

LED Sign Light MODEL SL2

100-277V 20W Max. LED w/ Integral Driver 21W Max. COB LED

## **Installation Instructions**

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- 1. Do not touch luminaire while lamp is on. Turn off/unplug and allow to cool before replacing lamp.
- 2. Lamp gets HOT quickly! Contact only switch/plug when turning on.
- 3. Do not touch hot lens, body, cap, or knuckle.

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- 4. Keep lamp away from materials that may burn.
- 5. Do not touch lamp at any time. Use a soft cloth. Oil from your skin may damage lamp.
- 6. Do not operate the luminaire with damaged or missing parts.
- 7. Do not disassemble luminaire beyond cap removal to facilitate lamp and/or accessory installation or replacement.

- 8. Remove any debris accumulated in the cap periodically.
- 9. Do not install luminaire within 10 feet of a pool, spa, or fountain.
- 10. Have fixture installed in accordance with all applicable installation codes and standards by a person familiar with the construction and operation of the fixture and the hazards involved.
- 11. Consult a qualified electrician to ensure correct branch circuit conductor.
- 12. Use only cable rated for the proper supply voltage.
- 13. Do not pull or hang from fixture! Damage or injury may occur.

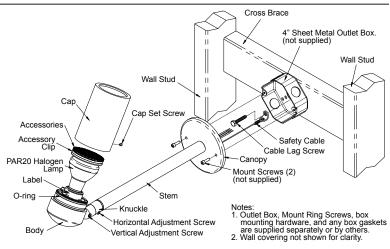
#### **Installation:**

Note: The instructions below are for mounting SL2 models with flat plate canopy options, such as the MO3 (shown) or MO15. For models with surface mount canopy options (MO12 mount) refer to the mounts installation instruction for information specific to that mount. All instructions below concerning wiring, box mounting, and safety cable still apply.

- This fixture should not be mounted in such a way that it is buried or in direct contact with the ground or soil.
- Integral Driver LED models come with push button manual selection of 4 different outputs. See 'Changing Integral Driver LED Output Level' instructions on next page. Output will be set at factory to highest setting, unless otherwise specified when ordered.
- Integral Driver LED models also allow for 100-277V 0-10V dimming (at three highest push button light level settings only) and 120V phase dimming (at highest push button light level setting only). Integral Driver LED models should only be used with compatible dimming systems. Contact Vision3 Lighting for further information.
- COB LED's must be powered by a Vision3 Lighting approved LED driver with the proper rating. Check specification sheet and fixture label for proper ratings.
- When removing the cap from a COB model, take care to pull the cap straight off. "Cocking" or pulling off to the side could break the Reflector.
- All ratings subject to change without notice. See website or contact V3 for

Caution! Fixture will be hot when on. Remove power and allow fixture to cool before performing any adjustments or maintenance.

- 1. Unpack the SL2 Sign Light from its shipping container and inspect.
- 2. For COB LED models: Install Accessory Lenses as explained in Accessory Maintenance steps 1 thru 7 below and the Reflector as explained in Changing COB LED Optics steps 3 & 4 below.
- 3. Install and wire the Outlet Box (not included) per applicable standards and codes. Note: SL2 models must be used with a 4" Sheet Metal Outlet Box that is mounted to a cross brace or stud in such a way that it will hold the weight of the fixture, as shown in the sketch, or a similar manner. A 9/32" clearance hole for the Cable Lag Screw should also be drilled in the box before mounting, if one does not already exist, so that the safety cable can be attached to the Cross Brace or Stud. During installation of box, make sure the mount holes for the fixture are oriented as desired.
- 4. Use the Cable Lag Screw to mount the Safety Cable to the Cross Brace or stud. Use clearance hole in 4" box mentioned in step 2 above. Note: Safety cable must be lagged to a solid cross brace or stud in a manner capable of holding the weight of the fixture. Failure to do so may cause injury or death!
- 5. Connect the fixtures power leads to the power supply wires using appropriate connectors (not supplied) per applicable codes. Make sure that there is enough slack in the wiring so that the fixture can hang from the safety cable without stressing the wires. Note: Be sure power/amperage being supplied matches requirements on Label.
  - a. Halogen/Integral Driver LED: black, white, green connect to hot (typically black), neutral (typically white), ground (typically green or bare copper), respectively.



