

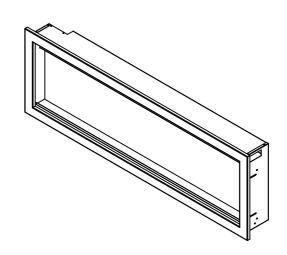
FIREPLACES | GRILLS

## INSTALLATION AND OPERATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR

AMB-IW-50

AMB-IW-60

AMB-IW-74



# SAFETY INFORMATION



# WARNING

If the information in these instructions are not followed exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.

INSTALLER: LEAVE THIS MANUAL WITH THE APPLIANCE.

CONSUMER: RETAIN THIS MANUAL FOR FUTURE REFERENCE.

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Please read and carefully follow all of the instruction found in this manual. Please pay special attention to the safety instructions provided in this manual. The instructions included here will assure that you have many years of dependable and enjoyable service from your Ambiance product.

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# IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Read all instructions before installing or using this heater.
- 2. Keep combustible materials, such as furniture, pillows, bedding, papers, clothes and curtains at least 3 feet from the front, sides and rear of the heater.
- 3. Always unplug heater when not in use.
- 4. Do not operate the fireplace if it has a damaged cord or plug, after it has malfunctioned, or if the unit has been dropped or damaged in any way.
- 5. Do not use the heater outdoors.
- 6. This heater is not intended for use in bathrooms, laundry areas and similar indoor locations where the heater may come in contact with water.
- 7. Do not run the cord under carpeting. Do not cover the cord with throw rugs, runners or anything else. Arrange the cord away from traffic areas where it could not be tripped over.
- 8. To disconnect the heater, turn the controls to "OFF" before removing the plug from the outlet.
- 9. Do not insert or allow foreign objects to enter any ventilation or exhaust opening, as this may cause an electric shock, fire or damage to the heater.
- 10. To prevent a possible fire, do not block air intakes in any manner.
- 11. A heater has hot and arcing or sparking parts inside. Do not use it in areas where gasoline, paint or flammable liquids are used or stored.
- 12. Use this heater only as described in this manual. Any other use not recommended by the manufacturer may cause fire, electric shock or injury.
- 13. Avoid the use of an extension cord, the extension cord will overheat and cause a fire. This heater is not to be used with an extension cord.
- 14. Always use properly grounded fused and polarized outlets.
- 15. Always use ground fault protection where it is required by electrical codes.
- 16. Always disconnect the power before performing any cleaning, maintenance or relocation of the heater.
- 17. To prevent a possible fire, do not burn wood or other materials in this heater.
- 18. To prevent electric shock or fire, always use a certified electrician, should new circuits or outlets be required.
- 19. When transporting or storing the heater, keep it in a dry place, free from excessive vibration.
- 20. This appliance should not be modified under any circumstances.
- 21. Packaging material should be kept away from children and be disposed of in a safe manner. Plastic bags are not toys and should be kept away from children and infants.
- 22. Do not use this heater in small rooms when they are occupied by persons not capable of leaving the room on their own, unless constant supervision is provided.

- 23. If the glass is damaged, do not use the heater in order to avoid a hazard.
- 24. Do not leave children unsupervised where heater is turned on.
- 25. **CAUTION** Some parts of this product can become very hot and cause burns. Particular attention has to be given where children and vulnerable people are present.
- 26. This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.

# **Cautions**

	• Always install the heater in accordance with this guide. If in
	doubt obtain expert advice.
	• Always make sure the electrical socket is accessible and located
Do's	adjacent to, but not above the heater.
	• Always disconnect the heater from the electrical supply before
	moving it, or carrying out cleaning, maintenance.
	• Always make sure the heater is firmly secured to prevent it from
	being tipped over.
	• Always use a fireguard when young children and infirm persons
	can come into contact with the heater.
	• Never leave children unsupervised in a room where the heater is
	ON and unguarded.
	• Never obstruct or cover the fan outlet or force items into heater
	openings.
	• Never install or use the heater anywhere where water is in use,
	i.e. Bathrooms, Kitchens, Shower Rooms, and Swimming Pool etc.
	• Never use aerosols or steam cleaners on or around the heater.
Don'ts	• Never route the mains supply cable under carpet etc.
	• Never install the heater close to curtains or combustible materials.
	• Never use the heater to dry clothes etc.
	• Never sit or stand on the heater.
	• Never use with a timer or any other device that switches the fire
	on automatically.

