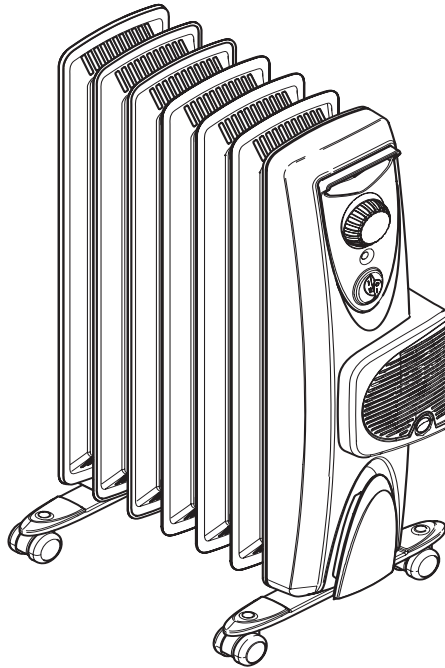


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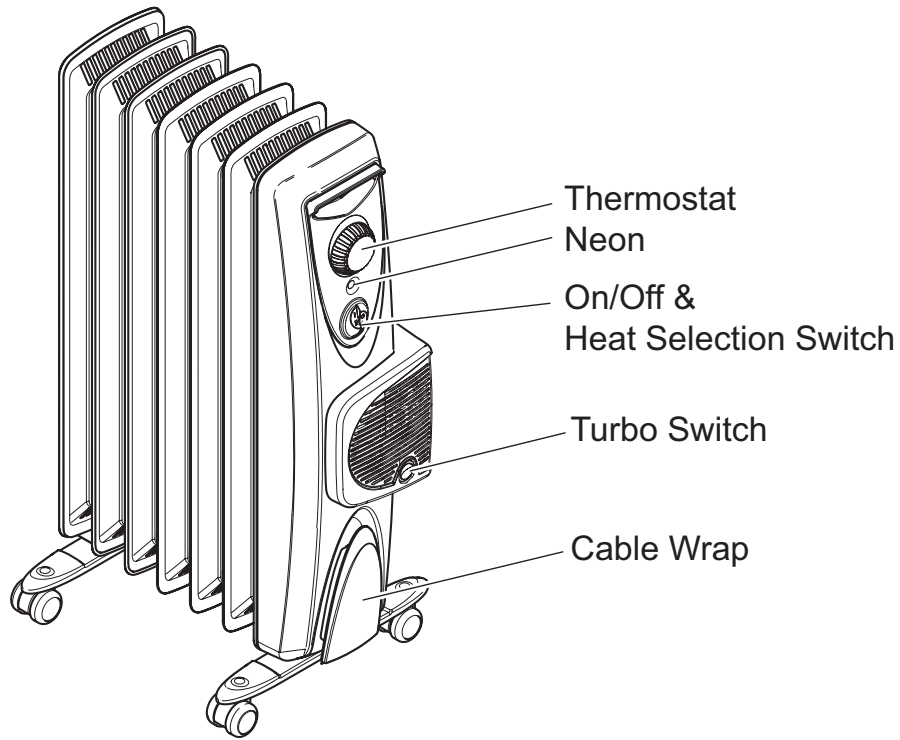


