## INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Remote Temperature Sensor – In-Wall Mount (1-Inch Hole)

# **Product Description**

The Remote Temperature Sensor is designed for discreet, flush-mounted in-wall installation and connects to a compatible thermostat via a 2-wire low-voltage connection. The sensor fits precisely into a 1-inch round opening and comes **primed and ready for painting** to match the wall finish. A **mud ring is available** for pre-wiring installations to ensure accurate fit and seamless wall integration.

# **Package Contents**

- Remote Temperature Sensor (primed, unpainted)
- Optional Mounting Spring Clip or Retaining Collar (if applicable)
- Optional: Mud Ring for pre-wiring
- Wiring Label
- Installation Guide

# **Tools & Materials Required**

- 1" Hole Saw or Drill Bit (for retrofit installs)
- Low-voltage 2-conductor cable (18–24 AWG recommended)
- Wire stripper
- Small flat screwdriver
- Drywall compound (for use with mud ring, if applicable)
- Paint (optional, final wall colour)

#### **Installation Methods**

# Option A – Pre-Wiring with optional available Mud Ring (New Construction or Renovation)

## 1. Install Mud Ring

- o During pre-wiring, install the **provided mud ring** at the desired sensor location.
- o The mud ring is designed to hold the sensor in a **precise 1-inch cavity**.
- o Secure the mud ring to the framing or backing as needed.

## 2. Run Sensor Wiring

- Pull a **2-conductor low-voltage cable** into the mud ring location, leaving at least 10 cm (4") of slack.
- o Ensure that wire ends remain accessible and protected until final installation.

## 3. Apply Drywall Finish

- Mud over and finish the wall as usual, leaving the sensor cavity clean and exposed.
- o Once dry and painted, the cavity is ready for sensor insertion.

# **Option B – Retrofit Installation (Finished Wall)**

#### 1. Choose Location

- o Install sensor on an interior wall, approx. 1.5 m (5 feet) above floor level.
- o Avoid locations with direct sunlight, HVAC vents, or electrical interference.

## 2. Drill Hole

o Use a 1" hole saw or spade bit to drill a clean round hole at the selected spot.

#### 3. Run Wiring

o Route a **2-conductor cable** to the sensor location and leave enough slack.

## **Electrical Connection (Both Methods)**

#### 1. **Observe Polarity**

- o **Important:** The sensor is polarity sensitive.
- o Match **positive** (+) and **negative** (-) between the thermostat and sensor terminals.
- o Incorrect polarity may result in faulty temperature readings.

#### 2. Connect Wires

- o Strip approx. 6 mm (1/4 inch) of insulation.
- o Connect the wires securely to the sensor's terminals or pigtails.
- o Confirm all connections are tight and polarity is correct.

#### 3. Insert Sensor

o For **mud ring installs**, push the sensor into the finished cavity.

- o For **retrofit installs**, insert the sensor into the 1" drilled hole.
- o If applicable, use spring clips or retaining collars to secure the sensor flush with the wall.

# **Painting Instructions**

- The sensor is **primed and ready to be painted** with the client's selected wall colour.
- Only paint the visible front surface.
- Do NOT apply paint into or around the rear air gaps behind the front face.
  - o Obstructing ventilation will compromise sensor accuracy.
- Use a **light spray or brush coat** for best results. Do not oversaturate.

## **Final Checks**

- Verify correct polarity at both ends before powering the thermostat.
- Ensure the sensor is clean, flush-mounted, and unobstructed.
- Check that no paint or debris blocks the air gaps.

#### Maintenance

- No ongoing maintenance required.
- Clean with a soft, dry cloth. Do not attempt to open or disassemble the sensor.

# **Support**

For questions or technical assistance, contact your system provider or visit:

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