# ELECTRON



# WORLD'S FIRST TANKLESS HEAT PUMP WATER HEATERS

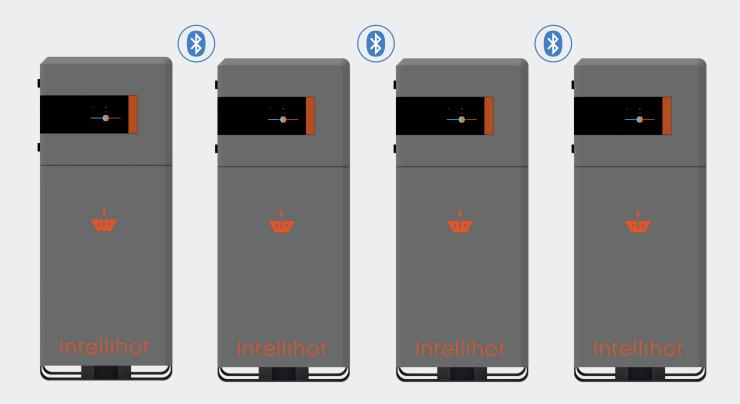


# **INNOVATION** AT WORK

# Introducing The **Electron** Series

CO2 Powered Tankless Heat Pump Water Heater

**Efficient and Healthy** 



Model iE1:

Heating Output: Up to 90,000 BTU/h First Hour Rating : 154 Gallons  $^{\dagger}$ 

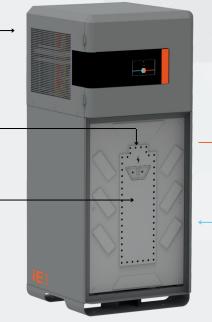
## **How** Does it Work?



1 It absorbs heat from external air

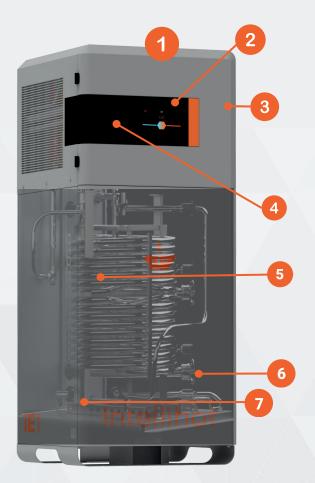
2 Then, this energy is stored in a specially-designed thermal battery

3 When there is demand, cold water flows through a heat exchanger located inside the thermal battery and the water is heated to precisely the right temperature



Hot water

Cold water



## What's Inside?

- 1.CO<sub>2</sub> based heat pump
- 2. Touch Screen Display
- 3. Cellular, Bluetooth, and optional BMS
- 4. Smart Grid Ready CTA-2045 Module
- 5. All-stainless on-demand heat exchanger
- 6. Up to two electric heating elements available. (OkW, 6kW, 12kW Options)
- 7. Glycol Concentration Sensor



#### **Lowest GWP**

The iE1 uses CO<sub>2</sub> refrigerant which has the lowest impact on the environment with a Global Warming Potential (GWP) of 1, zero Ozone Depleting Potential (ODP) and better cold weather performance.



#### **Efficient** & Healthy

The iE1 absorbs and stores energy from the air in a specially-designed thermal battery. This energy is then used to heat water ondemand without storing it, thereby mitigating Legionella risks. This process is both efficient and healthy.



#### **Grid** Connection

This unit is smart grid ready which allows it to collect and store energy when it's most costeffective, maximizing return on investment and cutting operational costs.

## **Key** Features

#### Multi-Storey Ready

Suitable for high-pressure, high-rise, multifamily buildings

#### **24/7** Factory Monitoring

Via built-in cellular connectivity and on-board predictive diagnostics

#### **High** Temperature Capable

Produces water up to 170°F

#### **Power** Large Buildings

Can be scaled to meet the demand of larger commercial properties by seamlessly cascading multiple units via Bluetooth

#### Free Up Space

Can be installed indoors or outdoors

#### Mitigates Limescale

All-stainless heat exchanger with 400 times higher water velocity (compared to tanks) mitigates limescale buildup

#### No Power Constraints - iE1

Select an Integrated model that suits your electrical infrastructure the best:

- iE1 Std | No Resistive Electric Heating Element 25 Amps circuit breaker
- iE1 Mid | One Resistive Electric Heating Element (6kW) 50 Amps circuit breaker
- iE1 Max | Two Resistive Electric Heating Elements (12kW total) 60 Amps circuit breaker

#### **Solar** Ready

The iE1 unit is solar-ready and can be upgraded to use solar energy via an optional solar attachment within minutes.

