

Installation & Operation Manual



E-COMPACT 18 Slim / E-COMPACT 15 Wood Pellet Boiler

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1. INTRODUCTION

Dear Customer,

We wish to thank you for choosing this ECOMPACT pellet boiler product from Wood Energy Solutions (WES).

In order to get the best performance from your appliance we recommend that you read this booklet carefully before lighting the appliance for the first time.





While thanking you again, may we remind you that the appliance **MUST NOT** be used by children, and that they must always be kept at a safe distance from it!

Revisions to the publication

In order to improve the product, to keep this publication up to date the manufacturer reserves the right to make modifications without any advance notice. Any reproduction, even in part, of this manual without the consent of the manufacturer is prohibited.

Care of the manual and how to consult it

- Take good care of this manual and keep it in a place which can easily and quickly be reached.
- If this manual should be lost or destroyed, or if it is in poor condition, ask for a copy from your retailer or directly from the manufacturer, providing product identification data.
- Information which is essential or that requires special attention is shown in **bold text**.
- Italic text is used to call your attention to other paragraphs in the manual or for any additional clarifications.

	<p>ATTENTION</p> <p>This warning sign indicates that the message to which it refers should be carefully read and understood, because failure to comply with what these notices say can cause serious damage to the boiler and put the user's safety at risk.</p>
	<p>INFORMATION</p> <p>This symbol is used to highlight information which is important for proper boiler operation. Failure to comply with these provisions will compromise use of the boiler and its operation will not be satisfactory.</p>
	<p>OPERATING SEQUENCES:</p> <p>Indicates a sequence of buttons to be pushed to access menus or to make adjustments.</p>
	<p>MANUAL</p> <p>Indicates that you should carefully read this manual or the related instructions.</p>

2. WARNINGS AND GUARANTEE /WARRANTY INFORMATION

2.1. SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



- Installation of the boiler, making the electrical connections, checking its operation, and maintenance are all tasks which should be carried out by qualified and authorised personnel.
- Install the boiler in accordance with the regulations in force in your local area, region and country.
- For the correct use of the appliance and to prevent accidents, the instructions given in this booklet must always be followed.
- Use, adjustment and programming must be carried out by adults. Errors or incorrect settings may cause hazardous conditions and/or poor operation.
- Before beginning any operation, the user, or whoever is preparing to operate on the appliance, must have read and understood the entire contents of this instruction booklet.
- All responsibility for improper use is taken entirely by the user and such use relieves WES of any civil or criminal responsibility.
- Any kind of tampering or unauthorised substitution of non-original spare parts can be hazardous for the safety of the operator and relieves WES of any civil or criminal responsibility.
- Most of the surfaces of the appliance are extremely hot (the boiler door, the handle, smoke discharge pipes, etc.). Avoid coming into contact with these parts, without adequate protective clothing or suitable implements such as gloves with thermal protection or implements which keep the hands cool.
- Carefully explain this hazard to elderly people, disabled people and particularly to all children, keeping them away from the appliance while it is running.
- **Under no circumstances should the appliance be run with the door open.**
- Do not touch the appliance with wet hands, in view of the fact that it is an electrical appliance.
- Before carrying out any cleaning or maintenance operation, make sure in advance that the appliance is isolated from the mains electricity supply, by removing the mains isolator fuse.
- The appliance must be connected to an electrical system which is equipped with an earth conductor, as laid down in directives 73/23 EEC and 93/98 EEC.
- The fuse must be of adequate rated capacity for the stated electrical power of the appliance.
- Incorrect installation or faulty maintenance (not conforming to the requirements set out in this booklet) can cause harm to people, animals or property. In such cases WES is absolved from any civil or criminal responsibility.



Adhesives sealants and paints used in the manufacture of the product are cured and present no known hazards when used in the manner for which they were intended. The appliance contains no asbestos.

2.2. OPERATING WARNINGS



- Shut the appliance down in the event of a breakdown or bad running.
- Pellets must not be fed manually into the burner.
- Accumulated un-burnt pellets in the burner after repeated failed ignitions must be removed before re-lighting.
- Do not wash the inside of the heat exchanger with water.
- Do not wash the appliance with water. The water could get inside the unit and damage the electrical insulation and cause electric shocks.
- Do not put any fuel, other than wood pellets, in the hopper .
- Install the appliance in a location which is suitable for fire-fighting, and equipped with all services such as air and electricity supply and provision for discharging combustion gases.
- If there is a fire in the flue pipe, extinguish the appliance, disconnect it from the power supply and never open the door. Then contact the competent authorities.
- If the appliance is in storage, it should be in a place that is free of damp, and it should not be exposed to extremes of temperature.
- It is inadvisable to base the appliance directly on a floor (if located indoors), and if the floor is made of flammable material, it must be suitably insulated.
- Do not light the appliance with flammable materials if the ignition system breaks down.

