

Model: DDF250

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<b>Dimensions</b>	164	120	126

(millimetres)

**Specification**

DDF250 250W Thermostat, Neon &amp; USB Charge Port

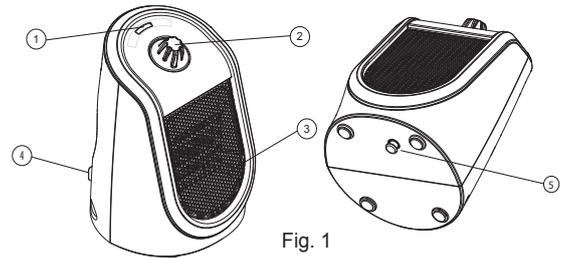


Fig. 1

**IMPORTANT : THESE INSTRUCTIONS SHOULD BE READ CAREFULLY AND RETAINED FOR FUTURE REFERENCE****IMPORTANT SAFETY ADVICE**

**DO NOT** use the heater in the immediate surroundings of a bath, a shower or a swimming pool.

The heater must not be located immediately below a socket-outlet.

**DO NOT COVER** or obstruct the air inlet and outlet openings in any way.

**WARNING:** In order to avoid overheating, do not cover the heater.

**IMPORTANT:** If the supply cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacture or its service agent or a similarity qualified person in order to avoid a hazard.

**WARNING:** In order to avoid a hazard due to inadvertent resetting of the thermal cut-out, this appliance must not be supplied through an external switching device, such as a timer, or connected to a circuit that is regularly switched on and off by the utility.

This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience or knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.

Children of less than 3 years should be kept away unless continuously supervised.

Children aged from 3 years and less than 8 years shall only switch on/off the appliance provided that it has been placed or installed in its intended normal operating position and they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children aged from 3 years and less than 8 years shall not plug in, regulate and clean the appliance or perform user

maintenance.

**CAUTION:** Some parts of this product can become very hot and cause burns. Particular attention has to be given where children and vulnerable people are present.

**DO NOT** operate the heater with the mains lead overhanging the front outlet grille.

**DO NOT** use the heater on deep pile carpets or the long hair type of rugs, or less than 750mm (30") away from any overhanging surface. Keep combustible materials such as drapes and other furnishings clear from the front, sides and rear of the heater. Do not use heater to dry your laundry. The socket-outlet must be accessible at all times to enable the mains plug to be disconnected as quickly as possible.

The instruction leaflet belongs to the appliance and must be kept in a safe place. If changing owners, the leaflet must be surrendered to the new owner.

The heater must be on a flat stable surface when in use.

**Electrical connection**

This heater must be used on an **A.C.**~ supply only and the voltage marked on the heater must correspond to the supply voltage. This heater is fitted with a plug incorporating a 13 amp fuse. When replacing the fuse, a 13 amp fuse approved by ASTA to BS 1362 must be used.

If the plug is not suitable for the socket outlets in your home, the plug must be cut off and an appropriate one fitted. A plug cut off from a mains lead will give a shock hazard if inserted into a 13 amp socket elsewhere in the house. To avoid this, it should be disposed of immediately.

**NOTE:** The fuse cover of a non-rewirable plug must be refitted when changing the fuse. Should the cover become lost, the plug must not be used until the correct replacement fuse cover is obtained from your supplier or by contacting our customer helpline.

**IMPORTANT:** The wires in this mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

**BLUE:****BROWN:****NEUTRAL****LIVE**

As the colours of the wires in the mains lead may not correspond with the coloured markings in your plug, proceed as follows:

Connect the **BROWN** wire to the terminal marked 'L' or coloured **RED**. Connect the **BLUE** wire to the terminal marked 'N' or coloured **BLACK**. **Note:** 'L' or 'N' must not be connected to the **EARTH** terminal marked 'E' or '⊕' or coloured **GREEN** or **GREEN AND YELLOW**.

If in doubt, consult your electrician.

## Using the Heater

**Main Elements** - See Fig 1.

1. Power indicator light
2. Standby thermostat
3. Air outlet grille
4. USB charge port
5. Safety tilt switch

**Standby Thermostat** - see Fig. 2



Fig. 2

The heat output is controlled by the thermostat, according to the local area temperature.

Turn the thermostat knob fully clockwise to maximum setting initially. When the area is warm enough, reduce the setting slowly until the heater just clicks off.

The heater will now cycle on and off to maintain your local area temperature. An audible click may be heard when the thermostat operates - this is normal.

**Note:** If the heater does not come on when the thermostat is at a low setting, this is normally because the local area is warmer than the thermostat setting and is not a fault.

Position '⏻' will put the heater into standby mode (unless the temperature is approximately 5°C). This is a special setting to enable the product to be used as a charger throughout the year.

## Safety - overheat protection and tilt switch

For your safety, this appliance is fitted with a thermal cut-out. In the event that the product overheats, the cut-out switches the heater off automatically. To bring the heater back into operation, remove the cause of overheating, then turn off the electrical supply to the heater for a few minutes.

When the heater has cooled sufficiently reconnect and switch on the heater.

If the cut-out operates repeatedly, contact your supplier.

The heater is also fitted with a tilt switch, so in the event the heater gets accidentally knocked over the product will not operate.

## USB Charge Port

This product also has the facility of a USB charge port which supplies a 5V 2.1A supply. Please ensure that your device is suitable before connecting to the USB port. It is designed to charge the majority of tablets and smartphones.

## Cleaning

**WARNING ALWAYS DISCONNECT FROM THE POWER SUPPLY BEFORE CLEANING THE HEATER.**

Do not use detergents, abrasive cleaning powders or polish of any kind on the heater.

Wipe with a dry cloth to remove dust and a damp cloth (not wet) to clean off stains. Be careful not to allow moisture into the heater.

Ensure that dust or fluff does not accumulate inside the heater as this could lead to overheating of the element. Use a vacuum cleaner to remove any fluff which does accumulate.

## Recycling



This marking indicates that this product should not be disposed with other household wastes throughout the EU. To prevent possible harm to the environment or human health from uncontrolled waste disposal, recycle it responsibly to promote the sustainable reuse of material resources. To return your used device, please use the return and collection systems or contact the retailer where the product was purchased. They can take this product for environmental safe recycling.

## After Sales Service and Extended Guarantee

Your product is guaranteed for 1 year from the date of purchase. The 1 year guarantee is extended for an additional 2 years when you register the product with Dimplex, within 28 days of purchase. If you do not register the product with Dimplex within 28 days, your product will remain guaranteed for 1 year only.

Within the extended guarantee period we undertake to repair or exchange this product free of charge providing:

- a) Proof of purchase such as a sales receipt should be provided, showing that the appliance was bought within the 36-months prior to registering the defect/fault.
- b) The appliance was correctly installed and operated in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions and used solely for domestic purposes.
- c) The defect/fault was not as a result of accident, misuse, unauthorised modification or inexpert repair

Your rights under this guarantee are additional to your statutory rights, which in turn are not affected by this guarantee.

To validate your extended guarantee register with us online at <http://register.dimplex.co.uk>

N.B. Each qualifying product needs to be registered with Dimplex individually.

Please note that the extended guarantee is only available in the UK and Ireland.

If after following these steps your product still does not operate you should return it to your point of purchase.

Please do not return a faulty product to us as this may result in loss or damage and delay in providing you with a satisfactory service.