



MODERN EMBER

26-In Freestanding Electric Fireplace



26" Electric Fireplace

Model: ☐ ME-26-BLK ☐ ME-26-CRM ☐ ME-26-HNT

OWNER'S MANUAL

AC 120V 60Hz 1500W

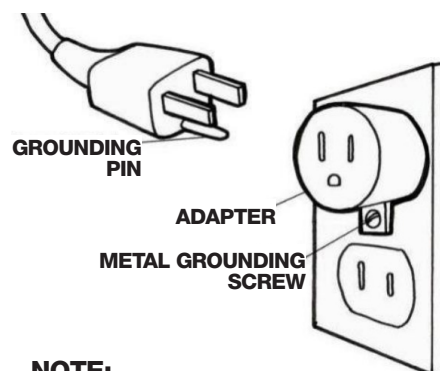
Important Safety Instructions

Read and understand this entire owner's manual, including all safety information, before plugging in or using this product.

⚠ 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.

- Remote control contains a small battery. **KEEP AWAY FROM CHILDREN.** If swallowed, seek medical attention immediately.
- **DO NOT** not install battery backwards, charge, put in fire or mix with used or other battery types as it may explode or leak causing injury.
- **DO NOT** let bare skin touch hot surfaces. This heater is hot when in use. To avoid burns, if provided, use handles when moving this heater. **KEEP** combustible materials, such as furniture, pillows, bedding, papers, clothes, and curtains at least 3 feet (0.9m) from the front of the heater, and keep them away from the sides and rear.
- **NEVER** leave this heater unattended. **ALWAYS** unplug this heater when not in use.
- **DO NOT** leave product running unattended in a confined space around infants or individuals with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities.
- **DO NOT** operate any heater with a damaged cord or plug, after it has malfunctioned, or if it has been dropped or damaged in any manner. Discard the heater or return it to an authorized service facility for examination and/or repair.
- **DO NOT** run power cord under carpeting. **DO NOT** cover power cord with throw rugs, runners, or similar coverings. **DO NOT** route power cord under furniture or appliances. Arrange power cord away from traffic area, and where it will not be tripped over.
- **DO NOT** insert or allow foreign objects to enter any ventilation or exhaust opening, as this may cause electric shock or fire, or damage the heater.
- To prevent a possible fire, **DO NOT** block air intakes or exhaust in any manner. Doing so could cause a fire.
- **DO NOT** use it in areas where gasoline, paint, or flammable liquids are used or stored as heater has hot and arcing or sparking parts inside.
- **DO NOT** burn wood or other materials in this fireplace.
- **ALWAYS** plug heaters directly into a wall outlet/receptacle. **NEVER** use with an extension cord or relocatable power tap (outlet/power strip).
- **DO NOT** place the heater near a bed because objects such as pillows or blankets can fall off the bed and be ignited by the heater.
- **NEVER** use this heater in bathrooms, laundry rooms, or any other location where the heater could fall into a bathtub or pool, become damp, or come in contact with water.
- **AVOID FIRE!** Regularly inspect all air vents to make sure they are free from dust, lint, or other blockage. Unplug the unit and clean with a vacuum **ONLY.** **DO NOT** rinse or get wet.
- This product is not intended to be a primary heat source. It is for supplemental heat only.
- **INDOOR** use only! **NEVER** use this heater outdoors! Doing so may result in electric shock!
- Risk of electric shock! **DO NOT OPEN!** No user-serviceable parts inside! Always use a qualified technician or service agency to repair the electric fire place.
- **ALWAYS** turn this heater off before unplugging it from the outlet.
- **ALWAYS** disconnect this unit from the power supply before performing any assembly or cleaning, or before relocating the electric fireplace.
- **ALWAYS** store this heater in a dry location. **NEVER** use the fireplace if it has become wet.
- Hyperthermia can result in death. Symptoms of hyperthermia include high body temperature, headache, nausea, vomiting, tiredness, dizziness, fainting, and rapid pulse. If you begin to experience symptoms related to hyperthermia, turn off the heater and seek medical attention.
- To avoid excessive room temperatures which can cause hyperthermia: **DO NOT** leave product running unattended in a confined space around infants or individuals with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities.
- **NEVER** plug this heater into an outlet that is old, cracked, or has any loose wires or connections. Plugging this heater into a faulty outlet could result in electric arcing within the outlet that could cause the outlet to overheat or catch fire.
- **CONNECT** to properly grounded outlets **ONLY.**
- **ALWAYS** check your heater cord and plug connections with each use!
- Electrical outlet wiring must comply with local building codes and other applicable regulations to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, or injury to persons.
- This heater is for use on 15 amps 120 volts circuit. A dedicated circuit is preferred, but not essential in all cases. A dedicated circuit will be required if, after installation, the circuit breaker trips or the fuse blows on a regular basis when the heater is operating. Additional appliances on the same circuit may exceed the current rating of the circuit breaker.
- The power cord supplied with the heater has three prongs. If a 3-slot receptacle is not available, an adapter **MUST** be used. The adapter **MUST** be properly grounded to the outlet box, the grounding lug extending from the adapter must be connected to a permanent ground such as a properly grounded outlet box. See figure below. Adapter **NOT INCLUDED.** Adapter should not be used if a three-slot grounded receptacle is available.



NOTE:

Adapters are **NOT** for use in Canada.

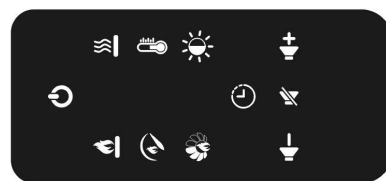
SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR FUTURE USE.

Parts Included

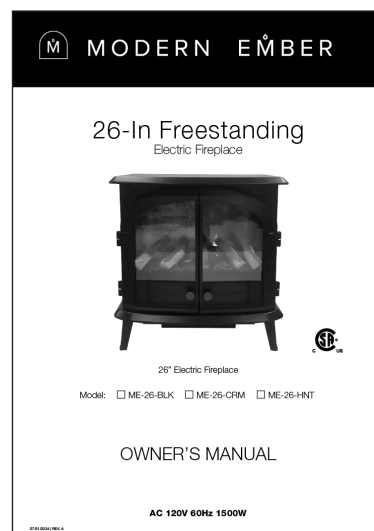
⚠ CAUTION This product includes a **GLASS** panel! **ALWAYS USE EXTREME CAUTION** when handling glass. **FAILURE** to do so could result in personal injury or property damage.



