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# How do I choose the right heater?



Heating solutions made easy



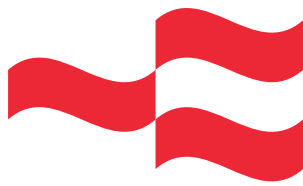
# Goldair™

**Goldair has been creating  
innovative and  
affordable heating  
solutions  
for home's  
for nearly 40 years, and  
we're not  
stopping there.**

When you buy the right heater  
you'll save money on your  
power bill.

Goldair is making it simple for you  
to choose. We're getting rid of the  
jargon, losing the techno gobbledy-  
gook to make life easier.

So what is the best way to  
beat the winter chills?



# Helpful Tips

Select a heater that will heat your room faster and more efficiently. It is always better to get a larger heater than the room needs as this will heat the space quicker. Heating a cold room takes longer than a warm room, so fix draughts and heat loss areas around doors and windows. Don't waste your money heating the outside air.

- **Thermostats**

These allow the heater to register the ambient room temperature and switch the heater on and off automatically to maintain the set temperature.

- **Timers**

Leaving heaters on for too long can be a waste of money. A timer that switches the heater on or off automatically will save you money. If your heater doesn't feature a timer, then separate timers can be used (check the manufacturer's recommendations).

- **Energy Meters**

A great tool that shows the level of 'energy/power' your heater is drawing and helps you monitor your energy use throughout the winter.

## **Safety tips**

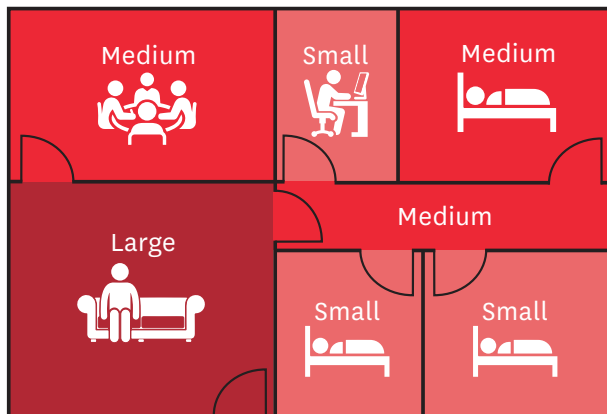
- Be careful where you position your heater, there needs to be at least 1 metre clearance from curtains, furniture and even people.
- Do not use your heater to warm or dry clothes. Keep your clothes rack at least 1 metre from your heater.
- Do not put heaters in high traffic areas; this will reduce the risk of them being knocked over.
- All homes should have smoke alarms installed. Never leave heaters unattended, especially when children are present.

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# Guide to the guide

## Room Type:



PERSONAL HEAT



SMALL 10m2  
Small bedrooms, home offices



MEDIUM 10m2 - 18m2  
Bedrooms, dining rooms  
and hallways



LARGE 18m2 - 28m2  
Lounges, large bedrooms

## Fixing Type:



Fixed – heaters designed to fix on walls



Portable – heaters that can be moved  
from room to room

## Cost guide:



Per hour – based on average 0.29c per kWh\*



Per month – average 30 day month+

\*Images shown in this guide are a representation of the type of heater. The range available in store may differ. You can apply the room type, fixing type and costs guide to all models of a heater type.

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# Fan Heaters

Fan heaters are cost effective personal heaters, designed to provide instant heat for smaller spaces. Some fan heaters feature adjustable thermostats and safety tilt switches.

## Great for

- Small rooms
- Personal warmth
- Portability around the home

## Features may include:



2 Heat Settings



Overheat Protection



Adjustable Thermostat



Safety Tilt Safety



Oscillation Function









## Our pick

GFH530

Electronic controls



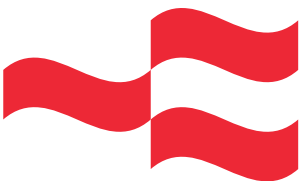
	Room type	Fixing type	Cost per hour*	Cost per month*
1800W			52°C	\$35
2000W			58°C	\$39
2400W			70°C	\$47

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# Ceramic Heaters

Ceramic heaters are the most efficient form of fan based portable heating due to their ceramic element technology. The key feature of a ceramic heater is that it has no glowing parts and is therefore safer. Most units feature a thermostat, timer and oscillating function.

## Great for

- Small rooms
- Quick heating
- Personal warmth

## Features may include:



2 Heat Settings



Overheat Protection



Safety Tilt Switch



Adjustable Thermostat



Oscillation Function



Timer Function

	Room type	Fixing type	Cost per hour*	Cost per month*
1500W		P	44 <sup>C</sup>	\$30
1800W		P	52 <sup>C</sup>	\$35
2000W		P	58 <sup>C</sup>	\$39

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**Our pick**  
**GPCH230**

2 Heat settings &  
Adjustable thermostat

PLATINUM



# Ceramic Tower Heaters


Like the small ceramic heater, ceramic tower heaters are an efficient form of portable fan based heating. With their larger heating surface they are also able to heat medium to large size rooms.