INFORMATION



- In case of any problems, get in touch with your dealer, or a qualified engineer authorised by WES, and if a repair is necessary, insist on the use of original spare parts.
- Use only the fuel recommended by WES (ENplus-A1) may be used with this appliance.
- Periodically check and clean the smoke outlet ducts (connection to the flue pipe).
- Accumulated un-burnt pellets in the burner after repeated failed ignitions must be removed before lighting.
- Always keep the cover of the fuel hopper closed.
- Keep this instruction manual carefully because it must stay with the appliance throughout its working life. If the appliance is sold or transferred to another user, always make sure that the booklet goes with the product.
- If it gets lost, ask WES or your authorised dealer for another copy.

2.3. GUARANTEE CONDITIONS

WES offers the following warranties on this appliance :

- Leaks in the heat exchanger – 5 years
- Faulty electrical components (motors, fan, controller) – 2 years
- Pump, Ignition Element – 1 year
- External Casing – 2 years – except corrosion due to scratches or damage.

from the date of first ignition of the appliance as proved by a valid Commissioning Report which gives the name of the Installer / Commissioning Engineer and the

date on which the commissioning took place. The guarantee is conditional on the Commissioning Report being filled in and returned to the Manufacturer within 10 days, and requires that the product be installed and commissioned by an approved WES installer according to the detailed instructions given in the instruction booklet supplied with the product.

The term 'guarantee' is to be understood to denote the free of charge replacement or repair of **parts recognised to have been defective at the start by reason of manufacturing defects.**

2.3.1. Limitations

The above guarantee does not cover parts subject to normal wear such as gaskets, fibre board on doors. Damage to the burner pot, baffles and ash pan is not covered if inserted incorrectly. The replacement parts will be guaranteed for the remainder of the guarantee period starting from the date of commissioning of the product.

2.3.2. Exclusions

The warranty excludes all ancillary products associated with the system (e.g. flue pipes, external circulation pumps, bulk hoppers and augers, plumbing and electrical system.). The warranty does not cover Third Party damage to the product or damage caused by the plumbing (an example would be an inappropriately sized expansion vessel) or electrical system. Warranty does not cover issues arising from pellets that do not conform to Enplus-A1

Recommendations advised to the Customer to be carried out during commissioning must be completed and advised to your local Dealer in order to validate the warranty.

The requirements for the flue installation, particularly in relation to draught, is the responsibility of the system owner. Compliance with Local Building Regulations must be adhered to.

The warranty does not cover misuse of the product or sabotage.

Any consequential loss or damage caused by the failure of a component on this product is not covered.

WES refuses to accept any responsibility for any damage which may be caused, directly or indirectly, by persons, animals or things in consequence of the failure to observe all the prescriptions laid down in the instruction booklet, especially those concerning warnings on the subject of installation, use and maintenance of the appliance.

Damage caused by transport and/or handling is excluded from the guarantee.

The guarantee will be invalidated in the event of damage caused by tampering with the appliance, atmospheric agents, natural disasters, electrical discharges, fire, defects in the electrical system, and caused by lack of, or incorrect, maintenance in terms of the manufacturer's instructions.

CLAIMS UNDER THE GUARANTEE



The request for action under the guarantee must be addressed to the Dealer/Retailer, who will forward the claim to WES's technical assistance service. WES DECLARES THAT THE APPLIANCE WHICH YOU HAVE PURCHASED COMPLIES WITH EEC DIRECTIVE 2004/108 EC and 2006/95/EC and SUCCESSIVE AMENDMENTS



WES refuses to accept any responsibility in the event that the appliance or any other accessory has been improperly used or modified without authorisation. For all replacement of parts, only original WES spare parts must be used.

**“The Clean Air Act 1993 and Smoke Control Areas”**

Under the Clean Air Act local authorities may declare the whole or part of the district of the authority to be a smoke control area. It is an offence to emit smoke from a chimney of a building, from a furnace or from any fixed boiler if located in a designated smoke control area. It is also an offence to acquire an "unauthorised fuel" for use within a smoke control area unless it is used in an "exempt" appliance ("exempted" from the controls which generally apply in the smoke control area).

The Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs has powers under the Act to authorise smokeless fuels or exempt appliances for use in smoke control areas in England. In Scotland and Wales this power rests with Ministers in the devolved administrations for those countries. Separate legislation, the Clean Air (Northern Ireland) Order 1981, applies in Northern Ireland. Therefore it is a requirement that fuels burnt or obtained for use in smoke control areas have been "authorised" in Regulations and that appliances used to burn solid fuel in those areas (other than "authorised" fuels) have been exempted by an Order made and signed by the Secretary of State or Minister in the devolved administrations.