A – Fireplace



B – Remote Control



C – Instruction Manual

About This Fireplace

This electric fireplace offers an alternative to a wood or gas fireplace. It can give your existing fireplace new life or transform a cabinet or media center of your own into a stunning focal point.

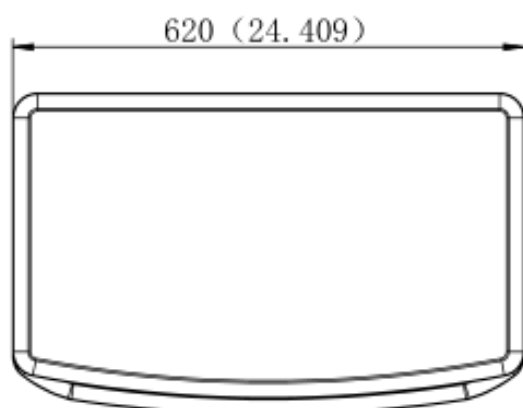
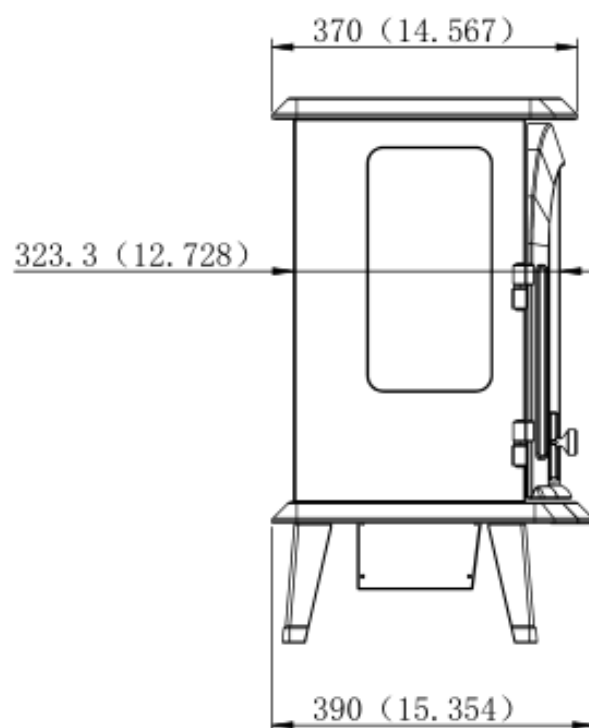
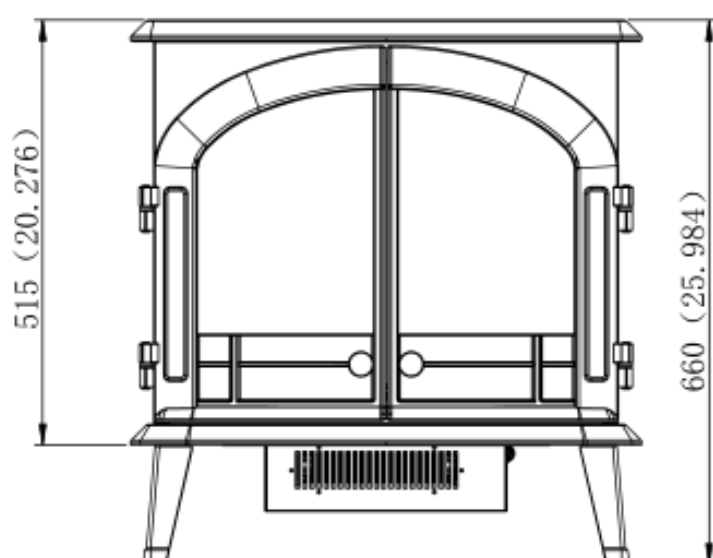
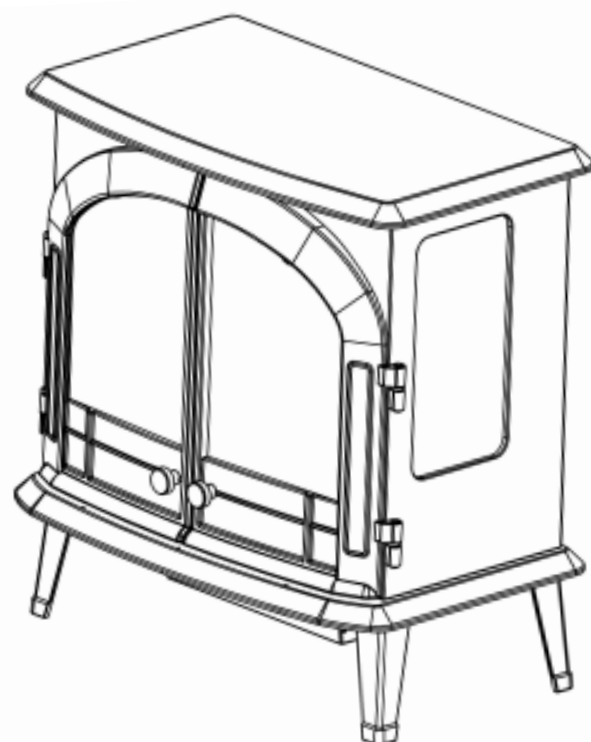
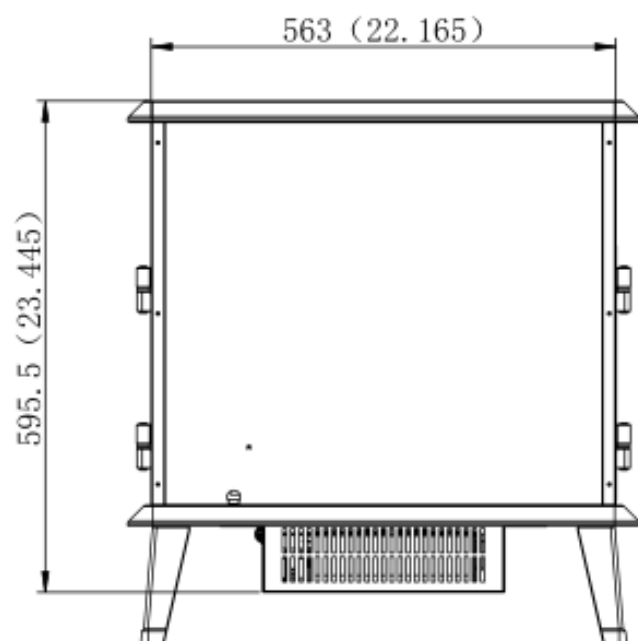
SPECIFICATIONS