Most units features a thermostat, timer and oscillation function.


**Great for**

- Medium to large rooms
- Limited floor space
- Quick heating


**Features may include:**




2 Heat Settings




Overheat Protection




Safety Tilt Switch



Adjustable Thermostat



Oscillation Function



Timer Function

	Room type	Fixing type	Cost per hour*	Cost per month+
2000W	M L	P	58 <sup>c</sup>	\$39
2100W	L	P	61 <sup>c</sup>	\$41
2400W	L	P	70 <sup>c</sup>	\$47

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**Our pick**  
**GCT225**  
Oscillation





# Radiant Heaters

Radiant heaters use quartz or halogen tubes that generate heat much like that produced by the sun. The heat rays are absorbed by you and objects but the surrounding air is not heated. Radiant heaters provide instant heat and are ideal for personal heating. These heaters are particularly effective in draughtier environments.

## Great for

- Personal warmth
- Ambience (warm glow)
- Draughty environments

## Features may include:



2 Heat Settings



Adjustable Thermostat



Safety Tilt Safety



Integrated Carry Handle

	Room type	Fixing type	Cost per hour*	Cost per month+
800W				
1200W				
2200W				
2400W				



## Our pick

**GIR400**

Instant radiant heat



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# Oil Column Heaters

Oil column heaters warm the air via metal fins that have hot oil circulating through them. The large surface area of the fins allows more heat to be transferred to the surrounding air. Oil column heaters are ideal for heating any kind of room.

**Great for**

- Small to large rooms
- Quiet operation
- Portability around the home

**Features may include:**



3 Heat Settings



Adjustable Thermostat



Safety Tilt Safety



Integrated Carry Handle



Timer Function



Turbo Fan

	Room type	Fixing type	Cost per hour*	Cost per month+
1000W	S	P	29 <sup>c</sup>	\$20
1500W	S M	P	44 <sup>c</sup>	\$30
2000W	M	P	58 <sup>c</sup>	\$39
2400W	L	P	70 <sup>c</sup>	\$47

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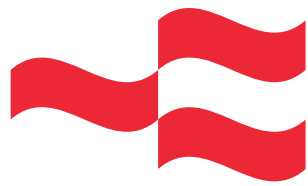


**Our pick**

**GOC2111**

Adjustable thermostat





# Bathroom Heaters

Heated towel rails provide warm dry towels for personal comfort. Freestanding heated towel rails combine all the functionality of a wired in heated towel rail with the portability and convenience that come with mobility.



**Our pick**  
**GFSL**

## Great for

- Warming towels
- Portability around the home

## Features may include:



Scratch  
Resistant  
Finish



Aluminium



Energy  
Efficient



Medium  
Family-Sized  
Bathroom



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# Electric Blankets

Before you go to bed, electric blankets preheat it for warmth and comfort. This warmth is conducted through the electric blanket's fabric and into your bed.

A control unit regulates the amount of power passing into the electric blanket, and therefore the level of warmth.

Most electric blankets come with 3 or more heat settings.

## Great for

- Personal warmth
- Silent operation
- Low power consumption

## Features may include:



3 Heat Settings



Fully Fitted Skirt Style



Detachable Controllers



Fully Machine Washable



Waterproof

	Room type	Fixing type	Cost per hour*	Cost per month+
70W		<b>F</b>	<b>2<sup>C</sup></b>	<b>\$1.80</b>
2x70W		<b>F</b>	<b>4<sup>C</sup></b>	<b>\$3.60</b>

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**Our pick**  
**GWP-Q**

Waterproof



**Dual Controllers**



**Fully Machine Washable**



# Cheat Sheet

Rank	Model	Average cost per hour*	Average cost per month*	Our pick
Large Room Heating				
1	2400W 11 Fin Oil Column Heater	\$0.70	\$47.00	GOC2111
Medium Room Heating				
2	2000W Ceramic Tower Heater	\$0.58	\$39.00	GCT225
Small Room Heating				
3	1000W 5 Fin Oil Column Heater	\$0.29	\$20.00	GOC215
4	2000W Ceramic Fan Heater	\$0.58	\$39.00	GPCH230
Personal Heating				
5	2400W Oscillating Fan Heater	\$0.70	\$47.00	GFH320
6	800W Radiant Heater	\$0.23	\$20.00	GSIR220
7	2000W Upright Fan Heater	\$0.58	\$39.00	GFH260

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