

# INSTALLATION, OPERATION, AND MAINTENANCE MANUAL

400-1000 MBH Hot Water Boiler Indoor/Outdoor



WARNING: If the information in these instructions is not followed exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or death.

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.

| Boiler Model:       | Serial Number: |
|---------------------|----------------|
| Installation Date:  | System Type:   |
| Heating Contractor: | Phone/Email:   |
| Address:            |                |



| <b>Boiler Models</b> |            |  |  |  |  |
|----------------------|------------|--|--|--|--|
| BFIT 400             |            |  |  |  |  |
|                      | BFIT 500   |  |  |  |  |
|                      | BFIT 650   |  |  |  |  |
|                      | BFIT 800   |  |  |  |  |
|                      | BFIT 1000L |  |  |  |  |

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#### I. Hazard Definitions

The following terms are used throughout this manual to bring attention to the presence of hazards of various risk levels, or to important information concerning product life.

It is critical all personnel read and adhere to all information contained in DANGER, WARNING, and CAUTIONS. All DANGERS, WARNINGS, and CAUTIONS are for reference and guidance purpose, and, therefore, do not substitute for strict adherence to applicable jurisdictional and professional codes and regulations.

# 🚹 DANGER

Indicates an imminent hazardous situation which, if not avoided, will result in death, serious injury or substantial property damage.

# A WARNING

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, could result in death, serious injury, or substantial property damage.

# **A** CAUTION

Indicates a potentially hazardous situation which, if not avoided, may result in moderate or minor injury, or property damage.

# NOTICE

Indicates special instructions on installation, operation, or maintenance which are important but not related to personal injury hazards.

## II. Read Before Proceeding

#### A. Local Codes

- 1. This unit shall be installed in accordance with those installation regulations enforced in the area where the installation is to be made. These regulations shall be carefully followed in all cases. Authorities having jurisdiction shall be consulted prior to installation.
- 2. This unit must be installed and serviced by a licensed electrician or certified gas supplier.
- 3. The City of New York requires a Licensed Master Plumber to supervise the installation of this product.
- 4. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts requires this product to be installed by a Licensed Plumber or Gas Fitter.

#### B. Warranty

- 1. This product has a limited warranty, a copy of which is shipped with the unit. It is the responsibility of the installing contractor to ensure all controls are correctly installed and are operating properly.
- 2. Factory warranty does not apply to units improperly installed or improperly operated.

- 3. Heat exchanger failure due to lime (scale) buildup in the heat exchanger is not covered under the manufacturer's warranty.
- It is the responsibility of the customer to ensure water quality adheres to the requirements in Table 20.

#### C. Shipment Damage

- 1. Upon receiving the unit, inspect for signs of shipping damages. If the unit has been hit or otherwise mishandled, immediately notify the carrier.
- 2. Verify total number of factory supplied items as per the packing slip with received parts.

#### D. Connecting Gas Supply Line

- 1. Connect supply gas line to the appliance gas train at the rear of the appliance.
- 2. Failure to prevent the gas line from turning could damage the gas train components on the appliance (gas valve, blower, etc.).

## E. Appliance Operation

- 1. This appliance MUST NOT be installed in any location where gasoline or flammable vapors are likely to be present or, in an environment that contains corrosive contaminants (see Table 4).
- Do not block or restrict in any way the flow of combustion or ventilation air from or to the appliance
- 3. Do not use this appliance if any part has been under water. Any appliance that has been under water must be replaced. Water damage to the unit can be extensive and present numerous safety hazards.

#### F. Gas Leakage (If you detect or smell gas...)

- 1. Do not try to light any appliance.
- 2. Do not touch any electrical switch; do not use any phone in the building.
- 3. Immediately call your gas supplier from a neighbor's phone. Follow the gas supplier's instruction.
- 4. If you cannot reach your gas supplier, call the fire department.

#### G. Maintenance

- 1. To avoid electrical shock, ensure all electrical connections are disconnected before attempting installation or service of electrical components or connections.
- 2. Lockout all electrical boxes with padlock once power is turned off.
- 3. To prevent severe burns, allow the appliance to cool before performing maintenance.

## H. Product Identification Label

- 1. A nameplate, in accordance with the ASME code Section IV, is permanently attached to the heat exchanger.
- 2. To access the nameplate, remove front jacket panel from the appliance.

## I. Factory Test and Inspections

- Prior to shipment, final air-fuel adjustments are performed by factory trained service personnel on each appliance. The factory emissions report is posted on the back of the front jacket panel as a reference for troubleshooting and maintenance.
- 2. In addition, the following tests and inspections are performed to ensure the appliance meets our highest safety and performance standards:
  - Operating test
  - Construction inspection
  - Electrical components inspection
  - Crating inspection.

## J. Disclaimers and Local Codes

- 1. Installation must conform to the requirements of the authority having jurisdiction. In the absence of such requirements, installation must conform to the National Fuel Gas Code, NFPA 54/ANSI Z223.1, and/or CSA B149.1 Natural Gas and Propane Code. 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.
- 2. Installation, start-up, and maintenance of this equipment can be hazardous and requires trained, qualified installers and service personnel. Do not install, operate, service or repair any components of this equipment unless you are qualified and fully understand all requirements and procedures.
- 3. This instruction manual is an integral part of the product and must be retained by the person in charge of the appliance operation, service, and maintenance.

# **A** WARNING

This product can expose you to chemicals, including chromium, which are known to the state of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information go to: www. P65Warnings.ca.gov.

Should overheating occur or the gas supply fail to shut off, turn off the manual gas control valve to the appliance.

# III. Product Rating, Specifications, and Dimensional Data

BFIT boilers are condensing, high-efficiency, gas-fired, hot water boilers designed for space heating systems or indirect domestic water heating, where supply water temperature does not exceed 190°F. These boilers have special coil type stainless steel heat exchangers, constructed, tested, and stamped per Section IV of the ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, which provide maximum heat transfer and simultaneous protection against flue gas product corrosion. These boilers are not designed for use in gravity hot water space heating systems or systems containing significant amount of dissolved oxygen (swimming pool water heating, direct domestic water heating, etc.).

## Table 1: BFIT Boiler Ratings

|              | BFIT Co |             | CERTIFIED®<br>www.ahridirectory.org |                       |                          |  |
|--------------|---------|-------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|--|
| BFIT         | Input ( | Input (MBH) |                                     | Thermal<br>Efficiency | Combustion<br>Efficiency |  |
| Boiler Model | Min.    | Max.        | Output<br>(MBH)                     | (%)                   | (%)                      |  |
| 400          | 40      | 400         | 388                                 | 97                    | 97                       |  |
| 500          | 50      | 500         | 485                                 | 97                    | 97                       |  |
| 650          | 65      | 650         | 631                                 | 97                    | 97                       |  |
| 800          | 80      | 800         | 776                                 | 97                    | 97                       |  |
| 1000L        | 100     | 1000        | 970                                 | 97                    | 97                       |  |
|              |         |             |                                     |                       |                          |  |

<sup>1</sup> Ratings shown are for installations at sea level and elevations up to 2000 ft. at minimum vent length. For high altitude installations above 2000 ft. consult factory.

# Table 2: BFIT Boiler Specifications

| Specification                                       | BFIT Models              |                |          |          |          |
|---|--------------------------|----------------|----------|----------|----------|
| opecification                                       | 400                      | 500            | 650      | 800      | 1000L    |
| Fuel  | NG or LP                 | NG or LP       | NG or LP | NG or LP | NG or LP |
| Max. Water Temp. (°F) <sup>1</sup>                  | 210                      | 210            | 210      | 210      | 210      |
| Max. Working Pres. (psi)                            | 160                      | 160            | 160      | 160      | 160      |
| Safety Relief Valve Options (psi)                   | 30, 50, 60, 75, 100, 125 |                |          |          |          |
| Water Vol. (gal)                                    | 3.8                      | 4.3            | 5.6      | 6.6      | 8.1      |
| Heat Transfer Area (sq. ft.)                        | 34.8                     | 39.1           | 52.2     | 60.9     | 75.4     |
| Approx. Shipping Weight (lb)                        | 460                      | 470            | 530      | 560      | 600      |
| <sup>1</sup> Appliance will go into hard lockout it | temperature e            | exceeds 200 °F |          |          |          |

## Table 3: Appliance Connection Sizes

| Dimensions (in )         |     | BFIT Model |     |     |       |
|--------------------------|-----|------------|-----|-----|-------|
| Dimensions (in.)         | 400 | 500        | 650 | 800 | 1000L |
| Gas Inlet                | 3/4 | 3/4        | 1   | 1   | 1     |
| Water Outlet Pipe (FNPT) | 2   | 2          | 2   | 2   | 2     |
| Water Inlet Pipe (MNPT)  | 2   | 2          | 2   | 2   | 2     |
| Air Intake               | 4   | 4          | 6   | 6   | 6     |
| Vent Outlet              | 4   | 4          | 6   | 6   | 6     |
| Condensate Drain (PVC)   | 1   | 1          | 1   | 1   | 1     |
| Drain Line (FNPT)        | 3/4 | 3/4        | 3/4 | 3/4 | 3/4   |
| Electrical Conduit Holes | 7/8 | 7/8        | 7/8 | 7/8 | 7/8   |

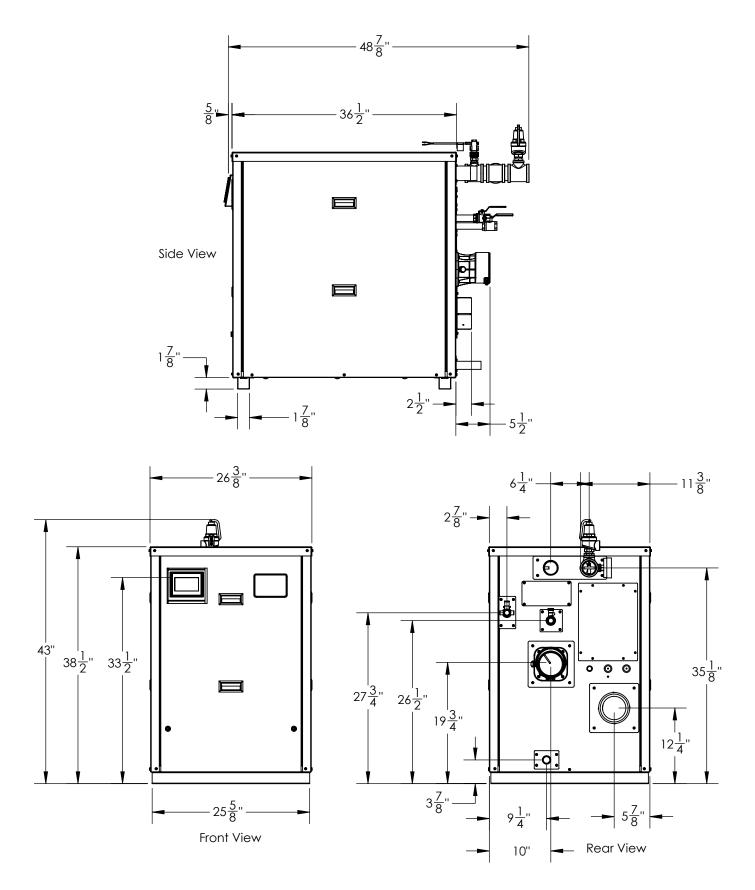
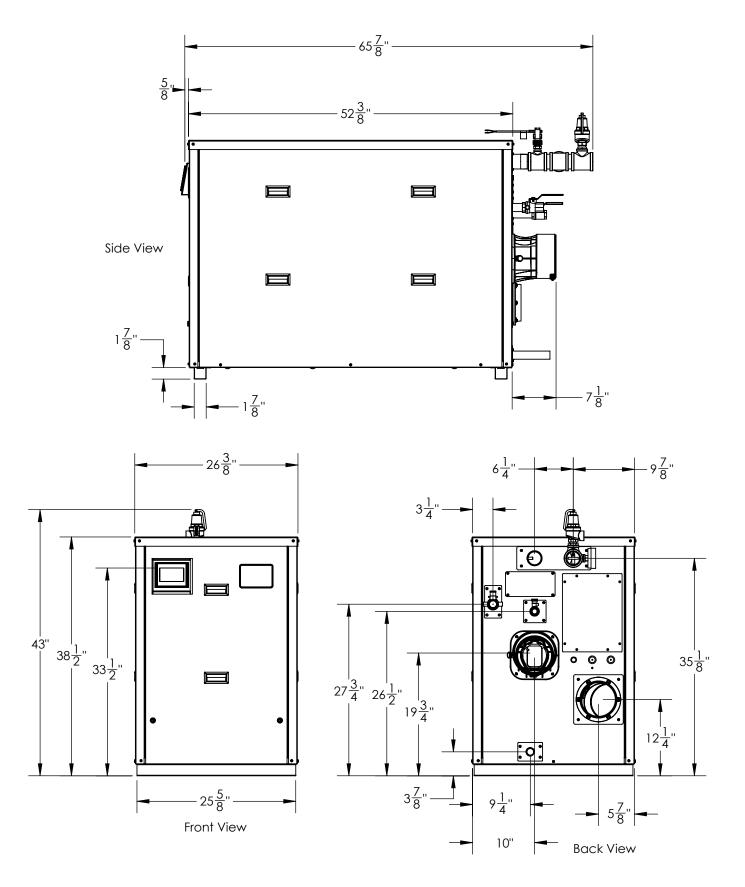
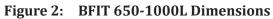


Figure 1: BFIT 400-500 Dimensions





## IV. Unpacking The BFIT

#### A. Unpacking and Inspection

- 1. Move appliance to approximate installation location.
- 2. Remove all crate fasteners.
- 3. Lift and remove outside container.
- 4. Account for all loose shipped items.
- 5. The appliance can be moved to its permanent location via a fork lift, pallet jack, or dolly.
- 6. The appliance can be lifted from the base using a fork lift inserted from the side.

#### **B.** Check Equipment

- 1. Upon receiving the equipment, check for signs of shipment damage.
- 2. Pay particular attention to parts accompanying the appliance which may show signs of being hit or otherwise mishandled.
- 3. Verify total number of pieces shown on packing slip with those actually received. In case there is damage or a shortage, immediately notify the carrier.
- 4. Verify model size and whether the appliance is supplied with indoor or outdoor trim. See Figure 3.
  - a. Outdoor trim has one louvered side panel, front panel wth a display cover, and a cover for the rear intake.
- 5. Some parts are shipped loosely with the appliance. These parts are required to be installed on the appliance before operation.
  - a. Loose shipping parts include: Manual gas shutoff valve, relief valve, temperature and pressure gage, and outlet water piping as shown in Figure 15.

#### C. Installation and Operation Manual

 The instruction manual enclosed with the unit is an integral part of the product and must be retained by the person in charge of the appliance. Please read the instructions contained in this manual carefully as they provide important information regarding the safe installation, use and servicing of this appliance.

# **A** WARNING

Failure to assure the truck forks are long enough to extend at least half way through the base will result in the appliance tipping off the lift truck and potentially falling. This will result in severe personal injury, death, or substantial property damage.

Do not operate this appliance if any part has been underwater. The possible damage to a flooded appliance can be extensive and present numerous safety hazards. Any appliance that has been underwater must be replaced.

# NOTICE

Do not drop, bump, or lean an object against the appliance. This could damaging the heat exchanger or other critical components.

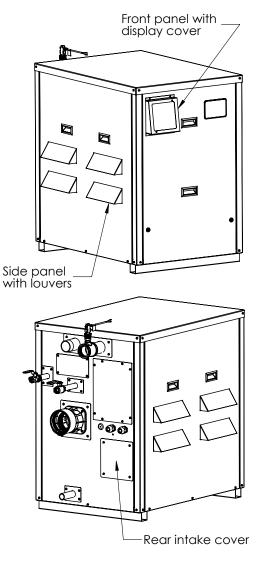


Figure 3: LBFIT with Outdoor Trim

## V. BFIT Water Heater Component Identification

#### Communication Interface (Concert<sup>™</sup> Control) Digital User interface for operational control of the appliance.

#### 2. Main appliance control

Receives and processes input signals from safety switches and sensors to control the appliance.

#### 3. Front control box

Slide out control box designed to allow easy access to the main controls for service.

# 4. Rear control box

Houses Field connection PCBs.

#### 5. ON/OFF switch

Initiates or interrupts the power to the burner.

#### 6. Main gas valve

Combination air/fuel ratio and automatic safety shutoff gas valve.

#### 7. Gas and Air Mixer/Venturi

High Turn-down venturi that mixes air and gas before entering the blower.

#### 8. Blower

Modulating blower supplying combustion air to the appliance.

#### 9. Bluejet<sup>R</sup> Burner

The high efficiency, low NOx Bluejet<sup>R</sup> Burner is mounted on the burner door.

#### 10. Ignition electrode

Provides electrical spark for direct ignition of the main burner.

#### 11. High gas pressure switch

Monitors supply gas pressure and shuts off the electrical control circuit when pressure rises above the setpoint (see Table 28).

#### 12. Low gas pressure switch

Monitors supply gas pressure and shuts off the electrical control circuit in the event a low gas pressure condition occurs (see Table 28).

#### 13. Outlet/Supply

2" Female NPT connection for hot water supply.

#### 14. Water flow switch

Paddle activated switch that monitors water flow. See Table 19 for minimum and maximum water flow rates.

#### 15. Gas supply connection

Connection to appliance gas train. See Table 28 for model specific pipe sizes.

#### 16. Inlet/Return

2" Male NPT inlet water connection to the appliance.

#### 17. Hot/outlet water temperature sensor

Dual element temperature sensor for high limit control.

#### 18. Cold/Inlet water temperature sensor

Used for monitoring the inlet water temperature and temperature rise across the appliance.

#### 19. Low water cut off (LWCO)

The LWCO safeguards the heat exchanger from inadequate water level. The LWCO has a manual reset button.

#### 20. Temperature and pressure gauge

Provides real time outlet water temperature and pressure readings.

#### 21. Pressure relief valve

Protects the heat exchanger from over pressure conditions. Various pressure settings are available.

#### 22. Condensate drain trap

Drains condensate from the heat exchanger while preventing flue gases from escaping through the drain line.

#### 23. Minimum combustion air proving switch

Ensures adequate combustion air is supplied to the combustion chamber for ignition.

#### 24. Blocked vent switch

Interrupts the control circuit if there is a blockage in the venting system.

#### 25. Combustion air filter box

Houses the washable combustion air filter.

#### 26. Heat Exchanger

H stamped, 316L Stainless Steel, Condensing, water tube type heat exchanger.

#### 27. Heat Exchanger Drain

3/4" NPT ball valve is provided for draining the heat exchanger.

#### 28. Exhaust Vent Connection

Polypropylene adapter for connection to stainless steel, Polypropylene, or CPVC venting systems. Refer to Table 6 for model specific vent connection sizes.

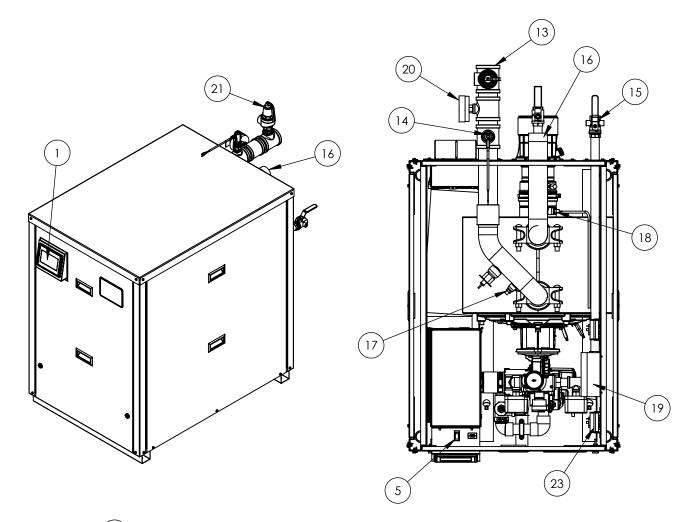
#### 29. Condensate Drain Connection

1" PVC pipe for condensate drain.

#### **30.** Combustion Air Intake Connection

4" female PVC slip provided for 400-500 models.

6" aluminum ring provided for 650-1000 models.