MODEL	ME-26
NET WEIGHT	27.5 lbs (12.5 Kg)
OPERATING TEMPERATURE RANGE	-4° to 104° F (-20° to 40° C)
POWER	120V, 60 Hz / 12.5A / 1500 W Approvals certified to meet UL Standards

WIRING	Plug-In
BULB TYPE	LED
PRODUCT SIZE	Width: 24.4" (620 mm) Height: 26" (660 mm) Depth: 15.4" (390 mm)

Specifications

DIMENSIONS

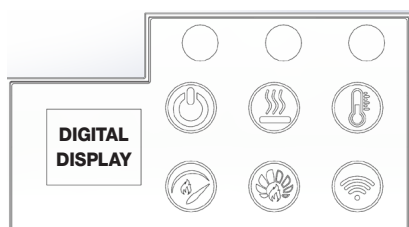


Methods of Operation

This electric fireplace can be operated by the CONTROL PANEL, by the battery-powered REMOTE CONTROL, or by the TUYA APP.

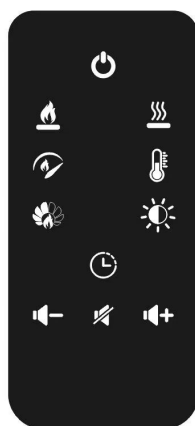
CONTROL PANEL

The manual controls for the electric fireplace are located on the front glass as illustrated below. Touch the hidden control to the right side of the small clear window to activate the controls. Select an icon and the digital display will highlight the selection. The touch panel will return to the hidden state after 5 seconds of inactivity.



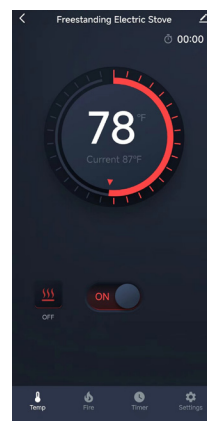
REMOTE CONTROL

The multi-function IR (infrared) remote control has a range of approximately 16.5ft (5m). To operate, the remote control must be pointed toward the front of the electric fireplace.



TUYA APP

Once paired to device through WiFi full control of the electric fireplace can be conducted through the app utilizing easy to understand user interface. See App Connection & Operating Instructions starting on page 8.



CONTROL FUNCTIONS

BUTTON	FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION																																		
	Power	Press to turn the unit on and off or put it in Standby mode. When the unit is turned back on, it will retain the previously used settings (except timer).																																		
	Heat Control	Heat On: Press to turn heat on (indicated by 1 short beep). Display will show Lo (low heat), Hi (high heat), or cool airflow OFF. After 2 seconds, display will show the room temperature. Use the Temperature icon to change the heater temperature setting. Lo - Press heat icon on the control panel to choose low heat. Hi - Press heat icon on the control panel to choose high heat. NOTE: When the heater is switched on, the heater fan will operate. The heater element may or may not be on depending on the thermostat setting (see “Temperature” section). Heat Off: Press to turn heat off. NOTE: After the heater is switched off, the fan will continue on for 1 minute before turning off.																																		
	Temperature	Press multiple times to cycle through the 16 temperature settings: <table><tr><td>C°</td><td>17</td><td>18</td><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td><td>30</td><td>31</td><td>32</td></tr><tr><td>F°</td><td>62</td><td>64</td><td>66</td><td>68</td><td>70</td><td>72</td><td>74</td><td>76</td><td>78</td><td>80</td><td>82</td><td>84</td><td>86</td><td>88</td><td>90</td><td>92</td></tr></table> NOTE: To operate the fan without heat, turn the heat on and select a temperature setting that is below the room temperature. Press once to display the set temperature. It will flash for 3 seconds and then display the room temperature.	C°	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	F°	62	64	66	68	70	72	74	76	78	80	82	84	86	88	90	92
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Methods of Operation

CONTROL FUNCTIONS (CONT.)

