



# ELECTRIC GARAGE HEATER

User's Manual &  
Operating Instructions

## Model Numbers:

**PT-03-240-GH / PT-05-240-GH**

**CONSUMER: READ AND SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS**

## Safety Information

### **▲ WARNING**

**USE THIS HEATER ONLY AS DESCRIBED IN THIS MANUAL. ANY OTHER USE NOT RECOMMENDED BY THE MANUFACTURER MAY CAUSE FIRE, ELECTRIC SHOCK, OR INJURY TO PERSONS.**

### **▲ WARNING**

**FIRE OR EXPLOSION MAY OCCUR!** Heater has hot arching or sparking parts inside. Do not use it in areas where gasoline, paint or flammable liquids are used or stored.

### **▲ WARNING**

**RISK OF FIRE.** To prevent a possible fire, Do not block intakes or exhaust in any manner. Do not use on soft surfaces, like a bed where openings may become blocked. Heater must be kept clear of all obstructions. Maintain a 3 foot minimum clearance from front and 12 inches from sides and rear. Heaters must be kept clean of lint, dirt, and debris (see maintenance instructions Page 5).

### **▲ WARNING**

**RISK OF FIRE. DO NOT** use heater with extension cord. Plug the heater directly into a 208-240VAC receptacle.

### **▲ WARNING**

**OVERHEATING OR FIRE MAY OCCUR.** Do not place heater behind doors.

### **▲ WARNING**

**BURN HAZARD.** This heater is hot when in use. To avoid burns, do not let bare skin touch hot surfaces. If provided, use handles when moving the heater

### **▲ WARNING**

**RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK OR INJURY.** Do not run cord under carpeting, Do not cover cord with throw rugs, runners or similar coverings. Do not route cord under furniture or appliances. Arrange cord away from the traffic area where it will not cause a tripping hazard. Do not operate any heater with a damaged cord or plug, or after heater malfunctions, or has been dropped or damaged in any manner. Discard heater, or return to authorized service facility for examination and / or repair.

### **▲ WARNING**

**RISK OF ELECTRICAL SHOCK.** Connect to properly grounded outlets only. Do not insert or allow foreign objects to enter any ventilation or exhaust opening as this may cause an electric shock or fire, or damage the heater. Unplug heater before performing any maintenance or when not in use, To disconnect heater, turn control to low, then remove plug from outlet.



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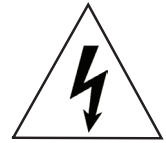
## Safety Information

**⚠ WARNING** NEVER SUSPEND ANY OBJECTS FROM MOUNTED HEATER

**⚠ WARNING** CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS: This product contains chemicals, including lead, known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. *Wash hands after handling.*



**CAUTION – RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK  
DO NOT OPEN HEATER SHELL  
NO USER-SERVICEABLE PARTS INSIDE**



**⚠ WARNING** Turn the electrical power off at the electrical panel board (circuit breaker or fuse box) and lock or tag the panel board door to prevent someone from turning on the power while you are working on the heater. When using electrical appliances, basic precautions should always be followed to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock and injury to persons, including the following:

**⚠ WARNING** Read all instructions before using this heater.

- Extreme caution is necessary when any heater is used by or near children or invalids.
- Do not use outdoors.
- This heater is not intended for use in bathrooms, laundry areas and similar indoor locations. Never locate heater where it may fall into a bathtub or other water container.
- Do not use heater in wet or moist locations.
- Always locate heater on a stable and level surface.
- Do not place the heater against paperboard or low-density fiberboard surfaces.
- Avoid using an extension cord because the extension cord may overheat and cause a risk of fire.

**⚠ WARNING** RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK!

- ALWAYS use only the electrical power (voltage and frequency) specified on the model plate of the heater.
- ALWAYS use only three-prong, grounded outlet and extension cord.
- ALWAYS unplug the heater when not in use.
- ALWAYS install the heater so that it is not directly exposed to water spray, rain, dripping water, or wind.
- Keep all combustible materials away from this heater

### Minimum Clearance From Combustibles

	PT-03-240-GH	PT-05-240-GH
Front	3 ft.	3 ft.
Top	1 ft.	1 ft.
Sides	1 ft.	1 ft.
Rear	1 ft.	1 ft.

