

FLIGHT DC

Installation Manual



CEILING FAN INSTRUCTION BOOKLET

Thank you for purchasing your Claro Flight DC Ceiling Fan. Please read all instructions carefully before assembly and use.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS:

Read all instructions carefully, even if you feel you are quite familiar with this type of appliance. When using electrical appliances, in order to reduce the risk of fire, electric shock, and/or injury, these basic safety precautions should always be followed:

- All wiring must be done by a licenced electrician as on-site warranty may be voided if proof cannot be provided. This ceiling fan **MUST** be installed by a Qualified Electrical Contractor in accordance with the local regulations, and all local, state and national electrical codes. Any alterations or additions to building wiring must be completed by a licensed electrical contractor, or person authorised by legislation to work on the fixed wiring of any electrical installation.
- 2. The fan must be connected to a 230V AC 50Hz power supply.
- 3. All electrical work must only be undertaken after disconnection of the power by removing fuses or turning off the circuit breaker, to ensure all pole isolation of the electrical supply.
- 4. The fan must be earthed.
- 5. The fan must be installed so that the blades are at least 2.1 metres above the floor.
- 6. The ceiling fan weight is max. 3.7kg. The structure that the ceiling fan is mounted to must be solid (e.g., concrete ceiling, steel structure or timber frame) capable of supporting a weight of at least 45kg and MUST be nailed between beams if the timber option is required. This is to ensure the fixing must be able to support the moving weight of the fan and must not twist or work loose.
- 7. For optimal performance, ensure installation site allows sufficient clearance (minimum 500mm) between the blades and wall or other object present (ex. beams) and sufficient clearance (minimum 600mm) between the ceiling and the top of blades from the highest point of pitch. Insufficient clearance between the blade tip and wall or ceiling, may cause undesired effects such as wobbling or reduced airflow, which is not covered under warranty. The bigger the clearance, the better the airflow output.
- 8. This fan is rated for Indoor Locations Only. **DO NOT** install this product outdoors. Installing the fan in a position where it could be exposed to water, moisture or external elements is dangerous. Any exposure to the outdoor elements or salty air can potentially cause damage and **will not be covered under warranty**.
- 9. **DO NOT** connect the fan motor to a dimmer switch. This may give an unsatisfactory performance (motor hum) and cause damage to the motor and/or controller. Use ONLY the provided remote control.
- 10. This appliance is not intended for use by young children or infirm persons without supervision. Young children should be supervised to ensure that they **DO NOT** play with the appliance.
- 11. It is **NOT** recommended that ceiling fans and gas appliances be operated in the same room at the same time.
- 12. Do not insert anything into the fan blades whilst they are spinning. This will damage the blades and upset the balance of the fan causing the unit to wobble.
- 13. After the fan is completely installed make sure that all base and fan blade fixings are secured and tightened to prevent any problems.
- 14. Because of the fan's natural movement, some connections may loosen. Check the support connections, brackets and blade attachments twice a year to make sure they remain secured. If any are loose, tighten.
- 15. If unusual oscillating movement is observed, immediately stop using the ceiling fan and contact the manufacturer, its service agent or suitably qualified persons.



- 16. The replacement of parts of the safety suspension system device shall be performed by the manufacturer, its service agent or suitably qualified persons.
- 17. If it is necessary to replace the live or neutral brushes to ensure operation of the motor then both brushes and the earth brush shall be replaced at the same time. The brushes shall only be replaced by a suitably qualified person.
- 18. A local isolation switch is to be installed into the supply of each ceiling fan with remote operation to ensure that the installation meets all Australian wiring rules and standards. This can take the form of a light switch in the same room. Furthermore, any electrical circuit that a fan is connected to must be protected by a Safety switch.
- 19. The remote/receiver included is intended to be used with this fan and associated light component ONLY and is not compatible with any other lighting and/or any other electrical device. Use of it in any way other than intended may result in damage to the fan, receiver and/or other devices and as such, will void warranty.
- 20. The LED light (for models with Light) panel in light kit is user replaceable as it connects with 'Push Plug' wiring. It is user replaceable ONLY with Claro certified replacement LED panels. Using unauthorised parts may damage the fan, cause undesired results, or be a safety hazard.
- 21. The max operating temperature for the fan is 40°C. Keep the fan away from any heat sources, like fire place, heater and stove.
- 22. Reasonable 'wear and tear' is not covered under warranty. For comprehensive warranty terms & conditions visit <u>clarofans.com.au</u>



IMPORTANT NOTE:

The important safeguards and instructions given in this manual are not meant to cover all possible conditions and situations that may occur. It must be understood that common sense, caution and care are factors which cannot be built into any product.