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	Disable Heat	On the touch panel, press the Heat and Temperature buttons at the same time and hold for 3 seconds to disable the heater. Press and hold again for 3 seconds to enable the heater. When the heater is disabled, “--” will display when Temperature button is pressed. The remainder of the unit’s controls will operate in the same fashion.								
	°C / °F Temp	The display can show the temperature reading in either °C or °F. To change the display, press and hold the Temperature and Flame Speed buttons at the same time on the touch panel.								
	Flame Speed	Press multiple times to toggle through flame speeds (minimum, medium, maximum). Display will show current speed number (F1, F2, F3 respectively).								
	Color Theme (Speaker On / Off)	Press multiple times to change the media and flame base colors. This feature is active only when the flame effect is on. Display will show theme (t0, t1, t2, etc.) <table><tr><td>Theme t0 - Midnight mode</td><td>Theme t4 - Media purple</td></tr><tr><td>Theme t1 - Media white</td><td>Theme t5 - Media green</td></tr><tr><td>Theme t2 - Media red/orange</td><td>Theme t6 - Prism mode (color cycle)</td></tr><tr><td>Theme t3 - Media blue</td><td></td></tr></table> To choose a custom color, press Brightness icon. Press again to return to Prism Mode. Speaker On / Off: Long press for 5 seconds to turn speaker off. Repeat to turn speaker on.	Theme t0 - Midnight mode	Theme t4 - Media purple	Theme t1 - Media white	Theme t5 - Media green	Theme t2 - Media red/orange	Theme t6 - Prism mode (color cycle)	Theme t3 - Media blue	
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	Brightness	ONLY AVAILABLE ON REMOTE. Press to change the brightness of the flame and logs. Display will show b1 (low), b2 (medium), or b3 (high).								
	Flame	ONLY AVAILABLE ON REMOTE. Press to turn the flame effect on. Press again to turn the flame effect off.								
	Timer	ONLY AVAILABLE ON REMOTE. Press timer button on remote multiple times to change the sleep timer by 0.5 hr from 0.5 hr to 8 hr before turning off. Press again, and the remaining time on the timer displays. When the timer is active, the timer indicator light will illuminate.								
	Speaker	ONLY AVAILABLE ON REMOTE. Press button on remote to turn the speaker on/off. <table><tr><td> Press to increase the volume</td><td> Press to decrease the volume</td></tr></table>	 Press to increase the volume	 Press to decrease the volume						
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	WiFi Setup	Default WiFi before APP connection. Long press for 5 seconds to setup WiFi. Blue indication light will flash during setup. WiFi is connected successfully after one beep. Short press to connect/disconnect the app and unit. User can connect the app with a short beep and disconnect with a long beep.								

 **NOTE** If the fireplace is left on for longer than 24 hours the app will disabled the heat function. To restart the heat function in the app, press the WiFi button until a beep sound is heard.

 **NOTE** When the heater is first turned on, a slight odor may be present. This is normal and should not occur again unless the heater is not used for a long period of time.

 **NOTE** To improve operation, aim the remote control at the front of the fireplace.
DO NOT press the buttons too quickly. Give the unit time to respond to each command.

Care & Maintenance

GENERAL

Inspect the electric firebox regularly, depending upon conditions, and at a minimum yearly intervals. Remove dust and clean with damp cloth as required.

WARNING

NO SERVICING of the internal or electrical parts should be performed by the consumer. **DO NOT service the unit yourself.**



ALWAYS turn the heater **OFF** and **unplug the power cord from the outlet** before cleaning, performing maintenance, or moving this fireplace. Failure to do so could result in **electric shock, fire, or personal injury.**



NEVER immerse in water or **spray with water.** Doing so could result in **electric shock, fire, or personal injury.**



Risk of electric shock! DO NOT OPEN any panels! No user-serviceable parts inside!

RESETTING THE TEMPERATURE CUTOUT SWITCH

Should the heater overheat, an automatic cutout will turn the heater off. It will not come back on without being reset.

To reset the cutout switch, unplug the unit and wait 5 minutes before plugging it back in

CLEANING

Metal:

- Buff using a soft cloth, slightly dampened with a citrus oil-based product.
- **DO NOT** use brass polish or household cleaners as these products will damage the metal trim.

Glass:

- Use a good quality glass cleaner sprayed onto a cloth or towel. Dry thoroughly with a paper towel or lint-free cloth.
- **NEVER** use abrasive cleansers, liquid sprays, or any cleaner that could scratch the surface.

Vents:

- Use a vacuum or duster to remove dust and dirt from the heater and vent areas.

Plastic:

- Wipe gently with a slightly damp cloth and a mild solution of dish soap and warm water.
- **NEVER** use abrasive cleansers, liquid sprays, or any cleaner that could scratch the surface.

MAINTENANCE

Electrical and Moving Parts:

- The fan motors are lubricated at the factory and will not require lubrication.
- Electrical components are integrated in the fireplace and are not serviceable by the consumer.

Storage:

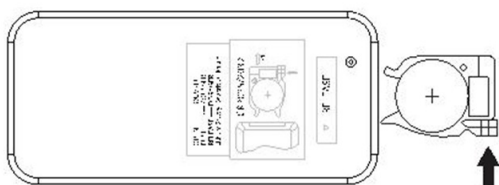
- Store heater in a clean, dry place when not in use.

Care & Maintenance

BATTERY REPLACEMENT

To replace the battery:

1. Remove the screw on the battery cover using a Phillips screwdriver.
2. Depress tab and pull out to release battery compartment on bottom of the remote control.
3. Correctly install one 3 Volt (CR2032 [longer life] or CR2025) battery in the battery compartment.
4. Insert the battery compartment and secure with the screw.



NOTE

Battery must be recycled or disposed of properly. Check with your Local Authority or Retailer for recycling advice in your area.

⚠ CAUTION

NEVER dispose of batteries in fire. Failure to observe this precaution may result in an explosion. Dispose of batteries at your local hazardous material processing center.

App Connection Instructions

1. App Download



- Download “Tuya Smart” from the app store.
- Scan the QR code.
- Turn on the “GPS” from your mobile device.

NOTE: make sure your mobile phone is well connected to the nearest WiFi signal.

