

# HIGH EFFICIENCY CONDENSING GAS BOILER

# **INSTALLATION AND SERVICE MANUAL**

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WARNING: If the information in this manual is not followed exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

- Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance.



- WHAT TO DO IF YOU SMELL GAS
  - · Do not try to light any appliance.
  - Do not touch any electrical switch; do not use any phone in your building.
  - Immediately call your gas supplier from a neighbor's phone. Follow the gas supplier's instructions.
  - If you cannot reach your gas supplier, call the fire department.
- Installation and service must be performed by a qualified installer, service agency or the gas supplier.

California Proposition 65 Warning: This product contains chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer, birth defects, or other reproductive harm.

Heating Contractor	Boiler Model Number
Address	Boiler Serial Number
Phone Number	Installation Date

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# **IMPORTANT**

# READ ALL OF THE FOLLOWING WARNINGS AND STATEMENTS BEFORE READING THE INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



Danger Sign: indicates the presence of an imminently hazardous situation that will cause death, serious personal injury or substantial property damage.

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Warning Sign: indicates the presence of a hazardous situation which can cause death, serious personal injury or substantial property damage.

Caution Sign plus Safety Alert Symbol: indicates a hazardous situation which will or can cause minor or moderate personal injury or property damage.

# CAUTION

Caution Sign plus a lightning bolt indicates the risk of electric shock and the potential of hazards due to electric shock.

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Notice Sign: indicates special instructions on installation, operation or maintenance that are important but not related to personal injury or property damage.



This Boiler must be installed by a licensed and trained Heating Technician or the Warranty is void. Failure to properly install this unit may result in property damage, serious injury to occupants, or possibly death.

## 1 SAFETY GUIDELINES

#### FOR YOUR SAFETY READ BEFORE OPERATING

# WARNING: If you do not follow these instructions exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

- A. This appliance does not have a pilot. It is equipped with an ignition device which automatically lights the burner. Do not try to light the burner by hand.
- B. BEFORE OPERATING smell all around the appliance area for gas. Be sure to smell next to the floor because some gas is heavier than air and will settle on the floor.

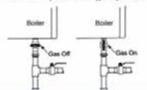
WHAT TO DO IF YOU SMELL GAS

- Do not try to light any appliance.
- Do not touch any electric switch; do not use any phone in your building.
- Immediately call your gas supplier from a neighbor's phone. Follow the gas supplier's instructions.

- If you cannot reach your gas supplier, call the fire department.
- C. Use only your hand to push in or turn the gas control knob. Never use tools. If the knob will not push in or turn by hand, don't try to repair it, call a qualified service technician. Force or attempted repair may result in a fire or explosion.
- D. Do not use this appliance if any part has been under water. Immediately call a qualified service technician to inspect the appliance and to replace any part of the control system and any gas control which has been under water.

### OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- STOP! Read the safety information above on this label.
- 2. Turn off all electric power to the appliance.
- 3. Set the thermostat to the lowest setting.
- This appliance does not have a pilot. it is equipped with an ignition device which automaticly lights the burner. Do not try to light the burner by hand.
- The manual gas shut off is located beneath the appliance cabinet, in the gas piping.
- The manual gas shut off valve is located beneath the appliance cabinet; turn the handle 
   to the full OFF position (perpendicular to the gas piping).



- Wait five (5) minutes to clear out any gas. If you then smell gas, STOP! Follow "B" in the safety information above on this label. If you don't smell gas, go to next step.
- Turn manual gas control valve 
   to ON position (parallel to gas piping).
- 9. Turn on all electric power to the appliance.
- 10. Set the thermostat to the desired setting.
- If the appliance will not operate, follow the instructions "To Turn Off Gas To Appliance" and call your service technician or gas supplier.

#### TO TURN OFF GAS TO APPLIANCE

- 1. Turn off all electric power to the appliance if service is to be preformed.
- 2. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- The manual gas shut off value is located beneath the appliance cabinet; turn the handle 
  to the full OFF position (perpendicular to the gas piping).

	This boiler is equipped with a pressure switch in the event of a blocked vent the boiler will lockout. No attempt by the user/owner may be made to put the boiler back into operation. A qualified service technician must be notified of the issue. The boiler may only be reset by a qualified service technician after they have diagnosed and corrected the issued that caused the safety lockout of the boiler.
DANGER	"Should overheating occur or the gas supply fail to shut off, do not turn off or disconnect the electrical supply to the circulator. Instead, shut off the gas supply at a location external to the appliance."
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Image: Slant/Fin recommends the installation of a carbon monoxide detector in the boild for all installations.NOTICE	er room
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	WARNING: There are no user serviceable parts on this boiler. Warranty does not cover defects caused by attempts to service this boiler by someone other than a qualified gas service technician. These attempts could cause property damage, personal injury or loss of life.
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	WARNING: Improper installation, adjustment, alteration, service or maintenance can cause property damage, personal injury (exposure to hazardous materials) * or loss of life. Installation and service must be performed by a qualified installer, service agency or the gas supplier (who must read and follow the supplied instructions before installing, servicing, or removing this boiler. This boiler contains materials that have been identified as carcinogenic, or possibly carcinogenic, to humans)
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Do not use this boiler if any part has been under water. Im service technician to inspect the boiler and to replace any and any gas control which has been under water	
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	WARNING: <b>Crystalline Silica</b> - Certain components in the combustion chamber may contain this potential carcinogen. Improper installation, adjustment, alteration, service or maintenance can cause property damage, serious injury (exposure to hazardous materials) or death. Refer to Section 19 for information on handling instructions and recommended personal protective equipment. Installation and service must be performed by a qualified installer, service agency or the gas supplier (who must read and follow the supplied instructions before installing, servicing, or removing this boiler. This boiler contains materials that have been identified as carcinogenic, or possibly carcinogenic, to humans).
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# Avertissement (Pour installateurs francophones)

AVERTISSEMENT. Assurez-vous de bien suivre les instructions données dans cette notice pour réduire au minimum le risque d'incendie ou d'explosion ou pour éviter tout dommage matériel, toute blessure ou la mort.

- Ne pas entreposer ni utiliser d'essence ou ni d'autres vapeurs ou liquides inflammables à proximité de cet appareil ou de tout autre appareil.
- QUE FAIRE SI VOUS SENTEZ UNE ODEUR DE GAZ :

•Ne pas tenter d'allumer d'appareils.

•Ne touchez à aucun interrupteur. Ne pas vous servir des téléphones dans le bâtiment où vous vous trouvez.

•Appelez immédiatement votre fournisseur de gaz depuis un voisin. Suivez les instructions du fournisseur.

•Si vous ne pouvez rejoindre le fournisseur de gaz, appelez le service des incendies.

L'installation et l'entretien doivent être assurés par un installateur ou un service d'entretien qualifié ou par le fournisseur de gaz.

#### **INTRODUCTION**

Ce manuel est écrit pour l'utilisateur.

Slant/Fin n'est pas responsable de tout dommage causé par ne pas suivre correctement de ces instructions. Pour service et réparation, utiliser seulement pièces de rechange de Slant/Fin. Tout documentation produit par le fabricant est sous réserve de la loi sur le droit d'auteur. Ce manuel est sujet à changement sans préavis.

#### Explications:

VGH = Chaudière à condensation

DHW = Eau Chaude Sanitaire (ECS)

CH = Chauffage central (pour objectif chauffage et/ ou eau chaude indirect)

BCU = commande (burner control unit)

PB = écran (Pixel Button)

## CONSIGNES DE SÉCURITÉ

AVERTISSEMENT. Assurez-vous de bien suivre les instructions données dans cette notice pour réduire au minimum le risque d'incendie ou d'explosion ou pour éviter tout dommage matériel, toute blessure ou la mort.

#### POUR VOTRE SÉCURITÉ LISEZ AVANT DE METTRE EN MARCHE « A. Cet appareil ne comporte pas de veilleuse. Il est muni d'un dispositif d'allumage qui allume automatiquement le brûleur. Ne tentez pas d'allumer le brûleur manuellement.»

« B. AVANT DE FAIRE FONCTIONNER, reniflez tout autour de l'appareil pour déceler une odeur de gaz. Reniflez près du plancher, car certains gaz sont plus lourds que l'air et peuvent s'accumuler au niveau du sol. »

QUE FAIRE SI VOUS SENTEZ UNE ODEUR DE GAZ :

•Ne pas tenter d'allumer d'appareil.

•Ne touchez à aucun interrupteur; ne pas vous servir des téléphones se trouvant dans le bâtiment.

•Appelez immédiatement votre fournisseur de gaz depuis un voisin. Suivez les instructions du fournisseur.

•Si vous ne pouvez rejoindre le fournisseur, appelez le service des incendies.

« C. Ne poussez ou tournez la manette d'admission du gaz qu'à la main ; ne jamais utiliser d'outil. Si la manette reste coincée, ne pas tenter de la réparer ; appelez un technicien qualifié. Le fait de forcer la manette ou de la réparer peut déclencher une explosion ou un incendie. »

« D. N'utilisez pas cet appareil s'il a été plongé dans l'eau, même partiellement. Faites inspecter l'appareil par un technicien qualifié et remplacez toute partie du système de contrôle et toute commande qui ont été plongés dans l'eau. »

# **Avertissement**

Une installation, un réglage, une modification, une réparation ou un entretien non conforme aux normes peut entraîner des dommages matériels, des blessures (exposition à des matières dangereuses) ou la mort. L'installation et l'entretien doivent être effectués par un installateur ou un service d'entretien qualifié ou le fournisseur de gaz (qui doivent avoir lu les instructions fournies avant de faire l'installation, l'entretien ou l'enlèvement de la chaudière et les respecter. Cette chaudière contient des matériaux qui ont été identifiés comme étant cancérogènes ou pouvant l'être).

## Comment couper l'admission de gaz de L'appareil:

- 1. Réglez le thermostat à la température la plus basse.
- 2. Coupez l'alimentation électrique de l'appareil s'il faut procéder à l'entretien
- 3. Le robinet d'arrêt de gaz est situé dessous la chaudière dans la conduite de gaz.
- 4. Tourner le robinet sens horaire à "OFF" (fermé) pour arrêter l'alimentation en gaz. Ne pas forcer.

En cas de surchauffe ou si l'admission de gaz ne peut être coupée, ne pas couper ni débrancher l'alimentation électrique de la pompe. Fermer plutôt le robinet d'admission de gaz à l'extérieur de l'appareil.

## **Entretien et inspection**

« Inspecter de façon visuelle le système d'évacuation pour déterminer la grosseur et l'inclinaison horizontale qui conviennent et s'assurer que le système est exempt d'obstruction, d'étranglement, de fuite, de corrosion et autres défaillances qui pourraient présenter des risques. »

L'entretien et l'inspection de la chaudière doivent être effectués aux occasions suivantes :

- Lorsqu'un certain nombre de codes d'erreur et/ou de verrouillage semblables apparaissent.
- Au moins tous les 12 mois, l'entretien doit être fait pour assurer un fonctionnement sûr et efficace.

Les dommages causés par le manque d'entretien ne seront pas couverts par la garantie

### Retrait d'une chaudière existante.

« Au moment du retrait d'une chaudière existante, les mesures suivantes doivent être prises pour chaque appareil toujours raccordé au système d'évacuation commun et qui fonctionne alors que d'autres appareils toujours raccordés au système d'évacuation ne fonctionnent pas :»

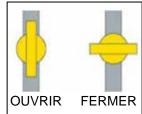
« Sceller toutes les ouvertures non utilisées du système d'évacuation. »

« Inspecter de façon visuelle le système d'évacuation pour déterminer la grosseur et l'inclinaison horizontale qui conviennent et s'assurer que le système est exempt d'obstruction, d'étranglement, de fuite, de corrosion et autres défaillances qui pourraient présenter des risques.

« Dans la mesure du possible, fermer toutes les portes et les fenêtres du bâtiment et toutes les portes entre l'espace où les appareils toujours raccordés au système d'évacuation sont installés et les autres espaces du bâtiment. Mettre en marche les sécheuses, tous les appareils non raccordés au système d'évacuation commun et tous les ventilateurs d'extraction comme les hottes de cuisinière et les ventilateurs des salles de bain. S'assurer que ces ventilateurs fonctionnent à la vitesse maximale. Ne pas faire fonctionner les ventilateurs d'été. Fermer les registres des cheminées. » « Mettre l'appareil inspecté en marche. Suivre les instructions d'allumage. Régler le thermostat de façon que l'appareil fonctionne de façon continue. »

« Une fois qu'il a été déterminé, selon la méthode indiquée ci-dessus, que chaque appareil raccordé au système d'évacuation est mis à l'air libre de façon adéquate. Remettre les portes et les fenêtres, les ventilateurs, les registres de cheminées et les appareils au gaz à leur position originale.

« Tout mauvais fonctionnement du système d'évacuation commun devrait être corrigé de façon que l'installation soit conforme au National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 et (où) aux codes d'installation CAN/CSA-B149.1. Si la grosseur d'une section du système d'évacuation doit être modifiée, le système devrait être modifié pour respecter les valeurs minimales des tableaux pertinents de l'appendice F du National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 et (où) les codes d'installation CAN/CSA-B149.1. »



# 2 INTRODUCTION

This manual is written for the Installer.

Slant/Fin is not accountable for any damage caused by failure to correctly follow these instructions. For service and repair purposes use only original Slant/Fin spare parts.

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## 2.1 Explanations.

- VGH = Condensing Boiler
- DHW = Domestic Hot Water
- CH = Central Heating (for central heating purposes and/or indirect hot water)

BCU = burner control unit

PB = display board/ control panel (Pixel Button)

299/399/500 = Model number of the boiler.

Pump = Circulator (Sometimes, in the software e.g., the word "pump" is used, this is a circulator)

## 2.2 Maintenance and inspection

Visually inspect the venting system for proper size and horizontal pitch and determine there is no blockage or restriction, leakage, corrosion and other deficiencies which could cause an unsafe condition.

Maintenance and inspection of the boiler must be carried out at the following occasions:
When a number of similar error codes and/or lock-outs appear.
At least every 12 months maintenance must be done to ensure safe and efficient operation.
Damage caused by lack of maintenance will not be covered under warranty

## 2.3 For installations in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The following local requirements apply in addition to all other applicable NFPA requirements: For direct- vent boilers, mechanical-vent heating appliances or domestic hot water equipment, where the bottom of the vent terminal and the intake is installed below four feet above grade the following requirements must comply:

- 1) If not present on each floor level where there are bedrooms, a carbon monoxide detector and alarm must be placed in a living area outside the bedrooms. The carbon monoxide detector and alarm must comply with NFPA 720 (2005 Edition).
- 2) A carbon monoxide detector and alarm shall be located in the room that houses the boiler and/or equipment and shall:
  - a) Be powered by the same electrical circuit as the boiler and/or equipment such that only one service switch services both the boiler and the carbon monoxide detector;
  - b) Have battery back-up power;
  - c) Meet ANSI/UL 2034 Standards and comply with NFPA 720 (2005 Edition); and
  - d) Have been approved and listed by a Nationally Recognized Testing Lab as recognized under 527 CMR.
- 3) A product-approved vent terminal must be used, and if applicable, a product approved air intake must be used. Installation shall be performed in strict compliance with the manufacturer's instructions. A copy of the installation instructions shall remain with the boiler and/or equipment at the completion of the installation.
- 4) A metal or plastic identification plate shall be mounted at the exterior of the building, four feet directly above the location of vent terminal. The plate shall be of sufficient size to be easily read from a distance of eight feet away and read "Gas Vent Directly Below".

For direct-vent boilers mechanical-vent heating boilers or domestic hot water equipment where the bottom of the vent terminal and the intake is installed higher than four feet above grade the following requirements must comply:

- If not present on each floor level where there are bedrooms, a carbon monoxide detector and alarm must be placed in a living area outside the bedrooms. The carbon monoxide detector and alarm must comply with NFPA 720 (2005 Edition).
- 2) A carbon monoxide detector shall:
  - a) Be located in the room where the boiler and/or equipment is located;
  - b) Be either hard-wired or battery powered or both; and:
  - c) Shall comply with NFPA 720 (2005 Edition).
- 3) A product-approved vent terminal must be used, and if applicable, a product- approved air intake must be used. Installation shall be in strict compliance with the manufacturer's instructions. A copy of the installation instructions shall remain with the boiler and/or equipment at the completion of the installation.

# **3 TECHNICAL DATA VGH BOILERS**

## 3.1 Functional introduction

The VGH boilers are central heating boilers with a maximum high efficiency. Such a performance can be reached by, amongst other things, using a special heat exchanger made of stainless steel. This allows the flue gases to cool down below the condensation point, and so release extra heat. This has an immediate positive impact on the efficiency.

#### The VGH boiler is set for Natural gas.

Fuel used must have Sulphur rates with a maximum annual peak over a short period of time of 150 mg/m<sup>3</sup> (110 ppm) and an annual average of 30 mg/m<sup>3</sup>. (22 ppm average)

#### **Boiler control includes:**

- Cascade control for up to sixteen boilers
- Remote operation and heat demand indication from each boiler
- Weather compensation control Outdoor reset.
- Indirect tank control

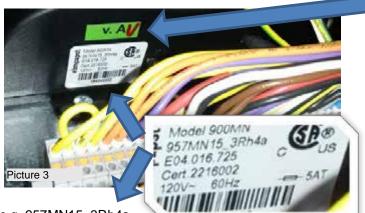
#### **Connections for:**

- On/Off thermostat or modulating thermostat
- 0-10 VDC remote flow temperature (set point) control
- 0-10 VDC remote boiler input control
- Outdoor temperature sensor
- External indirect tank circulator or diverter valve
- Boiler circulator

## 3.2 Location of version numbers

#### **Burner Controller Hardware Version**

 To be found on the second line of the white sticker on the side of the burner controller.



e.g. 957MN15\_3Rh4a

#### Burner Controller Software Versions

	Picture 3.1
[63EF 83BC]	
[5C79 14A9]	
900MN	
	Picture 3.2
	[63EF 83BC] [5C79 14A9]

- PWM control for external boiler circulator.
- System circulator
- External flow switch or external safety device.
- Modbus
- External system sensor
- DHW indirect sensor or aquastat.
- External Ignition coil

### **Parameter Version**

- To be found on the small sticker on the side of the burner controller. **v.A** = "Version A" e.g.

GENERAL					
Boiler catego	ry	-		IV	
Model boiler			VGH 299 CH	VGH 399 CH	VGH 500 CH
Dimensions (	h x w x d)	Inch (mm)	33.3 x 1	7.3 x 20.9 (845 x 440	x 530)
Water conten	t	Gallon (liter)	1.77 (6.7)	2.19 (8.3)	2.74 (10.4)
Weight (empty)		Lbs (kg)	174 (79)	183 (83)	187 (85)
Flow/return connection		inch	NPT 1 ½"	NPT 1 ½"	NPT 1 ½"
Gas connecti	on	inch	NPT 1"	NPT 1" NPT 1" NPT	
Flue connection		Inch (mm)	4" (100)	4" (100)	6" (150)
GAS CONSU	MPTION		Values min-max:		
Natural gas		ft <sup>3</sup> /h m <sup>3</sup> /h	54.8 – 274 1.6 – 7.8	74.3 – 368 2.1 – 10.4	91.1 – 465 2.6 – 13.2
Propane <sup>1</sup>		ft <sup>3</sup> /h m <sup>3</sup> /h	23.6 - 118 0.7 - 3.3	32.0 - 159 0.9 - 4,5	39.2 – 200 1.1 – 5.7
Gas supply	Nat. gas	Inch W.C./ (mbar)	7.0 (17.4)		
pressure nominal <sup>2</sup>	Propane	Inch W.C./ (mbar)	11.0 (27.4)		
NOTES					

<sup>1</sup> Using propane, maximum fan speed needs to be reduced

2 Min. and max. gas supply pressures

	p nom inch W.C. (mbar)	p min inch W.C. (mbar)	p max inch W.C. (mbar)
Natural gas	7.0 (17.4)	3.5 (8.7)	10.5 (26.2)
Propane	11.0 (27.4)	8.0 (19.9)	13.0 (32.4)

Table 3. 1

Model boiler			VGH 299 CH	VGH 399 CH	VGH 500 CH
CO <sub>2</sub> flue gas <sup>3</sup>	Natural gas	%		9.8 – 9.2	
Low fire – High fire	Propane	%		11.0 - 10.4	
O <sub>2</sub> flue gas <sup>3</sup>	Natural gas	%		3.7 – 4.7	
Low fire – High fire	Propane	%		4.1 - 5.0	
Flue gas temperature at combustion air temperature = 70 °F (20 °C)		°F (°C)	120 – 180 (50 – 80)		
Available pressure for the flue system <sup>4</sup>		Inch W.C (Pa)	0.8 (200)		
INSTALLATION					
Resistance	ΔT = 20 F	ft.head (m.W.C.)	26 (7.9)	31 (9.4)	29 (8.8)
boiler	$\Delta T = 35 F$	ft.head (m.W.C.)	9 (2.7)	10 (3.0)	10 (3.0)
Pressure boiler r	nin-max.	psi (bar)	15.0 - 87.0 (1.0 - 6.0)		
Max. supply tem	perature	°F (°C)	185 (85)		
ELECTRIC					
Maximum power	consumption	W	180	200	280
Power supply		V/Hz		120 / 60	
Protection class		-	IPX4D		
NOTES					
			e boiler front panel	in place	

<sup>4</sup> Maximum allowed combined resistance of flue gas and air supply piping at high fire

Table 3. 2

## 3.4 High altitude operation.

#### **High Altitude Operation**

The boiler is designed to operate at its maximum listed capacity in installations at elevations less than or equal to 2000 ft (610 m) above Sea Level. Since the density of air decreases as elevation increases, maximum specified capacity will be de-rated for elevations above 2000 ft (610 m) in accordance with the table underneath.

Elevations	2000 ft (610 m)	3000 ft (914 m)	4000 ft (1219 m)	4500 ft (1372 m)	Above 4500 ft (1372 m)
In USA	No de-rate	De-rate by 4 %	De-rate by 8 %	De-rate by 10 %	De-rate 4% per 1000 ft.
In Canada	No de-rate	De-rate by 10%	De-rate by 10 %	De-rate by 10 %	De-rate 4% per 1000 ft.

In USA and Canada, de-rate by 4% extra for every 1000 ft. above 4500 ft.

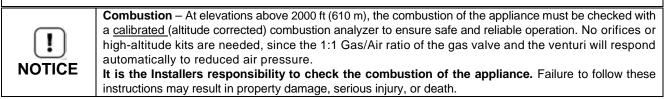


Table 3. 3

#### How to calculate De-rating at intermediate elevations for US:

 Elevation between:

 2000 and 3000 ft : (New value - 2000) x 0.004

 3000 till 4000 ft: (New value - 3000) x 0.004)+4

 4000 till 4500 ft: (New value - 4000) x 0.004)+8

 Above 4500 ft : (New value - 4500) x 0.004)+10

Example: Elevation is 2600 ft. De-rating is (2600-2000)x0.004 = 2.4 %
Example: Elevation is 3700 ft. De-rating is ((3700-3000)x0.004)+4 = 6.8 %
Example: Elevation is 4200 ft. De-rating is ((4200-4000)x0.004)+8 = 8.8 %
Example: Elevation is 4800 ft. De-rating is ((4800-4500)x0.004)+10 = 11.2 %

#### How to calculate De-rating at intermediate elevations for Canada:

Elevation between: **2000 till 4500 ft** : All values de-rate by 10% **Above 4500 ft** : ((New value - 4500) x 0.004)+10 **Example**: Elevation is 3600 ft. De-rating = 10 % **Example**: Elevation is 7600 ft. De-rating is ((7600-4500)x0.004)+10 = 22.4 %









AHRI <u>c</u>	ERTIFIED		Vo	SH series			
Model number	Input,	, MBH <sup>1</sup>	Output <sup>1,2</sup> MBH	AHRI Net Ratings	AFUE	Thermal Efficiency,	Combustion Efficiency,
namber	Min	Max	MBH	Water, MBH	70	%	%
VGH 299 CH	59.0	295	274	238	95.1	-	-
VGH 399 CH	80.0	396 <sup>3</sup>	378	329	-	95.5	95.4
VGH 500 CH	98.0	500	476	414	-	95.1	94.5
1 Listed	Input and	Output rati	ngs are at min	imum vent lenat	hs at Sea Leve	el. Numbers wi	ll be lower with

1 Listed Input and Output ratings are at minimum vent lengths at Sea Level. Numbers will be lower with longer

venting and/or altitudes greater than 2000 feet [610 m].

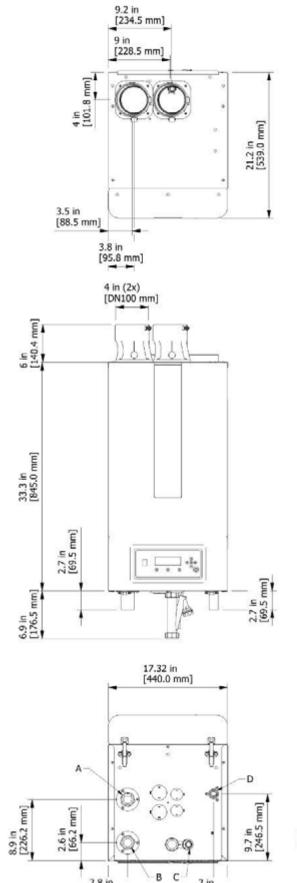
2 Output means 'Heating Capacity' for VGH 299 CH, and 'Gross Output' for VGH 399 CH and VGH 500 CH

- 3 The maximum input when operating on LP-Gas is 397 MBH.
- 4 Ratings have been confirmed by the Hydronics Section of AHRI.
- 5 The ratings and efficiencies are based on standard test procedures and calculation methods as prescribed by the United States Department of Energy.
- 6 As an ENERGY STAR® Partner, Slant Fin has determined that these firing rates meet the ENERGY STAR guidelines for energy efficiency.

Table 3. 4

## 4 BOILER DIMENSIONS

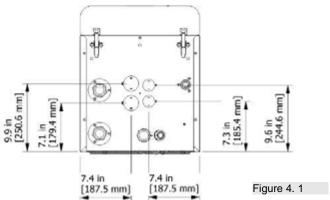
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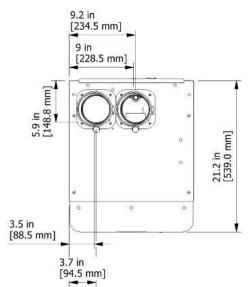


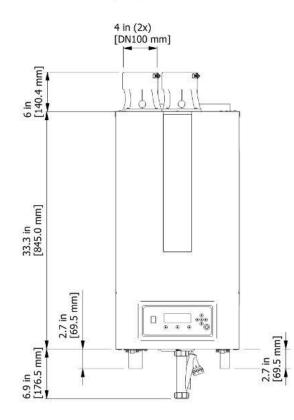
2.8 in [70.9 mm] 2 in [51.2 mm]

C	onnections	VGH 299 CH
Α	Supply	NPT 1½"
в	Return	NPT 1½"
С	Condensate	Flexible hose Ø 1.06" (26.9 mm)
D Gas NPT 1"		NPT 1"

Table 4. 1

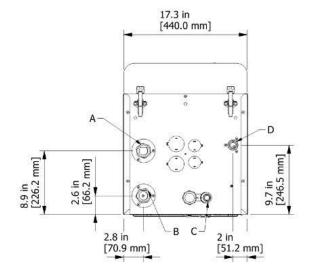


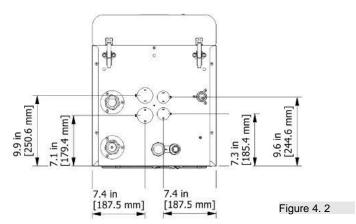


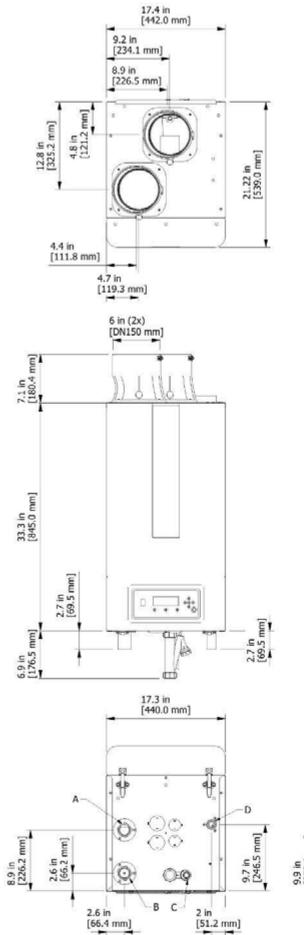


Connections		VGH 399 CH
Α	Supply	NPT 1½"
в	Return	NPT 11⁄2"
С	Condensate	Flexible hose Ø 1.06" (26.9 mm)
D	Gas	NPT 1"
	1.0	

Table 4. 2

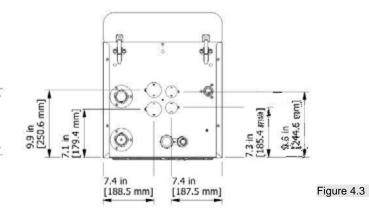






C	Connections	VGH 500 CH
Α	Supply	NPT 1½"
в	Return	NPT 11/2"
С	Condensate	Flexible hose Ø 1.06" (26.9 mm)
D	Gas	NPT 1"

Table 4. 3



# 5 ACCESSORIES AND UNPACKING

## 5.1 Optional Accessories

Depending on the selected controlling behavior for the central heating system and/or the optional use of an indirect tank, the following items are available as accessories.

Item	SI/F part no.	
Asme pressure 75 psi relief valve	432552000	
External flow temperature sensor for behind the low loss header: 10kOhm@77°F		
Indirect tank sensor: 10kOhm@77°F (type B3977)	81 7110 000	
1. Grundfos H.E. ECM Magna3 40-120 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 40/43 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-399 & 500)	81 7147 100	
1. Grundfos H.E. ECM Magna3 40-80 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 40/43 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-299&399&50	00) 81 7147 200	
1. Grundfos H.E. ECM Magna3 32-100 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 40/43 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-399)	81 7147 300	
1. Grundfos H.E. ECM Magna3 32-60 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 40/43 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-299&399&50	00) 81 7147 400	
1. Grundfos UPS 43-100 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 40/43 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-299 & 399 & 500)	81 7147 500	
1. Grundfos UPS 32-160 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 40/43 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-399 & 500)	81 7118 000	
1. Grundfos UPS 26-99 circulator 115V 2. Grundfos 15/26 1 1/2" cast iron flange (VGH-299)	81 7147 600	
IP module	81 7111 000	
Software + interface cable for programming the boiler with a computer/laptop	81 7135 000	
External Ignition transformer	81 7115 000	
Propane kit for VMS Venturi hole Ø 6.2 VGH 299		
Propane kit for VMS Venturi hole Ø 6.7 VGH 399		
Propane kit for VMS Venturi hole Ø 7.2 VGH 500	81 7114 000	
Gas pressure kit VGH 500 - to prevent gas pressure faults. The kit consists of two gas pressur switches, with connections to the gas valve and cabling to connect to the burner controller. The gas pressure switches are factory set to the values for natural gas.		
Safety Flow Switch Kit	81 7106 000	
ASME CSD-1 kit (gas pressure kit + safety flow switch kit)	81 7136 000	
Air Filter Kit VGH 299/399	81 7121 000	
Air Filter Kit VGH 500	81 7122 000	
Mag Filter Dual XL	81 7131 000	
Mag Flush Pro	81 7132 000	
Heating system cleaner	81 7133 000	
Heating system protector	81 7134 000	
French I&O Manual	81 7124 000	
French User Manual	81 7125 000	

Table 5. 1

## 5.2 Unpacking

The VGH boiler will be supplied with the following documents and accessories:

No.	Part no.	Description	Quantity
1		"Installation, user and service instructions" manual	1
2	400262000	ASME pressure 50 psi relief valve (packed into an additional box)	1
3	81 7051 000	Wall bracket with locking plate and bolts	1
4	81 7049 000	Spare nuts for the burner plate (in a bag attached to the front of the gas valve)	3
5	81 7030 000	Spare fuses for the boiler control (at the burner controller)	1
6	81 7028 000	Bottom part of the condensate drain assembly	1
7	81 7108 000	Outdoor (air) temp. sensor: 10kOhm@77°F (packed into an additional box)	1
8	81 7119 000	CPVC Starter piece 2 feet (VGH 399 only)	1
9	910373061	Temperature and pressure gauge	1
10	400201000	Boiler drain	1
11	81 7123 000	Gas shut off ball valve	1

Table 5. 2

After delivery, always check the boiler package to see if it is complete and without any defects. Report any defects or missing parts immediately to your supplier.

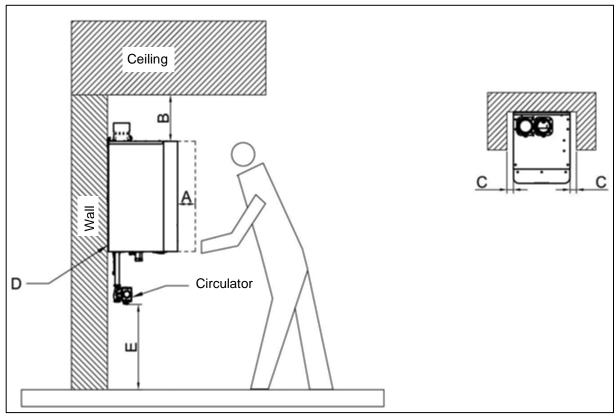
# 6 INSTALLATION LOCATION OF THE VGH

## 6.1 Installation Clearances

On all sides of the boiler at least 2" of clearance must be applied to walls or wall units, 14" above the top side of the boiler and 10" from the bottom of the boiler.

Model No.	Clearances to wall, ceiling and floor					
VGH	Distances – inches					
299-500		A: Front	B: Top	C: Sides	D: Back	E: Bottom
	Minimum service Clearances	6	12	2	0	10
	Recommended Service clearances	25	14	20	0	30
	Clearances from co	mbustible m	aterials			
	1. Hot water pipes—at least 1/4" (6 mm) from combustible materials.					
	2. Vent pipe – a	at least 1" (25	mm) from co	ombustible m	aterials.	

Table 6. 1



The installation area/room must have the following provisions:

Figure 6. 1

- 120 V 60 Hz power source socket with ground.
- Open connection to the sewer system for draining condensing water.
- A wall or stand to properly support the weight of the boiler.
- Depending on the current of the used circulator apply a circuit breaker up to a maximum of 15 A.

I NOTICE	The installation of the Slant Fin gas appliance must conform to the requirements of this manual, your local authority and the CAN/CGA B149 Installation Codes. Where required by the authority having jurisdiction, the installation must conform to the standard for Controls and Safety Devices for Automatically Fired Boilers ANSI/ASME CSD-1
	The wall used for mounting the boiler must be able to hold the weight of the boiler, piping and fittings, and the weight of the water. If not, it is recommended to mount the boiler by means of a (optional cascade) stand.



The boiler must <u>NOT</u> be installed on or near carpeting.

## 6.2 Boiler Installation Location Requirements:

- The installation of this boiler when installed using room air must comply to NFPA 54.
- The flue gas pipes must be connected to the outside wall and/or the outside roof. ("Flue gas instructions" manual.)
- The installation area must be dry and frost-free.
- The boiler has a built-in fan that will generate noise, depending on the total heat demand. The boiler location must minimize any disturbance this might cause. Preferably mount the boiler on a solidly constructed wall or stand.
- There must be sufficient lighting available in the boiler room to work safely on the boiler.
- When a boiler is positioned at the highest point of the installation, the supply and return pipes must first
  protrude 20" above the top of the boiler, before these pipes go to the installation side. In other words, the
  water level must always be 20" above the top of the boiler and an automatic air vent must be installed in
  the supply or return pipe. It is recommended to install a low water cut off above the boiler, when the boiler
  is installed above the system or at the highest point in the installation.
- Do not install the boiler in a location where it will be exposed to temperatures 100 °F or higher.
- Do not install the boiler in a location where it will be exposed to high levels of humidity and moisture or where condensation might fall onto the boiler.
- Make sure there is an open connection with the sewer to drain the condensate. This connection must be lower than the condensate drains level of the boiler, if not a condensate pump will be required.
- Do not locate the boiler in an area which contains corrosive or other contaminants as outlined in section 9.6 tables 9-12 and 9-13
- When considering installation locations consideration must be given to the combustion air supply whether using indoor air or sealed combustion.
- Do not allow the combustion air to come from a source or area which contains corrosive or other contaminants as outlined in section 9.6 tables 9-12 and 9-13

The boiler must be positioned and installed by a qualified installer or the gas company in accordance with all applicable standards, local codes and regulations. Commissioning of the boiler must be done by a qualified installer or technician, who is trained for this type of boiler.

