

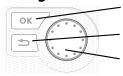
## Installer manual

## NIBE™ F1255PC

Ground source heat pump

### Quick guide

#### **Navigation**



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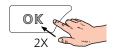
Back button (back/undo/exit)

Control knob (move/increase/reduce)

A detailed explanation of the button functions can be found on page 34. How to scroll through menus and make different settings is described on page 36.

#### Set the indoor climate





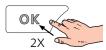


The mode for setting the indoor temperature is accessed by pressing the OK button twice, when in the start mode in the main menu.

#### Increase hot water volume









To temporarily increase the amount of hot water, first turn the control knob to mark menu 2 (water droplet) and then press the OK button twice.

#### In event of disturbances in comfort

If a disturbance in comfort of any type occurs there are some measures that can be taken before you need to contact your installer. See page 55 for instructions.

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## 1 Important information

## **Safety information**

This manual describes installation and service procedures for implementation by specialists.

This appliance can be used by children aged from 8 years and above and persons with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities or lack of experience and knowledge if they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance in a safe way and understand the hazards involved. Children shall not play with the appliance. Cleaning and user maintenance shall not be made by children without supervision.

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#### **Symbols**



#### NOTE

This symbol indicates danger to machine or person.



#### Caution

This symbol indicates important information about what you should observe when maintaining your installation.



#### TIP

This symbol indicates tips on how to facilitate using the product.

#### Marking

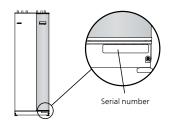
The CE marking means that NIBE ensures that the product meets all regulations that are placed on it based on relevant EU directives. The CE mark is obligatory for most products sold in the EU, regardless where they are made.

#### Serial number

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The serial number can be found at the bottom right of the front cover and in the info menu (menu 3.1).

You can also find the serial number on the type plate PF1, for location see the section for the Heat pump design in the installer manual.





#### Cauti

Always give the product's serial number (14 digits) when reporting a fault.

#### Recovery



Leave the disposal of the packaging to the installer who installed the product or to special waste stations.



Do not dispose of used products with normal household waste. It must be disposed of at a

special waste station or dealer who provides this type of service.

Improper disposal of the product by the user results in administrative penalties in accordance with current legislation.

#### **Country specific information**

#### Installer manual

This installer manual must be left with the customer.

### Inspection of the installation

Current regulations require the heating installation to be inspected before it is commissioned. The inspection must be carried out by a suitably qualified person. In addition, fill in the page for the installation data in the User Manual.

<b>v</b>	Description	Notes	Signature	Date
Brir	ne (page 15)			
	System flushed			
	System vented			
	Antifreeze			
	Level/Expansion vessel			
	Particle filter			
	Safety valve			
	Shut off valves			
	Circulation pump setting			
Hea	iting medium (page 16)			
	System flushed			
	System vented			
	Expansion vessel			
	Particle filter			
	Safety valve			
	Shut off valves			
	Circulation pump setting			
Elec	etricity (page 19)			
	Fuses heat pump			
	Fuses property			
	Outside sensor			
	Room sensor			
	Current sensor			
	Safety breaker			
	Earth circuit-breaker			
	Setting of emergency mode thermostat			
Mis	cellaneous			
	Guarantee submitted			

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## 2 Delivery and handling

### **Transport**

F1255PC should be transported and stored vertically in a dry place. When being moved into a building, F1255PC may be leant back 45 °.

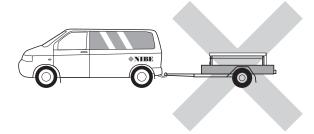


#### NOTE

The product can be tail heavy!

Remove the outer panels in order to protect them when moving in confined spaces inside buildings.





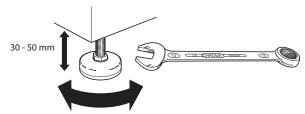
#### Pulling out the cooling module

To simplify transport and service, the heat pump can be separated by pulling the cooling module out from the cabinet.

See page 51 for instructions about the separation.

## **Assembly**

 Position F1255PC on a firm base that can take the weight, preferably on a concrete floor or foundation. Use the product's adjustable feet to obtain a horizontal and stable set-up.

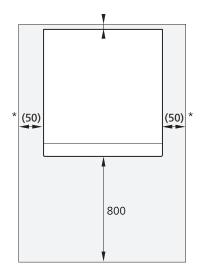


- The area where F1255PC is located must be equipped with floor drainage.
- Install with its back to an outside wall, ideally in a room where noise does not matter, in order to eliminate noise problems. If this is not possible, avoid placing it against a wall behind a bedroom or other room where noise may be a problem.
- Wherever the unit is located, walls to sound sensitive rooms should be fitted with sound insulation.

Route pipes so they are not fixed to an internal wall that backs on to a bedroom or living room.

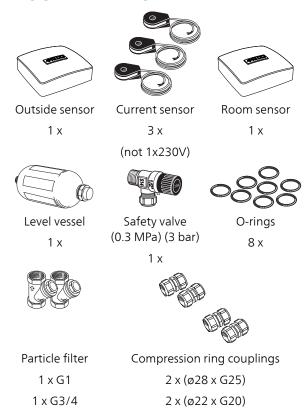
#### Installation area

Leave a free space of 800 mm in front of the product. Approx. 50 mm free space is required on each side, to remove the side panels. The panels do not need to be removed during service, all service on F1255PC can be carried out from the front. Leave space between the heat pump and wall behind (and any routing of supply cables and pipes), to reduce the risk of any transmission of vibrations.



\* A normal installation needs 300 - 400 mm (any side) for connection equipment, i.e. level vessel, valves and electrical equipment.

## **Supplied components**

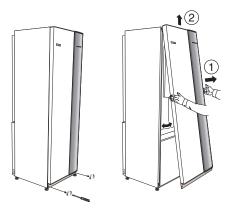


#### Location

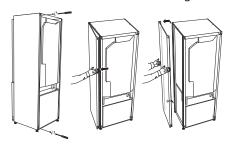
The kit of supplied items is placed in packaging on top of the heat pump.

## Removing the covers

#### Front cover



- Remove the screws from the lower edge of the front cover.
- 2. Lift the cover out at the bottom edge and up.



The side covers can be removed to facilitate the installation.

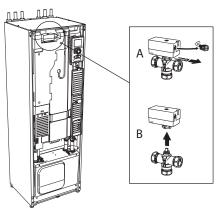
- Remove the screws from the upper and lower edges.
- 2. Twist the cover slightly outward.
- 3. Move the hatch outwards and backwards.
- 4. Assembly takes place in the reverse order.

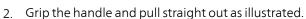
# Removing parts of the insulation

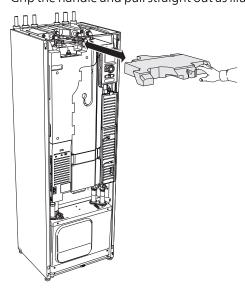
Parts of the insulation can be removed to facilitate the installation.

#### Insulation, top

1. Disconnect the cable from the motor and remove the motor from the shuttle valve as illustrated.







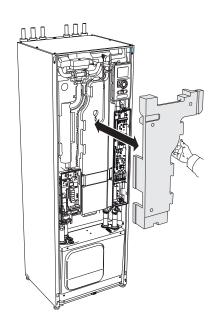
#### Insulation, immersion heater



#### NOTE

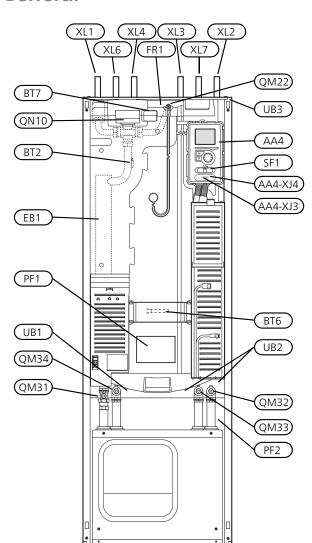
Electrical installation and service must be carried out under the supervision of a qualified electrician. Electrical installation and wiring must be carried out in accordance with the stipulations in force.

- 1. Remove the cover for the junction box according to the description on page 19.
- 2. Grip the handle and pull the insulation carefully towards you as illustrated.

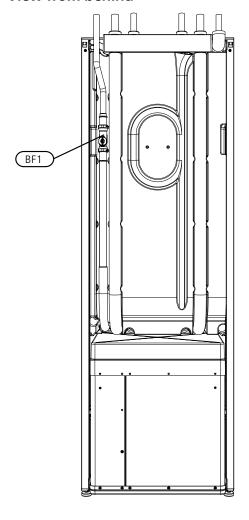


## 3 The heat pump design

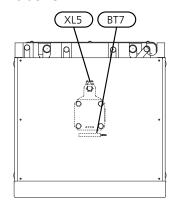
### General



#### View from behind



View from above



#### **Pipe connections**

- XL 1 Connection, heating medium flow
- XL 2 Connection, heating medium return
- XL 3 Connection, cold water
- XL 4 Connection, hot water
- XL 5 Connection, HWC
- XL 6 Connection, brine in
- XL 7 Connection, brine out

#### **HVAC** components

- QM 22 Venting, coil
- QM 31 Shut-off valve, heating medium flow
- QM 32 Shut off valve, heating medium return
- OM 33 Shut off valve, brine out
- QM 34 Shut-off valve, brine in
- QN 10 Shuttle valve, climate system/water heater

#### Sensors etc.

- BF 1 Flow meter\*\*
- BT 1 Outdoor temperature sensor\*
- BT 2 Temperature sensors, heating medium flow
- BT 6 Temperature sensor, hot water charging
- BT 7 Temperature sensor, hot water top

#### **Electrical components**

AA 4 Display unit

AA4-XJ3 USB socket

AA4-XJ4 Service outlet (No function)

- EB 1 Immersion heater
- FR 1 Sacrificial anode\*
- SF 1 Switch
- W 130 Network cable for NIBE Uplink<sup>TM</sup>

#### Miscellaneous

- PF 1 Rating plate
- PF 2 Type plate, cooling section
- UB 1 Cable gland, incoming electricity
- UB 2 Cable gland
- UB 3 Cable gland, rear side, sensor

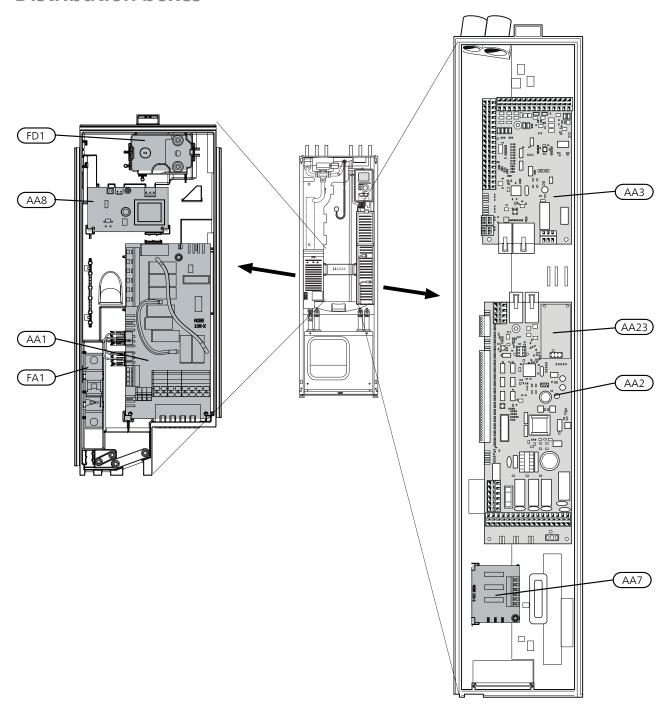
Designations in component locations according to standard IEC 81346-1 and 81346-2.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Only heat pumps with energy meter

<sup>\*</sup> Not illustrated

<sup>\*</sup> Only heat pump with enamelled vessel.

## **Distribution boxes**



#### **Electrical components**

- AA 1 Immersion heater card
- AA 2 Base card
- AA 3 Input circuit board
- AA 7 Extra relay circuit board
- AA 8 Sacrificial anode card\*
- AA 23 Communication board
- FA 1 Miniature circuit-breaker

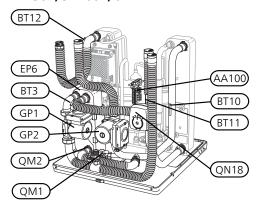
FD 1 Temperature limiter/Emergency mode thermostat

Designations in component locations according to standard IEC 81346-1 and 81346-2.

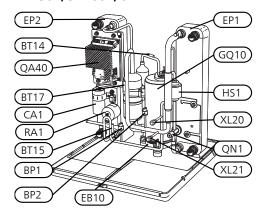
<sup>\*</sup> Only heat pump with enamelled vessel.

### **Cooling section**

#### 1X230V, 3X400V, 6 kW



#### 1X230V, 3X400V, 6 kW



#### **Pipe connections**

XL 20 Service connection, high pressureXL 21 Service connection, low pressure

#### **HVAC** components

GP 1 Circulation pump GP 2 Brine pump

QM 1 Drainage, climate system

QM 2 Draining, brine side

#### Sensors etc.

BP 1 High pressure pressostatBP 2 Low pressure pressostat

BT 3 Temperature sensors, heating medium return

BT 10 Temperature sensor, brine in

BT 11 Temperature sensor, brine out

BT 12 Temperature sensor, condenser supply line

BT 14 Temperature sensor, hot gas

BT 15 Temperature sensor, fluid pipe

BT 17 Temperature sensor, suction gas

#### **Electrical components**

AA 100 Joint card

EB 10 Compressor heater

OA 40 Inverter

#### **Cooling components**

EP 1 Evaporator

EP 2 Condenser

EP 6 Heat exchanger, cooling

GQ 10 Compressor

HS 1 Drying filter

QN 1 Expansion valve

QN 18 Mixing valve, cooling

Designations in component locations according to standard IEC 81346-1 and 81346-2.

## 4 Pipe connections

#### General

Pipe installation must be carried out in accordance with current norms and directives. F1255PC can operate with a return temperature of up to 58 °C and an outgoing temperature from the heat pump of 70(65 °C with only the compressor).

F1255PC is not equipped with external shut off valves; these must be installed to facilitate any future servicing.



#### Caution

Any high points in the climate system, must be equipped with air vents.



#### NOTE

The pipe system needs to be flushed out before the heat pump is connected so that debris cannot damage component parts.



#### NOTE

The climate system must be adjusted for both heating and cooling operation.

#### Symbol key

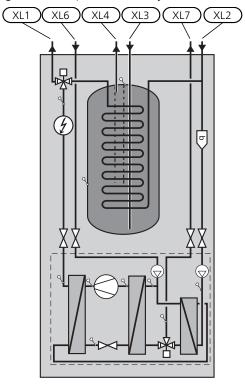
Symbol	Meaning
Î	Venting valve
X	Shut-off valve
X	Non-return valve
0	Level vessel
Σh	Trim valve
	Shunt / shuttle valve
<b>X</b> -	Safety valve
٩	Temperature sensor
$\ominus$	Expansion vessel
P	Pressure gauge
0	Circulation pump
	Particle filter
	Auxiliary relay
P	Flow meter (only heat pumps with energy meter)
0	Compressor
	Heat exchanger

#### System diagram

F1255PC consists of a heat pump, water heater, electrical module, circulation pumps and a control system. F1255PC is connected to the brine and heating medium circuits.