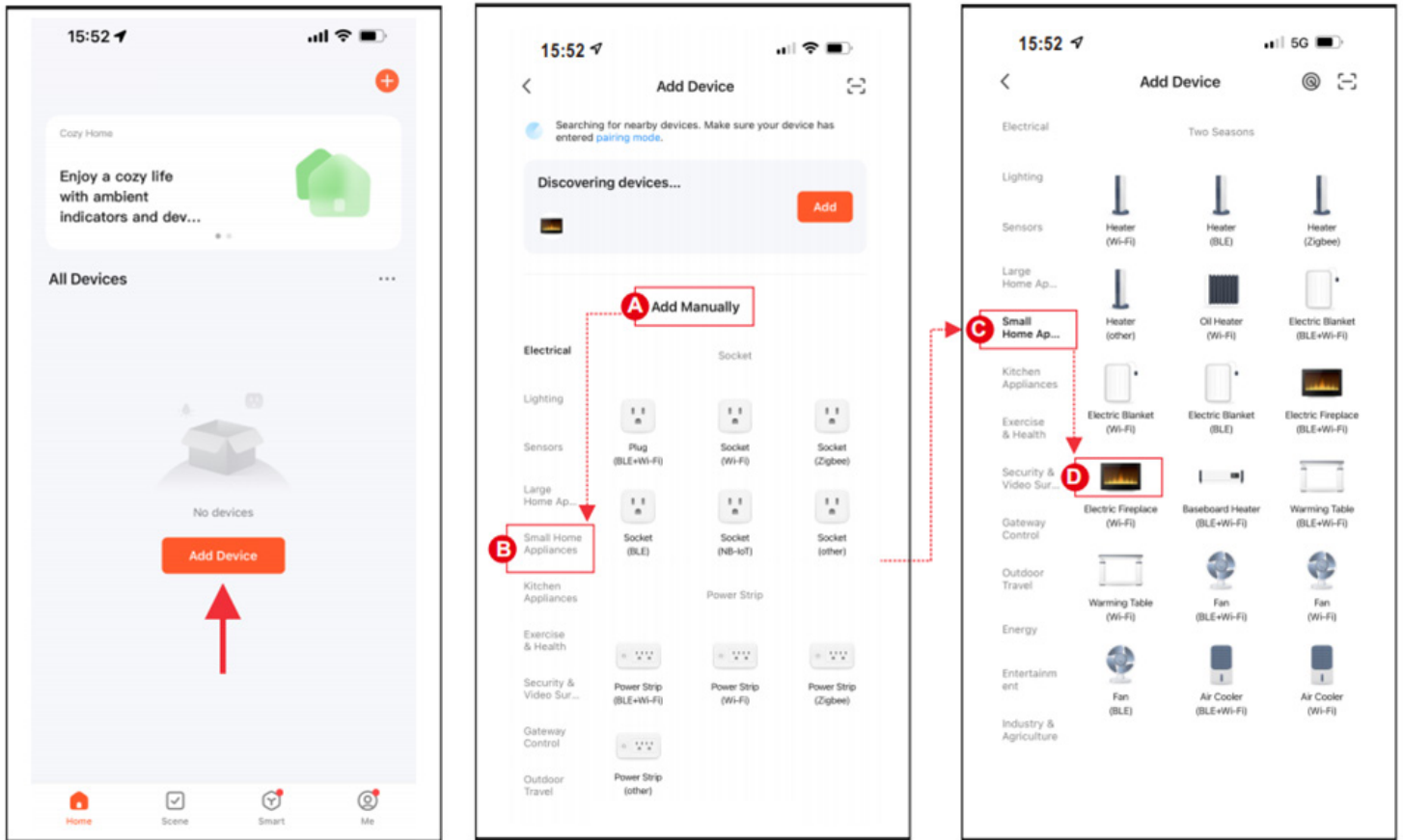
2. Login

- Register with your email ID or Mobile phone number as the user name.
- Setup your account password.

App Connection Instructions

3. Add Device

- After account is created, log into account and select the “Add Device” button.



There are three methods to add your electric fireplace.

Before adding a product, it is necessary to reset the WiFi (after resetting, the WiFi indicator light will Blink Slowly and Blink Quickly).

Method 1:

Add Manually on “Blink Slowly” mode. Please follow below steps.

Method 2:

Add Manually on “Blink Quickly” mode. Please follow below steps.

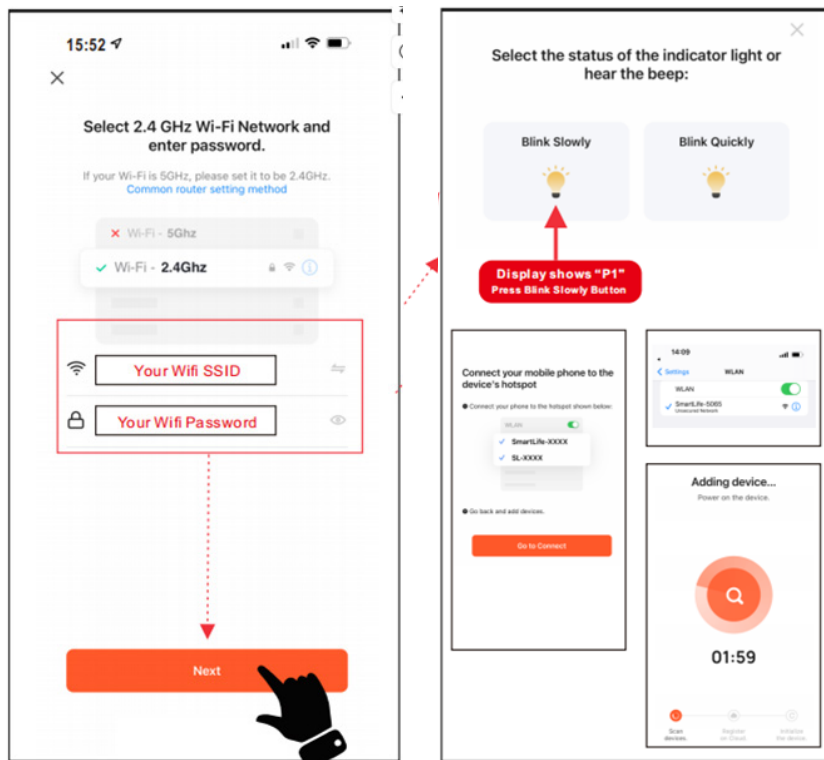
Method 3:

Add by Bluetooth. (Open Bluetooth on your mobile phone before adding.)