Further information on the requirements of the Clean Air Act can be found here : <http://smokecontrol.defra.gov.uk/>

Your local authority is responsible for implementing the Clean Air Act 1993 including designation and supervision

3. Pre-Installation Considerations

3.1. Pellets

Wood pellets are manufactured by hot-extruding compressed sawdust which is produced during the working of natural dried wood. The compactness of the material comes from the lignin which is contained in the wood itself, and allows the production of pellets without the use of glues or binders.

The market offers different types of pellet with characteristics which vary depending on what mixture of woods is used. The diameter varies between 6 mm and 8 mm, with a standard length in the range 5 mm to 30 mm. Good quality pellets have a density which varies between 600 kg/m³ and 750 kg/m³, with a moisture content which varies from 5% to 8% by weight.

Besides being an ecological fuel (exploiting timber residues to the maximum and achieving cleaner combustion than is possible with fossil fuels), pellets also have technical advantages. While good-quality timber has a calorific power of 4.4 kW/kg (with 15% moisture, therefore after about 18 months' seasoning), the equivalent figure for pellets is 4,9 kW/kg.

To ensure good combustion, the pellets must be stored in an area that is free of humidity and protected from dirt. The pellets are usually supplied in 10 kg. bags, so storing them is very convenient.

Good quality pellets ensure good combustion, thus lowering the emission of harmful agents into the atmosphere.



The poorer the quality of the fuel, the more frequently will intervention be necessary for cleaning the internal parts, such as the grate and the combustion chamber.

The main certification of quality for pellets in the European market are Enplus-A1 these ensure respect of:

- ✓ Calorific power: 4.9 kW/kg
- ✓ Water content: max 10% of weight
- ✓ Percentage of ashes: max 0,5% of weight
- ✓ Diameter: 6mm
- ✓ Length: max 30mm
- ✓ Contents: 100% untreated wood, with no added bonding substances (bark percentage 5% max)
- ✓ Packaging: in sacks made from ecologically compatible or biologically decomposing material.



Certificate No. UK301

WES recommends using certified fuel in its appliances to ENplus-A1.



The use of fuel of inferior quality or not conforming to the specification given above compromises the running of your appliance and can therefore lead to the termination of the guarantee and of the manufacturer's responsibility for the product.

WES domestic pellet appliances run exclusively on pellets with a diameter of 6 mm. It is recommended that the brand of pellets used during commissioning are used during normal operation. If you change your pellet supplier or brand a re-calibration may be necessary and a call-out charge will apply.



The E-Compact 15 has been recommended as suitable for use in smoke control areas when burning ENplus-A1 wood pellets

3.2. CONSIDERATIONS FOR INSTALLATION

IMPORTANT!

Installation and assembly of the appliance must be carried out by qualified personnel.

The appliance must be installed in a suitable position to allow the normal operations of opening and ordinary maintenance.

The site must be:

- capable of providing the environmental conditions for operation
- equipped with power supply 230V 50 Hz (EN73-23)
- capable of taking an adequate system for smoke discharge
- provided with external ventilation (if located indoors)
- provided with an earth connection complying with CEI 64-8

The appliance must be connected to a flue pipe or an internal or external vertical duct conforming to current standards UNI7129 - 7131 9615.

The boiler must be positioned in such a way that the power isolation fuse is accessible.

IMPORTANT!

The boiler must be connected to a flue pipe or a vertical duct which can discharge the fumes at the highest point of the building.



The fumes are however derived from the combustion of wood products, and if they come into contact with or close to walls, they can cause smoke staining. Also take care because the fumes are very hot and almost invisible, and can cause burns on contact.

3.3 OPERATING AREA

For proper functioning, the appliance should be positioned in a location where it is able to take in the air necessary for combustion of the pellets (about 40 m³/h must be available), as laid down in the standard governing the installation and in accordance with local national standards. All louvres on the external casing of the boiler must be un-obstructed at all times as these allow air for combustion and for cooling to enter the appliance enclosure. Heavy snowfall can also obstruct the air in-take louvres and cause the appliance to not burn clean. Smoke emanating from the flue is a symptom of this. Snow must be cleared from around the appliance at the earliest opportunity.



Where the appliance is to be installed indoors it is not permissible to install the appliance where another heating appliance is installed (fireplace, stove etc.) which does not have its own independent air intake. Locating the appliance in a room with an explosive atmosphere, e.g workshop or tool shed, is prohibited. The floor of the room where the appliance is to be installed must be strong enough to take its weight.

If the walls are not flammable, position the appliance with a clearance to the rear of at least 45 cm.

For flammable walls, keep a minimum distance of 45 cm at the rear, 30 cm on the sides and 150 cm at the front.



If the flooring is made of wood, provide a floor protection surface in compliance with current national standards.