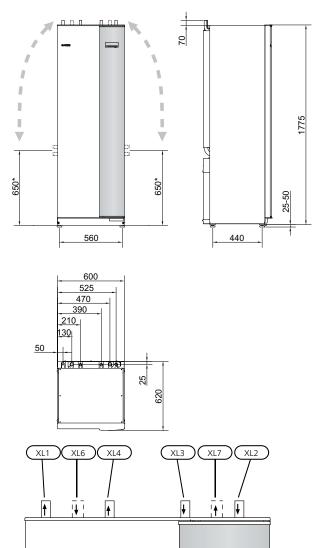
In the heat pump evaporator, the brine (water mixed with anti-freeze, glycol or ethanol) releases its energy to the refrigerant, which is vaporised in order to be compressed in the compressor. The refrigerant, of which the temperature has now been raised, is passed to the condenser where it gives off its energy to the heating medium circuit and, if necessary, to the water heater. If there is a greater need for heating/hot water than the compressor can provide there is an integrated immersion heater.

The brine can also be circulated via a mixing valve to a heat exchanger. There the brine cools the heating system's water so that comfort cooling can be maintained during the hotter periods of the year.



XL 1 Connection, heating medium flow
XL 2 Connection, heating medium return
XL 3 Connection, cold water
XL 4 Connection, hot water
XL 6 Connection, brine in
XL 7 Connection, brine out

# Dimensions and pipe connections



#### **Pipe dimensions**

Connection		
(XL6)/(XL7) Brine in/out ext Ø	(mm)	28
(XL1)/(XL2) Heating medium flow/return ext Ø	(mm)	22
(XL3)/(XL4) Cold/hot water Ø	(mm)	22

#### Brine side

#### Collector



#### Caution

The length of the collector hose varies depending on the rock/soil conditions, climate zone and on the climate system (radiators or underfloor heating).

Max length per coil for the collector should not exceed 400 m.

In those cases where it is necessary to have several collectors, these should be connected in parallel with the possibility for adjusting the flow of the relevant coil

For surface soil heat, the hose should be buried at a depth determined by local conditions and the distance between the hoses should be at least 1 metre.

For several bore holes, the distance between the holes must be determined according to local conditions.

Ensure the collector hose rises constantly towards the heat pump to avoid air pockets. If this is not possible, airvents should be used.

As the temperature of brine system can fall below 0  $^{\circ}$ C it must be protected against freezing down to -15  $^{\circ}$ C. 1 litre of ready mixed brine per meter of collector hose (applies when using PEM-hose 40x 2.4 PN 6.3) is used as a guide value when making the volume calculation.

#### **Side connection**

It is possible to angle the brine connections, for connection to the side instead of top connection.

To angle out a connection:

- 1. Disconnect the pipe at the top connection.
- 2. Angle the pipe in the desired direction.
- 3. If necessary, cut the pipe to the desired length.

#### Connecting the brine side

- Insulate all indoor brine pipes against condensation.
- The level vessel must be installed as the highest point in the brine system on the incoming pipe before the brine pump (Alt. 1).

If the level vessel cannot be placed at the highest point an expansion vessel must be used (Alt. 2).



#### NOTE

Note that condensation may drip from the level vessel. Position the vessel so that this does not harm other equipment.

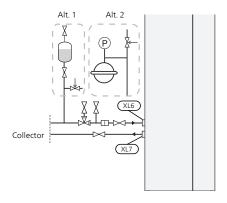
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- Details of the antifreeze used must be shown on the level vessel.
- Install the supplied safety valve under the level vessel as illustrated. The entire length of the overflow water pipe from the safety valves must be inclined to prevent water pockets and must also be frost proof.

<sup>\*</sup> Can be angled for side connection.

- Install shut off valves as close to the heat pump as possible.
- Fit the supplied particle filter on the incoming pipe.

In the case of connection to an open groundwater system, an intermediate frost-protected circuit must be provided, because of the risk of dirt and freezing in the evaporator. This requires an extra heat exchanger.

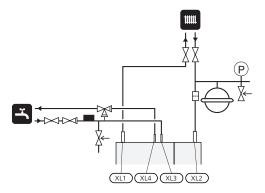


### Heating medium side

#### Connecting the climate system

A climate system is a system that regulates indoor comfort with the help of the control system in F1255PC and for example radiators, underfloor heating/cooling, fan convectors etc.

- Install all required safety devices, shut-off valves (as close to the heat pump as possible), and supplied particle filter.
- The safety valve must have a maximum 0.25 MPa (2.5 bar) opening pressure and be installed on the heating medium return as illustrated. The entire length of the overflow water pipe from the safety valves must be inclined to prevent water pockets and must also be frost proof.
- When connecting to a system with thermostats on all radiators, a relief valve must be fitted, or some of the thermostats must be removed to ensure sufficient flow.



### Water heater

#### Connecting the hot water heater

The hot water heater in the heat pump must be supplied with necessary set of valves.

- The mixing valve must be installed if the setting is changed so that the temperature can exceed 60 °C.
- The setting for hot water is made in menu 5.1.1.
- The safety valve must have a maximum 1.0 MPa (10.0 bar) opening pressure and be installed on the incoming domestic water line as illustrated. The entire length of the overflow water pipe from the safety valves must be inclined to prevent water pockets and must also be frost proof.

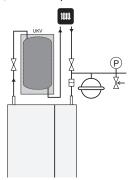
## **Docking alternatives**

F1255PC can be connected in several different ways, some of which are shown below.

Further option information is available at www.nibe.eu and in the respective assembly instructions for the accessories used. See page 57 for a list of the accessories that can be used with F1255PC.

#### **Buffer vessel**

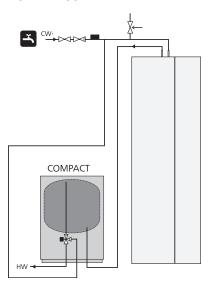
If the climate system volume is too small for the heat pump output, the radiator system can be supplemented with a buffer vessel, for example NIBE UKV.



#### Extra electric hot water heater

The heat pump should be supplemented with an electric water heater, for example NIBE COMPACT, if a whirlpool or other significant consumer of hot water is installed.

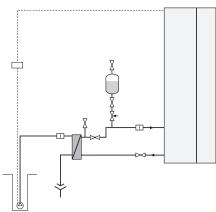
The valve connection on COMPACT can be separated. The mixing valve remains on COMPACT and the remaining valve connector can be used for incoming cold water in F1255PC.



#### **Ground water system**

An intermediate heat exchanger is used to protect the heat pump's exchanger from dirt. The water is released into a buried filtration unit or a drilled well. See page 27 for more information about connecting a ground water pump.

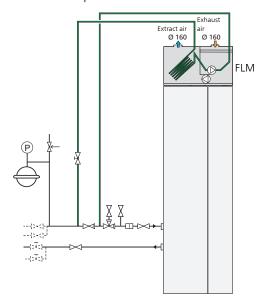
If this docking alternative is used, "min. brine out" in menu 5.1.7 "br pmp al set." must be changed to a suitable value to prevent freezing in the heat exchanger.



#### **Ventilation recovery**

The installation can be supplemented with the exhaust air module FLM to provide ventilation recovery.

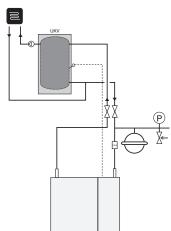
- Pipes and other cold surfaces must be insulated with diffusion-proof material to prevent condensation.
- The brine system must be supplied with a pressure expansion vessel (CM3). If there is a level vessel (CM2) this should be replaced.



#### **Under floor heating systems**

The external circulation pump is dimensioned for the under floor heating system's demand.

To ensure a heating supply during hot water production, the heating system can be supplemented with a NIBE UKV vessel, e.g. when there is a water coil in the FTX ventilation.



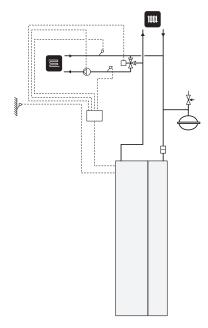
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#### Two or more climate systems

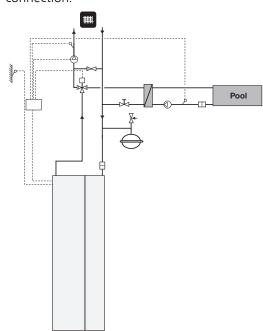
When more than one climate system, with a lower temperature, is to be heated up, the following connection can be used. The shunt valve lowers the temperature to, for example, the under floor heating system.

The ECS 40/ECS 41 accessory is required for this connection.



#### Pool

Charging of the pool is controlled by the pool sensor. In the case of low pool temperatures, the shuttle valve reverses direction and opens towards the pool exchanger. The POOL 40 accessory is required for this connection.



## 5 Electrical connections

#### General

All electrical equipment, except the outdoor sensors, room sensors and the current sensors are ready connected at the factory.

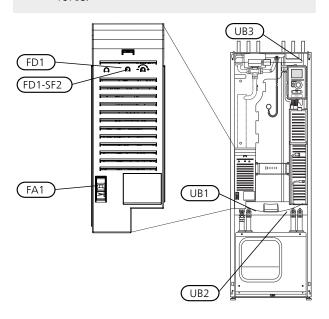
- Disconnect the heat pump before insulation testing the house wiring.
- If the building is equipped with an earth-fault breaker, F1255PC should be equipped with a separate one.
- If a miniature circuit breaker is used this should have at least motor characteristic "C". See page 60 for fuse size.
- Electrical wiring diagrams for the heat pump, see separate installation handbook for electrical wiring diagrams.
- Communication and sensor cables to external connections must not be laid close to high current cables.
- The minimum area of communication and sensor cables to external connections must be 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> up to 50 m, for example EKKX or LiYY or equivalent.
- When cable routing in F1255PC, cable grommets (e.g. UB1-UB3, marked in image) must be used. In UB1-UB3 the cables are inserted through the heat pump from the back to the front.

### NOTE

The switch (SF1) must not be moved to "I" or "\textsum " until the boiler has been filled with water. Component parts of the product can be damaged.

#### NOTE

Electrical installation and service must be carried out under the supervision of a qualified electrician. Cut the current with the circuit breaker before carrying out any servicing. Electrical installation and wiring must be carried out in accordance with the stipulations in force.



#### Miniature circuit-breaker

The heat pump operating circuit and a large proportion of its internal components are internally fused by a miniature circuit breaker (FA1).

#### **Temperature limiter**

The temperature limiter (FD1) cuts the power to the electric additional heat if the temperature exceeds 89°C and is reset manually.

#### Resetting

The temperature limiter (FD1) is accessible behind the front cover. Reset the temperature limiter by pressing the button (FD1-SF2) using a small screwdriver.

#### Accessibility, electrical connection

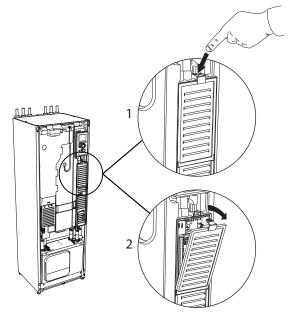
The plastic cap of the electrical boxes is opened using a screwdriver.

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#### NOTE

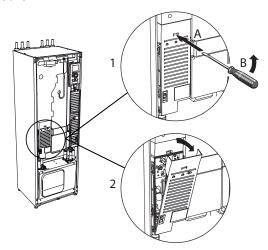
The cover for the input card is opened without a tool.

#### Removing the cover, input circuit board



- 1 Push the catch down.
- 2. Angle out the cover and remove it.

## Removing the cover, immersion heater circuit board



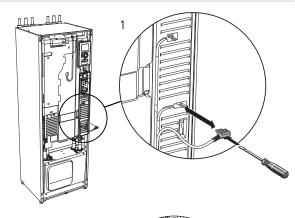
- 1. Insert the screwdriver (A) and pry the catch carefully downwards (B).
- 2. Angle out the cover and remove it.

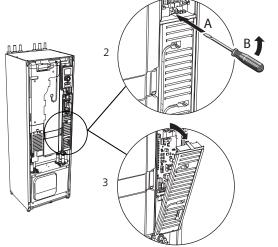
#### Removing the cover, base board



#### Caution

To remove the cover for the base board, the cover for the input circuit board must first be removed.

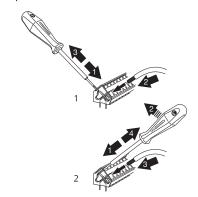




- 1. Disconnect the switches using a screwdriver.
- 2. Insert the screwdriver (A) and pry the catch carefully downwards (B).
- 3. Angle out the cover and remove it.

#### **Cable lock**

Use a suitable tool to release/lock cables in the heat pump terminal blocks.



#### Connections



#### NOTE

To prevent interference, unscreened communication and/or sensor to external connections cables must not be laid closer than 20 cm to high voltage cable when cable routing.

#### **Power connection**

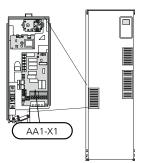
F1255PC must be installed with a disconnection option on the supply cable. Minimum cable area must be sized according to the fuse rating used. Enclosed cable for incoming supply electricity is connected to terminal block X1 on the immersion heater board (AA1). All installations must be carried out in accordance with current norms and directives.

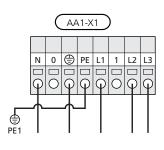


#### NOTE

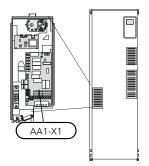
F1255PC is not reconnectable between 1-phase and 3-phase.

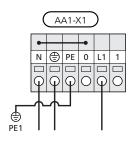
#### Connection 3x400V





#### Connection 1x230V





If separate supply to the compressor and immersion heater is required, see section "Switch for external blocking of addition and/or compressor" on page 25.

#### **Tariff control**

If the voltage to the immersion heater and/or the compressor disappears during a certain period, there must also be blocking via the AUX-input, see "Connection options - Possible selection for AUX inputs" page. 25

## Connecting external operating voltage for the control system



#### NOTE

Only applies to power connection of 3x400V.

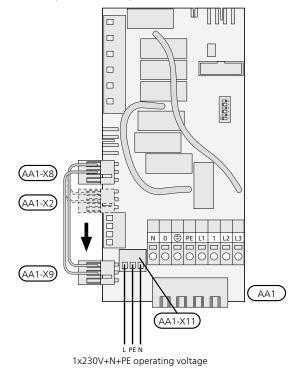


#### NOTE

Mark up any junction boxes with warnings for external voltage.

If you wish to connect external operating voltage for the control system to F1255PC on the immersion heater circuit board (AA1) the edge connector at AA1:X2 must be moved toAA1:X9 (as illustrated).

Operating voltage (1x230V  $\sim$  50Hz) is connected to AA1:X11 (as illustrated).

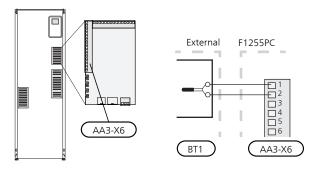


#### **Outside sensor**

Install the outdoor temperature sensor (BT1) in the shade on a wall facing north or north-west, so it is unaffected by the morning sun for example.

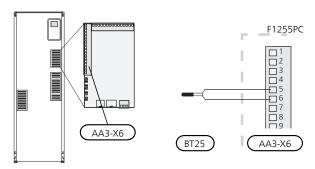
Connect the sensor to terminal block X6:1 and X6:2 on the input board (AA3). Use a twin core cable of at least 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> cable area.

If a conduit is used it must be sealed to prevent condensation in the sensor capsule.



#### Temperature sensor, external flow line

If temperature sensor, external flow line (BT25) needs to be used, connect it to terminal block X6:5 and X6:6 on the input card (AA3). Use a 2 core cable of at least  $0.5~\text{mm}^2$  cable area.



#### Room sensor

F1255PC is supplied with a room sensor enclosed (BT50). The room sensor has up to three functions:

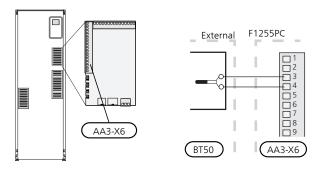
- Show current room temperature in F1255PC's display.
- 2. Option of changing the room temperature in °C.
- 3. Makes it possible to change/stabilise the room temperature.