App Connection Instructions



4.1 Connecting Method 1 - (Blink Slowly)

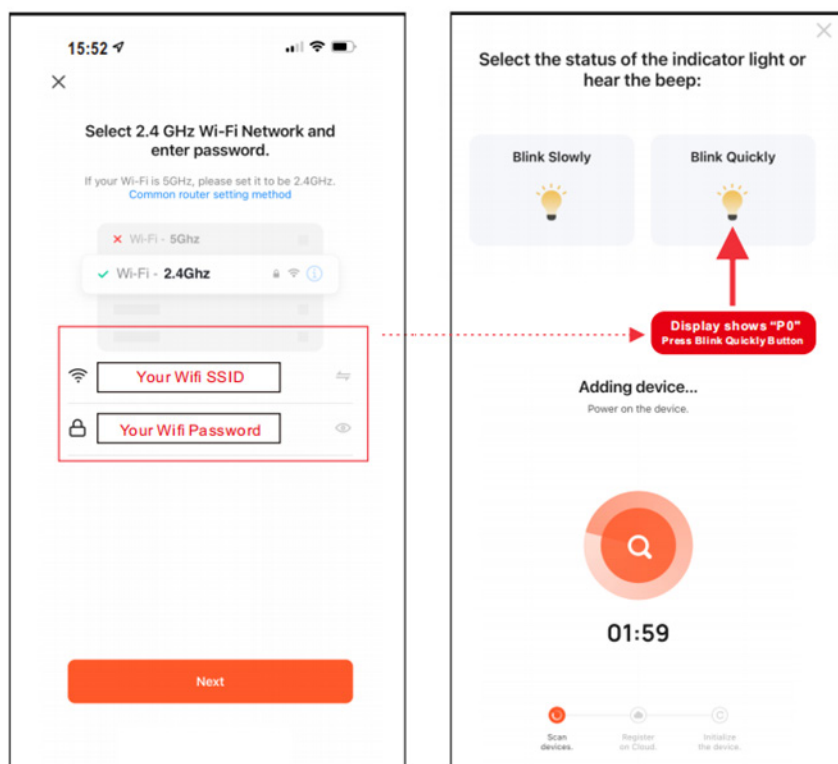


Press  button for 5 seconds until the blue indicator of WiFi is flashing.

Next, open the app in your mobile phone and enter WiFi name and password, and then press “Next” to pair the device.

Press button “Blink Slowly”, and the device is being connected. The blue indicator of WiFi is on after the device is connected.

4.2 Connecting Method 2 - (Blink Quickly)



Press  button for 5 seconds until the blue indicator of WiFi is flashing.

Next, open the app in your mobile phone, and then enter WiFi name and password, and then press “Next” to pair the device.

Press button “Blink Quickly”, and the device is being connected. The blue indicator of WiFi is on after the device is connected.

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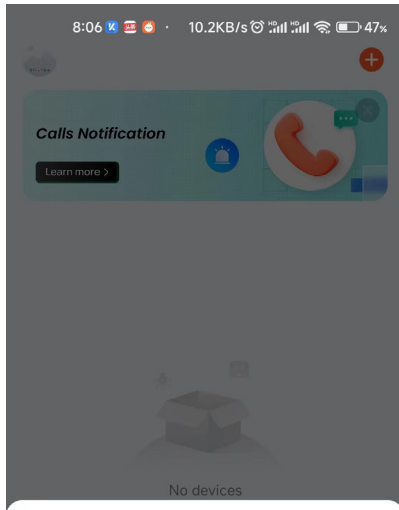
4.3 Connecting Method 3 - (Bluetooth)

Press  button for 5 seconds until the blue indicator of WiFi is flashing.

Press the “Add” button when you see the device named “Freestanding Electric Stove.”

Enter the WiFi name and password, and then press “Next” button for pairing.

The blue indicator of WiFi is on after the device is connected.

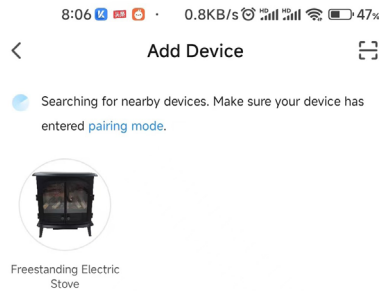


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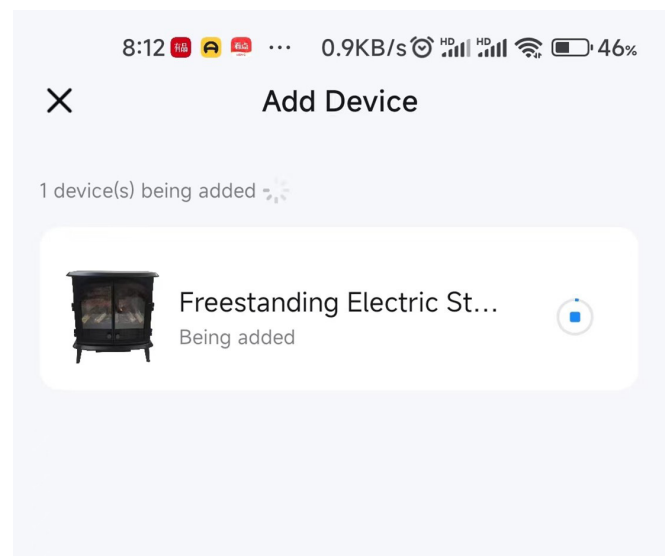
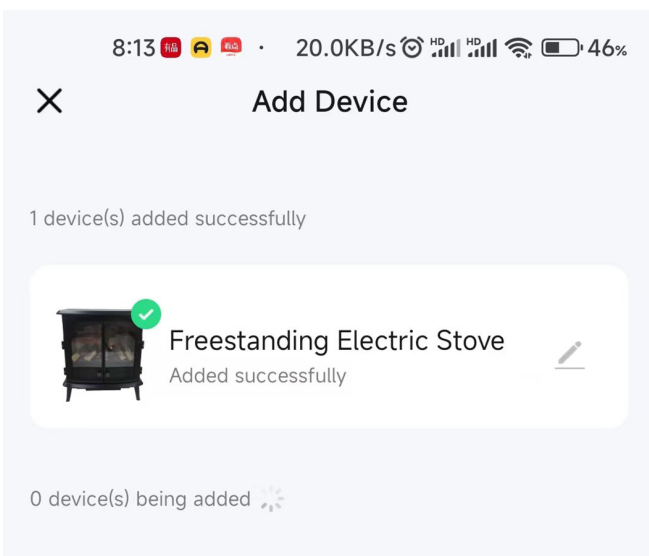
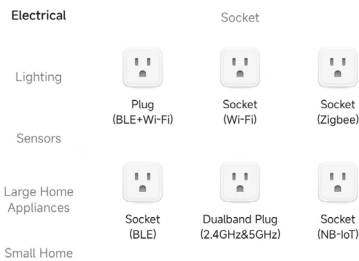