In the Commonwealth of Massachusetts this boiler must be installed by a licensed Plumber or Gas Fitter.

## 6.3 Mounting the boiler

Before mounting and installing the boiler the following connections must be considered:

- Flue gas system and the flue gas pipe connections
- Air supply system and connections
- Supply and return pipe connections •
- Condensate and pressure relief valve drainage •
- Power supply (preferably the power connection positioned above the boiler) •
- Gas pipe sizing. •
- Automatic Air Vent Connection.

Needed tools : wrench 13 and 10 mm

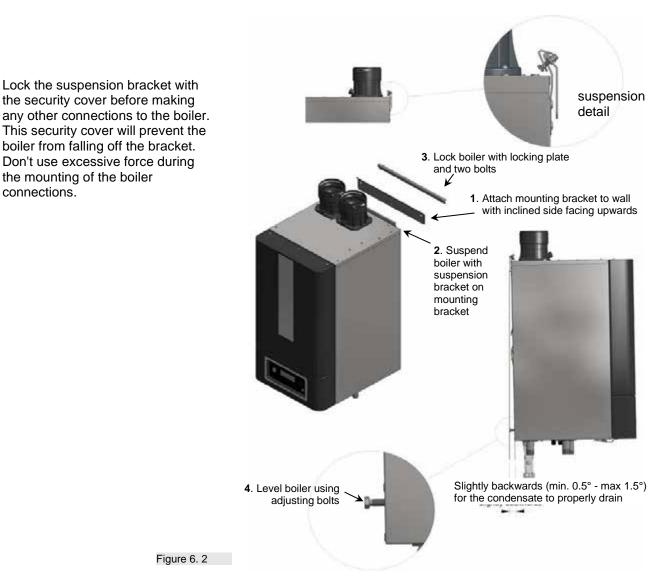


connections.

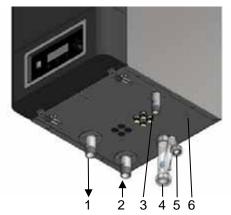
All lines/piping must be mounted free of tension. The weight of the installation components must be supported separately from the boiler so there will be no standing forces on the connections. This might influence the mounting position of the boiler.

Determine the position of the boiler by using the included suspension bracket or a suspension frame (when supplied). While marking the holes, ensure that the suspension bracket or frame is perpendicular, and the boiler does not lean forward. If necessary, adjust the position with the leveling bolts at the lower rear side of the back panel (see figure 6.2). When the leveling bolts aren't sufficient, fill the gap behind the bolts to get the boiler in position. The boiler position lies between the boiler hanging level and hanging slightly backwards (min. 0.5° - max 1.5°).

The boiler may not lean forward in the mounted position.



## 7 CONNECTIONS



## 7.1 Boiler connections

- 1 Water outlet / Flow
- 2 Water inlet / Return
- 3 Gas
- 4 Condensate trap clean out.
- 5 Condensate drain
- 6 Automatic air drain.

Figure 7. 1

7.2 Gas pipe connection

The gas supply piping must conform to all local codes and regulations and/or National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54. In Canada refer to CAN/CGA B149.1 installation codes, and local codes for gas piping requirements and sizing. Pipe size running to the appliance depends on: Length of pipe; Number of fittings; Maximum input requirement of all gas appliances in the residence. See the gas sizing table below for help when sizing the gas connection. For information on propane sizing consult your local propane gas supplier.

	Schedule 40 Black Steel Pipe in Cubic Feet of Natural Gas per Hour. (Based on inlet pressure less than 2 psi, pressure drop of 0.3 W.C. and specific gravity 0.6)				
Nominal Pipe Size (In)	3⁄4"	1"	1¼"	1½"	2"
Length (ft)					
10	273	514	1060	1580	3050
20	188	353	726	1090	2090
30	151	284	583	873	1680
40	129	243	499	747	1440
50	114	215	442	662	1280
60	104	195	400	600	1160
70	95	179	368	552	1090
80	89	167	343	514	989
90	83	157	322	482	928
100	79	148	304	455	877

Table 7. 1

#### 7.2.1 GAS LINE CONNECTION

Consult, the gas code to determine gas pipe size. It is required to install a manual shutoff gas valve in front of the gas pressure regulator to make sure that the gas line can be closed in case of maintenance. The entire piping system, gas meter and regulator must be sized properly to prevent pressure drop greater than 1 "w.c. as stated in the NFPA54. If you experience a pressure drop of greater than 1" w.c., regulator or gas line is undersized.

Slant/Fin recommends a nominal value of 7" to 10" W.C. of gas pressure when using Natural gas and 11 to 13" W.C. when using LPG, will be available at the boiler gas valve inlet at maximum boiler firing rate. See technical specifications datasheet for minimum and maximum allowed gas pressures.

When an in-line regulator is used to drop gas pressure from 2 psi to 0.5 psi, it must be located a minimum of 6 ft from the boiler.

Slant Fin requires a minimum 1" diameter flex hose if flex gas hose is going to be used. Ensure that: the gas line connection to the appliance does not apply any weight or pressure to the gas valve.

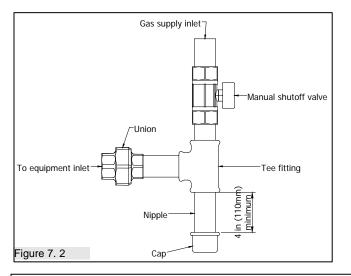
Create an installation layout such that the piping does not interfere with the vent pipe, or any other serviceable components.

The appliance shall be installed such that the gas ignition system components are protected from water (dripping, spraying, rain etc.) during installation, operation and servicing.

No appreciable drop in line pressure may occur when any unit (or in the instance of a cascade installation when all of the installed units).

lights or runs. Use common gas line sizing practices. Make sure the gas pressure is within specification during all conditions. Always use a pipe-threading compound. Apply sparingly to all male threads, starting at two threads from the end. Over doping or applying dope to the female end, can result in a blocked gas line.

DO NOT TIGHTEN FITTINGS WITHOUT SUPPORTING THE GAS VALVE, A BACKING WRENCH MUST BE USED



Install a manual "Equipment Shut-Off Valve". The valve must be listed by a nationally recognized testing lab. Should overheating occur or the gas supply fail to shut off, turn off the manual gas control valve. The gas line piping can safely be removed from the appliance for servicing.

Leak test the gas pipe from the boiler up to the gas pressure regulator.

Carefully vent the gas pipe (outside in open air) before putting appliance into operation for the 1st time;



A sediment trap must be provided directly below the boiler.



Strain on the gas valve and fittings may result in vibration, premature component failure and leakage and may result in a fire, explosion, property damage, serious injury or death.

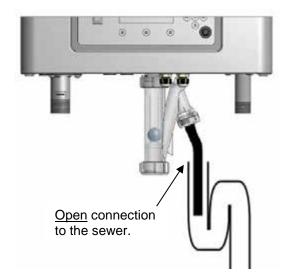
Do not use an open flame to test for gas leaks. Failure to follow these instructions may result in fire.

When performing a pressure test on the gas line piping, the following guidelines must be followed. \*The boiler and its individual shutoff valve must be disconnected from the gas supply piping system during any pressure testing of that system at test pressures in excess of 1/2 PSI (3.45 kPa).

\*The boiler must be isolated from the gas supply piping system by closing its individual manual shutoff valve during any pressure testing of the gas supply piping system at test pressures equal to or less than 1/2 PSI (3.45 kPa).

#### Gas pressure switch

If protection from gas pressure faults is demanded an optional kit is available. This kit consists of two gas pressure switches, with connections to the gas valve and cabling to connect to the burner controller. The gas pressure switches are factory set to the values for natural gas.



### 7.3 Condensate drain connection

The condensate drain is placed at the center and at the bottom of the boiler and has a <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch hose discharge. Connect this flexible hose to the sewer system.

Use only plastic parts with the condensate drain. Metal lines are not allowed.

Blockage of this drain might damage the boiler. The drain connection is correct when the condensate can be seen flowing away, e.g. using a funnel. Any damage that might occur, when the drain is not installed correctly, is not covered by the warranty of the boiler.

There must be an <u>open</u> connection of the condensate hose into the sewage system. A possible vacuum in the sewage system must never give the opportunity to suck on the boiler's condensate drain hose.

Figure 7. 3



The condensate the boiler produces is acidic and must be neutralized before disposal. If not properly neutralized it may harm some floor drains and/or pipes, particularly those that are metal. Ensure that the drain, drainpipe, and anything that will come in contact with the condensate can withstand the acidity or neutralize the condensate before disposal.

Damage caused by failure to install a neutralizer kit or to adequately treat condensate will not be the manufacturer's responsibility.

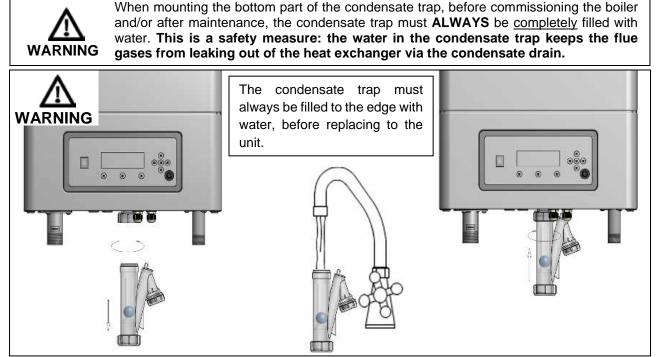


Figure 7. 4

## 7.4 Flow and return connections

Use T-pieces for externally mounting the pressure relief valve and the boiler drain valve for servicing the boiler. We advise to install two service ball valves in the flow and return pipes underneath the boiler, so the boiler can be isolated from the heating system and eventually disconnected, when needed.

When using a boiler circulator, this circulator must <u>always</u> be mounted in the return pipe of the heating system.

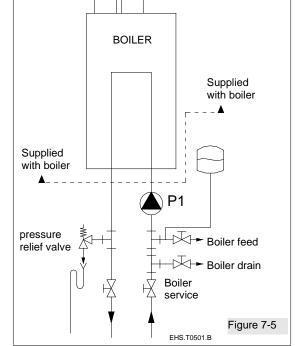
Do not use chloride-based fluxes for soldering any pipes of the water system.

It is recommended to install service valves, so the boiler can be isolated from the heating system, when needed. Make sure that the pressure relief valve is mounted between the boiler and the service valves.

### 7.5 The expansion vessel

The capacity of the expansion vessel must be selected and based on the capacity of the central heating system and the static pressure. Suggested is to fit the expansion vessel in the return pipe of the central heating system. It can be combined with the drain and feed valves for service. See figure 7.5

### 7.6 Pressure relief valve



The boiler has no internal pressure relief valve, but a relief valve, specially selected for this boiler, is added to the boiler shipment and can be found in the box. This must be installed close to the boiler in the flow pipe of the heating system and no shut off valve shall be placed between the relief valve and the boiler. When having cascaded boilers, each boiler must have its own pressure relief valve. The pressure relief valve's discharge must be piped to an open drain and to within 6 inches of the ground/floor. Always have an air gap between the pressure relief valve discharge piping and the drain to prevent a vacuum. No valve may be placed between the relief valve and the discharge line, do not plug or obstruct in any way the pressure relief discharge line.

## 7.7 NON-Return valve. (299 & 399)

Both boilers VGH 299 CH and VGH 399 CH have a non-return valve installed in the gas-air mixing pipe just before the burner. Flue gas recirculation is prevented by the non-return valve. The prevention of recirculation also reduces standby loses through the flue of the boiler. This creates a higher thermal efficiency.

## 7.8 Primary Secondary Piping.

The boiler has no internal bypass. The system must have primary secondary piping to allow an adequate flow. One option for primary secondary piping is to use closely spaced tees spaced 4 pipe diameters apart and a maximum of 12" apart. Another option for primary secondary piping is to use a low loss header for this function. The boiler flow will also be influenced when a pipe of the heating system is frozen / blocked. Make sure all heating pipes are free from the risk of frost. If there is the risk of freezing of the heating system, all the pipe section must be insulated and/or protected with the help of a heat tracing.

## 7.9 Circulator functionality

## Delta T monitoring:

A high temperature difference between supply and return of the boiler can indicate a clogged heat exchanger or filter, or a defective circulator. The burner load automatically decreases when the Return/Supply temperature differential increases too much.

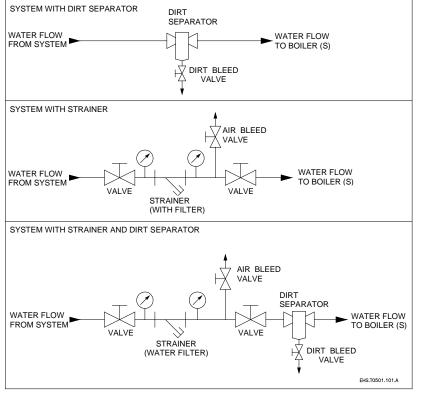
At maximum burner power  $\Delta T$  is limited to 72 °F and at low burner power a  $\Delta T$  above 86 °F is not allowed. Above these values the boiler modulates down until the temperature difference is between 72 °F and 86 °F. If the  $\Delta T$  exceeds 94 °F, the boiler will be temporarily switched off.

## 7.10 Frost protection

The boiler has a built-in frost protection that is automatically activates the boiler circulator when the boiler return (water) temperature drops below 50 °F/ 10 °C (programmable). When the boiler return temperature drops below the 41 °F/ 5 °C (programmable), the boiler is also ignited. The circulator and/or boiler will shut down as soon as the return temperature has reached the 59 °F/ 15 °C (programmable). The mentioned temperatures are related to the temperatures measured by the RETURN sensor of the boiler. This frost protection function will not fire up the boiler in case of a "general blocking" of the boiler demand.



This "Frost Protection" function is only useable for the boiler and not for the whole central heating system. Because it concerns a programmable setting, a boiler damaged by frost is not covered under warranty.



## 7.11 Installing a strainer and/or dirt separator

Figure 7.6

Always install a Y strainer and/or a dirt separator in the return pipe of the boiler; in such a way that the water going to the boiler is free of any debris/particles. When using a Y strainer always check a week after installation to determine the strainer cleaning interval. Advice is to mount valves before and after the strainer, including an air bleed valve, so the strainer can be isolated from the heating circuit for service operations. Clean water is very important, blocked and/or polluted heat exchangers, including failures and/or damages caused by this blockage are not covered by the warranty. In existing systems when replacing a cast iron boiler or when installing in a system with cast iron radiators or cast iron piping a magnetic dirt separator must be installed.

Its advised to place pressure measuring gauges before and after the strainer. Clean the strainer (water filter) when the maximum delta P exceeds the value prescribed by the strainer manufacturer.

## 7.12 Water quality

Contaminant	Maximum allowable level	Units	
рН	7.5 to 9.5		
Hardness	50 to 150	mg/l CaCo3	
	2.92 to 8.76	Grains/gallon	
Aluminum particles	< 0.2	mg/L	
Chlorides	150	ppm	
TDS	350	ppm	

The pH value is reached with the steady conditions. These steady conditions will occur, when after filling the heating system (pH about 7) with fresh water, the water will lose its air because of the air bleeding operation and heating up (dead water conditions).

If there is the risk of contamination of the water by any kind of debris/chemicals in the period after installing, a plate heat exchanger must be used to separate the boiler circuit from the heating circuit (see drawing at the next page).

Table 7. 2

It is advised to prevent the possible air intake and water leakage of the central heating system. Fresh oxygenated water might damage the heat exchanger of the boiler and must therefore be prevented! Usual spots where air is most likely to seep in are: suction gaskets, circulators, air valve working as a venting pipe, O-rings / gaskets in stuffing box, under floor heating pipes.

When a boiler is installed in a new system or an existing installation the system must be cleaned before the boiler is installed. The system is required to be cleaned using a system cleaner from the list below or an equivalent hydronic system cleaner. Follow the instructions provided by the system cleaner manufacturer. The system must then be drained and thoroughly flushed with clean water to remove any residual cleaner. **The system cleaner must Never be run through the boiler.** For recommended cleaners see table 7.4

Do not use petroleum-based cleaning and sealing compounds in the boilers system as they could damage gaskets. When using antifreeze in the system always use an inhibited mono propylene glycol antifreeze approved for use in heating systems. Never use Ethylene glycol in a heating system as it is toxic and can damage gaskets. Read the antifreeze suppliers manual for the maximum allowable level of antifreeze that can be used with the boiler.

The pH and water quality of the system must be checked on a yearly basis when antifreeze is used in a system. Replace the antifreeze every 5 years or sooner based on the instructions from the manufacturer or if the pH is out of the required range.

A micro bubble air elimination device is required to be installed in all heating systems. An air scoop is not an acceptable substitute for a micro bubble air elimination device and may not be used in the installation. A few examples of acceptable devices are

\*Spirovent \*Taco 4900 Series

\*Caleffi Discal

If an automatic feed valve is installed in the system, it may not be left open indefinitely. A continuous feed of fresh water could damage the system. It is recommended that after a short period of time following the installation of the boiler into a heating system that the automatic feed valve be closed.

If the boiler is used in a system with snow melt where antifreeze percentages are above the suppliers specified values, it must be isolated from the snow melt with a plate heat exchanger.

## 7.13 Use of glycol

To prevent the system from freezing, the use of glycol can be considered. All materials, used in the boiler, are resistant to glycol.

Glycol at itself will acidify because of thermal degradation over time. This acidity will cause serious damage to most components in the heating system including the boiler. Because of this, specific anti-freeze products are available in the market for use in heating systems. These consist mainly of glycol, but they have additives added which act against internal corrosion and/or scale formation. An important part of these additives are so called "balancers" which are added to the product, to absorb the rise of acidity of the glycol over time because of thermal degradation.

The chemical compatibility of two specific anti-freeze products has been tested by the heat exchanger producer. These products mainly consist of glycol next to the described additives.

If these products are used according to the instruction, they will not harm the boiler.

These anti-freeze products are:

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Manufacturer	Туре	Composition		
Fernox	Alphi 11	consists of 97% Mono Propylene Glycol next to some additives.		
Sentinel	X500	estimated as being between 90-100% Mono Propylene Glycol.		
Rhomar	Rhogard	Blended with VIRGIN Propylene Glycol		

Table 7.3

When using other glycol-based antifreeze products make sure that it is an equivalent product to the products mentioned above which will behave exactly the same on all materials and equipment in the heating systems.

Maximum glycol concentration is 40 %. This protects down to -10 °F.

Because of the higher viscosity of the glycol mixture, increase circulator head by 20 % at 40 % glycol. For use with glycol, select a circulator with glycol seals.

Because of the lower heat capacity of the glycol mixture, boiler Btu output will be reduced by approximately 10 % at 40% glycol. No fan speed or maximum temperature reduction will be necessary.

It is required to check the frost protection and acidity of the mixture in the heating system every year to maintain the warranty of the boiler.

## 7.14 Chemical water treatment

The chemical compatibility of several products for treatment of the central heating equipment has been tested on the heat exchangers and the boilers. See below for the list with the corrosion inhibitors in preventative and curative treatment for gas fired central heating boilers.

If water treatment is required when filling the system or preforming maintenance an inhibitor must be used. Follow the instructions provided by the inhibitor manufacturer when adding it to the system. The following is a list of approved inhibitors. Always check the water quality of the water and heat transfer fluid mixture in the system. The water quality of the mixture in the heating system and boiler must be within the stated requirements of table 7.2

Corrosion-/			
Producers ->	Fernox	Sentinel	Rhomar
Inhibitors	Protector F1 / Alphi 11	X100, X500	Pro-tek 922
Noise reducer		X200	
Universal cleaner	Restorer, Cleaner F3	X300, X400	Hydro-Solv 9100
Sludge remover	Protector F1, Cleaner F3	X400	
Antifreeze	Alphi 11	X500	Rhogard
Tightness		Leaker Sealer F4	

Table 7.4

Treatment type	Preventive	Curative
Protector F1	Х	
Cleaner F3	Х	Х
X100	Х	
X200	Х	
X300		Х
X400		Х
X500	Х	
Alphi 11	Х	
Leaker Sealer F4	Х	

Table 7.5



## When using chemicals or any kind of additions:

Follow the instructions provided by the manufacturer. Read the suppliers manual for the maximum allowable level/mixing ratio that can be used with the boiler. Warranty will be void if these instructions are not followed exactly. Record the used products and mixing ratio in the logbook, start-up-, check- and maintenance list.

## 7.15 Under floor heating

When using an under floor heating system with non-oxygen barrier PEX,, the boiler circuit must be separated from the heating circuit with a plate heat exchanger.

## 7.16 Flush the system with fresh water

The water of the boiler and heating circuit must be free of any particles, debris and pollution. Therefore, the complete installation must always be thoroughly flushed with clean water before installing and using the boiler(s).

## 7.17 Plastic piping in the heating system

When plastic pipes with no oxygen barrier are used in the central heating system, these must be separated from the boiler system by using a plate heat exchanger. Diffusion (through the plastic) can cause air to enter the heating system. This could damage the boiler, circulators and other components in the system. Be aware that plastic piping is often used in under floor heating systems. When no measures have been taken to prevent the entrance of air into the boiler system, the warranty of the boiler and any boiler part may be deemed invalid.

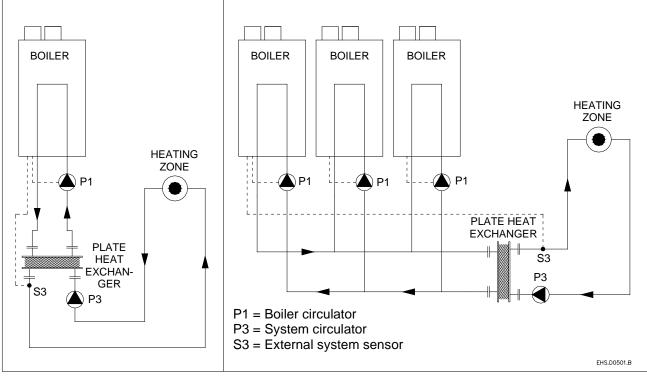


Figure 7.7

## 7.18 Automatic air purging of the heat exchanger

The De-Air sequence it is a safety function starting at every power ON and is used to remove the air from the heat-exchanger. The De-Air sequence does not start after a general reset (such as the locking error reset or 24 hours reset)

The display will show 'dAir' indicating that the controller is performing the De-Air sequence to purge the heat exchanger of air, by sequencing the boiler circulator OFF and ON. The installer/technician can cancel the De-Air sequence by pressing a specific key-button combination from the display. By default, "De-Air" sequence takes about 14 minutes.

• 1st cycle: The 3 ways valve moves to CH position and the general circulator is activated for 10 seconds, deactivated for 10 seconds, activated again for 10 seconds and then deactivated again for 10 seconds (DAir\_Repeation\_OnOff, which means ON/OFF/ON/OFF each time for 10 seconds = 40 seconds in total).

• 2nd cycle: it starts when 1st cycle is ended. The 3 ways valve is moved to DHW position and repeats the same cycling of the circulator (DAir\_Repeation\_OnOff, which means ON/OFF/ON/OFF each time for 10 seconds = 40 second in total).

This sequence (1st cycles + 2nd cycles) is performed DAir\_Number\_Cycles times (if DAir\_Number\_Cycles is 10 'De-air' sequence lasts ( $10 \times 40$ ) x 2 = 800 seconds).

During De-Air sequence no heating or hot water demand will be served.

When the water pressure is too low, or pressure sensor is in error, the De-Air sequence will be suspended until water pressure / sensor pressure is stable again. In that case the De-Air sequence will last longer than the estimated 14 minutes.

The following scheme below shows the behavior of the 3-way valve and boiler circulator during one whole cycle of De-Air sequence with a DAir\_Repetition\_OnOff set to 2.

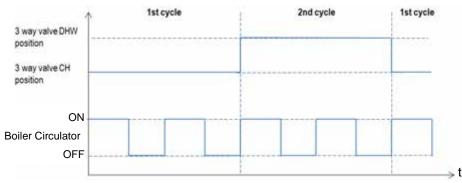


Figure 7.8

#### Relevant variables:

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range
De_Air_Config	2: Installer	0	01
0 = DAir disabled; 1 = DAir enabled.			
De_Air_State	1: User	-	-
Current state of the DAir function.			
DAir_Repeation_OnOff	2: Installer	2	0255
Number of repeating ON/OFF.			
DAir_Number_Cycles	2: Installer	10	0255
Number of DAir cycles.			

Table 7. 6

## 7.19 Automatic Feed Valve

If an automatic feed valve is installed in the system, it may not be left open indefinitely. A continuous feed of fresh water could damage the system (fresh water is bringing fresh oxygen into the system). It is recommended that after a short period of time following the installation of the boiler into a heating system that the automatic feed valve be closed

When using an automatic water refill system some precautions must be taken, like installing a water meter to measure and evaluate the total water volume that is added to the system. A water meter can be used to detect and eliminate any water leakage as soon as possible.

When an automatic feed valve system is used, some form of logging must take place to prevent continuously filling of the system with large amounts of oxygenated fresh water. This can happen when a leak in the system is not detected and the total added water amount is not being logged.

## 7.20 Water pressure

The installation must be designed and built to conform to all applicable regulations and standards, including the right safety relief valves. IMPORTANT: Always keep the pressure in the boiler lower than the value at which its safety relief valve opens.

#### Sensor

A water pressure sensor has been built into the boiler. The minimum water pressure in the boiler is 15 psi and the maximum pressure is 87 psi. The normal water pressure must be between 22 and 50 psi. Or 22 and 75 psi when the optional pressure relief valve is used. The pressure sensor will stop the boiler from firing when the water pressure drops below 10 psi, and starts the boiler firing again when the water pressure reaches above 15 psi. These values may never be changed in the boiler control settings. The boiler cannot be properly purged of air if the water pressure is less than 15 psi.

#### Higher pressure systems (e.g. in high buildings)

If a pressure higher than 87 psi is required for the heating system, the best solution is to separate the system from the boiler by means of a plate heat exchanger. In this way, the boiler pressure can remain under 87 psi. (60 psi recommended)

## 7.21 Installation examples

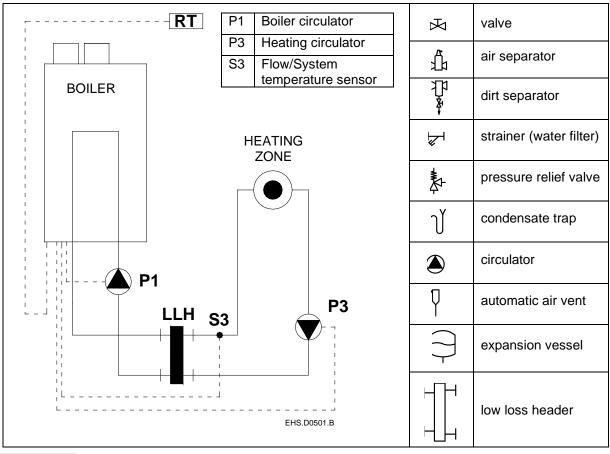




Figure 7. 9

### 7.21.2 EXAMPLE OF A MULTIPLE BOILER HEATING CIRCUIT WITH LOW LOSS HEADER

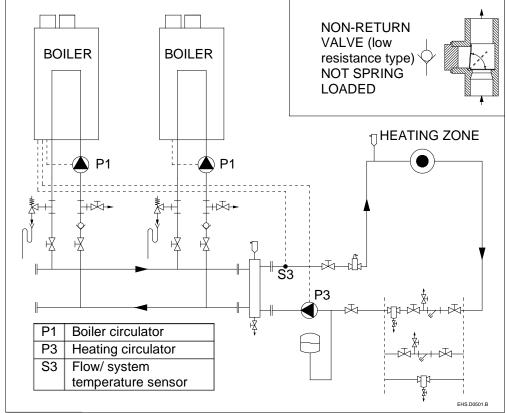


Figure 7. 10

## 8 CIRCULATOR CHARACTERISTICS

## 8.1 Hydraulic graphs

#### 8.1.1 BOILER RESISTANCE GRAPH VGH 299 CH

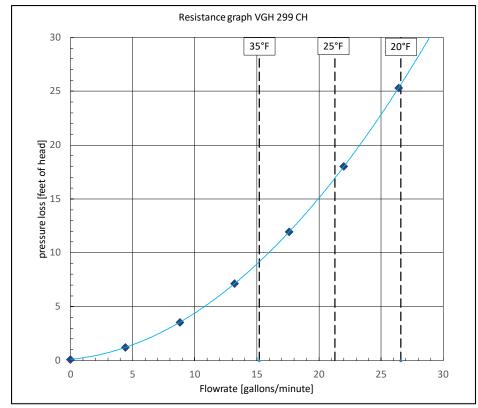
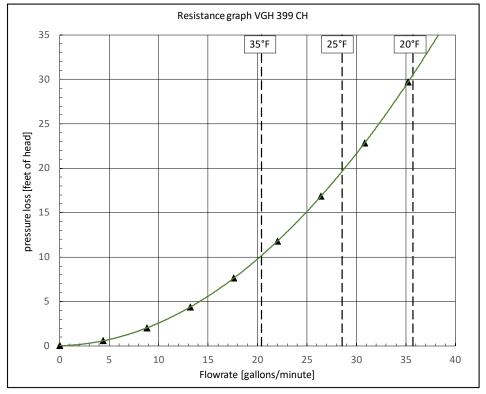


Figure 8. 1

### 8.1.2 BOILER RESISTANCE GRAPH VGH 399 CH



#### 8.1.3 BOILER RESISTANCE GRAPH VGH 500 CH

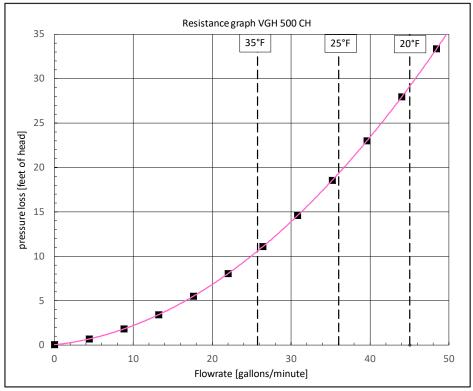


Figure 8. 3

## 8.2 Minimum required circulator head.

Boiler	at flow rate [gpm]	min required feet of head
VGH 299 CH	27	33
VGH 399 CH	36	38
VGH 500 CH	45	36

Table 8. 1

## 8.3 Grundfos VGH Circulator Sizing

Boiler				
type / ΔT	20°F ΔT	25°F ΔΤ	30°F ΔT	35°F ΔT
VGH 500	<b>UPS 32-160</b> or Magna3 40-120	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 40-80	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 40-80	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 32-60
	45 gpm @ 29ft head	36gpm @ 20ft head	33 gpm @ 16ft head	26 gpm @ 11ft head
VGH 399	<b>UPS 32-160</b> or Magna3 40-120	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 40-80	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 32-100	<b>UPS 26-99</b> or Magna3 32-60
	36 gpm @ 31ft. head	29 gpm @ 20ft. head	26 gpm @ 16ft. head	21 gpm 10ft. head
VGH 299	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 40-80	<b>UPS 43-100</b> or Magna3 40-80	<b>UPS 26-99</b> or Magna3 32-60	<b>UPS 26-99</b> or Magna3 32-60
	26 gpm @ 26ft. head	22 gpm @ 18ft. head	19 gpm @ 14ft. head	16 gpm @ 9.5ft. head

## 8.4 Modulating circulator for CH demand

It is possible to connect a PWM circulator. The control supports PWM modulation for the general circulator. Parameter 136 has to be set to modulating (Factory set to on/off circulator) when using a modulating circulator The boiler circulator is modulated when there is a demand for CH.

During any other demand, the PWM circulator will run at a fixed speed set by the Default Duty cycle parameter. How the circulator is modulated is controlled with the Modulating\_Pump\_Mode setting.

## 8.5 Modulating circulator modes

There are several modulating circulator modes implemented in the software.

By selecting a different modulating circulator mode, the circulator behavior can be changed. The following modulating circulator modes are available.

Modul	lating circulator mode	Details
0:	Disabled	No circulator modulation; the PWM duty cycle is always 0%.
1:	Delta temperature modulation	Calculated duty cycle to create a delta temperature between the T_Supply and T_Return sensor.
2:	Fixed 20% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 20%.
3:	Fixed 30% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 30%.
4:	Fixed 40% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 40%.
5:	Fixed 50% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 50%.
6:	Fixed 60% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 60%.
7:	Fixed 70% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 70%.
8:	Fixed 80% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 80%.
9:	Fixed 90% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 90%.
10:	Fixed 100% speed	Fixed duty cycle of 100%.

Table 8.2

#### 8.5.1 **DELTA TEMPERATURE MODULATION**

When the modulating circulator mode 1 Delta temperature modulation is selected the circulator modulates to create a delta of T\_Delta between the T\_Supply and T\_Return sensors. This modulation is only done when the control is in burn. When the boiler starts the duty cycle is kept at the Default Duty cycle setting for the time set by Burn Stabilize Time. After this time, the PID calculated duty cycle is used.

During modulation, the duty cycle output changes according to the following logic:

- Actual delta temperature is greater than the selected T\_Delta
- The circulator speed increases so there is less time to cool down the heated water. This results in the T\_Return temperature increasing.
- Actual delta temperature is smaller than the selected T\_Delta
- The circulator speed decreases so there is more time to cool down the heated water. This results in the T\_Return temperature decreasing.

#### 8.5.2 **PID CALCULATION SCALING**

For a better burner modulation, the modulating circulator PID calculation interval is slower when the T\_Supply sensor is close to the actual CH supply setpoint.

The temperature range in which this is limited is set by the PID Scaling Range parameter. When the T\_Supply sensor is outside this range the PID calculation is performed every 100 ms. When the T\_Supply sensor temperature is at its setpoint the PID calculation is performed every 1000 ms.

In the range set by the PID Scaling Range parameter the PID calculation speed is scaled in a linear way.

## 8.6 Circulator: maximum electrical power

#### General

- The inrush current of a conventional circulator is approximately 21/2 x its nominal current.
- The maximum switch current of the PCB is 4 A.
- The total current of pcb and gas valve is approx. 0.5 A. All field supplied circulators and valves for the boiler loop, DHW, and the system that are connected to the boiler may not exceed 3.5 amps. Use separate relays if higher currents are needed. The fan is separately connected to the main supply and has a fuse of 3.15 Amps.

#### Circulator P1 - boiler circulator.

This circulator is NOT part of the appliance. The maximum combined current for the boiler loop pump and any additional pumps and valves may not exceed 2 amps.

#### Circulator P2 - calorifier circulator.

Circulator P2 is a DHW indirect tank circulator, meaning it's not part of the appliance. The maximum combined current for the indirect tank pump and any additional pumps and valves may not exceed 2 amps.

#### 3-way valve.

The combined nominal current of circulator P1 and the 3-way valve may not exceed 2 amps

#### Circulator P3 - system circulator.

The maximum combined current of circulator P3 and the other connected circulators may not exceed 2 amps.

#### Warning (ECM circulators):

When using an ECM circulator, it cannot be powered directly by the boiler. Use a relay to isolate the boiler from the circulator.

WARNING : Use an external relay if nominal circulator currents exceeds 2 Amp.		
To all outputs following applies: maximum current 2 A each output. Total output of all currents combined maximum 3.5 A. The inrush current of the 3-way valve and/or circulators is maximum 8 A.		

## 9 FLUE GAS AND AIR SUPPLY SYSTEM

## 9.1 General venting.

The boiler has a positive pressure vent system.

The boiler is for either direct vent installation or for installation using indoor combustion air, category IV, appliance with sealed combustion requiring certain venting systems. All combustion air is drawn from outdoors or indoor. All products of combustion are vented directly outdoors. The vent, and if applicable air-intake piping, must be piped to the outdoors. Under no conditions may this appliance vent gases into a masonry chimney. The internal safety system shuts down the boiler in case the temperature of the flue gasses becomes too high, after which the appliance will not run until manually restarted. Installations must comply with CSA B149.1 and local requirements.

The front cover creates an airtight enclosure making sure air is only supplied by the vent air intake. Therefore, make sure the front cover always has been placed in its position during operation of the appliance.