Install the sensor in a neutral position where the set temperature is required. A suitable location is on a free inner wall in a hall approx. 1.5 m above the floor. It is important that the sensor is not obstructed from measuring the correct room temperature by being located, for example, in a recess, between shelves, behind a curtain, above or close to a heat source, in a draft from an external door or in direct sunlight. Closed radiator thermostats can also cause problems.

The heat pump operates without the sensor, but if one wishes to read off the accommodation's indoor temperature in F1255PC's display, the sensor must be installed. Connect the room sensor to X6:3 and X6:4 on the input board (AA3).

If the sensor is to be used to change the room temperature in °C and/or to change/stabilise the room temperature, the sensor must be activated in menu 1.9.4.

If the room sensor is used in a room with under floor heating it should only have an indicatory function, not control of the room temperature.

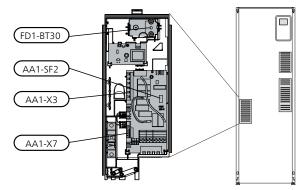




#### Caution

Changes of temperature in accommodation take time. For example, short time periods in combination with underfloor heating will not give a noticeable difference in room temperature.

## **Settings**



#### **Electrical addition - maximum output**

F1255PC	Max	Number of connection steps
1x230V	4.5 kW	9
3x400V	6.5 kW	13

#### Setting max electrical output

Setting maximum output in the electric additional heat is done in menu 5.1.12.

The table displays the total phase current for the immersion heater at start up. If an immersion heater has already been started and is not used for its full capacity the values in the table can be changed because the control initially uses this immersion heater.

#### 3x400V, F1255PC

Max elec- trical addi- tion (kW)	Max phase current L1(A)	Max phase current L2(A)	Max phase current L3(A)
0.0	_	_	_
0.5	2.2	_	_
1.0	_	4.3	_
1.5	2.2	4.3	_
2.0	_	_	8.7
2.5	2.2	_	8.7
3.0	_	4.3	8.7
3.5	2.2	4.3	8.7
4.0	7.5	4.3	7.5
4.5	9.7	4.3	7.5
5.0	7.5	_	16.2
5.5	9.7	_	16.2
6.0	7.5	4.3	16.2
6.5	9.7	4.3	16.2

#### 1x230V, F1255PC

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Max electrical addition (kW)	Max phase current L1(A)				
0.0	-				
0.5	2.2				
1.0	4.3				
1.5	6.5				
2.0	8.6				
2.5	10.8				
3.0	13.0				
3.5	15.2				
4.0	17.3				
4.5	19.5				

If the current sensors are connected, the heat pump monitors the phase currents and allocates the electrical steps automatically to the least loaded phase.

#### **Emergency mode**

When the heat pump is set to emergency mode (SF1 is set to  $\triangle$ ) only the most necessary functions are activated.

- The compressor is off and heating is managed by the immersion heater.
- Hot water is not produced.
- The load monitor is not connected.



#### NOTE

The switch (SF1) must not be moved to "I" or " $\Delta$ " until F1255PC has been filled with water. Components in the product can be damaged.

#### Power in emergency mode

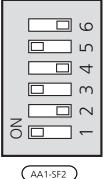
#### 3x400V for F1255PC

kW	1	2	3	4	5	6
0.5	on	off	off	off	off	off
1.0	off	off	on	off	off	off
1.5	on	off	on	off	off	off
2.0	off	off	off	off	on	off
2.5	on	off	off	off	on	off
3.0	off	off	on	off	on	off
3.5	on	off	on	off	on	off
4.0	off	on	on	off	off	on
4.5	on	on	on	off	off	on
5.0	off	on	off	off	on	on
5.5	on	on	off	off	on	on
6.0	off	on	on	off	on	on
6.5	on	on	on	off	on	on

#### 1x230V for F1255PC

	1X2501 101 1 12551 C					
kW	1	2	3	4	5	6
0.5	on	off	off	off	off	off
1.0	off	off	on	off	off	off
1.5	on	off	on	off	off	off
2.0	off	off	off	off	on	on
2.5	on	off	off	off	on	off
3.0	off	off	on	off	on	off
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4.0	off	off	on	off	on	on
4.5	on	off	on	off	on	on

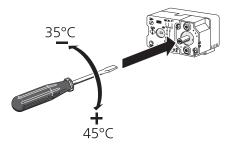
#### 1x230V and 3x400V for F1255PC



The image shows the dip-switch (AA1-SF2) in the factory setting, that is 3.5 kW for F1255PC.

#### **Emergency mode thermostat**

The supply temperature in emergency mode is set using a thermostat (FD1-BT30). It can be set to 35 (pre-set, for example under floor heating) or 45 °C (for example radiators).



## **Optional connections**

#### **Load monitor**

When many electrical appliances are connected in the property at the same time as the electric additional heat is operating, there is a risk of the property's main fuse tripping. The heat pump has integrated load monitors that control the electrical steps for the electrical addition by redistributing the power between the different phases or disengaging the electrical addition in event of overload in a phase. If the overload remains despite the electrical addition being disengaged, the compressor winds down. Reconnection occurs when other current consumption is reduced.

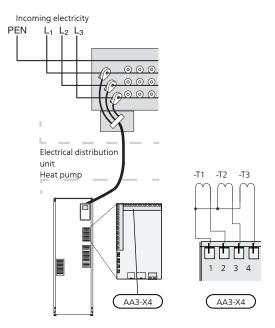
#### Connecting current sensors

A current sensor should be installed on each incoming phase conductor in to the distribution box to measure the current. The distribution box is an appropriate installation point.

Connect the current sensors to a multi-core cable in an enclosure next to the electrical distribution unit. The multi-core cable between the enclosure and the heat pump must have a cable area of at least 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup>.

Connect the cable to the input board (AA3) on terminal X4:1-4 block - where X4:1 is the common terminal block for the three current sensors.

The size of the property's main fuse is set in menu 5 1 12



#### **NIBE Uplink™**

Connect the network connected cable (straight, Cat.5e UTP) with RJ45-contact (male) to RJ45 contact (female) on the rear of the heat pump.



#### **External connection options**

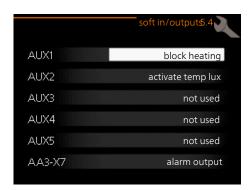
F1255PC has software controlled inputs and outputs on the input card (AA3), for connecting the external switch function or sensor. This means that when an external switch function or sensor is connected to one of six special connections, the correct function must be selected to the correct connection in the software in F1255PC.

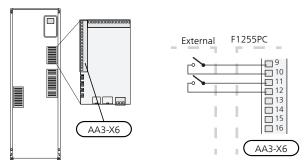


#### Caution

If an external switch function or sensor is connected to F1255PC, the function to use input or output must be selected in menu 5.4, see page 47.

Selectable inputs on the input card for these functions are AUX1 (X6:9-10), AUX2 (X6:11-12), AUX3 (X6:13-14), AUX4 (X6:15-16) and AUX5 (X6:17-18). Selectable outputs are AA3:X7.





The example above uses the inputs AUX1 (X6:9-10) and AUX2 (X6:11-12) on the input circuit board (AA3).



#### Caution

Some of the following functions can also be activated and scheduled via menu settings.

#### Possible selection for AUX inputs

#### Temperature sensor, cooling/heating

An extra temperature sensor can be connected to F1255PC in order to determine when it is time to switch between heating and cooling operation.

The temperature sensor is connected to the selected input (menu 5.4) on terminal block X6 on the input board (AA3) which is located behind the front cover and is positioned in a suitable place in the climate system.

Use a 2 core cable of at least 0.5 mm<sup>2</sup> cable area.

## Switch for external blocking of addition and/or compressor

Blocking for addition heat and compressor is connected on two different AUX inputs.

If external blocking of additional heat and/or compressor is wanted, this can be connected to terminal block X6 on the input board (AA3), which is positioned behind the front cover.

The additional heat and/or the compressor are disconnected by connecting a potential-free switch function to the input selected in menu 5.4, see page 47.

External blocking of addition and compressor can be combined.

A closed contact results in the electrical output being disconnected.

#### Contact for external tariff blocking

In those cases where external tariff blocking is used, it can be connected to terminal block X6 on the input board (AA3), which is positioned behind the front cover

Tariff blocking means that the additional heat, the compressor, the heating and hot water are blocked by connecting a potential-free switch function to the input selected in menu 5.4, see page 47.

Closed switch means that tariff blocking is activated.



#### NOTE

When tariff blocking is activated, the min. supply line does not apply.

#### Switch for "SG ready"



#### NOTE

This function can only be used in mains networks that support the "SG Ready"-standard

"SG Ready" requires two AUX inputs.

In cases where this function is required, it must be connected to terminal block X6 on the input card (AA3).

"SG Ready" is a smart form of tariff control where your electricity supplier can affect the indoor, hot water and/or pool temperatures (if applicable) or simply block the additional heat and/or compressor in the heat pump at certain times of the day (can be selected in menu 4.1.5 after the function is activated). Activate the function by connecting potential-free switch functions to two inputs selected in menu 5.4 (SG Ready A and SG Ready B), see page 47.

Closed or open switch means one of the following:

#### Blocking (A: Closed, B: Open)

"SG Ready" is active. The compressor in the heat pump and additional heat is blocked like the day's tariff blocking.

#### Normal mode (A: Open, B: Open)

"SG Ready" is not active. No effect on the system.

#### Low price mode (A: Open, B: Closed)

"SG Ready" is active. The system focuses on costs savings and can for example exploit a low tariff from the electricity supplier or over-capacity from any own power source (effect on the system can be adjusted in the menu 4.1.5).

#### Overcapacity mode (A: Closed, B: Closed)

"SG Ready" is active. The system is permitted to run at full capacity at over capacity (very low price) with the electricity supplier (effect on the system is settable in menu 4.1.5).

(A = SG Ready A and B = SG Ready B)

#### Switch for +Adjust

Using +Adjust, the installation communicates with the underfloor heating's control centre\* and adjusts the heat curve and calculated supply temperature according to the underfloor heating system's reconnection.

Activate the climate system you want +Adjust to affect by highlighting the function and pressing the OK button.

\*Support for +Adjust required



#### NOTE

+Adjust must first be selected in menu 5.4 "soft inputs/outputs".



#### **NOTE**

Circuit board AA3 in the installation must have at least "input version" 34 and the software version must have "display version 5539 or later for +Adjust to work. Version can be checked in menu 3.1 under "input version" respectively "display version". New software can be downloaded for free from www.nibeuplink.com.



#### NOTE

In systems with both underfloor heating and radiators, NIBE ECS 40/41 should be used for optimum operation.

#### Switch for external blocking of heating

In those cases where external blocking of heat is used, it can be connected to terminal block X6 on the input board (AA3), which is positioned behind the front cover

Heating operation is disconnected by connecting a potential-free switch function to the input selected in menu 5.4, see page 47.

A closed switch results in blocked heating operation.



#### NOTE

When heat blocking is activated, the min. supply line does not apply.

#### Switch for external forced control of brine pump

In those cases external forced control of brine pump is used, this can be connected to terminal block X6 on the input card (AA3), which is positioned behind the front cover.

The brine pump can be force controlled by connecting a potential free switch function to the input selected in menu 5.4, see page 47.

A closed switch means that the brine pump is active.

#### Contact for activation of "temporary lux"

An external switch function can be connected to F1255PC for activation of the hot water function "temporary lux". The switch must be potential-free and connected to the selected input (menu 5.4, see page 47) on terminal block X6 on the input board (AA3).

"temporary lux" is activated for the time that the contact is connected.

#### Contact for activation of "external adjustment"

An external contact function can be connected to F1255PC to change the supply temperature and the room temperature.

When the switch is closed the temperature changes in °C (if the room sensor is connected and activated). If a room sensor is not connected or activated, the desired change of "temperature" (heating curve offset) with the number of steps selected is set. The value is adjustable between -10 and +10.

climate system 1

The switch must be potential-free and connected to the selected input (menu 5.4, see page 47) on terminal block X6 on the input board (AA3).

The value for the change is set in menu 1.9.2, "external adjustment".

climate system 2 to 8

External adjustment for climate systems 2 to 8 require accessories ((ECS 40 or ECS 41).

See the accessory's installer handbook for installation instructions.

#### Contact for activation of fan speed



#### Caution

The external contact function functions only if the accessory FLM is installed and activated.

An external contact function can be connected to F1255PC for activation of one of the four fan speeds. The switch must be potential free and connected to the selected input (menu 5.4, see page 47) on terminal block X6 on the input circuit board (AA3). When the switch closes, the selected fan speed is activated. Normal speed is resumed when the contact is opened again.

#### NV 10, pressure/level/flow monitor brine

If the level sensor (accessory NV10) is desired for the brine installation it can be connected on the selected input (menu 5.4, see page 47) on terminal block X6 on the input circuit board (AA3).

Pressure and flow sensors can also be connected to the input.

For function the input must be connected during normal operation.

## Possible selection for AUX output (potential free variable relay)

It is possible to have an external connection through the relay function via a potential free variable relay (max 2 A) on the input circuit board (AA3), terminal block X7.

Optional functions for external connection:

- Indication of buzzer alarm.
- Controlling ground water pump.
- Cooling mode indication.
- Control of circulation pump for hot water circulation.
- External circulation pump (for heating medium).
- External, reversing valve for hot water.

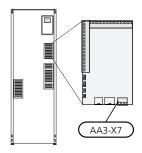
If any of the above is installed to terminal block X7 it must be selected in menu 5.4, see page 47.

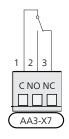
The common alarm is preselected at the factory.



#### NOTE

An accessory board is required if several functions are connected to terminal block X7 at the same time the common alarm is activated).





The picture shows the relay in the alarm position.

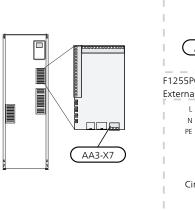
When switch (SF1) is in the " $\bullet$ " or " $\Delta$ " position the relay is in the alarm position.

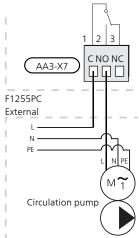
External circulation pump, ground water pump or hot water circulation pump connected to the buzzer alarm relay as illustrated below.



#### NOTE

Mark up any junction boxes with warnings for external voltage.







#### Caution

The relay outputs can have a max load of 2 A  $(230V \sim)$ .

## **Connecting accessories**

Instructions for connecting accessories are in the installation instructions provided for the respective accessory. See information at www.nibe.eu for the list of the accessories that can be used with F1255PC.

## 6 Commissioning and adjusting

### **Preparations**

- Ensure that F1255PC has not been damaged during transport.
- 2. Check that the switch (SF1) is in position "  $\circlearrowleft$ ".
- 3. Check for water in the hot water heater and climate system.



#### Caution

Check the miniature circuit-breaker and the motor protection breakers. They may have tripped during transportation.



#### NOTE

Do not start the heat pump, if there is a risk that the water in the system has frozen.

### Filling and venting



#### Caution

Insufficient venting can damage internal components in F1255PC.

#### Filling and venting the climate system

#### **Filling**

- Open the filling valve (external, not included with the product). Fill the coil in the hot water heater and the rest of the climate system with water.
- 2. Open the venting valve (QM22).
- 3. When the water that exits the venting valve (QM22) is not mixed with air, close the valve. After a while the pressure starts to rise.
- Close the filling valve when the correct pressure is obtained.

#### Venting



#### NOTE

Insufficient venting can cause damage to internal components.

- Bleed the heat pump via a vent valve (QM22) and the rest of the climate system via their relevant vent valves.
- 2. Keep topping up and venting until all air has been removed and the pressure is correct.



#### NOTE

The pipe from the coil in the container must be drained of water before air can be released. This means that the system is not necessarily bled despite the flow of water when the vent valve (QM22) is opened.