CAUTION:

- DO NOT ingest battery Chemical burn hazard
- The remote supplied with this product contains 2xAAA battery. If the battery is swallowed, it can cause severe internal burns in just 2 hours and can lead to death
- Keep the new and used batteries away from children. Examine devices regularly, and ensure the battery compartment is secure
 - If the battery compartment does not close securely, stop using the product and keep it away from children
- If you think the batteries might have been swallowed or placed inside any part of the body, seek immediate medical attention
 - Call the Poisons Information Centre on 13 11 26 or go to a hospital emergency room
 - **DO NOT** let the child eat or drink or induce vomiting. Dispose of used button batteries immediately
- The batteries supplied with this product is not to be recharged
- Different types or new and used batteries are not to be mixed
- Battery to be inserted with the correct polarity; '+' for positive, '-' for negative
- Exhausted batteries are to be removed from the appliance and safely disposed of
- If the appliance is to be stored unused for a long period, the batteries should be removed
- Dispose of used button batteries immediately
- Flat batteries can still be dangerous
- The supply terminals are not to be short-circuited

FAULT FINDER:

Always check the "Trouble Shooting Checklist" included in this manual before seeking a warranty claim.

A mechanical noise may be noticed on installation. Allow at least 8 hours settling-in period. Some fans may wobble more than others, even if they are identical. This does not necessarily indicate a fault.

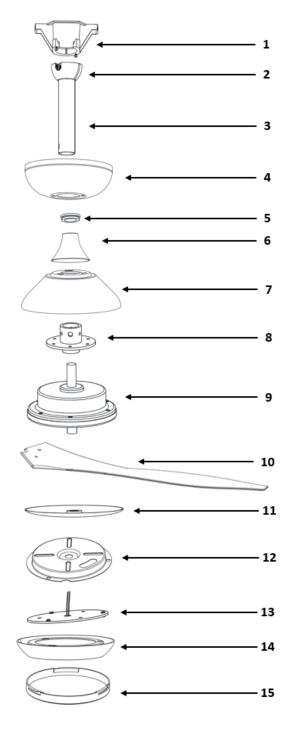


PREPARATION:

1. Unpack your ceiling fan carefully, then remove all parts and components, and lay on a cloth or soft surface to avoid damage.

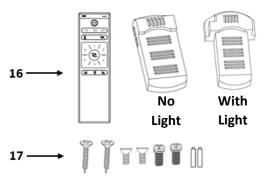
DO NOT lay the motor housing on its side as the housing may get damaged.

- 2. Before commencing installation, check that all parts are included.
 - NOTE: You may need to remove all foam packaging material to ensure there are no missing parts.



List of Components

- 1. Hanging Bracket
- 2. Ball Joint
- 3. Downrod
- 4. Canopy
- 5. Rubber Washer
- 6. Coupler Cover
- 7. Motor Housing
- 8. Downrod Holder
- 9. Motor
- 10. Blade (x3)
- 11. Base Plate (No Light Versions)
- 12. Light Kit Plate (With Light Versions)
- 13. LED Light Panel (With Light Versions)
- 14. Light Kit Ring (With Light Versions)
- 15. Light Diffuser (With Light Versions)
- 16. Remote & Receiver Pack
- 17. Screw & Battery Pack



INSTALLATION AND ASSEMBLY:

CAUTION! Before installing the fan make sure you have turned **OFF** the electricity supply.