<b>!</b> NOTICE	<ul> <li>Install all horizontal vent components with a minimum angle of 3° downwards in the direction of the boiler (roughly equal to 1/4 inch per foot or 5 cm per meter). When not installed accordingly, it may result in condensate building-up in the vent gas tube, eventually causing component failure.</li> <li>When using a wall terminal, there is the possible risk of ice building-up on surrounding parts/structures, because the condensate will freeze. This risk must be taken into account during the design phase of the heating installation.</li> <li>Because the flue gases can have a low temperature, the boiler needs to have a high efficiency approved stainless steel or plastic vent system. These materials, including the gaskets, must be usable for positive pressure vent gas systems.</li> <li>These parts must be certified for use at temperatures of minimal 70°C / 158°F (See also warnings below).</li> </ul>
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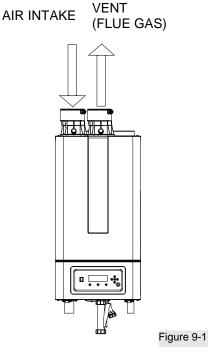
#### 9.1.1 VENT SIZING.

Boiler	Intake Air and Exhaust
VGH 299, 399	4"
VGH 500	6"
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Table 9-1

Vent connector: used to provide a passageway for conveying combustion gases to the outside. A connector is provided on the unit for final connection. Vent piping must be supported per the National Building Code, Section 305, Table 305.4 or as local codes dictate.

#### Connections vent gas (vent) and air supply:



#### 9.1.2 VENT AND AIR INLET RESISTANCE TABLE

#### Minimum and maximum allowable combined vent and air inlet length:

- Minimum venting length: two feet (2 ft) for all boilers
- Maximum venting length: see table below.

Maximum Exhaust Length / Maximum Combustion Air Intake Length				
	VGH 299	VGH 399	VGH 500	
4"	228' / 228'	121' / 121'	73' / 73'	
5"			285' / 285'	
6"			481' / 481'	

Table 9-2

	For long lengths, check venting pipe and fittings for maximum allowable pressure.
	This table may only be used for a single vent/air system for one boiler. Do <b>NOT</b> use this table for common vent systems with cascaded boilers.
NOTICE	bo <b>Not</b> use this table for common vent systems with case added boliefs.

#### Pipe, elbows, tees - equivalent feet: for DuraVent PolyPro

Item\ size	4"	5"	6"	
1 ft Vent Pipe	1 ft	1 ft	1 ft	
1 ft Flex Pipe (same diameter as rigid)	2 ft	2 ft	NA	
1 ft Flex Pipe (upsized one diameter)	0.6 ft	NA	NA	
45 Elbow	5 ft	6 ft	6 ft	
90 Elbow	12 ft	14 ft	14 ft	
Tee	19 ft	21 ft	22 ft	Table 9-

### Terminals equivalent feet: for DuraVent PolyPro

BOILER	TERMINAL	size	part #	Eq lenght. (ft)
VGH 299, 399	concentric roof:	4" vent	4PPS-VKL 4PPS-VK-TCL	37 ft
	concentric wall:	4" vent	4PPS-HKL	13 ft
	2 pipe wall:	4" vent	3x 4PPS-E90BL elbow + 2x 4PPS-BG bird screen	42 ft
VGH 500	2 pipe wall:	6" vent	3x 6PPS-E90BL elbow + 2x 6PPS-BG bird screen	50 ft

Table 9-4

### 9.2 Vent and air intake pipe material

Items	Materials <sup>1)</sup>	Venting System Standards		Warning
		United States	Canada <sup>3)</sup>	
Flue piping and	CPVC Schedule 40	ANSI/ASTM F441	All venting	All Vent and Air-Inlet
Fittings	PVC Schedule 40	ANSI/ASTM D1785	material in	materials installed on
	Stainless Steel SS	UL-1738	Canada must be	gas
	Polypropylene PP	-	ULC S636	fired appliances in
Air inlet piping	PVC - DWV	ANSI/ASTM D2265	approved.	CAN/US must meet the
and Fittings <sup>2)</sup>	Stainless Steel SS	UL-1738		Standards listed in this
	Polypropylene PP	-		Table.
Pipe cement	PVC	ANSI/ASTM D2564		Failure to comply could
	CPVC	ANSI/ASTM F493		result in fire, serious
Primers	PVC/CPVC	ANSI/ASTM F656		injury or death.

Notes:

1 PVC venting (exhaust and air-inlet) is not permitted within the Closet/alcove of a Closet/alcove installation.

2 The air-inlet does not require high temperature pipe material. Check applicable local codes for acceptable materials.

3 Use only vent gas material suitable for flue gas temperatures of 158°F (70°C) or higher.

Table 9-5



Never use aluminum containing vent pipes in these boilers. Do not store or use gasoline or other flammable vapors and liquids in the vicinity of this or any other appliance. Failure to follow instructions may result in serious injury or death. In Canada, the first piece of vent piping must be readily accessible for inspection. Covering non-metallic vent pipe and fittings with thermal insulation is prohibited. Failure to

follow these instructions may result in property damage, personal injury or death.

#### 9.2.1 APPROVED MANUFACTURERS

#### **PVC/ CPVC venting:**

\* IPEX System 636

#### Polypropylene venting:

- \* Duravent PolyPro
- \* Centrotherm InnoFlue

#### Stainless steel venting:

\* Duravent - FasNSeal, FasNSeal Flex

\* Security Chimneys - Secure seal SS/SSD/SSID



READ THE MANUAL PROVIDED BY THE VENT GAS AND AIR SYSTEM SUPPLIER CAREFULLY

### 9.3 PVC/CPVC

This product has been approved for use with the PVC/CPVC vent materials listed in this manual. All terminations must comply with listed options in this manual and be a single-wall vent offering. For support and special connections required, see the manufacturer's instructions. All vent is to conform to standard diameter and equivalent length requirements established.

Approved PVC/ CPVC vent pipe and fittings:

IPEX – System 636				
BOILER	FITTING	PART #		
VGH 299, 399	4" Concentric Termination CPVC	197021		
	4" Low profile Termination	196986		
	4" FGV 45° Elbow CPVC	197172		
	4" FGV 90° Elbow CPVC	197202		
	4" Termination Vent Screen	196052		
VGH 500	6" FGV 45° Elbow CPVC	197173		
	6" FGV 90° Elbow CPVC	197203		
	6" Termination Vent Screen	196090		

Table 9-6

	<ul> <li>PVC In Canada</li> <li>Safety authorities in some jurisdictions are not allowing PVC venting materials with appliances of any kind, even if System 636 certified. Check with the local safety inspector to verify compliance.</li> <li>Canadian installations must comply with the current CSA B149.1 Installation Code and local building codes.</li> <li>PVC exhaust venting:</li> </ul>			
I NOTICE	When using PVC venting, the first part of exhaust venting must be approved CPVC or PP. This starter piece must have a minimum length (in feet) according to table 9-7:Design Supply Max. LimitVGH 299VGH 399VGH 500176°F (80°C)0 ft0 ft0 ft194°F (90°C)0 ft4 ft2 ftTable 9-7WARNING: "Design Supply Max. Limit" limits the "CH setpoint" (supply temperature). Default setting for this limit is 194°F (90°C), for other temperatures the installer has to change this temperature in the installer menu, to match table 9-7. 			
	The use of cellular core PVC (ASTM F891), cellular core CPVC, or Radel® (polyphenol sulfone) in the exhaust venting system is prohibited. Failure to follow these instructions may result in property damage, personal injury or death. The vent connection to the appliance must be made with the starter CPVC or PP pipe section provided with the appliance if PVC/CPVC vent is to be used. Failure to follow this warning could result in fire, personal injury, or death.			

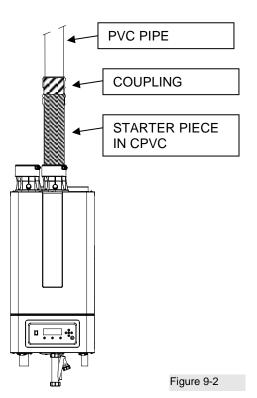
٨	Insulation may not be used on PVC or CPVC venting materials. The use of insulation will cause increased vent wall temperatures, which could result in vent pipe failure.
	The PVC/ CPVC pipe and fittings must be cemented using an "All Purpose Cement" suitable for PVC and CPVC pipe. Use only the vent materials, primer and cement specified in this
WARNING	manual to make the vent connections. Failure to follow this warning could result in fire, personal injury, or death.
0	In Canada, CPVC and PVC vent pipe, fittings and cement/ primer must be ULC-S636 certified.
(!)	Use only cleaners, primers, and solvents that are approved for the materials which are joined
	together.
NOTICE	All PVC vent pipes must be glued, properly supported, and the exhaust must be pitched a
	minimum of a 1/4 inch per foot back to the boiler (to allow drainage of condensate).

#### 9.3.1 INSTRUCTIONS FOR WORKING WITH CEMENTING PVC/ CPVC PIPE CONNECTIONS:

- 1. Work from the boiler to vent or air termination. Do not exceed the lengths given in this manual for the air or vent piping.
- 2. Cut pipe to the required lengths and deburr the inside and outside of the pipe ends.
- 3. Chamfer outside of each pipe end to ensure even cement distribution when joining.
- 4. Clean all pipe ends and fittings using a clean dry rag. (Moisture will retard curing and dirt, or grease will prevent adhesion.)
- 5. Dry fit vent or air piping to ensure proper fit up before assembling any joint. The pipe must go a third to twothirds into the fitting to ensure proper sealing after cement is applied.
- 6. Priming and Cementing:
  - a. Handle fittings and pipes carefully to prevent contamination of surfaces.
  - b. Apply a liberal even coat of primer to the fitting socket and to the pipe end to approximately 1/2" beyond the socket depth.
  - c. Apply a second primer coat to the fitting socket.
  - d. While primer is still wet, apply an even coat of approved cement to the pipe equal to the depth of the fitting socket along with an even coat of approved cement to the fitting socket.
  - e. Apply a second coat of cement to the pipe.
  - f. While the cement is still wet, insert the pipe into the fitting, if possible twist the pipe a 1/4 turn as you insert it. NOTE: If voids are present, sufficient cement was not applied and joint could be defective.
  - g. Wipe excess cement from the joint removing ring or beads as it will needlessly soften the pipe.

#### Near boiler PVC/ CPVC venting.

Starter piece must have a minimum length according table 9-7 "PVC Exhaust Venting".



### 9.4 Polypropylene

This product has been approved for use with polypropylene vent with the manufacturers listed. All terminations must comply with listed options in this manual and be a single-wall vent offering. For support and special connections required, see the manufacturer's instructions. All vent is to conform to standard diameter and equivalent length requirements established.

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SUPPLIER	TYPE
Duravent	PolyPro
Centrotherm	InnoFlue

Table 9-8

Approved polypropylene terminations:

#### **Duravent - PolyPro**

BOILER	TERMINATION	COLOR:	ORDER #:	STOCK #:
	4" Twin Pipe Side Wall	black	4PPS-HTPL	810009745
	4" Single Pipe Side Wall	Stainless	4PPS-HSTSL	810009744
VGH 299	4" Bird Screen	Stainless	4PPS-BG	810004367
VGH 399	4" concentric roof	black	4PPS-VKL	810009752
		terra-cotta	4PPS-VK-TCL	810009753
	4" concentric wall	white	4PPS-HKL	810009742
	5" Roof	black	5PPS-VTML	810009770
	5" Single Pipe Side Wall	Stainless	5PPS-HSTL	810009763
VGH 500	6" Roof	black	6PPS-VTML	810009791
	6" Single Pipe Side Wall	Stainless	6PPS-HSTL	810009784
	6" Bird Screen	Stainless	6PPS-BG	810004276

Table 9-9

#### **Centrotherm Innoflue**

BOILER	TERMINATION	COLOR	ORDER
	4" Twin Pipe Side Wall	black	ISLPT0404
	4" Termination Tee	black	ISTT0420
VGH 299	4" Termination Pipe	black	ISEP04 or ISEP0439
VGH 399	4" Bird Screen	black	IASPP04
	4" Concentric roof termination		ICRT4679
	4" Concentric wall termination		ICWT462
	5" Termination Tee	black	STT0520
	5" Bird Screen	stainless	IASSS05
	6" Termination Pipe	grey	ISEP0620 or ISEP0639
	6" Termination Tee	grey	ISTT0620
VGH 500	6" Bird Screen	black	IASPP06
	6" Roof flashing		IAPRF06 or IAFRF06
	6" End pipe		ISEP06
	6" Wall plate		IAWP06BP
	6" Support clamp		IASCM06

Table 9-10

### 9.5 Reducer

If a reduction of the flue gas pipe is made a reducer is required to make it fit.



Use to transition the vent system to a smaller diameter. Includes 1 adapter Connector clamp. Supplier: Duravent.

Picture 9-1	

Boiler	Size		Order #	STOCK#	А
	3" - 2"	80 – 60 mm	3PPS-R2L	810009714	5" / 130mm
	4" - 3"	100 – 80 mm	4PPS-R3L	810009746	5" / 130mm
All boilers	5" - 4"	130 – 100 mm	5PPS-R4L	810009764	7 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " / 193mm
	6" - 5"	150 – 130 mm	6PPS-R5L	810009785	7 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> " / 197mm
	8" - 6"	200 – 150 mm	8PPS-R6L	810009801	5 <sup>15</sup> / <sub>16</sub> " / 150mm

Table 9-11

#### 9.5.1 FLEXIBLE POLYPROPYLENE

For use of flex pipe, it is recommended to have the vent material in 32°F or higher ambient space before bending at installation. No bends may be made to greater than 45° and ONLY installed in vertical or near vertical installations.

	Insulation is prohibited from use on all types of plastic venting material: PVC, CPVC, and Polypropylene.
DANGER	Use only the adapters and vent system listed. DO NOT mix vent systems of different types or manufacturers. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.
	All vent connections MUST be secured by the vent manufacturer's joint connector.
	The installer must use a specific vent starter adapter at the flue collar connection. The adapter is supplied by the vent manufacturer to adapt to its vent system.
NOTICE	Installations must comply with applicable national, state, and local codes. For Canadian installation, polypropylene vent must be listed as a ULC-S636 approved system.
	Installation of a polypropylene vent system must adhere to the vent manufacturer's installation instructions supplied with the vent system.

#### 9.5.2 **STAINLESS STEEL VENT.**

This product has been approved for use with stainless steel using the manufacturers listed.

Approved stainless steel vent pipe and fittings
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TYPE
FasNSeal, FasNSeal Flex
Secure Seal SS/SSD/SSID
Saf-T EZ Seal

Table 9-12

\*Use of FasNSeal Flex smooth inner wall vent is to be used in vertical or near vertical sections only, taking precaution to ensure no sagging occurs of the vent system. Connect to the FasNSeal rigid vent using specially designed adapters and sealing method, see manufacturer's instructions.

	Use only the materials, vent systems, and terminations listed. DO NOT mix vent systems of different types or manufacturers. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.		
	The installer must use a specific vent starter adapter at the flue collar connection, supplied by the vent manufacturer to adapt to its vent system.		
<b>!</b> NOTICE	Installations must comply with applicable national, state, and local codes. Stainless steel vent systems must be listed as a UL-1738 approved system for the United States and a ULC-S636 approved system for Canada.		
	Installation of a stainless-steel vent system must adhere to the stainless-steel vent manufacturer's installation instructions supplied with the vent system.		

Approved Stainless Steel Terminations.

	Duravent	Security Chimneys	HeatFab
	FasNSeal	Secure Seal	Saf-T EZ Seal/ EZ 316
BOILER	TERMINATION	TERMINATION	TERMINATION
VGH 299 VGH 399	FSBS4 (bird screen wall) FSRC4 (rain cap roof)	SS4STAU (screen termination SS4RC (rain cap roof)	5490CI (horizontal termination) 5400CI (rain cap)
VGH 500	FSBS6 (bird screen wall) FSRC6 (rain cap roof)	SS6STAU (screen termination SS6RC (rain cap roof)	5690CI (horizontal termination) 5600CI (rain cap)

Table 9-13

### 9.6 Sealed Combustion Air supply

When an air supply pipe is connected from the outside of the building to the boiler, the boiler will operate as a sealed combustion boiler.

The air supply duct can be made of PVC, PP or Stainless steel

#### 9.6.1 COMBUSTION AIR QUALITY

Combustion air must be free of contaminants. Do not install the intake for the combustion air venting in an area which contains corrosive or other contaminants as outlined in section 9.6 tables 9-12 and 9-13

#### 9.6.2 AIR SUPPLY THROUGH HUMID AREAS

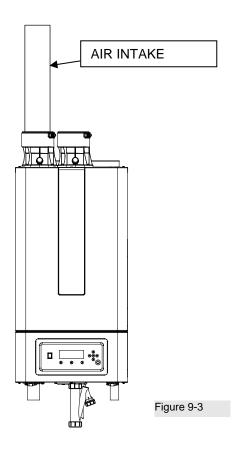
When the combustion air pipe will run through an area with high humidity (for example: greenhouses), a double walled supply pipe or an insulated duct must be used to prevent the possible condensation on the outside of the pipe. It is not possible to insulate the internal air pipes of the boiler and therefore condensation at the internal air canals must be prevented.

When the intake combustion air is terminated vertically through a roof an approved termination designed to prevent water from entering into the combustion air pipe must be used.

#### 9.6.3 AIR INTAKE/VENT CONNECTIONS:

Combustion air intake connector (fig. below). Used to provide combustion air directly to the unit from outdoors. A connector is provided on the unit for final connection. Combustion air piping must be supported per guidelines listed in the National Mechanical Code, Section 305, Table 305.4 or as local codes dictate.

Near boiler air piping:



The air inlet pipe(s) must be sealed. Choose acceptable combustion air inlet pipe materials from the following list: - PVC, CPVC or PP

- Flexible propylene air intake
- Galvanized steel vent pipe with joints and seams sealed as specified in this section.
- Type "B" double-wall vent with joints and seams sealed as specified in this section.
- AL29-4C, stainless steel material to be sealed to specification of its manufacturer.

I NOTICE	The use of double-wall vent or insulated material for the combustion air inlet pipe is recommended in cold climates to prevent the condensation of airborne moisture in the incoming combustion air.	

Sealing of Type "B" double-wall vent material or galvanized vent pipe material used for air inlet piping on a wall or vertical rooftop Combustion Air Supply System:

- a. Seal all joints and seams of the air inlet pipe using either Aluminum Foil Duct Tape meeting UL Standard 723 or 181A-P or a high-quality UL Listed silicone sealant such as those manufactured by Dow Corning or General Electric.
- b. Do not install seams of vent pipe on the bottom of horizontal runs.
- c. Secure all joints with a minimum of three (3) sheet metal screws or pop rivets. Apply Aluminum Foil Duct Tape or silicone sealant to all screws or rivets installed in the vent pipe.
- d. Ensure that the air inlet pipes are properly supported.

The PVC or CPVC air inlet pipe must be cleaned and sealed with the pipe manufacturer's recommended solvents and standard commercial pipe cement for the material used.

Proper sealing of the air inlet pipe ensures that combustion air will be free of contaminants and supplied in proper volume.

Follow the polypropylene or flexible polypropylene manufacturer's instructions when using polypropylene material as an inlet pipe.

When a wall or vertical rooftop combustion air supply system is disconnected for any reason, the air inlet pipe must be resealed to ensure that combustion air will be free of contaminants and supplied in proper volume.



Failure to properly seal all joints and seams as required in the air inlet piping may result in flue gas recirculation, spillage of flue products and carbon monoxide emissions causing severe personal injury or death.

### 9.7 Room air

Commercial applications utilizing the boiler may be installed with a single pipe carrying the flue products to the outside while using combustion air from the equipment room. In order to use the room air venting option, the following conditions and considerations must be followed.

- The unit MUST be installed in a positive or neutral pressure room.
- The unit MUST be installed with the appropriate room air kit (table 9-13).
- The equipment room MUST be provided with properly sized openings to assure adequate combustion air. Please refer to instructions provided with the indoor air kit.
- There will be a noticeable increase in the noise level during normal operation from the inlet air opening.
- Using the room air kit makes the unit vulnerable to combustion air contamination from within the building. Please review the section 9.6.1 "Air contamination" in this manual, to ensure proper installation.
- Vent system and terminations must comply with the standard venting instructions set forth in this manual.



When utilizing the single pipe method, provisions for combustion and ventilation air must be in accordance with Air for Combustion and Ventilation, of the latest edition of the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, in Canada, the latest edition of CGA Standard B149 Installation Code for Gas Burning Appliances and Equipment, or applicable provisions of the local building codes.

#### Indoor air kit:

Duravent

Boiler	Termination	Color	order	stock
	4" Twin Pipe Side Wall	black	4PPS-HTPL	810009745
VGH 299 VGH 399	4" Single Pipe Side Wall	Stainless	4PPS-HSTSL	810009744
VOIT000	4" Bird Screen	Stainless	4PPS-BG	810004367
	5" Roof	black	5PPS-VTML	810009770
VGH 500	5" Single Pipe Side Wall	Stainless	5PPS-HSTL	810009763
	6" Single Pipe Side Wall	Stainless	6PPS-HSTL	810009784
	6" Bird Screen	Stainless	6PPS-BG	810004276

Table 9-14

#### CENTROTHERM

Boiler	Termination	Color	order
	4" Twin Pipe Side Wall	black	ISLPT0404
VGH 299	4" Termination Tee	black	ISTT0420
VGH 399	4" Termination Pipe	black	ISEP04 or ISEP0439
	4" Bird Screen	black	IASPP04
	5" Termination Tee	black	STT0520
	6" Termination Pipe	grey	ISEP0620 or ISEP0639
VGH 500	6" Termination Tee	grey	ISTT0620
	6" Bird Screen	black	IASPP06
	5" Bird Screen	Stainless	IASSS05

Table 9-15

#### 9.7.1 AIR CONTAMINATION

Pool and laundry products and common household and hobby products often contain fluorine or chlorine compounds. When these chemicals pass through the boiler, they can form strong acids. The acid can eat through the boiler wall, causing serious damage and presenting a possible threat of flue gas spillage or boiler water leakage into the building.

Please read the information given in the list below, with contaminants and areas likely to contain them. If contaminating chemicals will be present near the location of the boiler combustion air inlet, have your installer pipe the boiler combustion air and vent to another location, per this manual.

<ul> <li>The boiler may never be located in a laundry room or pool facility, for example, these areas will always contain hazardous contaminants.</li> <li>To prevent the potential of severe personal injury or death, check for areas and products</li> <li>listed in the list below, with contaminants before installing the boiler or air inlet piping.</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>If contaminants are found, you MUST:</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>remove contaminants permanently.</li> </ul>		
or		
<ul> <li>relocate air inlet and vent terminations to other areas.</li> </ul>		

#### Corrosive Contaminants and Sources

Products to avoid:	Spray cans containing chloral/fluorocarbons
	Permanent wave solutions
	Chlorinated waxes/cleaners
	Chlorine-based swimming pool chemicals
	Calcium chloride used for thawing
	Sodium chloride used for water softening
	Refrigerant leaks
	Paint or varnish removers
	Hydrochloric acid/muriatic acid
	Cements and glues
	Antistatic fabric softeners used in clothes dryers
	Chlorine-type bleaches, detergents, and cleaning solvents found in household laundry
	rooms
	Adhesives used to fasten building products and other similar products

Table 9-16

Areas likely to have contaminants:	Dry cleaning/laundry areas and establishments
	Swimming pools
	Metal fabrication plants
	Beauty shops
	Refrigeration repair shops
	Photo processing plants
	Auto body shops
	Plastic manufacturing plants
	Furniture refinishing areas and establishments
	New building construction
	Remodeling areas
	Garages with workshops.

Table 9-17

### 9.8 Proper vent installation and type of gas vent or vent connector.

For boilers for connection to gas vents or chimneys, vent installations shall be in accordance with "Venting of Equipment," of the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, or "Venting Systems and Air Supply for Appliances," of the Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code, CAN/CSA B149.1, or applicable provisions of the local building codes.

Vent connectors serving appliances vented by natural draft shall not be connected into any portion of mechanical draft systems operating under positive pressure.

Covering non-metallic vent pipe and fittings with thermal insulation shall be prohibited.

For Category IV venting, the venting system shall be installed in accordance with the boiler manufacturer's installation instructions.

Non-combustible supports may be placed a minimum of every 4 feet on horizontal portions of the venting system to prevent sagging of the venting system. The supports must allow the boiler to be free from strain and prevent the weight of the venting system from resting on the boiler. The supports must allow for a ¼" (21 mm) slope upwards from the boiler to the termination. This will prevent the accumulation condensate and allow it to drain back towards the boiler and reduce the risk of icing at the termination.

### 9.9 Install vent and combustion air piping

DANGER	<ul> <li>The boiler must be vented and supplied with combustion and ventilation air as described in this section. Ensure the vent and air piping and the combustion air supply comply with these instructions regarding vent system, air system, and combustion air quality. See also sections "Determine vent location" at § 9.11.2 of this manual.</li> <li>Inspect finished vent and air piping thoroughly to ensure all are airtight and comply with the instructions provided and with all requirements of applicable codes.</li> <li>Failure to provide a properly installed vent and air system will cause severe personal injury or death.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>This appliance requires a special venting system. Use only approved stainless steel, PVC, CPVC or polypropylene pipe and fittings listed for vent pipe, and fittings. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.</li> <li>DO NOT mix components from different systems. The vent system could fail, causing leakage of flue products into the living space. Mixing of venting materials will void the warranty and certification of the appliance.</li> <li>For closet and alcove installations, CPVC, polypropylene or stainless-steel material MUST BE used in the closet/alcove structure. Failure to follow this warning could result in fire, personal injury, or death.</li> <li>Do not connect any other appliance to the vent pipe or multiple boilers to a common vent pipe. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.</li> </ul>		
	Improper installation of venting systems may result injury or death.		
! NOTICE	Installation must comply with local requirements and with the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 for U.S. installations or CSA B149.1 for Canadian installations. Follow the instructions in this manual when removing a boiler from an existing vent system.		

The boiler vent and air piping can be installed through the roof or through a wall. Follow the procedures in this manual for the method chosen. Refer to the information in this manual to determine acceptable vent and air piping length.

You may use any of the vent/air piping methods covered in this manual. Do not attempt to install the boiler using any other means.

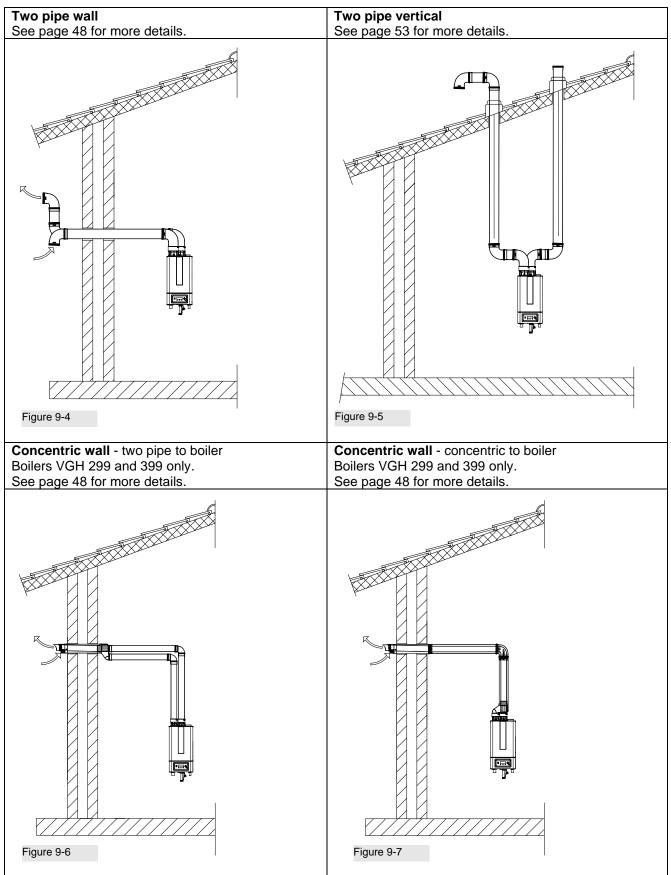
You must also install air piping from outside to the boiler air intake adapter, unless following the "Room Air" instructions on page 43 of this manual. The resultant installation is direct vent (sealed combustion).

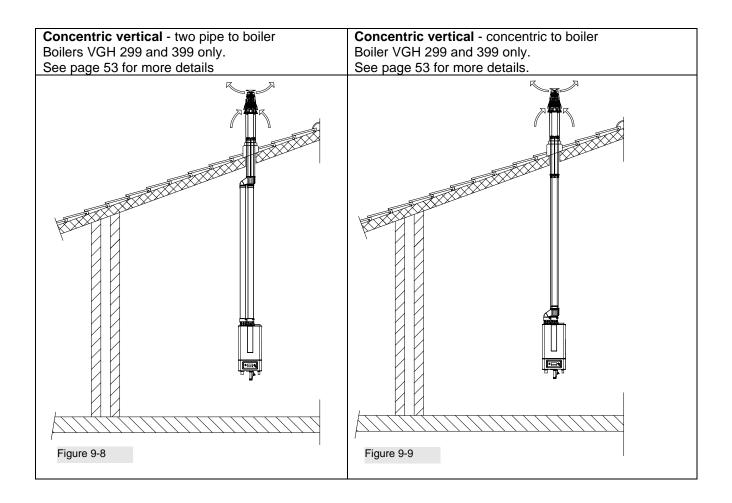
### 9.10 Requirements for installation in Canada

- 1. Installations must be made with a vent pipe system certified to ULC-S636.
- 2. The first three (3) feet of plastic vent pipe from the appliance flue outlet must be readily accessible for visual inspection.
- 3. The components of the certified vent system must not be interchanged with other vent systems or unlisted pipe/ fittings. For concentric vent installations, the inner vent tube must be certified vent material to comply with this requirement.

Δ	When utilizing the single pipe method, provisions for combustion and ventilation air must be in accordance with Air for Combustion and Ventilation, of the latest edition of the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, in Canada, the latest edition of CGA Standard B149 Installation Code for Gas Burning Appliances and Equipment, or applicable provisions of the local building codes.
WARNING	The inlet for combustion air can never be located inside a room storing chemicals or contaminants as listed in section 9.6.1. Avoid installing the boiler in any area with possible contaminants.
	If contaminants are found, you MUST: - remove contaminants permanently.
	or - relocate the boiler and air intake to an area free from
	all possible contaminants.

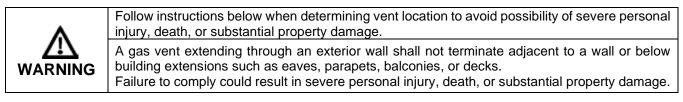
### 9.11 Direct venting options





### 9.12 Wall (Horizontal) direct venting.

#### 9.12.1 VENT/AIR TERMINATION - WALL





Maintain 12" of clearance above the highest anticipated snow level or grade or, whichever is greater. Please refer to your local codes for the snow level in your area

#### 9.12.2 DETERMINE LOCATION

Locate the exhaust vent/air intake terminations using the following guidelines:

1. The total length of piping for exhaust vent or air intake must not exceed the limits given in the "General Venting" section on page 34 of this manual.

2. You must consider the surroundings when terminating the exhaust vent and air intake:

- a. Position the vent termination where exhaust gases will not damage nearby shrubs, plants or air conditioning equipment or be objectionable.
- b. The flue products will form a noticeable plume as they condense in cold air. Avoid areas where the plume could obstruct window views.
- c. Prevailing winds could cause freezing of condensate and water/ice buildup where flue products impinge on building surfaces or plants.
- d. Avoid possibility of accidental contact of flue products with people or pets.
- e. Do not locate the terminations where wind eddies could affect performance or cause recirculation, such as inside building corners, near adjacent buildings or surfaces, window wells, stairwells, alcoves, courtyards, or other recessed areas.
- f. Do not terminate above any door or window. Condensate can freeze, causing ice formations.
- g. Locate or guard vent to prevent condensate damage to exterior finishes.
- 3. When using two pipe terminations the air intake piping must terminate in a down-turned elbow as shown in Figure 9-11 and 9-12. This arrangement avoids recirculation of flue products into the combustion air stream.
- 4. The exhaust piping must terminate horizontally in a section of straight pipe or an elbow pointed outward or away from the air inlet, as shown in Figure 9-11 or 9-12

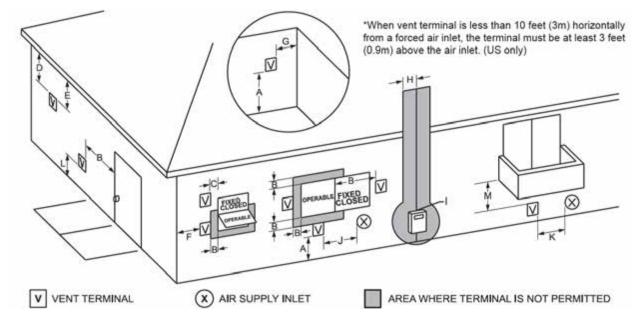


Do not exceed the maximum lengths of the outside vent piping stated in this manual. Excessive length exposed to the outside could cause freezing of condensate in the vent pipe, resulting in potential boiler shutdown and possible blocked flue.



PVC/CPVC or PP is acceptable air intake pipe material

5. Maintain clearances as stated in this manual. Also maintain the following:

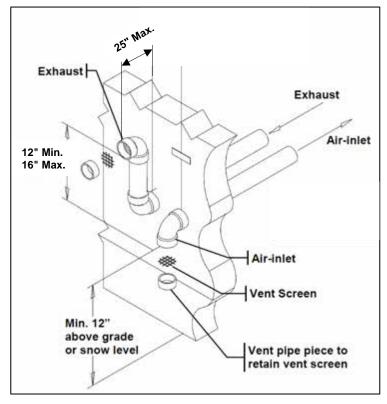


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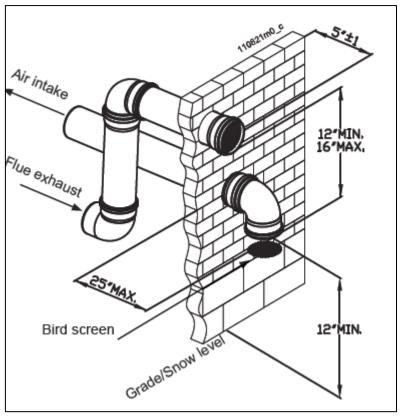
А	Clearance above grade, veranda, porch, deck, or	12" (30 cm)	12" (30 cm)	
	balcony	see note 3	see note 3	
В	Clearance to window or door that may be opened	Direct vent only: 12" (30 cm)	36 inches (91 cm)	
		Non-Direct vent: 4 ft (1.2 m) below or		
		to side of opening; 1 ft (30 cm) above		
0	Clearance to normanantly cleared window	opening	ana poto E	
C D	Clearance to permanently closed window Vertical clearance to ventilated soffit located	see note 4 see note 4	see note 5 see note 5	
U	above the terminal within a horizontal distance of	see note 4	see note 5	
	2 ft (61 cm) from the center line of the terminal			
Е	Clearance to unventilated soffit	see note 4	see note 5	
F	Clearance to outside corner	see note 4	see note 5	
G	Clearance to inside corner	see note 4	see note 5	
Н	Clearance to each side of center line extended	see note 4	3 ft (91 cm) within a height of	
	above meter/regulator assembly	366 11016 4	15 ft above the	
			meter/regulator assembly	
1	Clearance to service regulator vent outlet	see note 4	3 ft (91 cm)	
J	Clearance to nonmechanical air supply inlet to	Direct vent only: 12" (30 cm) 299;	3 ft (91 cm)	
-	building or the combustion air inlet to any other	36" (91 cm) 399-500		
	appliance	Non-Direct vent: 4 ft (1.2 m) below or		
		to side of opening; 1 ft (30 cm) above		
		opening		
Κ	Clearance to a mechanical air supply inlet	3 ft (91 cm) above if within 10 ft (3 m)	6 ft (1.83 m)	
		horizontally		
L	Clearance above paved sidewalk or paved	Vent termination not allowed.	7 ft (2.1 m)	
	driveway located on public property			
М		see note 4	12" (30 cm) see note 6	
	balcony			
	te 1: In accordance with the current ANSI Z223.1 / N			
	te 2: In accordance with the current CAN/CSA-B149			
noi	te 3: Maintain 12" of clearance above the highest an		ever is greater. Please refer to	
	your local codes for the snow level in your are		th least installation and	
1101	te 4: For clearances not specified in ANSI Z223.1 / N	NEPA 34, clearance IS in accordance Wi	in local installation codes and	
not	the requirements of the gas supplier.			
note 5: For clearances not specified in CAN/CSA-B149, clearance is in accordance with local installation codes and the requirements of the gas supplier				
not	te 6: Permitted only if veranda, porch, deck, or balco	ny is fully open on a minimum of two side	des beneath the floor	
rap	le 9-18			

6. Locate terminations so they are not likely to be damaged by foreign objects, such as stones or balls, or subject to buildup of leaves or sediment.