Service Clearances

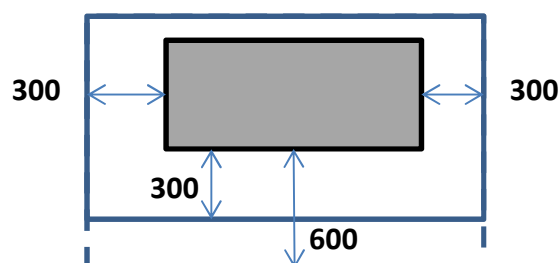
The minimum service clearances around the appliance are as follows :

Rear – 50mm Nominal

Ends – 300mm

Front – 600mm

Concrete plinth should extend 300mm past front and ends.



3.4. CONNECTION OF THE FLUE

WES recommend that the Therminox range of stainless steel insulated flue pipe is used with this product. A full range of straight, offset, elbow and 'T' elements is available to overcome any obstruction which the flue should avoid. The proper draught conditions in the flue is critical for the efficient working of wood pellet boilers. The flue can exit the boiler house/garage through the roof or through the wall by using a bend on the flue. The combustion chamber works in negative pressure. The smoke duct for the discharge of fumes will also be under negative when connected to an efficient flue pipe as directed.



All sections of the flue must be capable of inspection and removable to enable periodic internal cleaning.

Position the appliance bearing in mind all the instructions and considerations above.



IMPORTANT!

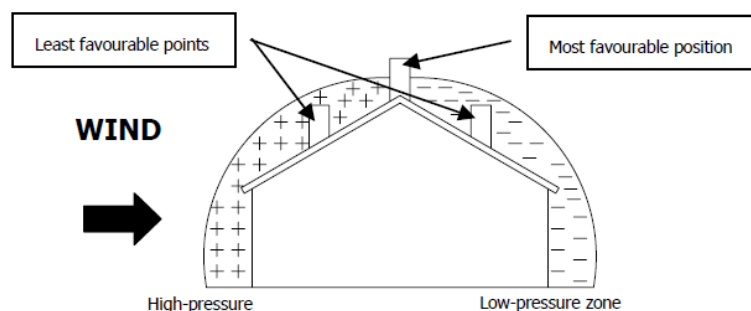
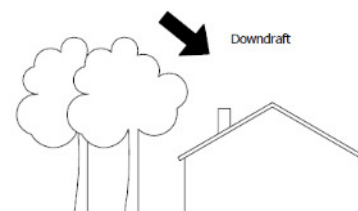
All 90 degree changes of direction in the flue pipe must be either removable or capable of inspection. For locating the boiler against a wall ensure adequate flue support using approved wall brackets.

THE FLUE PIPE RUN MUST NOT INCLUDE MORE THAN 2-3 METRES OF HORIZONTAL PIPE MUST AND NOT MORE THAN THREE 90° ELBOWS (INCLUDING 'T's). IT IS ALSO ADVISABLE NOT TO EXCEED 8 METRES IN LENGTH WITH THE PIPE Ø 100 mm

WES recommends the use of 100mm Therminox flue for use with this appliance.

3.5. HOW THE E-COMPACT OVERCOMES ISSUES CAUSED BY DRAUGHT DEFECTS IN THE FLUE

Of all the weather and geographical conditions which affect the operation of a flue pipe (rain, fog, snow, exposure to sunlight, direction of facing), the **wind** is unquestionably the most decisive. In fact, along with thermal depression caused by the difference in temperature inside and outside of the chimney, there is another type of depression or over-pressure: dynamic pressure caused by the wind. An updraft always increases depression and hence draught. A crosswind increases depression provided the cowl has been installed properly. A downdraft always decreases depression, at times inverting it.



Considerations for naturally ventilated chimneys

Besides the direction and force of the wind, the position of the flue and the cowl with respect to the roof of the building and the surrounding landscape is important.

The E-Compact Air Flow Regulation System is equipped to deal with the conditions referenced above by regulating the air flow through the combustion chamber. An air flow sensor mounted on the air intake duct measures the volume of air drawn pulled through the burner pot by the exhaust fan. If downdraught conditions are present and air flow increases, the exhaust fan increases speed to maintain the required air flow. The opposite reaction occurs in up-draft conditions.

IMPORTANT!

In areas of extreme weather, especially wind, additional measures may need to be provided for, in consultation with WES. Flue draft stabilisers will be required where natural draft of >100pa is present or anti-downdraught cowls will be required where downdraft of >10Pa exists.



3.6 PLUMBING CONNECTIONS

**IMPORTANT!**

The connection of the boiler to the plumbing system must be carried out **ONLY** by specialized personnel who are capable of carrying out installation properly, in compliance with current standards in the country of installation.

