# **IMPORTANT DOCUMENT - PLEASE RETAIN!**



# Operating instructions LEUCHTIE® Mini

with motion sensor for small dogs

# **Initial start-up**

To prevent your LEUCHTIE Mini from switching on during transport, one of the batteries has been inserted upside down as a transport lock. For the initial start-up this battery must be turned around.

# **Turning the battery**

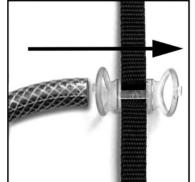
- Separate the tube at the side of the brand label from the battery compartment with a slight twisting movement, taking care not to use excessive force.
- Remove the battery from the light tube and turn it around.
- Insert the battery into the light tube with the negative pole ahead.
- In order to secure the LEUCHTIE to the collar / harness with the enclosed fixation loop, pull the open end of the tube through both transparent rubber rings of the loop (see figure).
- Push the battery compartment back into the end of the tube and press them firmly together as far as it can go.

# Turning the LEUCHTIE on and off

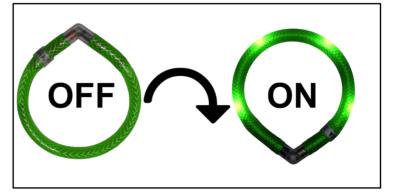
Simply slip the LEUCHTIE over the dog's head and it will turn on automatically by sensor as soon as the battery compartment points downwards and the LEUCHTIE is in motion.

When the battery compartment faces upwards, the LEUCHTIE slowly switches off after approx. 1 minute. Therefore, suspend the LEUCHTIE e.g. on a hook for storage.









## **Battery change**

- The operating time using 2 alkaline batteries type AAAA / LR 61 is about 50 hours.
- Please use brand alkaline batteries and remove both empty batteries immediately to avoid damage from leaking batteries.
- Please remove both batteries in case of longer disuse (e. g. in the summer).

Replace both batteries immediately if the brightness of the LEDs decreases significantly or if the LEUCHTIE turns off shortly after switching on.

Change the batteries in a dry and clean place and make sure that both the LEUCHTIE and your hands are dry and free of grease.

# Replacing the batteries

- 1. Disconnect both ends of the light tube from the battery compartment one after the other, as explained in the initial start-up on page 1.
- 2. Remove both empty batteries from the ends of the light tube.
- 3. Insert 2 new batteries (alkaline type AAAA / LR 61, no rechargeable batteries):
  - into the side of the light tube with LEUCHTIE size sticker with the negative pole ahead
  - into the side of the light tube without brand label with the positive pole ahead
- 4. For correct assembly, follow the procedure for closing the LEUCHTIE described on page 1.
- 5. Test the function by tilting the LEUCHTIE so that it turns on.
  If the LEUCHTIE does not work, check the correct position of the batteries and the correct attachment of the battery compartment. Please also note the information on page 3.



# **Troubleshooting**

If your LEUCHTIE is not working correctly, check the following:

Problem	Possible cause	Solution
Loose contact	The spring in the battery compartment isn't centered.	Pull off the battery compartment from the light tube with a slight twisting motion and put the spring into the right position (centred in the battery compartment), then reassemble. Put some contact spray on the battery poles.
	Dirty connections	Put some contact spray on battery poles and spring tips.
No function	Batteries are inserted incorrectly	Insert the batteries correctly as described on page 2.
	your LEUCHTIE may	Both batteries must be replaced immediately to avoid damage from leaking batteries – see battery change (page 2)

# Spare parts & repair service

If required, you can obtain rechargeable batteries, inexpensive spare parts and useful accessories from your dealer or directly from us.

If, contrary to expectations, a case of damage occurs which you or your dealer cannot repair, we offer you the possibility of an uncomplicated repair at any time.

# Disposal / Recycling / Labeling



This product meets the requirements of the Directive 2011/65/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 8 June 2011 on the restriction of the use of hazardous substances in electrical and electronic equipment.



Please protect the environment and recycle this product. The product is labeled with the symbol of the crossed out waste bin, which means that it should be dropped off free of charge at a local collection point for recycling at the end of its useful life. Disposal in the regular waste is not permitted.



The used batteries cannot be disposed of with the regular household waste! Please dispose of them via the appropriate commercially available containers or drop them off at public collection points.

## **Warning: Important Safety Information**

## 1. Introduction and Purpose

Thank you for choosing our LED light-up collar for your beloved dog. Before use, please carefully read and understand the following safety information and warnings to ensure the safe and responsible use of this product.