## UNPACKING AND TESTING APPLIANCE

Carefully remove the appliance from the box.

Prior to installing the appliance, test to make sure the appliance operates properly by plugging the power supply cord into a 120 Volt grounded outlet.

Test all aspects of its operation (manual switches, remote and heater) to make sure all components are operating correctly.

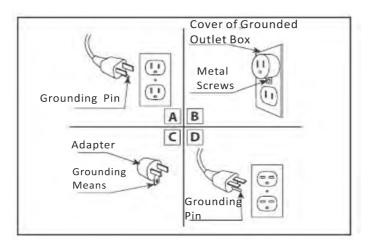
As with most electronic devices, your new electric fireplace has been designed to operate at temperatures between 5  $^{\circ}$ C (41 $^{\circ}$ F) and 35  $^{\circ}$ C (95 $^{\circ}$ F). During the cold winter months, allow the fireplace to reach room temperature before turning it on.

NOTE: There may be trace of odor during the first few minutes of initial use. This is harmless, normal and will never occur again.

# GROUNDING APPLIANCE

This appliance is for use on 120 Volts. The cord has a plug as shown in (A). An adapter as shown in (C) is available for connecting three-blade grounding type plugs to two-slot receptacles. The green grounding lug extending from the adapter must be connected to a permanent ground such as a properly grounded outlet box. The adapter should not be used if a three-slot grounded receptacle is available.

To disconnect appliance, turn controls to off, then remove plug from outlet.



#### LOCATING THE FIREPLACE

Plan where to locate and frame the fireplace. This will save time and money later when you install the fireplace. Before installation consider the following:

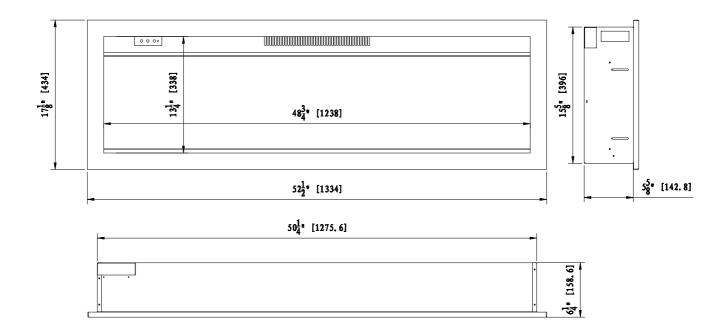
- 1. Where the fireplace is located must allow for wall and ceiling clearances
- 2. Consider a location where the fireplace screen will not be exposed to direct sunlight from windows or doors.
- A 15 ampere, 120 Volt, 60 Hz branch circuit with proper ground must be available at the location. Preferably a dedicated branch circuit should be provided to avoid circuit breakers to trip of fuses to blow.

# AMB-IW-50

Description	Built-in Appliance
Voltage	120V AC 60Hz
Watts	1500W Max
NO HEATER	32.5W
MOTOR HEATER	19W
Appliance Width	50 1/4" or 127.6 cm
Appliance Height	15 5/8 " or 39.6 cm
Appliance Depth	5 5/8" or 14.3 cm
Gross Weight	71.7 lbs or 32.5 kgs
Plug Location	Left side
Cord Length	70 7/8" or 180 cm
Rough Wall	51 1/4"× 16" or
Opening Size	130.2 cm× 40.6 cm
BTU	4800

This appliance has been tested in accordance with the UL Standard 2021 for fixed and location dedicated electric room appliances in the United States and Canada. If you need assistance during installation, please contact your local dealer.

NOTE: This appliance must be electrically wired and grounded in accordance with local codes. In the absence of local codes, use the current CSA C22.1 Canadian Electrical Code in Canada or the ANSI/NFPA 70 National Electrical Code in the United States.