SELECTING A LOCATION:

- 1. Choose a location for mounting the fan where the blades will have at least 2.1 metres of clearance from the floor.
- 2. Make sure that the installation site will not allow the rotating fan blades to come into contact with any object and that there is enough space from the blade tip to the wall or ceiling. Please note that insufficient clearance distances might cause wobbling and the bigger this clearance is the better the airflow from your fan will be.
- 3. If the location you have chosen does not have a suitable support beam capable of supporting 45kg, install a brace 2" x 4" between the ceiling joists as a support medium.
- 4. Secure the hanging bracket to the ceiling joist or suitable structure that is capable of carrying a load of at least 45kg, with the two long fixing screws provided. Ensure that at least 30mm of the screw is threaded into the support.

NOTE: The fixing screws included are designed for use when ceiling fan is secured onto timber joists. For all other surfaces, additional and suitable fixing screws for that surface will need to be purchased.

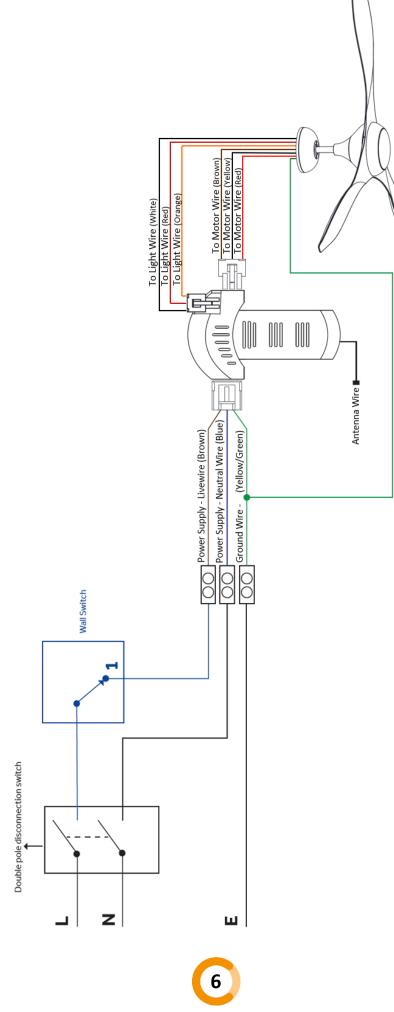
- 5. **DO NOT** use outdoors. Installing the fan in a position where it could be exposed to water or moisture is dangerous. This fan is rated for **Indoor Locations Only**.
- 6. Wear and tear, including exposure from the elements, is not covered under warranty.
- 7. Vigorous cleaning or rough handling of the fan may cause threaded components to work loose or the blades to become unbalanced which may cause the fan to wobble or may result in additional noise over time. It is normal for a fan to develop minor noise over time dependent on its level of use and maintenance provided. These issues can be reduced through slight internal adjustments by your electrician. **THEY ARE NOT COVERED UNDER WARRANTY.** However, proper care and maintenance of the fan can reduce or prevent issues.
- 8. This product is not approved for coastal use or other locations with high salt content in the air (e.g., near a salt water pool) and includes installation indoors. Any motor or mechanical fault caused by the salt, will not be covered under warranty.

NOTE: A location is considered a coastal area anywhere up to about 20km from the ocean (or similar), and the air has a high salt content. Due to different geographical locations, the exact distance and location that may be considered coastal may vary.