If installation of the boiler will involve interaction with another, pre-existing system complete with heating equipment (gas boiler, methane boiler, fuel oil boiler, etc.), it is even more advisable to call in qualified personnel, who subsequently will be responsible for conformity of the system with current applicable law.

WES will not be held responsible for damage to persons or things in the event of failed or incorrect operation if the aforementioned warnings are not complied with.

For connection of the plumbing system to the appliance, the user should refer to chapter 4, **INSTALLATION AND ASSEMBLY**; specifically, paragraph 4.5, **CONNECTION TO PLUMBING SYSTEM**.



It is recommended that a suitable anti-freeze solution is added to the heating system to prevent the freezing of water within the boiler in the case of a power outage. The boiler has an anti-freeze function which activates the pump in the event of the temperature in the boiler dropping below 5 °C.

4. INSTALLATION AND ASSEMBLY

4.1. UNPACKING

The ECOMPACT Slim Pellet Boiler will come packaged on a single pallet. The flue will be packaged separately.



The materials which make up the packaging are 100% recyclable. Their storage or recycling are therefore the responsibility of the final user, in compliance with local regulations. Do not store the boiler without its packaging. Remove the nylon strapping, cardboard packaging and bubble wrap and recycle in the appropriate manner.

When unpacking the boiler use the checklist below to ensure that all the required components to complete the kit have been supplied. In the unlikely event of an omission you must notify the manufacturer within 48 hrs of delivery. The Manufacturer reserves the right to charge for items deemed lost after 48hrs.

Unpacking checklist

Item	Location	Received YES/NO
Baffle Set – 2 Pieces	Combustion Chamber	
Burner Pot	Combustion Chamber	
User Manual Pack *	Combustion Chamber	
Stainless flue support brackets x 2 **	Hopper	Outdoor Models Only
Single – twin wall flue adaptor **	Hopper	Outdoor Models Only
Rain cap **	Hopper	Outdoor Models Only
Flue straight lengths 1m x 2 **	Supplied in separate packaging	Outdoor Models Only

* The User Manual Pack includes a User Manual, Quick Step User Instructions, Commissioning Report, keys for lockable doors and a heat proof gloves.

** Flue components listed above may vary depending on where the boiler is being installed. Please check with your installer.

4.2. PREPARING THE BASE

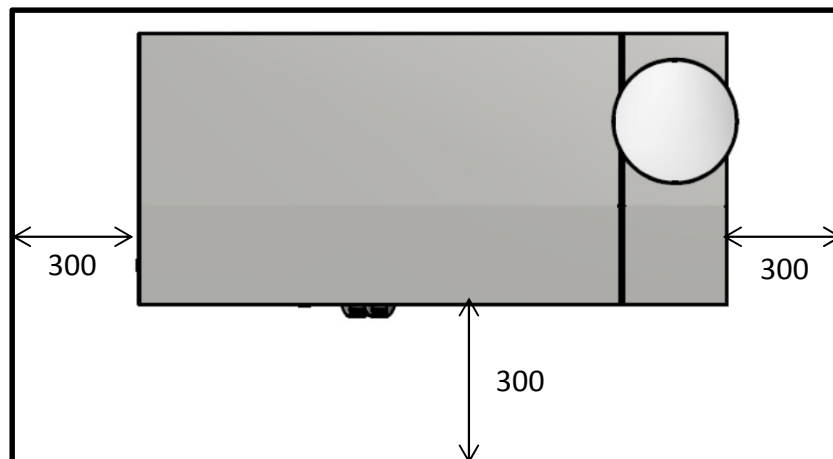
Careful planning at an early stage will greatly help the installation process and make sure that all the required clearances are adhered to for servicing and that any potential issues with the routing of the flue can be resolved.

The ECOMPACT pellet boiler should be positioned on a concrete plinth at least 50mm high and should project a min. 300mm beyond the sides and the front of the appliance. The plinth must be capable of supporting the weight of the appliance when full with fuel and the plumbing system has been filled with water.

Use the template below for constructing the plinth and for positioning the flow and return pipework and electrical supply.



Refer to service and access clearances around the appliance on Page 8



4.3 ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS



Electrical installations should only be carried out by suitably qualified and certified electricians. If in doubt on any issue relating to the electrical connections on the appliance contact WES Technical Support or your Local Dealer for guidance before carrying out any connections.

The ECOMPACT boiler must be supplied with a 230V 50 Hz electrical supply via a two pole isolation switch rated for Overvoltage Category III and protected with a 6A circuit breaker. Also, the unit shall have a 30mA RCD installed into the mains supply. It is recommended that a power isolation switch is located adjacent to the boiler to isolate the power during servicing and maintenance but also out of the reach of children and to prevent accidental turning off of the mains power.