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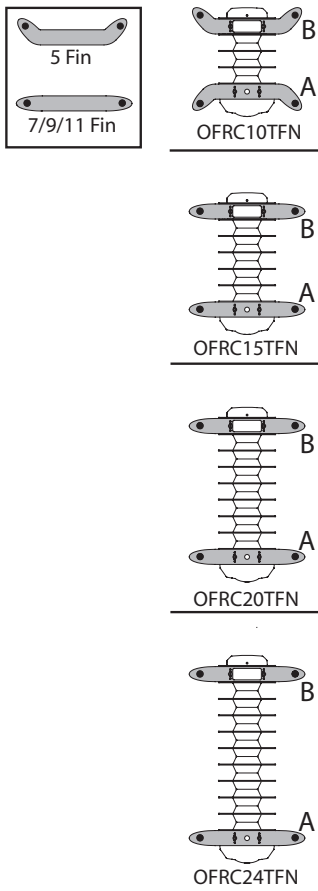
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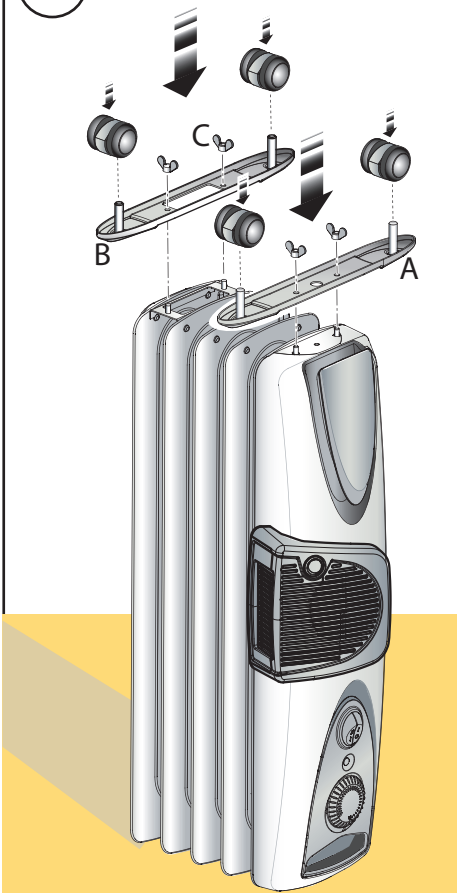
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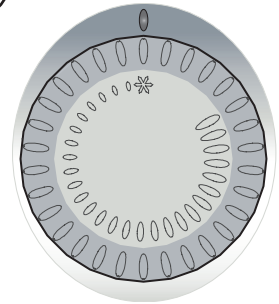
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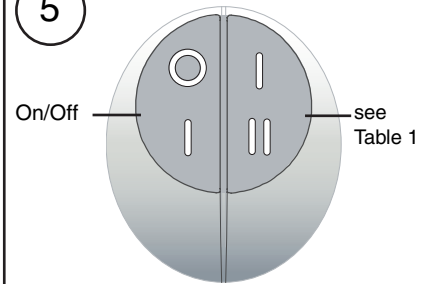
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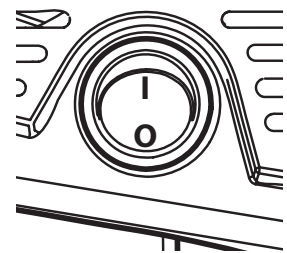
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# Dimplex Dry Column Heater

Models : OFRC10TFN(B)(W), OFRC15TFN(B)(W), OFRC20TFN(B)(W) & OFRC24TFN(B)(W)

THESE INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE READ CAREFULLY AND RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE

Model	Description	Watts
OFRC10TFN(B)(W)	5 Fin, Thermostat, 2 Heat Settings, Neon	1000
OFRC15TFN(B)(W)	7 Fin, Thermostat, 2 Heat Settings, Neon	1500
OFRC20TFN(B)(W)	9 Fin, Thermostat, 2 Heat Settings, Neon	2000
OFRC24TFN(B)(W)	11 Fin, Thermostat, 2 Heat Settings, Neon	2400

## Important Safety Advice


**IMPORTANT:** If the appliance is damaged, check immediately with the supplier before installation and operation.

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 or knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the 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.

Children of less than 3 years should be kept away unless continuously supervised. Children aged from 3 years and less than 8 years shall only switch on/off the appliance provided that it has been placed or installed in its intended normal operating position and they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children aged from 3 years and less than 8 years shall not plug in, regulate and clean the appliance or perform user maintenance.

**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.

This heater carries the warning symbol indicating that it must not be covered.

 **DO NOT** use the heater in the immediate surroundings of a bath, a shower or a swimming pool.

**WARNING:** This heater must not be used in a bathroom.

**DO NOT** place the heater directly below a fixed socket outlet.

**CAUTION:** Avoid use of an extension cord because the extension cord may overheat and cause risk of fire.

**WARNING:** In order to avoid overheating, do not cover the heater.

We recommend that you open a window to ventilate the room when using the heater for

the first time.

Unplug the heater when not required for long periods.

**IMPORTANT:** If the mains lead of this appliance is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer or its service agent or a similarly qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.

**DO NOT** use the heater where gas, petrol, paint or other inflammable goods are used or stored.

## General

The heater is designed for operation on an AC electricity supply, and is suitable for use in domestic dwellings and similar indoor locations.

Always ensure that the appliance is stood on a firm, level base near to, but not directly beneath, a suitable fixed socket outlet.

The heater is fitted with castors and a handle for ease of movement. Selector switches provide a choice of heat output, an adjustable thermostat which enables the room temperature to be controlled accordingly and a turbo Boost fan which is controlled independently by the turbo switch. It is supplied with a cord and plug ready for use.

The supply cord should be uncoiled before use (see 'Storage'). DO NOT pull the heater along by the mains lead.

**Important** - The heater must only be operated with the wheels and castors fitted and in the upright position as shown in **Fig. 1**.

Warning – The heater complies with stringent safety standards but to ensure efficient operation **SURFACES OF THE HEATER WILL BECOME HOT AND CONTACT WITH THESE AREAS SHOULD BE AVOIDED**, particularly between the fins on the top and sides.

