



# Neutral + Traveler Wire Smart Switch Installation Guide

## **Easy Setup**



Install your Smart Switch



See Quick Start Guide for app setup steps

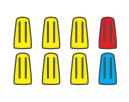
WARNING: RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK. This product installation requires handling 120V wiring. Follow each step carefully. If any concerns handling wring, hire a qualified electrician. Ensure all work meets applicable local and national codes.

# What's Included



Switch

Wall Plate



8 Wire Nuts

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Screws

Jumper Wire Cable



4 Phillips Jumper Wire Labels Mountina Wire Cable

### What You'll Need







Needle Nose Pliers (Recommended)



Voltage Tester (Recommended)

# You Got This!

And we're here to help. For in-depth instructional videos and additional wiring configurations, go to:

cyncsupport.gelighting.com or call 1-844-302-2943



## **Compatibility Requirements**

- · Rating 120V AC 60Hz
- · Neutral wire is required (Wire is usually white or grey)
- Ground wire is required (Wire is usually green, green with a yellow stripe, or copper)
- · Wi-Fi 802.11 b/g/n @ 2.4 GHZ is required

- Works with halogen, incandescent, and LED bulbs, including Cync Smart Bulbs. For a list of compatible dimmable bulbs, visit gelighting.com/compatibility
- · Max LED rating 1.25 amps / 150W
- · Max incandescent/halogen rating 450W

#### Step 1

### Turn Off The Power!

- 1. Turn off the power for the switch location at the circuit breaker.
- 2. Test existing switch by toggling switch on/off, ensuring lights do not turn on.

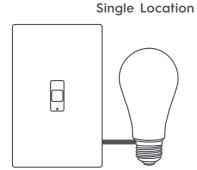
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#### Step 2

# Identify Circuit Type and Remove Your Old Switch

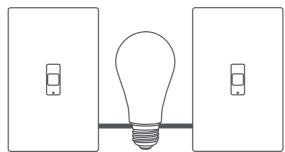
There are generally 2 circuit types when installing light switches. Single Pole (single location) where one switch controls your lights. Or, 3-way (two location), where two switches control your lights.

#### 1. Use the diagrams below to determine the circuit type.



Proceed to page 3 to continue through with a Single Location switch installation.

#### Two Location

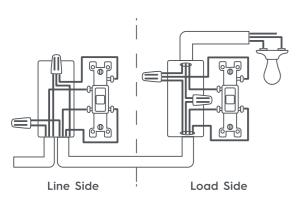


If you've determined you have a Two Location circuit type, proceed to 2. Identify Wiring Set-Up (below).

#### 2. Identify Wiring Set Up

Generally, with a two location circuit, there are 2 ways the wiring can be set up. With the box open, review the diagrams below and determine which wire set up you have.

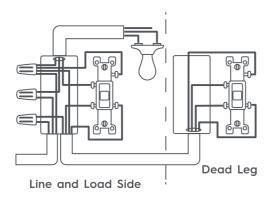
#### Line and Load in Different Outlet Boxes



There are 2 sets of wire in each box. The power wire comes into one side of the box, wires run out of the other side of the box to fixture load.

If this is your wire set-up, proceed to page 6 to complete installation.

#### Line and Load are in the Same Outlet Box



There are 3 sets of wire in one box, and 2 sets of wire in the other box. The switch with 2 sets of wire is called the "Dead Leg" and will not need rewiring in this installation.

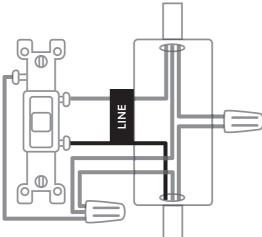
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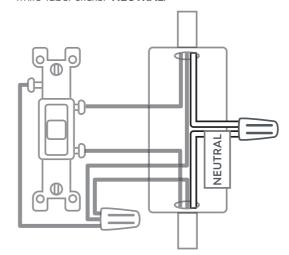
# Single Pole Installation

#### **Step 1: Label Existing Wires**

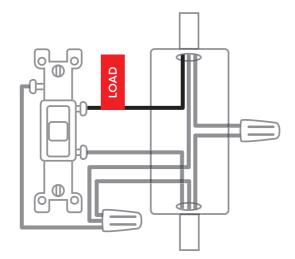
1. Label the existing line wire (black) with the black label sticker **LINE**.