#### Filling the hot water heater

1. Open a hot water tap in the house.

- 2. Fill the hot water heater through the cold water connection (XL3).
- When the water that comes out of the hot water tap is no longer mixed with air, the water heater is full and the tap can be closed.

#### Filling and venting the brine system

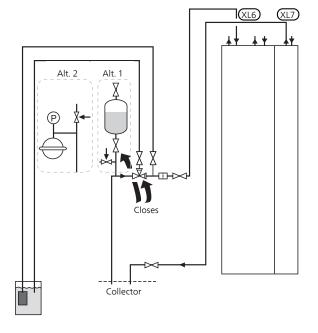


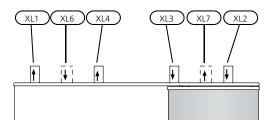
#### NOTE

Insufficient venting can cause damage to the brine pump.

When filling the brine system, mix the water with antifreeze in an open container. The mixture should be protected against freezing down to about -15 °C. The brine is filled by connecting a filling pump.

- Check the brine system for leakage.
- 2. Connect the filling pump and return line on the brine system's filler connector as illustrated.
- 3. If alternative 1 (level vessel) is used, close the valve under the level vessel (CM2).
- Close the three way valve in the filler connector (accessory).
- 5. Open the valves on the filler connector.
- 6. Start the filling pump.
- 7. Fill until liquid enters the return pipe.
- 8. Close the valves on the filler connector.
- 9. Open the three way valve in the filler connector.
- 10. If alternative 1 (level vessel) is used, open the valve under the level vessel (CM2).





XL 1	Connection, heating medium flow
XL 2	Connection, heating medium return
XL3	Connection, cold water
XL 4	Connection, hot water
XL 6	Connection, brine in
XL 7	Connection, brine out

#### Symbol key

Symbol	Meaning
X	Shut-off valve
<b>∑</b> +	Safety valve
0	Level vessel
$\ominus$	Expansion vessel
P	Pressure gauge
	Particle filter

## Start guide



#### NOTE

There must be water in the climate system before the switch is set to "I".

- 1. Set the heat pump's switch () to "I".
- Follow the instructions in the start guide in the heat pump display. If the start guide does not start when you start the heat pump, start it manually in menu 5.7.



#### TIP

See page 34 for a more in-depth introduction to the heat pump's control system (operation, menus etc.).

#### Commissioning

The first time the heat pump is started a start guide is started. The start guide instructions state what needs to carried out at the first start together with a run through of the heat pump's basic settings.

The start guide ensures that the start-up is carried out correctly and cannot be bypassed. The start guide can be started later in menu 5.7.

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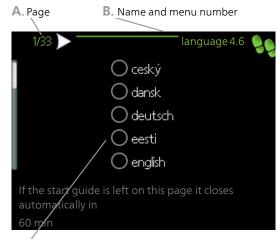
#### Caution

As long as the start guide is active, no function in the installation will start automatically.

The guide will appear at each installation restart until it is deselected on the last page.

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#### Operation in the start guide



C. Option / setting

#### A. Page

Here you can see how far you have come in the start guide.

Scroll between the pages of the start guide as follows:

- Turn the control knob until one of the arrows in the top left corner (at the page number) has been marked
- 2. Press the OK button to skip between the pages in the start guide.

#### B. Name and menu number

Read what menu in the control system this page of the start guide is based on. The digits in brackets refer to the menu number in the control system.

If you want to read more about affected menus either consult the help menu or read the user manual.

#### C. Option / setting

Make settings for the system here.

#### D. Help menu



In many menus there is a symbol that indicates that extra help is available.

To access the help text:

- 1. Use the control knob to select the help symbol.
- 2. Press the OK button.

The help text often consists of several windows that you can scroll between using the control knob.

### Post adjustment and venting

#### Pump adjustment, automatic operation

#### Brine side

To set the correct flow in the brine system the correct speed must be set for the brine pump. F1255PC has a brine pump that can be automatically controlled.

This automatic control occurs when the compressor is running and automatically sets the speed of the brine pump to obtain the optimal temperature difference between the supply and return lines. For passive cooling operation the brine pump must run at a set speed which is set in menu 5.1.9.

#### Heating medium side

To set the correct flow in the climate system the correct speed must be set for the heating medium pump. F1255PC has a heating medium pump that can be automatically controlled.

This automatic control occurs when the compressor is running and automatically sets the speed of the heating medium pump, for the present operating mode, to obtain the optimal temperature difference between the supply and return lines. During heating operation the set DOT (dimensioned outdoor temperature) and temperature differential in menu 5.1.14 are used instead. If necessary the maximum speed of the circulation pump can be limited in menu 5.1.11.

#### Pump adjustment, manual operation

#### Brine side

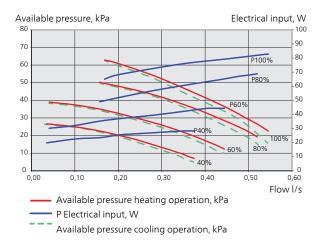
F1255PC has a brine pump that is automatically controlled. If a manual speed is required, open menu 5.1.9 (see page 42) and deactivate "auto" and set the pump's speed according to the diagram below.



#### NOTE

The brine pump must always be set to s set speed when passive cooling is used.

#### F1255PC 6 kW



#### Heating medium side

F1255PC has a heating medium that is automatically controlled. If a manual speed is required, open menu 5.1.11 (see page 43) and deactivate "auto" and set the pump's speed according to the diagram below.



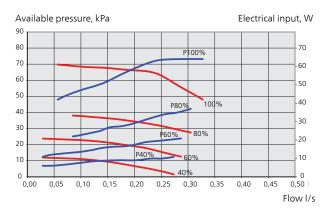
#### NOTE

The heating medium pump must always be set to a set speed when passive cooling is used.



Available pressure, kPa Electrical output, W

#### F1255PC 6 kW



#### Readjusting, venting, heat medium side

Air is initially released from the hot water and venting may be necessary. If gurgling sounds can be heard from the heat pump or climate system, the entire system will require additional venting.

#### Readjusting, venting, collector side

#### Level vessel

Check the fluid level in the level vessel (CM2). If the fluid level has dropped, top up the system.

- 1. Close the valve under the vessel.
- 2. Disconnect the connection on top of the vessel.
- 3. Fill with brine until approx 2/3 of the vessel is full.
- 4. Reconnect the connector at the top of the vessel.
- 5. Open the valve under the vessel.

The pressure is raised by closing the valve on the incoming main line when the brine pump (GP2) is running and the level vessel (CM2) is open, so that liquid is drawn down from the vessel.



If a pressure expansion vessel (CM3) is used instead of a level vessel, the pressure level is checked. If the pressure drops, the system should be replenished.



## Post adjusting the room temperature

If the required room temperature is not obtained, readjustment may be necessary.

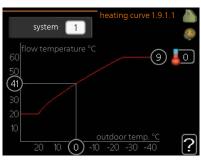
#### Cold weather conditions

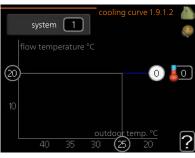
- When the room temperature is too low, increase "heating curve" in menu 1.9.1.1 by one increment.
- When the room temperature is too high, reduce "heating curve" in menu 1.9.1.1 by one increment.

#### Warm weather conditions

- When the room temperature is too low, increase "temperature" (offset heating curve) in menu 1.1.1 by one increment.
- When the room temperature is too high, reduce "temperature" (offset heating curve) in menu 1.1.1 by one increment.

# Setting the cooling/heating curve





#### heating curve

Setting range: 0 - 15 Default value: 9

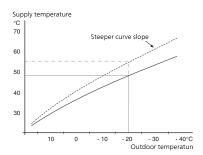
#### cooling curve

Setting range: 0 - 9 Default value: 0

You can select heating or cooling in the Curve menu. The next menu (heating curve/cooling curve) shows the heating and cooling curves for your house. The task of the curve is to give an even indoor temperature, regardless of the outdoor temperature, and thereby energy efficient operation. It is from these heat curves that the heat pump's control computer determines the temperature of the water to the system, the supply temperature, and therefore the indoor temperature. Select the curve and read off how the supply temperature changes at different outdoor temperatures here. The number to the far right of "system" displays which system you have selected the heating curve/cooling curve for.

#### **Curve coefficient**

The slopes of the heating /cooling curves indicate how many degrees the supply temperature is to be increased/reduced when the outdoor temperature drops/increases. A steeper slope means a higher supply temperature for heating or a lower supply temperature for cooling at a certain outdoor temperature.



The optimum slope depends on the climate conditions in your location, if the house has radiators or under floor heating and how well insulated the house is.

The curve is set when the heating installation is installed, but may need adjusting later. Normally, the curve will not need further adjustment.



#### Caution

In the event of making fine adjustments of the indoor temperature, the curve must be offset up or down instead, this is done in menu 1.1 temperature.

#### **Curve offset**

An offset of the curve means that the supply temperature changes as much for all the outdoor temperatures, e.g. that a curve offset of +2 steps increases the supply temperature by 5 C at all outdoor temperatures.

## Flow line temperature – maximum and minimum values

Because the flow line temperature cannot be calculated higher than the set maximum value or lower than the set minimum value the heating curve flattens out at these temperatures.



#### Caution

Underfloor heating systems are normally max flow line temperature set between 35 and 45 °C.

Must be restricted with underfloor cooling min. flow line temp. to prevent condensation.

Check the max temperature for your floor with your installer/floor supplier.

The figure at the end of the curve indicates the curve slope. The figure beside the thermometer gives the curve offset. Use the control knob to set a new value. Confirm the new setting by pressing the OK button.

Curve 0 is an own curve created in menu 1.9.7.

#### To select another curve (slope):



#### NOTE

If you only have one climate system, the number of the curve is already marked when the menu window opens.

- Select the climate system (if more than one) for which the curve is to be changed.
- When the climate system selection has been confirmed, the curve number is marked.

- 3. Press the OK button to access the setting mode
- 4. Select a new curve. The curves are numbered from 0 to 15, the greater the number, the steeper the slope and the greater the supply temperature. Curve 0 means that own curve (menu 1.9.7) is used.
- 5. Press the OK button to exit the setting.

#### To read off a curve:

- 1. Turn the control knob so that the ring on the shaft with the outdoor temperature is marked.
- 2. Press the OK button.
- 3. Follow the grey line up to the curve and out to the left to read off the value for the supply temperature at the selected outdoor temperature.
- You can now select to take read outs for different outdoor temperatures by turning the control knob to the right or left and read off the corresponding flow temperature.
- 5. Press the OK or Back button to exit read off mode.



#### TIP

Wait 24 hours before making a new setting, so that the room temperature has time to

If it is cold outdoors and the room temperature is too low, increase the curve slope by one increment.

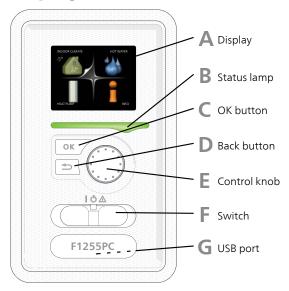
If it is cold outdoors and the room temperature is too high, lower the curve slope by one increment.

If it is warm outdoors and the room temperature is too low, increase the curve offset by one increment.

If it is warm outdoors and the room temperature is too high, lower the curve offset by one increment.

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## Display unit



### Display

Instructions, settings and operational information are shown on the display. The easy-to-read display and menu system, facilitates navigation between the different menus and options to set the comfort or obtain the information you require.

## **B** Status lamp

The status lamp indicates the status of the heat pump. It:

- lights green during normal operation.
- lights yellow in emergency mode.
- Ights red in the event of a deployed alarm.

#### OK button

The OK button is used to:

confirm selections of sub menus/options/set values/page in the start guide.

#### Back button

The back button is used to:

- qo back to the previous menu.
- change a setting that has not been confirmed.

#### Control knob

The control knob can be turned to the right or left. You can:

- scroll in menus and between options.
- increase and decrease the values.
- change page in multiple page instructions (for example help text and service info).

## F Switch (SF1)

The switch assumes three positions:

- On (I)
- Standby (**U**)
- Emergency mode (△)

Emergency mode must only be used in the event of a fault on the heat pump. In this mode, the compressor switches off and the immersion heater engages. The heat pump display is not illuminated and the status lamp illuminates yellow.

### G USB port

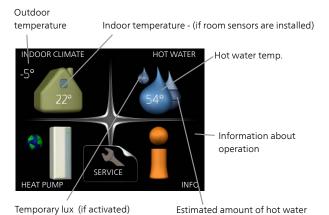
The USB port is hidden beneath the plastic badge with the product name on it.

The USB port is used to update the software.

Visit http://www.nibeuplink.com and click the "Software" tab to download the latest software for your installation.

## Menu system

When the door to the heat pump is opened, the menu system's four main menus are shown in the display as well as certain basic information.



#### **Menu 1 - INDOOR CLIMATE**

Setting and scheduling the indoor climate. See information in the help menu or user manual.

#### Menu 2 - HOT WATER

Setting and scheduling hot water production. See information in the help menu or user manual.

#### Menu 3 - INFO

Display of temperature and other operating information and access to the alarm log. See information in the help menu or user manual.

#### Menu 4 - HEAT PUMP

Setting time, date, language, display, operating mode etc. See information in the help menu or user manual.

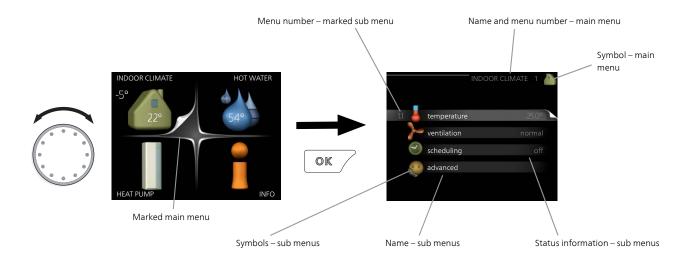
#### Menu 5 - SERVICE

Advanced settings. These settings are only intended for installers or service engineers. The menu is visible when the Back button is pressed for 7 seconds, when you are in the start menu. See page 40.

#### Symbols in the display

The following symbols can appear in the display during operation.

operation.	
Symbol	Description
200	This symbol appears by the information sign if there is information in menu 3.1 that you should note.
	These two symbols indicate whether the compressor or addition is blocked in F1255PC.
	These can, for example, be blocked depending on which operating mode is selected in menu 4.2, if blocking is scheduled in menu 4.9.5 or if an alarm has occurred that blocks one of them.
	Blocking the compressor.
	Blocking additional heat.
•	This symbol appears if periodic increase or lux mode for the hot water is activated.
	This symbol indicates whether "holiday setting" is active in 4.7.
	This symbol indicates whether F1255PC has contact with NIBE Uplink™.
<b>%</b>	This symbol indicates the actual speed of the fan if the speed has changed from the normal setting.
	Accessory NIBE FLM required.
	This symbol indicates whether pool heating is active.
	Accessory needed.
	This symbol indicates whether cooling is active.
	Accessory needed.



#### Operation

To move the cursor, turn the control knob to the left or the right. The marked position is white and/or has a turned up tab.

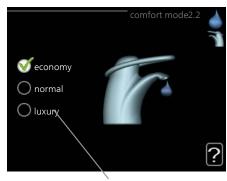


#### Selecting menu

To advance in the menu system select a main menu by marking it and then pressing the OK button. A new window then opens with sub menus.

Select one of the sub menus by marking it and then pressing the OK button.

#### **Selecting options**



Alternative

In an options menu the current selected option is indicated by a green tick.

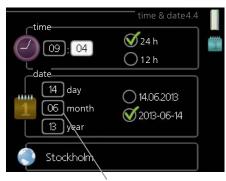


To select another option:

- 1. Mark the applicable option. One of the options is pre-selected (white).
- Press the OK button to confirm the selected option. The selected option has a green tick.