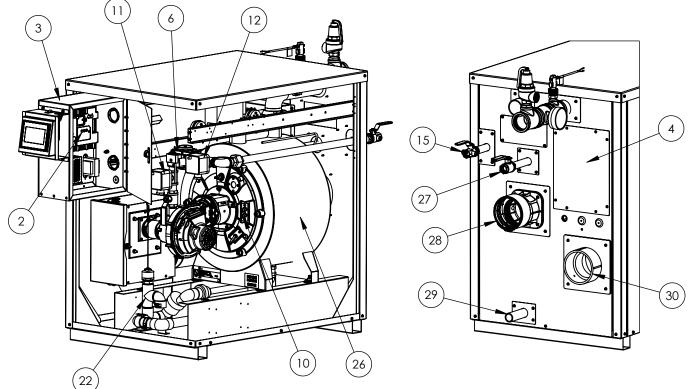


Figure 4: Component Identification

## VI. Pre-Installation and Mounting

#### A. General

- 1. Installation must conform to the requirements of the authority having jurisdiction or, in the absence of such requirements, to the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, and/or Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code, CAN/CSA B149.1. 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.
- 2. Provide clearance between appliance jacket panels and combustible material in accordance with local fire ordinance. Refer to Table 5 for recommended service clearances. Recommended service clearances may be reduced but should not be less than the clearance to combustibles.
- 3. Protect gas ignition system components from water (dripping, spraying, rain, etc.) during operation and service (circulator replacement, condensate trap, control replacement, etc.).
- Provide combustion and ventilation air in accordance with applicable provisions of local building codes, or: USA - National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, Air for Combustion and Ventilation; Canada - Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code, CAN/CSA-B149.1, Venting Systems and Air Supply for Appliances.
- 5. The appliance should be located so as to minimize the length of the vent system. Ensure air intake pipe termination is away from areas that may contaminate the combustion air (see Table 4). In particular, avoid areas near chemical products containing chlorines, chlorofluorocarbons, paint removers, cleaning solvents, and detergents. Avoid areas containing saw dust, loose insulation fibers, dry wall dust etc.
- 6. This appliance must not be installed in a room under negative pressure. An equipment room under negative pressure conditions could deplete the combustion air supply to the appliance and cause leakage of flue gas from the venting system.

# \Lambda WARNING

Apply dielectric grease to the gasket inside the vent connector. Failure to apply the grease could result in flue gas leaks during vent pipe installation or gasket deterioration due to condensate exposure.

Adequate combustion and ventilation air must be provided to assure proper combustion. Install combustion air intake using the methods in this manual.

Installation of this appliance should be undertaken only by trained and skilled personnel from a qualified service agency. Follow these instructions exactly. Improper installation, adjustment, service, or maintenance can cause property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

Do not change or modify any accessories or parts or jump-out any safety limit devices.

# NOTICE

Due to the low water content of the appliance, mis-sizing with regard to the heating or hot water system load will result in excessive cycling and accelerated component failure.

Bryan Steam DOES NOT warrant failures caused by mis-sized appliance applications. DO NOT oversize the appliance to the system. Multiple unit installations greatly reduce the likelihood of oversizing.

Avoid operating this appliance in an environment where sawdust, loose insulation fibers, dry wall dust, etc. are present. If operated under these conditions, the burner interior and ports must be cleaned and inspected daily to insure proper operation.

Ensure all labels on the product are fully visible at all times for the purpose of maintenance and inspections.

| Contaminants to Avoid:  |       |  |  |  |  |
|---|-------|--|--|--|--|
| Spray cans containing chlorofluorocarbons (CFC's)   |       |  |  |  |  |
| 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   |       |  |  |  |  |
| Anti-static fabric softeners used in clothes de   | ryers |  |  |  |  |
| Chlorine-type bleaches, detergents, and clease solvents found in household laundry rooms. | aning |  |  |  |  |
| Adhesives used to fasten building products a other similar products                       | and   |  |  |  |  |
| Excessive dust and dirt   |       |  |  |  |  |
| Areas likely to have contaminants:  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Dry cleaning/laundry areas and establishme  | nts   |  |  |  |  |
| Swimming pools  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Metal fabrication plants  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Beauty shops  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Refrigeration repair shops  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Photo processing plants   |       |  |  |  |  |
| Auto body shops   |       |  |  |  |  |
| Plastic manufacturing plants  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Furniture refinishing areas and establishmer  | nts   |  |  |  |  |
| New building construction   |       |  |  |  |  |
| Remodeling areas  |       |  |  |  |  |
| Garages with workshops  |       |  |  |  |  |

#### Table 4: Corrosive Combustion Air Contaminants

#### **B.** Appliance Mounting

- 1. The BFIT is intended for installation in an area with a floor drain, or in a suitable drain pan to prevent any leaks or safety relief valve discharge resulting in property damage.
- 2. This appliance is not intended to support external piping or venting. All external piping and venting must be supported independently of the appliance.
- 3. This appliance must be installed on a level surface to prevent condensate from backing up inside the heat exchanger.
- 4. Provide adequate space for condensate piping, condensate pump, or neutralizer kit.

- 5. A housekeeping/service pad is required when the floor is not level or in areas where water could accumulate around the appliance. The floor or pad must be able to support the weight of the appliance, water, and all additional system components.
  - a. A 4 in. service pad or condensate sump is required for proper disposal of the condensate. Installing the appliance directly on the floor will require a condensate sump.
  - b. This appliance is approved for installation on combustible flooring. Acceptable flooring includes a level metal or wooden base capable of holding the weight of the appliance, water, and aditional components. The base shall extend beyond the edges of the appliance by at least 3 inches (76.2 mm) in any direction. Never install directly on carpeted flooring.
  - c. For closet or alcove installation, the base shall cover the entire floor.
- 6. Secure the appliance to its location using the 5/8" anchoring holes on the feet of the base

## C. Outdoor Installation

- 1. The outdoor trim of the BFIT appliance is intended for installation only in warm climates.
- 2. Install on a level permanent platform that keeps the appliance free from standing water.
- 3. Three sides around the appliance must be open. The louvered side of the appliance must be clear of obstructions.
- 4. When installing under an overhang, conform to local codes.

# **A** CAUTION

For installation and operation only in climates where the ambient temperature will not be less than 32 °F (0 °C). Do not install in climates where condensate can freeze.

Appliance must be protected from standing water. Install on a level platform.

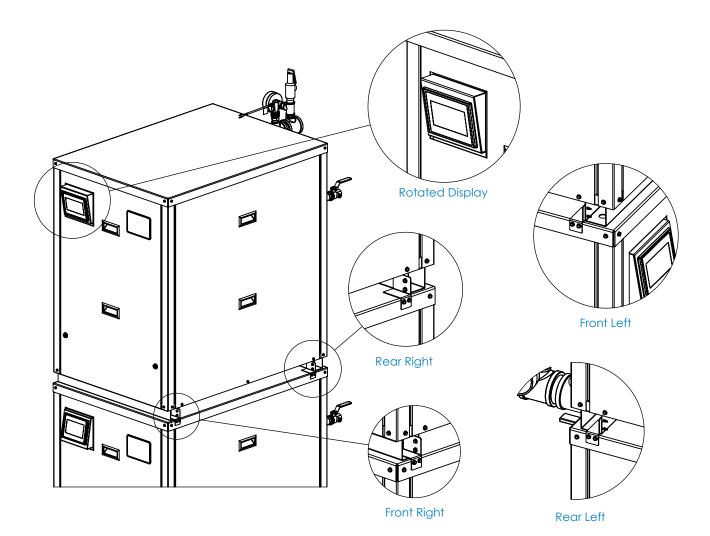
Do not install this appliance under an overhang less than 3 feet from its top. The area under the overhang must be open on 3 sides.

## VI. Pre-Installation and Mounting (continued)

#### D. BFIT 400-1000L Stacking

- 1. The BFIT 400-1000L models may be installed in a stacked configuation.
  - a. One 400 or 500 model can be mounted on the top of another 400 or 500 model.
  - b. One 650, 800, or 1000L model can be mounted on the top of another 650, 800, or 1000L model.
- 2. The stacking bracket kit (PN: 111405-01) is sold separately. The kit includes 4 brackets and 16 self drilling screws.
  - a. Follow all previous instructions for mounting the bottom appliance.
  - b. Use the included screws to secure the brackets as shown in Figure 5.

- 3. Outdoor BFIT models cannot be stacked.
- 4. The display bracket on the top appliance can be rotated for a better viewing angle of the Concert display.
  - a. Remove the front panel and disconnect the wire harnesses going to the display and the On/Off switch.
  - b. Remove the 4 nuts holding the display bracket.
  - c. Unscrews the clamps holding the display onto the display bracket to rotate the display 180°.
  - d. Reinstall the display, reinstall the display bracket (Concert logo right side up), and connect the wire harnesses.



#### Figure 5: BFIT 400-1000L Stacking Brackets and Dislplay Rotation

## VI. Pre-Installation and Mounting (continued)

#### E. Clearances

- 1. The BFIT is approved for 0" clearance to combustible materials. The clearances for serviceability are found in Table 5.
- Minimum clearances from combustible or noncombustible construction, 0" sides, 0" back, 0" top.
- 3. It is the installers responsibility to provide enough clearance for servicing the appliance in the installed location.

#### F. Clearances (French)

- Dégagements minimaux à assurer entre les parois de l'appareil et les constructions combustibles ou incombustibles : 0 po (côtés), 0 po (arrière) et 0 po (dessus).
- 2. Installation dans une garde-robe : assurer un dégagement de 24 po devant l'appareil.

#### G. Closet and Alcove Installation

- 1. Include ventilation air openings in closet installations.
- 2. Provide a 1" minimum clearance around water pipes.
- 3. Follow vent material manufacturer for vent clearances.
- 4. Clearances for closet or alcove Installation:
  - Front 24"
  - Sides 24"
  - Rear 22"
  - Тор 20"

| Minimum<br>Clearance  | Front<br>(In.) | Rear<br>(In.) | Right<br>(In.) | Left<br>(In.) | Top<br>(ln.) |
|---|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|--------------|
| Serviceability<br>(Indoor<br>Installation)  | 24             | 24            | 0*             | 0*            | 0            |
| Serviceability<br>(Outdoor<br>Installation)   | 24             | 36            | 0*             | 0*            | 0**          |
| To<br>Combustible<br>Construction   | 0              | 0             | 0              | 0             | 0            |
| * Leave 24" clearance on at least one side.<br>** When installing under an overhang, conform to<br>local codes. |                |               |                |               |              |

#### Table 5:BFIT 400-1000L Clearances

# NOTICE

This appliance is approved for zero inch clearance to combustible or noncombustible material, but installing the appliance with smaller than the clearances for serviceability will limit access for maintenance.

Consult local codes and inspectors before installing multiple appliances adjacent to each other with zero clearance.

Closet and alcove installation can cause elevated temperatures. Follow the required clearances and use only stainless steel, CPVC, or polypropylene vent material.

Do not install directly on carpeted flooring.

#### H. Side by Side and 0" Clearance Installation

1. When installing multiple appliances side by side, never place one appliance inbetween two others with zero clearance on both sides. Intall in couples with at least 24 inches inbetween

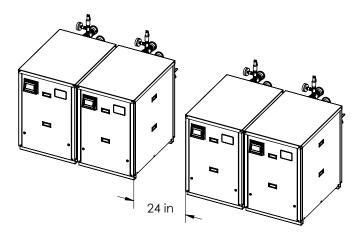


Figure 6: Side by Side installation

# VII. Venting

#### A. General Venting Guidelines

- Install vent system in accordance with National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 or Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code, CAN/CSA B149.1 Installation Code for Canada, or, applicable provisions of local building codes.
- 2. The BFIT is certified as a direct vent appliance but can also be used with indoor air for combustion.
  - a. Venting kits are available for outdoor installation.
- 3. Vent/combustion system materials that are approved for use with the BFIT appliances are listed in Table 9. Venting manufacturers not listed in this manual may be acceptable. It is the responsibility of the installer or vent supplier to use compatible adapters and materials.
- a. It is recommended to consult with venting professionals and designers when determining the vent system for this appliance.
- 4. Enclose vent passing through occupied or unoccupied spaces above the appliance with material having a fire resistance rating at least equal to the rating of adjoining floor or ceiling.
- 5. For flue gas venting, have horizontal runs sloping upwards not less than ¼ inch per foot (21 mm/m) from the boiler to the vent terminal.
- 6. This appliance operates under conditions that permit condensation in the heat exchanger and the flue gas venting. This appliance shall be installed so as to prevent accumulation of condensate, and where necessary, have means provided for drainage of condensate.
- If possible, slope horizontal combustion air pipe minimum 1/4 in/ft (21 mm/m) downward towards terminal. If not, slope towards the appliance.
- 8. It is recommended that a Carbon Monoxide detector be installed and interlocked to the appliance. Consult your local jurisdiction for additional requirements.

## **B. Venting Design Requirements**

At the discretion of the installing contractor, the venting system can be designed by consulting with approved venting engineers or by using the equivalent length method in this manual.

## 1. Engineered Venting Method

Using the operating characteristics and required conditions, an individual or common venting system can be designed to ensure the reliability of the appliance(s).

# **A** WARNING

This appliance must not be installed in a room under negative pressure. These direct vent gas fired appliances are allowed a maximum leakage of 2% from the venting/combustion chamber and 8% from the air inlet portion when pressurized to operating conditions in a neutral pressure room. An equipment room under negative pressure could deplete the combustion air supply to the appliance and cause leakage of flue gas from the venting system.

Exhaust fans installed in equipment rooms can create negative pressure conditions strong enough to cause nuisance shutdowns of the appliance.

Failure to install the appliance in accordance with this manual can cause property damage, personal injury, or loss of life.

# NOTICE

Common venting with other manufacturers' appliances or different Bryan Steam models is prohibited.

It is the Responsibility of the installing contractor or venting designers to comply with national and local codes and follow best industry practices for installing vent support, drainage, and pitch.

Do not exceed maximum vent/combustion air system length.

- a. Flue gas temperatures and flow rates can be found in Table 12.
- b. The combustion  $CO_2$  and  $O_2$  ranges are shown in Table 30.
- c. The pressure at the flue outlet of the appliance at any given firing rate must be within the range of negative 0.25" W.C. to positive 0.5" W.C.
- d. The pressure at the intake of the appliance at any given firing rate must be within the range of 0.0" WC to positive 0.1" WC.
- e. Manifolded venting without backflow prevention can allow flue gas from one appliance to interact with the other appliances in the system. Common venting systems must be designed with backflow protection.
- 2. Equivalent length method: Do not exceed maximum vent/combustion air lengths listed in Table 6. Equivalent lengths of fittings are given in Table 7.

#### C. Field Installation

- 1. A factory installed 4" PVC slip or 6" cast aluminum collar provides a means for air intake connection.
- 2. A factory installed Polypropylene vent adapter provides a means for vent connection.
- 3. Vent and combustion air intake pipe must be supported to allow uniform flow of combustion air and flue gas.
- 4. Plan venting system to avoid possible contact with plumbing or electrical wires. Start at the vent connector and work towards the vent termination.
- Design the air intake system to allow 3/8" (9.5mm) of thermal expansion per 10 ft. (3m) of CPVC/ PVC pipe. Runs of 20 ft. (6.1m) or longer that are restrained at both ends must have an offset.
  - a. PVC/CPVC combustion air and vent pipe joints must be cleaned with primer and glued with cement. Follow all manufacturer instructions and drawings when preparing pipe ends for joining and using the primer and the cement.
- 6. Size and cut wall opening such that a minimal clearance is obtained and to allow easy insertion of vent pipe.

|  | <b>Combustion Air Length</b> |                        |                        | Vent Length           |                        |                        |
|--|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| BFIT<br>Model  | Pipe Dia.<br>in. (mm)        | Minimum<br>eq. ft. (m) | Maximum<br>eq. ft. (m) | Pipe Dia.<br>in. (mm) | Minimum<br>eq. ft. (m) | Maximum<br>eq. ft. (m) |
| 400  | 4 (100)                      | 0                      | 100 (30)               | 4 (100)               | 5 (1.5)                | 100 (30)               |
| 500  | 4 (100)                      | 0                      | 100 (30)               | 4 (100)               | 5 (1.5)                | 100 (30)               |
| 650  | 6 (150)                      | 0                      | 100 (30)               | 6 (150)               | 5 (1.5)                | 100 (30)               |
| 800  | 6 (150)                      | 0                      | 100 (30)               | 6 (150)               | 5 (1.5)                | 100 (30)               |
| 1000L  | 6 (150)                      | 0                      | 100 (30)               | 6 (150)               | 5 (1.5)                | 100 (30)               |
| 1000L       6 (150)       0       100 (30)       6 (150)       5 (1.5)       100 (30)         NOTE:       Contact factory for assistance on maximum vent length applications.         This table applies to all listed vent/combustion air system options. |                              |                        |                        |                       |                        |                        |

#### Table 6: Vent and Combustion Air Pipe Diameters and Maximum Lengths

| Table 7: | Equivalent lengths of Vent and Combustion Air Components |
|----------|--|
|----------|--|

| Diameter  | 4 in. (100 mm) | 6 in. (150 mm) |
|-----------|----------------|----------------|
| 90° Elbow | 5 ft. (1.5 m)  | 8 ft. (2.4 m)  |
| 45° Elbow | 2 ft. (0.6 m)  | 3 ft. (1 m)    |

| Table 8: | Vent and Combustion Air Equivalent Length Calculation Worksheet |
|----------|---|
|----------|---|

|               |                                   | Сс | ombustion                | Air |                            |     |                                   |   | Vent                     |   |                            |     |
|---------------|-----------------------------------|----|--------------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----|-----------------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|----------------------------|-----|
| Component     | Equivalent<br>Length Per<br>Piece | х  | Quantity                 | =   | Subtot<br>Equival<br>Lengt | ent | Equivalent<br>Length<br>Per Piece | x | Quantity                 | = | Subtot<br>Equival<br>Lengt | ent |
| Straight Pipe |                                   | х  |                          | =   |                            | А   |                                   | х |                          | = |                            | D   |
| 90° Elbow     |                                   | х  |                          | =   |                            | В   |                                   | х |                          | = |                            | Е   |
| 45° Elbow     |                                   | х  |                          | =   |                            | С   |                                   | х |                          | = |                            | F   |
|               |                                   |    | n Air Total<br>nt Length | =   |                            |     | Equiv                             |   | Vent Total<br>Int Length | = |                            |     |

Notes:

1. Total equivalent length cannot exceed maximum equivalent length shown in Table 6.

2. Combustion air and vent terminations do not count towards total equivalent length.

| Make  | Stainless Steel Brand | Polypropylene Brand |  |  |  |
|---|-----------------------|---------------------|--|--|--|
| DuraVent  | FasNSeal              | PolyPro             |  |  |  |
| Heat Fab  | Saf-T Vent EZ Seal*   | -                   |  |  |  |
| Z-Flex (Nova Flex Group)  | Z-Vent                | Z-DENS              |  |  |  |
| Centrotherm - InnoFlue SW Rigid   |                       |                     |  |  |  |
| Note: Included appliance connection is a 3-in-1 adapter that permits Stainless Steel, Polypropylene, or CPVC.<br>Adapting to Z-DENS requires 4" increaser 2ZDI44 or 6" adapter 2ZDCPVCG6.<br>Adapting to InnoFlue requires 4" adapter ISAAL0404 or 6" adapter ISAAL0606 |                       |                     |  |  |  |

# Table 9: Approved Vent Manufacturers and Materials

# Table 10: Stainless Steel Vent Terminations

| BFIT Model   | Vent<br>Diameter (in.) | Style     | Heat Fab Part #<br>Saf-T Vent | DuraVent Part #<br>FasNSeal |
|--------------|------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
|              |                        | Тее       | 9490TEE                       | FSTT4                       |
| 400          | 4                      | 90° Elbow | 9414TERM                      | -                           |
| 500          | 4                      | Straight  | 9492                          | -                           |
|              |                        | 23° Elbow | -                             | FSBS4                       |
|              |                        | Tee       | 9690TEE                       | FSTT6                       |
| 650          | 6                      | 90° Elbow | 9614TERM                      | -                           |
| 800<br>1000L | 0                      | Straight  | 9692                          | -                           |
|              |                        | 23° Elbow | -                             | FSBS6                       |

## Table 11: Polypropylene Vent Terminations

| BFIT Model | Vent<br>Diameter (in.) | Style    | DuraVent Part #<br>PolyPro | Centrotherm Part #<br>InnoFlue | Z-Flex Part #<br>Z-DENS |
|------------|------------------------|----------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
|            |                        | Tee      | 4PPS-TTBL                  | ISTT0420                       | 2ZDTT4                  |
| 400        | 4                      | Elbow    | 4PPS-E90BC                 | -                              | 2ZDE487UV               |
| 500        |                        | Straight | 4PPS-12BC                  | ISEP04                         | 2ZDES4                  |
|            |                        | Screen   | 4PPS-BG                    | IASPP04                        | 2ZDES4                  |
|            |                        | Tee      | 6PPS-TTBC                  | ISTT0620                       | 2ZDTT6                  |
| 650<br>800 | 6                      | Elbow    | 6PPS-E90BC                 | -                              | 2ZDE687                 |
| 1000L      |                        | Straight | 6PPS-12BC                  | -                              | 2ZDES6                  |
|            |                        | Screen   | 6PPS-BG                    | IASPP06                        | 2ZDES6                  |

## Table 12: Combustion Air and Flue Gas Flow Rates

|               | At Maximun                                      | n Input Rate                                       | At Minimum Input Rate                           |  |  |
|---------------|---|--|---|--|--|
| BFIT<br>Model | Flue Gas Flow, ACFM @<br>35% Excess Air, 180 °F | Combustion Air, SCFM<br>@ 35% Excess Air,<br>60 °F | Flue Gas Flow, ACFM @<br>35% Excess Air, 180 °F | Combustion Air, SCFM<br>@ 35% Excess Air,<br>60 °F |  |
| 400           | 113   | 92   | 11  | 9  |  |
| 500           | 141   | 115  | 14  | 11   |  |
| 650           | 183   | 149  | 18  | 15   |  |
| 800           | 226   | 184  | 23  | 18   |  |
| 1000L         | 282   | 212  | 28  | 23   |  |
|               | Note: Flo                                       | w rates are based on the co                        | mbustion of natural gas.                        |  |  |

NOTICE

Use of cellular core PVC (ASTM F891), cellular core CPVC, or Radel® (polyphenylsulfone) in non-metallic venting systems is prohibited.

