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The following information pertains to all Display/Optic Tungsten-Halogen and Incandescent lamps including Infrared Heat Lamps, Current-Controlled Airfield Lamps, PAR and other Reflector Lamps.

### **WARNING:**

In accordance with ANSI/IESNA Standard RP-27, Display/Optic incandescent & tungsten halogen lamps are Risk Group 2 products.

Read and understand this warning before using this bulb!

THIS LAMP EMITS ULTRAVIOLET AND INFRARED RADIATION. ALWAYS WEAR SUITABLE EYE PROTECTION WHEN WORKING NEAR THIS LAMP. THIS LAMP OPERATES AT HIGH PRESSURE AND AT HIGH TEMPERATURE AND MAY SHATTER UNEXPECTEDLY. THIS LAMP MUST BE USED IN A FIXTURE THAT HAS A SUITABLE PROTECTIVE SHIELD AND/OR SCREEN TO PROTECT PEOPLE AND SURROUNDINGS AGAINST THE RISK OF PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR PROPERTY DAMAGE FROM LAMP SHATTERING AND EXPOSURE TO INFRARED OR ULTRAVIOLET RADIATION.

ALL OF THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES MUST BE FOLLOWED FOR SAFETY AND TO OBTAIN SATISFACTORY LAMP PERFORMANCE.

### **GENERAL SAFETY AND INSTALLATION TIPS:**

- 1. This lamp generates UV (ultraviolet) and/or IR (infrared) radiation. Prolonged exposure to this lamp may cause skin and eye irritation from the radiation when operated at or above rated voltage.
  - Please note that lamp with reference number 64614 has enhanced UV output as a result of its reflector coating.
- 2. To avoid risk of serious eye injury from the intense light, do not stare at operating lamp.
- 3. Because this lamp radiates considerable heat, do not use in close proximity to people, combustible materials, or substances adversely affected by heat or drying.
- 4. To avoid shattering of glass parts and/or lens/reflector, keep water, other liquids and metal objects from contacting hot glass surfaces. Protect the entire lamp from moisture (rain, snow, etc.) to avoid cracking or breaking.
- **5.** Protect the lamp from contamination, abrasion and scratches. Do not use if lamp is scratched, cracked or damaged in any way.
- **6.** For safe and proper lamp operation, operate at rated voltage and wattage. Operation above rated voltage increases UV output and internal pressure, thus increasing the risk of rupture.
- 7. This lamp (for <u>reflectorized lamps</u>, this applies to inner lamp capsule) operates at high internal pressure and at high surface temperature and may unexpectedly shatter resulting in hot, flying fragments of glass or metal. Although this lamp was carefully constructed, tested and inspected before packing and shipping, under certain conditions beyond the manufacturer's control, the glass parts could crack or break.



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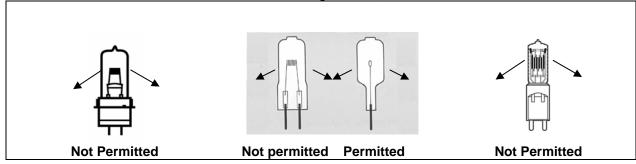
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**8.** For PAR and other reflectorized lamps: Even though this lamp may continue to operate after the reflector and/or lens is broken or damaged, it should be replaced as soon as possible since the pressure-filled inner lamp capsule could unexpectedly shatter if scratched or otherwise damaged, creating a risk of personal injury or property damage.

#### LAMP MOUNTING AND OPERATION:

- 1. Use only in equipment/fixture specifying this lamp type, including voltage and wattage. Use in circuits, which do not exceed rated voltage and in sockets and equipment designed for its use.
- 2. Do not touch or handle the quartz glass with bare fingers. Contaminants can burn in at high operating temperatures and cause glass to recrystalize. This makes the glass opaque and milky; it increasingly loses its strength, and the risk of bursting increases. If lamp is touched, clean with denatured alcohol and wipe dry with a soft, clean lint-free cloth before operating.
- 3. Make sure lamp is properly installed into socket to obtain good electrical contact and to avoid damaging lamp and/or socket. A heat resistant connector should be used to make electrical contact to the lamp base for safety and to obtain rated lamp life. To avoid damage to lamps with bipin bases, do not twist. Pull old lamp straight out and push new lamp straight in. For safe and proper operation of lamps with lead wires, please ensure that the lamp is securely supported and the lead-wires are securely connected to the electrical supply.
  - For PAR 36, 46, 56, 64 lamps: To avoid breaking, the lamp must be supported by its rim.
- 4. Operating temperatures deteriorate lamp sockets. Socket condition may affect lamp life. Replace socket if deterioration of socket or lamp base contacts is observed.
- 5. Do not move, bump or bounce equipment/fixture during operation because mechanical shock can cause shattering and failure of the lamp.
- 6. For PAR 36, 46, 56 and 64 lamps: Lamp should be operated with a protective shield (especially in public places -- churches, auditoriums, etc) to prevent the risk of personal injury or property damage from flying lamp fragments in the event of the lamp cracking or breaking.
- 7. To avoid risk of burns or electrical shock, do not remove or insert lamp when power is on, allow lamp to cool to room temperature before removing or storing.
- 8. Replace all equipment/fixture covers and shields after servicing to prevent personal injury or property damage.
- 9. All Display/Optic lamps have a range of permissible operating positions. Please see relevant operating position information in our literature or on-line catalog and only operate lamps at the operating positions specified. The basic rule for all single-ended Display/Optic halogen and incandescent lamps is that the lamp may only be tilted/inclined perpendicular to the plane through both filament lead-wires (see illustrations and list of affected filament designs below).