#### Setting a value



Values to be changed

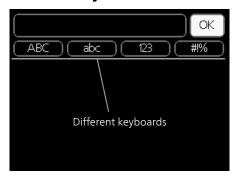
#### To set a value:

- 1. Mark the value you want to set using the control knob.

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- 2. Press the OK button. The background of the 01 value becomes green, which means that you have accessed the setting mode.
- Turn the control knob to the right to increase 04 the value and to the left to reduce the value.
- Press the OK button to confirm the value you 04 have set. To change and return to the original value, press the Back button.

## Use the virtual keyboard



In some menus where text may require entering, a virtual keyboard is available.



Depending on the menu, you can gain access to different character sets which you can select using the control knob. To change character table, press the Back button. If a menu only has one character set the keyboard is displayed directly.

When you have finished writing, mark "OK" and press the OK button.

## Scroll through the windows

A menu can consist of several windows. Turn the control knob to scroll between the windows.



#### Scroll through the windows in the start guide



Arrows to scroll through window in start guide

- Turn the control knob until one of the arrows in the top left corner (at the page number) has been marked.
- 2. Press the OK button to skip between the steps in the start guide.

## Help menu



In many menus there is a symbol that indicates that extra help is available.

To access the help text:

- 1. Use the control knob to select the help symbol.
- 2. Press the OK button.

The help text often consists of several windows that you can scroll between using the control knob.

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## Menu 1 - INDOOR CLIMATE

1 - INDOOR CLIMATE	1.1 - temperature	1.1.1 - temperature heating	
		1.1.2 - temperature cooling	_
	1.2 - ventilation *		_
	1.3 - scheduling	1.3.1 - heating	
		1.3.2 - cooling	_
		1.3.3 - ventilation *	_
	1.9 - advanced	1.9.1 - curve	1.9.1.1 heating curve
			1.9.1.2 - cooling curve
		1.9.2 - external adjustment	_
		1.9.3 - min. flow line temp.	1.9.3.1 - heating
			1.9.3.2 - cooling
		1.9.4 - room sensor settings	
		1.9.5 - cooling settings	_
		1.9.6 - fan return time *	_
		1.9.7 - own curve	1.9.7.1 - heating
			1.9.7.2 - cooling
		1.9.8 - point offset	
		1.9.9 - night cooling	_
		1.9.11 - +Adjust	_

## Menu 2 - HOT WATER

2 - HOT WATER	2.1 - temporary lux	
	2.2 - comfort mode	
	2.3 - scheduling	
	2.9 - advanced	2.9.1 - periodic increase
		2.9.2 - hot water recirc.

## Menu 3 - INFO

3 - INFO	3.1 - service info	
	3.2 - compressor info	
	3.3 - add. heat info	
	3.4 - alarm log	
	3.5 - indoor temp. log	

<sup>\*</sup> Accessories are needed.

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## Menu 4 - HEAT PUMP

4 - HEAT PUMP	4.1 - plus functions	4.1.1 - pool *	_
		4.1.3 - internet	4.1.3.1 - nibe uplink
			4.1.3.8 - tcp/ip settings
			4.1.3.9 - proxy settings
		4.1.4 - sms *	
		4.1.5 - SG Ready	_
		4.1.6 - smart price adaption	_
	4.2 - op. mode		=
	4.3 - my icons		
	4.4 - time & date		
	4.6 - language		
	4.7 - holiday setting		
	4.9 - advanced	4.9.1 - op. prioritisation	
		4.9.2 - auto mode setting	_
		4.9.3 - degree minute setting	
		4.9.4 - factory setting user	_
		4.9.5 - schedule blocking	_

<sup>\*</sup> Accessory needed.

## Menu 5 - SERVICE

## Overview

5 - SERVICE	5.1 - operating settings	5.1.1 - hot water settings
		5.1.2 - max flow line temperature
		5.1.3 - max diff flow line temp.
		5.1.4 - alarm actions
		5.1.5 - fan sp. exhaust air *
		5.1.7 - br pmp al set.
		5.1.8 - operating mode brine pump
		5.1.9 - brine pump speed
		5.1.10 - op. mod heat med pump
		5.1.11 - pump speed heating medium
		5.1.12 - internal electrical addition
		5.1.14 - flow set. climate system
		5.1.22 - heat pump testing
		5.1.24 - blockFreq
	5.2 - system settings	
	5.3 - accessory settings	5.3.1 - FLM *
	, 3	5.3.2 - shunt controlled add. heat *
		5.3.3 - extra climate system *
		5.3.4 - solar heating *
		5.3.6 - step controlled add. heat
		5.3.8 - hot water comfort *
		5.3.11 - modbus *
	5.4 - soft in/outputs	
	5.5 - factory setting service	<del></del>
	5.6 - forced control	<u> </u>
	5.7 - start guide	<u> </u>
	5.8 - quick start	
	5.9 - floor drying function	
	5.10 - change log	_

## \* Accessory needed.

Go to the main menu and hold the Back button in for 7 seconds to access the Service menu.

#### Sub-menus

Menu SERVICE has orange text and is intended for the advanced user. This menu has several sub-menus. Status information for the relevant menu can be found on the display to the right of the menus.

operating settings Operating settings for the heat

system settings System settings for the heat pump, activating accessories etc.

accessory settings Operational settings for different accessories.

soft in/outputs | Setting software controlled in and outputs on the input circuit board (AA3).

factory setting service Total reset of all settings (including settings available to the user ) to default values.

forced control Forced control of the different components in the heat pump.

start guide Manual start of the start guide which is run the first time the heat pump is started.

quick start Quick starting the compressor.



#### NOTE

Incorrect settings in the service menus can damage the heat pump.

## Menu 5.1 - operating settings

Operating settings can be made for the heat pump in the sub menus.

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## Menu 5.1.1 - hot water settings

### start temp. economy / normal / lux

Setting range: 5 – 70 °C Factory setting (°C):

	eco- nomy	normal	luxury
Enamel	40	44	47
Stainless	40	44	47

## stop temp. economy / normal / lux

Setting range: 5 - 70 °C Factory setting (°C):

	eco- nomy	normal	luxury
Enamel	44	48	51
Stainless	44	48	51

## stop temp. per. increase

Setting range: 55 - 70 °C Factory setting: 55 °C

#### high power

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

Here you set the start and stop temperature of the hot water for the different comfort options in menu 2.2 as well as the stop temperature for periodic increase in menu 2.9.1.

For a higher charge output click the high output selection.

With "high power" activated, the hot water is charged at a higher output than in the standard mode and thus gives a higher hot water capacity.

## Menu 5.1.2 - max flow line temperature

## climate system

Setting range: 5-70 °C Default value: 60 °C

Set the maximum supply temperature for the climate system here. If the installation has more than one climate system, individual maximum supply temperatures can be set for each system. Climate systems 2 - 8 cannot be set to a higher max supply temperature than climate system 1.



#### Caution

Underfloor heating systems are normally max flow line temperature set between 35 and 45

Check the max floor temperature with your floor supplier.

### Menu 5.1.3 - max diff flow line temp.

### max diff compressor

Setting range: 1 – 25 °C Default value: 10 °C

#### max diff addition

Setting range: 1 – 24 °C Default value: 3 °C

Here you set the maximum permitted difference between the calculated and actual supply temperature during compressor respectively add. heat mode. Max diff. additional heat can never exceed max diff. compressor

#### max diff compressor

When the current supply temperature **deviates** from the set value compared to that calculated, the heat pump is forced to stop irrespective of the degreeminute value.

If the current supply temperature **exceeds** the calculated flow with set value, the degree minute value is set to 0. The compressor in the heat pump stops when there is only a heating demand.

#### max diff addition

If "addition" is selected and activated in menu 4.2 and the present supply temp **exceeds** the calculated with set value, the additional heat is forced to stop.

#### Menu 5.1.4 - alarm actions

Select how you want the heat pump to alert you that there is an alarm in the display here.

The different alternatives are that the heat pump stops producing hot water (default setting) and/or reduces the room temperature.



#### Caution

If no alarm action is selected, it can result in higher energy consumption in the event of an alarm.

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# Menu 5.1.5 - fan sp. exhaust air (accessory is required)

#### normal and speed 1-4

Setting range: 0 – 100 %

Set the speed for the five different selectable speeds for the fan here.



## Caution

An incorrectly set ventilation flow can damage the house and may also increase energy consumption.

## Menu 5.1.7 - br pmp al set.

#### min. brine out

Setting range: -12 – 15 °C

Default value: -8 °C

#### min. brine out

Set the temperature at which the heat pump is to activate the alarm for low temperature in outgoing brine.

If "automatic reset" is selected, the alarm resets when the temperature has increased by 1 °C below the set value.

The compressor winds down when the brine temperature reaches the set minimum value for brine temperature. Compressor control attempts to maintain the brine at a temperature 2  $^{\circ}$  greater than the set value for brine out.

#### Menu 5.1.8 - operating mode brine pump

#### op. mode

Setting range: intermittent, continuous, 10 days

continuous

Default value: intermittent

Set the operating mode of the brine pump here.

**intermittent**: The brine pump starts approx. 20 seconds before and stops approx. 20 seconds after the compressor.

continuous: Continuous operation.

**10 days continuous**: Continuous operation for 10 days. Then the pump shifts to intermittent operation.



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#### TIP

You can use "10 days continuous" at start-up to obtain continuous circulation during a start-up time in order to make it easier to bleed the system.

## Menu 5.1.9 - brine pump speed

## brine pump speed

Setting range: auto / manual

Default value: auto

### speed in wait mode

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Factory setting: 70 %

#### manual

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Factory setting: 100 %

# speed passive cooling

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Factory setting: 100 %

Set the speed of the brine pump here. Select "auto" if the speed of the brine pump is to be regulated automatically (factory setting) for optimal operation.

For manual operation of the brine pump deactivate "auto" and set the value to between 1 and 100%.

The brine pump speed during passive cooling operation (the brine pump then runs in manual operation) can also be set here.

If the continuous operating mode (see "Menu 5.1.8 - operating mode brine pump", page 42) has been selected one can also choose waiting mode. The circulation pump continues to run while the compressor stops.

#### Menu 5.1.10 - op. mod heat med pump

#### op. mode

Setting range: auto, intermittent

Default value: auto

Set the operating mode of the heating medium pump here.

**auto**: The heating medium pump runs according to the current operating mode for F1255PC.

**intermittent**: The heating medium pump starts approx. 20 seconds before and stops at the same time as the compressor.

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## Menu 5.1.11 - pump speed heating medium

#### Operating status

Setting range: auto / manual

Default value: auto

## Manual setting, hot water

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Default values: 70 %

#### Manual setting, heating

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Default values: 70 %

#### Manual setting, pool

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Default values: 70 %

#### max. allowed speed

Setting range: 50 - 100 % Default values: 100 %

#### wait mode

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Default values: 30 %

#### speed passive cooling

Setting range: 1 - 100 % Default values: 70 %

Set the speed at which the heating medium pump is to operate in the present operating mode. Select "auto" if the speed of the heating medium pump is to be regulated automatically (factory setting) for optimal operation.

If "auto" is activated for heating operation, you can also make the setting "max. allowed speed" which restricts the heating medium pump and does not allow it to run at a higher speed than the set value.

For manual operation of the heating medium pump, deactivate "auto" for the current operating mode and set the value to between 0 and 100% (the previously set value for "max. allowed speed" no longer applies).

"heating" means operating mode heating for the heating medium pump.

"wait mode" means heating or cooling operating modes for the heating medium pump but when the heat pump has neither a need for compressor operation nor electrical addition and slows down.

"hot water" means operating mode hot water for the heating medium pump.

"**pool**" (accessory required) means operating mode pool heating for the heating medium pump.

"cooling" means operating mode cooling for the heating medium pump.

The heat pump speed during active and passive cooling operation respectively (the brine pump then runs in manual operation) can also be set here.

### Menu 5.1.12 - internal electrical addition

#### fuse size

Setting range: 1 - 200 A Default values: 25 A

## transformation ratio

Setting range: 300 - 3000 Factory setting: 300

Here you set the max. electrical output of the internal electrical addition in F1255PC and the fuse size for the installation.

Here you can also check which current sensor is installed on which incoming phase to the property (this requires current sensors to be installed, see page 24). This is achieved by marking "detect phase order" and pressing the OK button.

The results of these checks appear just below where the checks were activated.

## Menu 5.1.14 - flow set. climate system

## presettings

Setting range: radiator, floor heat., rad. + floor heat.,

DOT °C

Default value: radiator

Setting range DOT: -40.0 – 20.0 °C Factory setting DOT: -18.0 °C

### own setting

Setting range dT at DOT: 0.0 – 25.0 Factory setting dT at DOT: 10.0 Setting range DOT: -40.0 – 20.0 °C Factory setting DOT: -18.0 °C

The type of heating distribution system the heating medium pump (GP1) works towards is set here.

dT at DOT is the difference in degrees between flow and return temperatures at dimensioned outdoor temperature.

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## Menu 5.1.22 - heat pump testing



#### NOTE

This menu is intended for testing F1255PC according to different standards.

Use of this menu for other reasons may result in your installation not functioning as intended

This menu contains several sub-menus, one for each standard.

## Menu 5.1.24 - blockFreq

#### blockFreg 1

Selectable setting range in the display:

start: 17 – 115 Hz stop: 22 – 120 Hz

Maximum setting range: 50 Hz.

### blockFreq 2

Selectable setting range in the display:

start: 17 – 115 Hz stop: 22 – 120 Hz

Maximum setting range: 50 Hz.

Here you can set a frequency range where the compressor is blocked. The parameters for the setting range differ depending on which product is controlled by the setting.



#### NOTE

A large blocked frequency range can cause the compressor to run jerkily.

## Menu 5.2 - system settings

Make different system settings for the heat pump here, e.g. which accessories are installed.

There are two ways of activating connected accessories. You can either highlight the alternative in the list or use the automatic function "search installed acc.".

#### search installed acc.

Mark "search installed acc." and press the OK button to automatically find connected accessories for F1255PC.



#### Caution

Certain accessories are not found automatically but must be ticked off by hand, see menu 5.4.



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#### NOTE

Only mark the option for ground water pump if the accessory AXC 40 is to be used to control the circulation pump.

## Menu 5.3 - accessory settings

The operating settings for accessories that are installed and activated are made in the sub-menus for this.

#### Menu 5.3.1 - FLM

### continuous pump op.

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

#### time between defrosts

Setting range: 1 – 30 h Default value: 10 h

#### months btwn filter alarms

Setting range: 1 – 12 Default value: 3

## activate cooling

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

**continuous pump op.**: Select for continuous operation of the circulation pump in the exhaust air module.

**time between defrosts**: Set the minimum time that must pass between defrostings of the heat exchanger in the exhaust air module.

When the exhaust air module is in operation the heat exchanger is cooled so that ice builds up on it. When too much ice builds up the heat transfer capacity of the heat exchanger is reduced and defrosting is required. Defrosting warms up the heat exchanger so that the ice melts and runs off via the condensation hose

**months btwn filter alarms**: Set how many months should pass before the heat pump informs that it is time to clean the filter in the exhaust air module.

Clean the exhaust air module's air filter regularly, how often depends on the amount of dust in the ventilation air.

**activate cooling**: Activate cooling via the exhaust air module here. When the function has been activated, the cooling settings are displayed in the menu system.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

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#### Menu 5.3.2 - shunt controlled add. heat

#### prioritised additional heat

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

#### start diff additional heat

Setting range: 0 – 2000 GM Default values: 400 GM

#### minimum running time

Setting range: 0 – 48 h Default value: 12 h

#### min temp.

Setting range: 5 - 90 °C Default value: 55 °C

#### mixing valve amplifier

Setting range: 0.1 –10.0 Default value: 1.0

## mixing valve step delay

Setting range: 10 – 300 s Default values: 30 s

Set when the addition is to start, the minimum run time and the minimum temperature for external addition with shunt here. External addition with shunt is for example a wood/oil/gas/pellet boiler.