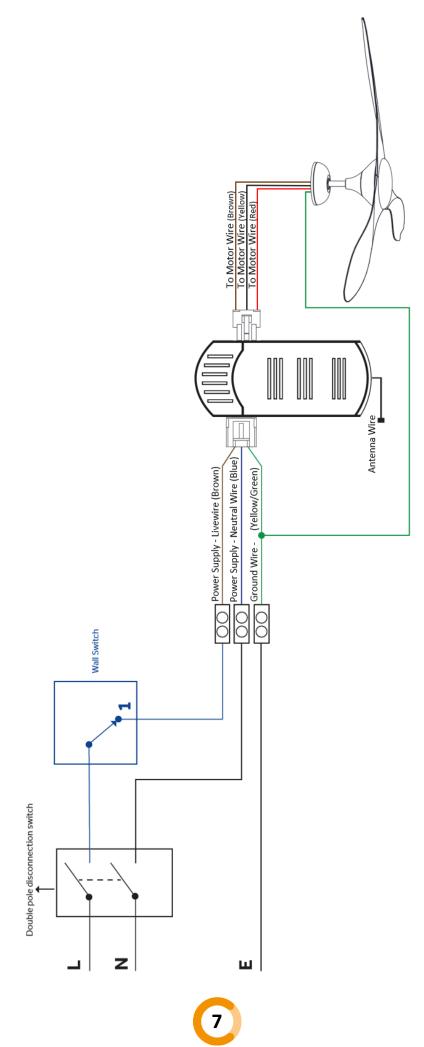


WIRING DIAGRAM

WITH LIGHT MODEL



WITHOUT LIGHT MODEL

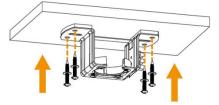


ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS: Ensure the power is **OFF** when installing this fan.

INSTALLATION STEPS:

1. Secure the hanging bracket to the ceiling joist or suitable structure that is capable of carrying a load of at least 45kg.

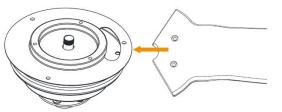
CAUTUION: Ensure building cable is able enter the canopy close to terminal block.



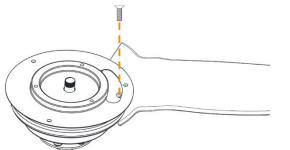
2. Attach the blades to the motor

WITH LIGHT

a. Insert a blade into the motor

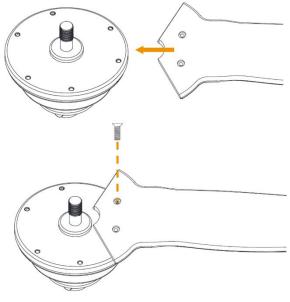


 Align the screw hole with the access point and affix the blade to the motor with a blade screw.

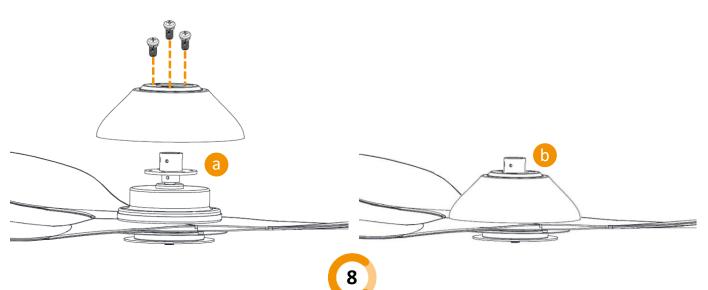


c. Turning the blade slightly, align the second screw hole with the access point and affix the blade to the motor with a blade screw.

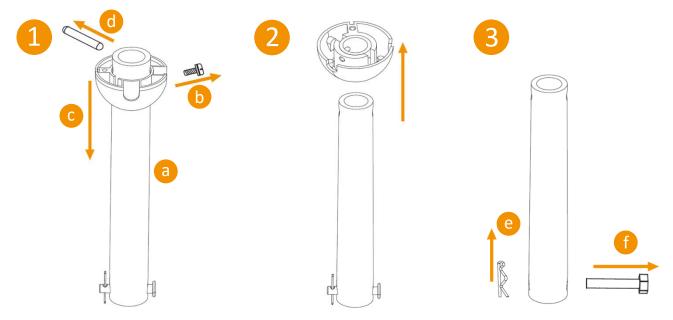
Align the screw hole and affix the blade to the motor with a blade screw.



- 3. Repeat for the remaining two (2) blades until all three (3) blades are affixed to the motor.
- 4. Put the motor housing through the coupler and secure with three (3) screws.