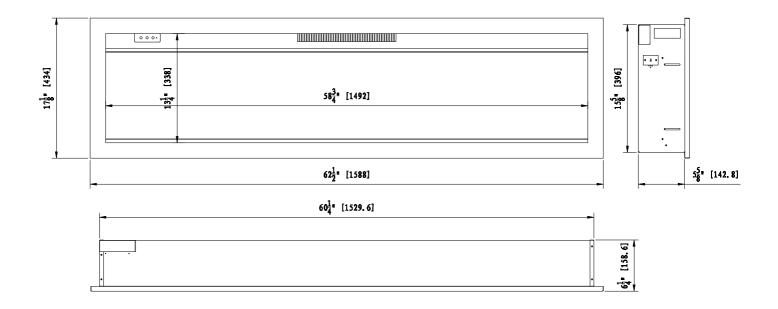


## AMB-IW-60

Description	Built-in Appliance
Voltage	120V AC 60Hz
Watts	1500W Max
NO HEATER	36.3W
MOTOR HEATER	19W
Appliance Width	60 1/4" or 153 cm
Appliance Height	15 5/8" or 39.6 cm
Appliance Depth	5 5/8" or 14.3 cm
Gross Weight	88.2 lbs or 40 kgs
Plug Location	Left side
Cord Length	72.6" or 180 cm
Rough Wall	61 1/4"× 16" or
Opening Size	155.5 cm× 40.6 cm
BTU	4800

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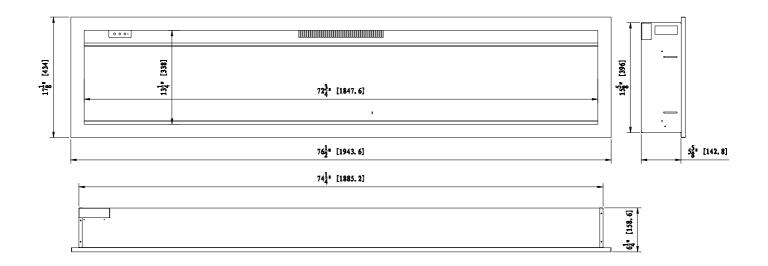


# AMB-IW-74

Description	Built-in Appliance
Voltage	120V AC 60Hz
Watts	1500W Max
NO HEATER	39.3W
MOTOR HEATER	19W
Appliance Width	74 1/4" or 188.5 cm
Appliance Height	15 5/8" or 39.6 cm
Appliance Depth	5 5/8" or 14.3 cm
Gross Weight	114.6 lbs or 52 kgs
Plug Location	Left side
Cord Length	72.6" or 180 cm
Rough Wall	75 1/4"× 16" or
Opening Size	191.2 cm× 40.6 cm
BTU	4800

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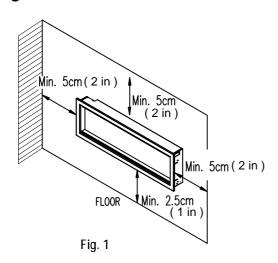


# **INSTALLATION-WALL MOUNT**

NOTE: Due to the many different materials used to build walls, it is highly recommended that you consult your local builder before you install this appliance on a wall.

- Select a location that is not prone to moisture and is locates at least 0.91 m or 3 feet away from combustible materials such as curtains or drapes, furniture, bedding, paper, etc.
- 2. Using a spirit level select a position in which to mount the heater horizontally. See Figure 1.
- 3. Check the wall to ensure there is no wiring, pipe wires etc in the area to be drilled. Drill 8 or more holes depending on the size of the unit purchased, (8mm diameter & 40mm depth) using a suitable size drill bit and insert the wall plugs into the holes.
- 4. Remove the hanger from the fireplace by removing the screws. See to Figure 2.
- 5. Fasten the hanger to the wall. See Figure 3.
- 6. To prevent fireplace from moving, use the provided safety screw to fasten the fireplace to the wall. See Figure 4.

# WARNING: Be sure that the bolts have been fixed firmly enough to withstand the weight!



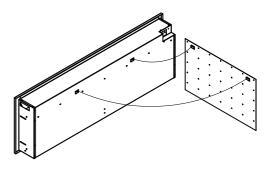


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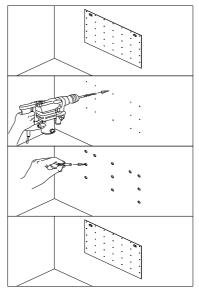


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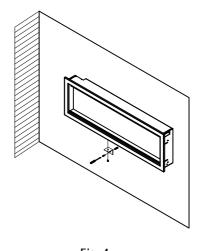


Fig. 4

## **INSTALLATION- BUILT-IN**

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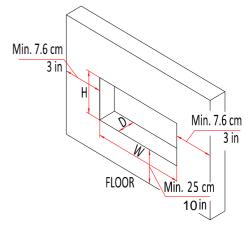
# Preparation

- 1. Select a location that is not prone to moisture and is located at least 0.91m or 3 feet away from combustible materials such as curtains, drapes, furniture, bedding, paper, etc.
- 2. Mark the desired location on the floor and store the appliance in a safe, dry and dust free place.
- 3. Prepare a wall with a framed opening to accommodate the size of your unit. Leave at least 1/4" (6mm) around the edge of the appliance. Any new wiring must be done in compliance with local and national codes and other applicable regulations.