You can set shunt valve amplification and shunt valve waiting time.

Selecting "prioritised additional heat" uses the heat from the external additional heat instead of the heat pump. The shunt valve is regulated as long as heat is available, otherwise the shunt valve is closed.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

### Menu 5.3.3 - extra climate system

#### use in heating mode

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: on

#### use in cooling mode

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

#### mixing valve amplifier

Setting range: 0.1 – 10.0 Default value: 1.0

#### mixing valve step delay

Setting range: 10 – 300 s Default values: 30 s In menu 5.3.3, you choose the climate system (2 - 8) you wish to set. In the next menu you can make settings for the climate system that you have selected.

If the heat pump is connected to more than one climate system, condensation may occur in these, if they are not intended for cooling.

To prevent condensation, check that "use in heating mode" is checked for the climate systems that are not intended for cooling. This means that the sub-shunts to the extra climate systems close, when cooling operation is activated.



# Caution

This setting option only appears if "passive/active cooling 2-pipe" or "passive cooling 2-pipe" is activated in menu 5.2.

The shunt amplification and shunt waiting time for the different extra climate systems that are installed are also set here.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

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## Menu 5.3.4 - solar heating

#### start delta-T

Setting range: 1 - 40 °C Default value: 8 °C

#### stop delta-T

Setting range: 0 - 40 °C Default value: 4 °C

#### max. tank temperature

Setting range: 5 - 110 °C Default value: 95 °C

#### max. solar collector temp.

Setting range: 80 - 200 °C Default value: 125 °C

### anti-freeze temperature

Setting range: -20 - +20  $^{\circ}$ C

Default value: 2 °C

## start solar collector cooling

Setting range: 80 - 200 °C Default value: 110 °C

#### passive recharging - activation temperature

Setting range: 50 - 125 °C Default value: 110 °C

### passive recharging - deactivation temperature

Setting range: 30 - 90 °C Default value: 50 °C

#### active recharging - activating dT

Setting range: 8 - 60 °C Default value: 40 °C

#### active recharging - deactivating dT

Setting range: 4 - 50 °C Default value: 20 °C

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**start delta-T, stop delta-T**: Here you can set the temperature difference between solar panel and solar tank at which the circulation pump is to start and stop.

max. tank temperature, max. solar collector temp.: Here you can set the maximum temperatures in tank respectively solar panel at which the circulation pump is to stop. This is to protect against excess temperatures in the solar tank.

If the unit has an anti-freeze function, solar panel cooling and/or passive/active recharging you can activate them here. When the function has been activated, you can make settings for them. "solar panel cooling", "passive recharging" and "active recharging" cannot be combined, only one function can be activated.

#### freeze protection

**anti-freeze temperature**: Here you can set the temperature in the solar panel at which the circulation pump is to start to prevent freezing.

#### solar panel cooling

**start solar collector cooling**: If the temperature in the solar panel is greater than this setting at the same time that the temperature in the solar tank is greater than the set maximum temperature, the external function for cooling is activated.

## passive recharging

activation temperature: If the temperature in the solar panel is greater than this setting, the function activates. The function is blocked for an hour if the temperature of the brine in the heat pump (BT10) is higher than the set value for "max brine in" in menu 5 1 7

**deactivation temperature**: If the temperature in the solar panel is less than this setting, the function deactivates.

## active recharging

**activating dT**: If the difference between the temperature in the solar panel (BT53) and the temperature of the brine in the heat pump (BT10) is greater than this setting the function is activated. The function is blocked for an hour if the temperature of the brine in the heat pump (BT10) is higher than the set value for "max brine in" in menu 5.1.7

**deactivating dT**: If the difference between the temperature in the solar panel (BT53) and the temperature of the brine in the heat pump (BT10) is less than this setting the function deactivates.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

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## Menu 5.3.6 - step controlled add. heat

#### start diff additional heat

Setting range: 0 – 2000 GM Default values: 400 GM

#### diff. between additional steps

Setting range: 0 – 1000 GM Default values: 100 GM

## max step

Setting range

(binary stepping deactivated): 0 - 3

Setting range

(binary stepping activated): 0-7

Default value: 3 **binary stepping** 

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

Make settings for step controlled addition here. Step controlled addition is for example an external electric boiler.

It is possible, for example, to select when the additional heat is to start, to set the maximum number of permitted steps and whether binary stepping is to be used.

When binary stepping is deactivated (off), the settings refer to linear stepping.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

## Menu 5.3.8 - hot water comfort

#### activating the mixing valve

Setting range: on/off Factory setting: off

## outgoing hot water

Setting range: 40 - 65 °C Default value: 55 °C

## mixing valve amplifier

Setting range: 0.1 – 10.0 Default value: 1.0

#### mixing valve step delay

Setting range: 10 – 300 s Default values: 30 s

Make settings for the hot water comfort here.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

**activating the mixing valve**: Activate here whether a mixer valve for limiting the temperature of hot water from the water heater is installed.

If this alternative has been activated, you can set the outgoing hot water temperature, shunt amplification and shunt waiting time for the mixer valve.

**outgoing hot water**: Set the temperature at which the mixing valve is to restrict hot water from the water heater

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

#### Menu 5.3.11 - modbus

#### address

Factory setting: address 1

From and including Modbus 40 version 10 the address can be set between 1 - 247. Earlier versions have a static address.

See the accessory installation instructions for function description.

## Menu 5.4 - soft in/outputs

Here you can select which in/output on the terminal block (X6) the external contact function (see installation manual) must be connected to.

Here you can select which in/output on the input circuit board (AA3) the external contact function (page 24) is to be connected to.

Selectable inputs on terminal block AUX1-5 (AA3-X6:9-18) and output AA3-X7 (on the input circuit board).

## Menu 5.5 - factory setting service

All settings can be reset (including settings available to the user) to default values here.



#### NOTE

When resetting, the start guide is displayed the next time the heat pump is restarted.

#### Menu 5.6 - forced control

You can force control the different components in the heat pump and any connected accessories here.



#### NOTE

Forced control is only intended to be used for troubleshooting purposes. Using the function in any other way may cause damage to the components in your climate system.

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## Menu 5.7 - start guide

When the heat pump is started for the first time the start guide starts automatically. Start it manually here.

See page 29 for more information about the start guide.

## Menu 5.8 - quick start

It is possible to start the compressor from here.



#### Caution

There must be a heating or hot water demand to start the compressor.



#### Caution

Do not quick start the compressor too many times over a short period of time as this may damage the compressor and its surrounding equipment.

## Menu 5.9 - floor drying function

## length of period 1 - 7

Setting range: 0 - 30 days

Factory setting, period 1 - 3, 5 - 7: 2 days

Factory setting, period 4: 3 days

## temp. period 1 – 7

Setting range: 15 – 70 °C

Default value:

temp. period 1

temp. period 2

temp. period 3

temp. period 4

temp. period 4

temp. period 5

temp. period 6

temp. period 7

20 °C

40 °C

45 °C

40 °C

20 °C

Set the function for under floor drying here.

You can set up to seven period times with different calculated flow temperatures. If less than seven periods are to be used, set the remaining period times to 0 days.

Mark the active window to activate the underfloor drying function. A counter at the bottom shows the number of days the function has been active. The function counts degree minutes as during normal heating operation but for the supply temperatures that are set for the respective period.



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#### NOTE

During under floor drying, the heating medium pump in 100% runs, regardless of the setting in menu 5.1.10.



#### TIP

If operating mode "add. heat only" is to be used, select it in menu 4.2.

For a more even flow temperature the addition can be started earlier by setting "start for addition" in menus 4.9.2 to -80. When set under floor drying periods have stopped, reset the menus 4.2 and 4.9.2 as per previous settings.

## Menu 5.10 - change log

Read off any previous changes to the control system here.

The date, time and ID no. (unique to certain settings) and the new set value is shown for every change.



#### NOTE

The change log is saved at restart and remains unchanged after factory setting.

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## 9 Service

## Service actions



#### NOTE

Servicing should only be carried out by persons with the necessary expertise.

When replacing components on F1255PC only replacement parts from NIBE may be used.

## **Emergency mode**



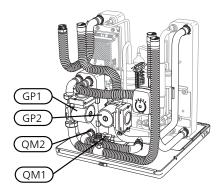
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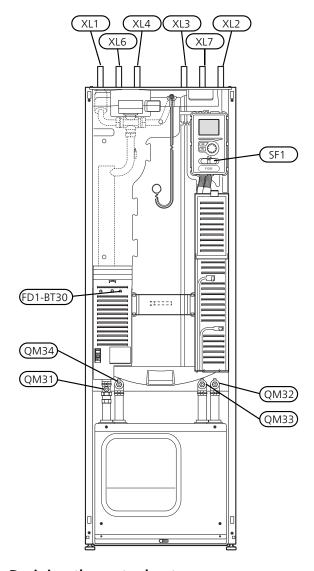
The switch (SF1) must not be moved to "I" or "\( \Delta \)" until F1255PC has been filled with water. Component parts in the product can be damaged.

Emergency mode is used in event of operational interference and in conjunction with service. Hot water is not produced in emergency mode.

Emergency mode is activated by setting switch (SF1) in mode " $\Delta$ ". This means that:

- The status lamp illuminates yellow.
- The display is not lit and the control computer is not connected.
- The temperature at the immersion heater is controlled by the thermostat (FD1-BT30). It can be set either to 35 or 45 °C.
- The compressor and the brine system are off and only the heating medium pump and the electric additional heat are active. The additional heat power in emergency mode is set in the immersion heater board (AA1). See page 23 for instructions.





## Draining the water heater

The siphon principle is used to empty the hot water heater. This can be done either via the drain valve on the incoming cold water pipe or by inserting a hose into the cold water connection.

#### Draining the climate system

In order to carry out service on the climate system, it may be easier to drain the system first. This can be done in different ways depending on what needs doing:



#### NOTE

There may be some hot water when draining the heating medium side/climate system. There is a risk of scalding.

# Draining the heating medium side in the cooling module

If, for example, the heating medium pump requires replacing or the cooling module requires servicing, drain the heating medium side as follows:

1. Close the shut-off valves to heating medium side (QM31) and (QM32).

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- 2. Connect a hose to the bleed valve (QM1) and open the valve. Some liquid will run out.
- 3. Air must get into the system for the remaining liquid to run out. To let in air, slacken off the connection slightly at the shut-off valve (QM32) that joins the heat pump with the cooling module.

When the heating medium side is drained, the required service can be performed and/or replacement of any components carried out.

# Draining the heating medium system in the heat pump

If the heat pump requires servicing, drain the heating medium side as follows:

- 1. Close the shut-off valves outside the heat pump for the heating medium side (return and flow line).
- 2. Connect a hose to the bleed valve (QM1) and open the valve. Some liquid will run out.
- 3. Air must get into the system for the remaining liquid to run out. To let in air, slacken off the connection slightly at the shut-off valve that joins the heat pump with the cooling module (XL2).

When the heating medium side is empty the requisite service can be carried out.

#### Draining the entire climate system

If the entire climate system requires draining, do this as follows:

- Connect a hose to the bleed valve (QM1) and open the valve. Some liquid will run out.
- 2. Air must get into the system for the remaining liquid to run out. To allow air in, unscrew the bleed screw on the highest radiator in the house.

When the climate system is empty the requisite service can be carried out.

## **Emptying the brine system**

In order to service the brine system it may be easier to drain the system first. This can be done in different ways depending on what needs doing:

## Draining the brine system in the cooling module

If, for example, the brine pump requires replacing or the cooling module requires servicing, drain the brine system by:

- Close the shut-off valves to brine system (QM33) and (QM34).
- Connect a hose to the drain valve (QM2), place the other opening of the hose in a container and open the valve. A small amount of brine will flow into the container
- 3. Air must get into the system for the remaining brine to run out. To let in air, slacken off the connection slightly at the shut-off valve (QM33) that joins the heat pump with the cooling module.

When the brine side is empty the requisite service can be carried out.

#### Draining the brine system in the heat pump

If the heat pump requires servicing, drain the brine system by:

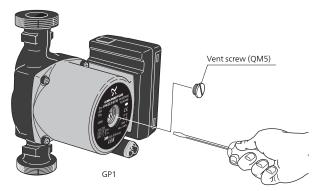
- 1. Close the shut-off valve outside the heat pump for the brine system.
- Connect a hose to the drain valve (QM2), place the other opening of the hose in a container and open the valve. A small amount of brine will flow into the container.
- 3. Air must get into the system for the remaining brine to run out. To let in air, slacken off the connection slightly at the shut-off valve that joins the brine side with the heat pump at connection (XL7).

When the brine side is empty the requisite service can be carried out.

## Helping the circulation pump to start

- 1. Shut off, F1255PC by setting the switch ((SF1)) to "  $\red{U}$ ".
- 2. Remove the front cover
- 3. Remove the cover for the cooling module.
- 4. Loosen the venting screw (QM5) with a screwdriver. Hold a cloth around the screwdriver blade as a small amount of water may run out.
- Insert a screwdriver and turn the pump motor around
- 6. Screw in the venting screw (QM5).
- 7. Start F1255PC by setting the switch (SF1) to "l" and check whether the circulation pump works.

It is usually easier to start the circulation pump with F1255PC running, switch (SF1) set to "I". If the circulation pump is helped to start while F1255PC is running, be prepared for the screwdriver to jerk when the pump starts.



The image shows an example of what a circulation pump can look like.

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## **Temperature sensor data**

Temperature (°C)	Resistance (kOhm)	Voltage (VDC)
-40	351.0	3.256
-35	251.6	3.240
-30	182.5	3.218
-25	133.8	3.189
-20	99.22	3.150
-15	74.32	3.105
-10	56.20	3.047
-5	42.89	2.976
0	33.02	2.889
5	25.61	2.789
10	20.02	2.673
15	15.77	2.541
20	12.51	2.399
25	10.00	2.245
30	8.045	2.083
35	6.514	1.916
40	5.306	1.752
45	4.348	1.587
50	3.583	1.426
55	2.968	1.278
60	2.467	1.136
65	2.068	1.007
70	1.739	0.891
75	1.469	0.785
80	1.246	0.691
85	1.061	0.607
90	0.908	0.533
95	0.779	0.469
100	0.672	0.414

## Pulling out the cooling module

The cooling module can be pulled out for service and transport.



#### NOTE

Shut off the heat pump and turn off the current on the safety breaker.



#### Caution

The cooling module is easy to remove if it is drained first (see page 49).

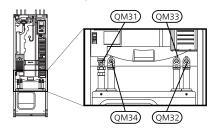


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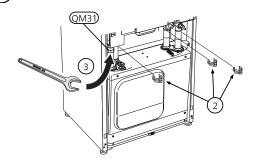
Remove the front cover according to the description on page 8.

Close the shut-off valves (QM31), (QM32), (QM33) and (QM34).

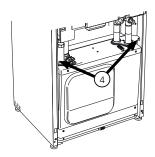
Drain the compressor module according to the instructions on page 49



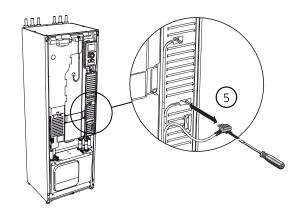
Pull off the lock catches.



- Disconnect the pipe connection at the shut-off valve (QM31).
- Remove the two screws.

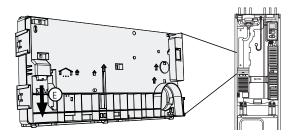


Remove the connection from the base card (AA2) using a screwdriver.