- b. COB LED: red and black connect to positive(+) lead (typically red) and negative(-) lead (typically black) from Vision3 Lighting approved LED driver, respectively.
- 6. For Integral Driver LED's: Connect the fixtures dimming leads to the dimming control wires using appropriate connectors (not supplied) per applicable codes. Make sure that there is enough slack in the wiring so that the fixture can hang from the safety cable without stressing the wires. The 0-10V(-) control wire (typically gray) should attach to the white fixture dimming lead. The 0-10V(+) control wire (typically purple) should attach to the fixtures blue dimming lead. If 0-10V dimming is not being used, each of the fixtures dimming leads should be cut and capped separately (connectors not supplied). Note: Capping the dimming leads together or allowing them to touch ground may prevent the LED from operating normally. Make sure they are capped separately if not being used.
- 7. Mount the SL2 by bolting the Canopy to the Outlet Box (not supplied) using the desired Mount Screws (not supplied). Use a liquid thread locker (not supplied) to prevent mounting hardware from becoming loose. Note: Do not use 'universal mounting rings' when installing this fixture. These rings are not capable of handling the weight and will most likely bend, causing 'sag' or potential failure. The canopy must mount directly to the box.
- 8. Install lamp and accessories, if not already installed, as described below.
- 9. Aim fixture as described below.

#### **Fixture Aiming:**

- 1. Loosen the Vertical Adjustment Screw using a 5/32" hex tool do not remove screw!
- 2. Grab fixture Body and push/pull to break grip of tapered knuckle lock. Be sure to hold stem while doing this so you don't stress, bend, or break it.
- 3. Slightly tighten Vertical Adjustment Screw, using the 5/32" hex tool, so that fixture holds position when released, but still moves when adjusted.
- 4. Slightly loosen the Horizontal Adjustment Screw (Available on K2 knuckle option only), using the 5/32" hex tool - do not remove screw!

5. Slightly tighten the Horizontal Adjustment Screw (Available on K2 knuckle

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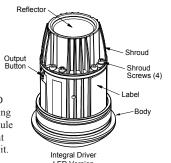
- option only) so that the fixture can be rotated, but still holds position.
- 6. Adjust fixture to the desired angle. Do not force the fixture past the natural stops built in to the knuckle. Note: Rotate fixture fully in opposite direction if a stop is hit before reaching the desired position.
- 7. Tighten the adjustment screws using the 5/32" hex tool. Do not over tighten! Tapered knuckle lock requires very little tightening to ensure fixture is locked in position.
- 8. Adjust cap so that Drain Hole, if any, is oriented at the lowest point to allow drainage.

#### PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance (for certain models):

- 1. Remove power from fixture and let cool before touching. Caution! Luminaire may still be hot!
- 2. Loosen the Cap Set Screw using a 3/32" hex tool do not remove screw!
- 3. Remove the Cap. Twisting the Cap while removing reduces the risk of damaging the O-ring.
- 4. Unscrew lamp from Socket and remove. Caution! Lamp may still be hot! Be sure lamp has cooled before touching.
- Clean inside of fixture and cap with a clean dry cloth.
- 6. Inspect Socket for any damage.
- 7. Inspect O-ring for damage or dirt. Replace or clean if necessary.
- 8. Using a soft, clean cloth to hold new Lamp, screw Lamp into Socket. Note: Replacement lamp must not exceed ratings of the luminaire. Read the Label for appropriate lamp type and ratings.
- 9. Install Cap by pushing and twisting slowly. If O-ring is excessively dry, use a small amount of Krytox lubricant
- 10. Tighten Cap Set Screw with the 3/32" hex tool so that is just bottoms out. Do not over tighten the Cap Set Screw! This may cause the fixture to not seal properly.

#### Integral Driver LED Module Maintenance (for certain models):

Integral Driver LED Module Replacement: While the Integral Driver LED module can be field replaced, it requires complete dis-assembly of the fixture and should only be done for end of life replacement (for changing beam pattern, see 'Changing Integral Driver LED Optics' heading below). Vision3 recommends returning the fixture to the factory for Integral Driver LED module replacement. Contact Vision3 Lighting for instructions on Integral Driver LED module replacement, or to arrange for it to be done at the factory if you are not comfortable doing it.