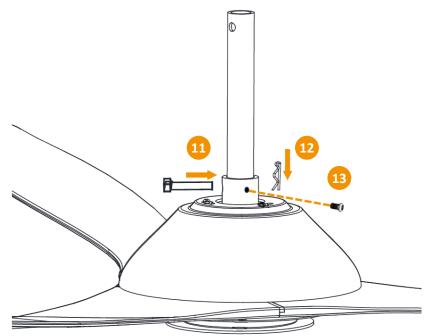
- 5. From one end of the downrod (A), unscrew the holding screw (B), slide the ball down (C) and remove the ball-pin (D).
- 6. Slide the ball joint off from the downrod.
- 7. From the other end of the downrod, remove the cotter-pin (E) and slide out the cross-pin (F).
- 8. Put aside all pieces in a safe place for reassembly later.



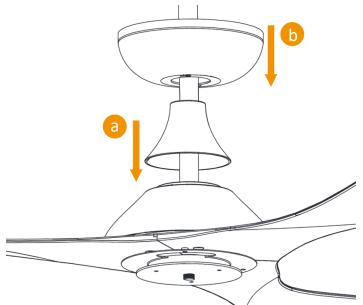
- 9. Feed the main motor wire plug up through the inside of the downrod, then insert the downrod into the motor bush.
- 10. Align the holes on downrods to the holes on motor extension downrod.
- 11. Gently push the cross pin through the hole.

CAUTION: DO NOT force the cross-pin, gently wiggle and rotate it until it glides through both holes.

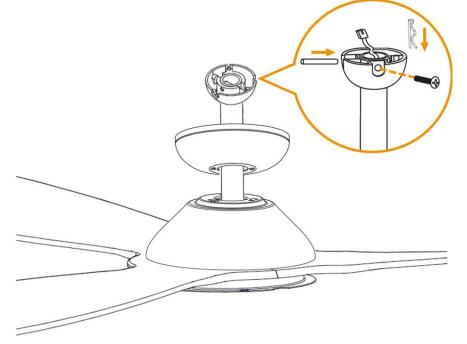
- 12. Secure with cotter-pin.
- 13. Screw in the downrod screw to secure rod into place.



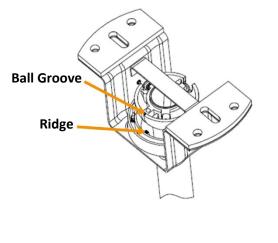
14. Slide the Coupling Cover (a) and Canopy (b) through the downrod.



15. Place the hanging ball on top of the down rod and secure it with the ball pin and screw.



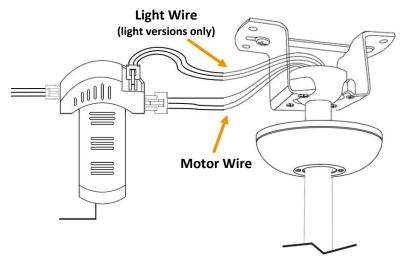
16. Hang the fan into hanging bracket. Align ball groove on hanging ball with ridge on hanging bracket. Ensure hanging ball sitting into hanging bracket correctly. If fan doesn't sit properly, hold the downrod and twist it until fan has been secured into hanging bracket.



17. Place receiver in the hanging bracket and follow the wire diagram to connect wires and connectors. Connect power, receiver and the fan as per electrical wiring diagram.

CAUTION: Do not to press the antenna of receiver when installing. Damage to antenna may lead to poor communication between receiver and remote or a short circuit.

IMPORTANT: The fan must be earthed! Double pole disconnection switch and wall switch must be connected.



18. Align the canopy with the screw holes on the mounting bracket and twist to secure in place. **NOTE:** You may need to loosen/tighten the screws to secure correctly.