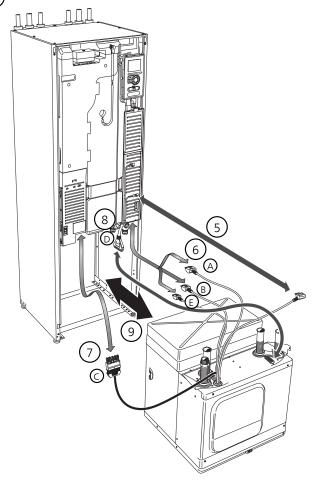


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6 Disconnect the switches (A), (B) and (E) from the underside of the base card cabinet.



- Disconnect the connector (C) from the immersion heater circuit board (AA1) using a screwdriver.
- B Disconnect the connector (D) from the joint circuit board (AA100).
- Carefully pull out the cooling module.





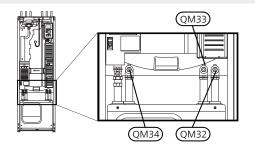
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TIP

The cooling module is installed in reverse or-

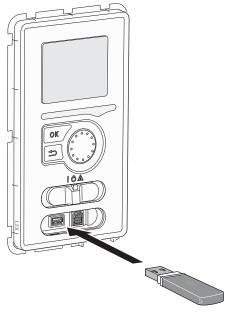


At reinstallation, the supplied O-rings must replace the existing ones at the connections to the heat pump (see image).

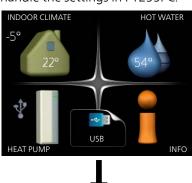


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#### **USB** service outlet



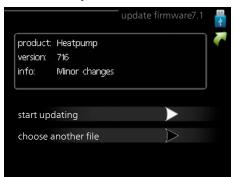
F1255PC is equipped with a USB socket in the display unit. This USB socket can be used to connect a USB memory to update the software, save logged information and handle the settings in F1255PC.





When a USB memory is connected a new menu (menu 7) appears in the display.

#### Menu 7.1 - update firmware



This allows you to update the software in F1255PC.



#### **NOTE**

For the following functions to work the USB memory must contain files with software for F1255PC from NIBE.

The fact box at the top of the display shows information (always in English) of the most probable update that the update software has selected form the USB memory.

This information states which product the software is intended for, the software version and general information about them. If you wish to select another file than the one selected, the correct file can be selected by "choose another file".

#### start updating

Select "start updating" if you want to start the update. You are asked whether you really want to update the software. Respond "yes" to continue or "no" to undo.

If you responded"yes" to the previous question the update starts and you can now follow the progress of the update on the display. When the update is complete F1255PC restarts.



#### NOTE

A software update does not reset the menu settings in F1255PC.



#### NOTE

If the update is interrupted before it is complete (for example power cut etc.) the software can be reset to the previous version if the OK button is held in during start up until the green lamp starts to illuminate (takes about 10 seconds).

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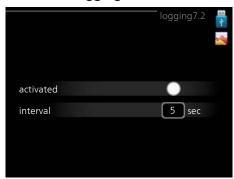
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#### choose another file



Select "choose another file" if you do not want to use the suggested software. When you scroll through the files, information about the marked software is shown in a fact box just as before. When you have selected a file with the OK button you will return to the previous page (menu 7.1) where you can choose to start the update.

Menu 7.2 - logging



Setting range: 1 s – 60 min Factory setting range: 5 s

Here you can choose how current measurement values from F1255PC should be saved onto a log file on the USB memory.

- 1. Set the desired interval between loggings.
- 2. Tick "activated".
- 3. The present values from F1255PC are saved in a file in the USB memory at the set interval until "activated" is unticked.



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#### NOTE

Untick "activated" before removing the USB memory.

#### Menu 7.3 - manage settings



Here you can manage (save as or retrieve from) all the menu settings (user and service menus) in F1255PC with a USB memory.

Via "save settings" you save the menu settings to the USB memory in order to restore them later or to copy the settings to another F1255PC.



#### NOTE

When you save the menu settings to the USB memory you replace any previously saved settings on the USB memory.

Via "recover settings" you reset all menu settings from the USB memory.



#### NOTE

Reset of the menu settings from the USB memory cannot be undone.

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## 10 Disturbances in comfort

In most cases, the heat pump notes operational interference (operational interference can lead to disturbance in comfort) and indicates this with alarms and shows action instructions in the display.

## Info menu

All the heat pump measurement values are gathered under menu 3.1 in the heat pump menu system. Looking through the values in this menu can often simplify finding the source of the fault. See help menu or user manual for more information about menu 3.1.

## Manage alarm



In the event of an alarm, some kind of malfunction has occurred, which is indicated by the status lamp changing from green continuously to red continuously. In addition, an alarm bell appears in the information window.

### **Alarm**

In the event of an alarm with a red status lamp a malfunction has occurred that the heat pump cannot remedy itself. In the display, by turning the control knob and pressing the OK button, you can see the type of alarm it is and reset it. You can also choose to set the heat pump to aid mode.

**info / action** Here you can read what the alarm means and receive tips on what you can do to correct the problem that caused the alarm.

**reset alarm** In most cases it is enough to select "reset alarm" to correct the problem that caused the alarm. If a green light illuminates after selecting "reset alarm" the alarm has been remedied. If a red light is still visible and a menu called "alarm" is visible in the display, the problem that caused the alarm remains. If the alarm disappears and then returns, see the troubleshooting section (page 55).

**aid mode** "aid mode" is a type of emergency mode. This means that the heat pump produces heat and/or hot water despite there being some kind of problem. This can mean that the heat pump's compressor is not running. In this case the immersion heater produces heat and/or hot water.



#### NOTE

To select aid mode an alarm action must be selected in the menu 5.1.4.



#### Caution

Selecting "aid mode" is not the same as correcting the problem that caused the alarm. The status lamp will therefore continue to be red.

## **Troubleshooting**

If the operational interference is not shown in the display the following tips can be used:

#### **Basic actions**

Start by checking the following possible fault sources:

- The switch's (SF1) position.
- Group and main fuses of the accommodation.
- The property's earth circuit breaker.
- The heat pump's miniature circuit breaker (FA1).
- The heat pump's temperature limiter (FD1).
- Correctly set load monitor (if installed).

# Low hot water temperature or a lack of hot water

- Closed or choked filling valve for the hot water heater.
  - Open the valve.
- Heat pump in incorrect operating mode.
  - If mode "manual" is selected, select "addition".
- Large hot water consumption.
  - Wait until the hot water has heated up. Temporarily increased hot water capacity (temporary lux) can be activated in menu 2.1.
- Too low hot water setting.
  - Enter menu 2.2 and select a higher comfort mode.
- Too low or no operating prioritisation of hot water.
  - Enter menu 4.9.1 and increase the time for when hot water is to be prioritised.

#### Low room temperature

- Closed thermostats in several rooms.
  - Set the thermostats to max, in as many rooms as possible. Adjust the room temperature via menu 1.1, instead of choking the thermostats.
- Heat pump in incorrect operating mode.
  - Enter menu 4.2. If mode "auto" is selected, select a higher value on "stop heating" in menu 4.9.2.
  - If mode "manual" is selected, select "heating". If this is not enough, select "addition".
- Too low set value on the automatic heating control.
  - Enter menu 1.1 "temperature" and adjust the offset heating curve up. If the room temperature is only low in cold weather the curve slope in menu 1.9.1 "heating curve" needs adjusting up.
- Too low or no operating prioritisation of heat.
  - Enter menu 4.9.1 and increase the time for when heating is to be prioritised.
- "Holiday mode" activated in menu 4.7.
  - Enter menu 4.7 and select "Off".

- External switch for changing the room heating activated.
  - Check any external switches.
- Air in the climate system.
  - Vent the climate system (see page 28).
- Closed valves (QM20), (QM32) to the climate system.
  - Open the valves.

### **High room temperature**

- Too high set value on the automatic heating control.
  - Enter menu 1.1 (temperature) and reduce the offset heating curve. If the room temperature is only high in cold weather the curve slope in menu 1.9.1 "heating curve" needs adjusting down.
- External switch for changing the room heating activated.
  - Check any external switches.

## Uneven room temperature.

- Incorrectly set heating curve.
  - Adjust the heating curve in menu 1.9.1.
- Too high set value on "dT at DOT"...
  - Enter menu 5.1.14 (flow set. climate system) and reduce the value of "dT at DOT".
- Uneven flow over the radiators.
  - Adjust the flow distribution between the radiators.

#### Low system pressure

- Not enough water in the climate system.
  - Top up the water in the climate system (see page 28).

#### Low or a lack of ventilation

This part of the fault-tracing chapter only applies if the NIBE FLM accessory is installed.

- The ventilation is not adjusted.
  - Order/implement ventilation adjustment.
- Filter (HQ10) blocked.
  - Clean or replace the filter.
- Exhaust air device blocked or throttled down too much
  - Check and clean the exhaust air devices.
- Fan speed in reduced mode.
  - Enter menu 1.2 and select "normal".
- External switch for changing the fan speed activated.
  - Check any external switches.

#### High or distracting ventilation

This part of the fault-tracing chapter only applies if the NIBE FLM accessory is installed.

- The ventilation is not adjusted.
  - Order/implement ventilation adjustment.
- Fan speed in forced mode.
  - Enter menu 1.2 and select "normal".
- External switch for changing the fan speed activated.
  - Check any external switches.

- Filter blocked.
  - Clean or replace the filter.

## The compressor does not start

- There is no heating requirement.
  - The heat pump does not call on heating nor hot water
- Temperature conditions tripped.
  - Wait until the temperature condition has been reset.
- Minimum time between compressor starts has not been reached.
  - Wait 30 minutes and check if the compressor has started
- Alarm tripped.
  - Follow the display instructions.

## Whining noise in the radiators

- Closed thermostats in the rooms and incorrectly set heating curve.
  - Set the thermostats to max in as many rooms as possible. Adjust the heating curve via menu 1.1 instead of choking the thermostats.
- Circulation pump speed set too high.
  - Enter menu 5.1.11 (pump speed heating medium) and reduce the speed of the circulation pump.
- Uneven flow over the radiators.
  - Adjust the flow distribution between the radiators.

#### **Gurgling sound**

This part of the fault-tracing chapter only applies if the NIBE FLM accessory is installed.

- Not enough water in the water seal.
- Refill the water seal with water.
- Choked water seal.
  - Check and adjust the condensation water hose.

# 11 Accessories

## **Accessory card AXC 40**

An accessory card is required if step controlled addition (e.g. external electric boiler) or if shunt controlled addition (e.g. wood/oil/gas/pellet boiler) is to be connected to F1255PC.

An accessory card is also required if the ground water pump or external circulation pump is connected to F1255PC at the same time that the buzzer alarm is activated.

Part no. 067 060

## **Active/Passive cooling HPAC 40**

Part no. 067 076

## **Auxiliary relay HR 10**

Part no. 067 309

#### **Base extension EF 45**

Part no. 067 152

#### **Buffer vessel UKV**

#### **UKV 40**

Part no. 088 470

#### **UKV 100**

Part no. 088 207

## **UKV 102**

Part no. 080 310

#### **UKV 200**

Part no. 080 300

## **UKV 300**

Part no. 080 301

## **UKV 500**

Part no. 080 302

## **Communications module MODBUS 40**

MODBUS 40 enables F1255PC to be controlled and monitored using a DUC (computer sub-center) in the building. Communication occurs using MODBUS-RTU.

Part no. 067 144

## **Communications module SMS 40**

SMS 40 enables operation and monitoring of F1255PC, via a GSM module, using a mobile phone via SMS messages. If the mobile telephone also has the Android operating system the mobile application "NIBE Mobile App" can be used.

Part no. 067 073

## **Domestic water exchanger PLEX**

310 - 20	Part no. 075 315
310 - 40	Part no. 075 316
310 - 60	Part no. 075 317
310 - 80	Part no. 075 318
322 - 30	Part no. 075 319
322 - 40	Part no. 075 320
322 - 60	Part no. 075 321

#### **Exhaust air module FLM**

FLM is an exhaust air module specially designed to combine recovery of mechanical exhaust air with an energy collector in rock.

FLM	Bracket pack FLM		
Part no. 067 011	Part no. 067 083		

#### **External electric additional heat ELK**

These accessories require accessories card AXC 40 (step controlled addition).

#### ELK 5

Immersion heater 5 kW, 1 x 230 V Part no. 069 025

#### ELK 8

Immersion heater 8 kW, 1 x 230 V Part no. 069 026

#### **ELK 15**

Immersion heater 15 kW, 3 x 400 V Part no. 069 022

#### **ELK 213**

Immersion heater 7-13 kW, 3 x 400 V Part no. 069 500

## Extra shunt group ECS 40/ECS 41

This accessory is used when F1255PC is installed in houses with two or more different climate systems that require different supply temperatures.

ECS 40 (Max 80 m<sup>2</sup>) Part no. 067 287 ECS 41 (Min 80 m<sup>2</sup>) Part no. 067 288

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## Filling valve kit KB 25/32

Filling valve kit for filling brine in the collector hose for rock heat pumps. Includes dirt filter and insulation.

KB 25 (max 12 kW) KB 32 (max 30 kW)

Part no. 089 368 Part no. 089 971

## Free cooling PCS 44

Part no. 067 296

#### **Level monitor NV 10**

Part no. 089 315

## **Passive cooling PCM 42**

Part no. 067 078

## **Pool heating POOL 40**

POOL 40 is an accessory that enables pool heating with F1255PC.

Part no. 067 062

#### **Room unit RMU 40**

RMU 40 means that control and monitoring of the heat pump can be carried out in a different part of the accommodation to where F1255PC is located.

Part no. 067 064

## Water heater/Accumulator tank

#### **AHPS**

Accumulator tank with a solar coil (copper) and a combined pre-heating and post-heating coil (stainless steel) for hot water production.

Part no. 056 283

#### AHP

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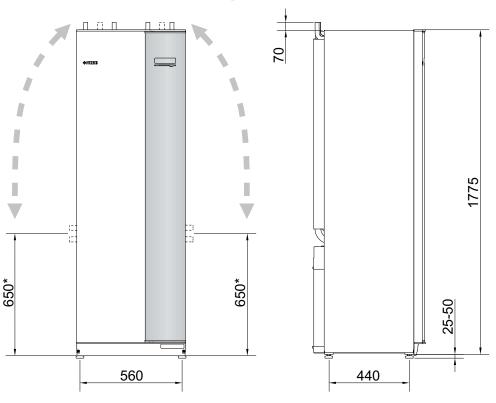
Volume expansion vessel that is primarily used for expanding the volume together with AHPS.

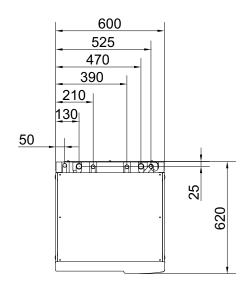
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# 12 Technical data

# Dimensions and setting-out coordinates





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 $<sup>^*</sup>$  This dimension applies at 90° angle on the brine pipes (side connection). The dimension can vary approx.  $\pm 100$  mm in height as the brine pipes partially consist of flexible pipes.