Prior to installing, test the appliance to make sure the appliance is fully operational by plugging the power supply cord into a 120 Volt grounded outlet.

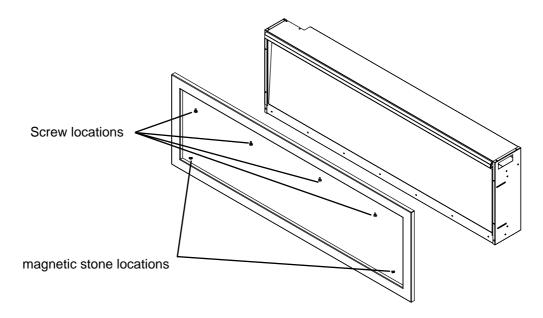
The rough wall opening size of the fireplace:

	W(")	D(")	H(")
AMB-IW-50	51 1/4	6	16
AMB-IW-60	61 1/4	6	16
AMB-IW-74	75 1/4	6	16

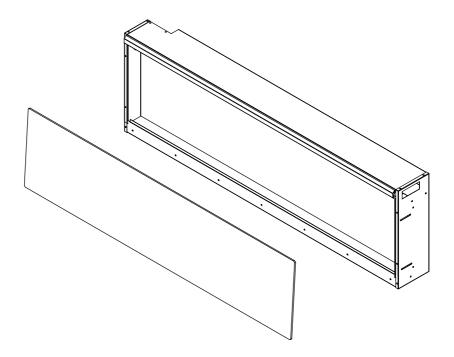


## Installation

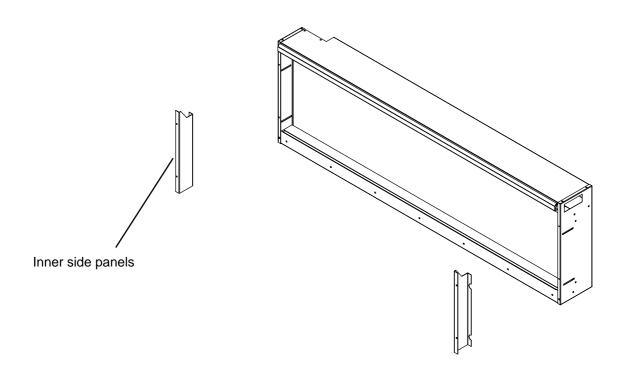
1. Unscrew 4 screws, remove 2 magnetic stones that fix the trim and take off the trim. (NOTE: Keep hold of the front glass as it may fall down automatically when the trim is removed.)



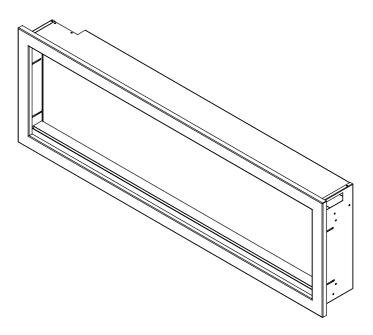
2. When the trim is removed, take off the front glass panel.



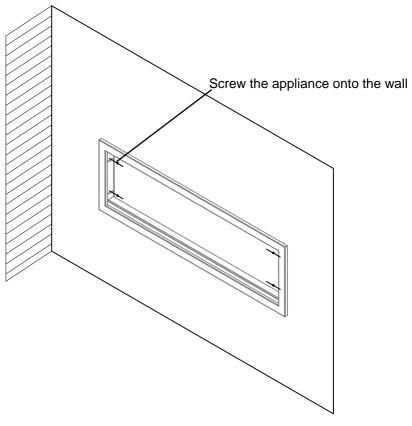
3. Unscrew the 2 screws located on each side and take off the inner side steel panels.



