

Unswitched 20A flex outlet

WARNING Never take risks with electrical safety. Always disconnect the mains power before beginning any electrical work and test that it is isolated - it is NOT enough just to turn off the light switch. Electrical products must be installed in accordance with IET regulations (BS 7671). If you are in any doubt, always consult a qualified electrician or an experienced person registered with an electrical Competent Person Scheme. Further information is available online or from your Local Authority. If the lighting circuit is not protected by a Residual Current Device (RCD) then the installation should be carried out and tested by a qualified electrician. If necessary, use a suitable stepladder, but first read the useful advice given by the Health and Safety Executive. Visit www.hse. gov.uk and search for 'using stepladders'.

Before you start anything, please make a cup of tea and read these instructions fully. If you are in any doubt, STOP and seek professional help. Do not proceed unless you are sure.

Your unswitched 20A flex outlet

Your unswitched 20A flex outlet is suitable for indoor use only and fits a standard UK single gang wall box. The wall box should have a minimum of 25mm depth to allow enough space for connections once the socket is screwed into place.

Note: This product must be installed in accordance with local building regulations.

To fit your unswitched 20A flex outlet

- 1 Ensure that the mains supply to the circuit is isolated.
- 2 Use a drill bit that is just slightly larger than the diameter of your output cable to create a neat hole in the centre of your flex outlet (as shown right).
- 3 You can insert and connect the flex at any time, but you may find it slightly easier to connect it first. Insert the flex through your newly made hole and connect its brown, blue and green/yellow cables to the Live, Neutral and Earth terminals, respectively.
- 4 Within the wall box there should be either one or two sets of (Live, Neutral and Earth) wires. If there is just one set, then this is a spur connection. If there are two, then this flex outlet will be part of your property's ring main.
 - Note: Ensure that the bare copper earth connections have green/yellow sleeves to isolate them from other connections.
- 5 Connect the mains feed wires to your new unswitched 20A flex outlet as shown right. If you are connecting into a ring main, then connect both brown cables to the Live terminal, both blue cables to the Neutral terminal and both green/yellow cables to the Earth terminal.
- 6 Check that screw terminals are properly tightened and no bare wires are visible.
- 7 Secure the flex outlet in place and then fit the metal cover plate so that its two release notches are facing downwards.