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

#### D. Room Air for Combustion

- 1. If using room air for combustion (intake), install the included screen to the intake opening of the appliance.
  - a. Sizes 400-500: The included circular rodent screen can be pushed into the 4 in. PVC slip on the rear panel.
  - b. Sizes 650-1000: Remove the 6 screws holding the 6 in. aluminum collar and gasket to the rear panel. Use the same screws to install the included mesh screen covering the intake opening.

#### E. PVC Venting

- When venting with PVC material, the CPVC vent kit must be connected to the vent adapter of the appliance. PVC can be installed downstream all the CPVC vent kit material. The CPVC vent kit includes a 30 in. long Sch. 40 pipe and a 90° Sch. 80 elbow.
  - a. 4 in. CPVC vent kit, sizes 400-500: 111569-01
  - b. 6 in. CPVC vent kit, sizes 650-1000: 111569-02
- 2. Apply supplied dielectric grease to gasket inside vent connector. The grease will prevent gasket rupture when inserting vent pipe and gasket deterioration due to condensate exposure.
- The 30 in. long CPVC straight pipe may be cut to accommodate desired vent configuration provided both pieces are used in conjunction with the CPVC 90° Elbow before any PVC components are used. Ensure that the CPVC 90° Elbow is the first elbow used in the vent system as it exits the boiler.

#### F. Venting for Outdoor Installation

- 1. The outdoor BFIT ships from the factory with an outdoor venting kit. Kits use DuraVent FasNSeal stainless steel vent pieces.
  - a. 4" outdoor vent kit: 110644-01
  - b. 6" outdoor vent kit: 110645-01
- 2. The louvered side panel on outdoor models is used as the combustion air intake for the appliance.
  - a. Keep louvered panel clear from obstructions. This panel can be placed on either side of the appliance.
- 3. Condensate from the drain cap should be routed with the condensate drain from the appliance.

# NOTICE

Use all CPVC vent kit components for near-boiler vent piping before transitioning to Schedule 40 PVC pipe (ASTM 2665) components for remainder of vent system.

Do not exceed maximum vent/combustion air system length.

It is the Responsibility of the installing contractor or venting designers to comply with national and local codes and follow best industry practices for installing vent support, drainage, and pitch.

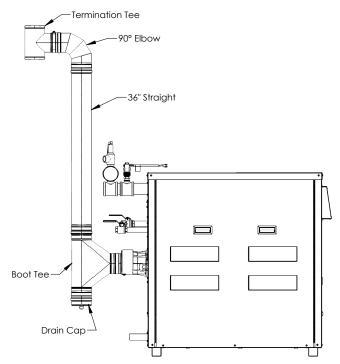


Figure 7: Outdoor Venting Installation

# NOTICE

The outdoor vent system requires field installed support. Do not rely on the vent adapter of the appliance to hold the vent material

The outdoor vent kit may be shipped separately from the appliance.

#### G. General Termination

- 1. Use only listed vent/combustion air terminals.
- 2. Follow the termination configurations shown in Table 13, and see Table 16 for acceptable termination components.
- 3. Maintain correct clearance and orientation between vent and combustion air terminals.
  - a. The required spacing between vent and combustion air terminals is to prevent flue gas recirculation. Recirculation of flue gas products into the combustion air supply can cause damage to property or the appliance.
- b. When installed on the same wall, locate vent terminal 4 vent pipe diameters above the combustion air terminal. The snorkle configuration can be used when penetrations are at the same hieght.
- 4. Locate bottom of vent and combustion air terminals at least 12 in. (300 mm) [18 in. (460 mm) in Canada] above the normal snow line and at least 12 in. (300 mm) above grade level.
- 5. Do not install vent terminal directly above windows or doors.
- Locate bottom of vent terminal at least 3 ft. (900 mm) above any forced air inlet located within 10 ft. (3.0 m).

| Vent & Intake<br>Materials   | Vent<br>Option                   |                 | Penetration<br>Through Structure          | Termination         | Parts Table | Reference<br>Figure    |
|--|----------------------------------|-----------------|---|---------------------|-------------|------------------------|
|  | 4                                | Intake          | Horizontal Sidewall                       | 90° elbow           |             |                        |
|  | 1                                | Vent            | /ent Horizontal Sidewall Tee or 45° elbow |                     |             | Figure 9               |
| Two Pipe<br>Stainless Steel vent,                                    | 2                                | Intake          | Horizontal Sidewall                       | 90° elbow           | Table 10    |                        |
| Galvanized Steel or<br>PVC intake                                    | 2                                | Vent            | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or straight     |             | -                      |
| F VC IIItake   | 3                                | Intake          | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or 2 90° elbows |             | Figure 10              |
|  | 3                                | Vent            | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or straight     |             | Figure 11              |
|  | 4                                | Intake          | Horizontal Sidewall                       | 90° elbow           | Table 11    |                        |
|  | 4                                | 4 Vent Horizo   | Horizontal Sidewall                       | Tee or 45° elbow    |             | Figure 9               |
| Two Pipe<br>Polypropylene vent,<br>Galvanized Steel or<br>PVC intake | 5                                | Intake          | Horizontal Sidewall                       | 90° elbow           |             |                        |
|  |                                  | Vent            | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or straight     |             | _                      |
| r vo intake  | 6                                | Intake          | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or 2 90° elbows |             | Figure 10<br>Figure 11 |
|  |                                  | Vent            | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or straight     |             |                        |
|  | 7                                | Intake          | Horizontal Sidewall                       | 90° elbow           |             | Figure 0               |
| Two Dine   | 1                                | Vent            | Horizontal Sidewall                       | Tee or 45° elbow    |             | Figure 9               |
| Two Pipe<br>CPVC vent,   | 8                                | Intake          | Horizontal Sidewall                       | 90° elbow           |             |                        |
| Galvanized Steel or<br>PVC intake                                    | 0                                | Vent            | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or straight     | -           | -                      |
| 1 VO IIItake   | 0                                | Intake          | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or 2 90° elbows |             | Figure 10              |
|  | 9 Vent Vertical Roof Tee or stra | Tee or straight |   | Figure 11           |             |                        |
| Room air for combustion;   | 10                               | Vent            | Horizontal Sidewall                       | Tee or 45° Elbow    | Table 10    |                        |
| SS, PP,<br>or CPVC vent  | 11                               | Vent            | Vertical Roof                             | Tee or straight     | Table 10    | -                      |

## Table 13: Recommended Venting Configurations and Material Options

Notes:

1. It is recommended to use tees for both intake and vent terminations in extra windy locations.

- 2. All terminations shall have bird screens.
- 3. All non-metallic venting exposed to sunlight shall be UV resistant.

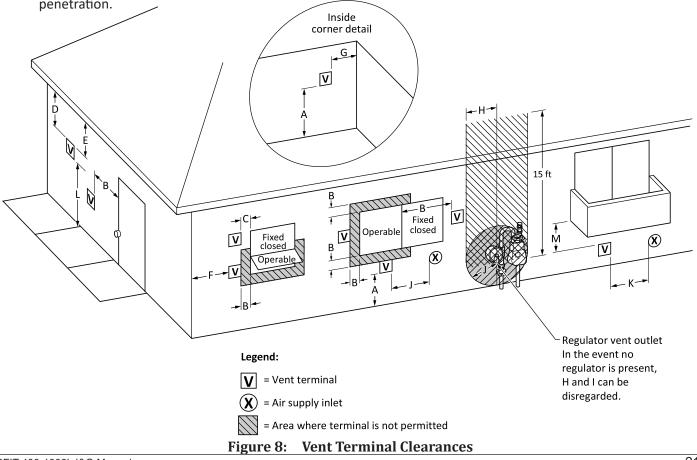
- If window and/or air inlet is within 4 ft. (1.2 m) of an inside corner, maintain at least 6 ft. (1.8 m) spacing between terminal and adjoining wall of inside corner.
- 8. Locate bottom of vent terminal at least 7 ft. (2.1 m) above a public walkway.
- Maintain minimum clearance of at least 4 ft. (1.2 m) [3 ft. (900 mm)in Canada] horizontally between vent terminal and gas meters, electric meters, regulators, and relief equipment. Do not install vent terminal above or below this equipment.
- 10. Do not locate the vent terminal under decks or similar structures.
- 11. Top of terminal must be at least 24 in. (600 mm) below ventilated eaves, soffits, and other overhangs. In no case may the overhang exceed 48 in. (1200 mm). Where permitted by the authority having jurisdiction and local experience, the terminal may be located closer to unventilated soffits. The minimum vertical separation depends upon the depth of the soffit.
- 12. For multiple appliance installations with vertical roof terminals, separate vent pipes may be piped through a common conduit or chase so that one roof penetration may be made. Maintain recommended separations of terminations after penetration.

- 13. Maintain minimum 24 in. (610 mm) horizontal spacing between vent terminal and a building corner.
- 14. Under certain conditions, water in the flue gas may condense, and possibly freeze, on objects around the terminal including on the structure itself. If these objects are subject to damage by flue gas condensate, they should be moved or protected.
- 15. If possible, install the vent and combustion air terminals on a wall away from the prevailing wind. Reliable operation of this product cannot be guaranteed if terminals are subjected to winds in excess of 40 mph (64 km/hr).
- 16. Do not locate combustion air terminal in areas that might contain combustion air contaminates, such as near swimming pools.

# NOTICE

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



| Table 14: | <b>Direct Vent Terminal Clearances</b> |
|-----------|--|
|-----------|--|

|   |  | Canadian Installations <sup>1</sup>   | US Installations <sup>2</sup>  |
|---|--|---|--|
| А | Clearance above grade, veranda, porch, deck, or balcony  | 18 in. (46 cm)  | 12 in (30 cm)  |
| В | Clearance to window or door that<br>may be opened  | 6 in (15 cm) for appliances ≤<br>10,000 Btuh (3 kW), 12 in (30<br>cm) for appliances > 10,000 Btuh<br>(3 kW) and ≤ 100,000 Btuh (30<br>kW), 36 in (91 cm) for appliances<br>>100,000 Btuh (30 kW) | 6 in (15 cm) for appliances<br>≤ 10,000 Btuh (3 kW), 9 in (23<br>cm) for appliances > 10,000 Btuh<br>(3 kW) and ≤ 50,000 Btuh (15<br>kW), 12 in (30 cm) for appliances<br>> 50,000 Btuh (15 kW)  |
| С | Clearance to permanently closed window   | *   | *  |
| D | Vertical clearance to ventilated soffit<br>located above the terminal within a<br>horizontal distance of 2 ft (61 cm)<br>from the center line of the terminal. | *   | *  |
| Е | Clearance to unventilated soffit   | *   | *  |
| F | Clearance to outside corner  | *   | *  |
| G | Clearance to inside corner   | *   | *  |
| Н | Clearance to each side of center<br>line extended above meter/regulator<br>assembly  | 3 ft (91 cm) within a height of<br>15 ft (4.6 m)  | *  |
| Ι | Clearance to service regulator vent outlet   | 3 ft (91 cm)  | *  |
| J | Clearance to nonmechanical air<br>supply inlet to building or the<br>combustion air inlet to any other<br>appliance  | 6 in (15 cm) for appliances ≤<br>10,000 Btuh (3 kW), 12 in (30<br>cm) for appliances > 10,000 Btuh<br>(3 kW) and ≤ 100,000 Btuh (30<br>kW), 36 in (91 cm) for appliances<br>>100,000 Btuh (30 kW) | 6 in (15 cm) for appliances ≤<br>10,000 Btuh (3 kW), 9 in (23 cm)<br>for appliances > 10,000 Btuh (3<br>kW) and ≤ 50,000 Btuh (15 kW),<br>12 in (30 cm) for appliances ><br>50,000 Btuh (15 kW)  |
| К | Clearance to a mechanical air<br>supply inlet  | 6 ft (1.83 m)   | 3 ft (91 cm) above if within<br>10 ft (3 m) horizontally   |
| L | Clearance above paved sidewalk or<br>paved driveway located on public<br>property  | 7 ft (2.13 m) †   | 7 ft (2.13 m) for mechanical draft<br>systems (Category I appliances).<br>Vents for Category II and IV<br>appliances cannot be located<br>above public walkways or other<br>areas where condensate or vapor<br>can cause a nuisance or hazard* |
| М | Clearance under veranda, porch deck, or balcony  | 12 in (30 cm) ‡   | *  |

\* Clearance in accordance with local codes and the requirements of the gas supplier.

+ A vent shall not terminate directly above a sidewalk or paved driveway that is located between two single family dwellings and serves both dwellings.

- Permitted only if veranda, porch, deck, or balcony is fully open on a minimum of two sides beneath the floor.
   Notes:
- 1) In accordance with the current CSA B149.1, Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code
- 2) In accordance with the current ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, National Fuel Gas Code
- 3) If locally adopted installation codes specify clearances different than those illustrated, then the most stringent clearance shall prevail.

|   |  | Canadian Installations <sup>1</sup>   | US Installations <sup>2</sup>   |
|---|--|---|---|
| А | Clearance above grade, veranda, porch, deck, or balcony  | 18 in (46 cm)   | 12 in (30 cm)   |
| В | Clearance to window or door that<br>may be opened  | 6 in (15 cm) for appliances ≤<br>10,000 Btuh (3 kW), 12 in (30<br>cm) for appliances > 10,000 Btuh<br>(3 kW) and ≤ 100,000 Btuh (30<br>kW), 36 in (91 cm) for appliances<br>>100,000 Btuh (30 kW) | 4 ft (1.2 m) below or to side of<br>opening; 1 ft (300 mm) above<br>opening   |
| С | Clearance to permanently closed window   | *   | *   |
| D | Vertical clearance to ventilated soffit<br>located above the terminal within a<br>horizontal distance of 2 ft (61 cm)<br>from the center line of the terminal. | *   | *   |
| Е | Clearance to unventilated soffit   | *   | *   |
| F | Clearance to outside corner  | *   | *   |
| G | Clearance to inside corner   | *   | *   |
| Н | Clearance to each side of center<br>line extended above meter/regulator<br>assembly  | 3 ft (91 cm) within a height 15 ft<br>(4.6 m)   | *   |
| I | Clearance to service regulator vent<br>outlet  | 3 ft (91 cm)  | *   |
| J | Clearance to nonmechanical air<br>supply inlet to building or the<br>combustion air inlet to any other<br>appliance  | 6 in (15 cm) for appliances ≤<br>10,000 Btuh (3 kW), 12 in (30<br>cm) for appliances > 10,000 Btuh<br>(3 kW) and ≤ 100,000 Btuh (30<br>kW), 36 in (91 cm) for appliances<br>>100,000 Btuh (30 kW) | 4 ft (1.2 m) below or to side of<br>opening; 1 ft (300 mm) above<br>opening   |
| К | Clearance to a mechanical air<br>supply inlet  | 6 ft (1.83 m)   | 3 ft (91 cm) above if within<br>10 ft (3 m) horizontally  |
| L | Clearance above paved sidewalk or<br>paved driveway located on public<br>property  | 7 ft (2.13 m) †   | 7 ft (2.13 m) for mechanical draft<br>systems (Category I appliances).<br>Vents for Category II and IV<br>appliances cannot be located<br>above public walkways or other<br>areas where condensate or vapor<br>can cause a nuisance or hazard |
| М | Clearance under veranda, porch deck, or balcony  | 12 in (30 cm) ‡   | *   |

# Table 15: Other than Direct Vent Terminal Clearances

\* Clearance in accordance with local codes and the requirements of the gas supplier.

+ A vent shall not terminate directly above a sidewalk or paved driveway that is located between two single family dwellings and serves both dwellings.

- ‡ Permitted only if veranda, porch, deck, or balcony is fully open on a minimum of two sides beneath the floor. Notes:
- 1) In accordance with the current CSA B149.1, Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code
- 2) In accordance with the current ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54, National Fuel Gas Code
- 3) If locally adopted installation codes specify clearances different than those illustrated, then the most stringent clearance shall prevail.

# H. Vent and Combustion Air Terminations

- 1. Vent Piping
  - a. Install fire stops where vent passes through floors, ceilings or framed walls. The fire stop must close the opening between the vent pipe and the structure.
  - b. Whenever possible, install vent straight through the roof.
  - c. Size roof opening to maintain minimum clearance of 1 in. (25 mm) from combustible materials.
  - d. Extend vent pipe to maintain minimum vertical distance for expected snow accumulation. Provide brace as required.
  - e. Install storm collar on vent pipe immediately above flashing. Apply Dow Corning Silastic 732 RTV Sealant or equivalent between vent pipe and storm collar to provide weather-tight seal.
- 2. Combustion Air Piping
  - a. If possible, locate combustion air termination in the same roof location as the vent termination to prevent nuisance shutdowns. Alternatively, this appliance may be installed with a vertical roof vent terminal and sidewall combustion air terminal.
  - b. Size roof opening to allow easy insertion of combustion air piping and allow proper installation of flashing and storm collar to prevent moisture from entering the structure.
  - c. Use appropriately designed vent flash when passing through roofs. Follow flashing manufacturers' instructions for installation.
  - Extend combustion air pipe to maintain minimum vertical and horizontal distance of 12 in (300 mm) from roof surface or from the maximum snow level.

# **A** CAUTION

Reliable operation of this appliance is not guaranteed when the terminals are subject to winds above 40 mph.

The required spacing between vent and combustion air terminals is to prevent flue gas recirculation. Recirculation of flue gas products into the combustion air supply can cause damage to property or the appliance.

# NOTICE

Methods of securing and sealing terminals to the outside wall must not restrain the thermal expansion of the vent pipe.

Exterior run should be included in equivalent vent/combustion air lengths.

Vertical Venting and combustion air roof penetrations (where applicable) require the use of roof flashing and storm collar, which are not supplied with appliance, to prevent moisture from entering the structure.

Examine all components for possible shipping damage prior to installation.

All condensate that forms in vent must be able to drain back to the heat exchager or a boot tee with a drain.

The venting system must be free to expand and contract and must be supported in accordance with installation instructions included by the original component manufacturers, whenever applicable. Polypropylene pipe sections must be disengaged 1/4 to 5/8 in. (6 mm to 16 mm) per joint to allow for thermal expansion.

# ▲ WARNING

Failure to vent this appliance in accordance with these instructions could cause products of combustion to enter the building resulting in severe property damage, personal injury or death.