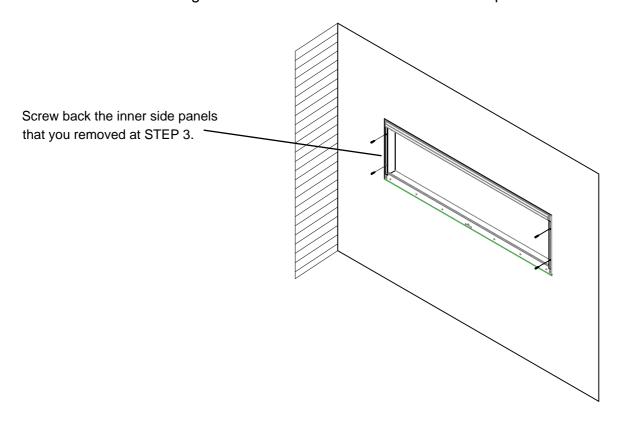
4. Put the trim back onto the appliance and fasten with screws.(NOTE: This step is to make sure that the fireplace fits the wall opening well and there is no gap between the trim and the wall after installation)



5. Put the fireplace into the wall opening and fix it to the wall by screwing 2 screws each side.

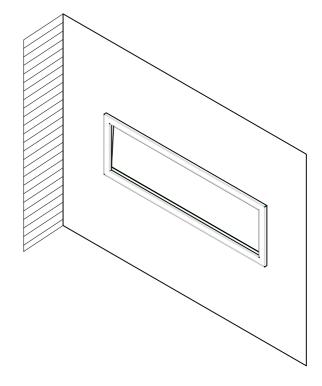


6. Remove the trim following STEP 1. Screw back the inner side steel panels.



7. Put back the front glass panel and screw back the trim after you finish the media

decoration.



# HARD- WIRE INSTALLATION

Turn off the appliance completely and let cool before servicing. Only a qualified service person should service and repair this electric appliance.

If it is necessary to hard-wire this appliance, a qualified electrician must remove the cord connection, and wire the appliance directly to the household wiring.

This appliance must be electrically connected and grounded in accordance with local codes, if hard-wired. In the absence of local codes, use the current CSA C22.1 CANADIAN ELECTRICAL CODE in Canada or the current ANSI/NFPA 70 NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE in the United States.

1. Remove the cover plate from the left side of the appliance by removing the two screws, as shown below. Unscrew and remove power cord.





2. Attach the wiring to the junction block. Please make sure the live wire goes into the "L", the neutral wire into "N" and the ground wire into "G".





3. Return the cover plate to the left side and screw the two screws back in to fasten the plate.

## **MEDIA OPTIONS**

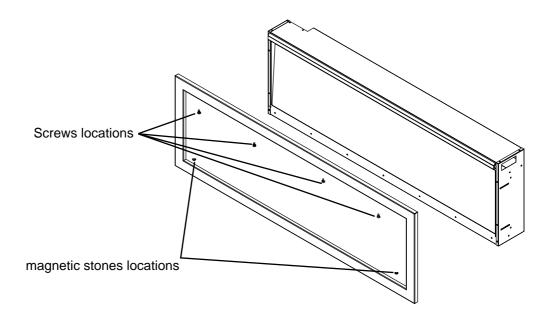
'Clear decorative media' is included with this unit. Consumers may purchase optional decorative media if they choose. See dealer for more details.



Clear

#### **DECORATIVE MEDIA INSTALLATION**

Unscrew 4 screws, remove 2 magnetic stones that fix the trim and take off the trim. (NOTE: Keep hold of the front glass as it may fall down automatically when the trim is removed.)



# Installing the decorative media

Pour the fire glass media into the tray. Feel free to use any combination of the fire glass media that you find most appealing. Put back the trim and front glass after you finish installing the fire glass.



#### **OPERATION**

The fireplace can be operated either by the switches located on the left bottom of the fireplace unit or by supplied remote control.

Plug the fireplace into a 15 Amp wall socket.

#### MANUAL OPERATION



- 1. The main power ON/OFF switch in position O, the fireplace is OFF.
- 2. When main power ON/OFF switch is at position I, the fireplace is ready to use.
- 3. Press the \$\infty\$ button repeatedly to set the heater to desired heat setting. The heater indicator LED will glow which shows the current heater settings.
  - a) RED 1500W HEAT OUTPUT
  - b) BLUE 750W HEAT OUTPUT
  - c) PURPLE AUTO MODE

#### **AUTO MODE**

Under this mode the heater will automatically turn ON at high heat setting 1500W heat output when the room temperature drops below  $22^{\circ}C(72^{\circ}F)$ . When the room temperature is between  $22\text{-}25^{\circ}C(72\text{-}77^{\circ}F)$  the heater output will switch to low heat setting 750W. When the room temperature goes above  $25^{\circ}C(77^{\circ}F)$  the heater will be turned off and the cycle will continue. The LED indicator will be PURPLE in colour under this mode.