### **Affected Filament Designs:**

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C-2V, C-6, C-6F, C-13, C-13D, CC-2V, CC-6, CC-13, CC-13D, 2C-8, 2CC-8

- 10. Keep lamp seal temperature below 350°C (660°F) and the lamp wall temperature between 250°C (480°F) and 900°C (1650°F). When used in equipment designed to provide cooling to operating lamp, do not obstruct equipment cooling system.
- 11. Filaments for high luminance applications are designed in such a way that the incandescent elements do not block each other in the direction of projection. The positioning of single filament coils in one plane is called a monoplane filament. Biplane filaments have the incandescent elements staggered forward and backward in two parallel planes while maintaining adequate spacing to prevent arc-over.
- 12. Note: Photometric values of a frosted lamp will vary from the published values of the same non-frosted type.

### **LAMP DIMMING:**

- 1. <u>Incandescent lamps (non-halogen):</u> Incandescent lamps perform according to fixed relationships between luminous flux, luminous efficacy, color temperature, electrical voltage, electrical current and electrical power consumption. In general, a 5% increase in applied lamp voltage results in half the lamp life, and conversely a 5% reduction of lamp voltage results in twice the lamp life.
- 2. Tungsten-Halogen Lamps: In standard incandescent lamp operation, there is an inverse relationship of lamp life vs. supply voltage; i.e., the lower the voltage, the longer the life. In some tungsten halogen lamps, however, this holds true only when operated within 5 to 10% of the rated voltage. Further dimming, beyond the 10%, may affect the halogen chemistry in the lamp and may cause filament corrosion. There are also tungsten halogen lamps that only achieve nominal lamp lives regardless of the level of dimming that is used. Unlike standard incandescent lamps, the relationships in halogen lamps are not clear-cut because of the halogen chemical cycle. For the vaporized tungsten to be removed from the inner bulb wall, a minimum bulb wall temperature is necessary. This temperature is directly related to the power input to the lamp such that a reduction in power effects a reduction in the bulb wall temperature. Special design techniques have been incorporated in modern halogen lamps to prevent blackening regardless of the level of dimming. Consideration must be given to lamp dimming in applications that require maximum constancy of color temperature (photographic and video recording, for example), since the color temperature changes with the filament temperature.

### **CURRENT-CONTROLLED HALOGEN LAMPS:**

Some lamp types are designed for constant current operation, primarily for airfield applications. They are usually operated in series with an isolation transformer tap connected to each lamp to ensure that all lamps have the same brightness. Constant current-operated lamps differ in performance from the published values of constant applied voltage lamps. Direct series connection of non-constant current designed lamps is not recommended.

#### **INFRARED HEAT LAMPS:**

These lamps are designed for use in applications specifically requiring an infrared radiation source. Infrared radiation from these lamps causes surfaces to be heated. These lamps operate at high temperatures. Allow sufficient cooling time before handling. A listing of Kelvin temperatures, method for electrical connection, and operating positions with appropriate cooling recommendations for tungsten halogen special heat lamps can be found in the OSRAM literature or in the on-line catalog.

**<u>CAUTION:</u>** The infrared reflector lamp, HLX 64635 is specially designed to produce high temperatures at its focal point (approximately 1300°C / 2372°F) for soldering, welding and heating applications.



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### LAMP DISPOSAL:

1. Disposal of spent lamps must be in accordance with applicable federal, state/provincial, and local regulations.

- 2. Lamp users in North America may obtain specific state or province information concerning disposal regulations, toll-free, by calling 1-866-666-6850.
- 3. OSRAM SYLVANIA Products Inc. cannot advise lamp users as to general or specific disposal regulations for federal, state/provincial, and/or local municipalities.