**⚠ WARNING** CAUTION!  
HOT WHILE IN OPERATION.  
DO NOT TOUCH. KEEP CHILDREN,  
ANIMALS, CLOTHING AND  
COMBUSTIBLES AWAY FROM HEATER.



**Look for this icon throughout the manual for helpful tips on how to assemble, use and clean your Electric Fan Heater.**

**NEVER LEAVE HEATER UNATTENDED WHILE CONNECTED TO A POWER SOURCE**

## Specifications

Model #	PT-03-240-GH	PT-05-240-GH
BTU	10,200	17,000
Watts	3,000	5,000
Heating Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	320	540
Power (Volts)	240V~60Hz	240V~60Hz
Amps	15	30
Heat Settings	1	2

Specifications subject to change without notice.

## Features

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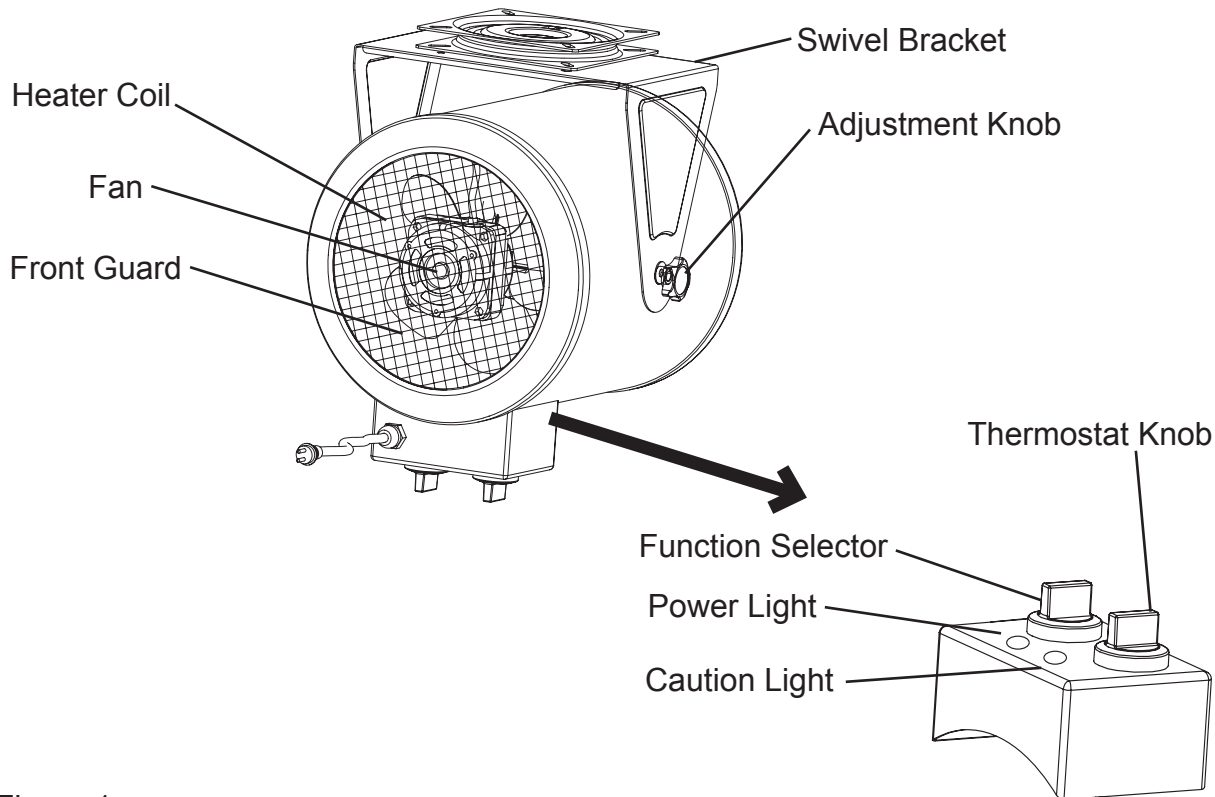