Freestanding Electric Stove

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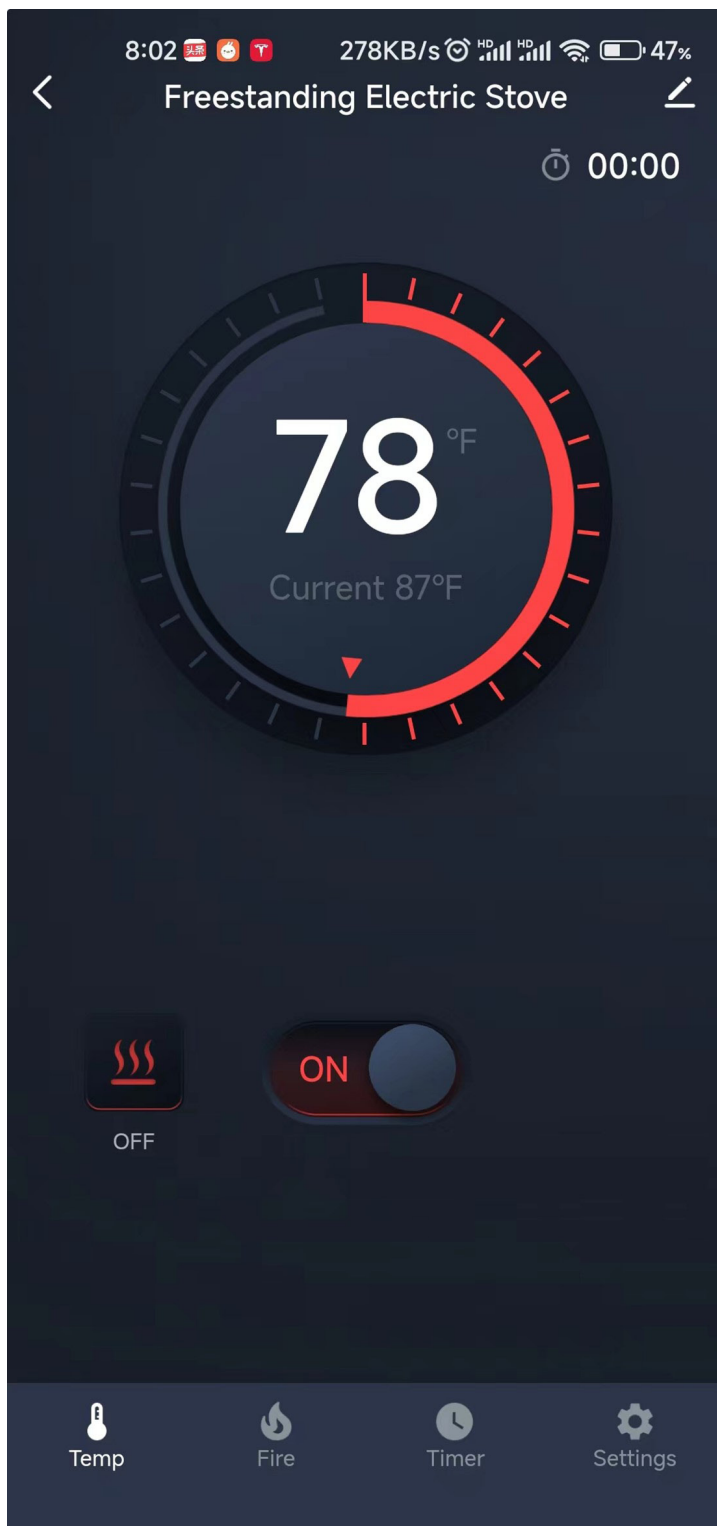
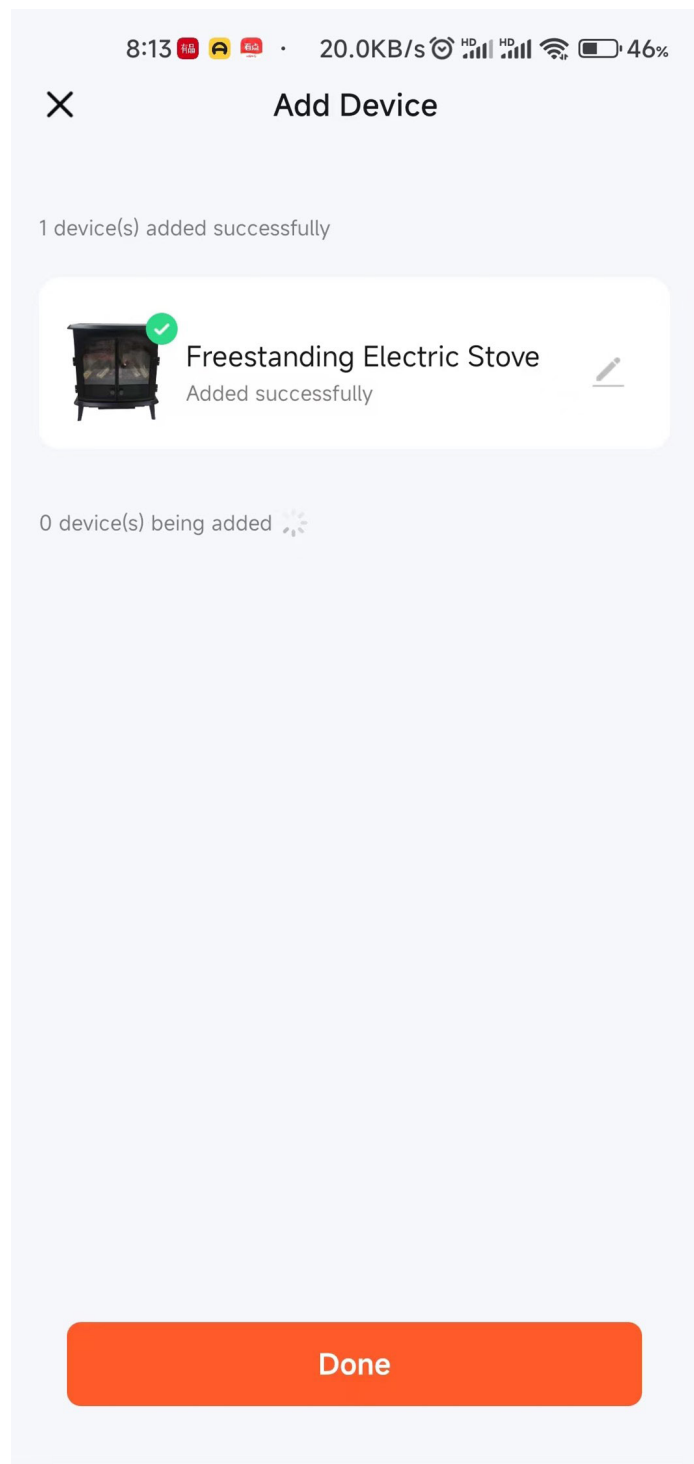
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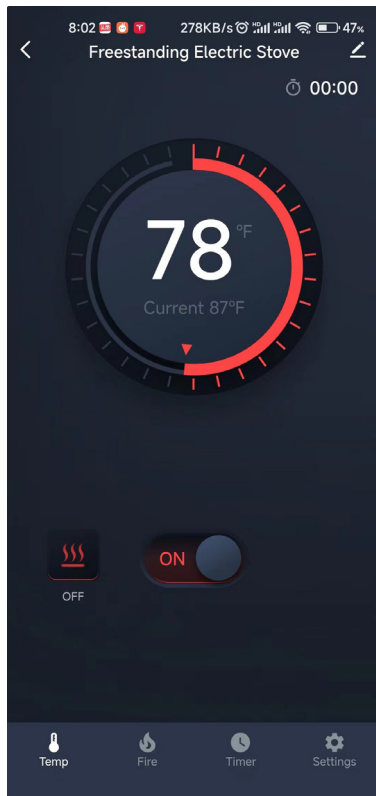
App Connection Instructions

