T5 HD Series Heat Sink for T5 Series Tube Guards

Part Number: 17893



A CAUTION

- TO BE INSTALLED BY A QUALIFIED ELECTRICIAN
- **WARNING: ELECTRICAL SHOCK HAZARD**
- MAKE SURE THAT THE POWER IS "OFF" AT THE CIRCUIT BREAKER BEFORE PROCEEDING
- USE CARE WHEN INSTALLING HEAT SINK SCREEN IN THE TUBE GUARD TO AVOID CONTACTING THE HEAT SINK WITH THE LAMP PINS OR THE LAMP HOLDER





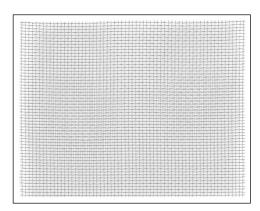
- Take one Heat Sink and the "clear plastic" Heat Sink Insertion Tool from the package.
- Using the Insertion Tool, roll the Heat Sink tightly around the tool and into a "round" shape prior to inserting it into the T5 Tube Guard. The intent is to eliminate "flat spots" and keep the Heat Sink from coming in contact with the T5 fluorescent lamp.
- Position the "now" rolled Heat Sink into the T5 Tube Guard and with the "seam" side up, place your finger with slight pressure on the seam and gradually roll the Heat Sink Screen into the T5 Tube Guard.
- Follow this procedure for the other Heat Sink.
- Make sure the Heat Sink is placed approximately 1-inch from the fluorescent lamp base.

T5 HD Series Heat Sink T5 HD Series **End Cap** T5 HD Series **Tube Guard**



WARNING

- It is safe to use EPCO T5 Tube Guards only in conjunction with electronic high efficiency ballasts designed to prevent an over-current condition to these fluorescent lamps during use and at the lamp's "end of life" (EOL).
- We strongly recommend using EPCO T5 Heat Sinks with all T5 HD Series Tube Guards (P/N 17893).
- The Installer must ensure the electrode bi-pin base end on the T5 fluorescent lamps are firmly "placed, rotated a ¼ turn, and fully seated" in the luminaire's lamp holder for maximum lamp retention. **Note:** After the fluorescent lamp is installed, there should not be a gap between the electrode bi-pin base end on the fluorescent lamp and the luminaire's lamp holder. A gap between the electrode bi-pin base on the fluorescent lamp and luminaire's lamp holder can create an "arcing" condition and cause a potential fire.
- Do not misalign the electrode bi-pin base end on the fluorescent lamp and the luminaire's lamp holder! Misalignment causes a poor electrical connection and subsequent "voltage drop" between the lamp holder contacts and the bi-pins of the lamp sufficient to cause an "arcing" condition that can start a fire.
- EPCO does not recommend using its T5 HD Series Tube Guards under any conditions where the surface temperature of the fluorescent lamp can or will exceed 225°F (107°C) or in "any" enclosed luminaire where normal venting is not available.
- EPCO T5 HD Series Tube Guards must not be used with any lighting system that includes dimming capability where power surges or voltage spikes can cause "arcing" or over-current condition to the lamps.
- We strongly recommend changing lamp(s) whenever there is "blackening" at the electrode bi-pin base end on the fluorescent lamp.



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