Two pipe sidewall termination of air intake and exhaust vent.



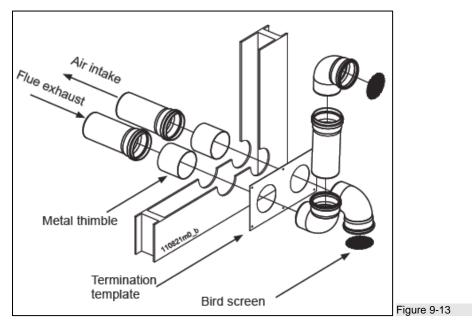




Alternate two pipe sidewall termination of air intake and exhaust vent.

Figure 9-12

Two pipe sidewall termination assembly.



#### Multiple vent/air terminations

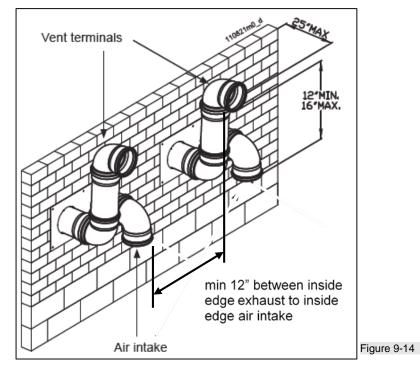
1. When terminating multiple boilers, terminate each vent/air connection as described in this manual (Figure 9-14).



All vent pipes and air inlets must terminate at the same height to avoid possibility of severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.

- 2. Place wall penetrations to obtain minimum clearance of 12 inches (305 mm) between the inside edge of the exhaust vent and the inside edge of the air intake elbow, as shown in Figure 9-14 for U.S. installations. For Canadian installations, provide clearances required by CSA B149.1 Installation Code.
- 3. The air inlet of the boiler is part of a direct vent connection. It is not classified as a forced air intake with regard to spacing from adjacent boiler vents.

Two pipe multiple boilers vent terminations.



NOTE: Keep air intake at min. 12" from grade or snow line. Provide vent and air intake with bird screen.

Wall termination - concentric vent: boilers VGH 299 and 399 only

Description and usage: concentric combustion air and exhaust vent pipe termination. Both combustion air and exhaust vent pipes must attach to the termination kit. The termination kit must terminate outside the structure and must be installed as shown below in Figure 9-15. The required combustion vent pipe materials are listed in Table 9-5 of this manual.

Concentric sidewall termination clearances: boilers VGH 299 and 399 only

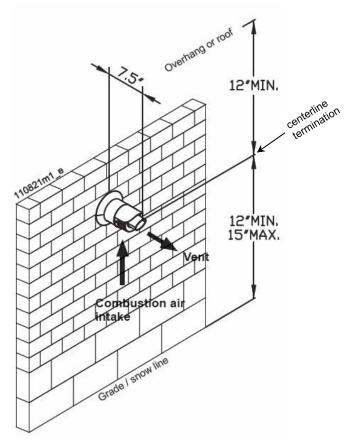


Figure 9-15

Sidewall termination installation:

- Determine the best location for the termination kit (see Figure 9-15).

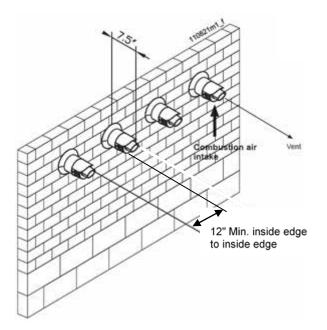
- Reference § 9.11.2 on page of this manual for general termination considerations.

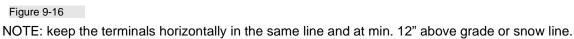
	Do not operate the appliance with the rain cap removed on the concentric terminations or recirculation of combustion products may occur. Water may also collect inside the larger combustion air pipe and flow to the burner enclosure. Failure to follow this warning could result in product damage or improper operation, personal injury, or death.	
I NOTICE	Ensure termination location clearance dimensions are as shown in Figure 9-15.	
	DO NOT use field-supplied couplings to extend concentric terminations. Airflow restriction will occur and may cause intermittent operation.	

#### Multi venting wall terminations

When two (2) or more direct vent appliances are vented near each other, each appliance must be individually vented (see Figure 9-16). NEVER common vent or breach vent this appliance. When two (2) or more direct vent appliances are vented near each other, two (2) vent terminations may be installed as shown in Figure 9-16. It is important that vent terminations be made as shown to avoid recirculation of flue gases.

Concentric sidewall multiple boilers termination.





### 9.13 Roof (Vertical) direct venting.

#### 9.13.1 VENT/AIR TERMINATION - VERTICAL



Follow instructions below when determining vent location to avoid possibility of severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

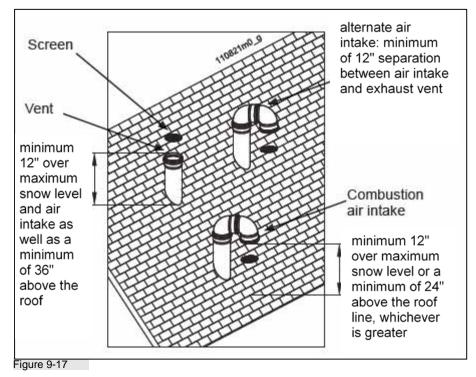
#### 9.13.2 DETERMINE LOCATION

Locate the vent/air terminations using the following guidelines:

- 1. The total length of piping for vent or air must not exceed the limits given in the section 9.1 on page 34 of this manual.
- 2. Prepare the vent termination and the air intake termination elbow (Figure 9-17) by inserting bird screens.
- 3. The exhaust vent must terminate at least 3 feet above the highest place in which the exhaust vent penetrates the roof and at least 2 feet above any part of a building within 10 horizontal feet.
- 4. The air intake piping must terminate in a down-turned 180° direction utilizing two elbows see figure 9-17
- 5. The exhaust piping must terminate in a vertical coupling as shown in Figure 9-17. The top of the coupling must be at least 1 foot above the air intake. When the vent termination uses a rain cap, maintain at least 36" (914 mm) above the air inlet. The air intake pipe and exhaust vent pipe can be located in any desired position on the roof, provided that the exhaust vent termination is at least 1 foot above the air intake.
- 6. Maintain the required dimensions of the finished termination piping as shown in Figure 9-17.
- 7. Do not extend exposed vent pipe outside of building more than shown in this document. Condensate could freeze and block vent pipe.



Rooftop exhaust vent and air intake inlet terminations must terminate in the same pressure zone.



8. Locate terminations so they are not likely to be damaged by foreign objects, such as stones or balls, or subject to buildup of leaves or sediment.

Multiple vent/air terminations

1. When terminating multiple boilers, terminate each vent/air connection as described in this manual (Figure 9-18).



Terminate all exhaust vent pipes at the same height and all air intake pipes at the same height to avoid recirculation of flue products and the possibility of severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.

 Place roof penetrations to obtain minimum clearance of 12 inches (305 mm) between outside edge of air intake an exhaust vent of another boiler for U.S. installations (see Figure 9-18). For Canadian installations, provide clearances required by CSA B149.1 Installation Code.

Vertical terminations with multiple boilers.

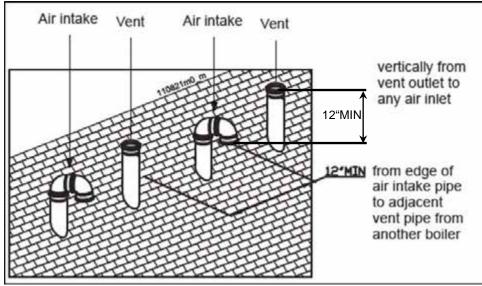
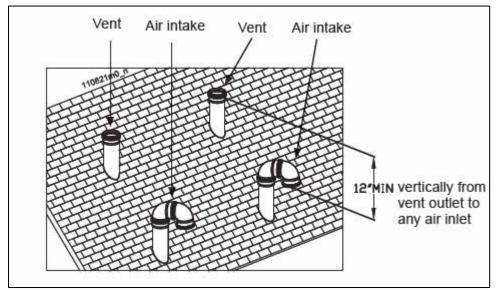


Figure 9-18

Note: keep the terminals at min. 12" above grade or snow line. Provide exhaust vent and air intake with bird screen

Alternate vertical terminations with multiple boilers.



#### Figure 9-19

Note: keep the terminals at min. 12" above grade or snow line. Provide vent and air intake with bird screen.

Concentric Vertical Termination.

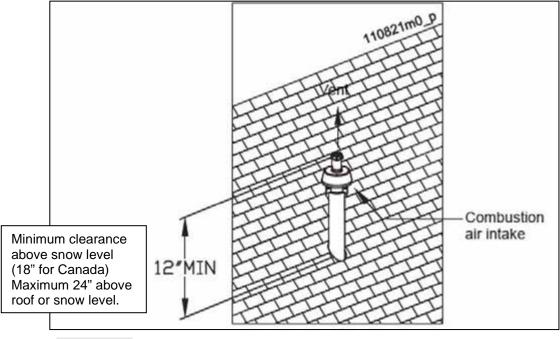


Figure 9-20

Do Not Install U-Bend or elbow on concentric termination



	Do not operate the appliance with the rain cap removed on the concentric terminations or recirculation of combustion products may occur. Water may also collect inside the larger combustion air pipe and flow to the burner enclosure. Failure to follow this warning could result in product damage or improper operation, personal injury, or death.
I NOTICE	Do not allow insulation or other materials to accumulate inside the pipe assembly when installing through the hole. Ensure termination height is above the roof surface or anticipated snow level (12 inches (305 mm) in U.S.A. or 18 inches (457 mm) in Canada) as shown in Figure 9-20.
	DO NOT use field-supplied couplings to extend concentric terminations. Airflow restriction will occur.

#### Multi venting vertical terminations

When two (2) or more direct vent appliances are vented near each other, each appliance must be individually vented (see Figure 9-22). NEVER common vent or breach vent this appliance. When two (2) or more direct vent appliances are vented near each other, two (2) vent terminations may be installed as shown in Figure 9-22. It is important that vent terminations be installed as shown to avoid recirculation of flue gases.

Concentric vent and combustion air vertical termination multiple boilers.

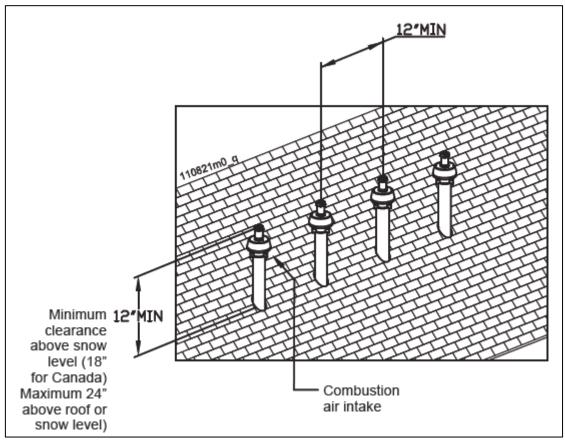


Figure 9-22

# 10 CASCADING

### 10.1 Appliance

The 299 & 399 have an internal flue gas valve for an overpressure system according to the table 10.1.

This device is needed to prevent recirculation of the flue gases. The 500 has no internal flue gas valve and needs to be calculated for a zero-pressure common flue system or a separated flue system.

If separated flue systems cannot be applied, ask a flue gas supplier to calculate a zero-pressure common flue system.



10.1.1 CALCULATION VGH 299 & 300 (VALID FOR PARTS SUPPLIED BY DURAVENT (M&G
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		Maximum vertic	cal length in feet	(m).	
Type of boiler	Number of appliances	DN150	DN150/200	DN200	DN200/300
VGH 299	3	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
	4	36 ft (11 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
	5		100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
	6		16 ft (5 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
VGH 399	3	85 ft (26 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
	4		100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
	5		16 ft (5 m)	100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)
	6			100 ft (30 m)	100 ft (30 m)

Table 10-1

Remark 1: Dn 150/200 means: the diameter of the horizontal collector including the bend = 150 mm and after the bend the diameter of the vertical section is 200 mm with an adaptor of 150->200 mm

Remark 2: Length between shaft and last collector (no. A) = 3.3 ft (1 m).

Remark 3: For calculating other lengths between the last collector and the bend, the length of the vertical height must be reduced by the number of length and for bends the following table (table 10-2) must be used.

10.1.2 TERMINALS EQUIVALENT FEET

	Diar	neter
Elbow type	DN150	DN200
45°	5.6 ft (1.7 m)	12.5 ft (3.8 m)
90°	13.2 ft (4.0 m)	19 ft (5.8 m)

Table 10-2

#### 10.2 Safety measures Common Flue Systems

Above is described that CB boilers may be used with an overpressure common flue system from Duravent. In case CB boilers are installed with a common flue system and the combustion air is drawn directly from the room, safety measures have to be taken

#### Indicated hazard

The CB boilers are equipped with a Non-return valve to prevent recirculation of flue gas of a running boiler through one or more boilers which are not running and are connected with a common flue system. This Non-return valve might leak over time by pollution, incorrect maintenance or other unexpected cause. In case the combustion air is drawn from the room, flue gas might enter the room, which could lead to Carbon Monoxide (CO) poisoning.

#### Safety measures:

To cover this risk of Carbon Monoxide (CO) poisoning, in case of an overpressure common flue system in combination with combustion air drawn directly from the room, two safety measures have to be taken:

- 1. Guaranteed sufficient outside air supply for combustion and ventilation according local standards, codes and regulations.
- 2. Use an CO detector for alarm and switching module to switch off all the boilers. The CO alarm system must be according to UL 2034 standard.

#### Additional Safety Advice

- 3. Use always the cascade manager of the boiler and check if power mode 2 is switched on. Power mode 2 is selected at parameter 148.
- 4. Combine all air intake terminals of the boilers, which do not necessarily have to be connected to the outside.

# Ad 1. Guaranteed sufficient outside air supply for combustion and ventilation according local standards, codes and regulations.

The boiler-room must have sufficient outside air supply for combustion and ventilation. There are many ways of creating sufficient outside air supply, depending on location of the boiler-room in the building. The demands for the (size of the) boiler-room and required ventilation is prescribed in local standards, codes and regulations, such as NFPA 54 paragraph 9.3.

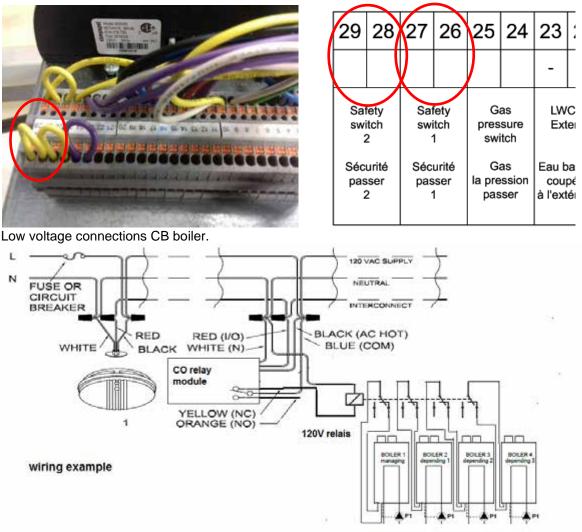
The execution and size of the outside air supply must be engineered and calculated by engineers thoroughly familiar with all aspects of the subject.

The outside air supply must be guaranteed during the lifetime of the installation. Risks of blocking or reducing the outside air supply, should be assessed and covered by this engineer and its design. Common obstacles in the outside air supply are eg. Venting opening closed/reduced by pollution, a cupboard, a parked truck / car, closed for heat loss arguments, etc, etc.

#### Ad 2. CO detection and switch off module:

Use a CO detection system which has an alarming and switching module. Use a switching module that has an Normally Closed (N.C.) contact. The boiler safety loop will be extended with the CO detectors by connecting the N.C. contacts in series to the safety switch terminal connections 26/27 or 28/29 on the boiler to switch off the boiler in case of an alarm.

Remove the yellow wiring bridge and connect the N.C. contacts in series to the relay(s).



connect N.C. to safety switch contact

Use an extra 120V relay with 4 poles. In case of power failure on the CO alarm system and modules the boilers will shut down. Mount, install, test and maintain the CO detector according to the manufacturer's instructions. Test the system at least monthly, to ensure the boilers will switch off in case of a CO alarm.

In case of an CO alarm, the display of the boiler will mention: 'Max. thermostat lock error'.

# Ad 3. Use always the cascade manager of the boiler and check if power mode 2 is switched on (parameter 148)

Check parameter setting 148. This setting must be '*Power mode 2*'. Change the parameter 148 to '*Power mode 2*' in case the current setting is different.

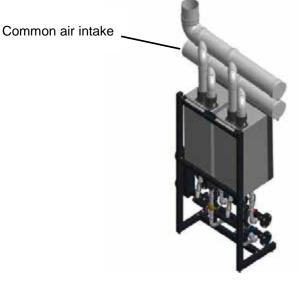
#### See manual 15.2.7 CASCADE – POWER BALANCE MODE

Several different power control modes can be selected to operate the cascade system.

- Power mode 0: Power control disabled; each boiler modulates based on the system setpoint.
- Power mode 1: Power control algorithm to have a minimum number of boilers/boilers active.
- Power mode 2: Power control algorithm to have a maximum number of boilers/boilers active.
- Power mode 3. Power control algorithm to have a balanced number of boilers/boilers active.

#### Ad 4. Combine all air intake terminals of the boilers

Combine all air intake terminals of the boiler, which do not necessarily have to be connected to the outside of the room. The purpose of a combined air intake is to have a controlled airflow towards the boilers and improve the air exchange in the room.



### 10.3 Existing Common Venting Guidelines.

Do not common vent the VGH boiler with the vent pipe of any other boiler or appliance. However, when an existing boiler is removed from an existing common venting system, the common venting system is likely to be too large for proper venting of the appliances remaining connected to it. At the time of removal of an existing boiler, the following steps shall be followed with each appliance remaining connected to the common venting system are not in operation:

- 1) Seal any unused openings in the common venting system.
- 2) Visually inspect the venting system for proper size and horizontal pitch and determine there is no blockage or restriction, leakage, corrosion and other deficiencies which could cause an unsafe condition.
- 3) Insofar as is practical, close all building doors and windows and all doors between the space in which the appliances remaining connected to the common venting system are located and other spaces of the building. Turn on clothes dryers and any appliance not connected to the common venting system. Turn on any exhaust fans, such as range hoods and bathroom exhausts, so they will operate at maximum speed. Do not operate a summer exhaust fan. Close fireplace dampers.
- 4) Place in operation the appliance being inspected. Follow the lighting instructions. Adjust thermostat so appliance will operate continuously.
- 5) Test for spillage at the draft hood relief opening after 5 minutes of main burner operation. Use the flame of a match or candle, or smoke from a cigarette, cigar, or pipe.
- 6) After it has been determined that each appliance remaining connected to the common venting system properly vents when tested as outlined above, return doors, windows, exhaust fans, fireplace dampers and any other gas-burning appliance to their previous condition of use.
- 7) Any improper operation of the common venting system must be corrected so the installation conforms with the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 and/or CAN/CSA B149.1, Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code. When resizing any portion of the common venting system, the common venting system must be resized to approach the minimum size as determined using the appropriate tables in Chapter 13 in the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 and/or CAN/CSA B149.1, Natural Gas and Propane Installation Codes.

# 11 ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION

### 11.1 General

- For operation, the boiler needs a power supply of 120 VAC 60Hz.
- The boiler main supply connection is polarity sensitive.
- The wiring for the connections can be entered at the bottom of the boiler through the wiring knockouts.
- NOTICE: Before starting to work on the boiler, it must be switched off and the power supply to the boiler must be disconnected and the gas valve closed.
- Electrical wiring must be installed according to all applicable standards and regulations.

In the USA, electrical installation must comply with NFPA 70, National Electrical Code – latest edition, and with any other national, state, provincial or local codes and regulations.

In Canada, electrical installation must comply with CSA C22.1, Canadian Electrical Code part 1 – latest edition, and with any other state or local codes and regulations.

- Wiring the boiler must only be done by a qualified installer or licensed electrician where required that is skilled in working on electrical installations and according to all applicable standards.
- It is not allowed to change the internal wiring fitted by the manufacturer.
- A spare fuse is mounted on the casing of the burner controller.

### 11.2 Connection mains supply

- It is advised to use a flexible cable between the cabinet entry (at the bottom) and the connection terminal.
- The earth wire has to be longer than the phase and neutral wire.
- The power supply cable must be secured by tightening the cable gland at the bottom of the boiler casing.
- In case of a flexible cable: use crimp ferrules on each wire end for the terminal connections.
- On the high voltage terminal, connect to numbers: 8 = Phase ; 9 = Neutral; PE = Earth.

### 11.3 Electrical connections

										I	LOV	V V	DLT	AGI	EC	ONN	IEC	TIO	NS									
29	28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1
						-	+	-	+	Gnd				-	+			-	+	в	A	Gnd						
Séc pas	fety itch 2 urité sser 2	sw	fety Itch 1 urité ser 1	pres sw G la pre	as sure itch as ission iser		pée	bo AL-I chau	BUS aging iler BUS dière rant	con PV Comn de po		swi DH Intern de d	ow itch fW upteur Sébit CS	0-	dc	therm modu therm Ridgu march ou nig	/Off nostat xr Aating nostat éateur e/ amét ulateur ulant	bo AL-I	nding iler BUS idière	N	Nodb	us	ser Cap	HW hsor bteur HW	Sys sen Cap d syst	teur	Oute sen Cap exté	nsor teur

Figure 11. 1

# HIGH VOLTAGE CONNECTIONS

		1	2	3	PE	4	5	PE	6	7	PE	8	9	PE	PE	10	11
	/!\	L1	Ν	L2	PE	L	N	PE	L	Ν	PE	L	N	PE	PE	L	N
	TOTAL	3	DHW	HW PU	05	SYS	STEM P	PUMP	GEN	ERAL F	PUMP	4	MAINS	SUPPL	Y	ALA	ARM
3	OUTPUT 0.5 Amps IOMINAL	1 1 2 2	nne EC	) VALVE S (3 vo 2 Amps	pies)		pe du sy AX 2 Ar	ystème		pe gén X 2 An				ntation teur		Ala	rme

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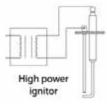
Read: "circulator" if the word "pump" is used

#### High power ignitor

A separate connector for an external igniter is located on the cable tree, near the boiler controller and labelled "High power ignitor".

The "external ignition transformer" can be ordered, see § 5.1 "Accessories".

This accessory is provided with detailed mounting instructions.



## 11.4 Explanation of the low voltage connections.

1-2	OUTDOOR SENSOR
	ature sensor is connected, the boiler will control the supply water temperature by using a sed on outdoor reset curve, which is related to the outdoor temperature.
3-4	SYSTEM SENSOR
be mounted on the s NOTICE: This sense cascade manager.	is used, this sensor measures the flow temperature at the system side. The sensor must upply pipe or in a sensor well at the system side, close to the low loss header. or (See figure 7.9 or 7.10) must be used when boilers are cascaded with the internal parameter 122, see: 11.9 "programmable in- and outputs"
5-6	DHW SENSOR
When an indirect hot	water tank is installed, the DHW mode must be set to 1 or 2. When the DHW mode is set
modulate towards th	be connected. This sensor must be mounted in a well in the tank. The boiler will now e hot water setpoint. When the DHW mode is set to 2, an aquastat can be connected.
	rature is reached, the aquastat will switch off and the boiler will stop serving hot water.
7-8-9	MODBUS
Connections for a B	
	= B (A detailed Modbus manual is available at your supplier on request)
10-11	AL-BUS DEPENDING
NOTICE: link all con	s for the dependent boilers, must be parallel linked together. nections 10 to 10 and all connections 11 to 11, do not mix these. of the dependent boilers to 20 of the managing boilers, and connections 11 of the
dependent boilers to	21 of the managing boiler.
12-13	ON/OFF STAT OR MODULATING THERMOSTAT
If these terminals are OPTION 2: A modul use this modulating s	
	parameter 124, see: 11.9 "programmable in- and outputs"
14-15	0-10 VDC CONTROL SIGNAL
	used for an external 0-10 VDC control input signal. 4 [+] (positive) and terminal 15 [-] (negative).
16-17	DHW - FLOW SWITCH
circulator is started.	flow switch can be connected. If a water flow is present, the switch closes, and the DHW The temperature of the DHW is set with DHW_Setpoint. parameter 117, see: 11.9 "programmable in- and outputs"
18-19	PWM – CIRCULATOR CONTROL
circulator, when there	are used to control the boiler circulator. The PWM signal determines the speed of the e is a heat demand. 18 = Signal (PWM input), 19 = Ground (signal ref) be set to modulating (Factory set to on/off circulator) when using a modulating circulator.
20-21	AL-BUS MANAGING / CASCADE
Link connection 20 o managing boiler to c	for the managing boiler. f the managing boiler to connections 10 of the depending boilers, and connection 21 of the onnections 11 of the depending boilers.
22-23	LWCO EXTERN
To be used for an ex	tra external Low Water Cut Off. The boiler goes into a lockout when this contact opens
24-25	GAS PRESSURE SWITCH
	tra external gas pressure switch. The boiler goes into a lockout when this contact opens
26-27	SAFETY SWITCH 1
To be used for an ex	tra external safety switch. The boiler goes into a lockout when this contact opens
28-29	SAFETY SWITCH 2
	tra external safety switch. The boiler goes into a lockout when this contact opens

Table 11. 1

### 11.5 Explanation of the high voltage connections.

	in or the high voltage connections.								
1-2-3-PE	DIVERTER VALVE DHW indirect tank								
water to the heating coil of tank has a heat demand.									
	ameter 128, see: 11.9 "programmable in- and outputs"								
, <b>e</b> ,	ion); 2 = Neutral wire; 3 = L2 (hot water position); PE = Ground.								
The inrush current of the 3-way valve or circulator may not exceed 8 Amps, see chapter 8.4 for detailed electrical specifications.									
4-PE-5	SYSTEM CIRCULATOR / DHW CIRCULATOR / CH CIRCULATOR								
electrical specifications). 4 = Phase wire; 5 = Neutr									
	ameter 125, see: 11.7 "programmable in- and outputs"								
6-PE-7	BOILER CIRCULATOR								
Connections for the po specifications).	wer supply of a boiler circulator. (P1, see chapter 8.4 for detailed electrica								
8-9-PE-PE	MAINS SUPPLY								
The power supply connect	tion of the unit. 8 = Line voltage wire; 9 = Neutral wire, PE = Ground wire								
10-11	ALARM RELAY								
Watt. E.g. an incandesce after an error has occurre There are a few exception - Alarm output will not be - Alarm output will not be 10 = Phase wire; $11 =$ Ne	an active voltage of 120 VAC, it can only handle resistive loads between 5 and 50 nt bulb of 10-50 Watt can be added to this. This alarm will be activated 60 seconds d. ns: activated for a service warning; activated for warning 202 (Appliance selection).								
X1-X2-X3	HIGH POWER IGNITER (external igniter)								
"High power ignitor". This an external igniter can be X1 = Neutral wire; X2 = Ic	an external igniter is located on the cable tree, near the boiler controller and labelled is a connection for an external ignition transformer. Instead of the internal igniter, connected. Available as an accessory, see § 5.1 "Accessories". onization; X3 = Phase wire. ameter 126, see: § 11.10 "programmable in- and outputs".								
Table 11. 2									

	To all outputs following applies: maximum current 2 A each output. Total output of all currents combined maximum 3.5 A. The inrush current of the 3-way valve and/or circulators is maximum 8 A.
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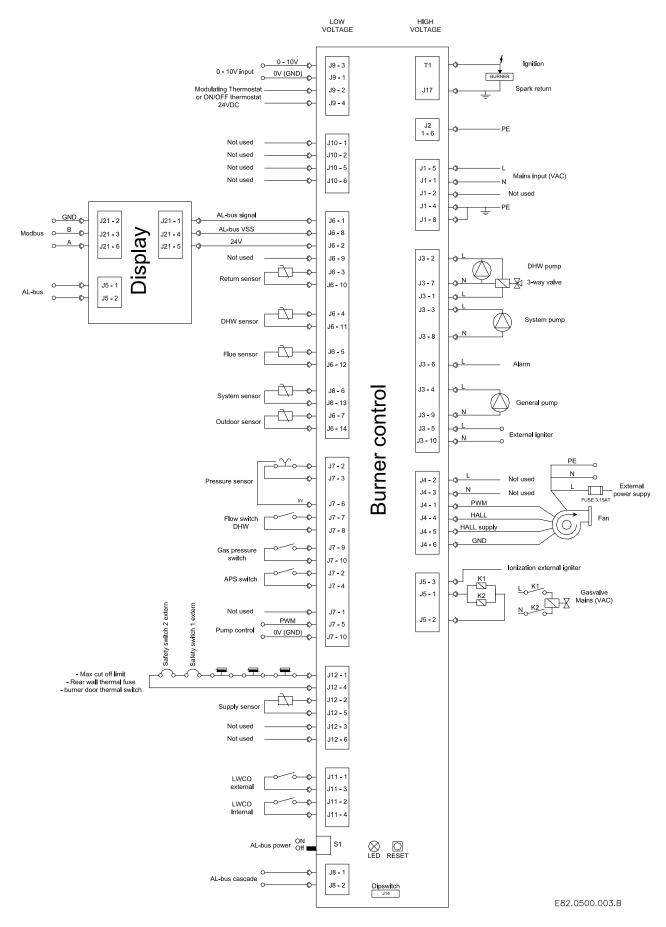


Figure 11. 2

### 11.7 Electrical schematics

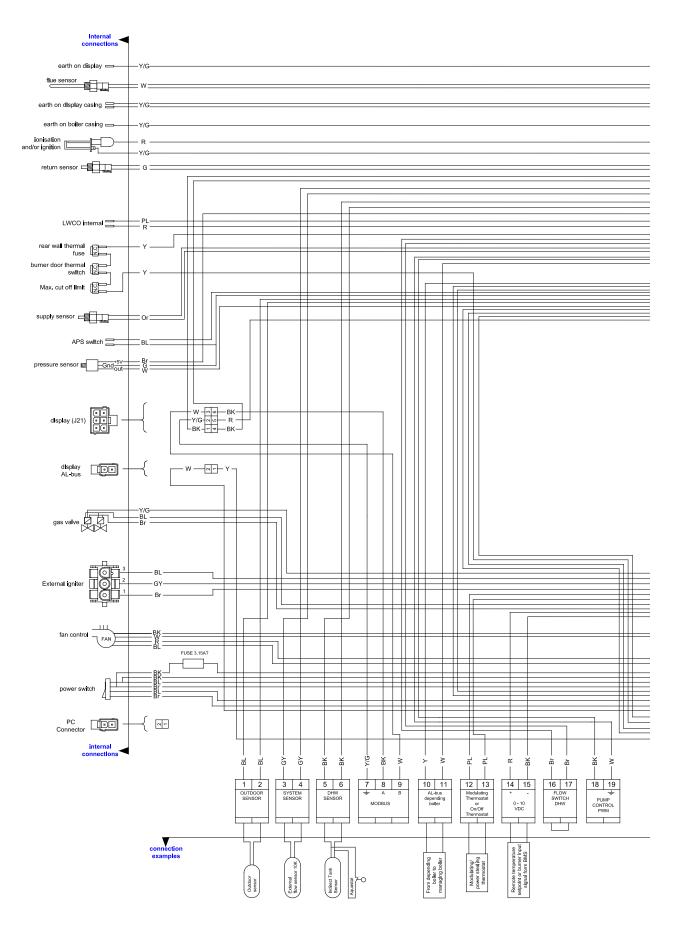


Figure 11. 3

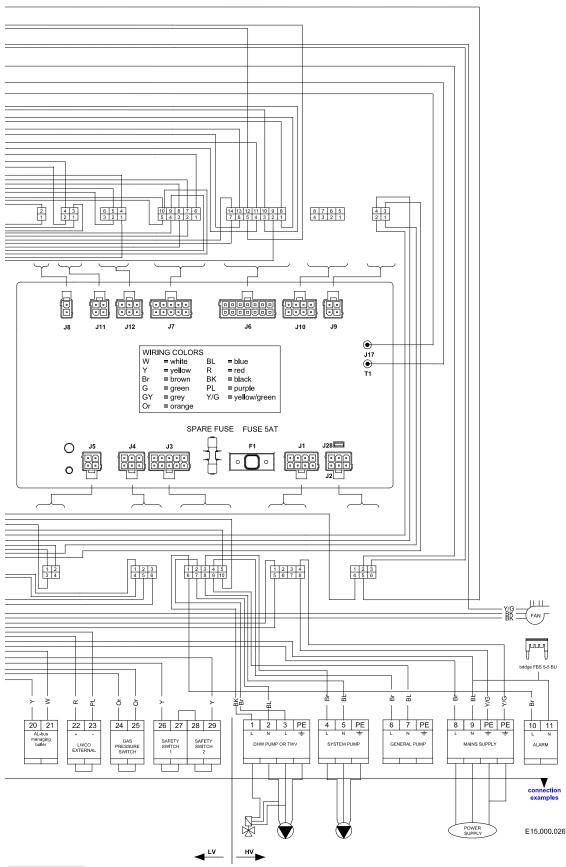


Figure 11. 4

### 11.8 Sensor availability

The following table shows the sensor availability for all CH and DHW control modes. Sensors not mentioned in the table are optionally available for other functions

			CHI	Mode		
	0	1	2	3	4	5
T_Supply	М	М	М	М	М	М
T_Return	0	0	0	0	0	0
T_DHW	0	0	0	0	0	0
T_Outdoor		М	М	0	0	
0-10 Volt	0	0	0	0	М	М
Water Flow DHW	0	0	0	0	0	
RT Switch	М	М	М	М	М	
M = Mandatory, O	= Optiona	al, = C	Disabled.			

Table 11. 3

CH mode 0 - Central Heating demand with thermostat control

CH mode 1 - CH with an outdoor temperature reset and thermostat control

CH mode 2 - Central Heating with full outdoor temperature reset

CH mode 3 – Central Heating with permanent heat demand

CH mode 4 – Central Heating with analog input control of setpoint

CH mode 5 – Central Heating with analog input control of power output

				DI	HW Mod	de			
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
						N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.
T_Supply	0	М	М	0	М	0	М	М	М
T_Return	0	0	0	0	М	0		0	М
T_DHW		М		М	М	М	М		М
T_Outdoor	0	0	0	0	0	0			0
0-10 Volt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Water Flow DHW	0	0	0	0	0	М	0	М	М
RT Switch	0	0	М	0	0	0	0	0	0
M = Mandatory, O	= Optior	nal, :	= Disabl	ed, N.A	A. = Not	Availab	le.		

Table 11. 4

DHW mode 0 - No Domestic Hot Water

DHW mode 1 – Storage with sensor

DHW mode 2 – Storage with thermostat

DHW mode 3 – Instantaneous water heating with plated heat exchanger, flow switch and DHW-out sensor N.A. DHW mode 4 – Instantaneous water heating with plated heat exchanger and DHW-out sensor DHW mode 5 to 8 N.A.

