# Solar Crackle Ball Stake Light

## How the solar light works

During the day, the solar panel converts solar power into the rechargeable battery. At night, the light turns on automatically by the stored energy. How long the light lasts depends on its location., weather conditions and seasonal lighting availability. After enough sunshine when the battery is fully charged, the light will be on about 6-8 hours.

### Choosing the right location

An outdoor location with direct sunshine where the solar panel can receive at least 6 hours of sunshine is an ideal location for the solar light. Shady locations will influence the battery's charge and may shorten the working time of the light at night time. The solar light should not be placed near lighting such as street light, which may cause the light to turn off, as there is a sensor inside to feel brightness and control the light working. The solar light is ideal for night time lighting of the garden, lawn, patio, walks or wherever needed. You can also charge the light outdoors then use as indoor illumination.

#### **Precautions**

Please note that the light is designed to work when ambience turns to dark. If there are strong light sources nearby then the LED lights may be very dim or not work at all. Although the manufacturer has charged the battery, the charge levels will have dropped when you receive it. Please charge it for a full day to optimize performance. The surface of the solar light must be kept clean, if not, this will influence the efficiency of charging.

#### How to use the solar light

Push the switch to the 'ON' position and put the light in a sunny location. If the light does not turn on after charging please check the following:

- 1. Check the battery to ensure that they are making contact with the terminal
- 2. Check that the string lights are placed in a sunny location and that the solar panels are facing the sun

## Replacing the battery

If the light stops working after it has been used for a long time(approx. 18 months), the battery may be beyond its lifespan. You may open the screws and pull out the head of the tube then open the cover of the battery to change to a new rechargeable battery.

Battery specifications: 1 x AAA Ni-MH 1.2V/300MAH