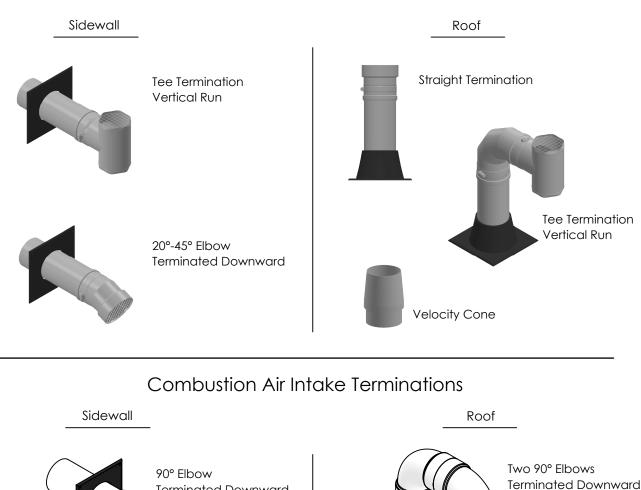
Do not locate vent termination under a deck, or where exposed to prevailing winds.

Do not locate combustion air termination where volatile vapors or other chemicals are present. Severe corrosion and failure will result.

Do not interchange vent systems or materials unless otherwise specified.

Do not apply thermal insulation to vent pipe or fittings.

Do not use a barometric damper or draft hood with this appliance.



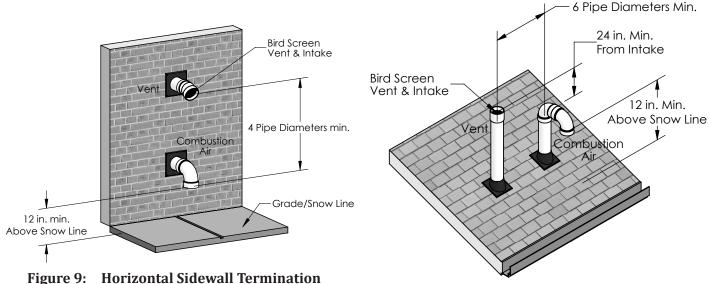
# Table 16: Table of Acceptable Terminations



# 90° Elbow Terminated Downward Ferminated Downward Image: Construction of the second secon

#### Notes:

One appliance per ducted louver or gooseneck Vent and Intake piping must not share the same ducted louver or gooseneck All terminations should have Bird/Rodent Screens Do not use rain caps, Rain will drain through boot tee or condensate drain





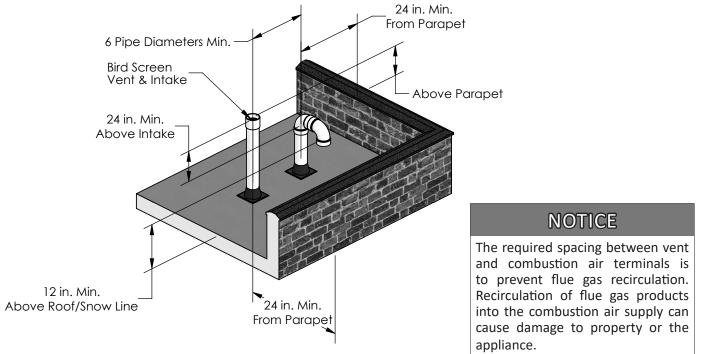


Figure 11: Flat Roof Vent Terminations

Notes:

- 1. All terminations must have bird/rodent screens.
- 2. If Possible, Install Sidewall venting on a wall away from prevailing wind.
- 3. For roof terminations, install vent terminal downstream of prevailing winds relative to intake terminal.
- 4. It is recommended to use tee terminations with a vertical run in extra windy areas.

# **A**CAUTION

Installing multiple vent terminations too close together may result in combustion product water vapor condensation on building surfaces where vent terminations are placed, causing subsequent frost damage. To avoid/ minimize frost damage, extend the distance from building surfaces to vent termination end and increase the horizontal distance between adjacent vent terminations.

# I. Multiple Appliance Terminations

- 1. Vent Piping Terminations
  - a. Multiple appliance vent terminations are shown in Figure 12.
  - b. Each individual appliance must have its own vent pipe and vent terminal unless a common venting system is used following the guidlines of the "Engineered Venting Method" section in this manual.
  - c. For horizontal sidewall terminations, maintain at least 6 pipe diameters minimum horizontal distance between any adjacent individual vent terminations. Additional horizontal spacing between any adjacent individual vent terminations as well as extending the distance from building surfaces to vent termination end are recommended to avoid frost damage to building surfaces where vent terminations are placed.
  - d. Multiple individual vertical vent pipes may be piped through a common conduit or chase so that one roof penetration may be made.
  - e. For vertical roof terminations, maintain at least 6 pipe diameters minimum horizontal distance between adjacent individual appliance vent terminations.
- 2. Combustion Air Piping
  - a. Multiple appliance combustion air terminations are shown in Figure 12.
  - Each individual appliance must have its own combustion air pipe and terminal when using category IV venting.

# **A** WARNING

Moisture and ice may form on the surface around vent termination.

To prevent deterioration, surface must be in good repair (sealed, painted, etc.).

Do not allow low spots in the vent where condensate may pool.

Use specified vent and combustion air pipe diameters.

All vent and combustion air piping must be sealed and airtight.

Alteration of the appliance vent connection is prohibited.

# NOTICE

The joint between the terminal and the last piece of pipe must be outside of the building.

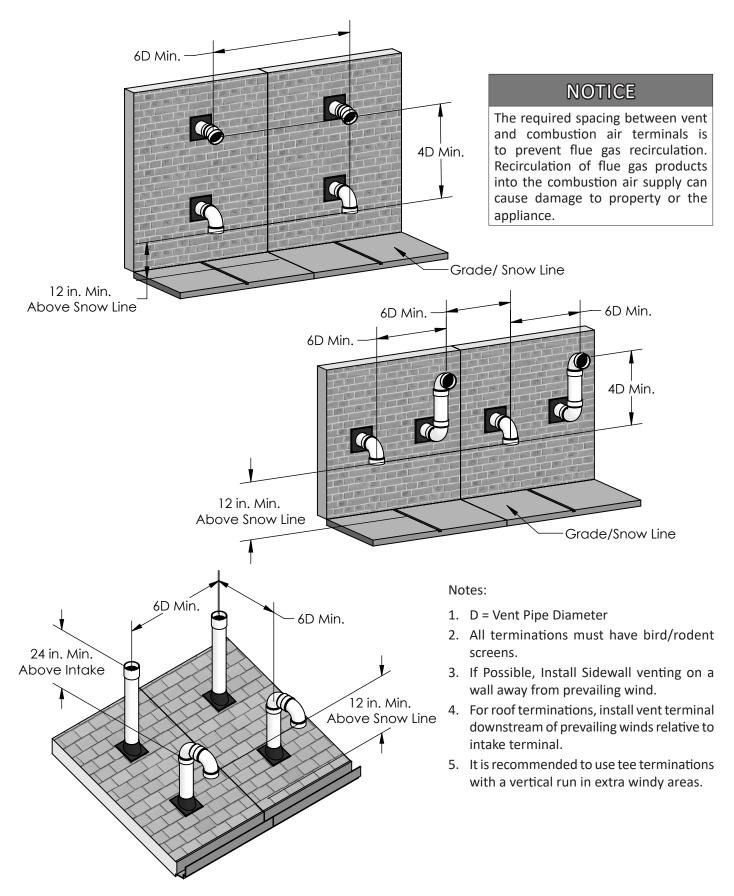
# **A** WARNING

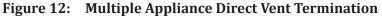
The vent for this appliance shall not terminate:

- 1. Over public walkways; or
- Near soffit vents or crawl space vents or other er areas where condensate or vapor could create a nuisance or hazard or cause property damage; or
- 3. Where condensate vapor could cause damage or could be detrimental to the operation of regulators, relief valves, or other equipment.
- c. Individual appliance sidewall terminals must be placed at least 12 in. (300 mm) [18 in. (460 mm) in Canada] above the ground plus the expected snow accumulation.
- d. Do not exceed the maximum combustion air pipe length for an individual appliance as listed in Table 6.
- e. If possible, locate the vent and combustion air terminals for each appliance on the same wall to prevent nuisance shutdowns. If not, each appliance may be installed with a roof vent terminal and sidewall combustion air terminal.

# J. Terminal Installation

- 1. Use the terminal connections supplied by the venting manufacturer. Follow manufacturer's instructions to attach the terminal to the vent system.
- 2. For PVC/CPVC terminals, apply a heavy bead of silicone to the male end of the terminal before inserting it into the last piece of pipe. Orient the terminal so that the seam in the terminal is at 12:00. Smooth the silicone over the seam between the terminal and the last piece of pipe, applying additional silicone if necessary to ensure a tight seal. Allow the silicone to cure per the silicone manufacturer's instructions before operating the appliance.
- Install Bird/Rodent screens in the terminals. Use a screen having 1/2 in. x 1/2 in. (13 mm x 13 mm) mesh.
- 4. Adhere to the minimum and maximum wall thickness specified by the manufacturer of the wall penetration assembly.





## K. Polypropylene Venting

- 1. Running Flexible Polypropylene Vent (Liner) Through Unused Chimney Chase
  - a. It is the responsibility of the installing contractor to procure polypropylene vent system pipe and related components.
  - b. All listed polypropylene vent system manufacturers must comply with the requirements of *ULC-S636-08* 'Standard for Type BH Gas Venting Systems'. For Canadian installation, polypropylene vent must be listed as a *ULC-S636* approved system.
  - c. Flexible polypropylene pipe must be treated carefully and stored at temperatures higher than 41 degrees F.
  - d. When flexible polypropylene pipe (liner) is used for combustion air supply, the pipe (liner) can be installed in a vertical or horizontal position.
  - e. Follow manufacturer instructions regarding application/listing, permits, minimum clearances to combustibles, and installation details (proper joint assembly, pipe support and routing, gasket and fitting installation, optional tooling availability/usage, routing through masonry chimney for combustion product venting or, combination of combustion product venting and combustion air supply).
  - f. When using a masonry chimney as a passageway for flexible polypropylene pipe, the chase must be structurally sound and free of any debris or obstructions.
  - g. To prevent condensate pooling and damage to vent, offsets (bend) cannot exceed 45°. Multiple offsets are allowed in a chase.
- 2. Pressure drop for flexible polypropylene line is 20 % greater than from rigid pipe. Multiply measured flexible polypropylene liner length by 1.2 to obtain equivalent length.
- 3. Maximum equivalent vent length of flexible polypropylene liner is 48 ft. (14.6 m).

#### L. Optional Room Air for Combustion

- 1. General Guidelines
  - a. Room air is optional for commercial applications. Follow the requirements in this section when air for combustion is supplied from the boiler room.
  - b. Avoid combustion air contaminants in the boiler room. Permanently remove any contaminants found in the boiler room. If contaminants cannot be removed, do not use room air for combustion.

# **WARNING**

Asphyxiation Hazard. Vent systems made by listed PP vent system manufacturers rely on gaskets for proper sealing. When this type of vent system is used, take the following precautions:

Make sure that gasket is in position and undamaged in the female end of the pipe.

Make sure that both male and female pipes are free of damage prior to assembly.

Only cut vent pipe as permitted by the vent manufacturer in accordance with their instructions. When pipe is cut, the cut end must be square and carefully deburred prior to assembly.

Use locking band clamps at all vent pipe joints.

Flexible polypropylene vent must be installed only in an unused chimney. A chimney, either single or multiple flue type, is considered unused when one of the flues is being used for any appliance venting, or When one of the multiple flues is being used for appliance venting. The flexible vent installation is not permitted through any of the adjacent flues.

Do not bend or attempt to install flexible pipe if it has been stored at ambient temperature below 41 F. This will cause material to became brittle and will lead to cracks, resulting in flue gas leaks.

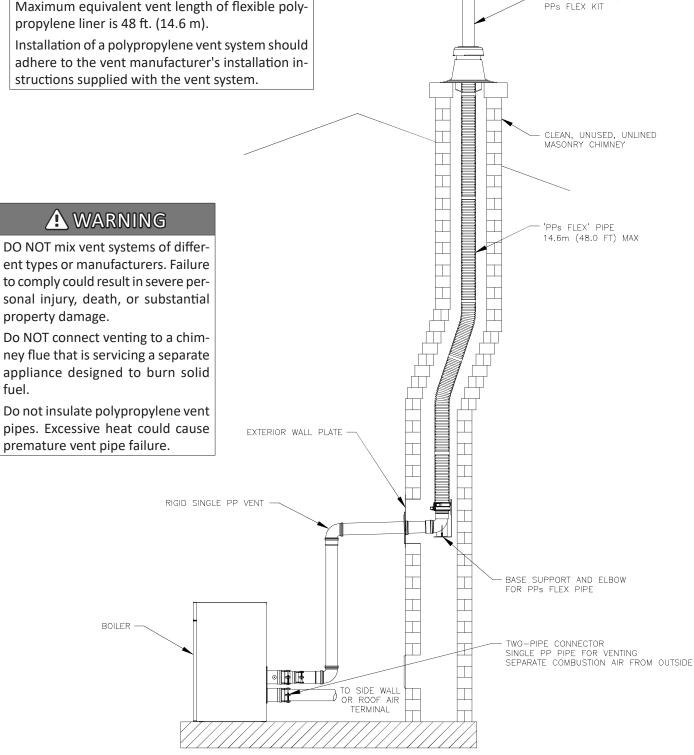
Do not install flexible polypropylene pipe at an angle greater than 45 degrees from vertical when used for combustion product venting. Failure to do so will result in improper condensate drainage and possible subsequent vent pipe blockage.

- 2. Outdoor Openings to Boiler Room
  - a. Provide combustion and ventilation air to the boiler room or enclosure. Follow the National fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1, or, in Canada, Installation Code for Gas Burning Appliances and Equipment, CSA Standard B149 Code as well as all applicable local codes. Use one of the following methods.
  - b. Natural gas and propane installation code specifies venting systems and air supply for appliances. Air supply shall be provided when either an appliance or a combination of appliances has a total input exceeding 400,000 Btu/h.
  - c. Air supply is defined as combustion air, excess air, flue gas dilution air, primary air, secondary air, and ventilation air. The air supply requirements below are a summation of Clause 8.4 specific to this gas appliance.

# NOTICE

Pressure drop for flexible polypropylene line is 20 % greater than from rigid pipe. Multiply measured flexible polypropylene liner length by 1.2 to obtain equivalent length.

Maximum equivalent vent length of flexible polypropylene liner is 48 ft. (14.6 m).



Flexible Vent in Masonry Chimney with Separate Combustion Air Intake Figure 13:

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- 3. Air Supply Requirements for Appliances having an input exceeding 400 MBH:
  - a. Ventilation Air: an opening for ventilation air at the highest point that opens to the outdoors shall provide Ventilation of the space. The cross sectional area of this opening shall be at least 10% of the area required for combustion air, but in no case shall the cross-sectional area be less than 10 in<sup>2</sup> (6500 mm<sup>2</sup>).
  - b. Combustion Air: For combustion air where the air supply is provided by natural airflow from outdoors, in addition to the opening for ventilation air, there shall be permanent opening having a total cross-sectional free area of not less than 1 in<sup>2</sup> for each 30,000 BTU/hr. (70 mm<sup>2</sup> for each kW) of the total rated input of the boiler(s). The location of the opening(s) shall not interfere with the openings for ventilation air. Please refer to the codes listed above for combustion air openings when natural draft, fan assisted or power draft assisted equipment are in the space.
  - c. When an air supply duct is used to supply combustion air, its discharge opening shall be located where there is no possibility of cold air affecting steam/water lines or other temperature sensitive equipment.
- 4. Combustion Air Supply Dampers, Louvers, and Grilles
  - a. The free area of the combustion air supply opening shall be calculated by subtracting the blockage area of all fixed louvers, grilles or screens from the gross area of the opening.

# A WARNING

Asphyxiation Hazard. Common manifold venting requires special considerations. Follow the instructions in this manual

Bryan Steam takes no responsibility for vent systems that create issues and or affect the performance of the appliance.

Improper Installation of a Category II vent system resulting in positive pressure in the vent system can result in flue gas spillage and carbon monoxide emissions, causing severe personal injury or death.

Sources of combustion air contaminants, including chlorines, chlorofluorocarbons (CFC's), petroleum distillates, detergents, volatile vapors or other chemicals must not be present in the boiler room. If any of these contaminants are present, severe corrosion and failure will result.

- b. Openings in a fixed louver, grille, or screen shall have no dimension smaller than ¼" (6 mm).
- c. No manually operated dampers or manually operated adjustable louvers are permitted.
- d. Motorized dampers or Louvers shall be interlocked so the burner(s) cannot operate unless the damper or louver is in the fully open position.
- 5. Mechanical Combustion Air Supply
  - a. When combustion air is supplied by mechanical means, an airflow sensing device shall be installed and wired into the safety limit circuit of the primary safety control to shut off the gas in the event of an air supply failure.
- 6. Appliance Venting
  - a. This appliance is listed as Category IV venting and requires special venting systems as previously described.
  - i. Venting for Category IV appliances shall be as specified or furnished by the manufacturer of the listed appliance.
  - ii. A special venting system shall be installed in accordance with the terms of its listing and the vent manufacturers certified installation manual.
  - A flue gas vent or a vent connector shall not be installed inside either a duct or a shaft used for return air, hot air, ventilating air, or combustion air.
  - iv. An appliance that operates at a positive vent pressure shall not be connected to a venting system serving any other appliance. This appliance operates at a positive vent pressure.
  - v. A factory-built chimney used for venting an appliance shall be certified.

# NOTICE

Please note that the information provided in this manual relative to the Canadian Standard is not meant to be all-inclusive. Reading the entire Standard is strongly suggested. The final approval of all system designs must be acceptable to the authority having jurisdiction.

#### M. Removing Existing Appliance

When an existing appliance is removed from a common venting system, the common venting system is likely to be too large for proper venting of the remaining appliances. At the time of removal of an existing appliance, the following steps should be performed with each appliance remaining connected to the common venting system. Make sure the appliances are not in operation while carrying out these steps.

- 1. Seal any unused openings in the common venting system.
- 2. Visually inspect the venting system for proper size and horizontal pitch and ensure there is no blockage or restriction, leakage, corrosion, or other deficiencies which could cause an unsafe condition.
- 3. Insofar as is practical, close all exterior doors and windows, and all doors between the space where the appliances connect to the common venting system and other spaces of the building. 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 (or Operating) 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 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 conditions of use.
- 7. Any improper operation of the common venting system should be corrected so the installation conforms with the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 and/or the Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code, CAN/CSA B149.1. Resizing of any portion of the common venting system, should be done in accordance with the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 and/ or the Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code, CAN/CSA B149.1.