#### 11.9 NTC sensor curve

All NTC sensors are according to this characteristic: NTC 10K@25°C B3977k

Tempe	rature	Resistance	Tempe	erature	Resistance	Tempe	rature	Resistance	Tempe	rature	Resistance
°C	°F	Ω	°C	°F	Ω	°C	°F	Ω	°C	°F	Ω
-30	-22	175203	20	68	12488	70	158	1753	120	248	387
-25	-13	129289	25	77	10000	75	167	1481	125	257	339
-20	-4	96360	30	86	8059	80	176	1256	130	266	298
-15	5	72502	35	95	6535	85	185	1070	135	275	262
-10	14	55047	40	104	5330	90	194	915	140	284	232
-5	23	42158	45	113	4372	95	203	786	145	293	206
0	32	32555	50	122	3605	100	212	677	150	302	183
5	41	25339	55	131	2989	105	221	586	155	311	163
10	50	19873	60	140	2490	110	230	508	160	320	145
15	59	15699	65	149	2084	115	239	443	165	329	130

Table 11. 5

### 11.10 Programmable in- and outputs

It is possible to re-program some in- and outputs to other functions. To do this use list below and go to: Menu\settings\boiler settings\"1122" (installer password)\boiler parameters

boiler parameter	name	default setting	description	terminal
(117)	Prog. Input 2.	2	DHW flow switch	LV 16-17
(118)	Prog. Input 3.	2	Gas pressure switch	LV 24-25
(122)	Prog. Input 7.	3	Cascade sensor	LV 3-4
(124)	Prog. Input RT.	1	room thermostat on	LV 12-13
(125)	Prog. Output 1.	2	CH pump	HV 4-5
(126)	Prog. Output 2.	9	Ext. Igniter	separate connector
(127)	Prog. Output 3.	6	Alarm semi-conductor output.	HV 10-11
(128)	Prog. Output 4.	18	3-way Valve DHW	HV 3-2-1

Table 11. 6

I NOTICE To all outputs following applies: maximum current 2 A each output. Total output of all currents combined maximum 3.5 A. The inrush current of the 3-way valve and/or circulators is maximum 8 A.

para-	Display:	INPUTS:	re-	para-	Display:	OUTPUTS:	re-
meter			mark			•••••	mark
(117)	Prog. Input 2.	0 Disabled		(127)	Prog. Output 3.	0 Disabled	
		1 DHW flow sensor	N.A.			1 Module pump	N.A.
		2 DHW flow switch				2 CH pump	N.A.
		3 CH flow sensor	N.A.			3 DHW pump	N.A.
		4 CH flow switch				4 System pump	N.A.
(118)	Prog. Input 3.	0 Disabled				5 Cascade pump	N.A.
		1 Drain switch				6 Alarm relay	2)
		2 Gas pressure switch				7 Filling valve	2)
(122)	Prog. Input 7.	0 Disabled				8 LPG tank	2)
		1 T_Flue_2 sensor	N.A.			9 Ext. Igniter	2)
		2 T_Flue_2 with blocked flue	N.A.			10 Air damper	2)
		3 Cascade sensor		(128)	Prog. Output 4.	0 Disabled	
		4 Blocked Flue switch	N.A.			1 Module pump	
		5 CH Sensor				2 CH pump	
(124)	Prog. Input RT.	0 room thermstat off		1		3 DHW pump	
. ,	<b>-</b> .	1 room thermstat on				4 System pump	
	Display:	OUTPUTS:				5 Cascade pump	
(125)	Prog. Output 1.	0 Disabled				6 Alarm relay	
		1 Module pump				7 Filling valve	
		2 CH pump				8 LPG tank	
		3 DHW pump				9 Ext. Igniter	
		4 System pump				10 Air damper	
		5 Cascade pump				11 empty	
		6 Alarm relay				12 empty	
		7 Filling valve				13 empty	
		8 LPG tank				14 empty	
		9 Ext. Igniter				15 empty	
		10 Air damper				16 empty	
(126)	Prog. Output 2.	0 Disabled		1		17 3-way Valve CH	
		1 Module pump	1)	1		18 3-way Valve DHW	
		2 CH pump	1)			19 3-way Valve CH	
						(power when idle)	
		3 DHW pump	1)			20 3-way Valve DHW (power when idle)	
		4 System pump	1)			(power when late)	
		5 Cascade pump	1)	Remai			
		6 Alarm relay	1)			gniter); this is a separate cor for ionization, it has no PE	nnector,
		7 Filling valve	1)			needed, it must be connected	ed to
		8 LPG tank	,		nain earth termina		
			1)			<ul> <li>relay); this is a triac output /AC, it can only handle resis</li> </ul>	
		9 Ext. Igniter	1)		s between 5 and 5		Suve
		10 Air damper	1)				

# 12 BOILER CONTROLLER AND DISPLAY.

## 12.1 Display and buttons

	100 0 °F   100 0 °F   Actual Setpoint     170 0 °F     Image: Constraint of the set point of	Picture 12. 1
° -	ON/OFF. On/off switch. Switches electrical power to the boiler	
	COMPUTER. Connector for computer cable	
Ċ	RESET. Reset lockout error	
	MENU. Enter the main menu	
	ESCAPE. Escape / Return to the status overview	
	RIGHT. Enter a menu item or confirm selection in Status overview (when directly setting Actual setpoint or DHW setpoint)	
→	LEFT. Return to previous menu item or Status overview	
1	UP. Directly select Actual setpoint of DHW setpoint in the Status overview, push RIGHT to confirm and use UP or DOWN to adjust value.	
<b>I</b>	DOWN. Directly select Actual setpoint of DHW setpoint in the Status overview, push RIGHT to confirm and use UP or DOWN to adjust value.	
	ENTER. Confirm a setting or enter a menu item Figure 12. 1	

#### 12.1.1 **DISPLAY ICONS**

The following table gives a short description of the icons that can be visible on the main screen during operating:

lcon	Description	Boiler Status		
	Central Heating demand	CH control state (Central Heating controller state)	RT_Input (Room thermostat open of closed)	
		$0 \rightarrow Idle$	0=Open	
X	Domestic Hot Water demand	1→Request	1=Closed	
		$2 \rightarrow \text{Demand}$		
	Indicates that the appliance burner is ON	$3 \rightarrow Post circulation$		
		4 →Off		
$\triangle$	Cascade Emergency Mode active		Table 12. 2	
A	Error notification			

Table 12. 1

### 12.2 Screens and settings.

This screen is active during power up and will remain active until communication with the Main Control (the AL-BUS) has been established.



After communication has been established the following **Status overview** appears:



This screen shows on the bottom the "CH setpoint" temperature. On the middle left the outdoor temperature (if sensor is connected).

#### 12.2.1 SET CH SETPOINT/ DHW SETPOINT DIRECTLY VIA THE STATUS OVERVIEW

When CH is active, you can adjust the CH setpoint directly on the bottom of the Status overview. When DHW is active, you can adjust the DHW setpoint directly on the bottom of the Status overview.

This means that when CH is active, you cannot set the DHW setpoint directly via the Status overview. When DHW is active, you also cannot set the Actual setpoint (CH setpoint) directly via the Status overview.

Press UP/DOWN  $\uparrow \downarrow$  to select the mode, then press CONFIRM  $\Leftarrow$  or RIGHT  $\rightarrow$  to confirm the mode and the Actual/DHW setpoint becomes directly settable. Use UP  $\uparrow$  or DOWN  $\downarrow$  to increase/decrease the setpoint. Press CONFIRM  $\Leftarrow$  or RIGHT  $\rightarrow$  to confirm your alteration or press ESC  $\bigcirc$  or LEFT  $\leftarrow$  to cancel.

A setpoint is only visible on the display when no error or alert is active. In case of an active error or alert, the bottom right part of the display is used to display the error or alert text.

#### 12.2.2 ENTERING THE MENU

Enter the menu by pressing the MENU button once. The header in the display shows you are inside the main menu. While scrolling through the menu you will see that the selected menu item is shown in a white rectangle.



Enter a menu item by pressing CONFIRM  $\leftarrow$  or RIGHT  $\rightarrow$ . The header shows your location inside the menu, as seen in the following image:

If you are inside the menu (or a menu item) and want to return directly to the Status overview press MENU  $\equiv$  or ESC  $\bigcirc$  If you want to go back one step in the menu press BACK/LEFT  $\leftarrow$  .

Central Heating (CH)		
CH Setpoint	170 °F	
		Picture 12. 5

If CH-mode is set to:

CH mode 1 – CH with an outdoor temperature reset and thermostat control Or

CH mode 2 – Central Heating with full outdoor temperature reset The following display will appear:

Central Heating (CH)	
Outdoor Reset	Picture 12. 6

Enter a menu item by pressing CONFIRM or RIGHT  $\rightarrow$ The header shows your location inside the menu, as seen in the following image:

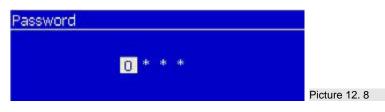
Outdoor R	leset	
Seip. ['C]	T Outside ['C]	Des. Supply T. 88 °C Stratsport at 40 °C WW Shurdown 22 °C Stratsport at 20 °C Des. Outd. T. 41 °C Picture 12. 7

It now is possible to set the Outdoor reset curve by changing the parameters on the righthand of the screen.

If you are inside the menu (or a menu item) and want to return directly to the Status overview press MENU or ESC  $\square$  If you want to go back one step in the menu press BACK/LEFT  $\leftarrow$  .

#### 12.2.3 **PROTECTED MENU ITEMS**

Some menu items are protected and only accessible via a password\* The following password screen will then appear:





Changing protected/safety parameters may only be conducted by experienced, licensed boiler operators and mechanics. Hazardous burner conditions can happen with improper operations that may result in PROPERTY LOSS, PHYSICAL INJURY, or DEATH.

Enter the password with the following steps:

1.Use the UP/DOWN ↑↓ button to adjust the first number

2.Press CONFIRM  $\leftarrow$  or RIGHT  $\rightarrow$  to confirm and to go to the following number

Repeat this action for all numbers to enter the password.

During this action, if you want to return to the previous screen, just press MENUE or ESC b to cancel. After the password is entered in correctly, the menu item will become available.

The following menu items require a password\*:

(Sub) Menu item	Location inside menu	
Climatic Compensation	via 'Heating > Climatic compensation'	
Boiler	via 'Settings > Boiler'	Table 12. 1

#### 12.2.4 **DE-AERATION SEQUENCE**

The "De-Aeration" sequence is a safety function that starts at every power ON of the boiler and is used to remove the air from the heat-exchanger. The DAir sequence does not start after a general reset (like the locking error reset or 24 hours reset)

The display will show the following string during DAir sequence:

- "Dair Running"
- "Dair Error Water Pressure"

#### 12.2.5 LANGUAGE SETTINGS

The display has a number of different language options, such as English, French, Chinese and Italian. BE AWARE: DO NOT set the language to the Chinese Language if you are not familiar with this language. Contact Slant/Fin for instructions if the display is set to Chinese and needs to be reset to another language. Please follow the next steps, which describe how to set the display to a specific language:

- 1. From the Status Overview, press the MENU button once
- 2. Select "Settings" (press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to highlight/select) and press the CONFIRM ← button
- 3. Select "General Settings" (press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to highlight/select) and press the CONFIRM ← button
- 4. Select "Language" (press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to highlight/select) and press the CONFIRM ← button
- 5. Select the desired language (press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to highlight/select) and press the CONFIRM ← button

Language	
English	
Italiano	
中文	
INTERNATIONAL	

Picture 12. 9

#### 12.3 Boiler history

The boiler history found in the information menu displays several history counters that keep track of the boiler usage. The history cannot be erased and will continue for the burner controller life cycle. The following boiler history data is available:

(Sub) Menu item	Description
Successful Ignitions	Number of successful ignitions.
Failed Ignitions	Number of failed ignitions.
Flame Failures	Number of flame failures (loss of flame).
Operation Days	Number of days that the appliance is operational (powered ON).
CH Burner Hours	Number of hours that the appliance has burned for Central Heating.
DHW Burner Hours	Number of hours that the appliance has burned for Domestic Hot Water.

### 12.4 Error logging.

Error logging is available. This functionality is linked to the Real-Time Clock functionality.

Errors will be logged for a stand-alone system or for a complete cascade system (based on the cascade settings). The PB display will monitor the error codes it receives from the boiler(s) and if an error code is a new error code the error will be stored in the error log. An error will be logged with a (real-time clock) time stamp (date and time) when the error was detected and a boiler ID of the boiler on which the error was detected.

Table 12.2

The error log can be viewed from the error log menu, which is located in the information menu.

Menu		
Domestic Hot Water (DHW) Information Settings	i	
System test	•	Picture 12.10
Information		
Boiler Status	Δ	
Boiler History Error Log	2	
Service		Picture 12.11

Error Log		
Error Log Filter Error Type Clear Error Log	Disabled Picture 12.12	
(Sub) Menu item	Description	
Error Log	Show the error log (based on the selected filter options)	
Filter Error Type	Filter errors based on the Error Type (Lockout/Blocking)	
Filter Boiler ID (Cascade System only)	Filter errors based on Boiler ID (Managing, Dep 1, Dep2, etc.)	
Clear Error Log	Clear the error log (protected by password)	Table 12. 3

When no filtering option is selected (Disabled) the error log will show all errors for that category. So, if both filters are disabled, the error log will show all the errors in the log.

Error Log		
A014 (14) Lockout		
Air Switch Not Closed		
Wed 04-11-2018 14:50	1/32 🔻	Picture 12.13

The error log screen will show on the first line: Boiler ID for which boiler the error was detected (cascade system only), Error Code, (internal) Error Number, Error Type (Lockout/Blocking).

The second line will show the Error Description.

The bottom line will show the Time Stamp (date and time) when the error was detected (in the format as configured in the Date Time Settings menu), and also the selected error index from the total number of errors in the (filtered) error log. Only Time Stamp, Code and Description is displayed.

Example see picture 12.13 above.
A014 = Error code.
(14) = Error Number (tracking number, 1-15 errors are stored maximum).
Lockout = Error type.
Air Switch Not Closed = Error description.
Wed 04-11-2018 14:50 = Time stamp when the error occurred.

### 12.5 Service reminder

The Service reminder will remind the owner/user of the appliance to service the appliance at a specified "Service\_Interval", factory set on 2000 burn hours. When service is not done within this time, a service reminder will be shown on the screen: "Service is required!", alternating with the normal status display.

NOTE: with the message "Service is required" the boiler keeps running, but maintenance must be done before resetting this message.

#### 12.5.1 SERVICE OVERDUE LOGGING

Menu/ Information/ Service/ Service history.

When the Service reminder has become active, the time (in hours) it takes before service is actually done is being logged. This time is called the Service Overdue Time.

A maximum of 15 service moments can be logged by the system. When the log is full it will overwrite the oldest log entry. Each time the Service reminder is reset, a new service moment is logged (counted) and the Service Overdue counter will be stored in the log/history.

#### 12.5.2 **RESET THE SERVICE REMINDER**

It is possible to reset the Service reminder counters before the Service reminder was actually active. This must be done when the appliance was serviced before the Service reminder was active.

This means an overdue counter of 0 hours will be stored on the log (which makes sense because the service was not overdue but ahead of schedule).

To remove the message "Service is required": menu/ Information/ Service/ "Reset service reminder". Enter the installer password, the "Reset service reminder" can be set to "YES" for resetting the service reminder. The overdue time is recorded in the service history.

#### 12.5.3 MENU'S AND PARAMETERS

Service status information can be viewed: Menu/ Information/ Service. Here the installer can also reset the Service reminder (accessible at installer level).

(Sub) Menu item	Description
Service history	View the Service history (log). For each service moment the Service overdue counter is stored. When the overdue counter is 0 hrs, it means service was done before the Service reminder was active. The log is ordered so the most recent service moment is shown first (on top of the list).
Burn hours since last service	Shows the number of burn hours since the last service moment.
Burn hours till service	Shows the number of burn hours until service is required.
Reset service reminder	Reset the Service reminder (and store Service overdue counter in the service history). Installer must enter the installer password first before it can be reset.

Table 12. 4

#### 12.6 General

The boiler controller is designed to function as a standalone control unit for intermittent operation on heating appliances with a premix (modulating) burner and a pneumatic air-gas system.

Fuses	Mains input	1 x 5AT, 120V			
Flame establishing period		2 seconds			
Safety time		5 seconds			
Ignition attempts		5			
Pre-purge time		≥ 2…60 seconds (not safety critical)			
Pre-ignition time		2 seconds (not safety critical)			
Flame failure response time		< 1.0 second			
Flame-current	Minimum	1.0 µA			
	Start-detection	1.5 µA			
Cable length AL-BUS <sup>1</sup>		AWG (mm <sup>2</sup> ) Cable length (m)			
-		23 (0.25) 328.1 ft (100)			
		20 (0.5) 656.2 ft (200)			
		18 (0.75) 984.3 ft (300)			
		17 (1.0) 1312.3 ft ( 400)			
		15 (1.5) 1968.5 ft (600)			
		The length differs with the diameter of the cable			

<sup>1)</sup> This consists the total length of the cable, not the length between two boilers. The length differs with the diameter of the cable.

Table 12. 5

#### 12.6.1 **CIRCULATOR START EXERCISE EVERY 24 HOURS**

To protect the circulator from getting stuck at a certain position it is forced to run for 10 seconds every 24 hours. This is done only for the boiler loop circulator at the start-up of the board.

#### 12.6.2 FROST PROTECTION

The Frost protection function protects the boiler and boiler loop from freezing.

The T\_Supply, T\_Supply\_2 and T\_Return sensors are checked for generating a Frost protection demand.

- When any of the sensors drop below FP\_Start\_Circulator the boiler loop circulator is switched ON for CH.
  When any of the sensors drop below FP\_Start\_Burn the boiler is fired.
- When all of the sensors measure above FP Stop the Frost protection demand is ended.

When the demand for Frost protection is ended the circulators will post-circulate for CH\_Post\_Circulator\_Period. Parameters are factory set

#### 12.6.3 **FLUE TEMPERATURE PROTECTION**

The flue temperature protection function protects against the flue gas reaching a too high temperature.

• When the T\_Flue or T\_Flue\_2 sensor measures above the Max\_Flue\_Gas\_Temp, the control generates a Flue\_Gas\_Error.

• When the Flue Switch closes, the control generates a Flue\_Gas\_Error.

When the control is in a Flue\_Gas\_Error the fan will run at the minimum fan speed.

Boiler power limitation: All boilers have a flue gas sensor. The control will limit the boiler power when the flue gas temperature reaches the set Max\_Flue\_Gas\_Temp. The maximum boiler power is linearly limited when the flue gas temperature is within Max\_Flue\_Gas\_Temp minus 9 °F (5 °C) and Max\_Flue\_Gas\_Temp. Parameters are factory set

#### 12.6.4 **APPLIANCE SELECTION**

The control is designed to store specific parameter sets of different boiler models.

By defining specific setting for different appliance models the same control can be used for a complete product range. Depending on which model the control is applied to, it only will be necessary to change just one single parameter.

When this parameter is changed the following settings are changed:

- Maximal fan speed
- Minimal fan speed
- Ignition speed\*
- •Maximum flue gas temperature

\*Ignition speed is the same as Pre-Purge Speed and Post Purge speed.

The following appliances are available:

Appliance type 50 - This is the standard mode used for Natural gas Appliance type 51 - This is the standard mode used for Propane Appliance type 52 - 55: Not Used

Note: this does not apply to the external igniter BCU, see mounting instructions of this BCU.

### 12.7 Ignition cycle

During the ignition cycle multiple safety checks are active

State	Standby	Pre purge 0	Pre purge 1	Pre ignit	Ignit	Flame Proving	Burn	Post burn	Post purge 0	Post purge 1	٦
Demand											-
an							$\sim$				1
as valve											+
park											-
lame		-			<u></u>			2			+

Safety period

Figure 12. 2

False flame detection	If flame is detected at the end of the pre-spark period (Pre-ignite) a lockout error occurs
Re-ignition	If at the end of the safety period, no flame is detected the control will go to post- purge to remove the unburned gas. After this a re-ignition attempt is started following the same cycle. The number of re-ignition attempts is limited to <i>Max_Ignit_Trials</i> after which a lockout occurs.
Flame establishing time	Sparking stops in the <i>Flame Proving</i> state to allow for ionization detection. The <i>Flame Proving</i> state takes <i>Safety_Period - Ignit_Period</i> .
Flame out too late	If at the end of the <i>Post purge</i> 0 state, the flame is still detected a lockout follows.
Flame loss	When a flame is lost during a burn cycle the control will restart the boiler once. At the second flame loss the boiler will stop and blocking mode follows. The number of restarts is limited by the <i>Max_Flame_Trials</i> setting. (Default set to 1)
Fan supervision	The fan speed is continuously monitored.

#### 12.7.1 FLAME DETECTION

When the boiler is firing, and the flame is not detected anymore, the gas valve will be closed, and the control will perform a post-purge, after which a restart will take place.

The presence of a flame is measured through the flame rod that points into the flame. The flame current is measured by the control as ionization in micro amps ( $\mu$ A).

When the flame current is above Flamerod\_Setpoint + Flamerod\_Hysterese (1.0  $\mu$ A + 0.5  $\mu$ A) a flame will be present. When the flame current is below Flamerod\_Setpoint (1.0  $\mu$ A) the flame will not be present.

#### 12.7.2 FLAME RECOVERY

When the ionization current is too low, the system responds by increasing the minimal fan speed, in order to keep the flame present. This is done by increasing the minimal fan speed when the ionization current is too low.

Whenever the ionization current is high enough, the minimal fan speed will be decreased again. When the flame still disappears the minimal fan speed will be increased for the next burn cycle.

• When the flame current is below Flamerod\_Setpoint + Flamerod\_Delta (1.0  $\mu$ A + 0.2  $\mu$ A) the minimal fan speed will be increased.

• When the flame current is above Flamerod\_Setpoint + Flamerod\_Delta + Flamerod\_Delta \* 2 (1.0  $\mu$ A + 0.2  $\mu$ A + 0.4  $\mu$ A) the minimal fan speed will be decreased.

No. of flame losses	Description	
0	Minimal fan speed as set in the system	
1	In between minimal and ignition fan speed	
2	Ignition fan speed	Table 12. 7

When the flame still disappears the minimal fan speed will be increased for the next burn cycle.

When the system successfully completes a burn cycle, the minimal fan speed will be reset to the set minimal fan speed in the system.

### **12.8 Control functions**

Dependent on the required functions of the appliance and connected sensors and components, several operation modes for Central Heating (CH) and Domestic Hot Water (DHW) can be selected.

#### 12.8.1 ROOM THERMOSTAT ONLY; CH MODE 0 (DEFAULT SETTING)

For this mode the CH mode must be set to 0 and no outdoor sensor is needed.

If the room thermostat closes, the boiler and system circulators are switched ON. When the supply temperature drops CH\_Hysterese\_Down below the CH\_Setpoint (settable via the menu) the boiler is switched ON. The power for the boiler is PID regulated between T\_Supply and the CH\_Setpoint using the PID parameters for Central Heating.

If the supply temperature reaches a temperature CH\_Hysterese\_Up above the CH\_Setpoint the boiler is switched OFF. However, if CH\_Setpoint + CH\_Hysterese\_Up is greater than maximum setpoint the boiler switches OFF at the maximum setpoint.

If the room thermostat opens the boiler is switched OFF (if this was not already happening) and the boiler and system circulators run ON for CH\_Post\_Pump\_Time.

#### Anti-cycling time

(This function is also applicable to all other CH modes) When the boiler is switched OFF because the supply temperature reaches CH\_Setpoint + CH\_Hysterese\_Up, the control will wait a period of time (Anti\_Cycle\_Period  $\rightarrow$ 180 sec. settable) before it is allowed to be switched ON again.

This function is to prevent short cycling ON and OFF of the boiler. However, when during the anti-cycle wait time the differential between setpoint and supply temperature gets greater than Anti\_Cycle\_T\_Diff, anti-cycle will be aborted, and the boiler is allowed to start.

#### Maximum CH power

(This function is also applicable to all other CH modes) The maximum boiler power during CH operation can be limited with parameter P\_CH\_Max.

#### **Minimum CH power**

(This function is also applicable to all other CH and DHW modes)

The minimum boiler power during operation can be limited with parameter P\_CH\_Min.

Adjustable Set Point Heating Parameters

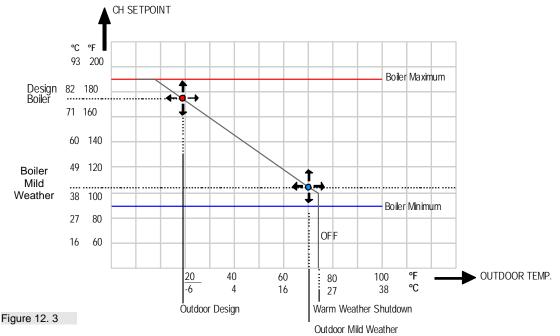
Specific Parameters	Level	Default Value	Range
CH_Mode	2: Installer	1	Mode 0-5
CH Setpoint	2: Installer	185 ºF (85 ºC)	68194 °F (2090 °C)
Sets the required supply temperature.			
CH_Post_Circulator_Time	2: Installer	120 sec.	10900 sec
Anti_Cycle_Period	2: Installer	180 sec	10900 sec
Anti_Cycle_T_Diff Aborts anti-cycle time when setpoint – actual supply temp > <i>Anti_Cycle_T_Diff.</i>	2: Installer	29 ºF (16 ºC)	036 ⁰F (020 ºC)
P_CH_Max Maximum boiler power for CH operation	2: Installer	100 %	1100 %
P_CH_Min Minimum boiler power for CH operation	2: Installer	1 %	150 %

Table 12. 8

#### 12.8.2 CH with an outdoor temperature reset and THERMOSTAT; CH mode 1

If the parameter CH\_Mode is set to 1, the "Outdoor temperature reset with room thermostat" mode is selected. This mode will only function when an outdoor temperature sensor is connected. If the outdoor sensor is connected, the boiler automatically uses Reset Curve Boiler Maximum.

The setpoint is calculated depending on the outdoor temperature as indicated in the following graph and the boiler will react on the room thermostat (as described in § 12.7.1).



CH outdoor reset curve

The outdoor reset curve can be changed by adjusting the design and mild weather reference temperatures. The calculated CH-setpoint is always limited between parameters Reset\_Curve\_Boiler\_Minimum and Reset\_Curve\_Boiler\_Maximum.

The outdoor temperature used for the CH\_Setpoint calculation is measured once a minute and averaged with the previous measurement. This is to avoid commuting when the outside temperature changes rapidly.

If an "open" outdoor sensor is detected the CH\_Setpoint will be equal to the Reset\_Curve\_Design\_Boiler.

#### Shutdown temperature

When the outdoor temperature rises above Warm\_Weather\_Shutdown, the call for heat is blocked and the circulators are stopped. There is a fixed hysteresis of 1.8 °F (1 °C) around the Warm\_Weather\_Shutdown setting. This means that the demand is stopped when the outdoor temperature has risen above Warm\_Weather\_Shutdown plus 1.8 °F (1 °C). When the outdoor temperature drops below Warm\_Weather\_Shutdown minus 1.8 °F (1 °C) again, the demand will also start again.

#### **Boost function**

The outdoor reset boost function increases the CH\_Setpoint by a prescribed increment (Boost\_Temperature\_Incr) if a call for heat continues beyond the pre-set time limit (Boost\_Time\_Delay).

Boiler Parameters		
(25) Warm Weather Shutdn	72 °F	
(26) Boost Temp increment	0 °F	
(27) Boost Time Delay	20 min	
(28) Night Setback Temp.	7 °F	Picture 12.14

These are parameters (26) Boost Temp Increment and (27) Boost Time Delay.

And have a default value of 0  $^{\circ}$ F (0 $^{\circ}$  C) and 20 min, so the function is switched off and can be activated by the installer by increasing parameter 26 by a number of degrees. Also, the time can be set when this parameter will be active in parameter 27 now set on 20 min.

CH\_Setpoint increases again if the call for heat still is not satisfied in another time increment.

#### Setpoint adjustment

It is possible to adjust the calculated setpoint with parameter CH\_Setpoint\_Diff. The calculated setpoint can be increased or decreased with a maximum of 18 °F (10 °C). The CH setpoint limits (Reset\_Curve\_Boiler\_Minimum and Reset\_Curve\_Boiler\_Maximum) are respected while adjusting the setpoint.

Apart from the calculated setpoint the functionality is the same as described in § 12.7.1.

#### Adjustable Outdoor Reset parameters

Parameters	Level	Default Value	Range
CH_Mode	2: Installer	1	Mode 0-5
Reset_Curve_Design_Boiler	2: Installer	176 ºF (80 ºC)	32176 °F (080 °C)
Sets high boiler CH setpoint when outdoor temp. is			
equal to Reset_Curve_Outdoor_Design.			
Reset_Curve_Outdoor_Design	2: Installer	23 °F (-5 °C)	-441 °F (-205 °C)
Sets the outdoor temp at which the boiler setpoint			
must be high as set by Reset_Curve_Design_Boiler.			
Reset_Curve_Boiler_Mild_Weather	2: Installer	104 ºF (40 ºC)	32104 °F (040 °C)
Sets low boiler CH setpoint when outdoor temp. is			
equal to Reset_Curve_Outdoor_Mild_Weather.			
Reset_Curve_Outdoor_Mild_Weather	2: Installer	68 °F (20 °C)	3286 °F (030 °C)
Sets the outdoor temp at which the boiler setpoint			
must be low as set by Reset_Curve_Mild_Weather.			
Reset_Curve_Boiler_Minimum	2: Installer	86 ºF (30 ºC)	68194 °F (2090 °C)
Sets the lower limit for the CH setpoint (minimum).			
Reset_Curve_Boiler_Maximum	2: Installer	194 ºF (90 ºC)	68194 °F (2090 °C)
Sets the upper limit for the CH setpoint (maximum).			
Warm_Weather_Shutdown	2: Installer	72 ºF (22 ºC)	3295 °F (035 °C)
Set max. outdoor temp. Above this temperature heat			
demand is blocked.			
Boost_Temperature_Incr	2: Installer	0 °F (0 °C)	036 °F (020 °C)
CH setpoint increment when heat demand			
remains beyond Boost_Time_Delay.			
Boost_Time_Delay	2: Installer	20 min.	1 – 120 min.
CH_Setpoint_Diff	1: User	0 °F (0 °C)	-18+18 °F (-10+10 °C)
Adjusts the calculated CH setpoint.			

Table 12. 9

Status variables	Range
Actual_CH_Setpoint	68194 °F (2090 °C)
Calculated CH setpoint, based on outdoor reset curve.	

#### 12.8.3 CH with constant circulation system outdoor RESET; CH mode 2

When CH\_Mode is set to 2, full weather compensator is chosen. For this mode an outdoor sensor has to be connected. The CH\_Setpoint is calculated on the same way as described in § 12.7.2.

However, the demand does not depend on the Room Thermostat input but on the outdoor temperature and the outdoor reset setpoint. When the outdoor temperature is below Warm\_Weather\_Shutdown (settable) CH demand is created.

During the night an input signal from an external clock can lower the CH\_Setpoint. When the RT input opens CH\_Setpoint will be decreased with Night\_Setback\_Temp. The RT input does not influence the CH demand directly!

This can be done by connecting a relay contact or clock thermostat to terminal 12 and 13 on the low voltage connectors of the boiler. The room thermostat is only being used in this function to switch between a night setback temperature and a daytime temperature, there is always a constant demand for heat in CH mode 2. The Night Setback temperature can be set by using the installer password and changing parameter 28 in the boiler parameters, default value is setpoint - 50 °F.

Boiler Parameters		
(25) Warm Weather Shutdn	72 °F	
(26) Boost Temp increment	0 °F	
(27) Boost Time Delay	20 min	
(28) Night Setback Temp	7 °F	Picture 12.15

#### Adjustable constant Circulation Parameters

2: Installer	0	Mode 0 - 5
2: installer	72 ºF (22 ºC)	3295 ⁰F (035 °C)
1: User	0 °F (0 °C)	-18+18 °F (-10+10 °C)
	2: installer	2: installer 72 °F (22 °C)

Table 12. 11

#### 12.8.4 CH with constant circulation and permanent heat demand; CH mode 3

For this mode the CH\_ Mode must be set to 3, no outdoor sensor is needed. The supply temperature is kept constantly at the setpoint temperature. The boiler is controlled in a similar way as described in paragraph 12.7.1.

When the room thermostat contact opens CH\_Setpoint will be decreased with Night\_Setback\_Temp. In this condition the circulator is always ON.

Please note that the circulator starts every 24 hours function is not performed during this mode. In this mode the circulator will be running continuously.

Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Settable
CH_Mode	2: Installer	0	Mode 0 - 5
CH_Setpoint	2: Installer	176 °F (80 °C)	68194 °F (2090 °C)

#### 12.8.5 CENTRAL HEATING WITH ANALOG INPUT CONTROL OF SETPOINT; CH MODE 4

CH mode is set to 4. In this mode of operation, the boiler CH setpoint is controlled by an analog input signal provided by a remote means such as a Building Management System or a system controller. The analog input 0-10 Vdc is used to adjust the boiler setpoint between the CH\_Setpoint\_Min and the CH\_Setpoint\_Max settings.

The minimum analog input signal will correspond to the CH\_Setpoint\_Min parameter and the maximum analog input signal will correspond to the CH setpoint maximum parameter. All other safety and control functions associated with the boiler will react normally to adverse condition and override control of the analog signal to prevent an upset condition. This means for example that when signal is going up faster than the boiler can regulate that the boiler will slow down to prevent overshoot in temperature.

The CH\_Setpoint\_Min and CH\_Setpoint\_Max parameters can be adjusted to provide the desired temperature adjustment band. A heat request will be generated by an input of 1.5 volts or higher. The setpoint modulation will occur between 2 and 9 volts. The request for heat will be removed when the voltage drops below 1 volt.

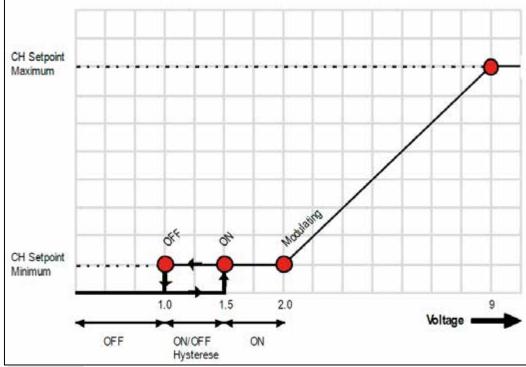


Figure 12. 4

• RT input must be shorted to generate heat demand. / Min/Max CH power setting is limiting 0-10V range.

Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Settable
CH_Mode	2: Installer	0	Mode 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5
CH_Setpoint_Minimum	2: Installer	68 ºF (20 ºC)	68194 °F (2090 °C)
CH_Setpoint_Maximum	2: Installer	194 °F (90 °C)	68194 °F (2090 °C)

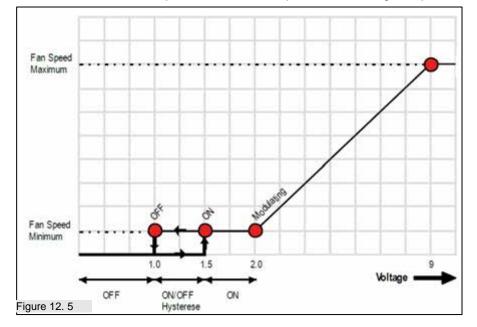
#### 12.8.6 CH with analog input control of power output; CH mode 5

In this mode of operation, the boiler power (boiler input) is controlled by an analog input signal provided by a remote means such as a Building Management System or a system controller. The analog input 0-10 VDC is used to adjust the boiler power output between the minimum boiler input and the maximum boiler input settings.

The minimum analog input signal value will correspond to the minimum modulation rate and the maximum modulation analog input signal value will correspond to the maximum modulation rate.

All other safety and control functions associated with the boiler will react normally to adverse condition and override control of the analog signal to prevent an upset condition.

A heat request will be generated by an input of 1.5 volts or higher. The fan speed modulation will occur between 2.0 and 9.0 volts. The request for heat will stop when the voltage drops below 1 volt.



• CH mode 5 will work without sensors.

Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Settable
CH_Mode	2: Installer	0	Mode 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5

### 12.9 Demand for Domestic Hot Water

#### 12.9.1 No Domestic Hot Water; DHW mode 0

No domestic hot water is available. The T\_DHW\_Out sensor does not need to be connected.

#### 12.9.2 DHW STORAGE WITH SENSOR; DHW MODE 1

Mode 1: DHW is prepared by warming up a store. Either a DHW circulator or 3-way valve can be used to switch to DHW mode.

The DHW temperature in the tank is measured with sensor T\_Store and set with parameter DHW\_Store\_Setpoint. When this sensor drops below DHW\_Store\_Setpoint minus DHW\_Store\_Hyst\_Down the control detects a demand for the store and starts the general and DHW circulator.

If the supply temperature T\_Supply is below

DHW\_Store\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Store\_Supply\_Extra minus DHW\_Supp\_Hyst\_Down the boiler is started as well.

When the boiler is ON, the power is PID-modulated so T\_Supply is regulated towards DHW\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Store\_Supply\_Extra.

The boiler is stopped when the supply temperature rises above DHW\_Store\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Store\_Supply\_Extra plus DHW\_Supp\_Hyst\_Up.

The demand for the tank is ended when the tank-sensor rises above DHW\_Store\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Store\_Hyst\_Up. The circulator continues DHW\_Post\_Pump\_Period.