NO LIGHT MODELS:

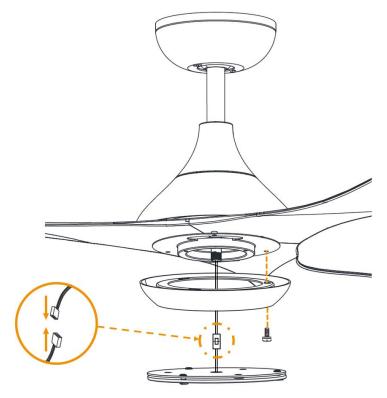
- a. Align the Base Plate to the central shaft of the motor.
- b. Rotate clockwise to lock into position





WITH LIGHT MODELS:

- a. Remove the six (6) screws from the Light Kit Plate (attached to the bottom of the motor).
- b. Align the Light Kit Ring with the bottom of the Light Kit Plate and secure with three (3) screws.
- c. Connect the Push Plug wire of the LED Panel to the Push Plug wire from the motor and secure the LED Light Panel to the Light Kit Plate with the remaining three (3) screws.



d. Align the Diffuser with the Light Kit Ring and twist to lock it into place.





REVERSE FUNCTION:

The "Summer/Winter" reverse function is included in the remote control to make the fan rotate in an anti-clockwise direction during summer.

In winter, this can be reversed, so that the blades now move in a clockwise direction.

CARE & CLEANING:

- Periodic cleaning (approximately 6 months) of your ceiling fan is the only maintenance required.
- Use a soft brush or lint free cloth to avoid scratching the finish. Please turn off electricity when you do so.
- Do not use water when cleaning your ceiling fan. It could damage the motor or the wooden blades and create the possibility of an electrical shock.
- The motor has a permanently lubricated ball bearing and as such, is maintenance free.

NOISE:

The manufacturer warranty covers actual faults that may develop, but NOT minor complaints, e.g. motor operation noise - **ALL ELECTRIC MOTORS ARE AUDIBLE TO SOME EXTENT**; this is more obvious when the fan is operating at low speeds.

Signals sent through the power grid by the electricity supplier may cause intermittent noises in your product. These noises are not the result of a fault and filters to reduce this noise may be available at additional expense.

Clicking, ticking and creaking noises from fans are usually caused by the mounting bracket not being correctly attached or when blades screws are loose. Only use the hardware provided to install ceiling fans. If the mounting bracket is attached using counter-sunk screws it will work loose and cause unwanted noise and movement in your fan. Wooden bladed fans may need their blade screws periodically tightened. Unless a product is defective noise will not be rectified under warranty.

BLADE BALANCING:

Whilst every precaution is taken at the factory to ensure your fan is of the highest quality, imbalance may occur. This may be due to slight irregularities in the blades or material densities. Further problems can be caused by deviating from the correct installation instructions. See troubleshooting further below.

WOBBLE:

- Ceiling fans are designed to move during operation because they are not generally rigidly mounted
- Movement of a couple of centimetres is acceptable for safe operation.
- Balancing kits included should be used to adjust the balancing when first installed.

NORMAL WEAR AND TEAR:

Threaded components working slighting loose or blade carriers even slightly bent due to vigorous cleaning or bumping can cause extra wobble and noise. **THIS IS NOT COVERED UNDER WARRANTY**, however, a little care and maintenance can reduce or prevent this problem.

REMOTE CONTROL SETTINGS AND OPERATION FOR DC FANS:

The Hand-Held Remote-Control System is equipped with a learning frequency function which has code combinations to prevent potential interference from other remote units. The frequency on your Receiver and Transmitter units have been pre-set at the factory. If the remotes need programming, please follow the below instructions.



PAIRING THE REMOTE:

- 1. Using the wall (isolation) switch, turn the fan power ON.
- 2. Within 5 seconds after turning on the power, press and hold "FAN OFF" (middle button on the top of the remote) on the remote for 5 to 10 seconds until you hear a beep, indicating that the fan is paired successfully.
- 3. Test the remote by pressing on speeds or light button.
- 4. It can take up to 10 seconds for the fan to start moving, after pressing a speed button. The fan may move a few times slightly backwards and forwards and then will start rotating slowly whilst building up to the correct speed. This is normal behaviour for DC fans.

TO MUTE OR UNMUTE THE BEEP ON THE FAN:

- 1. Turn Isolation Switch OFF for 10 seconds.
- 2. Turn the Isolation Switch ON, and within 20 seconds, press and hold the '1H' button for 5 seconds.
- 3. When you hear the beep:
 - If the beep was muted, it will now be unmuted.
 - If the beep was unmuted, it will now be muted.

