



5 tips to avoid counterfeits



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Only purchase from **trusted sources**



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Check electrical **manufacturers' websites** to find authorized retailers and distributors

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Only purchase items that have been **tested** and **marked**



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Only use **licensed, insured, and bonded contractors** that will stand behind their work

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Products and packaging with **typos** and **misspellings** have a high likelihood of being counterfeit



How to report counterfeits

Visit **IPRCenter.gov** to report counterfeits.

[Click here to report](#)

Using qualified electricians and purchasing from **reputable distributors and retailers** gives you: safety, security and the backing of the manufacturer.