#### **DHW Priority**

Standard DHW demand has priority over CH demand but the priority period is limited up to DHW\_Max\_Priority\_Time. The priority timer starts when both CH and DHW demand are present. After the DHW\_Max\_Priority\_Time is achieved, the control will switch from DHW to CH operation. CH has priority now for a maximum period of DHW\_Max\_Priority\_Time.

#### Different DHW Priority types can be chosen:

DHW priority	Description
0 → Time	DHW has priority to CH during DHW_Max_Priority_Time
1 → OFF	CH always has priority to DHW
2 → ON	DHW always has priority to CH
Default DHW F	Priority is set to 2.

Table 12. 15

#### Store warm hold function

Because of the presence of the indirect tank sensor (*T\_Store*) the control can detect demand for holding the indirect tank hot.

If T\_Store drops below DHW\_Store\_Setpoint minus DHW\_Store\_Hold\_Warm the boiler starts at minimum power. The boiler stops if T\_Store is higher than DHW\_Store\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Store\_Hyst\_Up.

#### **Relevant variables**

Specific Parameters		Level	(Default) Value	Range
DHW_Mode		2: Installer	0	0, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8
DHW_Store_Setpoint	Sets the desired DHW temperature.	1: User	149 °F (65 °C)	104160 ºF (4071 ºC)
DHW_Store_Supply_Extr	ra	2: Installer	27 ºF (15 ºC)	054 °F (030 °C)
Increases the supply tem				
DHW_Store_Setpoint + D	DHW_Store_Supply_Extra.			

Table 12. 16

Status Variables	Value
DHW control state	$0 \rightarrow Idle$
Central Heating controller state	1 → Request
	$2 \rightarrow \text{Demand}$
	$3 \rightarrow$ Post circulation
	$4 \rightarrow \text{Off}$

#### 12.9.3 DHW STORAGE WITH THERMOSTAT; DHW MODE 2

In this mode DHW is prepared by warming up an indirect tank. Either a DHW circulator or 3-way valve can be used to switch to DHW mode. The temperature of the DHW in the indirect tank is regulated by a thermostat/aquastat (instead of a sensor), which must provide only an open/closed signal to the control.

When the thermostat/aquastat closes the control detects a demand from the DHW indirect tank and starts the DHW circulator.

If the supply temperature T\_Supply drops below DHW\_Store\_Setpoint minus DHW\_Supp\_Hyst\_Down the boiler starts. When the boiler is ON the power is PID-controlled based on T\_Supply toward DHW\_Store\_Setpoint.

The boiler is stopped when the supply temperature rises above DHW\_Store\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Supp\_Hyst\_Up. The demand for DHW ends when the indirect tank thermostat/aquastat opens. The circulator continues DHW\_Post\_Circulator\_Period after the DHW demand has stopped.

#### DHW priority

See paragraph 12.8.2 – DHW Mode 1 – Storage with sensor

**Relevant variables** 

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range
DHW_Mode	2: Installer	0	0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
DHW_Store_Setpoint	2: User	149 ºF (65 ºC)	104160 °F (4071 °C)
Sets the supply temperature from the boiler to prepare			
DHW in the indirect tank			
DHW_Priority	[-]	2	0=Time, 1=OFF, 2=ON
DHW_Max_Priority_Time	2: Installer	60 min.	
Sets the maximum time for either DHW or CH priority.			
DHW_Post_Circulator_Period	2: Installer	120 sec.	10900

Table 12. 18

#### 12.9.4 INSTANTANEOUS WATER HEATING WITH PLATED HEAT EXCHANGER; DHW MODE 3

In DHW mode 3 the water flow through a plated heat exchanger is checked with a flow switch. If the switch closes a water flow is detected, and either a DHW pump or a 3-way valve can be used to switch to DHW mode. The temperature of the DHW is set with *DHW\_Setpoint*.

If the *T\_DHW\_Out* sensor drops below *DHW\_Setpoint* minus *DHW\_Hyst\_Down* the burner starts. When the burner is on, the power is PID-controlled based on *T\_DHW\_Out* toward *DHW\_Setpoint*. The burner stops when the *T\_DHW\_Out* temperature rises above *DHW\_Setpoint* plus *DHW\_Hyst\_Up*. When the flow switch opens the demand for the tapping is ended and the burner stops. The pump continues *DHW\_Post\_Pump\_Period*.

Based on a DHW temperature rise of 100 °F following minimum and maximum DHW flows are advised:

Boiler model	Minimum flow (gpm)	Maximum flow (gpm)
VGH 299	1.1	5.3
VGH 399	1.4	7.1
VGH 500	1.8	9.0

Table 12. 19

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range
DHW_Mode	2: Installer	0	0, 1, 2,3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8
DHW_Setpoint	2: User	122 °F (50 °C)	86176 °F (3080 °C)
Sets the desired DHW temperature			
DHW_Post_Pump_Period	2: Installer	20 s	10900 s

#### 12.9.5 ANTI-LEGIONELLA PROTECTION

Anti-Legionella protection is enabled for DHW modes with an external tank with a sensor (DHW Mode 1).

To prevent legionella a special function is implemented in the software.

When DHW Mode 1 is selected the Anti-Legionella protection will be checked on the T\_DHW\_Out sensor. At least once every 168 hours (7 days) the Anti\_Legionella\_Sensor must reach a temperature above Anti\_Legionella\_Setpoint for a time specified by Anti\_Legionella\_Burn\_Time.

If 7 days have passed and these conditions are not met, the boiler is forced to heat-up the system for Anti-Legionella. When the Anti\_Legionella\_Sensor temperature is below Anti\_Legionella\_Setpoint the control switches ON the circulators, when the Anti\_Legionella\_Sensor temperature is above Anti\_Legionella\_Setpoint plus 9 °F (plus 5 °C) the control stops the circulators.

When DHW Mode 1 is selected the boiler setpoint will be at Anti\_Legionella\_Setpoint plus DHW\_Store\_Supply\_Extra.

If the supply temperature drops below the Boiler\_Setpoint the boiler is started as well. The boiler is PID controlled towards the Boiler\_Setpoint. When the supply temperature rises above Boiler Setpoint plus DHW Supp Hysterese Up the boiler is switched OFF.

When the Anti\_Legionella\_Sensor is above Anti\_Legionella\_Setpoint minus 5.4 °F (minus 3 °C) for Anti\_Legionella\_Burn\_Time the controller goes into post circulation and ends the Anti-Legionella demand. When the controller has powered up, the Anti\_Legionella\_Sensor temperature must reach a temperature of Anti\_Legionella\_Setpoint (for Anti\_Legionella\_Burn\_Time) within 2 hours, otherwise the boiler is forced into Anti-Legionella demand.

Every time an Anti-Legionella demand has ended the Anti\_Legionella\_Active\_Counter is incremented to indicate how many Anti-Legionella actions have been performed. Also, the Anti\_Legionella\_Wait\_Time is started to delay the next Anti-Legionella cycle.

The Anti-Legionella demand has priority over any DHW and CH demand. However, when the Anti-Legionella protection is active and there is no heat or burn demand because the Anti\_Legionella\_Sensor is already at a high enough temperature CH/DHW demand will be accepted as normal.

Parameters are factory set

Parameter	Factory Setting.
Anti_Legionella_Setpoint	140 °F (60 °C)
Setpoint for Anti-Legionella demand	
Anti_Legionella_Burn_Time	30 Min.
Anti_Legionella_Wait_Time	120 min after cold start, 168 h after first successful Anti-Legionella demand
Wait time for Anti-Legionella demand.	, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i

#### 12.9.6 **DISPLAY MENU STRUCTURE SUMMARY.**

Menu structure Display:	Access level	Description:
1. Central Heating (CH)	User	Enter the Central Heating (CH) menu
2. Domestic Hot Water (DHW)	User	Enter the Domestic Hot Water (DHW) menu
3. Information	User	Enter the Information menu
4. Settings	User	Enter the Settings menu
5. System Test	User	Enter the System Test menu

1. Central Heating (CH)	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
1.1 CH Setpoint	68 (20)	194 (90)	185 (85)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the CH setpoint if CH mode is 0
1.2 Outdoor Reset					User	Enter the Outdoor Reset menu if CH mode is 1
1.2 Outdoor reset	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
Des. Supply T.	68 (20)	194 (90)	185 (85)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set CH setpoint when outdoor temperature equals Des. Outd. T.
Bas. Supply T.	68 (20)	194 (90)	106 (41)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set CH setpoint when outdoor temperature equals Bas. Outd. T.
WW Shutdown	32 (0)	95 (35)	72 (22)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set outdoor temperature above which CH demand is locked.
Bas. Outd. T.	32 (0)	86 (30)	68 (20)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the outdoor temperature at which CH setpoint is set to Bas. Supply T.
Des. Outd. T.	-13 (-25)	77 (25)	23 (-5)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the outdoor temperature at which CH setpoint is set to Des. Supply T.
2. Domestic Hot Water (DHW)	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
	min. 104 (40)	<b>max.</b> 160 (71)	<b>Default</b> 140 (60)	unit °F (°C)		Description: Set the DHW setpoint
(DHW)	104	160	140	°F	level	•
(DHW) DHW Setpoint	104 (40) 104	160 (71) 160	140 (60) 149	°F (°C) °F	level Installer Installer Access	Set the DHW setpoint Set the DHW store setpoint for
(DHW) DHW Setpoint DHW Store Setpoint 3. Information	104 (40) 104 (40)	160 (71) 160 (71)	140 (60) 149 (65)	°F (°C) °F (°C)	level Installer Installer	Set the DHW setpoint Set the DHW store setpoint for DHW mode 1 and 2 Description:
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3.2 Boiler status	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
Flow Temperature				°F (°C)	User	Actual supply flow temperature
Flow 2 Temperature				°F (°C)	User	Actual supply 2 flow temperature
Return Temperature						
DHW Temperature				°F (°C)	User	Actual DHW temperature
DCW Temperature				°F (°C)	User	Actual DCW temperature
Outside Temperature				°F (°C)	User	Actual outside temperature
Flue Temp				°F (°C)	User	Actual flue gas temperature
Flue 2 Temp				°F (°C)	User	Actual flue gas 2 temperature
System Temperature				°F (°C)	User	Actual system temperature
0-10 V Input						
Flowrate				l/min	User	Actual DHW flowrate
RT Input				open/clos	User	Actual RT input status
Water Pressure				psi (Bar)	User	Actual CH water pressure
Fan Speed						
Ionization				μA	User	Actual ionization current
State					User	Actual burner state
Error				#	User	Actual internal error code
Calculated Setpoint				°F (°C)	User	Actual CH setpoint

3.3 Boiler history	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
Successful Ignitions				#	User	Display the number of successful ignitions
Failed Ignitions				#	User	Display the number of failed ignitions
Flame Failures				#	User	Display the number of flame losses
Operation Days				days.	User	Display the total time in operation
CH Burner Hours				hrs.	User	Display the amount of burn hours for CH
DHW Burner Hours				hrs.	User	Display the amount of burn hours for DHW

3.4 Error Log	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access	Description:
					level	
Error Log					User	Display the complete error log
Filter Error Type					User	Set the error log filter
Clear Error Log					Installer	Clear the complete error log

3.5 Service	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
Service history					User	Display the service history
Burn hours since last service				hrs.	User	Display the burn hours since last service
Burn hours till service				hrs.	User	Display the hours remaining until next service
Reset Service Reminder	Yes	No	No	-	Installer	Reset the service reminder

4 Settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
4.1 General Settings					User	Enter the General Settings menu
4.2 Boiler Settings					User	Enter the Boiler Settings menu

4.1 General settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
4.1.1 Language					User	Enter the Language menu
4.1.2 Unit Type					User	Enter the Unit Type menu
4.1.3 Date & Time					User	Enter the Date & Time menu
4.1.4 Cascade Mode					User	Enter the Cascade Mode menu
4.1.5 Other Settings					User	Enter the Other Settings menu

Language English User Select language	4.1.1 Language	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
	Language			English		User	Select language

4.1.2 unit type	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
Metric (°C, bar)			°C/bar	°C/bar	User	Select Metric units
Imperial (°F, psi)			Х	°F/psi	User	Select Imperial units

4.1.3 Date & Time	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
Date				dd-mm-yy	User	Set the current date
Time				hh:mm	User	Set the current time
A. Time Zone Settings					User	Enter the time zone settings
						menu
B. Display Settings					User	Enter the display settings menu

A Time zone setting	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
Time Zone Correction	-12:00	+14:00	0:00	UTC	User	Set the time zone correction
	Disabled N,C Ame		Disabled	-		Select the daylight savings time mode

B Display settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
Time Notation	12	24	24	h	User	Select 24h or 12h time notation
Date Order	DMY/YMD /MDY		DMY	-	User	Select the date-format
Day of Month	1	2	2	Digits	User	Select how the day of month is displayed
Month	1-/ 2 digits/ Short-/ Full text		2	Digits	User	Select how the month is displayed
Year	2	4	4	Digits	User	Select how the year is displayed
Date Separation	(none)	, / -	-		User	Select the date separation
Character						character
Day of Week	Short-/	Full	Short		User	Select how the day of week is
	text/ Di	sabled	text			displayed
Seconds	Yes	No	No		User	Select if seconds are displayed

4.1.4 Cascade mode	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
Full			Full		Installer	Select full cascade mode for
						more data for max 8 boilers
Basic					Installer	Select basic cascade mode for
						9 to 16 boilers

4.1.5 Other settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
Modbus Address	0	255	1	0255	User	Select the Modbus communication address
Modbus Stop bits	1	2	2	1 – 2	User	Select the number of Modbus communication stop bits
Startup Settings					Factory	NA

4.2 Boiler settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	level	Description:
4.2.1 Boiler Parameters					Installer	Enter the Boiler Parameters menu
4.2.2 Module Cascade					Installer	Enter the Module Cascade
Settings						Settings menu
4.2.3 Boiler Cascade					Installer	Enter the Boiler Cascade Settings
Settings						menu

4.2.1 Boiler parameters	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:	Display no:
CH mode	0	5	1	#	Installer	Set the CH mode	1
CH Setpoint	68 (20)	194 (90)	185 (85)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the CH setpoint	3
Calc. Setp. Offset	-18 (-10)	18 (10)	0 (0)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the offset for CH mode 1 / 2 calculated setpoint	185
Boiler Pump Overrun	0	900	120	sec.	Installer	Set the post-circulation time for the boiler/CH pump	5
CH Hysteresis Up	0 (0)	36 (20)	5 (3)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the CH hysteresis up	7
CH Hysteresis Down	0 (0)	36 (20)	9 (5)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the CH hysteresis down	112
Anti-Cycle Period	10	900	180	sec.	Installer	Set the burner anti-cycling period	9
Anti-Cycle Temp. Diff.	0 (0)	36 (20)	29 (16)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the burner anti-cycling differentia	10
Design Supply	68	194	185	°F	Installer	Set CH setpoint when	19
Temp.	(20)	(90)	(85)	(°C)		outdoor temperature equals Des. Outd. T.	
Design Outdoor Temp.	-13 (-25)	77 (25)	23 (-5)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the outdoor temperature at which CH setpoint is set to Des. Supply T.	20
Baseline Supply Temp	68 (20)	194 (90)	106 (41)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set CH setpoint when outdoor temperature equals Bas. Outd. T.	21
Baseline Outdoor Temp	32 (0)	86 (30)	68 (20)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the outdoor temperature at which CH setpoint is set to Bas. Supply T.	22
Design Supply Min. Limit	39 (4)	180 (82)	68 (20)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the outdoor reset curve minimum setpoint	23
Design Supply Max. Limit	81 (27)	194 (90)	194 (90)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the outdoor reset curve maximum setpoint	24
Warm Weather Shutdn	32 (0)	95 (35)	72 (22)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set outdoor temperature above which CH demand is blocked	25
Boost Temp Increment	0 (0)	54 (30)	0 (0)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the setpoint boost function temperature increment	26
Boost Time Delay	1	120	20	min.	Installer	Set the setpoint boost function delay time	27
Night Setback Temp.	0 (0)	54 (30)	18 (10)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the CH setpoint night setback temperature	28
DHW Mode	Ò	8	0	#	Installer	Set the DHW mode	35
DHW Tank Hyst. Down	0 (0)	36 (20)	9 (5)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the DHW tank hysteresis down	36
DHW Tank Hyst. Up	0 (0)	36 (20)	9 (5)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the DHW tank hysteresis up	37
DHW Tank Supply Extra	0 (0)	54 (30)	27 (15)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the DHW tank supply setpoint offset	38
DHW Priority	On/ Pa Time/		Ôn	0-2	Installer	Set the DHW priority mode	42
DHW Max. Priority Time	1	255	60	min.	Installer	Set the maximum DHW priority time	43
DHW Pump Overrun	0	900	20	sec.	Installer	Set the DHW post- circulation time	44
DHW/Tank Setpoint	104 (40)	160 (71)	140 (60)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the DHW setpoint	48
DHW Store Setpoint	104 (40)	160 (71)	149 (65)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the DHW storage setpoint	115

cont: 4.2.1 Boiler parameters		max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:	Display no:
PreHeat mode		nti Fr/ Comfort	Off	-	Installer	Set the PreHeat Eco mode	64
Prog. Input 2.	0	4	2	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable input 2	117
Prog. Input 3.	0	2	2	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable input 3	118
Prog. Input 7.	0	5	3	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable input 7	122
Prog. Input RT.	0	1	1	#	Installer	Select the function for the programmable RT input	124
Prog. Output 1.	0	10	4	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable output 1	125
Prog. Output 2.	0	10	9	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable output 2	126
Prog. Output 3.	0	10	6	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable output 3	127
Prog. Output 4.	0	20	18	#	Installer	Select the function for programmable output 4	128
Mod. Pump dT	9 (5)	72 (40)	36 (20)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the modulating pump target delta temperature	133
Mod. Pump Start Time	0	255	120	sec.	Installer	Set the modulating pump start up time	134
Mod. Pump Type	Wilo Yonos	Salmson	Wilo Yonos		Installer	Set the modulating pump model	135
Mod. Pump Mode	OnOff/ Modula Fixed 2	ting/ :0-100%	OnOff		Installer	Set the modulating pump mode	136
Mod. Pump Min Pwr	0	100	30	%	Installer	Set the modulating pump minimum duty cycle	137
Appliance Type	50	55	50	#	Installer	Set the appliance type	138
Dair active	Yes	No	yes	Yes/N o	Installer	Enable/disable the De-Air function	139
Anti Legionella Day	mon	sun	Sunday		Installer	Select the day for the anti- legionella cycle	107
Anti Legionella Hour	0	23	0	hrs.	Installer	Select the time for the anti- legionella cycle	108

4.2.2 Module Cascade Settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:	Display no:
Burner Address		lone/ Mana- ep. 1-15	Stand alone		Installer	Set the cascade burner address	184
Permit Emergency Mode	Yes	No	Yes	Yes/N o	Installer	Enable/disable the cascade emergency mode	72
Emergency Setpoint	68 (20)	194 (90)	158 (70)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the emergency mode setpoint	74
Delay Per Start Next Mod.	0	1275	200	sec.	Installer	Set the delay time before the next module is started	75
Delay Per Stop Next Mod.	0	1275	180	sec.	Installer	Set the delay time before the next module is stopped	76
Delay Quick Start Next	0	1275	50	sec.	Installer	Set the fast delay time before the next module is started	142
Delay Quick Stop Next	0	1275	30	sec.	Installer	Set the fast delay time before the next module is stopped	143
Hyst. Down Start Module	0 (0)	72 (40)	9 (5)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the hysteresis down after which a module is started	77
Hyst. Up Stop Module	0 (0)	72 (40)	7 (4)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the hysteresis up after which a module is stopped	78

cont: 4.2.2 Module Cascade Settings	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:	Display no:
Hyst. Down Quick Start	0 (0)	72 (40)	18 (10)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the fast hysteresis down after which a module is started	144
Hyst. Up Quick Stop	0 (0)	72 (40)	11 (6)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the fast hysteresis up after which a module is stopped	145
Hyst. Up Stop All	0 (0)	108 (60)	14 (8)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the hysteresis up at which all modules are stopped	146
Number of Units	0	16	1	#	Installer	Set the no. of modules expected in the cascade system	147
Power Mode	0	3	2	#	Installer	Set the power mode	148
Max. Setp. Offset Down	0 (0)	72 (40)	0 (0)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the maximum setpoint offset down	79
Max. Setp. Offset Up	0 (0)	72 (40)	36 (20)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the maximum setpoint offset up	80
Start Mod. Delay Fact.	Ô	60	60	min.	Installer	Set the setpoint modulation delay time	81
Next Module Start Rate	10	100	80	%	Installer	Set the next module start rate	82
Next Module Stop Rate	10	100	25	%	Installer	Set the next module stop rate	83
Module Rotation Interval	0	30	5	days	Installer	Set the rotation interval	84
First Module to Start	1	17	1	#	Installer	Set the first module to start in the rotation cycle	149
PwrMode2 Min Power	0	100	20	%	Installer	Set the power mode 2 minimum power	152
PwrMode2 Hysteresis	0	100	40	%	Installer	Set the power mode 2 hysteresis	153
Post-Pump Period	0	255	30	sec.	Installer	Set the cascade post- circulation period	154
Frost Protection	50 (10)	86 (30)	59 (15)	°F (°C)	Installer	Set the frost-protection setpoint	155

# 4.2.3 Boiler CascadeNot used.Settings

Table 12. 22

5 System tests	min.	max.	Default	unit	Access level	Description:
Test State			off		installer	set test state (for adjusting CO2 level's)
Fan speed			XXXX	rpm	installer	read out fan speed
Ionization			X.X	μA	installer	read out flame signal

# **13 TEMPERATURE PROTECTION**

The difference between Supply temperature and Return Temperature is continuously monitored. A too big difference can indicate a defective pump or a clogged heat exchanger. To protect the boiler, the burner controller reduces the input when the temperature difference  $\Delta T$  becomes too high:

At maximum boiler input  $\Delta T$  is limited to 63 °F (35 °C) (Hx\_Diff\_DeltaT\_Min).

In between 63 °F (35 °C) and 77 °F (43 °C) boiler input modulates between minimum and maximum.

At minimum boiler input ΔT above 77 °F (43 °C) is allowed (Hx\_Diff\_DeltaT\_Min plus 14 °F (+8 °C)).

Above  $\Delta T = 86 \degree F$  (48 °C), the boiler is switched OFF during HX\_Diff\_Max\_Wait\_Time.

Relevant factory set variables

Parameter	Level	Factory Setting.	Range
HX Diff DeltaT Min	3: Factory	63 °F (35 °C)	18144 °F (1080 °C)
HX Diff Max Wait Time Wait time after upper limit primary heat exchanger differential has been exceeded.	3: Factory	180 Sec.	1255 Sec.

Table 13. 1

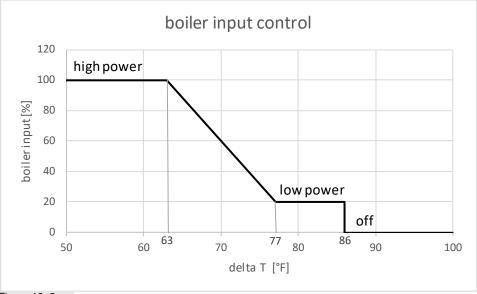


Figure 13. 2

# 14 ERROR INFORMATION.

Errors can be divided in three groups:

- Manual reset locking errors (can only be reset by the reset button).
- Blocking errors (will disappear when error is gone)
- Warnings (will disappear when the warning is gone, not stored in the BCU)

The boiler circulator will continue to run during most locking and blocking error codes. This is to prevent the freezing of the Central Heating circuit when the boiler is in error during the winter period. For some non-volatile lockouts the circulator will not be running, also see the error tables in this chapter for more details.

# 14.1 Boiler history.

The last 15 lockouts and 15 blocking errors are stored in the boiler control. This boiler history can be shown via the Boiler History screen via the installer boiler status menu in one of the advanced displays.

- Successful ignitions
- Failed Ignitions
- Flame Failures
- Operation days
- CH Burner Hours
- DHW Burner Hours

# 14.2 Lockout codes

Lock out code	Error	Description	Cause	Solving
0	E2PROM_READ _ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
1	IGNIT_ERROR	Five unsuccessful ignition attempts in a row	no gas, wrongly adjusted gas valve	check gas supply and adjust gas valve, reset BCU
2	GV_RELAY_ ERROR	Failure detected in the gas valve relay	short circuit in coil of the gas valve, water on wiring or gas valve	reset BCU replace gas valve or wiring harness
3	SAFETY_RELAY _ERROR	Failure detected in safety relay	safety relay is not working correctly	reset BCU or replace BCU
4	BLOCKING_ TOO_LONG	Control had a blocking error for more than 20 hours	blocking code active for more than 20 hours	reset and check blocking code
5	FAN_ERROR_ NOT_RUNNING	Fan is not running for more than 60 seconds	electrical wiring not correctly connected, or Fan is malfunctioning	Check wiring or replace Fan if not solved check fuse on BCU or replace BCU
6	FAN_ERROR_ TOO_SLOW	Fan runs too slow for more than 60 seconds	electrical wiring not correctly connected, or Fan is malfunctioning	Check wiring or replace Fan if not solved check fuse on BCU or replace BCU
7	FAN_ERROR_ TOO_FAST	Fan runs too fast for more than 60 seconds	electrical wiring not correctly connected, or Fan is malfunctioning	Check wiring or replace Fan if not solved check fuse on BCU or replace BCU
8	RAM_ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
9	WRONG_EEPR OM_SIGNATUR E	Contents of E2prom is not up to date	outdated E2prom	reset BCU or replace BCU
10	E2PROM_ ERROR	Wrong safety parameters in E2prom	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU
11	STATE_ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU
12	ROM_ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU
13	APS_NOT_ OPEN	Air pressure switch not opening during pre- purge 0	electrical circuit is short circuited, or APS is jammed	check wiring or replace APS
14	APS_NOT_CLO SED_IN_PRE_ PURGE	Air pressure switch not closing during pre- purge 1	no air transport to the burner; flue or air inlet is blocked, or APS is jammed, or air signal hose not connected to the air intake pipe or water in hose	Check if there are any obstructions in the flue or air intake, replace APS if jammed, connect air hose to the air intake pipe, remove any water from the hose.
15	MAX_TEMP_ ERROR	The external overheat protection is enabled or the T_Supply sensor measures a temp. of over Prot_Overheat_Temp - SGOverheat_Duplex_ Tolerance for a period of Max_Value_Period	Burner door clixon tripped because of overheating of the burner door or the water flow is restricted, or back wall thermal fuse has tripped because rear wall insulation disc (combustion chamber) is damaged or broken.	Check burner door gasket and replace burner door gasket and reset clixon on burner door or check circulator and waterflow and replace circulator or increase water flow check also if valves are closed or check if rearwall fuse is broken if so replace and also replace rear wall insulation disc (combustion chamber).

Lock out	Error	Description	Cause	Solving
code 16	FLUE_GAS_ ERROR	Flue temperature exceeded the maximum flue temperature	There is no water in the heat exchanger or flue gas sensor is malfunctioning or heat exchanger is overheated.	Check if flue sensor is working correctly if not so replace flue sensor. Check waterflow if to low increase waterflow.
17	STACK_ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
18	INSTRUCTION_ ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
19	ION_CHECK_ FAILED	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
20	FLAME_OUT_ TOO_LATE	Flame still present 10 seconds after closing the gas valve	wrong earthing of BCU and boiler	Check earthing of BCU and boiler
21	FLAME_BEFOR E_IGNIT	Flame is detected before ignition	wrong earthing of BCU and boiler	Check earthing of BCU and boiler
22	TOO_MANY_ FLAME_LOSS	Three times flame lost during 1 demand	bad gas supply or CO2 level is not correct or bad ignition rod	check gas supply pressure, check CO2 level and adjust if necessary, replace ignition rod or replace ignition cable.
23	CORRUPTED_ ERROR_NR	Error code RAM byte was corrupted to an unknown error code.	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
27	FILLING_TOO_ MUCH	Too many automated filling attempts in a short time period	If output is programmed as filing valve and there are too many filing attempts	Check if there is a leak in the central heating system or if the boiler itself is leaking also check expansion vessel on internal leak
28	FILL_TIME_ ERROR	Filling takes too long	If output is programmed as filing valve and filling takes more than 10 minutes	Check if there is a leak in the central heating system or if the boiler itself is leaking also check expansion vessel on internal leak
29	PSM_ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
30	REGISTER_ ERROR	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
32	T_EXCHANGE_ DIFF_ERROR	The 2 exchange sensors deviate too much for more than 60 seconds	There is not enough water flow through the heat exchanger	Check if the general pump is running and if all valves are open to make enough flow
33	LWCO_1_ ERROR	Low water cut off 1 error	There is no water in the heat exchanger or not electrically connected	Check if there is enough water in the heat exchanger if not so fill up the system
34	LWCO_2_ ERROR	Low water cut off 2 error	There is no water in the heat exchanger or not electrically connected	Check if there is enough water in the heat exchanger if not so fill up the system
35	APS_NOT_CLO SED_IN_POST_ PURGE	Air pressure switch not closing during post-purge 1	no air transport to the burner after heat demand; flue or air inlet is blocked, or APS is jammed or air signal hose not connected to the air intake pipe or water in hose	Check if there are any obstructions in the flue or air intake, replace APS if jammed, connect air hose to the air intake pipe, remove any water from the hose.
36	GAS_PRESSUR E_ERROR	Gas pressure switch open for more than E2_GPS_Timeout	wrong gas pressure on gas supply	Check if gas pressure is in limits of the gas pressure switch.

Table 14. 1

# 14.3 Blocking codes

Lockout	Error	Description	Cause	Solving
<u>code</u> 100	WD_ERROR_R AM	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
101	WD_ERROR_R OM	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
102	WD_ERROR_S TACK	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
103	WD_ERROR_ REGISTER	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
104	WD_ERROR_X RL	Internal software error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
105	HIGH_TEMP_E RROR	T_Supply sensor measures over Stay_Burning_Temp for a period of Max_Value_Period.	not enough waterflow overheat exchanger	Check functioning of the circulator. Check/open all valves that might restrict the water flow through the unit. Check for an external system circulator that influences flow through the unit. Check if the system resistance exceeds the spare capacity of the unit circulator.
106	REFHI_TOO_HI GH	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
107	REFHI_TOO_L OW	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
108	REFLO_TOO_H IGH	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
109	REFLO_TOO_L OW	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
110	REFHI2_TOO_H IGH	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
111	REFHI2_TOO_L OW	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
112	REFLO2_TOO_ HIGH	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
113	REFLO2_TOO_ LOW	Internal hardware error	wrongly programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
114	FALSE_FLAME	Flame is detected in a state in which no flame is allowed to be seen	wrong earthing of BCU and boiler	Check earthing of BCU and boiler

Lockout code	Error	Description	Cause	Solving
116	LOW_WATER_P RESSURE_SEN SOR	Low water pressure, generated when the pressure drops below Minimal Pressure, or when the pressure drops below 4.5 PSI.	Not enough water pressure	Fill up the system and check if there are any water leakages
118	WD_COMM_ER ROR	Watchdog communication error	wrong programmed BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
119	RETURN_OPEN	Return sensor open	malfunctioning return sensor or not connected	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
120	SUPPLY_OPEN	Supply sensor open	malfunctioning supply sensor or not connected	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
122	DHW_OPEN	DHW sensor open	malfunctioning DHW sensor or not connected	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
123	FLUE_OPEN	Flue sensor open	malfunctioning flue sensor or not connected	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
125	OUTDOOR_OP EN	Outdoor sensor open	malfunctioning outdoor sensor or not connected or wrong CH-mode programmed	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor or change CH- mode
126	RETURN_SHOR TED	Return sensor shorted	malfunctioning return sensor or short circuiting	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
127	SUPPLY_SHOR TED	Supply sensor shorted	malfunctioning supply sensor or short circuiting	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
129	DHW_SHORTE D	DHW sensor shorted	malfunctioning DHW sensor or short circuiting	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
130	FLUE_SHORTE D	Flue sensor shorted	malfunctioning Flue sensor or short circuiting	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
132	OUTDOOR_ SHORTED	Outdoor sensor shorted	malfunctioning Outdoor sensor or short circuiting	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
133	NET_FREQ_ER ROR	Net freq. error detected by the watchdog	Wrong frequency from power grid or aggregate	Check frequency on the mains of the boiler (60Hz)
134	RESET_BUTTO N_ ERROR	Too many resets in a short time period	Reset many times by user or installer	wait or disconnect and reconnect power supply
135	PHASE_NEUTR AL_ REVERSED	Live and neutral of the main voltage power supply input are reversed	Phase and neutral are wrongly connected	Change phase and neutral
136	T_EXCHANGE_ BLOCK_ERROR	Exchange temperature exceeded 194 ºF (90 ºC).	water temperature is above 194 °F (90 °C).	Check circulator functioning. Check/open all valves that might restrict water flow through the unit. Check external system circulator(s) that influences flow through the unit. Check if the system resistance exceeds the spare capacity of the unit circulator.

Lockout code	Error	Description	Cause	Solving
155	WD_CONFIG_E RROR	Watchdog fan configuration setting error	wrongly program- med BCU or PB	reset BCU or replace BCU and or display unit
162	FILL_WARNING	Error is generated immediately when the pressure drops below Minimal Pressure. Demand has stopped, but no error needs to be stored at this time.	The water pressure is below the minimum pressure level	refill the system until the pressure is above 1 Bar or 14.5 PSI
164	LOWEXFLOW_ PROTECTION	Flow is too low, demand needs to be stopped with fan at ignition speed*, but no error needed to be stored at this time	not enough water flow through heat exchanger	Check functioning of the circulator. Check/open all valves that might restrict the water flow through the unit. Check for an external system circulator that influences flow through the unit. Check if the system resistance exceeds the spare capacity of the unit circulator.
165	VSUPPLY_TOO _LOW	Main supply voltage too low for more than 60 seconds	dip in power supply to boiler	check power supply
166	VSUPPLY_TOO _HIGH	Main supply voltage too high for more than 60 seconds	peak in power supply to boiler	check power supply

Table 14. 2

# 14.4 Warnings

Error no.	Error	Description	Cause	Solving
200	CC_LOSS_COM MUNICATION	Cascade System: Managing cascade control lost communication with one of the depending.	connection between cascaded boilers is interrupted or wiring is broken	Check wiring between boiler or distance between boilers is to big
202	APP_SELECTIO N_ERROR	Unknown appliance model selected	wrongly programmed parameters	replace BCU
203	CC_LOSS_BOIL ER_COMM	Dual Cascade System: Managing cascade control lost communication with one of the depending.	connection between cascaded boilers is interrupted or wiring is broken	Check wiring between boiler or distance between boilers is to big
204	T_OUTDOOR_ WRONG	T_Outdoor sensor measures open/shorted	malfunctioning outdoor sensor or not connected or wrong CH-mode programmed	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor or change CH-mode
205	T_SYSTEM_WR ONG	T_System sensor measures open/shorted	malfunctioning system sensor or not connected	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor
206	T_CASCADE_W RONG	T_Cascade sensor measures open/shorted	malfunctioning cascade sensor or not connected	check connection to BCU or check resistance NTC sensor

Table 14. 3

# 15 CASCADING

### 15.1 System setup

NOTE: for proper functioning of the system, some settings have to be changed, see § 15.4.2 "Emergency mode".

The boiler controller can control multiple boilers in a cascade setup.

A system sensor input is available on the burner controller to measure the cascade system supply temperature. A circulator output is also available to run the system circulator, as well as an output for the DHW circulator. When the CH supply temperature is calculated based on an outdoor sensor, only one outdoor sensor is needed. This sensor is connected to the managing boiler and calculates the CH setpoint for the cascade system. A cascade system can be used with an DHW indirect tank. A DHW circulator and sensor can be connected to the managing boiler.

Cascade boiler circulator connections for system configuration for handling DHW indirect tank or Central Heating demand. All boilers handle **either** indirect tank **or** Central Heating demand at one time.