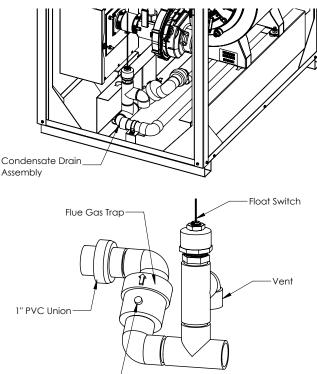
## N. Special Installation Requirements for Massachusetts

- For all sidewall horizontally vented gas fueled equipment installed in every dwelling, building or structure used in whole or in part for residential purposes and where the sidewall exhaust vent termination is less than seven (7) feet above grade, the following requirements shall be satisfied:
  - a. If there is no carbon monoxide detector with an alarm already installed in compliance with the most current edition of NFPA 720, NFPA 70 and the Massachusetts State Building Code in the residential unit served by the sidewall horizontally vented gas fueled equipment, a battery operated carbon monoxide detector with an alarm shall be installed in compliance with the most current edition of NFPA 720, NFPA 70 and the Massachusetts State Building Code.
  - b. In addition to the above requirements, if there is not one already present, a carbon monoxide detector with an alarm and a battery back-up shall be installed and located in accordance with the installation requirements supplied with the detector on the floor level where the gas equipment is installed. The carbon monoxide detector with an alarm shall comply with 527 CMR, ANSI/UL 2034 Standards or CSA 6.19 and the most current edition of NFPA 720. In the event that the requirements of this subdivision can not be met at the time of the completion of the installation of the equipment, the installer shall have a period of thirty (30) days to comply with this requirement; provided, however, that during said thirty (30) day period, a battery operated carbon monoxide detector with an alarm shall be installed in compliance with the most current edition of NFPA 720, NFPA 70 and the Massachusetts State Building Code. In the event that the sidewall horizontally vented gas fueled equipment is installed in a crawl space or an attic, the carbon monoxide detector may be installed on the next adjacent habitable floor level. Such detector may be a battery operated carbon monoxide detector with an alarm and shall be installed in compliance with the most current edition of NFPA 720, NFPA 70 and the Massachusetts State Building Code.
  - c. A metal or plastic identification plate shall be permanently mounted to the exterior of the building at a minimum height of eight (8) feet above grade directly in line with the exhaust vent terminal for the horizontally vented gas fueled heating appliance or equipment. The sign shall read, in print size no less than one-half (1/2) inch in size, "GAS VENT DIRECTLY BELOW. KEEP CLEAR OF ALL OBSTRUCTIONS".
  - d. A final inspection by the state or local gas inspector of the sidewall horizontally vented equipment shall not be performed until proof is provided that the state or local electrical inspector having jurisdiction has granted a permit for installation of carbon monoxide detectors and alarms as required above.
- 2. EXEMPTIONS: The following equipment is exempt from 248 CMR 5.08(2)(a) 1 through 4:
  - a. The equipment listed in Chapter 10 entitled "Equipment Not Required To Be Vented" in the most current edition of NFPA 54 as adopted by the Board; and
  - b. Product Approved sidewall horizontally vented gas fueled equipment installed in a room or structure separate from the dwelling, building or structure used in whole or in part for residential purposes.
- 3. When the manufacturer of Product Approved sidewall horizontally vented gas equipment provides a venting system design or venting system components with the equipment, the instructions for installation of the equipment and the venting system shall include:
  - a. A complete parts list for the venting system design or venting system; and
  - b. Detailed instructions for the installation of the venting system design or the venting system components.
- 4. When the manufacturer of a Product Approved sidewall horizontally vented gas fueled equipment does not provide the parts for venting flue gases, but identifies "special venting systems", the following shall be satisfied:
  - a. The referenced "special venting system" instructions shall be included with the appliance or equipment installation instructions; and
  - b. The "special venting systems" shall be Product Approved by the Board, and the instructions for that system shall include a parts list and detailed installation instructions.
- 5. A copy of all installation instructions for all Product Approved sidewall horizontally vented gas fueled equipment, all venting instructions, all parts lists for venting instructions, and/or all venting design instructions shall remain with the appliance or equipment at the completion of the installation.

# VIII. Condensate Disposal

#### A. Condensate trap

- 1. The condensate trap is located inside the appliance jacket behind the front door panel.
  - a. The flue gas trap prevents flue gases from escaping into the boiler room.
  - b. The float switch interrupts the limit string in the event the drainage of the condensate is blocked.



Cleanout Port—

Figure 14: Condensate Drain Assembly

- 2. The condensate line exits out the back of the appliance through a 1" PVC pipe.
- 3. Note the following when disposing of the condensate:
  - a. Condensate is slightly acidic, typical pH around 3.5 4.5. Do not route the drain line through areas that could be damaged by leaking condensate.
  - b. Use continuous Teflon, high temperature silicone tubing, or other tubing material compatible with flue gas condensate for condensate piping.
  - c. Do not route or terminate the condensate drain line in areas subject to freezing temperatures.

# NOTICE

Do not crimp condensate drain lines or reduce drain line inner diameter size, unless adapting to a neutralizer kit.

Do not manifold condensate drains and vent drains together.

Consult local authorities regarding disposal of flue gas condensate into the public waste water system.

Do not use metallic pipe or fittings for condensate drain lines.

- d. If the point of condensate disposal is above the trap, a condensate pump is required to move the condensate to the drain. Select a condensate pump approved for use with condensing appliance—and equipped with an overflow switch.
- e. Do not attempt to substitute another trap for one provided with the appliance.
- f. Slope condensate drain pipe at least 1/8" per foot in the direction of discharge.

## VIII. Condensate disposal (continued)

#### B. Condensate Neutralizer Installation

- 1. Some jurisdictions may require that the condensate be neutralized before being disposed of. Follow local codes pertaining to condensate disposal.
- 2. A condensate neutralizer kit is available from factory as optional equipment. Refer to Table 17 for size specific part number. Follow local codes and instructions enclosed with the kit for condensate neutralizer installation.
- Limestone chips will get coated by neutral salts (product of chemical reaction between limestone and acidic condensate) and lose neutralizing effectiveness over time. Therefore, periodic condensate neutralizer maintenance and limestone chip replacement are required for proper neutralization of the condensate.

#### C. Common Condensate pump/Sump

- A common condensate pump/sump may be used. Run separate piping from each condensate drain to the sump. A common drain may be used to discharge condensate from the sump.
- 2. If a common sump is used, individual drain lines should be constructed, using material listed above, such that one drain cannot back feed into another drain.
- 3. Do not manifold condensate and vent drains together.

# NOTICE

Flue gas condensate is corrosive. Route condensate drain line in a manner such that any condensate leakage will not cause property damage.

If the condensate line is obstructed in any way, the float switch will prevent the appliance from firing.

Some jurisdictions may require that condensate be neutralized prior to disposal.

The condensate drain trap should be flushed with clean water as part of the appliance maintenance schedule to remove any debris that might have accumulated.

#### Table 17: Condensate Neutralizer Kit

| BFIT<br>Model | Condensate<br>Neutralizer<br>Kit, PN | Condensate<br>Neutralizer,<br>Refill Kits, PN |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| 400           | 107860-08                            | 107886-09                                     |
| 500           | 107860-08                            | 107886-09                                     |
| 650           | 107860-09                            | 107886-10                                     |
| 800           | 107860-09                            | 107886-10                                     |
| 1000L         | 107860-06                            | 107886-06                                     |

# IX. Hydronic Piping

BFIT boilers are designed to operate in a closed loop pressurized system. Minimum pressure in the boiler must be 14.5 psi (100 kpa). Proper operation requires a piping system that can provide sufficient water flow through the boiler and meet the water quality requirements.

#### A. General Piping Guidelines

Suggested piping configurations are shown in diagram form in section "Water Piping Diagrams". The following steps are general guidelines for installing the BFIT Boiler in space heating systems. The installer is responsible for complying with local codes.

- Primary/Secondary piping is the recommended piping configuration. Isolate the appliance from the system using closely spaced tees (12 inches or 4 pipe diameter) and size a circulation pump that ensures sufficient flow is maintained through the boiler.
  - a. The flow rate through the primary loop is maintained by the installer provided circulator.
  - b. Other piping configurations may be used. However, it is the responsibility of the installer to size circulator(s) that could overcome the heat exchanger and system pressure drops.
- c. Inadequate flow through the boiler can cause high limit shutdowns, hot spots, and localized boiling which could severely damage the heat exchanger.
- 2. A pressure relief valve is included and installed by factory.
- 3. When piping the appliance to the system, do not install an elbow closer than 5 pipe diameters from the flow switch.

# NOTICE

Failure to properly pipe appliance may result in improper operation and damage.

Install the appliance so that the gas ignition system components are protected from water (dripping, spraying, rain, etc.) during appliance operation and service (circulatory replacement, cleaning, etc.).

Contamination of the water by corrosive chemicals will cause corrosion of the steel components, and can lead to appliance failure. Bryan Steam's Standard Warranty does not cover problems caused by contamination of supply water.

Failure to maintain the flow through the appliance within the specified limits could result in erratic operation or premature failure.

The circulator shall be sized properly based on the pressure drop of the entire loop and the desired temperature rise.

Maintain 1" (24mm) clearance around all uninsulated hot water pipes.

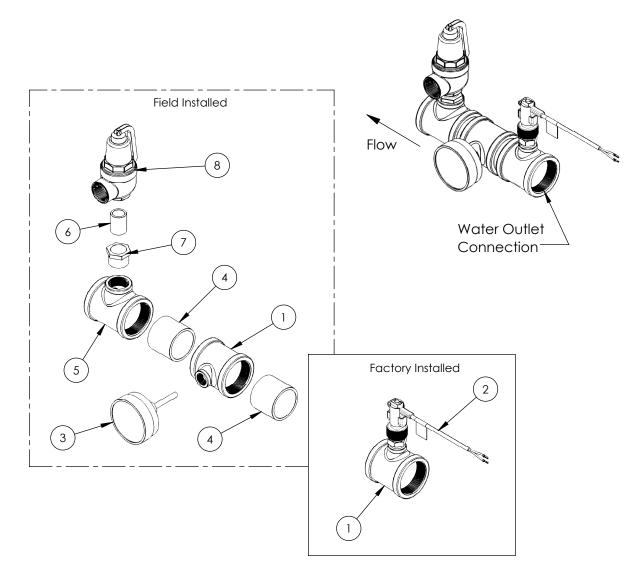


Figure 15: Relief Valve Package Assembly

### B. Factory Supplied Relief Valve Package

- 1. The relief valve, T&P gauge, and required fittings ship loose with the appliance. These parts must be installed to the outlet as shown in Figure 15.
- 2. When piping the appliance to the system, do not install an elbow closer than 5 pipe diameters from the flow switch.

### Table 18:Outlet Piping Parts

|          | 1 0                         |
|----------|-----------------------------|
| Item no. | Description                 |
| 1        | 2" X 2" X 1/2" reducing tee |
| 2        | Flow Switch                 |
| 3        | T & P Gauge                 |
| 4        | 2" pipe nipple, close       |
| 5        | 2" X 2" X 1" reducing tee   |
| 6        | 3/4" pipe nipple, close     |
| 7        | 1" x 3/4" Hex Bushing       |
| 8        | Safety Relief Valve         |

# C. Standard Piping Components

### 1. Safety Relief Valve (Required)

- a. The safety relief valve must be installed with spindle in vertical position. Installation of the safety relief valve must comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IV.
- b. If the safety relief valve is to be replaced, the replacement valve must have a relief capacity equal or exceeding the minimum relief valve capacity shown on the heat exchanger ASME plate. Also, when replacing the safety relief valve, verify the temperature and pressure gauge meets ASME requirements for the replacement safety relief valve.
- c. Pipe the safety relief valve discharge to a location where hot water or steam will not create hazard or property damage if the valve discharges. The end of the discharge pipe must terminate in an untreated pipe.
- d. If the safety relief valve is not piped to a drain, it must terminate at least 6 in. (150mm) above the floor. Do not run safety relief valve discharge pipe through an area prone to freezing. The termination of discharge piping must be in an area where it will not became plugged by debris.

### 2. Drain Valves

A factory installed 3/4" NPT drain valve and connection is provided with the unit.

### 3. Flow Switch (Factory Supplied)

This appliance is CSD-1 compliant and equipped with water flow switch and reset low water cut out box. A flow switch is required for forced circulation coil-type water boilers to prevent overheating and the heat exchanger failure in accordance with requirements of ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section IV, and ANSI/ASME CSD-1 "Controls and Safety Devices for Automatically Fired Boilers".

### 4. Circulator Pump (Required)

Near boiler pump is required to maintain minimum flow requirements for proper operation of the boiler. It is the responsibility of the installer to size and install near boiler pump(s). Refer to Table 24 for boiler specific head losses.

### 5. Expansion Tank (Required)

If this appliance is replacing an existing appliance with no other changes in the system, the old expansion tank can generally be reused. If the expansion tank must be replaced, consult the expansion tank manufacturer's literature for proper sizing.

# **WARNING**

**Burn Hazard**. Safety relief valve discharge shall be piped in such a way to prevent or eliminate potential burn risk.

DO NOT pipe in any area where freezing could occur.

DO NOT install any shut-off valves, plugs, caps, or reducers in the discharge piping.

Discharge line shall be installed to allow complete drainage of both the valve and the line.

Consult local codes for proper discharge pipe arrangement.

Observe a minimum of 1/2 inch (12 mm) clearance around all uninsulated hot water piping.

### 6. Fill Valve (Required)

Either manual (recommended) or automatic fill valve may be used. However, if automatic refill is employed, a water meter must be added to evaluate the makeup water volume taken after initial fill and eliminate any water leakage as early as possible.

### 7. Automatic Air Vent (Required)

At least one automatic air vent is required. Manual vents will usually be required in other parts of the system to remove air during initial fill.

### 8. Y-strainer (Recommended)

A Y-strainer or equivalent strainer removes heating system debris from the hydronic systems and protects the heat exchanger. Install the strainer in the cold water connection piping between the tank and the appliance.

### 9. Isolation Valves (Recommended)

Isolation valves are useful for servicing and stopping water flow in the case of failure. Full port ball valves are required.

### 10. Flow Control Valve (Strongly Recommended)

The flow control valve prevents flow through the system unless the circulator is operating. Flow control valves are used to prevent gravity circulation in circulator zone systems through zones that are not calling for heat.

### IX. Water Piping (continued)

### D. Water Quality

- 1. The water directly in contact with the appliance must meet the requirements in Table 20. Failure to adhere to the water treatment requirements in this manual can cause damage not covered by warranty to the appliance, pumps, or other components in the system.
- 2. It will be necessary to gain knowledge of the impurities dissolved in the water and consult with a qualified industrial water treatment professional to establish a treatment plan. In addition, a periodic testing/sampling plan should be developed.
- 3. To minimize corrosion and scale effects, adhere to the water quality requirements in Table 20.
  - a. If the water hardness is higher than 205 ppm (12 gpg), a water softener must be used.
  - b. Water with a hardness of less than 80 ppm (5 gpg) can have a pH level that is corrosive.

# NOTICE

The BFIT heat exchanger is made from stainless steel tubular double coil having relatively narrow waterways. Once filled with water, it will be subject to the effects of corrosion. Failure to take the following precautions to minimize corrosion, and overheating could result in severe product damage.

Before connecting the appliance, insure the system is free of impurities, grease, sediment, construction dust, sand copper dust, and flux. Flush the system thoroughly and repeatedly, if needed.

Scale deposit is made up of lime scale contained in most distributed water and settles over the warmest surfaces of the heat exchanger causing subsequent overheating and eventual failure.

Scale can form from high water hardness and slow water velocities. Failure to maintain the recommended water hardness and flow rate will result in a buildup of scale inside the heat exchanger.

Water temperatures over 140 °F (60 °C) greatly increase the affects of corrosive chemicals.

Chlorine and Chloride have different levels of corrosion effects on stainless steel. It is recommended for chlorine (Cl<sub>2</sub>) levels to be below 5ppm and chloride (Cl<sup>-</sup>) levels to be below 1000 ppm for 316 stainless steel.

### Table 19: Absolute Water Flow Rates

| BFIT Model | Max Flow<br>(GPM) | Min Flow<br>(GPM) |
|------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| 400        |                   | 12                |
| 500        | -                 | 12                |
| 650        | 300               | 20                |
| 800        |                   | 20                |
| 1000L      |                   | 20                |

**NOTICE:** This table represents the absolute max and min flow rates allowed and shall **not** be used to design the system or size the circulator.

### Table 20: Water Quality Requirements

| Quality Parameter   | Min.  | Max. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---|------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Water Hardness (ppm)  | 80  | 205  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total Dissolved Solids (ppm)  | 100   | 450  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chlorine (ppm)  | -   | 5    |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Chloride (ppm)  | -   | 1000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| pH (cold)   | 6.5   | 7.5  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Notes:<br>The combined water hardness<br>exceed 450 ppm.<br>1 grain per gallon = 17.1 ppm | Notes:<br>The combined water hardness and TDS cannot<br>exceed 450 ppm. |      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

- Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) contribute to scale buildup. If the TDS or combined water hardness and TDS exceeds 450 ppm, the water needs to be heated indirectly.
  - a. The TDS (in ppm) is determined by measuring the electrical conductivity ( $\mu$ S/cm) of the water and multiplying by a conversion factor (typically 0.65 for drinking water).
- 5. Chlorine and Chloride can be very corrosive to stainless steel. Ensure the level of chlorine is less than 5 ppm and the level of chloride is less than 1000 ppm.
  - a. The BFIT is **not** designed for the heating of swimming pool water.
- 6. Before connecting the appliance, insure the system is free of impurities, grease, sediment, construction dust, and any other contaminants.
  - a. Flush the system thoroughly and repeatedly, if needed.

### IX. Water Piping (continued)

### E. Oxygen Contamination

- Continuous addition of make-up water will constantly add oxygen to the system and lead to corrosion. Black oxide sludge (magnetite, Fe3O4) forms as a result of continuous electrolytic corrosion in any system unprotected by an inhibitor.
- 2. To minimize oxygen presence in the system, all system leaks must be repaired immediately. DO NOT connect the boiler to radiant tubing without an oxygen barrier.
- 3. There are many possible causes of oxygen contamination such as:
  - a. Addition of excessive make-up water as a result of system leak
  - b. Absorption through open tanks and fittings.
  - c. Oxygen permeable materials in the distribution system.
- 4. In order to insure long product life, oxygen sources must be eliminated. This could be accomplished by taking the following measures:
  - a. Repairing system leaks to eliminate the need for addition of make-up water.

- b. Eliminate and/or repair fittings which allow oxygen absorption.
- c. Use of non-permeable materials in the distribution system.
- d. Isolating the boiler from the system water using an indirect heat exchanger.
- e. Using properly designed air elimination devices in water piping.

# **A** WARNING

When using Glycol products, all Glycol manufacturers' requirements, including rust inhibitors, must be adhered to. Maximum 50 % Glycol.

Do not use ethylene glycol in systems that can come in contact with domestic hot water, such as indirect water heaters.

Bryan Steam's Standard Warranty does not cover boiler failure caused by oxygen contamination of boiler water or scale build-up.

# Table 21: Corrosion/Scale Inhibitors and Removal Agents

| Producers            | Fernox                   | Sentinel       | Sotin     | ADEY |
|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------|-----------|------|
| Inhibitors           | Protector F1/Alphi 11    | X100, X500     | Sotin 212 | MC1+ |
| Noise reducer        | -                        | X200           | -         | -    |
| Universal<br>Cleaner | Restorer                 | X300           | -         | -    |
| Sludge remover       | Protector F1, Cleaner F3 | X400           | Sotin 212 | -    |
| Antifreeze           | Alphi 11                 | X500           | -         | -    |
| Tightness            | -                        | Leak Sealer F4 | -         | -    |

### Table 22: Water Treatment Types

|                  | <b>DI</b>  |            |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------------|------------|------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Treatment Type   | Preventive | Corrective |  |  |  |  |  |
| Producer F1      | Х          |            |  |  |  |  |  |
| X100             | Х          | Х          |  |  |  |  |  |
| X200             | Х          |            |  |  |  |  |  |
| X300             |            |            |  |  |  |  |  |
| X400             |            | Х          |  |  |  |  |  |
| X500             | Х          | Х          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alphi 11         | Х          |            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Leaker Sealer F4 | Х          |            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sotin 212        |            | Х          |  |  |  |  |  |
| MC1+             | Х          |            |  |  |  |  |  |

### Table 23: Flow Rates for Glycol Systems

| System Glycol         | Increase Flow,      |
|-----------------------|---------------------|
| Concentration (%)     | (%)                 |
| 50                    | 24                  |
| 30                    | 14                  |
| Note: Total system wa | ter volume includes |
|                       |                     |

expansion tank(s) and reservoirs.

### IX. Water Piping (continued)

### F. Temperature Rise and Heat Exchanger Head Loss

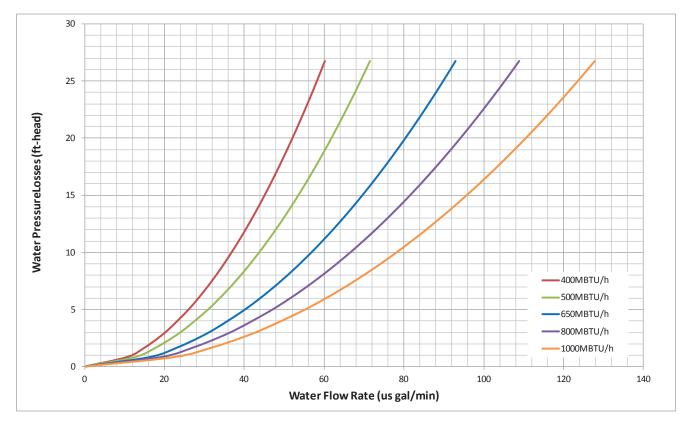
- 1. The BFIT heat exchanger adds pressure drop to the system which must be accounted for in the design of the piping configuration and pump selection.
- 2. The system should be designed to operate within the recomended range shown in Table 24.
  - a. Exceeding the maximum water flow rates can cause pipe erosion, damage the flow switch, and allow unsafe operation. Maintaining sufficient flow through the heat exchanger will help prevent the buildup of scale.