# **Technical specifications**



F1255PC		
Electrical data		
Rated voltage		230V ~ 50Hz
Max operating current including 0 – 0.5 kW immersion heater (Recommended fuse rating).	$A_{rms}$	15(16)
Max operating current including 1 – 1.5 kW immersion heater (Recommended fuse rating).	A <sub>rms</sub>	20(20)
Max operating current including 2 – 2.5 kW immersion heater (Recommended fuse rating).	A <sub>rms</sub>	24(25)
Max operating current including 3 – 4 kW immersion heater (Recommended fuse rating).	A <sub>rms</sub>	31(32)
Max operating current including 4.5 kW immersion heater (Recommended fuse rating).	A <sub>rms</sub>	33(40)
Additional power	kW	0.5/1/1.5/2/2.5/3 /3.5/4/4.5

## 3x400V

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F1255PC		
Electrical data		
Rated voltage		400V 3N ~ 50Hz
Max operating current including 0 kW immersion heater (Recommended fuse rating).	A <sub>rms</sub>	12(16)
Additional power	kW	0.5/1/1.5/2/2.5/3
		/3.5/4/4.5/5/5.5/6/6.5

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## 1x230V and 3x400V

1x230V and 3x400V		
F1255PC		
Output data according to EN 14511 nominal (50 Hz)		
0/35		
Rated output	kW	3.15
Installed electrical output	kW	0.67
COP		4.72
0/45		
Rated output	kW	2.87
Installed electrical output	kW	0.79
COP		3.61
10/35		
Rated output	kW	4.30
Installed electrical output	kW	0.66
COP		6.49
10/45		
Rated output	kW	3.98
Installed electrical output	kW	0.83
COP	- KVV	4.79
SCOP according to EN 14825		
Nominal heating output (designh)	kW	6
SCOP <sub>FN14825</sub> cold climate, 35 °C / 55 °C	100	5.5 / 4.1
SCOP <sub>FN14825</sub> average climate, 35 °C / 55 °C		5.2 / 4.0
Energy rating, average climate		3.2 / 4.0
Efficiency class for space heating 35 °C / 55 °C		A++ / A++
Space heating efficiency class of the system 35 °C / 55 °C <sup>1</sup> )		A+++ / A+++
Efficiency class hot water / charging profile		A / XL
	alD(A)	
Sound power level (L <sub>WA</sub> ) acc to EN 12102 at 0/35	dB(A)	36 – 43
Sound pressure level (L <sub>PA</sub> ) calculated values according to EN ISO 11203 at 0/35 and 1m range Electrical data	dB(A)	21 – 28
Output, Brine pump	W	10 – 87
Output, Heating medium pump	W	2 – 63
IP class	VV	IP21
Refrigerant circuit		11 2 1
Type of refrigerant		R407C
Volume	kg	1.16
Cut-out value pressostat HP	MPa	3.2 (32 bar)
Difference pressostat HP	MPa	-0.7 (-7 bar)
Cut-out value pressostat LP	MPa	0.15 (1.5 bar)
Difference pressostat LP	MPa	0.15 (1.5 bar)
Brine circuit	IVIFA	0.15 (1.5 par)
Energy class Brine pump		low operav
Max system pressure brine	MPa	low energy 0.45 (4.5 bar)
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Min system pressure brine  Nominal flow (50 Hz)	MPa I/s	0.05 (0.5 bar) 0.18
Max external avail. press at nom flow	kPa °C	64
Max/Min incoming Brine temp	°C	see diagram
Min. outgoing brine temp.	10	-12
Heating medium circuit		1
Energy class circ-pump	NAC	low energy
Max system pressure heating medium	MPa	0.45 (4.5 bar)

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Min system pressure heating medium	MPa	0.05 (0.5 k	oar)	
Nominal flow (50 Hz)	I/s	0.08		
Max external avail. press at nom flow	kPa	69		
Max/Min heating medium temp	°C	see diagra	am	
Pipe connections				
Brine ext diam. CU pipe	mm	28		
Heating medium ext diam. CU pipes	mm	22		
Hot water connection external diam	mm	22		
Cold water connection external diam	mm	22		
Water heater				
Volume water heater	I	approx. 1	80	
Max pressure in water heater	MPa	1.0 (10 bar)		
Hot water heating capacity (comfort mode Normal) According to EN16147				
Amount of hot water (40 °C)		245		
COP <sub>DHW</sub> (load profile XL)		2.7		
Dimensions and weight				
Width	mm	600		
Depth	mm	620		
Height	mm	1800		
Required ceiling height <sup>2)</sup>	mm	1950		
Corrosion protection		Rf	Е	
Weight complete heat pump	kg	205	240	
Weight only cooling module	kg	95		
Part number, 1x230V		065 293		
Part number, 3x400V		065 272	065 415	

 $<sup>^{1)}</sup>$ Reported efficiency for the system takes the product's temperature regulator into account.

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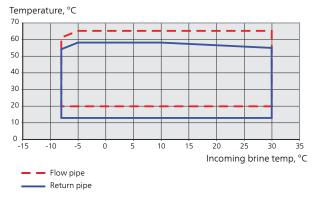
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2)</sup>With feet removed the height is approx. 1930 mm for F1255PC.

# Working range heat pump, compressor operation

The compressor provides a supply temperature up to  $65\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ , at  $0\,^{\circ}\text{C}$  incoming brine temperature, the remainder (up to  $70\,^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) is obtained using the additional heat.

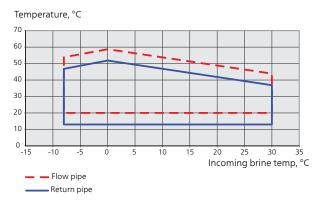
#### F1255PC

This diagram shows the working range below 75 % for F1255PC.



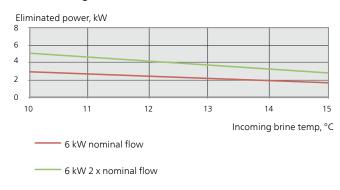
#### F1255PC

This diagram shows the working range above 75 % for F1255PC

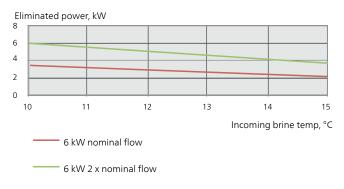


## Diagram, passive cooling

Passive cooling, 21 °C return temperature nominal flow brine/heating medium



Passive cooling, 23 °C return temperature nominal flow brine/heating medium

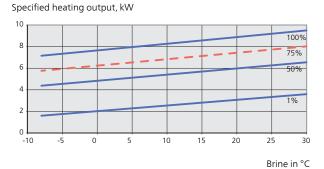


## Diagram, dimensioning compressor speed

## Heating mode

Use this diagram to dimension the heat pump.

The percentages show approximate compressor speed. **F1255PC** 



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## Caution

For operation of F1255PC above 75% compressor speed, unlocking in menu 5.1.24 is required. This can produce a louder noise level than the value stated in the technical specifications.

## Cooling operation

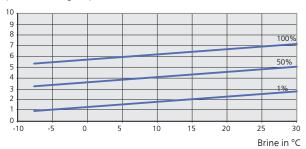


## **Gaution**

To dimension heating dump, see the diagram for heating operation.

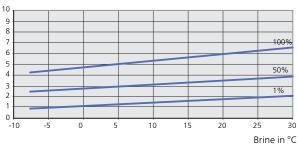
# Supply temperature, heating medium 35 °°C F1255PC

Specified cooling output, kW



# Supply temperature, heating medium 50 °°C F1255PC

Specified cooling output, kW



# **Energy labelling**

## **Information sheet**

Supplier		NIBE AB
Model		F1255PC 1x230V
Temperature application	°C	35 / 55
Declared load profile for water heating		XL
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency class, average climate		A++ / A++
Water heating energy efficiency class, average climate		A
Rated heat output (Pdesignh), average climate	kW	6
Annual energy consumption space heating, average climate	kWh	2,188 / 2,875
Annual energy consumption water heating, average climate	kWh	1,642
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency, average climate	%	200 / 150
Water heating energy efficiency, average climate	%	102
Sound power level L <sub>WA</sub> indoors	dB	42
Rated heat output (Pdesignh), cold climate	kW	6
Rated heat output (Pdesignh), warm climate	kW	6
Annual energy consumption space heating, cold climate	kWh	2,481 / 3,287
Annual energy consumption water heating, cold cli- mate	kWh	1,642
Annual energy consumption space heating, warm climate	kWh	1,408 / 1,852
Annual energy consumption water heating, warm climate	kWh	1,642
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency, cold climate	%	211 / 157
Water heating energy efficiency, cold climate	%	102
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency, warm climate	%	201 / 151
Water heating energy efficiency, warm climate	%	102
Sound power level L <sub>WA</sub> outdoors	dB	-

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Supplier		NIBE AB
Supplier		NIDE AD
Model		F1255PC 3x400V
Temperature application	°C	35 <i>l</i> 55
Declared load profile for water heating		XL
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency class, average climate		A++ / A++
Water heating energy efficiency class, average climate		Α
Rated heat output (Pdesignh), average climate	kW	6
Annual energy consumption space heating, average climate	kWh	2,188 / 2,875
Annual energy consumption water heating, average climate	kWh	1,642
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency, average climate	%	200 / 150
Water heating energy efficiency, average climate	%	102
Sound power level L <sub>WA</sub> indoors	dB	42
Rated heat output (Pdesignh), cold climate	kW	6
Rated heat output (Pdesignh), warm climate	kW	6
Annual energy consumption space heating, cold climate	kWh	2,481 / 3,287
Annual energy consumption water heating, cold cli- mate	kWh	1,642
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Annual energy consumption water heating, warm climate	kWh	1,642
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency, cold climate	%	211 / 157
Water heating energy efficiency, cold climate	%	102
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency, warm cli- mate	%	201 / 151
Water heating energy efficiency, warm climate	%	102
Sound power level L <sub>WA</sub> outdoors	dB	-

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## Data for energy efficiency of the package

Model		F1255PC 1x230V
Temperature application	°C	35 / 55
Controller, class		VI
Controller, contribution to efficiency	%	4
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of the package, average climate	%	204 / 154
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency class of the package, average climate		A+++
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of the package, cold climate	%	215 / 161
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of the package, warm climate	%	205 / 155

Model		F1255PC 3x400V
Temperature application	°C	35 / 55
Controller, class		VI
Controller, contribution to efficiency	%	4
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of the package, average climate	%	204 / 154
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency class of the package, average climate		A+++
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of the package, cold climate	%	215 / 161
Seasonal space heating energy efficiency of the package, warm climate	%	205 / 155

The reported efficiency of the package also takes the controller into account. If an external supplementary boiler or solar heating is added to the package, the overall efficiency of the package should be recalculated.

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Model		F1255PC 1x230V					
Type of heat pump		☐ Air-v	vater				
		_	ust-water				
		Brine					
			er-water				
Low-temperature heat pump		☐ Yes	No No				
Integrated immersion heater for additional heater	at	X Yes	☐ No				
Heat pump combination heater		X Yes	☐ No				
Climate		X Aver	age $\square$	Cold Warm			
Temperature application		X Aver	age (55°C	)			
Applied standards		EN-1482	.5 & EN-16	147			
Rated heat output	Prated	5,5	kW	Seasonal space heating energy efficiency	$\eta_s$	150	%
Declared capacity for space heating at part load	and at ou	ıtdoor tem	perature	Declared coefficient of performance for space h	eating at p	oart load	and at
Tj				outdoor temperature Tj			
Tj = -7 °C	Pdh	5.0	kW	Tj = -7 °C	COPd	3.06	kW
Tj = +2 °C	Pdh	3.0	kW	Tj = +2 °C	COPd	3.97	kW
Tj = +7 °C	Pdh	2.0	kW	Tj = +7 °C	COPd	4.63	kW
Tj = +12 °C	Pdh	1.2	kW	Tj = +12 °C	COPd	4.86	kW
Tj = biv	Pdh	5.4	kW	Tj = biv	COPd	2.84	kW
Tj = TOL	Pdh	5.4	kW	Tj = TOL	COPd	2.84	kW
Tj = -15 °C (if TOL < -20 °C)	Pdh		kW	Tj = -15 °C (if TOL < -20 °C)	COPd		kW
Bivalent temperature	T <sub>biv</sub>	-10	°C	Min. outdoor air temperature	TOL	-10	°C
Cycling interval capacity	Pcych		kW	Cycling interval efficiency	COPcyc		-
Degradation coefficient	Cdh	0.99	-	Max supply temperature	WTOL	65	°C
   Power consumption in modes other than active	mode			Additional heat			
Off mode	P <sub>OFF</sub>	0.002	kW	Rated heat output	Psup	0.1	kW
Thermostat-off mode	P <sub>TO</sub>	0.007	kW				
Standby mode	P <sub>SB</sub>	0.007	kW	Type of energy input		Electric	
Crankcase heater mode	P <sub>CK</sub>	0.009	kW	,,p. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5. 5.			
C.d. Medici Mode	· CK	0.005					
Other items							
Capacity control		Variable Rated airflow (air-water)				m³/h	
Sound power level, indoors/outdoors	L <sub>WA</sub>	42 / -	dB	Nominal heating medium flow			m³/h
Annual energy consumption	Q <sub>HE</sub>	2,875	kWh	Brine flow brine-water or water-water heat		0.68	m³/h
5, 1	VIII.	,		pumps			
For heat pump combination heater							
Declared load profile for water heating		XL		Water heating energy efficiency	$\eta_{\text{wh}}$	102	%
Daily energy consumption	Q <sub>elec</sub>	7.73	kWh	Daily fuel consumption	Q <sub>fuel</sub>		kWh
Annual energy consumption	AEC	1,642	kWh	Annual fuel consumption	AFC		GJ

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Model				F1255PC 3x400V			
Type of heat pump		☐ Air-v	vater				
		Exhaust-water					
		Brine-water					
		_	er-water				
Low-temperature heat pump		_					
<u> </u>		☐ Yes	No No				
Integrated immersion heater for additional h	eat	X Yes	☐ No				
Heat pump combination heater		X Yes	☐ No				
Climate		X Aver	age $\square$	Cold Warm			
Temperature application		-	age (55 °C				
Applied standards			5 & EN-16				
Rated heat output	Prated	5,5	kW	Seasonal space heating energy efficiency	ης	150	%
Declared capacity for space heating at part loa	d and at ou	tdoor tem	perature	Declared coefficient of performance for space I	.,,	part load a	and at
Тј			·	outdoor temperature Tj	σ,		
Tj = -7 °C	Pdh	5.0	kW	Tj = -7 °C	COPd	3.06	kW
Tj = +2 °C	Pdh	3.0	kW	Tj = +2 °C	COPd	3.97	kW
Tj = +7 °C	Pdh	2.0	kW	Tj = +7 °C	COPd	4.63	kW
Tj = +12 °C	Pdh	1.2	kW	Tj = +12 °C	COPd	4.86	kW
Tj = biv	Pdh	5.4	kW	Tj = biv	COPd	2.84	kW
Tj = TOL	Pdh	5.4	kW	Tj = TOL	COPd	2.84	kW
Tj = -15 °C (if TOL < -20 °C)	Pdh		kW	Tj = -15 °C (if TOL < -20 °C)	COPd		kW
Bivalent temperature	T <sub>biv</sub>	-10	°C	Min. outdoor air temperature	TOL	-10	°C
Cycling interval capacity	Pcych		kW	Cycling interval efficiency	COPcyc		-
Degradation coefficient	Cdh	0.99	-	Max supply temperature	WTOL	65	°C
Power consumption in modes other than activ	re mode			Additional heat			
Off mode	P <sub>OFF</sub>	0.002	kW	Rated heat output	Psup	0.1	kW
Thermostat-off mode	P <sub>TO</sub>	0.007	kW				
Standby mode	P <sub>SB</sub>	0.007	kW	Type of energy input		Electric	
Crankcase heater mode	P <sub>CK</sub>	0.009	kW				
Other items							
Capacity control		Variable		Rated airflow (air-water)			m³/h
Sound power level, indoors/outdoors	L <sub>WA</sub>	42 / -	dB	Nominal heating medium flow			m³/h
Annual energy consumption	Q <sub>HE</sub>	2,875	kWh	Brine flow brine-water or water-water heat pumps		0.68	m <sup>3</sup> /h
For heat pump combination heater							
Declared load profile for water heating		XL		Water heating energy efficiency	$\eta_{\text{wh}}$	102	%
Daily energy consumption	Q <sub>elec</sub>	7.48	kWh	Daily fuel consumption	Q <sub>fuel</sub>		kWh
Annual energy consumption	AEC	1,642	kWh	Annual fuel consumption	AFC		GJ
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