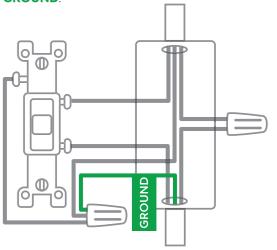
2. Label the existing neutral wire (white) with the white label sticker **NEUTRAL**.



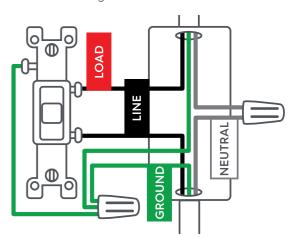
3. Label the remaining black wire with red label **LOAD**.



4. Label the copper/green wire with green label **GROUND**.



5. When finished, the labeled wires should look similar to the diagram below.

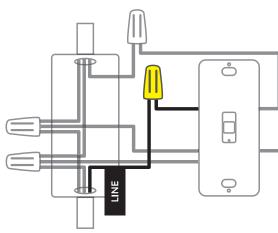


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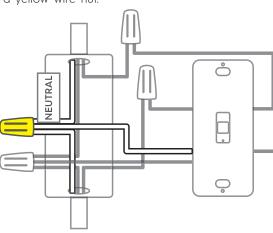
#### Step 2: Wire Your Cync Switch

NOTE: Jumper cable is not required for this installation.

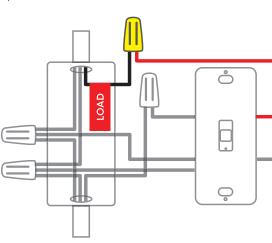
- 1. Disconnect wires and remove the existing switch.
- 2. Connect the black wire on the switch to the **LINE** (black label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire



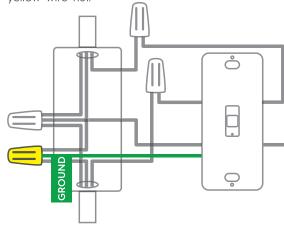
3. Connect the white wire on the switch to the **NEUTRAL** (white label) wires from the wall using a yellow wire nut.



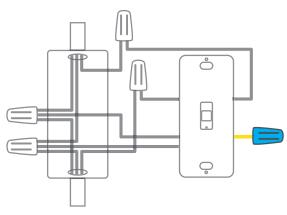
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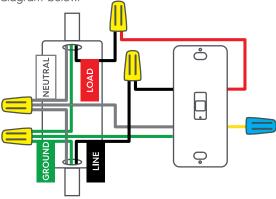
5. Connect the green wire on the switch to the **GROUND** (green label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire nut.



6. Cap the yellow wire on the switch using a blue wire nut.



7. When finished, the wires should look similar to the diagram below.



## **Single Pole Installation**

#### Step 3: Finish Installation

- Neatly push the wires back into the box, rotating the switch so it is oriented according to the image.
- 2. Using the long screws provided, secure the switch to the wall unit level and flush.
- 3. Screw on the wall plate bracket using the short screws, then snap the wall plate cover onto the bracket.
- 4. After the switch is secured and wall plate mounted, turn the power back on at the circuit breaker box. At the switch, the light will flash blue indicating the device iswired correctly and the device is in setup mode.
- 5. Light will continuously flash blue until the switch is added in the app.

**NOTE**: Light will not illuminate correctly if wired incorrectly.

# Congratulations!

You've completed the Neutral + Traveler Wire Smart Switch installation.

