



## Projector Lamps - OEM Replacement Bulbs with Housing

### What does OEM stand for?

Original Equipment Manufacturer. OEM means the projector lamp has been assembled by the same manufacturer as the original brand of your projector or TV. Most TV brands' lamps are manufactured by Osram/Sylvania or Philips. OEM lamps are the same brand as the lamp that came with your TV when you originally purchased it. OEM Example - *HP Brand Ink of Toner Cartridges.*

Sony, Mitsubishi and other projector manufacturers do not produce their own lamps. Philips and Osram/Sylvania manufacture the lamps, which are then delivered to the projector factory and shipped with your original projector. We sell those bulbs, called OEM.

### OEM vs. OEM Equivalent?

Many customers are confused by the difference between "OEM" and "OEM Equivalent" lamps for their projector or projection TV. Yes, both will fit and work, but Planetbulb.com only offers OEM lamps. We feel strongly that there is enough of a quality difference between the two that we only stock the higher quality OEM lamps.

An "OEM Equivalent" lamp should be an exact replica of the OEM projector lamp but manufactured by a different company. The brand of the bulb itself in the lamp assembly may be different as well. The manufacturers of OEM Compatible lamps either buy the rights to the OEM lamp, reverse engineer it, or assemble it with OEM parts at their own facilities. Example - Generic Brand Ink or Toner Cartridges

## Warranty

Every product we sell is backed by the manufacturer's warranty.

Projection Lamps - 90 days

