



Caret

Squirrel Cage

Delivering a warm light, the CARET lamp is an ideal retrofit solution for the Edison Squirrel Cage Lamp, which will be phased out.

It is particularly suited for use in chandeliers and design fixtures, where the lamp is visible at all times.

As the lamp is dimmable, it helps to create the desired atmosphere.

Remarks concerning dimming

- Read the entire manual carefully before installation and operation.
- The Caret with dimming feature works with most conventional dimmers for incandescent lamps or halogens. Please refer to the recommended dimmer list on previous page for further information.
- Certain dimmer switches may cause the Caret to flicker when it is illuminated below the “optimal minimum brightness level”. The knob on the dimmer switch can be adjusted to prevent flickering. (Note: Certain dimmer switches are equipped with a potentiometer. The potentiometer is a small device to fine-tune the setting for the desired minimum light output of the lamp without flickering.)
- The manufacturer accepts no liability for any damage resulting from the misuse of the lamp or from when it is used with inappropriate equipment.
- Consult the dealer if there are any questions about this product.

Loading range

- Please pay attention to the minimum and maximum loads of the dimmer switch used.
- For the best dimming performance, the number of Carets connected should be within the minimum and maximum loads of the dimmer switch used.

Please see the following for the calculation:

MINIMUM load requirement

Calculation: Minimum load of dimmer switch $\times 1/6$ = Minimum wattage of lamp(s) required

For instance, if the minimum load of a dimmer switch is 60W, the minimum wattage for the total CFL connected should be at least 10W (60W $\times 1/6$)

| The minimum load of the dimmer switch | Minimum wattage of the total Caret required | Minimum number of the Caret required |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| 60 W | 60W $\times 1/6$ = 10 W | 10W / 8W = 1,25 pieces (i.e. 2 pieces) |

The dimmable Caret may flicker if the total wattage of the Caret connected is below the minimum load of the dimmer switch.

MAXIMUM load requirement

Calculation: Maximum load of dimmer switch $\times 1/5$ = Maximum wattage of lamp(s) allowed

For instance, if the maximum load of a dimmer switch is 300W, the maximum wattage for the total CFL connected should be 60W (300W $\times 1/5$)

| The maximum load of the dimmer switch | Maximum wattage of the total Caret required | Maximum number of the Caret required |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| 300 W | 300W $\times 1/5$ = 60 W | 60W / 8W = 7,5 pieces (i.e. 7 pieces) |

Malfunction or failure of the dimmer switch may occur if the total wattage of the Caret connected exceeds the maximum load of the dimmer switch.

NOTE: Do not mix revision 2 (C0045.2) with revision 1 (C0045.1) in the same luminaire.

Caret dimmer list (preliminary test list) - EU

| Brand name | Model | Type | Power | Edge | Technology | Setting | Notes | Lamps |
|--------------------|---------------|----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------------|------------------|--------|
| Berker | 2866 10 | Rotary | 20 - 500VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 6 - 10 |
| Berker | 2873 | Rotary | 20 - 500VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 3, 5 | 2 - 10 |
| Berker | 2875 | Rotary | 60 - 600VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 2 - 10 |
| Berker | 2902 R4 | Rotary | 50 - 420VA | Universal | Transistor | Trailing (auto) | 1, 2 | 2 - 10 |
| Eltako | EUD12Z-UC | Rail | Max. 400VA | Universal | Transistor | Mode +ESL | | 1 - 10 |
| Eltako | EUD61NPN-UC | Build-In | Max. 400VA | Universal | Transistor | Mode EC1 | | 1 - 10 |
| EverFlourish / GAO | EF(D)700DC | Rotary | 20 - 300VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 1 - 7 |
| Gira | 0305 00 / I04 | Rotary | 50 - 420VA | Universal | Transistor | Trailing (auto) | 1, 2 | 2 - 10 |
| Gira | 1184 00 / I01 | Rotary | 60 - 400VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 | - |
| Gira | 2262 00 / I01 | Rotary | 20 - 500VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 3, 5 | 2 - 10 |
| Hager | EVN002 | Rail | 0 - 100VA | Universal | Transistor | Trailing (auto) | 2 | 1 - 10 |
| Insta | 51010 R2 | Rotary | 60 - 600VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 2 - 10 |
| Insta | 51175 R1 | Rotary | 60 - 400VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 | - |
| Insta | 51180 | Rotary | 20 - 500VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 6 - 10 |
| Insta | 53128 R4 | Rotary | 50 - 420VA | Universal | Transistor | Trailing (auto) | 1, 2 | 2 - 10 |
| Insta 51020040 R3 | 2262 00 / I01 | Rotary | 20 - 500VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 3, 5 | 2 - 10 |
| Jung | 1254 UDE R4 | Rotary | 50 - 420VA | Universal | Transistor | Trailing (auto) | 1, 2 | 2 - 10 |
| Jung | 266 GDE | Rotary | 60 - 600VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 2 - 10 |
| Merten | MTN577199 | Rotary | 20 - 315VA | Trailing | Transistor | | 1, 2 | 1 - 7 |
| Niko | 310-01301 | Rotary | 60 - 300VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 2 - 7 |
| Niko | 310-01901 | Rotary | 5 - 200VA | Universal | Transistor | Mode CFLi1 | | 1 - 10 |
| Niko | 330-00700 | Rail | 5 - 200VA | Universal | Transistor | Mode CFLi1 | | 1 - 10 |
| Pera | T46 | Rotary | 20 - 315VA | Trailing | Transistor | | 1, 2 | 1 - 7 |
| Siemens | 5TC8 256 | Rotary | 50 - 400VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 1 - 3 |
| Sygonic | 33595A | Rotary | 20 - 315VA | Trailing | Transistor | | 1, 2 | 1 - 7 |
| Wintop | 13212 | Rotary | 50 - 300VA | Leading | TRIAC | | 1, 2, 3, 5 | 6 - 7 |

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| x - y | Dimmable, with x to y lamps - Recommended |
| x - y | Dimmable, with x to y lamps |
| - | The configuration shows undesirable dimming behavior |
| - | Combination not tested |

| Note | Declaration |
|------|---|
| 1 | Only switch the dimmer on at maximum brightness setting, to ensure lamp startup |
| 2 | Dimmer has no minimum setting |
| 3 | Dimmer has issues with multi-firing |
| 4 | Dimmer may become unstable at some brightness settings |
| 5 | Audible humming may be noticed |
| 6 | Lamps flash |
| 7 | Lamps may extinguish when brightness setting is decreased too fast |