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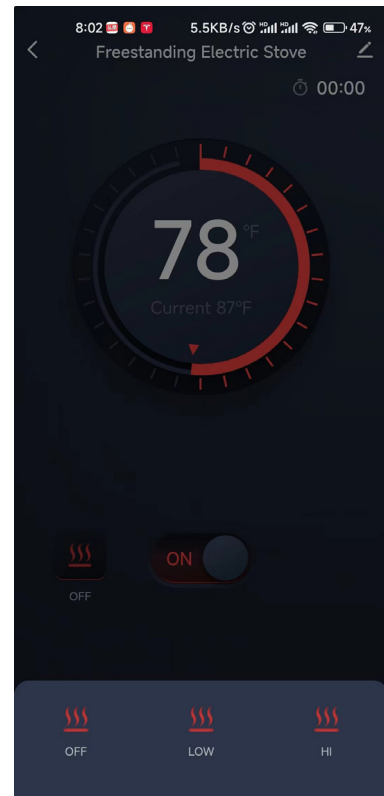
Press "Done" to complete.



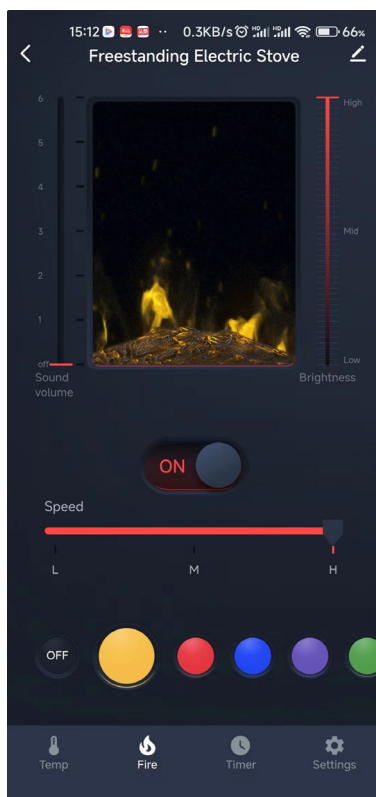
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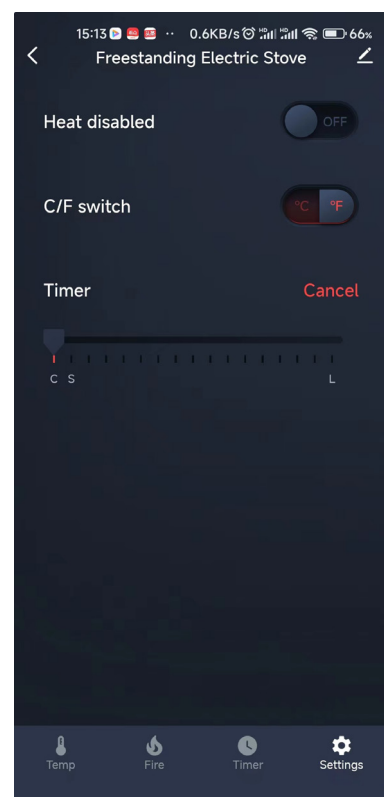
Temp Setting



Power On/Off Heater Off/Low/High



Crackle Sounds Setting
Brightness Setting
Flame Speed Setting
Fuel Bed Color Setting



Heating Disable
Celsius / Fahrenheit Switch
Timer Setting 0.5~8h

NOTE: Only one device can be paired through the app at a time.



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Thank you for purchasing our 26-In Electric Fireplace!

Each unit has been manufactured to ensure safety and reliability.

Before first use, read the instructions carefully and keep it for further reference.

Questions, problems, missing parts?
Before returning to store, call Customer Service:

8am-5pm CST, Monday - Friday

Phone: 877-430-0703

Email: resolutions@electricfireplacesdirect.com

Retain this manual for future use.

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