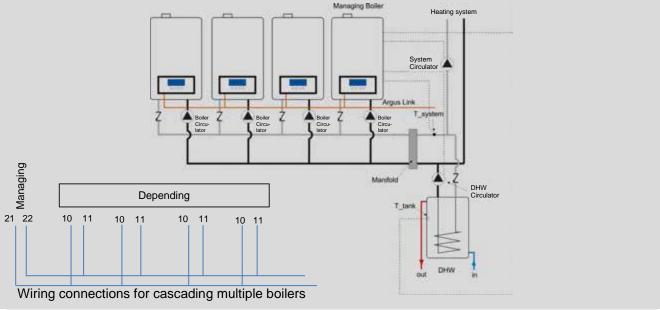


Figure 15. 1

### 15.2 Boiler cascade communication setup.

In order for the system to work for cascade the communication busses must be parallel linked together. The managing boiler uses the AL-bus connection 20-21 for the cascade. For details, see § 11.4 "Explanation of the low voltage connections".

It is important that the power on the 10-11 connection terminals on all boilers is switched to the OFF position (see also § 15.2.1).

All boilers in the cascade system must have a unique address selected (see also § 15.2.1). Before commissioning a cascade installation, a number of parameters have to be changed.

NOTICE

These parameters can be programmed on the unit itself.

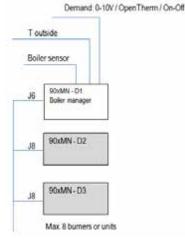
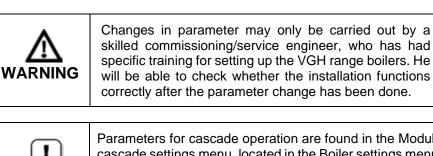


Figure 15. 2



Parameters for cascade operation are found in the Module cascade settings menu, located in the Boiler settings menu. Parameters in the Boiler cascade settings menu may not be used.



#### Address rules

The cascade managing address (parameter 184) must be set to 'Managing' on the managing boiler. The cascade depending addresses (parameter 184) must be set in a logical numbered order from 1: Dep. 1, Dep. 2 etc. on the depending boilers.

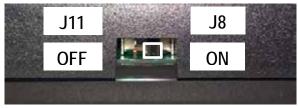
The total number of boilers in the cascade must be stored in parameter 147 on the managing boiler.

When the number of boilers is set to 4, the first three depending controls are expected to be available for the cascade. In this case depending controls 1, 2 and 3 must be selected. When any of these 3 are not present on the communication bus the managing, control detects the loss of a depending control and generates the warning: "Comm. Lost with module."

The managing boiler of the cascade system is connected to the AL-BUS connection on terminals 20-21

This connection also provides the power for the communication bus. The depending boilers are all parallel connected to the managing boiler communication bus.

The bus power is provided by the managing boiler on terminals 20-21, switch S1 must be set in the OFF position (all controls).



The boiler address can be set through an e2prom setting or via the Switch input available on the control. Each boiler must be configured with its own unique address.

Figure 15. 3

#### 15.2.2 E2PROM ADDRESS SELECTION THROUGH E2PROM SETTING.

This setting can be changed on the boiler control.

Boiler address	Boiler Operation	Function of sensor input terminal 3-4
0 (default)	Standalone burner	No function
1	1 <sup>st</sup> boiler (managing)	System sensor
2	2 <sup>nd</sup> boiler (depending)	No function
3	3 <sup>rd</sup> boiler (depending)	No function
4	4 <sup>th</sup> boiler (depending)	No function
*	▼	
16	16 <sup>th</sup> boiler (depending)	No function

Table 15-1

#### 15.2.3 CASCADE - HEATING ONLY MANAGING BOILER

When a boiler is set as Managing (Address = 1), the controller of this boiler will drive the cascade. The CH mode of this managing boiler applies to all other boilers. It is only required to set the CH mode on the managing boiler.

- The outdoor temperature sensor connected to the managing boiler will be the outdoor sensor for the cascade operation
- The system sensor (T\_System) connected to the managing boiler will be the control sensor for the cascade supply temperature.
- The (modulating) thermostat connected to the managing boiler will be the CH heat demand input for the cascade system.

Based on the system temperature (T\_System) and the requested Cascade Setpoint the managing boiler calculates a required boiler setpoint, to achieve the requested Cascade Setpoint.

The managing boiler provides the calculated setpoint to all dependent boilers. The modulating power of the dependent boilers is PID controlled based on the calculated setpoint and dependent boiler supply temperature.

#### Cascade CH setpoint adaption

When the system temperature is not high enough the setpoint for all boilers will be adjusted.

The boiler setpoint will be increased when the system temperature drops below Cascade Setpoint and decreased when it rises above Cascade Setpoint temperature.

#### Dependent Boiler

The CH mode for the cascade is defined by the setting of the managing boiler. CH mode settings on dependents are ignored. In case a boiler is set as dependent (Address = 2-8/16) the setpoint is always provided by the managing boiler.

The modulating power of the ALL boilers is PID controlled by the boiler itself by comparing the calculated setpoint from the managing boiler and T\_Supply. The managing boiler itself will be controlled in the cascade system as it would as if it was a dependent boiler. Only the circulators and sensor inputs are used.

#### **Boiler input Rates**

A cascade system operates most effective and efficiently when all of the boilers in the system are the same size.

#### 15.2.4 CASCADE – DOMESTIC HOT WATER SETTINGS

In the installer DHW menu of the managing boiler control the DHW\_Mode must be set. Available DHW modes in cascade are mode 1 or 2.

#### Dependent Boiler

In case a boiler is set as dependent (Address = 2-8/16) the DHW setpoint is always provided by the managing boiler, the internal control of the setpoint functions are disabled.

#### Managing Boiler

If there is a request for a "Store Warm Hold" for the tank and no central heating request the managing boiler is going to burn for the DHW tank. This (the heating of the DHW tank) is interrupted when there comes a central heating request and the managing boiler and cascade are burning for the central heating system.

#### 15.2.5 CASCADE - DHW PRIORITY

The boiler cascade system has multiple options for priority and parallel DHW and heating. The following levels of priority are configurable (and possible):

Priority level		Description		
0)	0) Switch Priority When both CH and DHW demand have to be served, the priority it is given to the DHW dem			
		for a given interval (indicated with parameter Minute_Switch_Priority).		
	As soon as the interval has expired the priority switches to CH demand.			
	The interval time will be reloaded and priority will switch again after the interval is over.			
1)	СН	The priority is permanently given to CH Demand		
2)	DHW	The priority is permanently given to DHW Demand		

Table 15-2

#### Relevant variables

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range
DHW Priority	2: Installer	2	0, 1, 2
Both, CH or DHW priority, Parallel			
DHW Max Priority Timer	2: Installer	60 min.	160 min.
Interval time for switching the priority			

Table 15-3

#### 15.2.6 CASCADE – START/STOP SEQUENCE

The managing boiler sends the calculated Cascade\_Setpoint to the dependent boilers. The power of the boilers is PID controlled based on the Calculated\_Setpoint and T\_Supply. Depending on the temperature difference between T\_System and Cascade\_Setpoint (CH or DHW) the dependent boilers will start or stop using different algorithms.

#### **Quick Starting and Stopping Boilers**

When there is a big difference between the T\_System and the Cascade\_Setpoint the call for a start or stop of the next or last depending is done quicker.

#### 15.2.7 **CASCADE – POWER BALANCE MODE**

Several different power control modes can be selected to operate the cascade system.

- Power mode 0: Power control disabled; each boiler modulates based on the system setpoint.
- Power mode 1: Power control algorithm to have a minimum number of boilers/boilers active.
- Power mode 2: Power control algorithm to have a maximum number of boilers/boilers active.
- Power mode 3: Power control algorithm to have a balanced number of boilers/boilers active.

# 15.3 Cascade – Boiler rotation

The boiler rotation function can change the start/stop sequence for the cascade boilers.

The parameter Boiler\_Rotation\_Interval sets the number of days after which the sequence is updated. When Boiler\_Rotation\_Interval is set to 0 boiler rotation is disabled.

When the parameter Burner\_Rotation\_Interval is updated the boiler rotation days left will be initialized to the new Burner\_Rotation\_Interval setting.

When for example Burner\_Rotation\_Interval = 5 the start sequence is as following (x is the last boiler):

Days	Start/Stop sequence
Day 0-5	1-2-3-4-5x
Day 5-10	2-3-4-5x-1
Day 10-15	3-4-5x-1-2
Day 15-20	4-5x-1-2-3
Day 20-25	5x-1-2-3-4
Table 15-1	

Table 15-4

With parameter First\_Depending\_To\_Start the current depending that is first to start in the sequence is selected. When the boilers are rotated the parameter First\_Depending\_To\_Start is automatically updated to the next depending. When boiler rotation is disabled the parameter First\_Depending\_To\_Start is reset to 0. When the First\_Depending\_To\_Start is manually changed the control will clear all demand of the cascade control. After this is will start cascade demand generation with the new selection for First\_Depending\_To\_Start.

#### 15.3.1 NEXT DEPENDING TO START SELECTION

When the cascade Burner\_Rotation\_Interval has passed the control will perform the cascade rotation. At this moment the next available control based on the current First\_Depending\_To\_Start is selected. A depending control is available when the control is present on the communication bus and the control is not blocked by an error.

When the control is not available the control is skipped as the next First\_Depending\_To\_Start.

Relevant variables

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range
Burner_Rotation_Interval	2: Installer	5	030
			(0: Disabled)
First_Depending_To_Start	2: Installer	1	18/16

Table 15-5

### 15.4 Cascade Error handling

#### 15.4.1 CASCADE FROST PROTECTION

Frost protection on a cascade is active on two levels

#### 1. Frost protection for burner cascade

The 'frost protection' function for a burner cascade is related to the boiler sensor temperatures. Reactions on the supply / return temperatures of the managing boiler are as follows:

Cascade_Frost_Protection:	Below this temperature the cascade CH/system pump and	Default: 59 °F
	the general pump of the managing boiler start running.	(15 °C)
minus 9 °F (minus 5 °C):	Below this temperature the cascade heat demand is activated; the general pumps of all the cascaded boilers will be started and the boilers start burning.	
Cascade_Frost_Protection plus 9 °F (plus 5 °C):		59 plus 9 = 68 °F (15 plus 5 = 20 °C)

Table 15-6

#### 2. Frost protection on boiler

As last protection the controllers for the boilers can force themselves to burn.

If the boiler supply/return temperature drops below 41 °F (5 °C) the boiler starts at minimum power and continues burning until the lowest of both supply and return temperatures are above 59 °F (15 °C).

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range	
Cascade frost protection	2: Installer	59 °F	5086 ⁰F	
Temperature for frost protection		(15 °C)	(1030 °C)	Table 15-7

#### 15.4.2 **EMERGENCY MODE**

#### Managing boiler error

When the managing boiler is in error mode, the depending boilers can go into the "Emergency\_Mode", if enabled. In emergency mode the system setpoint is set to the temperature of the Emergency\_Setpoint and all cascaded boilers start burning on this setpoint.

NOTE: the default setting is 158 °F (70 °C)! Make sure the right temperature is set.

Specific Parameters	Level	(Default) Value	Range	Parameter
Permit Emergency Mode	Installer	Yes	Yes/No	Module Cascade parameter 72
Emergency Setpoint	Installer	158 °F (70 °C)	68 - 194 °F (20 - 90 °C)	Module Cascade parameter 75
Dair active	Installer	Yes	Yes/No	Boiler parameter 139

Table 15-8

For proper functioning of this emergency mode, the following settings are necessary in the managing boiler (installer password required):

- Module Cascade parameter no. 72: "Permit\_Emergency\_Mode" has to be set on "yes".

- Module Cascade parameter no. 75: "Emergency\_Setpoint" has to be set on the right temperature.
- Boiler parameter no. 139: "Dair active" has to be set on "No".



Do not de-activate the DAir function before the boilers have been commissioned and adjusted to the correct settings.

When the managing unit is reset from lockout state, the cascade controllers are re-initialized.

#### 15.4.3 Loss of cascade communication

The burner controller of the managing boiler is aware of how many dependents should be present in the system. The total number of boilers is stored in the BCU (parameter 147). When powering on the system the leading boiler has to detect all depending boilers within 60 seconds.

When not all dependent boilers are detected the control will show the CC\_Loss\_Communication warning. When the communication with any of the depending boilers is lost during operation, the control will show the CC\_Loss\_Communication warning after 60 seconds, which is purely informative and will not block the control.

# 16 SYSTEM TEST.

For testing the system at fixed power rates, a system test can be activated via the Installer menu. Via the system test the boiler can be started without CH or DHW being present. The system test has priority.

Syst	em test mode	Description		
0	Not active	System test mode not active		
1	Fan only	The fan is forced to run at maximum speed without starting the boiler		
2	Low power	The boiler starts and after the ignition period has finished the boiler stays at low power		
3	Ignition power	The boiler starts and stays at ignition power		
4	High power	The boiler starts and after the ignition period has finished the boiler stays at high power		
5	High power limited	The boiler starts and after the ignition period has finished the boiler stays at high power limited		
by the parameter CH_ max_ power		by the parameter CH_ max_ power		
6	High limit error test	Simulates the Max_Temp_Error		
7	Low water cut off 1 error test	Simulates the LWCO_1_Error		
8	Low water cut off 2 error test	Simulates the LWCO_2_ Error		

The following modes are available:

Table 16. 1

Before running the system test modes first check if the heat can also be dissipated. Note that during this mode the supply temperature can be raised above 203 °F (95 °C). When this temperature is reached the boiler will switch OFF. When the supply temperature cools down to 194 °F (90 °C) the boiler will start again.

During the system test the boiler and system circulator will be ON.

As the boiler will run at fixed power rates there is no setpoint control active.

Also the flame recovery is not active during system test demand. All other safety functions remain active.

The system test automatically stops after 10 minutes, after which the system continues with normal demand handling. When the system test mode is changed during an active system test, the 10-minute timer is restarted.

# 17 COMMISSIONING THE BOILER

### 17.1 First: flushing the boiler with water

After installation of the boiler the first step, before commissioning, is to flush the boiler and the whole heating installation with fresh water to remove pollution, debris and other materials that might cause a blocking. This must also be done with heating installations, where only the boiler is replaced.

Existing and new heating systems must be cleaned with a hydronic system cleaner; see additional information in § 7.12. System cleaner must be drained and thoroughly flushed with clean water to remove any residual cleaner, prior to installing a new boiler. NEVER leave a system cleaner for longer than recommended by the manufacturer of the cleaner. Never put system cleaner inside the boilers heat exchanger.

### 17.2 Second: filling & venting the boiler and the system

After flushing the boiler and the installation the system can be filled with fresh water. Fill the boiler and the heating system by using the appropriate filling valve. The water pressure of the system normally lies between 22 and 50 psi (1.5 and 3.4 bar) – see § 7.20 "Water pressure".

The boiler has an automatic air vent situated inside the boiler. This vent is always open and the venting outlet goes via a plastic tube through the bottom to the outside. Shortly after putting the boiler into operation, check the water pressure and add or remove some water to obtain the required pressure.

During the commissioning, make sure that no water can enter the boiler and make contact with the electrical parts.

# 17.3 Third: check the water flow

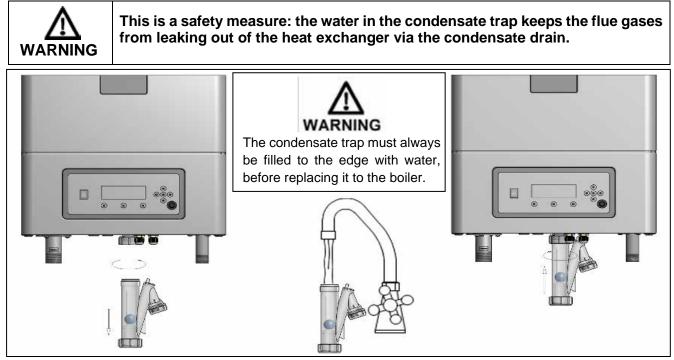
Before starting the boiler ensure the circulator is installed and operating correctly and that there are no obstructions or closed valves that could prevent water flow through the heat exchanger.



Always ensure the boiler circulator is functioning correctly and that there is flow through the heat exchanger after working on the boiler or system.

# 17.4 Mounting Condensate Trap

When mounting the bottom part of the condensate trap, before commissioning the boiler and/or after maintenance, it must **ALWAYS** be <u>completely</u> filled with water.



Picture 17. 1

When the boiler receives a heat demand the electronics will start the operation of the boiler. Before the boiler is used, the boiler must be adjusted and set at the minimum and maximum load.

# 17.5 Checking gas pressure

Check the gas pressure available at the gas connection pipe of the boiler. Use the pressure nipple [3] of the gas safety valve for this measurement. Picture 18-3 shows the position of the pressure nipple [3].

Min. and max. gas supply pressures:

Type of Gas	p nom [inch W.C./ mbar]	p min [ inch W.C./ mbar]	p max [ inch W.C./ mbar]
Natural gas	7.0 / 17.4	3.5 / 8.7	10.5 / 26.2
Propane	11.0 / 27.4	8.0 / 19.9	13.0 / 32.4

Table 17. 1

# 17.6 Firing for the first time

After the commissioning of the boiler and the described previous actions, the boiler display will show the following graph.



This screen is active during power up and will remain active until communication with the main Control has been established.

After communication has been established one of the following Status overview screens appears:



The display describes:

- The actual operation for heating or hot water
- The temperature setting

# 18 ADJUSTING AND SETTING THE BOILER

Before carrying out any adjusting of the burner, carefully read this complete chapter.

The initial lighting of the appliance must be performed by a licensed Gas Technician. Failure to follow these instructions may result in property damage, serious injury or death.

As soon as the appliance has been fully installed (with regard to hydraulics, filling and deaeration of installation, gas, flue gas, air intake, wiring etc.) according to the preliminary installation instructions, the boiler may then be wired to an electrically grounded power supply source. The boiler must always be connected to a disconnect or external power shutoff. The boiler must be electrically bonded to the ground in accordance with the requirements of the local authority having jurisdiction or, in the absence of such requirements, the National Electrical Code, ANSI/NFPA 70, and or/the Canadian Electrical Code Part I, CSA C22.1 Electrical Code.

### 18.1 Introduction

WARNING

The boiler must <u>always</u> be adjusted in the next situations:

- A new boiler is installed
- As part of a service/maintenance check, in case the CO2 values turns out to be incorrect.
- The gas valve has been (re)placed.
- Gas conversion to propane. Prior to adjustments, follow the procedure in 18.4
- The venturi has been replaced. Prior to adjustments, follow the procedure in 18.3
- The fan has been replaced
- The flue gas check valve has been replaced

In any of the cases described, <u>always</u> check the gas/air ratio of the combustion figure (CO<sub>2</sub>) at maximum and minimum input.

# First set the boiler at maximum load and subsequently at minimum load and repeat if necessary (adjustments at maximum load influence values at minimum load and vice versa).

#### Chapter overview:

First, all necessary values are given in adjustment table 18.1. A drawing of the gas valve(s) and setting screws is given in § 18.1.2. In § 18.2 a general procedure, conform which the adjustments must be carried out, is presented. § 18.3 describes the specific adjustments to be made when the venturi is replaced, and § 18.4 describes the changes needed when the gas type is set to propane.

#### 18.1.1 COMBUSTION TABLE

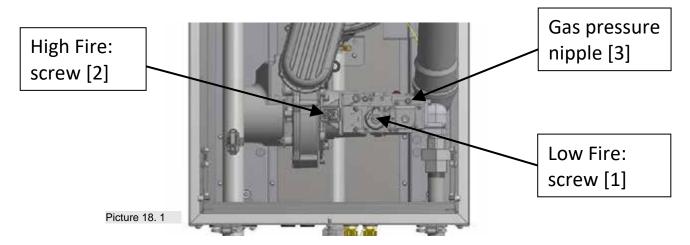
Table 1: CO<sub>2</sub> values for maximum and minimum load.<sup>1)</sup>

gas type	boiler type	CO <sub>2</sub> / O <sub>2</sub> [%]	CO <sub>2</sub> / O <sub>2</sub> [%]		
		High Fire	Low Fire		
natural gas	VGH 299 CH, VGH 399 CH,	9.2 / 4.7	9.8 / 3.7		
	VGH 500 CH				
propane <sup>2)3)</sup>	VGH 299 CH, VGH 399 CH,	10.4 / 5.0	11.0 / 4.1		
VGH 500 CH					
1) All values measured without front door.					
2) For propane: a conversion kit (orifice) has to be mounted, see 18.4.					
3) For propane	e: appliance type must be changed,	see 18.4			

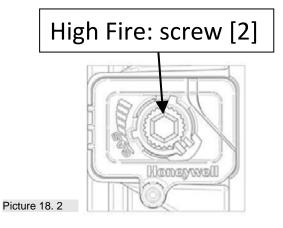
Table 18. 1

#### 18.1.2 SETTING SCREWS VENTURI- AND GAS VALVES: DRAWINGS

#### Location of the setting screws:



High Fire: venturi adjustment screw: use hex key 4 mm (5/32 Allen wrench)



Low Fire: gas valve adjustment screw: Torx T40.

Low Fire: screw	[1]	Gas pressure nipple [3]
Picture 18. 3		

# 18.2 CO<sub>2</sub> / O<sub>2</sub> Adjustment procedures

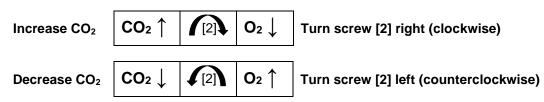
#### Procedure 1: adjust at High Fire

Carry out the next steps:

- 1. From status screen, press MENU (≡) . → "Central Heating/ Information/ Settings/ System Test"
- 2. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to select "System Test"
  - → "Test State: Off"
- Press CONFIRM to activate the system test.
   Press CONFIRM to activate the test state.

→ "Test State: Off"

- 5. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ multiple times to select "High Power" → "Test State: High Power". The boiler becomes active, after about 10 seconds, the boiler burns at high fire. If the boiler doesn't start, open screw [2] two turns extra - clockwise Note: once the test state is active, it is not necessary to press a button, selecting the desired power is sufficient. Wait a minimum of 10 seconds for the boiler to stabilize before taking combustion readings between changes and adjustments to the combustion. For your information, "Fan speed" and "Ionization" are displayed.
- 6. Measure the  $CO_2$  percentage at the flue gas test port on the vent connection.
- 7. By setting screw [2], adjust the gas valve to obtain the  $CO_2$  value of table 18.1.
- 8. To return to the status screen, and stop the boiler, press ESCAPE 🕞 or MENU 🗐 3 times, or RESET ⊄ once.



The system test automatically stops after 10 minutes, after this the system continues with normal demand handling. When the system test mode is changed during an active system test, the 10-minute timer is restarted.

#### Procedure 2: adjust at Low Fire

Carry out the next steps:

- 1. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ multiple times to select "Low Power" → "Test State: Low Power". After about 10 seconds, the boiler burns at low fire.
- 2. Measure the CO<sub>2</sub> percentage at the flue gas test port on the vent connection.
- 3. By setting screw [1], adjust the gas valve to obtain the CO<sub>2</sub> value of table 18.1.

Increase CO <sub>2</sub>	<b>CO</b> <sub>2</sub> ↑	<b>O</b> ₂ ↓	Turn screw [1] right (clockwise)
Decrease CO <sub>2</sub>	CO₂ ↓	<b>O</b> ₂ ↑	Turn screw [1] left (counterclockwise)

4. To return to the status screen, and stop the boiler, press ESCAPE Dor MENU 3 times, or RESET Conce.

The system test automatically stops after 10 minutes, after this the system continues with normal demand handling. When the system test mode is changed during an active system test, the 10-minute timer is reloaded.

Repeat procedures 1 and 2 until measured values match table 18.1 values best

### 18.3 Venturi Replacement Adjustment

A new venturi is shipped with an unknown setting. It must be adjusted before it can be used in the boiler.

- First, turn setting screw [2] on the venturi clockwise until you feel resistance. This means that the valve is open, do not try to tighten the screw any further.
- Now turn screw [2] counterclockwise 38 turns.

After this, perform adjustments according to § 18.2.

# 18.4 Conversion from natural gas to propane



Conversion of the boiler to a different gas type must be performed by a certified technician. Parameter 138 must be set correctly!

Wrong setting can lead to damage to the appliance or shorten the lifespan of the appliance! The warranty of the device will expire if a wrong selection has been made.

Use only parts/conversion kits obtained from Slant Fin and intended to be used with this particular boiler. Every conversion kit is provided with instructions how to assemble the kit to the boiler.

Required parts: (see § 5.1 Accessories)			
Propane kit for VMS Venturi hole Ø 6.2 VGH 299			
Propane kit for VMS Venturi hole Ø 6.7 VGH 399			
Propane kit for VMS Venturi hole Ø 7.2 VGH 500			

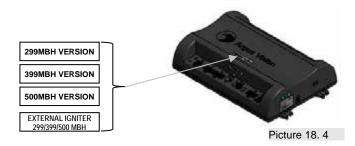
Converting the boiler to propane (LP) requires the following actions (details below).

- 1. check boiler model
- 2. check burner controller type
- 3. mount the orifice
- 4. set parameter 138
- 5. adjust the  $CO_2 / O_2$  percentage
- 6. confirmation: apply the propane sticker and mark the boxes
- 1. Check boiler model. Check if you have a 299, 399 or 500 boiler. The model number is on the data plate, on the inside of the boiler casing, top side.

#### 2. Check burner controller type.

Check which controller type is installed, see picture.

- if a model number is on the sticker on the controller, the boiler is equipped with an internal igniter.
- if a sticker "EXTERNAL IGNITER 299/399/500 MBH" is present on the controller, the boiler is equipped with an external igniter.



#### 3. Mount the orifice:

Boiler type	Orifice Inner Diameter
VGH 299 CH	6.2
VGH 399 CH	6.7
VGH 500 CH	7.2

Converting the boiler to propane is done by placing a propane orifice between gas valve and venturi. By using the correct orifice size (see table), the measured  $CO_2$  ( $O_2$ ) percentage in the flue gas will already be close to the desired value.

Table 18. 2

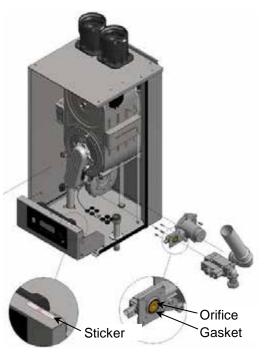
Installing the orifice (see also picture):

Required tools: wrench 55, hex key 5 mm and hex key 4 mm.

- 1. Close the external gas shutoff valve and disconnect the electrical power before opening the boiler.
- 2. Use a wrench to open the coupling in the gas line in the boiler. The three screws, with which the venturi is mounted onto the fan, can now be removed.
- 3. Venturi and gas combination valve can now be separated. The orifice is to be placed between venturi and gas combination valve. The rounded side of the orifice must be on the side of the gas combination valve.

The orifice must be mounted into the gas entrance of the venturi and secured with the rubber gasket.

- 4. Venturi and gas combination valve can now be reconnected.
- 5. Remount the gas combination valve and the venturi onto the fan. Close the union in the internal gas line.
- 6. Now open the external gas valve.
- 7. Check for gas leaks.
- 8. Reconnect the electrical power.
- 9. If in operation, check again for gas leaks on all parts that have been apart.



Picture 18. 5

#### 4. Set parameter 138

Parameter 138 has to be changed in the software of the boiler according to the following table: NB: fan speed is given to verify.

	Controller version	Boiler model	fan speed high fire	Parameter 138 for propane (LP)
	299MBH Version	VGH-299	6450	51
INTERNAL IGNITER	399MBH Version	VGH-399	6700	51
	500MBH Version	VGH-500	7600	51
EXTERNAL EXTERNAL IGNITER 299/399/50		VGH-299	6450	51
	299/399/500 MBH	VGH-399	6700	53
		VGH-500	7600	55

Table 18. 3

1. From status screen, press MENU button once.

- 2. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to select "Settings" and press ENTER 🗲 .
- 3. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to select "Boiler Settings" and press ENTER 🗲 .
- 4. Enter installer password by pressing UP/DOWN  $\uparrow\downarrow$  and LEFT  $\leftarrow$  /RIGHT $\rightarrow$  .
- 5. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to select "Boiler Parameters" and press ENTER ←
- 6. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to select parameter "(138) Appliance Type" and press ENTER ← .
- 7. Press UP/DOWN ↑↓ to change the parameter according to the table, and press ENTER ←
- 8. To return to the status screen, press ESCAPE 🕑 or MENU 🗏 4 times, or RESET 🗲 once.

	In case a CSD kit (gas pressure switch kit) is mounted (on the gas valve), adjust the right-hand pressure switch to 9.0 inch.w.c!
WARNING!	Check during start-up of the boiler no gas mixture is leaking on all parts that have been apart!

#### 5. Adjust the CO<sub>2</sub>/O<sub>2</sub> percentage

Perform  $CO_2/O_2$  adjustments according to the procedures in the installation manual; § 18.2, using the values in table § 18.1.1.

#### 6. Confirmation

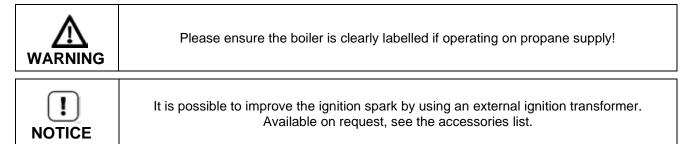
When finished:

- Apply the corresponding sticker at the appropriate position in the boiler.
- Mark the box for the used gas type.
- Mark the box, indicating that the correct value has been set for the appliance type.





Picture 18. 6



# 18.5 Start Up Checklist

**Boiler information** 

Serial number

Installation date

Number of boilers

New boiler or replacement

Cascade installation (Y/N)

Type of boilers in cascade

Model

# Installation/start-up checklist

Installer information	
Company	
Engineer name	
Address	
Postal code	
City	
State/province	
Telephone number	

(YES/NO)

Site information	
Site name	
Site contact	
(owner/end-user)	
Address	
Postal code	
City	
State/province	
Telephone number	



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Venting information		
Direct vent or using combustion air from indoor?	indoor / outdoor	
	Air inlet	Flue outlet
Diameter		
Total length		
Length horizontal		
Length vertical		
Length sloped at°		
Number elbows 90°		
Number elbows 60°		
Number elbows 45°		
Number elbows 30°		
Air intake location (e.g. roof/ wall)		
Distance vertical from roof		
Distance from (closest) wall		
Common air intake system	(YES/NO)*	
If YES => how many Air intake's are joined?		
Air intake (under)pressure (on top of boiler)		
Possibility of dust/chemicals drawn in to air intake?	(YES/NO)*	
If YES => of which kind?		
Distance from Flue outlet (top of chimney) vertical		
Distance from Flue outlet (top of chimney) horizontal		
Is there a condensate drain installe	ed to common flue system?	
Flue outle	t pressure (on top of boiler)	
Condensate Drain		

Check the level of the heat exchanger; It must have a slight angle from the rear to ensure	
that the condensate drains from the heat exchanger.	(YES/NO)
Condensate trap (from package) installed according installation manual?	(YES/NO)
Inside diameter of drain piping	mm/inch
Is there a definite air gap between the condensate trap and the connection to drainpipe?	(YES/NO)
Total drop in height from boiler to drain piping exit point	
Any additional trap points?	(YES/NO)
Perform PH test and register PH value	
Condensate neutralizer installed	(YES/NO)

Water circulation & temperature regulation (for DHW)		
Piping diameter		
Total length of straight pipe between boiler & tank		
Number of elbows		
Number of tees		
Temperature rise between inlet and outlet after 5 min. cold-start operating max. power	°C / °F	
Water temperature setpoint		
Test of Water Flow Switch (DHW)?	(Yes/No)	
Minimum required water pressure in system set to 14.5 psi (1.0 bar)?	(Yes/No)	



# \*\*Gas valve Pressure Nipple

Picture 18. 7

Gas supply				
Type of Gas from installation				
Is gas isolation valve installed under boiler according to installation manual?			(YES/NO)	
Which diameter gas isol	ation valve is installed?			
Gas piping (inside) diameter				
Gas piping material (if possib	le, specify mark/type)			
Gas piping flexible (YES/NO)			(YES/NO)	
Gas piping inside structure (e				
Measured Gas pressure @G				
Measured Gas pressure @G be turned on and running at f	as valve (dynamic - all gas appliances in the ull load)	building must		
Is there a secondary gas pres	ssure regulator before the boiler?		(YES/NO)	
If YES what is the length of the	ne Gas piping in between?			
If YES what is the Brand & M	odel?			
Combustion settings				unit:
Set for NG (Natural Gas) or L	P (Liquid Propane)?	NG or LP?		
If LP is the right gas orifice m		(YES/NO)		
diameter gas orifice for LP?				mm
CO2 level at high fire%				%
CO2 level on low fire%				%
Flue pressure @ CO2 measu	ring point at high fire			Pa
Flue pressure @ CO2 measu	iring point at low fire			Pa
If cascaded with common flue	e system; run all appliances at HIGH fire			Pa
and measure the flue pressu	re.			
	e system; run all appliances at LOW fire			Pa
and measure the flue pressu	re.			
Electronics & Power sup	ply			unit:
	rdware (see §3.2 for location)			
	mware (see §3.2 for location)			
is ground connected to building grounding system (YES/NO)				
Voltage incoming (Hot to Neutral)				V
Voltage incoming (Hot to Ground)				V
Voltage measured between Ground and Neutral Total of amperage switched by the Boiler Control is below 3.5 A or 400 W ?			V A	
		/ :		A
Additives				
Used chemical additions				
Mixing Ratio				

Table 18. 4

# 19 INSPECTION, MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE.

# 19.1 General

For a good, safe and long-time operation of the boiler and to maintain warranty it is mandatory to carry out inspection, maintenance and service on the boiler at least once a year.

	Maintenance and inspection of the boiler must be carried out in the following situations:
!	<ul> <li>When a number of similar error codes and/or lockouts appear.</li> <li>At least once every 12 months to ensure safe and efficient operation.</li> </ul>
NOTICE	Damage caused by lack of maintenance will not be covered under warranty.

#### Service intervals

The normal service frequency for the boiler is once a year. Every year the boiler must be cleaned and checked, according to the maintenance procedures. If there is doubt whether the boiler is operating with the correct water and/or combustion air quality, it is advised that a first check is already executed after six months. This check serves to determine the frequency of the future services. The maximum interval between two services is one year.



INSPECTION, MAINTENANCE AND SERVICE MUST BE EXECUTED FOR A SAFE AND EFFICIENT OPERATION OF THE BOILER.

"Caution: Label all wires prior to disconnection when servicing controls. Wiring errors can cause improper and dangerous operation. "Verify proper operation after operation servicing."

### 19.2 Safety instructions Crystalline Silica



Warning Crystalline Silica – Read instructions below carefully

#### **Refractory Insulation**

The refractory insulation of the heat exchanger (located on the rear wall inside the heat exchanger and burner door) must be inspected. If this insulation disk shows any signs of (water) damage or degradation it must be exchanged. Also check if there are any indications in the burner room of a high condensate level (caused by a blocked condensate trap) that might have wetted the rear wall insulation. When this has happened, the rear wall insulation must also be replaced.

Only use the insulation disk that is supplied by the boiler manufacturer.

The same procedure must be applied on the insulation and gaskets fitted on the burner door.

#### Refractory Ceramic Fibers (RFC)

**Personal Protective Equipment Required -** Read the following warnings and handling instructions carefully before commencing any service work in the combustion chamber. The insulating material on the inside of the burner plate and the rear combustion chamber wall contain *Refractory Ceramic Fibers* and must never be handled without personal protective equipment. When disturbed as a result of servicing, these substances become airborne and, if inhaled, may be hazardous to your health.

**Potential Carcinogen** - Use of *Refractory Ceramic Fibers* in high temperature applications (above 1805 °F) can result in the formation of Crystalline Silica (cristobalite), a respirable silica dust. Repeated airborne exposure to crystalline silica dust may result in chronic lung infections, acute respiratory illness, or death. Crystalline silica is listed as a (potential) occupational carcinogen by the following regulatory organizations: International Agency for Research on Cancer (IARC), Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS), Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA), and National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). Failure to comply with handling instructions in Table 19.1 may result in serious injury or death.

**Crystalline Silica** - Certain components in the combustion chamber may contain this potential carcinogen. Read warnings and handling instructions pertaining to Refractory Ceramic Fibers before commencing service work in the combustion chamber. Take all necessary precautions and use recommended personal protective equipment as required see Table 19.1. Installation and service must be performed by a qualified installer, service agency or the gas supplier who must read and follow the Installation, Operation, and Service Manual before performing any work on this boiler. Improper installation, adjustment, alteration, service or maintenance can cause property damage, serious injury (exposure to hazardous materials) or death.