#### 2. Choking Hazard

Please use the LEUCHTIE only for its intended purpose as a light-up collar for improved visibility in low-light conditions. Avoid using it for any other purposes. The LED collar is not a toy and should not be left on an unattended dog. Avoid using this collar on puppies or small breeds prone to chewing, as ingesting any part of the collar may pose a choking hazard. Know your dog and choose the appropriate type of product to prevent choking or other harm.

LEUCHTIE is not a toy. Your LEUCHTIE can be damaged by excessive stress, such as throwing or biting hard, and may open under certain circumstances. Small parts, including batteries and contact springs, can fall out and get lost. Swallowing small parts can be life-threatening. Therefore, keep both your LEUCHTIE and its accessories, such as the attachment loop, out of the reach of your dog and small children. If any parts are swallowed, seek immediate medical assistance.

# 3. Sizing and Fit

Select the appropriate collar size for your dog to ensure a comfortable fit. Avoid using collars that are too tight, as they may cause discomfort or injury.

#### 4. Visibility and Low Light Conditions

The LED collar is designed to enhance visibility in low-light conditions. However, it should not replace traditional collars used for leash attachment during walks. Always use a separate collar and leash for walking your dog.

#### 5. Battery Safety

For your battery-powered LED collar, please use only the recommended batteries and follow the instructions for replacement. Do not use damaged or non-recommended batteries. Keep spare batteries out of reach of pets and children. Ingestion of this product can result in serious injury. Discontinue use if damaged. Do not use the LEUCHTIE if any malfunction or damage is apparent. We accept no liability for any further damage or loss resulting from the use of a malfunctioning or damaged LEUCHTIE.

#### 6. Water Resistance

Make sure that no humidity gets inside the LEUCHTIE, especially when cleaning it or changing the batteries. When fully closed, the LEUCHTIE is well-protected against water and humidity. Should you notice humidity inside the LEUCHTIE, pull the tube and the battery pack apart with slight angular movements (see figure on page 1) and let both parts dry completely. Avoid temperatures above 50°C.

#### 7. Supervison and Monitoring Usage

Monitor your dog closely during initial use with the LED collar. If you notice any signs of discomfort, irritation, or abnormal behavior, discontinue use immediately and consult a veterinarian if necessary. Observe your pet's behavior with the product for suitability. Some products may be inappropriate for your pet. Always supervise your dog when they are wearing the LED collar. Do not leave the collar on your dog unattended for an extended period. Supervised use only.

#### 8. Allergic Reactions

Although LEUCHTIE has been tested and certified to meet European CE and ROHS requirements regarding material safety, some dogs may be sensitive or allergic to certain materials. Check your dog for any signs of allergic reactions, such as redness or irritation, and stop using the collar if such reactions occur.

#### 9. Proper Maintenance

Keep the LED collar clean and regularly inspect it for any signs of wear or damage. Replace worn or damaged collars promptly to ensure your dog's safety and comfort. Do not dry or heat the LEUCHTIE in the microwave under any circumstances, as microwave radiation can destroy the electronics immediately. Also, do not charge, reactivate, disassemble, heat, or short-circuit the supplied batteries. Follow the instructions provided for battery replacement and disposal.

#### 10. Warnings about Certain Dog Breeds or Conditions

This LED collar may not be suitable for all dog breeds or specific medical conditions. Consult with a veterinarian if you have concerns about using the collar on your dog. Not for use during containment or crating.

#### 11. Ingestion or Swallowing

If you think the portion of the product containing the batteries have been swallowed or placed in any part of the body, seek immediate medical attention.

#### 12. Avoid Excessive Force and Stress

Do not attach a lead/ leash to the LEUCHTIE or hold your dog by the LEUCHTIE. Applying too much force on the collar could cause the batteries, springs, or other parts to fall out and get lost, potentially posing a choking hazard. Always use a separate collar and leash for walking your dog.

#### 13. Contact Information

Please remember that your dog's safety is our priority. By adhering to these safety guidelines, you can ensure a positive experience with our LED light-up collar.

For any inquiries, customer support, or assistance related to the LED collar, please contact

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## Cleaning

Clean the LEUCHTIE in warm water and soap or mild detergent if required. Do not use aggressive or solvent-based cleaners. When cleaning the LEUCHTIE, please ensure that the LEUCHTIE is closed properly to prevent humidity from entering.

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