Figure 1

## Troubleshooting

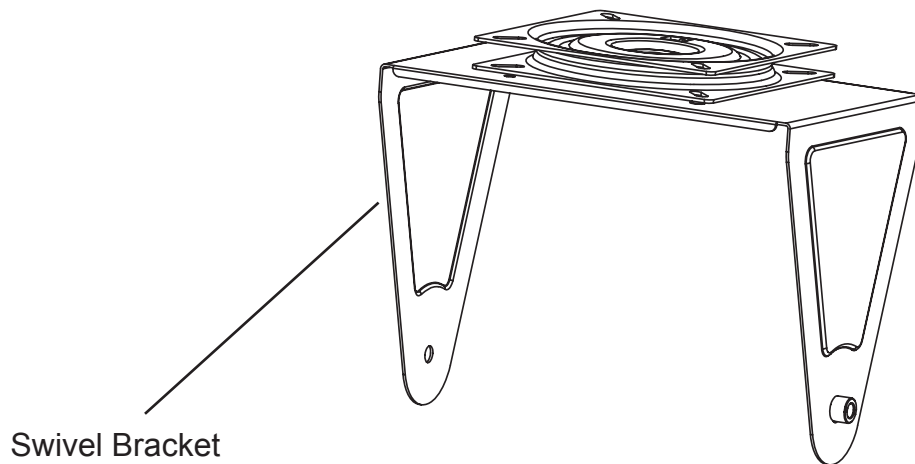
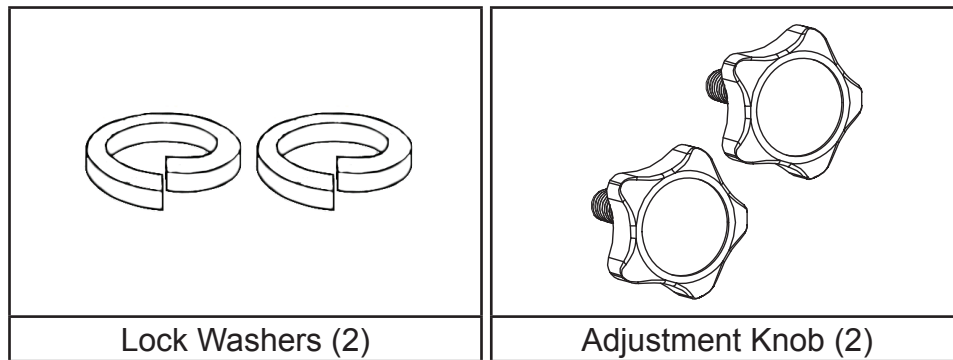
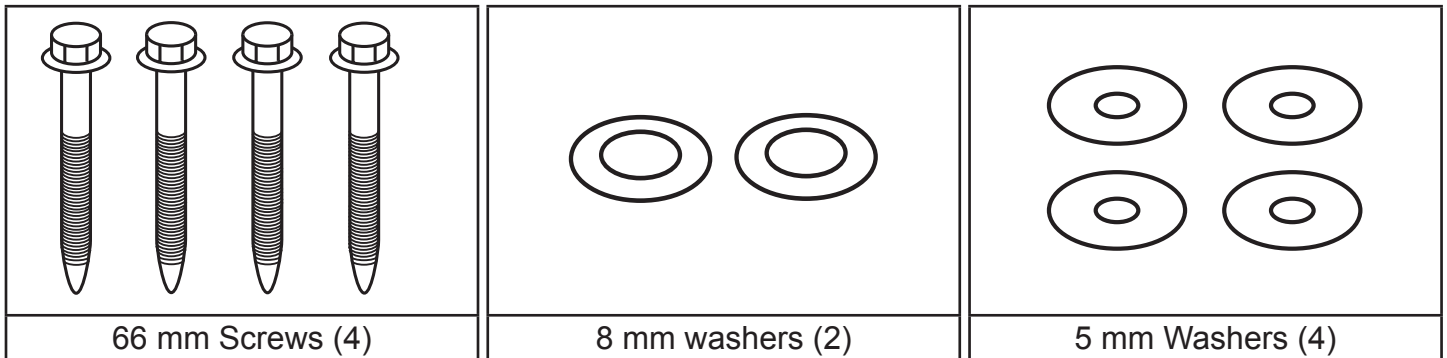
### Locating Your Serial Number:

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## Assembly Instructions

### What's In The Box



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## Assembly Instructions

### Tools Needed:

- Power Drill
- 4 mm or 5/32 in. drill bit
- Phillips head screwdriver
- Stud finder

### Ceiling Mounting

1. Locate wood stud in ceiling where heater will be mounted.
2. Use swivel bracket to mark 4 holes for drilling. Be sure a minimum of 2 holes (across swivel bracket from each other) will be drilled into wood stud in ceiling.
3. Pre-drill 4 holes for screws.
4. Attach swivel bracket to ceiling using 4 washers and screws (attach 2 screws to stud, then turn 90 degrees to attach 2 final screws.) Two (2) screws must be attached to a wood ceiling joist (min 1.5"). If 2 remaining screws cannot be attached to a wood ceiling joist, then moly / toggle bolts should be used for remaining holes.

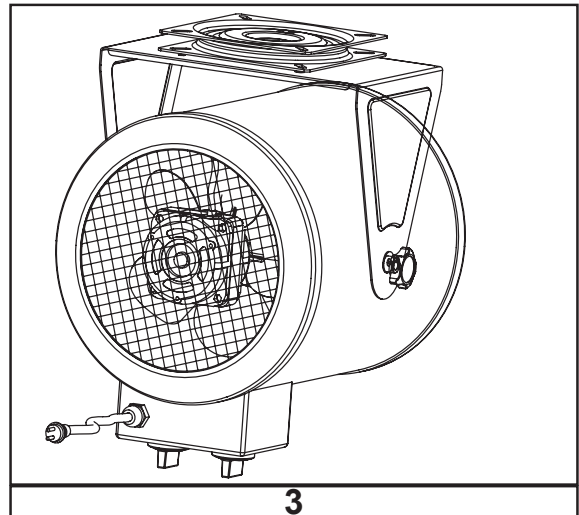
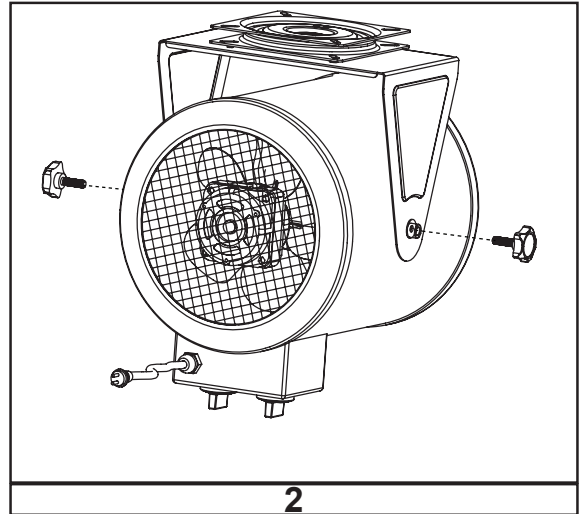
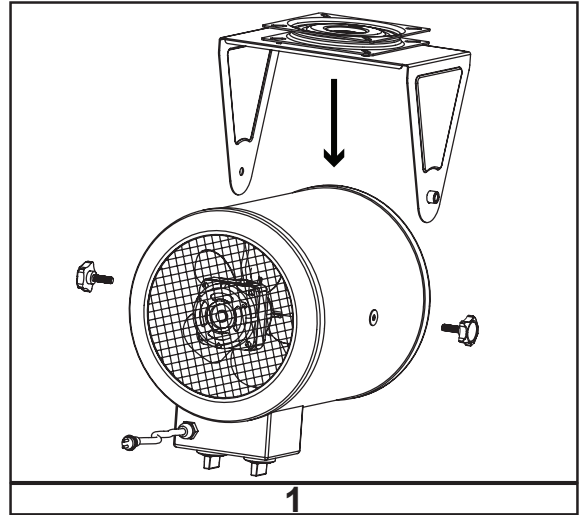
**▲ WARNING** HEATER MUST BE ATTACHED TO A JOIST WITH A MINIMUM OF TWO (2) SCREWS IN OPPOSING HOLES.

**▲ WARNING** If you are attaching this heater to a ceiling surface other than a wood ceiling joist and drywall, please use appropriate fasteners. The screws included with your heater are not intended to be used for metal joists.

