# **Projector Lamp Maintenance**

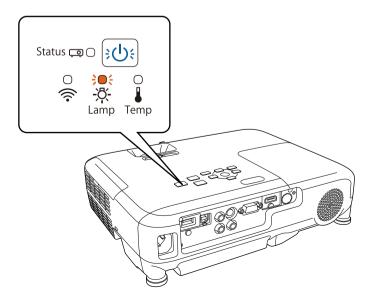
The projector monitors the number of hours the lamp is used and displays this information in the projector's menu system.

Replace the lamp as soon as possible when the following occurs:

- The projected image gets darker or quality declines
- A message is displayed when you turn on the projector telling you to replace the lamp (the message is displayed 100 hours before the expected end of the lamp life and appears for 30 seconds)



• The power indicator is flashing blue, and the projector's lamp indicator is flashing orange.



#### **Attention**

- If you continue to use the lamp after the replacement period has passed, the possibility that the lamp may explode increases. When the lamp replacement message appears, replace the lamp with a new one as soon as possible, even if it is still working.
- Do not repeatedly turn off the power and then immediately turn it back on. Turning the power on and off frequently may shorten the lamp's operating life.
- Depending on the characteristics of the lamp and the way it has been used, the lamp may become darker or stop working before the lamp warning message appears. You should always have a spare lamp unit ready in case it is needed.
- We recommend the use of genuine Epson replacement lamps. The use of nongenuine lamps may affect projection quality and safety. Any damage or malfunction caused by the use of non-genuine lamps may not be covered by Epson's warranty.

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### Replacing the Lamp

You can replace the lamp while the projector is placed on a table or mounted to the ceiling.

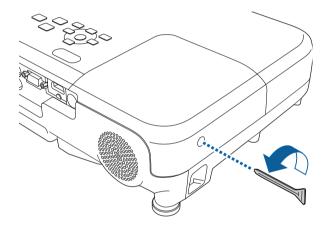


## **Marning**

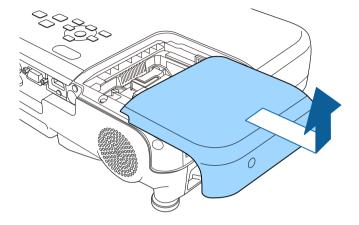
- Let the lamp fully cool before replacing it to avoid injury.
- Never disassemble or modify the lamp. If a modified or disassembled lamp is installed in the projector, it could cause a fire, electric shock, or other damage or injury.
- Turn off the projector and unplug the power cord.
- Allow the projector lamp to cool down for at least one hour.
- Use the screwdriver included with the replacement lamp to loosen the screw securing the lamp cover.

## **Marning**

When replacing the lamp, there is a possibility that the lamp may be broken. If replacing the lamp of a projector which has been installed on the ceiling, you should always assume that the lamp is cracked, and you should stand to the side of the lamp cover, not underneath it. Remove the lamp cover gently. Be careful when removing the lamp cover as shards of glass may fall out and could cause an injury. If any shards of glass get into your eyes or mouth, contact a doctor immediately.



A Slide the lamp cover out and lift it off.



Loosen the screws securing the lamp to the projector. The screws do not come all the way out.