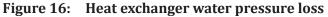
|               |       | Reco                 | ommen | ded R                | ange  |                      |       |                      |       |                      |       |                      |       |                      |       |                      |
|---------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|-------|----------------------|
|               | Delta | 20 °F                | Delta | 25 °F                | Delta | 30 °F                | Delta | 35 °F                | Delta | 40 °F                | Delta | 45 °F                | Delta | 50 °F                | Delta | 55 °F                |
| BFIT<br>Model | GPM   | Head<br>Loss<br>(ft) |
| 400           | 39    | 12.4                 | 31    | 8.4                  | 26    | 6.2                  | 22    | 4.7                  | 19    | 3.8                  | 17    | 3.1                  | 16    | 2.6                  | 14    | 2.2                  |
| 500           | 49    | 13.7                 | 39    | 9.3                  | 32    | 6.7                  | 28    | 5.1                  | 24    | 4.1                  | 22    | 3.3                  | 19    | 2.7                  | 18    | 2.3                  |
| 650           | 63    | 11.8                 | 50    | 8.2                  | 42    | 6.1                  | 36    | 4.7                  | 32    | 3.8                  | 28    | 3.1                  | 25    | 2.6                  | 23    | 2.3                  |
| 800           | 78    | 12.8                 | 62    | 9.2                  | 52    | 7.0                  | 44    | 5.6                  | 39    | 4.6                  | 34    | 3.9                  | 31    | 3.3                  | 28    | 2.9                  |
| 1000L         | 97    | 14.6                 | 78    | 9.9                  | 65    | 7.2                  | 55    | 5.5                  | 49    | 4.4                  | 43    | 3.6                  | 39    | 3.0                  | 35    | 2.5                  |

 Table 24:
 Temperature rise, flow rate, and head loss

Required Flow = Output×1000/(500× $\Delta$ T), where flow rate is in GPM, output is in MBH, and  $\Delta$ T is in °F, Outputs are shown in Table 1.

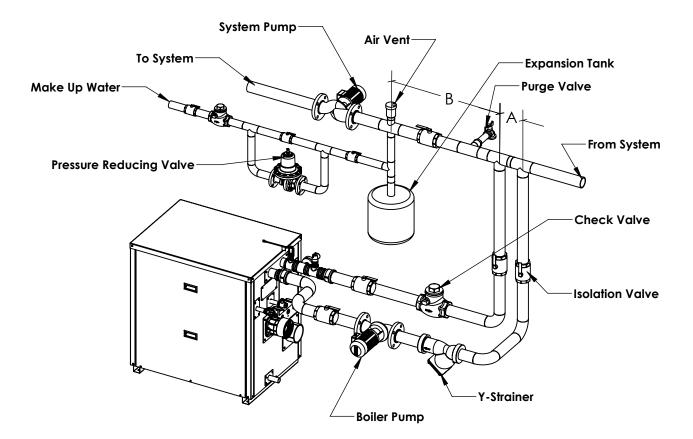
This water heater has a temperature rise (delta) limit of 55 °F





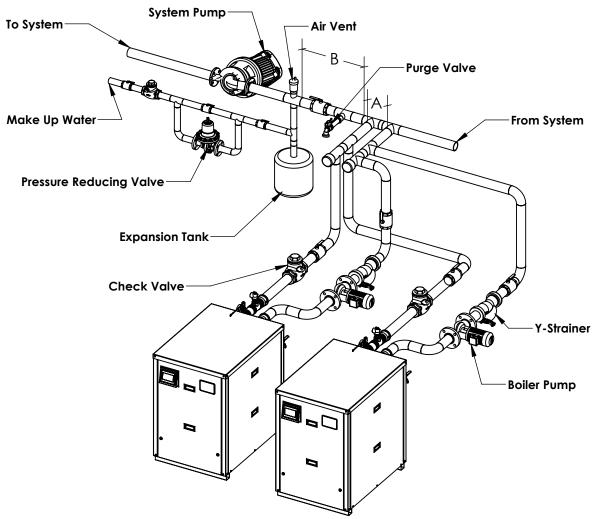
### X. Water Piping Diagrams

Figure 17: Single Boiler, Primary/Secondary Piping



- A. No more than 12 inches or 4 pipe diameters
- B. At least 18" of straight pipe for conventional air scoop

| NOTICE | <ol> <li>These are suggested piping configurations. It is the installer's responsibility to conform to local codes and ordinances for additional requirements.</li> <li>Pressure relief valve rating shall not exceed pressure rating of any component in the system.</li> <li>Some piping components cannot be supported by the pipping. Refer to the manufactures' installation instructions.</li> </ol> |
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|        | 4. Circulation pump must be sized to overcome the pressure drop across the entire loop.  |

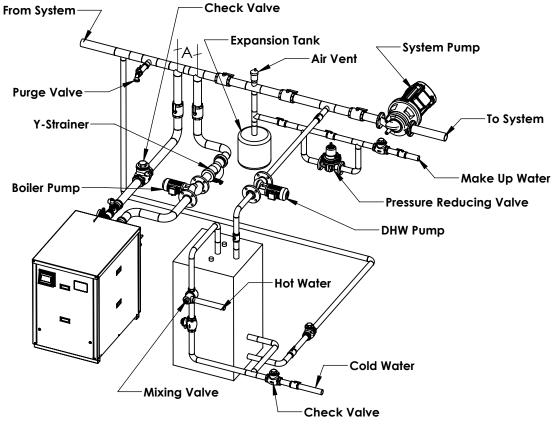


### Figure 18: Multiple Boiler, Primary/Secondary with Common Header Piping

- A. No more than 12 inches or 4 pipe diameters
- B. At least 18" of straight pipe for conventional air scoop

|     |      | These are suggested piping configurations. It is the installer's responsibilit conform to local codes and ordinances for additional requirements. | ty to |
|-----|------|---|-------|
|     |      | Pressure relief valve rating shall not exceed pressure rating of any componing the system.  | nent  |
| NOT | TICE | Some piping components cannot be supported by the pipping. Refer to manufactures' installation instructions.                                      | the   |
|     |      | Circulation pump must be sized to overcome the pressure drop across the er loop.  | ntire |
|     |      | Erosion could occur if common piping is undersized.   |       |





A. No more than 12 inches or 4 pipe diameters

|        | 1. These are suggested piping configurations. It is the installer's responsibility to conform to local codes and ordinances for additional requirements. |
|--------|--|
|        | 2. Pressure relief valve rating shall not exceed pressure rating of any component in the system.   |
| NOTICE | 3. Some piping components cannot be supported by the pipping. Refer to the manufactures' installation instructions.                                      |
|        | 4. Circulation pump must be sized to overcome the pressure drop across the entire loop.  |
|        | 5. Erosion could occur if common piping is undersized.   |

### XI. Gas Piping

### A. Guidelines and Requirements

All installation must conform to the National Fuel Gas Code ANSI Z223.1/NFPA54, and/or local codes. In Canada, installation must conform to the latest edition of CSA B149.1 National Gas and Propane Gas Installation Code, and/or local codes.

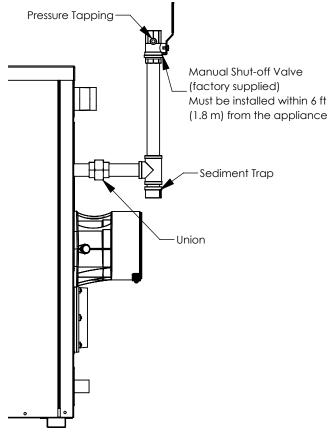
Safe operation of the appliance requires properly sized gas supply piping. Design gas piping system to provide adequate gas supply to the appliance. Account for existing and expected future gas utilization equipments such as boilers and cooking equipment.

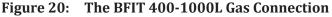
- 1. First verify that the appliance is supplied with the type of gas specified on the rating plate.
- Account for pressure drop from the point of delivery to the appliance. The maximum allowable system pressure is ½ psig (14 in. wc). Refer to Table 28 for model specific gas pressures and gas connection sizes.
- 3. If the gas supply pressure is higher than 14 in. wc, An additional field supplied pressure regulator will be required.
- For length of piping and number of fittings refer to and Table 25 for maximum capacity of Schedule 40 pipe. Table 26 lists equivalent pipe length for standard fittings.
- 5. Gas piping systems for gas specific gravity of 0.60 can be sized directly from Table 25 unless authority having jurisdiction specifies a gravity factor be applied. For other specific gravities, apply gravity factor from Table 27. If exact specific gravity is not shown choose next higher value.
- 6. The appliance and its gas connection must be leak tested before placing it in operation.
- To protect the gas valve when testing over 1/2 psig (3.4 kPa), the appliance and its individual shutoff valve must be disconnected from gas supply piping. For testing at 1/2 psig (3.4 kPa) or less, isolate the appliance from gas supply piping by closing the manual shutoff valve on the appliance.
- 8. Locate leaks using approved combustible gas noncorrosive leak detector solution.
- 9. The incoming gas pressure can be measured at the pressure tapping on the manual ball valve.
- 10. If the high or low gas pressure switch tripped, it must be manually reset before the appliance can be restarted. (See Figure 21)
- 11. Gas piping shall be supported by fixed hangers or stands and not by the appliance.

- 12. Purge all air from gas lines.
- 13. Install manual shutoff valve in accordance with state and local requirements.
- 14. All threaded joints should be coated with piping compound resistant to action of liquefied petroleum gas.

### B. Field Connecting Gas Supply

- A manual shutoff valve is shipped loose with the appliance and should be installed as shown in Figure 20 with a sediment trap.
- a. The manual shutoff valve includes tappings for testing supply gas pressure to the appliance.





# NOTICE

The high and low gas pressure switches incorporate a vent limiter as per UL 353 and limits the escape of gas to less than 1.0 CFH at 7 PSI if the internal diaphragm ruptures.

Locate the field supplied gas pressure regulator a minimum of 10 ft from the appliance with no more than 1 elbow in-between.

| Nominal           | Inside           |       | Length of Pipe (Ft) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-------------------|------------------|-------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Pipe Size<br>(In) | Diameter<br>(In) | 10    | 20                  | 30   | 40   | 50   | 60   | 70   | 80   | 90   | 100  |
| 1/2               | 0.622            | 172   | 118                 | 95   | 81   | 72   | 65   | 60   | 56   | 52   | 50   |
| 3/4               | 0.824            | 360   | 247                 | 199  | 170  | 151  | 137  | 126  | 117  | 110  | 104  |
| 1                 | 1.049            | 678   | 466                 | 374  | 320  | 284  | 257  | 237  | 220  | 207  | 195  |
| 1¼                | 1.380            | 1390  | 957                 | 768  | 657  | 583  | 528  | 486  | 452  | 424  | 400  |
| 11⁄2              | 1.610            | 2090  | 1430                | 1150 | 985  | 873  | 791  | 728  | 677  | 635  | 600  |
| 2                 | 2.067            | 4020  | 2760                | 2220 | 1900 | 1680 | 1520 | 1400 | 1300 | 1220 | 1160 |
| 21/2              | 2.469            | 6400  | 4400                | 3530 | 3020 | 2680 | 2430 | 2230 | 2080 | 1950 | 1840 |
| 3                 | 3.068            | 11300 | 7780                | 6250 | 5350 | 4740 | 4290 | 3950 | 3674 | 3450 | 3260 |

### Table 25: Maximum capacity of schedule 40 black pipe in CFH\*

\*1 CFH of Natural Gas is approximately equal to 1 MBH; contact your gas suppliers for the actual heating value of your gas.

| Nominal           | Inside           | Length of Pipe (Ft) |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Pipe Size<br>(In) | Diameter<br>(In) | 10                  | 20   | 30   | 40   | 50   | 60   | 70   | 80   | 90   | 100  |
| 1/2               | 0.622            | 116                 | 80   | 64   | 55   | 48   | 44   | 40   | 38   | 35   | 33   |
| 3/4               | 0.824            | 242                 | 166  | 134  | 114  | 101  | 92   | 85   | 79   | 74   | 70   |
| 1                 | 1.049            | 456                 | 314  | 252  | 215  | 191  | 173  | 159  | 148  | 139  | 131  |
| 1¼                | 1.380            | 937                 | 644  | 517  | 442  | 392  | 355  | 327  | 304  | 285  | 269  |
| 11⁄2              | 1.610            | 1403                | 964  | 775  | 663  | 588  | 532  | 490  | 456  | 427  | 404  |
| 2                 | 2.067            | 2703                | 1858 | 1492 | 1277 | 1131 | 1025 | 943  | 877  | 823  | 778  |
| 21/2              | 2.469            | 4308                | 2961 | 2377 | 2035 | 1803 | 1634 | 1503 | 1399 | 1312 | 1239 |
| 3                 | 3.068            | 7615                | 5234 | 4203 | 3567 | 3188 | 2889 | 2658 | 2472 | 2320 | 2191 |

\*1 CFH of LP gas is approximately equal to 2.5 MBH; contact your gas supplier for the actual heating value of your gas.

 Table 26:
 Equivalent Lengths of Standard Pipe Fittings & Valves (ft)

|                      |                            | Valves (Screwed) - Fully Open |       |       | Screwed Fittings |              |        |      |                                  |                                   |
|----------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|------------------|--------------|--------|------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Nominal<br>Pipe Size | Inside<br>Diameter<br>(in) | Gate                          | Globe | Angle | Swing<br>Check   | 45°<br>Elbow | Roturn |      | 90 Tee<br>Flow<br>Through<br>Run | 90 Tee, Flow<br>Through<br>Branch |
| 1/2                  | 0.622                      | 0.4                           | 17.3  | 8.7   | 4.3              | 0.7          | 1.6    | 3.5  | 1.6                              | 3.1                               |
| 3⁄4                  | 0.824                      | 0.5                           | 22.9  | 11.4  | 5.7              | 1.0          | 2.1    | 4.6  | 2.1                              | 4.1                               |
| 1                    | 1.049                      | 0.6                           | 29.1  | 14.6  | 7.3              | 1.2          | 2.6    | 5.8  | 2.6                              | 5.2                               |
| 1¼                   | 1.38                       | 0.8                           | 38.3  | 19.1  | 9.6              | 1.6          | 3.5    | 7.7  | 3.5                              | 6.9                               |
| 1½                   | 1.61                       | 0.9                           | 44.7  | 22.4  | 11.2             | 1.9          | 4.0    | 9.0  | 4.0                              | 8.0                               |
| 2                    | 2.067                      | 1.2                           | 57.4  | 28.7  | 14.4             | 2.4          | 5.2    | 11.5 | 5.2                              | 10.3                              |
| 21/2                 | 2.469                      | 1.4                           | 68.5  | 34.3  | 17.1             | 2.9          | 6.2    | 13.7 | 6.2                              | 12.3                              |
| 3                    | 3.068                      | 1.8                           | 85.2  | 42.6  | 21.3             | 3.6          | 7.7    | 17.1 | 7.7                              | 15.3                              |

| Specific<br>Gravity | Correction<br>Factor | Specific<br>Gravity | Correction<br>Factor |
|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| 0.60                | 1.00                 | 0.90                | 0.82                 |
| 0.65                | 0.96                 | 1.0                 | 0.78                 |
| 0.70                | 0.93                 | 1.10                | 0.74                 |
| 0.75                | 0.90                 | 1.20                | 0.71                 |
| 0.80                | 0.87                 | 1.30                | 0.68                 |
| 0.85                | 0.81                 | 1.40                | 0.66                 |

# Table 27: Specific Gravity Correction Factors

### C. Gas Pressure Switches

- 1. This appliance is equipped with a high and low gas pressure switch to comply with CSD-1 standards.
  - a. The gas pressure switches will trip if the incoming gas pressure passes the switches' set point. A tripped switch is indicated on the appliance display. A Manual reset is required to reset the switch and resume operation.

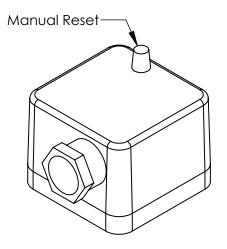


Figure 21: High/Low Gas Pressure Switch

Table 28:Inlet Gas Pressures and Pipe Size

# **A** WARNING

Failure to properly pipe gas supply to appliance may result in improper operation and damage. Always assure gas piping is absolutely leak free and of the proper size and type for the connected load.

An additional gas pressure regulator may be needed. Consult gas supplier.

Failure to use proper thread compounds on all gas connections may result in leaks of flammable gas.

Gas supply to appliance and system must be completely shut off prior to installing or servicing the gas piping.

Do not use matches, candles, or other open flame ignition source to check for leaks.

Use two wrenches when tightening gas piping at the appliance, use one wrench to prevent the gas train from turning.

Failure to support the connection pipe could damage safety components.

Ensure that the high gas pressure regulator is at least 10 feet (3 m) upstream of the appliance.

# NOTICE

Use lock-up type gas pressure regulator when low and high gas pressure switches are installed. Older or non-lock-up type regulators may result in nuisance lockouts on gas pressure drops or spikes.

The BFIT and all other appliances must be firing at maximum capacity to properly measure the inlet gas pressure.

| Inlet Size | Min. Gas Pres.<br>(In. W.C.)            |  |   | as Pres.<br>N.C.)                | High Gas<br>Pressure Switch <sup>1</sup>  | Low Gas<br>Pressure Switch <sup>1</sup><br>(In. W.C.)  |  |
|------------|---|--|---|----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| ()         | Natural                                 | Propane  | Natural Propa   |                                  | (In. W.C.)  |  |  |
| 3/4        |   |  |   |                                  |   |  |  |
| 3/4        | 4                                       |  |   |                                  |   | Natural: 3   |  |
| 1          |   | 4  | 8   | 14 14                            | 14  | 1  |  |
| 1          |   |  |   |                                  |   | LP: 7  |  |
| 1          |   |  |   |                                  |   |  |  |
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<sup>1</sup>Factory default high and low gas pressure switch setpoint.

### XII. Electrical

### A. General.

Install wiring and electrically ground the appliance in accordance with authority having jurisdiction or, in the absence of such requirements, follow the *National Electrical Code*, NFPA 70, and/or *Canadian Electrical Code* Part 1, CSA C22.1.

 A separate electrical circuit must be run from the main electrical service with an over-current device/disconnect in the circuit. A service switch is recommended and may be required by some local jurisdictions. Install the service switch in the line voltage "Hot" leg of the power supply. Locate the service switch such that the appliance can be shut-off without exposing personnel to danger in the event of an emergency.

#### **B.** Power Requirements

 Nominal appliance current draw is provided in Table 29. These values are for planning purposes only and represent the appliance's maximum power consumption.

| BFIT<br>Model | Voltage | Phase | Hz | Appliance<br>Amperage |  |  |
|---------------|---------|-------|----|-----------------------|--|--|
| 400           |         |       |    | 7                     |  |  |
| 500           |         |       |    | 7                     |  |  |
| 650           | 120     | 1     | 60 | 8                     |  |  |
| 800           |         |       |    | 8                     |  |  |
| 1000L         |         |       |    | 8                     |  |  |

### Table 29: Electrical Ratings

### C. Appliance Wiring

- 1. Connect to the field wiring PCB's inside the rear control box.
  - a. Low voltage PCB has connections for the header sensor, external limits, Alarm, 4-20 mA, etc. One 24V fuse and spare are provided. See Figure 23.
  - b. 120 VAC PCB (Figure 22) has connections for line voltage and pumps. Do not exceed 5.6A total pump current draw (system + DHW + boiler pumps). One 6.3A slow-blow pump fuse and spare are provided.

#### **D.** Routing Field Connections

1. Route all field connections through conduits into the rear control box.

# A DANGER

**Electrical Shock Hazard:** Ensure all electrical connections are disconnected before attempting installation or service of electrical components or connections of the appliance or building. Lockout all electrical boxes with padlock once power is turned off.

# **A** WARNING

**Electrical Shock Hazard:** Failure to properly wire electrical connections on the appliance may result in serious physical harm.

Electrical power may be from more than one source. Make sure all power is off before attempting any electrical work.

Each appliance must be protected with a properly sized over-current device.

Never jump out or make inoperative any safety or operating controls.

The wiring diagrams contained in this manual are for reference purposes only. Each appliance is shipped with a wiring diagram attached to the front door. Refer to this diagram and the wiring diagram of any controls used. Read, understand and follow all wiring instructions supplied with the control.

### NOTICE

All wires, wire nuts, controls etc. are installer supplied unless otherwise noted.

When making low voltage connections, make sure that no external power source is present in the thermostat or limit circuits. If such a power source is present, it could destroy the microprocessor control. One example of an external power source that could be inadvertently connected to the low voltage connections is a transformer with old thermostat wiring.

