

Never use the heater except for its intended purpose. If it will not do what you want i.e. the heat output is insufficient for the area being heated, contact your local HSS Hire Shop for advice.

Only use the heater for the purpose it was designed for. Improper use may cause expensive damage and could be dangerous.

Keep the equipment clean. You will find it less of a chore if you clean it regularly, rather than wait until the end of the hire period.

When not in use, store the equipment somewhere clean, dry and safe from thieves.

FINISHING OFF

Switch the heat elements OFF, unplug the unit from the power supply and allow the unit to completely cool.

Once cool, neatly coil the power supply cable and give the unit a final clean up ready for return, to your local HSS Hire shop.



...any comments?

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Electric Radiator

An oil filled electric radiator producing up to 2,000W of heat. Ideal for site huts and small offices



Code 56182

GENERAL SAFETY

For advice on the safety and suitability of this equipment contact your local HSS Hire Shop.


There is a serious risk of personal injury if you do not follow all instructions laid down in this guide.

The hirer has a responsibility to ensure that all necessary risk assessments have been completed prior to the use of this equipment.

This equipment should only be used by an operator who has been deemed competent to do so by his/her employer.

This equipment should be used by an able bodied, competent adult who has read and understood these instructions. Anyone with either a temporary or permanent disability, should seek expert advice before using it.

Keep children, animals and bystanders away from the work area. Cordon off a NO GO area using cones and either barriers or tape, available for hire from your local HSS Hire Shop.

 Never use this equipment if you are ill, feeling tired, or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

Do not use the heater near flammable gases or liquids, petrol or paint thinner fumes for example. Keep combustible materials at a safe distance – at least 5m.

Never place anything on top of the heater and never obstruct its air vents. Leave a 300mm gap all round so that air can freely circulate.

To avoid possible heat damage NEVER position the heater near or on heat sensitive surfaces.

NEVER use the heater as a form of dryer i.e. for drying clothes!

Check the condition of the equipment before use. If it shows signs of damage or excessive wear, return it to your local HSS Hire Shop.

SAFETY REMINDER


- Always plug in properly
- Never plug the heater into an extension cord
- Plug the Heater directly into the wall socket (110V via a transformer)
- Do not add another appliance to the socket to help prevent over heating
- Never leave unattended
- Always switch OFF the equipment when not in use, leaving it cool before handling it

ELECTRICAL SAFETY

The HSS Electric Radiator plugs into a standard 240V 13amp earthed power socket.

If the equipment fails, or if its power supply cable or plug becomes damaged, return it. Never try to repair it yourself.

Keep the equipment dry, using electrical equipment in very damp or wet conditions can be dangerous.

 To reduce the risk of electric shock, always use a suitable RCD (Residual Current-Operated Device) available from your local HSS Hire Shop. Or power the equipment from a mains circuit with a built in RCD.

Ensure the machine and power socket are switched OFF before plugging into the power supply.

GETTING STARTED

Set the heater up on a firm level surface.

Position the heater facing the area to be heated. DO NOT place near heat sensitive items or surfaces as this may cause expensive damage!

Set the thermostatic control lever fully down to minimum and set both elements ON/OFF switches to OFF.

Plug the heater into its power supply and switch the supply ON.

BASIC TECHNIQUES

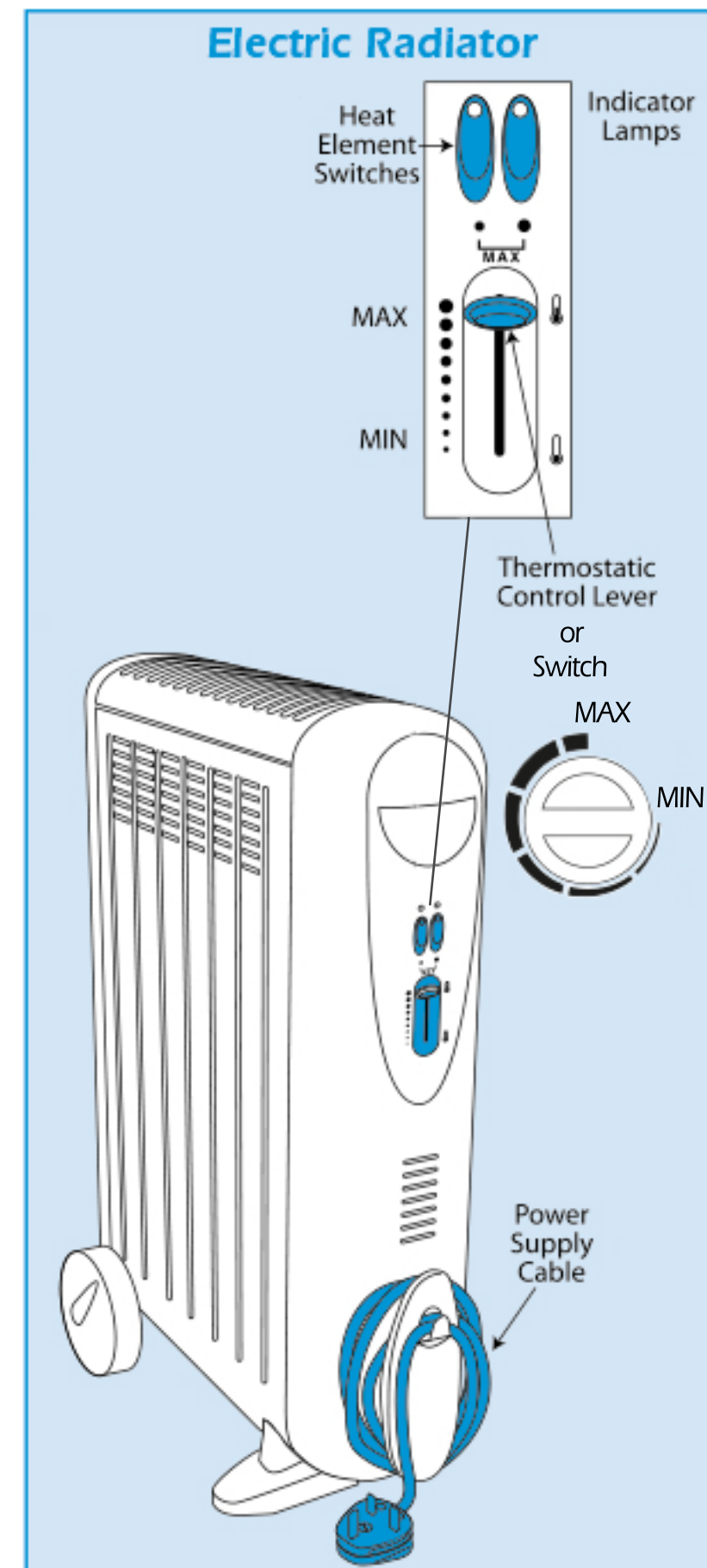
The maximum output of the heater is 2.0kW, each element produces 1.0kW and can be controlled independently.

The element ON/OFF switches are fitted with indicator lamps which illuminate to confirm the element is switched ON.

Depending on how much heat is required, switch either one or both elements ON by moving the switch down.

Move the thermostatic control lever fully up to the maximum setting and leave the unit to heat up.

Once the room has reached the required heat, move the thermostatic control lever down until the heater



switch indicator lamps go out.

When the room temperature drops, the thermostatic control will switch the heat elements on again.

EQUIPMENT CARE