The control panel area is designed to be at a far lower temperature to allow the safe operation of the controls at any time.

## WARNING – THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED

### Fitting the castors

Remove the carton containing the castor assemblies from the packing.

Fit the castors to the stub axles by applying hand pressure until each castor clicks into position - see **Fig. 3**. Note that the castors are designed to be a tight fit on the axles but will rotate in use.

The castors can only be fitted between the outer fins (as shown in **Fig. 2**).

Turn the heater upside down on a carpet or other soft surface to avoid damage

**WARNING: THE HEATER IS HEAVY – ENSURE THAT IT IS SUPPORTED TO PREVENT IT FROM TOPPLING.** Ask a second person to help with this if necessary. Position castor bracket (see **Fig. 3**) onto the threaded pins on the control panel. Place the winged nut 'C' on the thread and tighten it securely.

Repeat the process for castor bracket 'B' onto the last fin.

Note: The 5 fin column heater models - OFRC10 & OFRC10TI use curved castor brackets and must be fitted as shown in **Fig. 2**.

Lift the heater clear of the floor, then turn it back upright and stand it on its castors as shown in **Fig. 1**. It is now ready for use.

## Positioning the Heater

Select the position for the heater ensuring there is clearance from any furniture and fittings of at least 300mm above the heater and 150mm each side. The heater should only be operated on a flat stable surface.

## Operation

**IMPORTANT** – Objects or clothing must not be placed on this heater. Before using the heater ensure that all warnings and instructions have been read carefully.

To bring the heater into use plug it in. Neon indicating lights located at the controls area will glow when the appliance is plugged into the mains.

## Controls

### Thermostat (see Fig. 4)

The Thermostat (see Fig. 4) controls the heat output according to the room temperature. This ensures that the heater will not produce heat unnecessarily when the room is warm. To set the temperature you require, turn the thermostat knob clockwise until the required setting is reached. Alternatively to heat a cold room quickly, turn the thermostat knob up fully. When the room has reached the desired temperature, turn the thermostat knob anti-clockwise until the thermostat just clicks off. The heater will now automatically operate at this temperature. With the thermostat set to '✱' and the heat selection switch set to the required heat output the appliance switches on automatically when the temperature falls below +5°C to +8°C.

**Note** – Should the heater fail to come on when the thermostat is at a low setting, this may be due to the room temperature being higher than the thermostat setting.

### Heat Selector Switches (see Fig. 5)

Selector switches located on the control panel provide a choice of heat output to suit varying conditions and for economy of operation.

Table 1

Model	Switch I	Switch II	Turbo on
OFRC10TFN(B)(W),	500W	700W	1000W
OFRC15TFN(B)(W),	800W	1200W	1500W
OFRC20TFN(B)(W),	1200W	1700W	2000W
OFRC24TFN(B)(W),	1400W	2100W	2400W

### Turbo fan (see Fig. 5)

The turbo fan is used to boost the heat output and also the airflow around the room. This circulates the heat and results in a reduced heat up time and a more even heat distribution. The turbo fan is controlled by the switch on the front of the product.

The turbo can be turned on independently of the heat.

### Tilt Switch

The tilt switch will prevent the heater from working if it is accidentally tipped over on its side.

If the heater is tipped over while it is hot, disconnect the power and allow it to cool, then stand the heater back upright. Reconnect the power - normal operation should be resumed.

## Storage

If the heater is not required for long periods, for example during the summer, it should be stored in a dry place and preferably covered to prevent the accumulation of dirt and dust. The supply cord should be neatly coiled around the cable wrap (see Fig. 1) ensuring that the plug does not trail on the floor.

## IMPORTANT

The heater must be kept plugged in at the mains to retain the time and the programmed settings. If unplugged from the mains, resetting the time and the programmed settings will be necessary.

## Cleaning

**WARNING - ALWAYS DISCONNECT THE POWER SUPPLY BEFORE CLEANING THE HEATER.**

Do not use detergents, abrasive cleaning powder or polish of any kind on the body of the heater.

Allow the heater to cool, then wipe with a dry cloth to remove dust and a damp cloth (not wet) to clean off stains. Be careful not to allow moisture in to the heater.

## Recycling



For electrical products sold within the European Community.

At the end of the electrical products useful life it should not be disposed of with household waste. Please recycle where facilities exist. Check with your Local

Authority or retailer for recycling advice in your country.

## After Sales Service

Please see the separate Warranty leaflet for details of your Warantee & after sales service including contact details.

Should you require after sales service, please get in touch with the supplier through whom you purchased the appliance, or the contact number on your Warranty leaflet.