Room thermostats shall be supplied/controlled by safety extra low voltage.

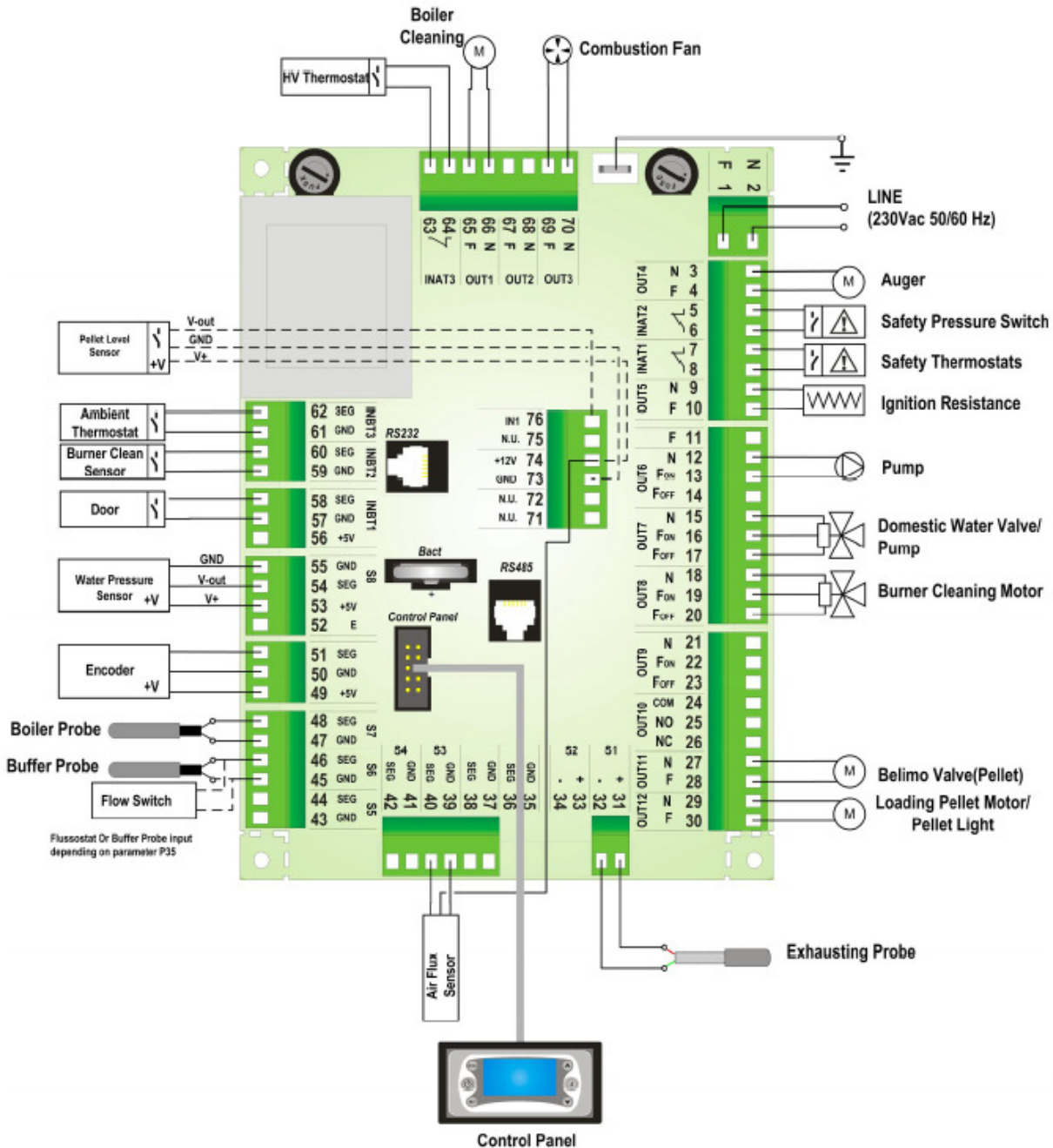
Brown - Permanent Live
Black – Time Clock Control Live
Blue – Neutral
Green / Yellow - Earth



Only authorized WES personnel may open the control panel on the boiler. Any interference with the wiring in the control panel will invalidate the warranty. The boiler and complete plumbing system must be adequately earthed and bonded in accordance with local Building Regulations and Bye- Laws.