- 4. Flame effect: Press the button marked to adjust the flame brightness. The flame brightness will cycle through –Low-Medium-High -OFF.
- 5. Mood light effect: Press the button marked 🕍 to change the mood light colour.

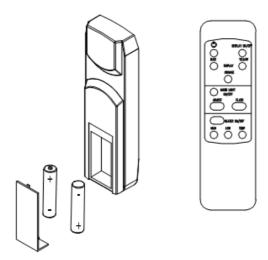
NOTE: If operated at the Low heat setting, the fireplace will not provide as much heat output as in the High heat setting, however the low setting will not require as much electrical power to operate.

To avoid overloading a circuit, do not plug the fireplace into a circuit that already has other appliances working. When the fireplace is not in use switch off and unplug.

# **SAFETY CUT-OFF**

- This appliance is fitted with a safety cut-off which will operate if the fireplace overheats (eg. Due to blocked air vents). For safety reasons, the fireplace will NOT automatically reset.
- To reset the appliance, disconnect the appliance from the main supply for at least 10 minutes. Reconnect the supply to the main and switch on the appliance.

## REMOTE CONTROL OPERATION



For remote to function make sure the heater is plugged in and main power switch located on the bottom left hand side is at position I.

When operating the remote make sure you point the remote to the centre of the fireplace and make sure each time you press the button you hear the buzzer inside the unit beep once. It takes some time for the receiver to respond to the transmitter. Do not press the buttons more than once within two seconds for correct operation.

Power on  $\circ$  button: The power-on button at top left corner of the remote is the main ON/OFF power button. This will turn off all the functions and the fireplace will be in standby mode.

DISPLAY ON/OFF button: Switching the fireplace flame and tray light ON/OFF. It has functions of setting memory.

DISPLAY BLUE button: Adjust the blue color brightness of flame and tray.

DISPLAY YELLOW button: Adjust the yellow color brightness of flame and tray.

DISPLAY ORANGE button: Adjust the orange color brightness of flame and tray.

MOOD LIGHT ON/OFF button: Switching the mood light ON/OFF.

ADJUST button: Switching the color of the mood light.

FLASH button: Switches the mood light into flash mode, this cycles through all mood light colors.

HEATER ON/OFF button: Switching the heater ON/OFF. It has functions of setting memory.

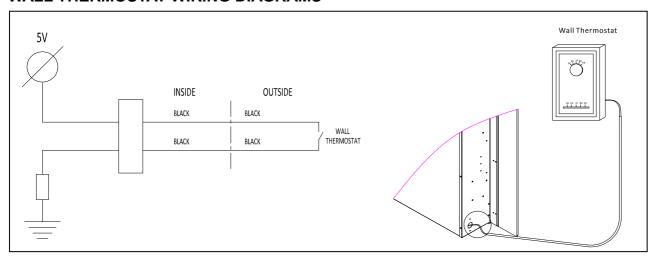
HIGHT button: Press the high button to switch the heater to high heat setting 1500W.

LOW button: Press the low button to switch the heater to low heat setting 750W.

TEMP. button: Press the TEMP. button to switch the heater to AUTO mode. Under this mode the heater will operate in similar way as explained above for the manual operation.

# **INSTALLING WALL THERMOSTAT**

#### WALL THERMOSTAT WIRING DIAGRAMS



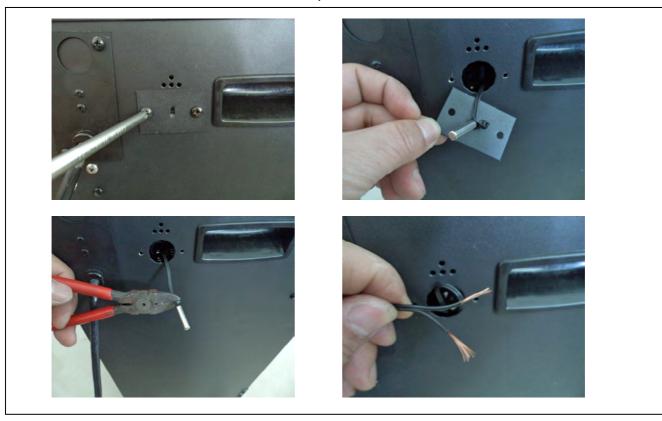
NOTE: The wall thermostat will be functioning when the heater is on the TEMP. setting.