To obtain total system power consumption add all selected circulator and component current draws

Label all wires prior to servicing controls. Wiring errors can cause improper and dangerous operation. Verify Proper operation after servicing.

- 2. Wire the Header Sensor to the terminals labeled "Header Sensor" on the low voltage PCB.
  - a. Avoid placing the senor near potential sources of electrical noise such as transformers, power lines, and fluorescent lighting. Wire the sensor to the appliance using 22 gauge or larger wire. As with the sensor, the sensor wiring should be routed away from sources of electrical noise. Where it is impossible to avoid such noise sources, wire the sensor using a 2 conductor, *UL Type CM, AWM Style 2092, 300 Volt 60 C* shielded.

### E. System and Circulation Pump Wiring

- Do not exceed 5.6A total pump current draw (system +DHW + boiler pumps). One 6.3A slowblow pump fuse and spare are provided.
  - a. The system pump can be wired to "System Pump" on the 120 VAC PCB.
  - b. The primary pump can be wired to "Boiler Pump" on the 120 VAC PCB.

# **WARNING**

Appliance must be electrically grounded as required by National Electrical Code ANSI/NFPA 70-latest edition.

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

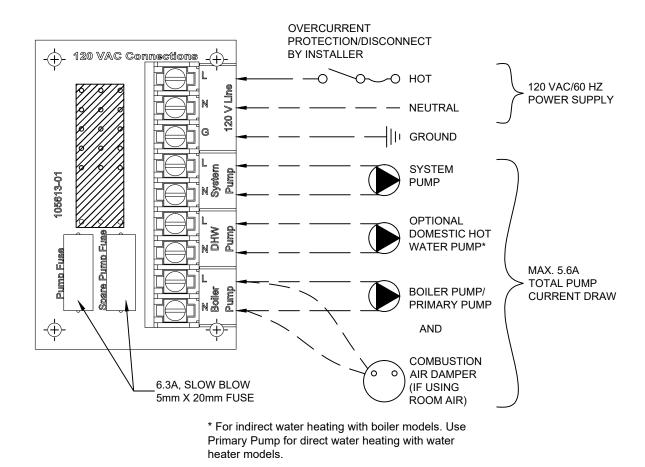


Figure 22: 120 VAC Connections PCB

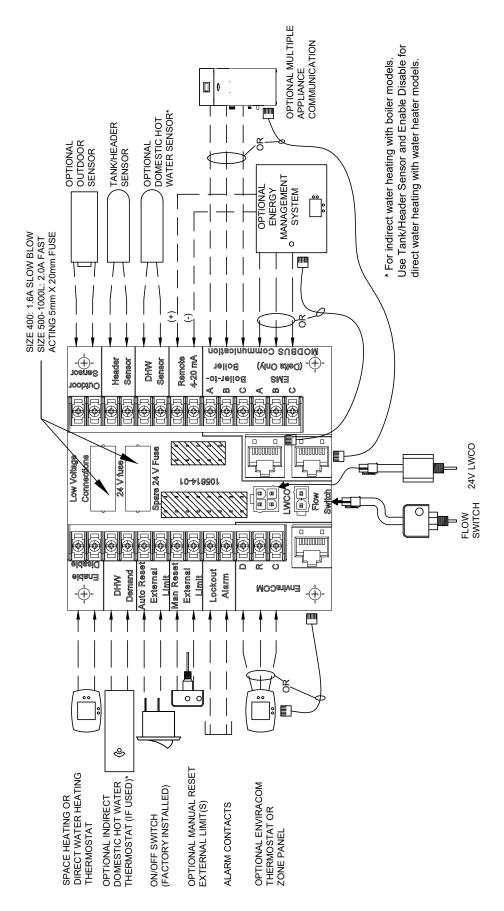
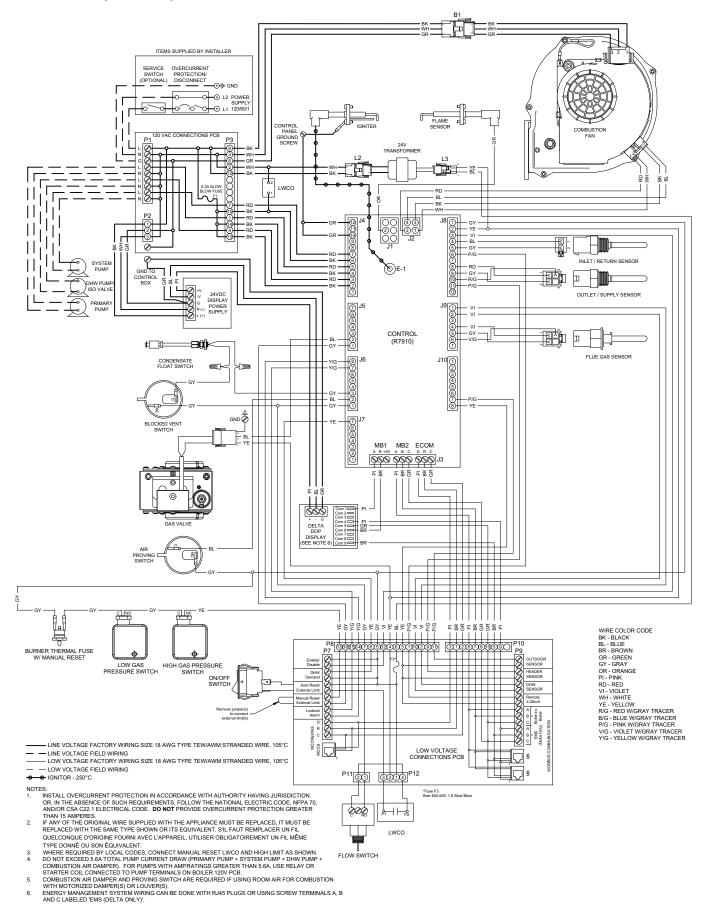


Figure 23: Low Voltage Connections PCB



#### Figure 24: BFIT 400-1000L Wire Schematic

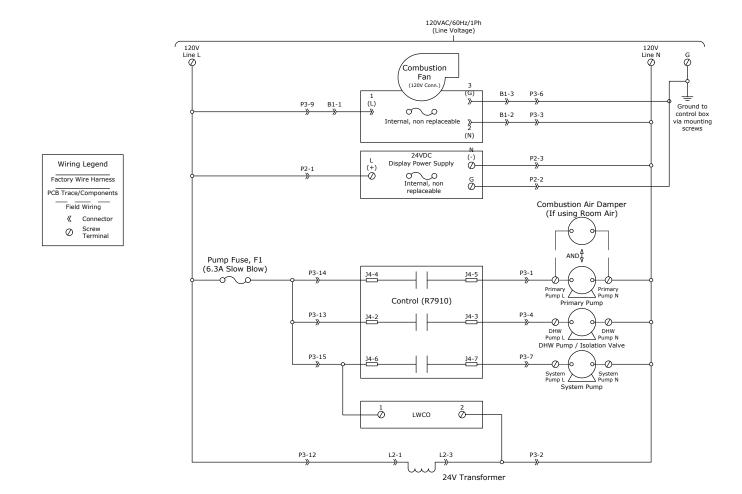
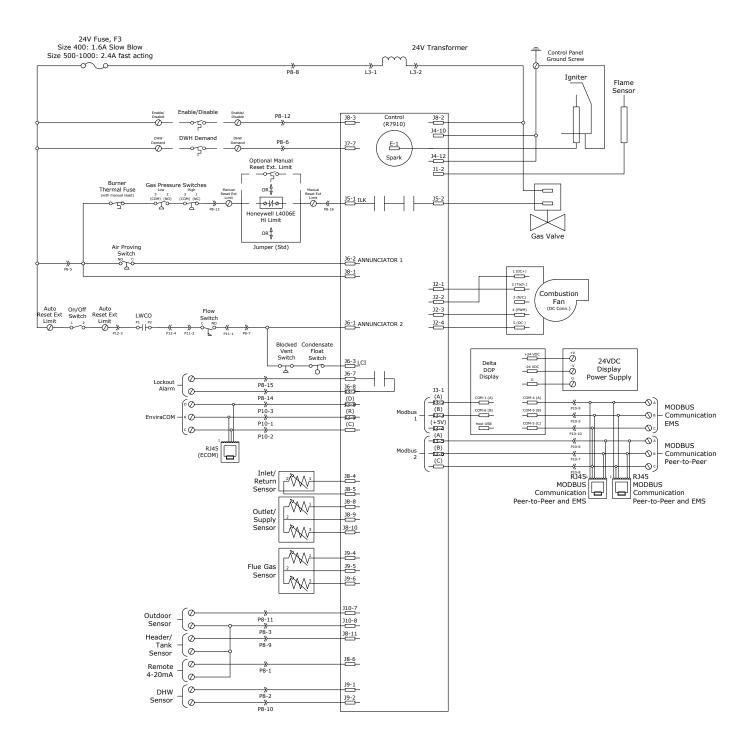


Figure 25: BFIT 400-1000L Wire Diagram



Wire Diagram (continued)

### XIII. System Start-up

### A. Check System Setup

- 1. Verify that the venting, water piping, gas piping and electrical system are installed properly. Refer to installation instructions contained in this manual.
- 2. Confirm all electrical, water, and gas supplies are turned off at the source and that venting is clear of obstructions.
- 3. Flush the system to remove sediment, flux, and other contaminants. This must be done with the appliance isolated from the system.
- 4. Fill the hot water system with treated water as specified in the water quality section of this manual.
  - a. Maintain at least 15 psi primary loop pressure.
- 5. Power the appliance. Turn on the electrical supply to the appliance and circulator at the fuse disconnect switch.
- 6. Power the circulator(s). Turn system circulator(s) on and purge air from the system.
- 7. Pressurize the fuel line.
  - a. Open the manual gas shut-off valves located upstream of the field supplied gas regulator.
  - b. Check gas piping for leaks and purge gas line of air.
  - c. Ensure the incoming gas pressure is within the min and max on the rating label. Also, ensure the setting for the high and low gas pressure switches are within the limits given in Table 28.
  - d. Reset high and low gas pressure switches by pressing the reset button.

#### B. Start the BFIT

Start the appliance using "Operating Instructions"in Figure 26.

- 1. Allow the appliance to complete its standard startup sequence: pre-purge, pre-ignition, and drive light-off.
- 2. Refer to the Concert Control manual to select the desired control mode.
- 3. It may take a couple of ignition attempts before a flame is established. After the first ignition failure, the appliance goes into a hard lockout and a manual reset using the Concert Control is required to restart. If ignition is not achieved in three consecutive attempts, contact factory or a qualified heating service technician.

# A DANGER

Do not use matches, candles, or other open flame ignition sources to check for leaks.

Make sure that the area around the appliance is clear and free from combustible materials, gasoline and other flammable vapors and liquids.

# A WARNING

Start-up of this appliance should be undertaken only by trained and skilled personnel from a qualified service agency. Follow these instructions exactly. Improper installation, adjustment, service or maintenance can cause property damage, personal injury, or loss of life.

The maximum operating pressure of this appliance is 150psi (1034 kPa) with the factory installed temperature and pressure relief valve. Never exceed the maximum allowable working pressure on the heat exchanger ASME plate.

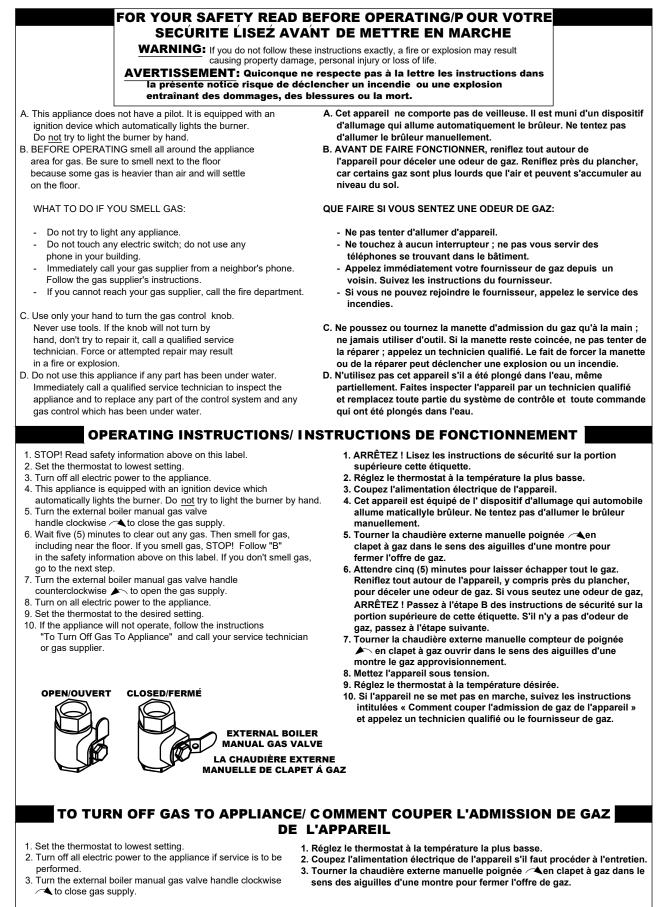
The outlet pressure for the gas valve has been factory set and requires no field adjustment. Attempting to adjust the outlet pressure may result in damage to the gas valve and cause property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

Each BFIT Series appliance is tested at the factory and adjustments to the air fuel mixture are normally not necessary. Improper gas valve or mixture adjustments could result in property damage, personal injury, or loss of life.

Any gas valve adjustments (throttle and/or offset) specified herein and subsequent combustion data  $(%O_2, %CO_2, CO \text{ air free ppm})$  collection must be performed using a calibrated combustion analyzer.

# **A** WARNING

Failure to install the condensate drain in accordance with the instructions in this manual could cause flue gas to enter the building, resulting in personal injury or death.



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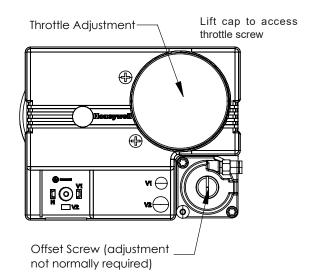
#### Figure 26: Operating Instructions

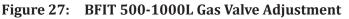
- 4. Begin commissioning the appliance. Visually inspect flame via sight glass window. On high fire the flame should be stable and mostly blue. Yellow tips should not be present; but, intermittent flecks of yellow and orange in the flame are normal.
- 5. Test any other external limits or other controls in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 6. Verify  $O_2$  (or  $CO_2$ ) and CO concentration are within limits specified in Table 30. Note: the values in this table are for sea level only. For high altitude installation, above 2000 ft. consult factory.

### C. Combustion Air/Fuel Adjustment

- 1. For high fire adjustment
  - a. Lock the appliance in high fire and allow fan speed and combustion analyzer reading to stabilize before taking combustion readings. To lock in high fire, select MAIN MENU >> OPERATION. Select lock symbol, type password and select ENTER. From the Operation screen, select Automatic / Manual Firing Rate Control >> Manual Modulation. Go back to Operation screen. Then select High Low >> High.
  - b. Once high fire rate is reached, adjust the O<sub>2</sub> level at high fire with all the jackets, including the front cabinet door, closed.
  - c. For appliances specified to be less than 20 ppm NOx adjust  $O_2$  level to approximately 6.0% (Natural gas).
  - d. If high fire  $O_2$  is too high ( $CO_2$  is too low), decrease  $O_2$  (increase  $CO_2$ ) by turning the throttle screw counter-clockwise in 1/4 turn increments and checking the  $O_2$  (or  $CO_2$ ) after each adjustment. Refer to Figure 27 or Figure 28 for location of throttle screw. Verify CO air free is less than 200 ppm.

- e. If high fire O<sub>2</sub> is too low (CO<sub>2</sub> is too high), increase O<sub>2</sub> (decrease CO<sub>2</sub>) by turning the throttle screw clockwise in 1/4 turn increments and checking the O<sub>2</sub> (or CO<sub>2</sub>) after each adjustment. Refer to Figure 27 or Figure 28 for location of throttle screw. Verify CO air free is less than 200 ppm.
- 2. For low fire adjustment
  - Lock appliance in low fire and allow fan speed and combustion analyzer reading to stabilize before taking combustion readings. To lock in low fire, select High Low >> Low.
  - b. If low fire  $O_2$  is too low ( $CO_2$  is too high), increase  $O_2$ (decrease  $CO_2$ ) by turning the offset screw counterclockwise in less than 1/8 turn increments and checking the  $O_2$  (or  $CO_2$ ) after each adjustment. Verify CO concentration is less than 200 ppm.





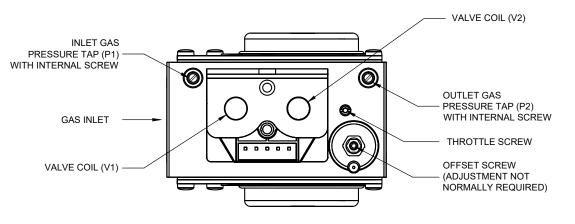


Figure 28: BFIT 400 Gas Valve Adjustment

- c. If low fire  $O_2$  is too high ( $CO_2$  is too low), decrease  $O_2$  (increase  $CO_2$ ) by turning the offset screw clockwise in 1/4 turn increments and check  $O_2$  (or  $CO_2$ ) after each adjustment. Verify CO air free is less than 200 ppm.
- d. Verify O<sub>2</sub> repeatability by modulating to high and low fire three times.
- e. Once the appliance is operating within the specified high and low fire ranges, record emissions, flue draft, and other important data.
- f. Compare emission data to the factory emissions report posted on the back of the front jacket panel.
- Return the appliance to Automatic Mode. From Operation screen, select Automatic / Manual Firing Rate Control >> Automatic Modulation. Select HOME to return to the Home Screen.

### D. Field Conversion of Gas Type

This appliance is factory tested and set up for the gas type selected but can be field converted with the following steps.

- 1. Order a gas conversion kit for the model size being converted.
  - a. Gas conversion kits include a mixer and label. See Table 32 for part numbers.
  - b. Replace the old mixer with the new one.
- 2. Connect the new gas supply to the appliance, check for leaks, and purge the gas line in accordance with the *National Fuel Gas Code*, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 and/or *Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code*, CAN/CSA B149.1 or the requirements of the authority having jurisdiction.
- 3. Adjust the throttle screw towards negative (-) (clockwise) all the way to the closed position. Then, open the throttle with the number of turns for the gas type and model as given in Table 31.
- 4. Start the appliance using operating instructions in Figure 26. Even if the gas line has been completely purged of air, the burner may fail to ignite. If burner does not light, turn the throttle towards positive (+) counter-clockwise in 1/4 turn increments, allowing at least three tries for ignition at each setting, until ignition is achieved.
- 5. Use a combustion analyzer and follow the Air/Fuel adjustment instructions to set up high fire and low fire.
- 6. Fill out the gas conversion labels included with the appliance (Order part number 110301-01 if not included). Follow the instructions included with the label for placement.

# **WARNING**

Make sure that all adjustments at high fire are made with the throttle, not offset screw.

The offset screw has been factory set using precision instruments and must never be adjusted in the field unnecessarily.

Attempting to adjust the offset screw could result in damage to the gas valve and may cause property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

This appliance is tested at the factory and adjustments to the air fuel mixture are normally not necessary. Improper gas valve or mixture adjustments could result in property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

### Table 30: Combustion $O_2/CO_2$ Levels

|               | Natura            | al Gas           | LP                | Gas              |
|---------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| BFIT<br>Model | CO <sub>2</sub> % | 0 <sub>2</sub> % | CO <sub>2</sub> % | O <sub>2</sub> % |
| 400           | 8.8               | 5.2              | 9.8               | 6.0              |
| 500           | 8.8               | 5.2              | 9.8               | 6.0              |
| 650           | 8.8               | 5.2              | 9.8               | 6.0              |
| 800           | 8.8               | 5.2              | 9.8               | 6.0              |
| 1000L         | 8.8               | 5.2              | 9.8               | 6.0              |

# Table 31:Approximate Throttle Screw<br/>Position for Gas Types

| BFIT  | Number of turns from closed |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Model | Natural Gas/Propane Gas     |  |  |  |  |  |
| 400   | 5                           |  |  |  |  |  |
| 500   | 1                           |  |  |  |  |  |
| 650   | 1                           |  |  |  |  |  |
| 800   | 1                           |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1000L | 1                           |  |  |  |  |  |

| BFIT  | Part Number    |           |  |  |  |
|-------|----------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| Model | To Natural Gas | To LP Gas |  |  |  |
| 400   | 111545-01      | 111544-01 |  |  |  |
| 500   | 111545-02      | 111544-02 |  |  |  |
| 650   | 111545-03      | 111544-03 |  |  |  |
| 800   | 111545-04      | 111544-04 |  |  |  |
| 1000L | 111545-05      | 111544-05 |  |  |  |

### E. Pump Control

Ensure the appropriate pump parameters are selected in the Pumps menu of the Concert control. Refer to the Concert Boiler Control manual for more information.