4.4 BOILER CONTROL PANEL SCHEMATIC

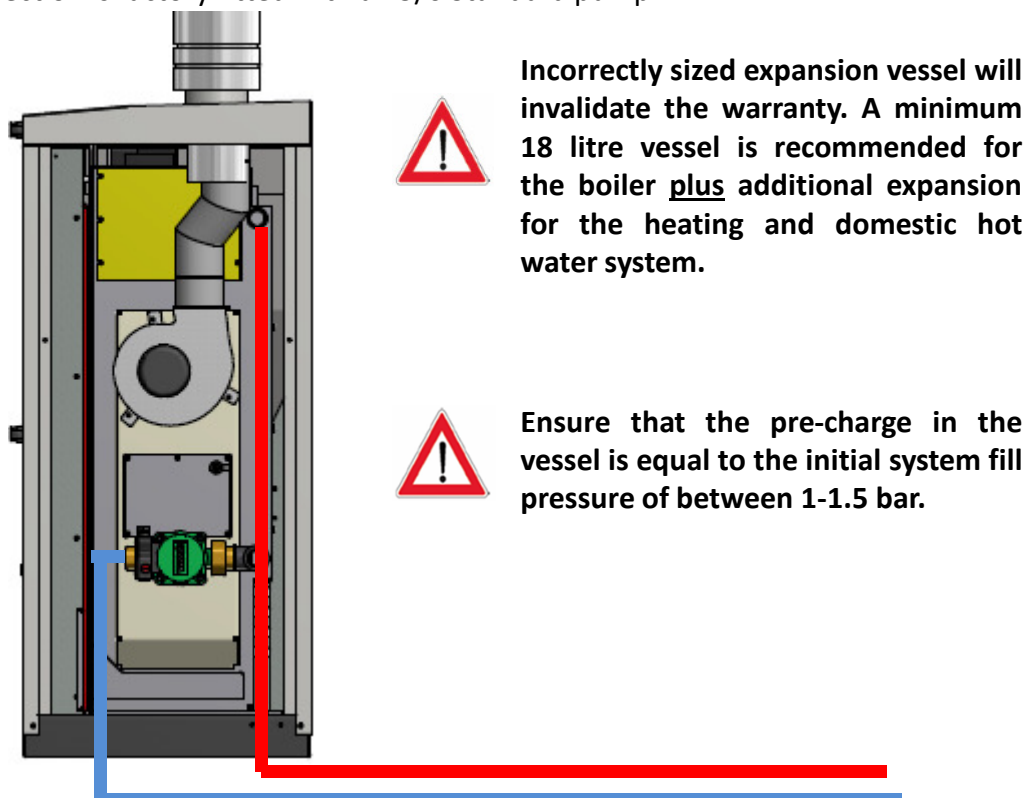
Electrical Connections



Only authorised WES personnel may open the control board. Any tampering with the PCB will immediately invalidate the warranty.

4.5 WATER CONNECTIONS

The diagram below indicates the plumbing connections at the rear of the boiler. The return connection is factory fitted with a 25/6 Standard pump.



The boiler can be plumbed into either an open vented system (the maximum static head of water permissible is 90 ft. (27.44 meters) or a sealed system. If plumbed into a sealed system an appropriately sized expansion vessel should be used and installed as per manufacturers instructions. The expansion vessel should be sized based on the water capacity in the boiler and the water in the entire heating system.

The pump is on the return pipework just before the boiler. It is recommended that a by-pass pipe between the flow and return is used with a valve to regulate the temperature of the water returning to the boiler. Also, the system designer should ensure that there is adequate provision in the system for heat dissipation from the boiler during the shut-down / extinguishing phase..An automatic air vent and pressure relief valve must be fitted to the flow pipework immediately outside the boiler. The pressure relief valve should be piped to a drain to prevent injury to the User or Service Technicians if it is activated. All unused connections should be sealed with blanking plugs.

A non-return valve should be fitted to prevent back-siphonage

Once the plumbing has been completed the system should be fully flushed to clear any debris which may have become lodged in the pipework. The system should generally be filled from the lowest point on the system to force any air to the highest point where it can be vented. The flow pipe on the boiler is fitted with a manual air vent for venting air from the boiler. The system must then be filled and the pump can be run continuously for a few hours to completely de-aerate the system. Hold the ESC button on the controller for 3 seconds to activate the pump. Repeat the procedure to turn it off. Only when the system has been fully vented can the boiler be commissioned.

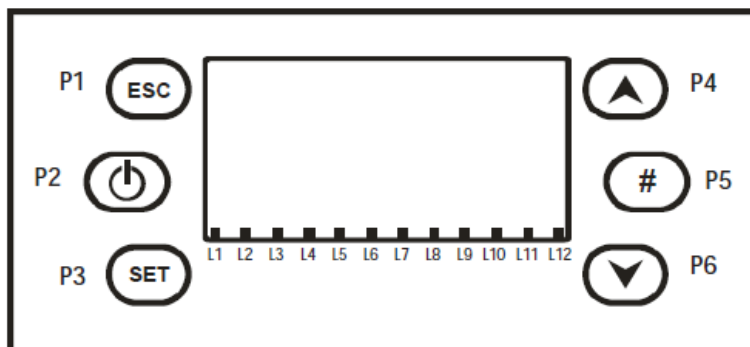
The installation and the design of the central heating system must be in accordance with BS EN 14336:2004: Heating Systems in Buildings. Installation and commissioning of water based heating systems. BS EN 12828: 2003; Heating Systems in Buildings. Design of water based heating systems. BS EN 12831: 2003; Heating Systems in Buildings. Method for calculation of the design heat load.