THINGS TO NOTE:

- If the receiver is not receiving a signal from the remote control:
 - a. Please check the battery to ensure it has sufficient power and has been inserted correctly and aligns with the positive and negative terminals; or
 - b. Please check if there are any other similarly remote-controlled objects that work nearby, as remote-controlled items operating on the same frequency may disturb each other.
- If the battery is low, it will affect the sensitivity of the remote control and the signal reception and must be replaced.
- Please remove the battery if the remote control is not being used for a long time.
- If multiple fans are installed near the fan need to be paired, power to the other fans should be turned off before pairing using the wall (isolation) switch.

INSTALLING MULTIPLE FANS:

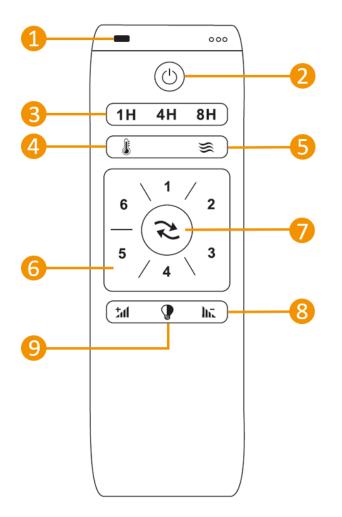
Sometimes you may encounter a remote-control issue when installing multiple fans. For the purposes of this troubleshooting guide, Fan A uses Remote Control A and Receiver A, while Fan B uses Remote Control B and Receiver B.

Isolate power to one fan only when pairing the remotes using the wall (isolation) switch.

When installing two or more fans, you should manually isolate power to Fan B while completing the pairing process on Fan A. If power is not isolated to one of the fans, when the power is restored at the fuse box, then both receivers will be put into "learning mode" such that when you try to pair Remote control A to Receiver A, Receiver B will also be in learning mode and might pair to Remote control A too.



FUNCTIONS OF THE REMOTE CONTROL



- 1 LED Indicator Light
- OFF Fan Operation
- \rm 6] Timer OFF 1H | 4H | 8H
- 4 CCT (Colour Changing Technology)
- 5 Natural Wind Mode
- 6 ON Fan Operation: Speed 1 6
- 7 Forward/Reverse
- 8 Light Dimmer Up/Down
- 9 Light ON/OFF

CCT (Colour Changing Technology) To switch between Warm/Natural/Cool Light.

Natural Wind Mode

Cycles between speeds 1,2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 to simulate natural air movement.



TROUBLESHOOTING:

Issue	Possible Cause	Suggested Remedy	
Fans does not start.	Loose wire connections or plugs to fan/receiver	Check wire connections and ensure plugs are positively connected	
	No power goes into the fan	Check RCD/Switch board and wiring on premises	
Fan with remote keeps beeping, but will not start.	Loose wire connections or plugs to fan/receiver	Check wire connections and ensure plugs are positively connected	
Fan wobbles.	Screws on down rod are not tightened	Retighten the screws on down rod	
	Blades are not balanced	Use the balancing kit to balance the blades.	
	Blades are not tightened	Check all the blades are firmly tightened onto the motor.	
		Changing over two adjacent blades - may correct any imbalance causing wobble.	
	Hanger bracket is not firmly in place.	is not firmly Check the hanger bracket and adjust as necessary. The hanger bracket must always be tight against the ceiling so that movement can occur.	
	The downrod is not firmly locked in.	Make sure the downrod is firmly locked into the hanger ball on top of the fan. The locking screw should be securely tightened.	
Fan makes clicking sound.	Coupling cover does not sit securely on motor housing	Adjust coupling cover and ensure it sits properly on the motor housing	
	Rubber ring on coupling cover is removed	Check coupling cover and ensure there's a rubber ring on the top of the cover.	

Model Number	Rated Voltage	Motor Consumption	Rated Light Power
C9000/101A	220-240Vac	Max. 45W DC Motor	n/a
C9001/101A	220-240Vac	Max. 45W DC Motor	22W