### F. Check Thermostat Operation

Verify that the appliance starts and stops in response to calls for hot water. Make sure that the appropriate circulator(s) start and stop.

#### G. Adjust Supply Water Temperature

As shipped, the central heat and DHW setpoint is 180°F (82.2°C). If necessary, adjust this to the appropriate settings for the system to which this appliance is connected. For information on how to adjust the set point, refer to the "Setup and Tuning" section of the Concert<sup>™</sup> Boiler Control manual.

1. For a hot water supply boiler supplying domestic hot water, at the factory setting, a mixing valve is required to control the supply water at a temperature that will not cause scalding.

### H. Testing of Controls and Safety Devices

Prior to placing the appliance in operation, the installing contractor or other responsible personnel must perform safety and control device limit tests to ensure proper operation of the appliance. Refer to Table 33 for recommended method(s) of carrying out these safety limit devices tests.

| Component                       | Test Method(s)   | After Lockout<br>Annunciation  | Actual Alarm<br>Message                          |
|---------------------------------|--|--|--|
| High Gas<br>Pressure<br>Switch  | Close the manual gas valve<br>between the gas valve and the<br>blower. Cycle the power.                                  | Manually reset the Concert Boiler<br>Control and switch. Adjust the switch<br>to its normal setting. | Hard Lockout.<br>Gas Pressure<br>Switch          |
| Low Gas<br>Pressure Switch      | Increase the setting of the switch<br>until the switch trips.  | Manually reset the Concert Boiler<br>Control and switch. Adjust the switch<br>to its normal setting. | Hard Lockout.<br>Gas Pressure<br>Switch          |
| Vestibule<br>Thermal Fuse       | Disconnect one wire of the thermal fuse. Cycle the power.  | Re-connect wiring to the thermal fuse. Reset thermal fuse lockout.                                   | Hard Lockout.<br>Thermal Fuse                    |
| Blocked<br>Condensate<br>Switch | Disconnect one wire of the blocked condensate switch. Cycle the power.   | Re-connect wire to the blocked condensate switch. Reset the blocked condensate switch lockout.       | Hard Lockout.<br>Blocked<br>Condensate<br>switch |
| Low Water<br>Cutoff             | While the appliance is running<br>push and hold the LWCO test<br>button until the control shuts<br>down the main burner. | Manually reset the Concert Boiler<br>Control and reset the LWCO by<br>pressing the reset button.     | Hard Lockout.<br>Low Water Level.                |
| Water Flow<br>Switch            | Reduce the water flow rate with<br>a manual shutoff valve until the<br>appliance shuts down.                             | Adjust manual valve to normal position.  | Low Water Flow                                   |

### Table 33:Safety Device Test

# IMPORTANT PRODUCT SAFETY INFORMATION REFRACTORY CERAMIC FIBER PRODUCT

#### WARNING:

The Repair Parts list designates parts that contain refractory ceramic fibers (RCF). RCF has been classified as a possible human carcinogen. When exposed to temperature above 1805 °F, such as during direct flame contact, RCF changes into crystaline silica, a know carcinogen. When disturbed as a result of servicing or repair, these substances became airborne and, if inhaled, may be hazardous to your health.

### **AVOID Breathing Fiber Particulates and Dust**

### **Precautionary Measures:**

Do not remove or replace RCF parts or attempt any service or repair work involving RCF without wearing the following protective gears:

- 1. A National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) approved respirator
- 2. Long sleeved, loose fitting clothing
- 3. Gloves
- 4. Eye Protection
  - Take steps to assure adequate ventilation
  - Wash all exposed body area gently with soap and water after contact.
  - Wash work clothes separately from other laundry and rinse washing machine after use to avoid contaminating other clothing.
  - Discard used RCF components by sealing in an airtight plastic bag. RCF and crystalline silica are not classified as hazardous wastes in the United State and Canada.

### **First Aid Procedures:**

- If contact with eyes: Flush with water for at least 15 minutes. Seek immediate medical attention if irritation persists.
- 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.

### **XIV. Service and Maintenance**

### A. General Maintenance

- Keep the area around the appliance free from combustible materials. (Gasoline and other flammable vapors and liquids)
- 2. Keep the area around the combustion air inlet terminal free from contaminants.
- 3. Keep the boiler room ventilation orifices open and unobstructed.
- 4. Remove front jacket panel and check minimum and blocked vent switches for cracks and check pressure sensing line connections.
- 5. Vacuum any sediment and dust from the interior and components.

### **B.** Monthly Inspection

- 1. Inspect the vent piping and outside air intake piping to verify they are open, unobstructed, and free of leakage or deterioration. Check screens in vent and air intake terminations to verify they are clean and free of debris.
- 2. Inspect the condensate drain system to verify it is leak proof, open and unobstructed. Call the service technician if the condensate drain system requires maintenance.
- 3. Inspect water and gas lines to verify they are free of leaks.

#### C. Annual Inspections and Service

In addition to the inspection listed above the following should be performed by a service technician once every year.

- 1. Water flow switch
  - a. Test the flow switch by disabling the appliance's primary loop circulator. The appliance must not start when there is no flow of water.
  - b. Remove flow switch and visually inspect paddle length. The markings on the flow switch should correspond to the model size to witch it is installed.

# **A** WARNING

Read and understand the entire manual before attempting installation, start-up, operation, or service. Installation and service must be performed only by an experienced and skilled installer or service agency.

This appliance requires regular maintenance and service to operate safely. Follow the instructions contained in this manual. Improper installation, adjustment, alteration, service, or maintenance can cause property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

A clean and unobstructed venting system is necessary to allow noxious fumes that could cause injury or loss of life to vent safely, and will contribute toward maintaining the appliance's efficiency.

Installation is not complete unless a safety relief valve is installed in the tapping located on the water manifold or supply piping. Refer to piping section of the manual.

If damage due to frozen pipes is a possibility, the piping system should be not left unattended in cold weather; or appropriate safeguards and alarms should be installed on the heating system to prevent damage if the appliance is inoperative.

Do not unscrew any pipe fittings nor attempt to disconnect any components on this appliance without positively assuring the water is cool and has no pressure. Always wear protective clothing and equipment when installing, starting up, or servicing this appliance to prevent scald injuries.

# **A** CAUTION

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

Verify proper operation after servicing.

# NOTICE

To reduce lime scale buildup and prolong the life of the appliance, closely monitor pH, chloride, total dissolved solids, and water hardness levels.

### XIV. Service and Maintenance (continued)

#### 2. Igniter Electrode

- a. Disconnect power to the unit and remove ignition electrode from the burner door.
- b. Visually inspect igniter assembly (ceramic insulators, bracket, and graphite gasket) for damage. Replace igniter assembly if the electrodes are deformed or ceramic insulators are cracked.

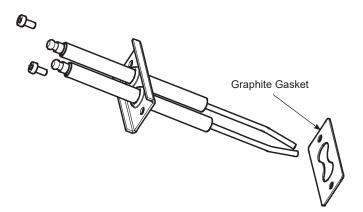


Figure 29: Igniter Electrode Assembly

- c. Remove any excess oxide deposits from the surface of the igniter with steel wool or emery cloth. Do not use sandpaper.
- d. Install igniter as shown in Figure 29.
- 3. Ionization Electrode (Flame Rod)
  - a. Disconnect power to the unit and remove flame rod from the burner door.
  - b. Visually inspect electrode assembly (ceramic insulator, bracket, and graphite gasket) for damage. Replace the assembly if the electrode is deformed or the ceramic insulator is cracked.
  - c. Remove any excess oxide deposits from the surface with steel wool or emery cloth. Do not use sandpaper.
  - d. Install igniter as shown in Figure 30.

# 🚹 DANGER

This appliance uses flammable gas, high voltage electricity, moving parts, and very hot water under high pressure. Ensure that all gas and electric power supplies are off and that the water temperature is cool before attempting any disassembly or service.

Do not attempt any service work if gas is present in the air around the appliance. Never modify, remove or tamper with any control device.

# **A** WARNING

This appliance contains components that become very hot when the operating. Do not touch any components unless they are cool.

This appliance contains materials of construction, products of combustion and the fuel contain alumina, silica, heavy metals, carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, aldehyde and/or other toxic or harmful substances which can cause death or serious injury and which are known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects and other reproductive harm. Always use proper safety clothing, respirators, and other safety equipment when servicing or working near the appliance.

Failure to follow all instructions in the proper order can cause personal injury or death. Read all instructions, including all those contained in component manufacturers manuals which are provided with the appliance before installing, starting up, operating, maintaining, or servicing.

All cover plates, enclosures and guards must be in place at all times.

If any controls are replaced, they must be replaced with identical models.

If any electrical wires are disconnected during service, clearly label the wires and assure that the wires are reconnected properly.

Never jump out or bypass any safety or operating control or component.

Interior of the venting system must be inspected and clean before the initial startup and should be inspected periodically for any obstructions.

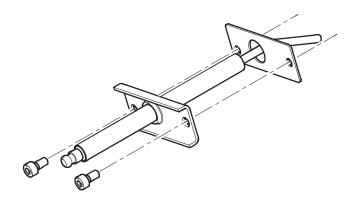


Figure 30: Ionization Electrode (Flame Rod)

- 4. Flue outlet connection
  - a. Visually inspect flue outlet gasket for damage or deterioration, replace if necessary.
  - b. Any accumulation of soot or debris should be thoroughly cleaned out.
- 5. Combustion air filter with air box
  - a. Undo the latches on the filter box to lift the lid and access the filter.
  - b. Clean the filter of dust and debris using compress air or water.
  - c. Replace filter if it appears damaged or deteriorated.
  - d. Reinstall filter and lid.
- 6. Insulations and gaskets
- a. Visually inspect the following gaskets: flue outlet, blower, burner, and burner door.
- 7. Burner and Combustion Chamber
  - a. To gain access to burner and combustion chamber, first remove front jacket panel and then disconnect the gas train assembly at the union connection and the mixer connection.
  - b. Remove the filter box from the mixer.
  - c. Remove all six bolts used to fasten the burner door to the heat exchanger.
  - d. Slide the control box out.
  - e. The burner door, blower, and mixer assembly can be pulled out of the appliance jacket as shown in Figure 31.

# **A** WARNING

Failure to properly secure the burner/blower/gas valve assembly to the heat exchanger could lead to property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

Read, understand and follow all the instructions and warnings contained in ALL of the component instruction manuals.

Assure that all safety and operating controls and components are operating properly before placing the appliance back in service.

Annually inspect all vent gaskets and replace any exhibiting damage or deterioration.

# NOTICE

This appliance has a limited warranty, a copy of which is included in shipping. It is the Responsibility of the installing contractor to see that all controls are correctly installed and are operating properly when the installation is complete.

Warranty does not cover damage or malfunction if the steps mentioned in this manual are not performed at the intervals specified.

Water leaks can cause severe corrosion damage immediately repair any leaks found.

- f. Gently blow compressed air over the burner surface and door insulation to remove lint and debris. Replace burner if the surface shows any signs of damage due to improper handling or gas valve combustion settings.
- g. Do not use acid or alkali products or metallic brush to clean the heat exchanger coils. Follow these guidelines to clean the heat exchanger:
  - i. Spray the heat exchanger coils with white vinegar (acetic acid) and then flush it with clean water after 20 minutes.
  - ii. Do not spray burner, combustion chamber divider, or burner door insulations.

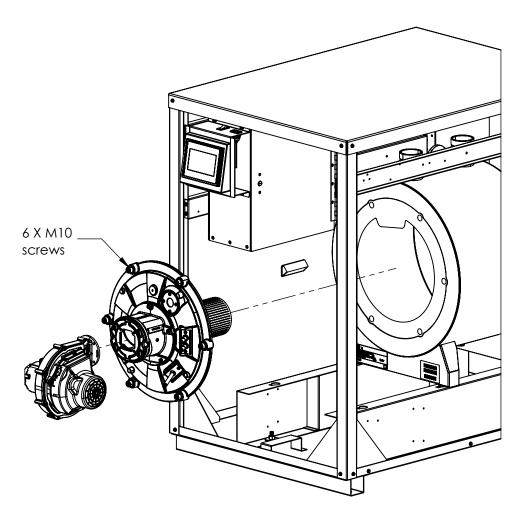


Figure 31: Burner Door Opening

### D. Restarting after Prolong Shutdown

After prolonged shutdown, it is recommended that the steps in "System Start-up" and "Service and Maintenance" in this manual be performed.

### E. Troubleshooting

Refer to the troubleshooting section in the Concert<sup>™</sup> Control manual on how to navigate the Limit String Status screen which shows an active safety limit status and for an in-depth guide to all the possible lockouts as well as recommended corrective actions to restore operation.

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# APPENDIX C: Default Light-off and Modulation Rates

| Parameter  | BFIT Model |      |        |        |        |        |       |  |
|--|------------|------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--|
| Falameter  | 400        | 500  | 650 NG | 650 LP | 800 NG | 800 LP | 1000L |  |
| Max Power MBTU   | 400        | 500  | 650    | 650    | 800    | 800    | 1000  |  |
| CH/DHW Max. Modulation Rate (RPM) <sup>1</sup>   | 8000       | 8000 | 5550   | 5700   | 6400   | 6400   | 6800  |  |
| Minimum Modulation Rate (RPM)  | 1600       | -    | 1050   | 1100   | 1200   | 1200   | 1300  |  |
| Light-off (RPM) <sup>1</sup>   | 3400       | -    | 2400   | 2000   | 2400   | 1900   | 2400  |  |
| Maximum Light-off (RPM)  | 3600       | -    | 2600   | 2200   | 2600   | 2000   | 2600  |  |
| Minimum Light-off (RPM)  | 3000       | -    | 2200   | 1700   | 2200   | 1700   | 2200  |  |
| <sup>1</sup> Factory Default RPM<br>NOTE: To maintain rate in maximum vent length application, contact factory for assistance. |            |      |        |        |        |        |       |  |

#### LIMITED WARRANTY FOR BFIT COMMERCIAL CONDENSING BOILERS

#### Stainless Steel Heat Exchangers and Parts/Accessories

Subject to the terms and conditions set forth below, Bryan Steam, Lancaster, Pennsylvania hereby extends the following limited warranties to the original owner of a commercial grade water boiler or Bryan Steam supplied parts and/or accessories manufactured and shipped on or after June 1, 2019:

#### One Year Limited Warranty On Commercial Boilers and Parts / Accessories Supplied by Bryan Steam

Bryan Steam warrants to the original owner that its commercial grade stainless steel water boilers and parts/accessories comply at the time of manufacture with recognized hydronic industry standards and requirements then in effect and will be free of defects in material and workmanship under normal usage for a period of one year from the date shipment. If any part of a commercial grade boiler or any part or accessory provided by Bryan Steam is found to be defective in material or workmanship during this one year period, Bryan Steam will, at its option, repair or replace the defective part (not including labor).

#### **Ten Year Heat Exchanger Warranty**

Bryan Steam warrants to the original owner that the heat exchanger of its commercial grade stainless steel boilers will remain free from defects in material, workmanship and thermal shock under normal usage per the product's installation and operation manual for the time period specified in the chart below to the original owner at the original place of installation. If a claim is made under this warranty during the "No Charge" period from the date of shipment, Bryan Steam will, at its option, repair or replace the heat exchanger (not including labor). If a claim is made under this warranty after the expiration of the "No Charge" period from the date of shipment, Bryan Steam will, at its option the date of shipment, Bryan Steam will, at its option and upon payment of the pro-rated service charge set forth below, repair or replace the heat exchanger. The service charge applicable to a heat exchanger warranty claim is based upon the number of years the heat exchanger has been in service and will be determined as a percentage of the retail price of the heat exchanger model involved at the time the warranty claim is made as follows:

NOTE: If the heat exchanger involved is no longer available due to product obsolescence or redesign, the value used to establish the retail price will be the published price as set forth in Bryan Steam Repair Parts Pricing where the heat exchanger last appeared or the current retail price of the then nearest equivalent heat exchanger, whichever is greater.

#### **Ten Year Pressure Vessel Shell Warranty**

Bryan Steam warrants to the original owner that the pressure vessel shell assembly of its commercial grade stainless steel boilers will remain free from defects in material and workmanship under normal usage for the time period specified in the chart below to the original owner at the original place of installation. If a claim is made under this warranty during the "No Charge" period from the date of shipment, Bryan Steam will, at its option, repair or replace the pressure vessel (not including labor). If a claim is made under this warranty after the expiration of the "No Charge" period from the date of shipment, Bryan Steam will, at its option, repair or replace the pressure vessel.

NOTE: If the pressure vessel involved is no longer available due to product obsolescence or redesign, the value used to establish the retail price will be the published price as set forth in Bryan Steam Repair Parts Pricing where the heat exchanger last appeared or the current retail price of the then nearest equivalent heat exchanger, whichever is greater.

| Service Charge as a % of Retail Price |           |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |     |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Years of Service                      | 1         | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6  | 7  | 8  | 9  | 10  |
| Heat Exchanger                        | NO CHARGE |   |   |   |   | 20 | 40 | 60 | 80 | 100 |
| Pressure Vessel Shell                 | NO CHARGE |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |    |     |

#### ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. Applicability: The limited warranties set forth above are extended only to the original owner at the original place of installation within the United States and Canada. These warranties are applicable only to boilers, parts, or accessories designated as commercial grade by Bryan Steam and installed and used exclusively for purposes of commercial space heating or domestic hot water generation through a heat exchanger (or a combination for such purposes) and do not apply to residential grade products or industrial uses.

2. Components Manufactured by Others: Upon expiration of the one year limited warranty on commercial grade boilers, all boiler components other than heat exchangers manufactured by others but furnished by Bryan Steam (such as circulator and controls) will be subject only to the manufacturer's warranty, if any.

3. Proper Installation: The warranties extended by Bryan Steam are conditioned upon the installation of the commercial grade boiler, parts, and accessories in strict compliance with Bryan Steam installation instructions. Bryan Steam specifically disclaims liability of any kind caused by or relating to improper installation.

4. Proper Use and Maintenance: The warranties extended by Bryan Steam conditioned upon the use of the commercial grade boiler, parts, and accessories for its intended purposes and its maintenance accordance with Bryan Steam recommendations and hydronics industry standards. For proper installation, use and maintenance, see all applicable sections of the Installation and Operating, and Service Instructions Manual furnished with the unit. 5. This warranty does not cover the following:

a. Expenses for removal or re-installation. The owner will be responsible for the cost of removing and reinstalling the alleged defective part or its replacement and all labor and material connected therewith.

a. Expenses for shipping and handling. The owner will be responsible for the cost of transportation and handling to and from Bryan Steam. Alleged defective part must be returned to factory for warranty determination unless authorized in writing otherwise.

b. Components that are part of the heating system but were not furnished by Bryan Steam as part of the commercial boiler.

c. Improper burner set-up or adjustment, control settings, care or maintenance.

d. This warranty cannot be considered as a guarantee of workmanship of an installer connected with the installation of the Bryan Steam boiler, or as imposing on Bryan Steam liability of any nature for unsatisfactory performance as a result of faulty workmanship in the installation, which liability is expressly disclaimed.

e. Boilers, parts, or accessories installed outside the 48 contiguous United States, the State of Alaska and Canada.

f. Damage to the boiler and/or property due to installation or operation of the boiler that is not in accordance with the boiler installation and operating instruction manual.

i. Any damage or failure of the boiler resulting from hard water, scale buildup or corrosion the heat exchanger. Any damage caused by improper fuels, fuel additives or contaminated combustion air that may cause fireside corrosion and/or c logging of the burner or heat exchanger.

j. Any damage resulting from combustion air contaminated with particulate which cause clogging of the burner or combustion chamber including but not limited to sheetrock or plasterboard particles, dirt, and dust particulate. Any damage, defects or malfunctions resulting from improper operation, maintenance, misuse, abuse, accident, negligence including but not limited to operation with insufficient water flow, improper water level, improper water chemistry, or damage from freezing.

k. Any damage caused by water side clogging due to dirty systems, corrosion products from the system, or improperly maintained water conditions.



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