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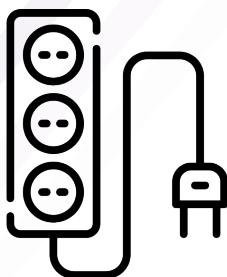
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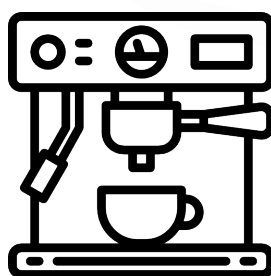
What size socket do you need if you want a TV on your stand? What do you need to do if you require a 24 hour power supply? What's the plan if you want an extension lead for your items? The list goes on....

This guide addresses some of the most FAQ's to assist you when ordering electrics.

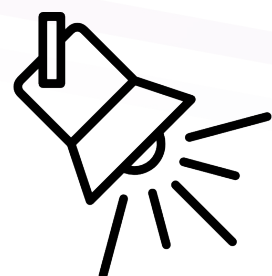
THESE ARE EXAMPLES OF WHAT CAN BE USED DURING AN EXHIBITION



EXTENSION LEADS



COFFEE MACHINES



EXHIBITION LIGHTS

ELECTRICAL SOCKETS

"WHICH SOCKET DO I NEED TO ORDER?"

This is probably the most **frequently** asked question we have, and it's a good one. The **information** below will give you a good idea of what kind of **electrical power supply** you might need on your **stand**.

500w Socket (2 amps max)

Television (up to 42")
Laptops
Phone Charger

1000w Socket (4 amps max)

Television (up to 60")
Lighting (maximum 1000w)
Upright fridge/cooler

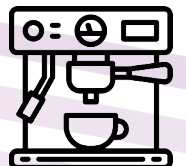
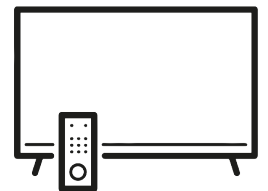
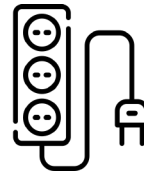
2000w Socket (8 amps max)

Microwave
Domestic coffee machine
Small vacuum cleaner

3000w Socket (13 amps max)

Kettle
Iron (standard)
Counter top oven

The wattage that's given here is for guidance only. Where possible, always check the name plaque on the appliance the manufacturers' manual to find the maximum wattage consumption.



If you have larger scale items such as machinery or vehicles for example that require power, **please contact us**

EXTENSION LEADS

"POWER EVERYTHING YOU NEED, SAFELY AND EFFICIENTLY?"

Power everything you need, safely and efficiently

"Can I use an extension lead?"

You can use 4-way extension leads, but please keep the

following in mind:

You can only use one extension lead per 500w socket.

The cumulative watts of the items plugged into the extension lead must not exceed the watts of the socket.

Any extension lead must have flexible cord of no more than 2 metres in length.

Multi-way plugs (cubes) cannot be used.

"How many spotlights should I place an order for?"

The general rule for a shell scheme stand is, 2x spotlight per 3 sqm. This may not apply to space only stands, which are more bespoke.

GOT A SHELL SCHEME PACKAGE?

Some shell scheme stands have electrical packages included by the organiser. If you are unsure, please contact your organiser to check.

24 HOUR POWER.

If you have fridges or freezers for example, and you need 24 hour power let us know right away.

A quick way for you to figure out how many watts you will need is to check your appliance, find out how many amps it will use, then multiply that by 240 (UK volts from mains power) and then you will have the answer.

Example: A television says it uses 1.6 amps, if you multiply that by 240; you get 384 watts so you'll need at least 500w socket.

Thinking about those trailing cables across your stand? Lumpy floors are quite unsightly, so have you considered ordering a platform? A platform will allow you to place sockets in any position on the stand with the cables hidden underneath.

"WHY HAVE I HAD TESTING CHARGE ADDED TO MY ORDER?"

In 2012, with the induction of BS 7671 (17th Edition), the UK's electrical regulations changed and insisted that all installations undergo increased testing domestically as well as in the workplace.

To cover the cost of testing all electrical items, in the short space of time we have in an exhibition build-up, each stand is subject to a testing charge.



So if you're not sure what supply you need:

ASK!