### Attaching Heater to Swivel Bracket

1. Line up holes on swivel bracket with the holes on the heater shell.
2. Attach heater to swivel bracket with adjustment knobs larger 8 mm washers and locking washers. (Page 5)

**▲ WARNING** Be certain adjustment knobs are tightened firmly to secure heater to swivel bracket.



## Operation

1. Position the fan heater so that it stands upright on a firm, level surface and at a safe distance from wet environments and flammable objects.
2. Connect the fan heater to the proper electrical power. See Grounding instructions (Page 8 and Figure 2)
3. Set the thermostat dial to the maximum temperature.
4. The fan heater will switch on when the function selector dial is set to one of the three power settings.

Setting	Function
○	Unit is Off
⊕	Fan Runs - No heating
◐	Fan Runs - Half Power Heating
◑	Fan Runs - Full Power Heating
<b>NOTE:</b> The fan will run continuously while the heater is operating.	

5. Once the room reaches the desired temperature, turn the thermostat dial back until heating element turns off.

### **Automatic Overheat Safety Control**

- This heater is equipped with safety internal heat limiting thermostat and overheat protection circuit. When a potential overheat temperature is reached, the system will automatically shut the heater off at 158 °F (70 °C).

### **Caution Light**

- The Caution Light will illuminate when the Overheat Safety Control is activated. The heating element will be shut off until the unit has cooled to a safe level.
- The fan will continue to operate.
- Once the heater has reached a safe level (131 °F / 55 °c), the heater will turn back on automatically.

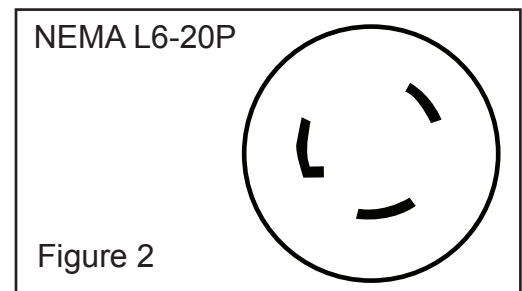
### **Thermostat Instructions**

- At first, set the thermostat to “+” and let the heater operate with full power input. When the room temperature reaches the required value, turn the thermostat to the left until it switches off.

- The thermostat will then switch on and off automatically to control the room temperature according to the preset value and keep the room temperature constant.
- When using the heater for the first time, you may notice a slight emission of smoke. This is quite normal and it stops after a short time. The heating element is made of steel and was coated with a layer of protective oil during production. The smoke is caused by the leftover oil as it is heated.

### **Grounding Instructions**

- This heater is for use on 240 (or 208) volts. The cord has a plug as shown in figure 2 (below). No adapter is available for this blade configuration, and none should be used. The type outlet is a 240 (or 208) volt grounding outlet. When properly installed, it provides a ground connection through the cord to the heater to protect the operator from electric shock.
- Be sure that the electrical receptacle is of the configuration and capacity appropriate for the heater.



### **Cleaning and Maintenance**

- Before cleaning the appliance, disconnect it from the outlet and let it cool down.
- In order to protect the enclosure, don't splash water onto the heater, and never use a solvent like gasoline, isoamyl acetate, toluene, etc. to clean the heater
- The enclosure is easy to get dirty. Wipe it often with a soft sponge. For very dirty parts, wipe with a sponge dipped in < 122°F water and mild detergent, then dry the heater enclosure with a clean cloth. Be careful not to let the water enter the inside of the appliance.

## Troubleshooting

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Problem	Cause	Solution
Fan stays on when heat shuts off.	1. Fan runs continuously while the heater is operating.	1. Heater is operating correctly.
Fan speed stays the same when changing settings.	1. Fan speed stays constant. Setting changes amount of heat output only.	1. Heater is operating correctly.
Heating element does not glow red.	1. Heating element is made of stainless steel and will not glow red to produce heat.	1. Heater is operating correctly.
Do not feel heat or air flow.	1. No power to heater. 2. Desired room temperature reached. 3. Heater does not heat area in front of heater, it will disperse heat throughout room to heat entire space.	1. Check power connections / connect heater to power supply. 2. Thermostat will shut off once desired room temperature is reached. Heater is operating correctly. 3. Heater is operating correctly.

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