# **Additional Electron Products**

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# iE6

The iE6 heat pump unit is installed outside, and the thermal battery, iB3, is installed inside with a simple fluid connection between them. A key feature of the iE6 is its modular construction. This unit consists of 6 individual Heat pump units, each with its own controller and compressor. Unlike other heat pump systems, this eliminates unnecessary doubling up of equipment to ensure high reliability with lower upfront costs. Automatic rotation and self-balancing ensure equal wear and tear.

# iB<sup>T</sup>3

The iB3 is a three-pack remote thermal battery to be installed indoors in the companion of the iE6.

The larger iE6 unit is paired with the thermal battery iB3 and installs just like traditional boiler-tank systems simplifying installation and taking out the guesswork. The iE6 heat pump unit is installed outside, and the thermal battery, iB3, is installed inside with a simple fluid connection between them.



|  | iE1 STD  | iE1 MID  | iE1 MAX  |
|--|--|--|--|
| Туре                                       | Indoor / Outdoor, Floor Mounted                                    | Indoor / Outdoor, Floor Mounted                                      | Indoor / Outdoor, Floor Mounted                                  |
| Power Source                               | Electric   | Electric   | Electric   |
| Supply Input Voltage                       | 208 VAC, 60 Hz, 1Ph  | 208 VAC, 60 Hz, 3Ph  | 208 VAC, 60 Hz, 3Ph  |
| Number of Wires                            | 3 Wires (L1, L2 and G)   | 5 Wires (L1, L2, L3, N and G)  | 5 Wires (L1, L2, L3, N and G)                                    |
| Electrical Input                           | 3.4 kW   | 9.4 kW   | 15.4 kW  |
| Heating Output                             | Up to 57,000 BTU/h   | Up to 77,000 BTU/h   | Up to 97,000 BTU/h   |
| Current, FLA (Amps)                        | 16.6   | 45.4   | 49.8   |
| Minimum Circuit Ampacity, MCA (Amps)       | 20.8   | 49.6   | 54.1   |
| Minimum Recommended Circuit Breaker        | 25   | 50   | 60   |
| Maximum Overcurrent Protection, MOP (Amps) | 35   | 70   | 90   |
| Resistive Heating Elements                 | 0  | 1 (6 kW )  | 2 (2×6kW)  |
| COP  | Up to 4.9 (without Heating Elements)                               | Up to 4.9 (without Heating Elements)                                 | Up to 4.9 (without Heating Elements)                             |
| Compressor Type                            | Rotary   | Rotary   | Rotary   |
| Safety Devices                             | Pressure Switch, Thermal Cutout, Overheat Protection               | Pressure Switch, Thermal Cutout, Overheat Protection                 | Pressure Switch, Thermal Cutout, Overheat Protection             |
|  |  |  |  |
| Ambient Air Operating Range                | -10°F to 110°F   | -10°F to 110°F   | -10°F to 110°F   |
| Air Flow Requirement                       | 2500 CFM   | 2500 CFM   | 2500 CFM   |
| Outlet Water Temperature Range             | 100°F to 170°F   | 100°F to 170°F   | 100°F to 170°F   |
| Temperature Stability                      | +/- 4°F  | +/- 4°F  | +/- 4°F  |
| First Hour Rating <sup>†</sup>             | 154 Gallons  | 199 Gallons  | 244 Gallons  |
| Connectivity                               | Cellular and Bluetooth   | Cellular and Bluetooth   | Cellular and Bluetooth   |
| Operational Modes                          | Efficiency, Hybrid, Electric, Self-learning                        | Efficiency, Hybrid, Electric, Self-learning                          | Efficiency, Hybrid, Electric, Self-learnir                       |
| Grid Connectivity                          | Via CTA-2045 module<br>(customer supplied)                         | Via CTA-2045 module<br>(customer supplied)                           | Via CTA-2045 module<br>(customer supplied)                       |
| Defricement                                | R744, CO2 refrigerant  | R744, CO2 refrigerant  | R744, CO2 refrigerant  |
| Refrigerant Consoling Protocol             | ,  | , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,                                | <u> </u>   |
| Cascading Protocol                         | Masterless, Up to 6 units  | Masterless, Up to 6 units  | Masterless, Up to 6 units  |
| Noise Level                                | Up to 55 dBA   | Up to 55 dBA   | Up to 55 dBA   |
| Domestic Heat Exchanger  Energy Storage    | Stainless Steel, 316L Water-Propylene-Glycol based Thermal Battery | Stainless Steel, 316L  Water-Propylene-Glycol based Thermal  Battery | Stainless Steel, 316L Water-Propylene-Glycol based Therm Battery |
|  |  |  |  |
| Water Inlet & Outlet Connections           | 1.5" NPT Female  | 1.5" NPT Female  | 1.5" NPT Female  |
| Unit Dimensions H X W X D (Inches)         | 72 x 30 x 30   | 72 x 30 x 30   | 72 x 30 x 30   |
| Shipping Weight / Unit Weight              | 880 LBS / 758 LI   | BS (with 5 Gallons Glycol), 1150 LBS (The                            | ermal Battery Full)  |
| Water Pressure Min / Max (PSIG)            | 30 / 160   | 30 / 160   | 30/160   |
| Clearances                                 |  |  |  |
| Back                                       | 24"  | 24"  | 24"  |
| Front                                      | 30"  | 30"  | 30"  |
| Тор  | 30"  | 30"  | 30"  |
| Sides                                      | 12"  | 12"  | 12"  |
|  | Not 770 W  | S 0. No. 370 W.  | - O. Mar 270   |
| Certifications                             | Energy Star, NSF 372, UL 60335-2-40,<br>CSA, C22.2 and CTA-2045    | Energy Star, NSF 372, UL 60335-2-40,<br>CSA, C22.2 and CTA-2045      | Energy Star, NSF 372, UL 60335-2-40<br>CSA, C22.2 and CTA-2045   |
| Warranty                                   | 1 Year on Parts and Compressor,<br>3 Years on Thermal Battery      | 1 Year on Parts and Compressor,<br>3 Years on Thermal Battery        | 1 Year on Parts and Compressor,<br>3 Years on Thermal Battery    |