#### AVOID Breathing Fiber Particulates and Dust Precautionary Measures:

Do not remove or replace RCF parts or attempt any service work involving RCF without following the guidelines and wearing the following personal protective equipment outlined in the table (19.1) below:

Avoid the Following	<ul> <li>Avoid Contact with the skin and eyes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Avoid breathing in the dust in the combustion chamber</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Avoid transferring the contamination from clothing and items at the job site</li> </ul>
Personal Protective	<ul> <li>Wear long-sleeved shirt and pants, gloves, and safety goggles</li> </ul>
Equipment	<ul> <li>Wear a respirator with a N95 rated filter efficiency or better.<sup>1</sup></li> </ul>
Working Environment	<ul> <li>Use water to reduce airborne dust levels when cleaning the combustion chamber</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Do not dry sweep silica dust. Pre-wet or use a vacuum with a high efficiency HEPA filter</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Take all possible steps to provide adequate ventilation in the boiler room</li> </ul>
Clean-up	<ul> <li>Remove all contaminated clothing after use. Store in sealable container until cleaned</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Wash contaminated clothing separately from other laundry and rinse washing machine after use to avoid contaminating other clothes.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Wash all exposed body areas gently with soap and water after contact.</li> </ul>
Disposal	<ul> <li>Discard used RCF components by sealing in an airtight plastic bag. RCF and crystalline silica are not classified as hazardous wastes in the United States and Canada.</li> </ul>
First aid	<ul> <li>If contact with eyes: Flush with water for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention if irritation persists</li> </ul>
	• If contact with skin: Wash affected area gently with soap and water. Seek immediate medical attention if irritation persists.
	• If breathing difficulty develops: Leave the area and move to a location with clean fresh air. Seek immediate medical attention if breathing difficulties persist.
	Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Drink plenty of water. Seek immediate medical attention

#### Notes:

Table 19. 1

1 Respirator recommendations based on OSHA and CCOHS requirements at the time this document was written. Consult your local regulatory authority regarding current requirements for respirators, personal protective equipment, handling, and disposal of RCF's.

For more information on Refractory Ceramic Fibers, the risks, recommended handling procedures and acceptable disposal practices contact the organization(s) listed below:

**United States (OSHA):** Telephone directory listing under United States Government - Department of Labor - Occupational Safety and Health Administration; or website http://www.osha.gov. **Canada (CCOHS):** Telephone directory listing under Government Blue Pages Canada - Health and Safety - Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety; or website http://www.ccohs.ca.

# 19.3 Inspection, maintenance and service.

Inspection, maintenance and service including the replacement of boiler parts must only be carried out by a licensed professional, service agency or the gas supplier. Apart from the maintenance proceedings it is required to maintain a service log for each boiler that includes all of the following information:

- Serial number
- Date and time of maintenance
- Name of maintenance engineer
- Which parts were exchanged during maintenance
- Which settings (software) were changed during maintenance
- Special remarks / findings
- Future aspects that need extra attention

- Additional aspects: measurement reports, complaints by the (end)-user, lock-out codes, etc.
- Static Gas Pressure inches W.C.
- CO2 % at high fire
- Gas Pressure at high fire
- Gas Pressure at low fire
- pH of the water or water/glycol in the system
- name of service company
- date of service

During maintenance, the following items in bold listed below of the boiler must be checked and inspected. NOTICE: Before starting to work on the boiler:

- Switch off the electrical power to the boiler (service switch and/or unplug boiler)
- Close the gas valve to block gas supply to the boiler

#### **Customer comments**

Comments and remarks from the customer must be analyzed and used to find possible causes for any occurring problems and complaints.

#### Service history

The operational and fault history (total amount and since the last service) can be viewed in the boiler control This information can be used to specify the maintenance and service proceedings in relation to the boiler (parts).

Boiler History		
Successful Ignitions	32	
Failed Ignitions	10	
Flame Failures	0	
Operation Days	0 days 🔻	Picture 19.1

#### Water leakage

The water pressure of the heating installation must be more than 21 psi (1.0 bar) and at a maximum of 45 psi (4.0 bar) in normal operation. When the water pressure drops below the minimum occasionally, there might be a water leak. Check the boiler and the complete heating installation for any water leakages and have these repaired. higher water pressures are allowed with the use of a different relief valve and a pressure switch kit

#### Flue gas & air supply

The flue gas pipes and the air supply pipes must be checked for gas tightness. Also check if the mounting of these pipes is correct, safe and not damaged. Check the top side of the boiler housing for signs of water leakage and traces of water coming from the air supply pipe, the air vent or any condensate coming from the flue gas pipes. Check to ensure the flow there are no obstructions for the exhaust venting or the intake combustion air venting. Check that all intake and exhaust venting has been properly reassemble and sealed before leaving the job site

#### Gas supply & safeties

The gas pipes must be checked for gas tightness. Also check if the mounting of these pipes is correct, safe and not damaged. Any built-in safeties must be checked for a correct functioning. Any gas pipe or fitting that have been opened or adjusted must be checked for leaks.

#### Remove complete burner unit

The complete boiler unit consists of the fan, venturi, gas valve, the burner plate and the internal burner. To make more space to dismantle the complete burner unit pull down the burner controller unit.

To remove this part for an internal heat exchanger check: remove the six M6 nuts, the ignition cable and the thermal fuse cables. Close the gas tap under the boiler and loosen the gas union by untighten the swivel joint under the gas valve. Remove the air intake pipe from the venturi.

After this, take out the complete burner unit by moving it forward out of the boiler housing. NOTICE: Watch out not to damage the burner plate insulation during this operation.

While removing the complete burner unplug both of the electrical and controlling cables of the fan. After all this dismantle the venturi on the suction side of the fan and check the blade wheel of the fan.



# Warning

#### Crystalline Silica - Read instructions of § 19.2 carefully

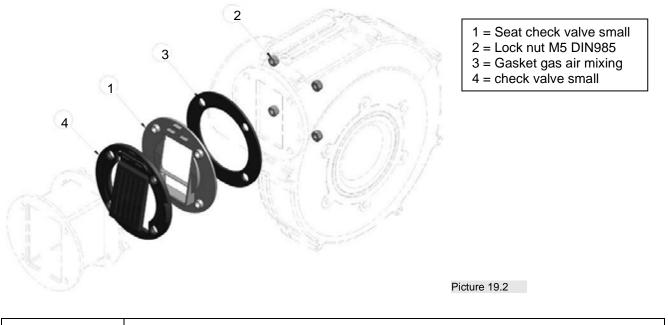
#### Checking Non-return Valve (NRV)

The non-return valve is placed directly after the fan and has to be replaced every year during maintenance. Replace the non-return valve by removing the 4 nuts that are holding the fan. All the parts included in the NRV maintenance kit must be replaced the gaskets, NRV seat, lock nuts, and non-return valve, do not reuse any of the old parts.

Reassemble the Non-return value to the burner unit be sure that the nuts are tightened again so no air/gas mixture is leaking into the cabinet. Check during startup of the boiler to ensure no gas mixture is leaking on these gaskets near the non-return value.

Replace parts 1 to 5 of the check valve once a year.

Needed tools: Wrench 55, 10 and 8 mm, Hex key 5 mm





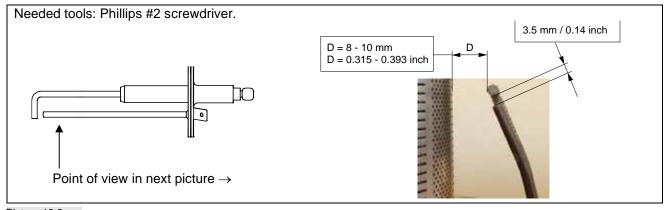
Always check gaskets on non-return valve for air/gas leakage!!

#### Burner

Check the burner surface to see if it has damages, signs of rust and/or cracks. When the burner surface is damaged the burner must be replaced. The burner can be cleaned by using a soft (non-metallic) brush. The dust can be removed with a vacuum cleaner or pressurized air.

#### Ignition / ionization electrode

When the complete burner is removed, it is very easy to check the ignition electrode. First check if the distances between the electrodes and between the electrode and the burner are according to the figure below. When these are not correct, try to bend the electrodes into the right position. Notice: the electrodes undergo high temperatures, therefore the electrodes become hard and are difficult to bend. While bending used electrodes they might break or burst. Check the electrode, after bending, for any tear/crack and signs of rust. When they are damaged in any manner or rusty, replace the electrode. Also replace the electrode when there is a crack in the ceramic insulation of the electrode. When the electrode is replaced, also the gasket must be replaced. The electrode must be cleaned annually by lightly rubbing its surface with a dollar bill. Emory cloth, sandpaper, and any other abrasive material may never be used to clean the electrode.



Picture 19.3



# Warning

# Crystalline Silica – Read instructions of § 19.2 carefully

#### Burner door thermostat

Needed tool: Wrench 16 mm. This thermostat is activated if the temperature of the burner door has been too high. In this case, it has to be replaced (spare part).

Replacement:

- Disconnect the wiring and remove the thermostat.
- Tighten the burner door's thermostat with a torque of 2 Nm.
- Reconnect the wiring.



#### Burner door gaskets

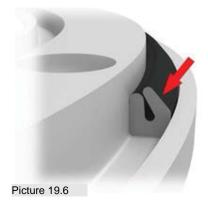
If any part of a gasket has discolored, changed texture, or hardened then, the rubber has cured and/or has damages, these gaskets must be replaced. Notice: only use the gaskets that are supplied by the boiler manufacturer.

Burner door gasket replacement:



Picture 19.5

- Remove the old gasket
- Place a new gasket in its groove.
- Respect the mounting direction.



#### Fiber braid replacement

If the high temp braided rope is damaged and needs to be changed, it has to be replaced by new braids using the method described below.

The high temp braided rope is maintained by silicone glue.

- Remove electrodes.
- Remove the braids by sliding under the periphery a thin tool to loosen the braids and remove it.
- Remove and clean the residues of the braids and silicone glue.



Picture 19.5



- Put a thin string of glue silicone temperatureresistant in the seal housing. (Loctite 5366 or Ottoseal S17)

- Engage the high temp braided rope and place it in contact of the glue and press the braids.
- Reinstall electrodes





#### Warning

#### Crystalline Silica – Read instructions of § 19.2 carefully

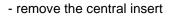
Rear wall insulation disk; changing procedure:

- If the insulation disk has been degraded or damaged, it has to be replaced.
- be sure the heat exchanger is cooled down, wait a few hours after burning. In this way, the protective film is not sticking anymore on the rear side of this insulation disk.
- make the insulation wet, by spraying water over it. This in order to keep airborne dust to a minimum.

Picture 19.8

- with a knife, cut a cross in the insulation disk, avoiding the central insert (on the back, not visible)

- make a square cut around the central insert
- remove the segments



The new disc has the clip on the back.

- do NOT remove the film on the new disc
- with the central insert on the back, place the new insulation disk by pushing it to the rear of the wall. A "click" means the fitting is ok.

Replacement of burner door insulation.

- Removal of the insulation:
- remove electrode
- remove the defective insulation by sliding under the periphery of the insulation a thin tool to loosen the insulation and remove it.



Picture 19.12

- remove and clean the residues of the insulation and silicone glue

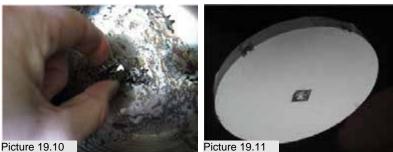
Install the new insulation:

- put two dots of glue silicone, temperature-resistant (Loctite 5366 or Ottoseal S17), according to the location indicated.
- make sure that the burner is in proper condition, remove any possible insulation residues on the burner
- put a plastic protection skirt around the burner to protect the insulation from the burner.
- engage the insulation carefully and place it in contact with the two dots of silicone glue
- remove the plastic protection skirt
- check the condition of the electrode, if necessary replace it
- reinstall electrodes- mount the burner door correctly back onto the heat exchanger, taking in account the correct torque values, see § 19.3.1









### Fan

When the fan blades are polluted and dirty, carefully clean the blades with a soft brush. Notice: do not use too much force on the blades or else the fan might be out of balance and run irregularly, causing noises and fan failures. Check the fan also for any water damages. In doubt always replace the fan of the boiler.

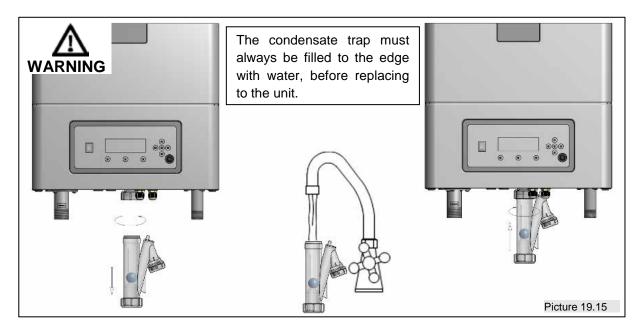
#### Condensate trap

Disassemble the condensate trap and clean every part of it. Check the condensate trap connection of the heat exchanger for any blocking or pollution and clean it (if necessary). Check the functioning of the condensate trap by pouring clean tap water in the boiler combustion chamber (when burner door is removed). This water will exit the heat exchanger by the condensate trap. Notice: don't wet the rear wall insulation.



When mounting the bottom part of the condensate trap, before commissioning the boiler and/or after maintenance, the condensate trap must **ALWAYS** be <u>completely</u> filled with water.

# This is a safety measure: the water in the condensate trap keeps the flue gases from leaking out of the heat exchanger via the condensate drain.



#### Heat exchanger and boiler combustion chamber

After the removal of the complete burner unit check if there is any debris and dirt in the heat exchanger. The coils of the heat exchanger can be cleaned by using a **non-metallic** brush. After this the dirt and dust can be removed with a vacuum cleaner and by flushing the boiler combustion chamber with water. Never expose the refractory insulation in the back of the combustion chamber to water or get it wet. Don't forget afterwards to clean the condensate trap once again.

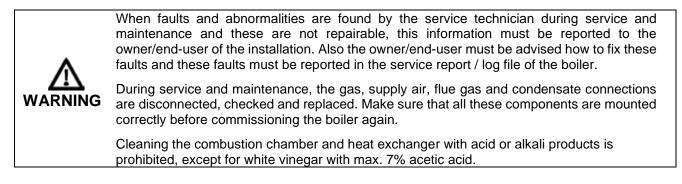
Do not use acid or alkali products for cleaning, except for white vinegar with max. 7% acetic acid. Always rinse with fresh water afterwards, while keeping the insulation dry.

#### Gas/air ratio

With every service check and/or maintenance of the boiler always check the gas/air ratio by measuring the CO<sub>2</sub> percentage (flue gas) at the maximum and minimum load of the boiler. If necessary, adjust these values. See for information chapter "Adjusting and setting the boiler" chapter 18.

#### Circulator (supplied separated from the boiler)

Check the electrical parts and the motor of the circulator for a correct functioning. The circulator must generate a sufficient water flow over the (heat exchanger of) the boiler. When the circulator produces noise, is operational for more than five years or has signs of water leakage it is recommended to replace the circulator as a precaution.



#### 19.3.1 MOUNTING THE BURNER DOOR

#### IMPORTANT:

Before mounting the burner door, make sure that its gaskets and insulation are in excellent shape. If any signs of damage or ageing are present, these parts must be replaced.

The burner door must be mounted back on the heat exchanger as follows:

- Place the burner door with its holes over the six threaded studs.

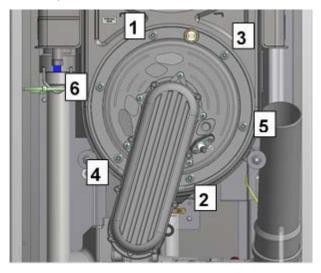
Careful! When handling too rough or misplacing the holes over the threaded studs, the burner door insulation and/or gaskets can be damaged.

Ensure that the door is well positioned with respect to the threaded studs, before pushing it onto the exchanger.

- Keep the burner door firmly in place by pushing the gas/air premix manifold with one hand at the middle at point A.
- Hand tighten the flange nuts with the other hand as far as possible onto the threaded studs.

Now the burner door is in place and the nuts can be tightened with a torque wrench.

Tighten the nuts in the order given in the picture. The specified torque value for tightening the burner door flange nuts is **70.8 inch lbs (8 Nm).** 



Tighten in given order.

# torque = 70.8 inch lbs (8 Nm)

Picture 19.16

### 19.4 Maintenance Checklist



Allowing the boiler to operate with a dirty combustion chamber will affect operation. Failure to clean the heat exchanger as required by the manual and dictated by the operating location could result in boiler failure, property damage, personal injury, or death. Such product failures ARE NOT covered under warranty.

Periodic maintenance must be performed once a year by a qualified service technician to assure that all the equipment is operating safely and efficiently. The owner must make necessary arrangements with a qualified heating contractor for periodic maintenance of the heater. The technician must also inform the owner that the lack of proper care and maintenance of the boiler may result in a hazardous condition.

#### **Maintenance Table**

piping leak Tak boile Vent Che Che obst	eck system and boiler piping for any sign of kage. e off boiler cover and inspect connections in er for any leaks or corrosion eck condition of all vent pipe and joints eck to ensure vent termination not blocked or tructed	1 <sup>st</sup> Year	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year	3 <sup>rd</sup> Year	4 <sup>th</sup> Year
piping leak Take boile Vent Che Che obst	kage. e off boiler cover and inspect connections in er for any leaks or corrosion eck condition of all vent pipe and joints eck to ensure vent termination not blocked or				
Che obsi	eck to ensure vent termination not blocked or				
Gas					
Rec	eck gas piping, test for leaks and signs of aging. cord gas pressure and note pressure drop upon t-up. Record CO2 at high and low fire				
	visual inspection of all system components and fy programmed temperature settings				
Connections Che tight	eck wire connections and make sure they are t				
chamber Clea touc main	eck burner tube and combustion chamber coils. an with nylon brush and vacuum. Avoid ching white ceramic fiber. Also see ntenance section of manual				
prop	ure spacing of igniter prongs are aligned perly.				
	blace non-return valve every year. And be sure not leaking gas after reassembling.				
trap bloc	connect condensate hose and trap. Ensure no ckage, rinse and clean out. Fill completely again a fresh water and re-install				
Relief Valve Che	eck to make sure it is not weeping				
and Fan mak	en to sound of the circulator and fan. If either kes noise during operation, it is recommended eplace the part.				
cut-off pres	eck the LWC is not leaking and check for right ssure value by draining the water from the er and comparing the value with a calibrated er.				
have	estion homeowner before maintenance if they e any issues and after done, confirm activities performed during maintenance visit				
	eck the chemical additives and add or renew if mixing ratio is out of spec.				
Mixing Ratio					

Table 19. 2

# 20 USER INSTRUCTIONS

After installing and commissioning of the boiler, the installer is obliged to do the following:

- Demonstrate the operation of the entire heating system to the end-user;
- Make the user familiar with all safety precautions of the boiler and the installation
- Instruct the user that service and maintenance of the boiler is required at least once every twelve months Regular service and maintenance are essential for a safe and proper operation of the boiler.
- Hand over the user manual and all other documents supplied with the boiler to the end-user.

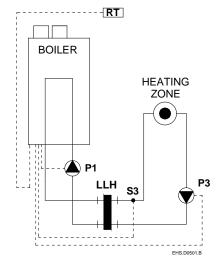
# 21 INSTALLATION EXAMPLES

The following schematics present several examples of heating installations:



All schematics are purely functional. Safety components, bypass, control devices and so on must be added conform all applicable standards and regulations.

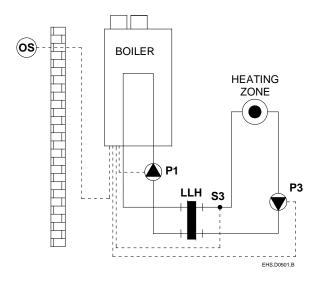
### System Example 1



Low Voltage Connections				
	Name	Wire terminal		
RT	Room thermostat	12-13		
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4		
LLH	Low loss header			
	High Voltage Connections			
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7		
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5		

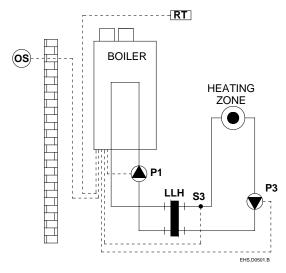
Figure 21-1

### System Example 2



Low Voltage Connections			
	Name	Wire terminal	
OS	Outdoor temperature sensor	1-2	
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4	
LLH	Low loss header		
High Voltage Connections			
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7	
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5	

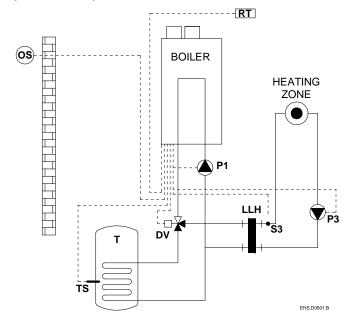
### System Example 3



Low Voltage Connections			
	Name	Wire terminal	
RT	Room thermostat	12-13	
OS	Outdoor temperature sensor	1-2	
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4	
LLH	Low loss header		
High Voltage Connections			
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7	
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5	

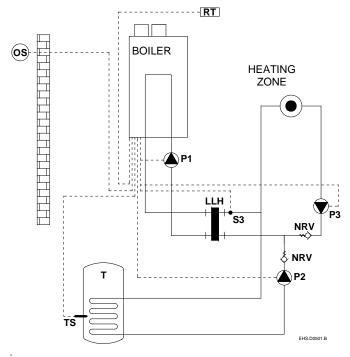
Figure 21-3

# System Example 4



Low Voltage Connections				
	Name	Wire terminal		
RT	Room thermostat	12-13		
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4		
OS	Outdoor temperature sensor	1-2		
TS	DHW Tank thermostat or sensor	5-6		
LLH	Low loss header			
Т	DHW indirect Tank			
High Vol	High Voltage Connections			
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7		
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5		
DV	Diverter valve (3-way-valve)	1-2-3-PE		

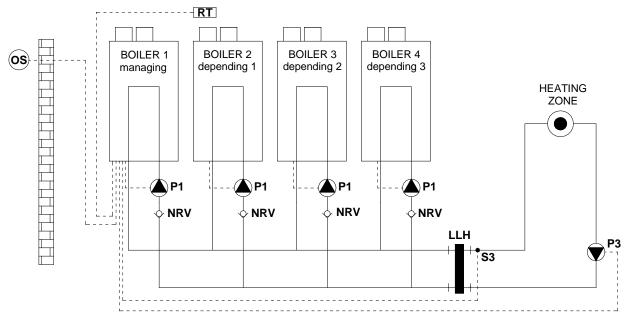
#### System Example 5



Low Voltage Connections			
	Name	Wire terminal	
RT	Room thermostat	12-13	
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4	
OS	Outdoor temperature sensor	1-2	
TS	DHW Tank thermostat or sensor	5-6	
LLH	Low loss header		
т	DHW indirect Tank		
NRV	Non-return valve (low resistance type)		
High Vo	Itage Connections		
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7	
P2	DHW primary circulator	2-3-PE	
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5	

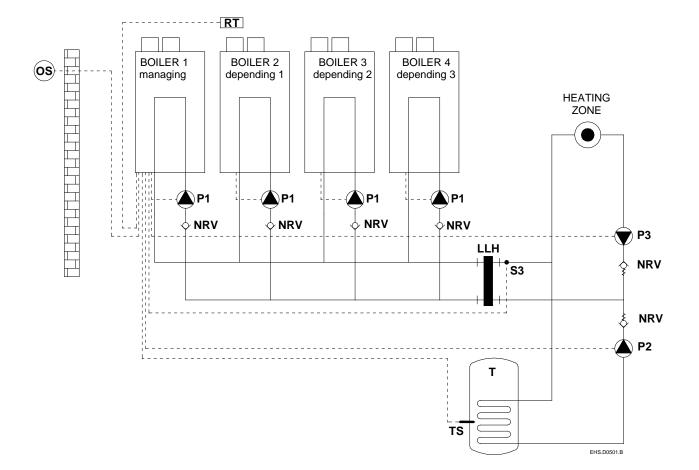


#### System Example 6



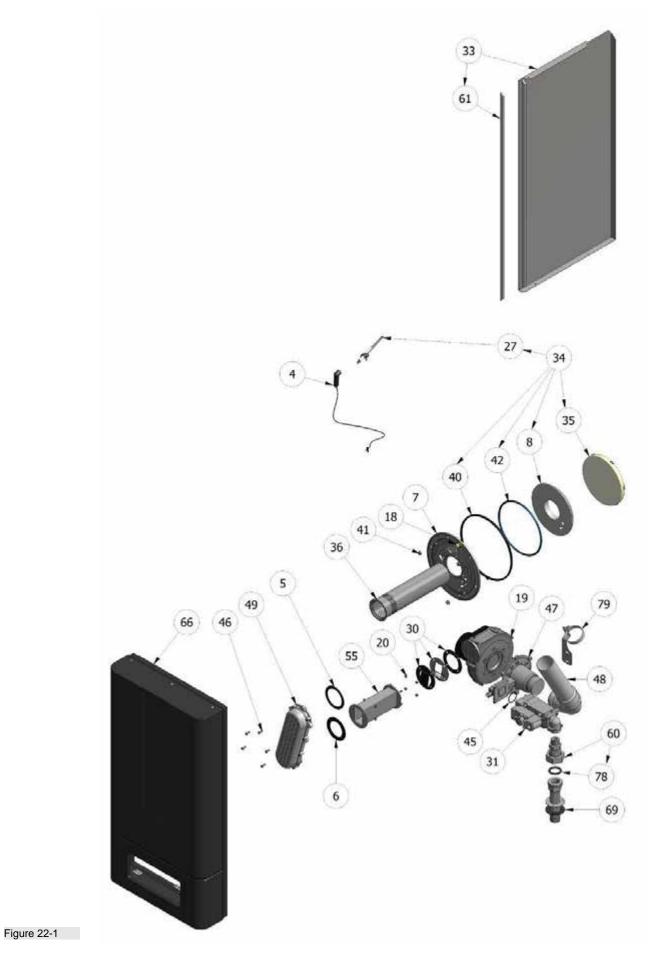
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Low Voltage Connections				
	Name	Wire terminal		
RT	Room thermostat	12-13		
OS	Outdoor temperature sensor	1-2		
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4		
NRV	Non-return valve (low resistance type)			
LLH	Low loss header			
High Voltag	High Voltage Connections			
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7		
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5		



Low Voltage Connections						
	Name	Wire terminal				
RT	Room thermostat	12-13				
OS	Outdoor temperature sensor	1-2				
S3	System temperature sensor	3-4				
TS	DHW Tank thermostat or sensor	5-6				
Т	DHW indirect Tank					
NRV	Non-return valve (low resistance type)					
LLH	Low loss header					
High Voltage Connections						
P1	Boiler circulator	6-PE-7				
P2	DHW primary circulator	2-3-PE				
P3	System heating circulator	4-PE-5				

#### SPARE PARTS.



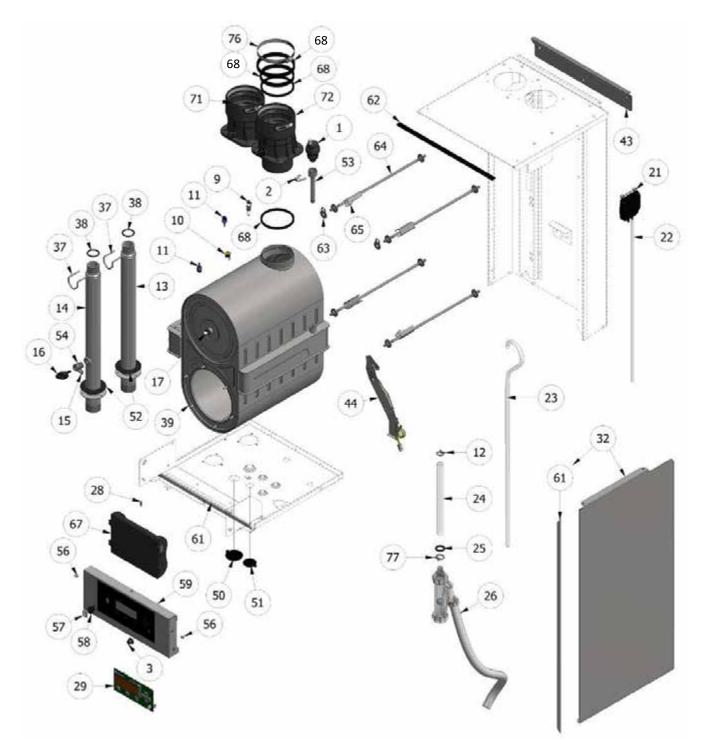


Figure 22-2

		Slant/Fin			
POS.	DESCRIPTION	Part Number	VGH 299	VGH 399	VGH 500
1	Automatic air vent with clip connection	81 7001 000	X	X	X
2	Locking clip air vent	81 7002 000	Х	X	X
3	Rubber plug ø 15	81 7003 000	Х	X	X
4	Ignition cable	81 7004 000	X	X	X
5	Gasket Burner & gas/air inlet pipe	81 7005 000	X	X	X
6	Gasket gas/air inlet pipe & fan 58 mm	81 7006 000	Х	X	X
7	Burner door right sided ignition (metal sheet burner)	81 7007 000	X	X	X
8	Burner door isolation right sided ignition hole Ø 70.5	81 7008 000	X	X	X
9	Sensor LWCO	81 7009 000	X	X	X
10	Temperature switch 90° C	81 7010 000	X	X	X
11	NTC sensor 1/8" SS	81 7011 000	X	X	X
12	Hose clamp Ø 20.62 (DW13)	81 7012 000	X	X	X
13	Return pipe VGH 299 & VGH 399 1½" (NPT)	81 7013 000	X	X	NA
14	Flow pipe VGH 299 & VGH 399 1½" (NPT)	81 7014 000	X	X	NA
13	Return pipe VGH 500 1½" (NPT)	81 7015 000	NA	NA	X
14	Flow pipe VGH 500 1½" (NPT)	81 7016 000	NA	NA	X
15	Clip for WPS 10 bar	81 7017 000	X	X	X
16	Water pressure sensor 10 bar CH	81 7017 000	X	X	X
17	NTC flue gas sensor $\frac{1}{4}$ " 10 KOHM = R25 B=3977K t2		X	X	X
18	Burner door thermostat 260 °C M5	81 7019 000	X	X	X
10	Radial Blower RG148/300W (120VAC)	81 7020 000	X	X	X
20		81 7021 000	X	X	X
	Set nuts M5 self-locking (4 pcs) DIN985 elvz		X	X	X
21 22	Air pressure switch DL 2 ET with S-clip (US)	81 7023 000	X	X	X
	Hose pressure switch	81 7024 000			
23	Hose air vent	81 7025 000	X X	X X	X X
24	PVC hose Ø 21 x Ø 15	81 7026 000			
25	Gasket siphon / bottom plate Ø30xØ21x3	81 7027 000	X	X	X
26	Condensate drain assembly I=800	81 7028 000	X	X	X
27	Electrode set Commercial Boiler	81 7029 000	X	X	X
28	Box 10 pcs Fuse 5 AT	81 7030 000	Х	Х	X
29	Pixel Button Display	81 7031 000	X	X	X
30	Seat check valve	81 7032 000	Х	Х	NA
31	Modulating Gas Valve	81 7033 000	Х	X	X
32	Side panel right	81 7034 000	Х	Х	X
33	Side panel left	81 7035 000	Х	Х	X
34	Universal maintenance kit CB	81 7036 000	X	X	X
35	Rear wall insulation 16 mm	81 7037 000	Х	X	X
36	Burner VGH 299 I=210	81 7038 000	Х	NA	NA
36	Burner VGH 399 I=296	81 7039 000	NA	X	NA
36	Burner VGH 500 I=359	04 70 44 555	NA	NA	X
37	Spring coupling Ø 4-39.2	81 7041 000	Х	X	NA
37	Spring coupling Ø 4-46	81 7042 000	NA	NA	X
38	O-ring Ø 33.50x4	81 7043 000	Х	X	NA
38	O-ring Ø 40x4	81 7044 000	NA	NA	X
39	Heat Exchanger D20 CB VGH 299	81 7045 000	Х	NA	NA
39	Heat Exchanger D20 CB VGH 399	81 7046 000	NA	X	NA
39	Heat Exchanger D20 CB VGH 500	81 7047 000	NA	NA	X
40	Gasket burner door - heat exchanger	81 7048 000	Х	Х	Х
41	Set nuts with flange M6 (10 pcs)	81 7049 000	Х	Х	Х
42	Gasket-cord burner door	81 7050 000	Х	Х	Х
43	Wall bracket	81 7051 000	Х	Х	Х

		Slant/Fin			
POS.	DESCRIPTION	Part Number	VGH 299	VGH 399	VGH 500
44	Rear wall thermostat 100-180 (16 mm rear wall)	81 7052 000	X	X	X
45	O-ring 33.4x2	81 7053 000	X	X	X
46	Set round head screw M5x14 self-thread-cutting	81 7054 000	X	X	X
-10	(5 pcs)	017004000	X	~	~
47	Set. Venturi VMS L	81 7055 000	Х	NA	NA
47	Venturi VMS N	81 7056 000	NA	X	NA
47	Set. Venturi VMS P	81 7057 000	NA	NA	X
48	Silencer with restriction ring Ø36	81 7058 000	X	NA	NA
48	Silencer with restriction ring Ø44	81 7059 000	NA	X	NA
48	Silencer without restriction ring	81 7060 000	NA	NA	X
49	Gas-air mixing pipe	81 7061 000	X	X	X
50	Push-in cable blanking plug SR6275 item	81 7062 000	X	X	X
	551851				
51	Push-in cable blanking plug SR6275 item	81 7063 000	Х	Х	Х
	551850				
52	Gasket flow/return pipe 11/2"	81 7064 000	Х	Х	Х
53	Extension pipe air vent	81 7065 000	Х	Х	Х
54	Nipple for RPS D15	81 7066 000	Х	Х	Х
55	Offset piece VGH 299	81 7067 000	Х	NA	NA
55	Offset piece VGH 399	81 7068 000	NA	Х	NA
55	Offset piece VGH 500	81 7069 000	NA	NA	Х
56	Spring plunger 8 mm	81 7070 000	Х	Х	Х
57	Dustcover ON/OFF switch	81 7071 000	Х	Х	Х
58	Main switch	81 7072 000	Х	Х	Х
59	Electronics holder	81 7073 000	Х	Х	Х
60	Gas pipe VGH 299 & VGH 399	81 7074 000	Х	Х	NA
60	Gas pipe VGH 500	81 7075 000	NA	NA	Х
61	Silicone seal 13x5 self-adhesive L=838mm	81 7076 000	Х	Х	Х
62	Front seal 15x5 short	81 7077 000	Х	Х	Х
63	Special washer heat exchanger	81 7078 000	Х	Х	Х
64	Anchoring bar VGH 299	81 7079 000	Х	NA	NA
64	Anchoring bar VGH 399	81 7080 000	NA	Х	NA
64	Anchoring bar VGH 500	81 7081 000	NA	NA	Х
65	Bracket heat exchanger	81 7082 000	Х	Х	Х
66	Front panel Commercial Boiler	81 7083 000	Х	Х	Х
67	Burner control CH (US) VGH 299	81 7084 000	Х	NA	NA
67	Burner control CH (US) VGH 399	81 7085 000	NA	Х	NA
67	Burner control CH (US) VGH 500	81 7086 000	NA	NA	Х
67	Burner control External Ignition	81 7144 000	Х	Х	Х
68	Set Seal EPDM 100-4" Adapter	81 7142 000	Х	Х	NA
68	Set Seal EPDM 100-6" Adapter	81 7143 000	NA	NA	Х
69	Gasket gas pipe 1"	81 7089 000	Х	Х	Х
70	Harness HV/LV	81 7090 000	Х	Х	Х
71	Boiler air connector PP 100-100-4"	81 7091 000	Х	Х	NA
71	Boiler air connector PP 150-150-6"	81 7092 000	NA	NA	Х
72	Boiler connector PP 100-100-4"	81 7093 000	Х	Х	NA
72	Boiler connector PP 150-150-6"	81 7094 000	NA	NA	Х
73	Measuring Cap M20x2 RAL-9011	81 7095 000	Х	Х	Х
76	Clamp Galv. 4"	81 7100 000	Х	Х	NA
76	Clamp Galv. 6"	81 7101 000	NA	NA	Х
77	Threaded spring clamp Ø23.83 (DW15)	81 7102 000	Х	Х	Х
78	Gasket Ø44xØ32x3	81 7103 000	Х	Х	Х
79	Silencer bracket	81 7104 000	Х	Х	Х

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