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# Additional Information and Warnings

#### **▲** Caution High Voltage

- · Disconnect power supply before servicing
- · Operation temperature: 0 to 40°C
- · For Control of Electronic Ballast, CFLs, LED, and LED Lamps
- Type 1 Enclosure
- IP20
- · Pollution Degree 2
- · Impulse Voltage: 2500V
- Type 1.B action

Indoor use only

CAUTION: TO REDUCE THE RISK OF OVERHEATING AND POSSIBLE DAMAGE TO OTHER EQUIPMENT, DO NOT INSTALL TO CONTROL A RECEPTACLE, A MOTOR OPERATED APPLIANCE, A FLUORESCENT LIGHTING FIXTURE, OR A TRANSFORMER-SUPPLIED APPLIANCE

ATTENTION: GRADATEURS COMMANDANT UNE LAMPE A FILAMENT DE TUNGSTENE- AFIN DE REDUIRE LE RISQUE DE SURCHAUFFE ET LA POSSIBILITE D'ENDOMMAGEMENT A D'AUTRES MATERIELS, NE PAS INSTALLER POUR COMMANDER UNE PRISE, UN APPAREIL A MOTEUR, UNE LAMPE FLUORESCENTE OU UN APPAREIL

FOR SUPPLY CONNECTION, USE COPPER WIRE ONLY RATED AT 75°C.





# Additional Information and Warnings

#### **FCC Compliance Statement:**

A Warning: Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications.

However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- · Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.

The device must not be co-located or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter. This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

(1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

#### FCC RF Radiation Exposure Statement:

To maintain compliance with the FCC's RF exposure guidelines, place the product at least 20cm from nearby persons.

#### IC Statement:

This device complies with RSS247 of Industry Canada. Cet appareil se conforme à RSS247 de Canada d'Industrie.

This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s). Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

(1) this device may not cause interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

Appareils radio exempts de licence. Son fonctionnement est sujet aux deux conditions suivantes: (1) le dispositif ne doit pas produire de brouillage prejudiciable, et (2) ce dispositif doit accepter tout brouillage recu, y compris un brouillage susceptible de provoquer un fonctionnement indesirable.

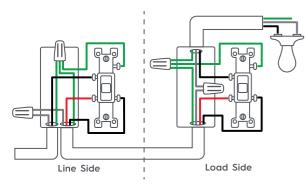
This equipment complies with IC RSS-102 radiation exposure limits set forth for an uncontrolled environment. This transmitter must be installed to provide a separation distance of at least 20cm from all persons and must not be collocated or operating in conjunction with any other antenna or transmitter.

Cet équipement est conforme aux limites d'exposition aux rayonnements IC RSS-102 définies pour un environnement non contrôlé. Cet émetteur doit être installé pour fournir une distance de séparation d'au moins 20 cm de toutes les personnes et ne doit pas être colocalisé ou fonctionner en conjonction avec une autre antenne ou émetteur.

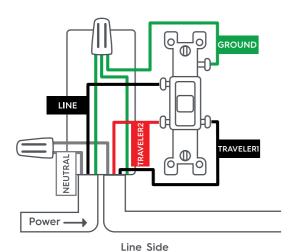
## 3-Way: Line & Load in Different Outlet Box Installation

#### Step 1: Label Existing Wires

1. Determine the line side and the load side. The line side has wires connected to the power source. The load side wires to the fixture load.

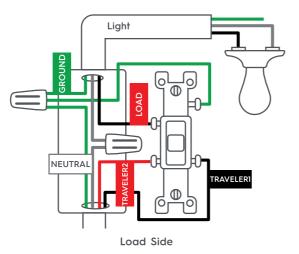


- 2. Label wires on the line side. See the diagram below for reference.
- · Label the Line wire (black) with the black label LINE.
- $\cdot$  Label the Neutral wire (white) with the white label NEUTRAL.
- · Label the black traveler wire with the black label TRAVFLERI
- Label the second traveler wire with the red label TRAVFIER2
- Label the copper/green wire with the green label GROUND.