†Note: Due to Intellihot's Policy of continuous product improvements, design and technical specifications are subject to change without notice.

Delivering 110°F to the fixtures

# **FAQs**



#### Why are current tank-based heat pump designs problematic?

Current tank-based designs mandate storing large volumes of water and keeping this water stratified at various temperatures. Stratification is necessary to enable tank-based heat pumps achieve COPs greater than 1.5. Unfortunately, water stagnation and stratification temperatures between 77°F – 113°F foster the ideal conditions for the growth of Legionella bacteria. It is generally presumed that bacteria-contaminated water from this area will be "sanitized" by the hotter water above it, but this method is not guaranteed and places the burden of Legionella risk on the engineers and customers. Intellihot reinvented the Heat Pump Water Heater to fundamentally eliminate these root causes. There is no tank and water is heated on-demand, substantially mitigating Legionella risks. The result: clean, safe, healthy, and efficient hot water.

#### What is the typical maintenance on these units?

The Electron iE1 is designed for long life and low maintenance. Only one item needs to be serviced at intervals indicated by a "Maintenance Alert" bar on the display. This is the Wye strainer which prevents large debris in the water supply from entering the unit. The unit has sophisticated predictive diagnostics capability, and the life of critical components are shown on the "Life Screen ." It provides guidance for when these parts should be changed.

# What is the life of the thermal battery and are there any safety or disposal issues to be aware of?

The Thermal Battery is estimated to last a lifetime under normal wear and tear. The battery is designed with high-grade stainless-steel components and factory-supplied food-grade propylene glycol. This food-grade glycol can be safely disposed of in a regular drain. The Thermal Battery can be sent to a typical metal recycling facility. Note: non-biodegradable glycol, especially ethylene glycol (e.g., automotive grade) or non-Intellihot supplied formulations, should never be used to charge the Thermal Battery. Doing so may cause irreparable damage and bodily harm, including death.

thttps://www.cdc.gov/legionella/wmp/overview/growth-and-spread.html



# Intellihot's Mission

We believe in empowering our customers with efficient, healthy, and sustainable solutions that are great for them and the planet.