Wire the wall thermostat prior to installing the fireplace.

# WALL THERMOSTAT WIRING(24 VAC)

Install Wall Thermostat per instructions provided with kit and per the following information:

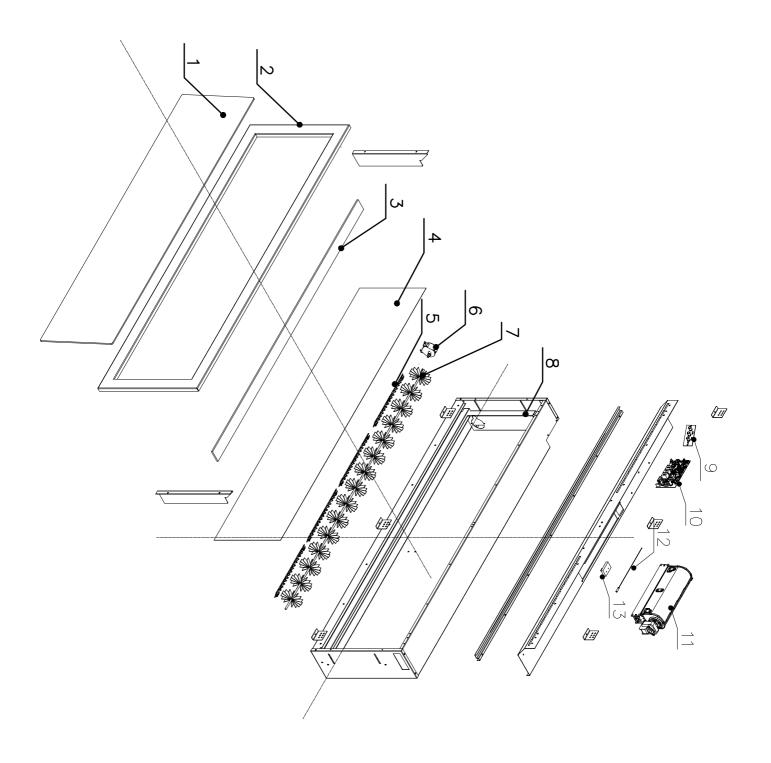
- 1. Turn off circuit breaker.
- 2. Remove cover plate located on the rear upper left side of the appliance.
- 3. Pull the wire out and cut the inside thermostat. Connect the wires to the wall thermostat as shown below. Follow the instructions provided with wall seitch kit.



# **REPLACEMENT PARTS**

NO	PART NUMBER			DESCRIPTION	QTY
	AMB-IW-50	AMB-IW-60	AMB-IW-74	-	
1				FRONT GLASS	1
2	3155501	3156501	3157501	TRIM	1
3				EMBER BED GLASS	1
4	3155012	3156012	3157012	BLACK PLASTIC	1
5	601137B	601136B+601137B	601136B+601137B	LED STRIP	
6		FLAME MOTOR	1		
7	3155505	3156505	3157505	FLICKER ASSEMBLY	1
8				FIRE BOX	
9	601036			CONTROL PANEL	1
10		601092C		CIRCUIT BOARD	1
11				BLOWER AND HEATER ASSEMBLY	1
12	10114001B			THERMOSTAT	1
13	601002B			SIGNAL RECEIVER	1
14	10105063			REMOTE CONTROL	1