#### Changing Integral Driver LED Optics:

To change the beam pattern to something other than what the fixture was specified with, the reflector can be swapped out to a different pattern. These reflectors can be purchased from Vision3 Lighting. To change the reflector:

- 1. Remove Cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 1 thru 3 above.
- 2. Loosen and remove the four Shroud Screws.
- 3. Remove the Shroud and the Reflector from the top of the LED module.
- 4. Set the new Reflector and Shroud on top of the LED Module. The Reflector and Shroud are keyed so that they may only be installed in certain orientations. Make sure any pins / keys line up with their corresponding holes / depressions on the LED module. Do not force or you may damage the Reflector, Shroud, or LED module.
- 5. Install and tighten the four Shroud Screws. Do not overtighten.
- 6. Install Cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 9 & 10 above.

#### Changing Integral Driver LED Output Level:

The Integral Driver LED Module comes with an Output Button that allows for selection of 4 different outputs. Output will be set at factory to highest setting, unless otherwise specified when ordered. To change the Integral Driver LED output level:

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- 1. Remove power from fixture and let cool before touching. Caution! Luminaire may still be hot!
- 2. Loosen the Cap Set Screw using a 3/32" hex tool do not remove screw!
- 3. Remove the Cap. Hold the Body and twist the Cap while removing.
- 4. Inspect O-Ring for damage. Replace if necessary.
- 5. With fixture powered up, hold down the Output Button for about 4 seconds, until the LED blinks once, and release the button. The LED is now in adjustment mode. Note: If LED does not enter adjustment mode properly, or does not adjust once in adjustment mode, check to make sure the 0-10V dimming leads are not connected together or grounded.
- 6. Immediately start pushing the Output Button to cycle thru the different power modes (one button push will advance one power mode). Note: Don't wait too long between button pushes. The LED will revert back to normal mode if the Output Button is not pushed for about 4 seconds.
- 7. When the desired power mode is found, stop pushing the Output Button. After about 4 seconds, the LED will blink twice, indicating that the LED is back in normal mode.
- 8. To continue adjusting the output mode, go back to step 6 and repeat the
- 9. Install Cap on fixture by pushing and twisting slowly. If O-Ring is excessively dry, use a small amount of Krytox lubricant.
- 10. Tighten Cap Set Screw with the 3/32" hex tool so that is just bottoms out. **Do** not over tighten the Cap Set Screw! This may cause the fixture to not seal

Holder

Reflector

COB LED

Label

O-ring

#### **COB LED Maintenance (for certain models):**

#### Changing COB LED Optics:

- 1. Remove Cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 1 thru 3 above. Caution! Pull the cap straight off to avoid breaking the Reflector.
- 2. Twist Reflector counter-clockwise to unlock and remove.
- 3. Insert new Reflector and twist clock-wise to lock. If Reflector does not lock, remove, rotate 90°, and try again.
- 4. Install cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 9 & 10 above.

#### Changing COB LED Chip:

- 1. Remove Cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 1 thru 3 above. Caution! Pull the cap straight off to avoid breaking the Reflector.
- 2. Twist Reflector counter-clockwise to unlock and remove.
- 3. Loosen and remove the two Holder Screws and the Holder.
- 4. Note the orientation of the COB and then carefully remove the COB chip. COB may be stuck to the Spacer by the heat transfer grease.
- 5. Thoroughly clean the Spacer with a lint free towel.
- 6. Apply a thin and even layer of new heat transfer grease the size of the COB to the center of the Spacer.
- 7. Place the new COB onto the heat transfer grease in the same orientation as the removed COB. Note: Only touch the edges of the new COB as oils and dirt from your skin can damage the diodes.
- 8. Place the Holder over the COB. Ensure the polarity marks on the Holder match the marks on the COB, the electrical contacts on the Holder touch the pads on the COB, and the COB fits into the square recess on the back of the Holder. Install and tighten the two Holder Screws. Do not overtighten.
- 9. Insert Reflector and twist clockwise to lock. If Reflector does not lock, remove, rotate 90°, and try again.
- 10. Install Cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 9 & 10 above.

#### **Accessory Maintenance:**

1. Remove cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 1 thru 3 above. Caution! When removing the cap from a COB model, pull the

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cap straight off to avoid breaking the Reflector.

- 2. Remove Accessory Clip from Cap.
- 3. Carefully remove Accessories from Cap, if any.
- 4. Inspect Cap, Accessories, and Clip for damage. Replace if necessary.
- 5. Clean Cap and Accessories with a clean, damp cotton cloth.
- Carefully install new Accessories into Cap (Cap may hold up to 3 Accessories).
- 7. Compress Clip and push into Cap until it holds Accessories tightly in Cap.
- 8. Install cap as explained in PAR20 Halogen Lamp Maintenance steps 9  $\&\ 10$  above.