- 3. Label wires on the load side. See the diagram below for reference.
- $\cdot$  Label the wire running to the fixture load (black) with the red label  $\mbox{LOAD}.$
- $\cdot$  Label the Neutral wire (white) with the white label NEUTRAL.
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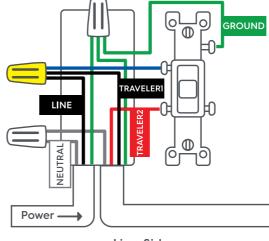
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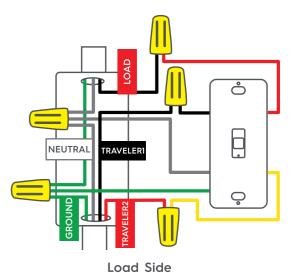
#### Step 2: Configure Cync Switch & Mechanical Switch in a 3-Way

- 1. Rewire existing 3-way mechanical switch at line side.
- Disconnect the TRAVELERI (black label) wire and the LINE (black label) wire from the mechanical switch.
- Combine the TRAVELERI (black label) wire, the LINE (black label) wire and the blue jumper wire (included) using a yellow wire nut.
- Connect the other end of the jumper wire to the common screw (typically black and marked "COM" or "COMMON") of the mechanical switch.



Line Side

- 2. Wire your Cync Switch in load side.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Disconnect wires and remove existing switch.
- Connect the black wire on the switch to the TRAVELERI (black label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire nut.
- Connect the white wire on the switch to the **NEUTRAL** (white label) wire from the wall using a vellow wire nut.
- Connect the red wire on the switch to the LOAD (red label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire nut.
- Connect the green wire on the switch to the **GROUND** (green label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire nut.
- Connect the yellow wire on the switch to the **TRAVELER2** (red label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire nut.



**NOTE:** You cannot control light from the regular switch if the Cync Switch is installed line side.

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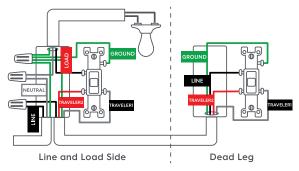
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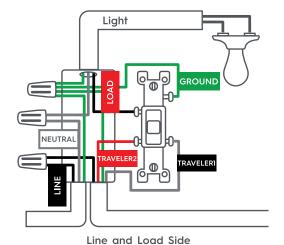
## 3-Way: Line & Load in Same Outlet Box Installation

#### Step 1: Label the Wires

1. Determine the line and load side, and the dead leg. The line and load side has wires connected to the power source and fixture load.



- 2. Label wires on the line and load side.
  - · Label the line wire (black) with the black label LINE.
  - · Label the neutral wire (white) with the white label
  - · Label the wire running to the fixture load (black) with the red label LOAD.
  - · Label the white traveler wire with the black label TRAVELER1.
  - · Label the second traveler wire with the red label TRAVELER2
  - · Label the copper/green wire with the green label GROUND.

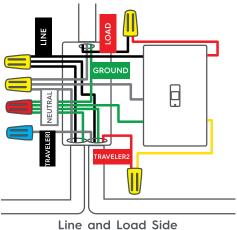


Step 2: Configure Your Cync & Mechanical Switch in a 3-Way

- 1. Wire the Cync Switch in the line and load
  - · Disconnect wires and remove existing switch.
  - · Connect the black wire on the switch to the LINE (black label) wire from the wall using a vellow wire nut.
  - · Connect the white wire on the switch to the **NEUTRAL** (white label) wire from the wall using a red wire nut.

- · Connect the red wire on the switch to the LOAD (red label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire
- · Connect the yellow wire on the switch to the TRAVELER2 (red label) wire from the wall using a yellow wire nut.
- · Connect the green wire on the switch to the **GROUND** (green label) wire from the wall using a vellow wire nut.
- · Cap the TRAVELERI (black label) wire from the wall using a blue wire nut.

NOTE: No rewiring is required on the dead leg.



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