch on immediately or do they have to warm up?

LED bulbs are instant on, which means they do not require any time to warm up. Also, LED bulbs do not give off any potentially harmful IR or UV emissions.

Does the level of light produced reduce over the lifetime of the LED bulb?

Yes, the level of illumination does decrease over the life span of an LED bulb. However due to their extremely long life cycle, this is barely noticeable.

What are the best features of LED lights?

In short, LED lights are the future of household and office lighting, with a number of great features, including:

- Extremely energy efficient
- Eco-friendly lighting
- Significant savings on your electricity bills
- Much longer lifespan than halogen bulbs
- Low temperature operation
- Directional light
- Low profile and compact size
- Breakage and vibration resistance
- Life unaffected by rapid cycling
- Instant switch on with no warm up time
- No IR or UV emissions