# **EXPLODED VIEW**



# **TROUBLE SHOOTING**

PROBLEM	POSSIBLE CAUSE	SOLUTION
Dim or no flame	Flame LED's are burnt out	Inspect the LED's and replace them if necessary
	Back black cloth is falling off and roll the flicker	Change a new flicker and back black cloth
Ember bed is not glowing or dimming	Ember LED's are burnt out	Inspect the ember bed LED's and replace them if necessary
Appliance turns off and will not turn on	Appliance has overheated and safety device has caused the thermal switch to disconnect	Turn off the main switch, allow appliance to cool for 10 minutes, then turn it on
	House circuit breaker has tripped	Reset house circuit breaker
	Appliance's fuse has blown	Replace the fuse
Appliancewillnot come on when switch is flipped to ON	Appliance is not plugged into an electrical outlet	Check plug and plug in
impect to ON	Appliance has overheated and safety device has caused the thermal switch to disconnect	Turn off the main switch, allow appliance to cool for 10 minutes, then turn on
	Circuit board is burnt out	Inspect the circuit board and replace if necessary
No warm air coming out of appliance	Heater is burnt out	Inspect the burner and heater assembly and replace if necessary
Flame sputters	Flame motor is defective	Call a qualified service technician and replace flame motor
Remote Control does not work	Low batteries Unit switch in "O" position	Replace AAA batteries in remote control Turn the switch in "I" position
Flame is fixed	Wiring may be loose or the flame motor may be defective	·

# **SERVICE HISTORY**

This heater must be serviced annually depending on usage.

Date	Dealer Name	Service Name	Technician	Service Performed	Special Concerns

#### WARRANTY

Ambiance warrants that your newly purchased Ambiance electric fireplace is free from manufacturing and material defects for a period of two (2) years from the date of the first purchase, subject to the conditions and limitations contained below.

#### **Warranty Application & Exclusions**

This limited warranty applies to your newly purchased Ambiance electric fireplace; the limited warranty's application is limited to purchases made in any province of Canada or in any of the 52 States of the United States of America, including the District of Columbia. Only the original purchaser of the product is eligible for coverage under this limited warranty; the warranty is not transferable.

#### Products excluded from this limited warranty

Light bulbs are not covered by this limited warranty and are the sole responsibility of the owner/purchaser. Ambiance does not cover service or labor charges.

#### **Warranty Coverage and Team**

Products covered by this limited warranty have been tested and inspected prior to shipment and subject to the terms & conditions of this warranty, Ambiance warrants such products to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of two(2) year from the date of the first purchase.

The limited two (2) year warranty period for this product also applies to any implied warranties that may exist under applicable law. Some jurisdictions do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, therefore the above limitation may not apply to the purchaser.

All other warranties - expressed or implied - with respect to the product, its components and accessories or any obligation/liabilities on the part of Ambiance are hereby expressly excluded.

#### **Limitations to Coverage under Limited Warranty**

This limited warranty does not apply to products that have been repaired or otherwise altered, except by Ambiance or its authorized service representatives. This limited warranty does not apply to defects resulting from misuse, abuse, accident, neglect, incorrect installation, improper maintenance or handling, or operation with an incorrect power source. Products made by other manufacturers, sold with the product or thereafter, are not covered by this limited warranty. The use of unauthorized components will render this warranty null and void.

#### **Defects**

Defects must be brought to the attention of the selling dealer. Please have your proof of purchase, catalogue/model and serial numbers available when contacting dealer; any and all service under the limited warranty requires a proof of purchase of the product. Should a product or part covered by this limited warranty be proven to be defective, in material or workmanship, and during the two (2) year limited warranty period, Ambiance will replace such defective product or part without charge. If Ambiance is unable to replace such product, or if replacement is not commercially practicable or cannot be timely done, in its sole discretion Ambiance may, in lieu of replacement, choose to refund the purchase price for such product or part. Ambiance does not cover labor or service charges to replace said parts.

#### Limitations

In no event will Ambiance, including without limitation any of its directors, officers, shareholders, employees, consultants, agents, heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, be liable to the purchaser or any third party, whether in contract, in tort, or on any other basis for any indirect, special, punitive, exemplary, consequential, or incidental loss, cost or damage arising out of or in connection with the sale, maintenance, use or inability to use the product, even if Ambiance, including without limitation any of its directors, officers, shareholders, employees, consultants, agents, heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, have been advised of the possibility of such losses, costs or damages, or if such losses, costs or damages are foreseeable. In no event will Ambiance, including without limitation any of its directors, officers, shareholders, employees, consultants, agents, heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, be liable for any direct losses, costs or damages that exceed the purchase price of the product.

Some jurisdictions do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation or exclusion may not apply to the purchaser.

#### **Application of Provincial and State law**

This limited warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from jurisdiction to jurisdiction. The provisions of the United Nations Convention on Contracts for the Sale of Goods shall not apply to this limited warranty or the sale of products covered by this limited warranty.

#### General

Ambiance reserves the right to make changes at any time without notice, in design, material, specifications, prices and the right to discontinue styles and products.