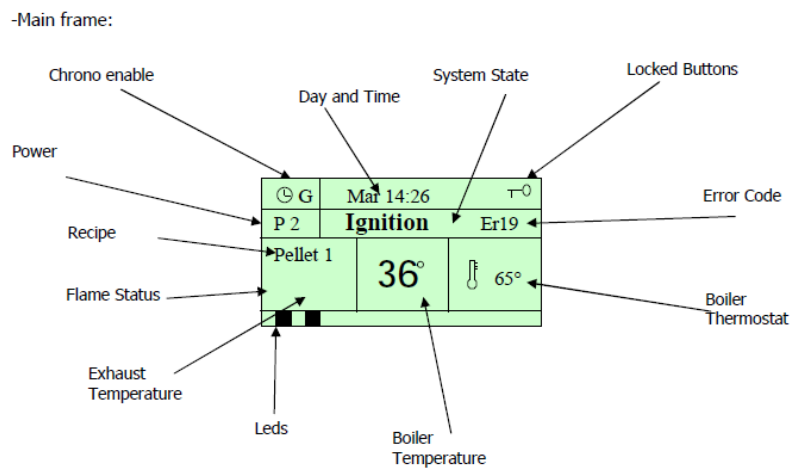
Always ensure that all connections are making a watertight seal.

5. CONTROL SYSTEM

CONTROL PANEL



FUNCTION	DESCRIPTION	Button
ON/OFF	Function: Ignition, Extinguishing by pushing the button for 3 seconds until the acoustic signal.	P2
UNBLOCK	Function: unlock . When the system is in Block by pushing the button for 3 seconds until the acoustic signal.	
MODIFY VALUES INTO MENU	In modify mode change menus and submenus values.	P4 P6
RUN ON MENU AND SUBMENU	In Menu run on submenu and menu.	
ESC	Function Exit managed pushing the button if in a menu or a submenu. Out of menu "Pump Test"	P1
MENU	Function: Enter in menu or in a submenu.	P3
MODIFY	Enter in modify mode into a menu.	
SET	Save data in a menu.	
ENABLE CHRONO PROGRAMMING	In Chrono menu -> Chrono Program : enables the selected program.	P5
KEYBOARD LOCK	To lock keyboard keys keep this button pressed for 3 seconds. To unlock repeat the same procedure.	

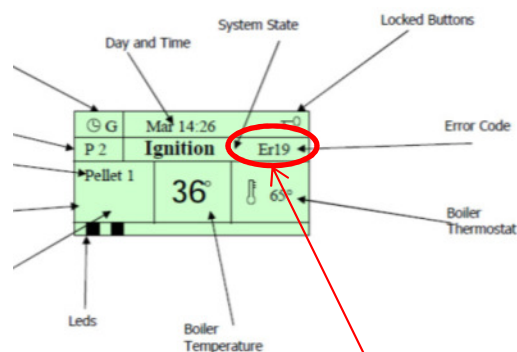
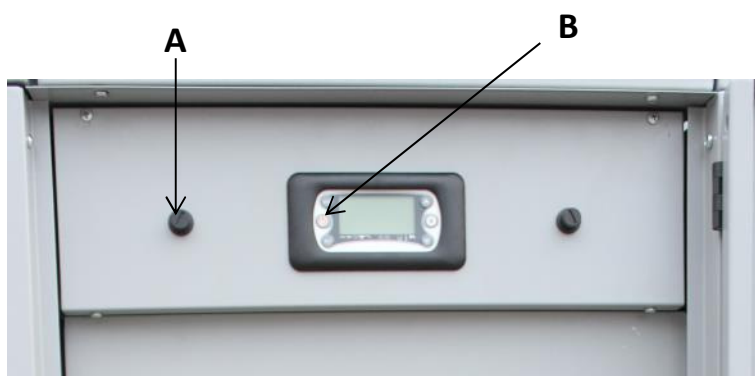


ERRORS	
DESCRIPTION	DISPLAY
Error activation Safety thermostat High voltage	Er01
Water over-temperature	Er04
Exhaust over-temperature	Er05
Water pressure low	Er09
Water pressure high	Er10
Real Time Clock error	Er11
Ignition Failed	Er12
Accidental Extinguishing for low Exhaust Temperature	Er13
Error activation Pressure switch (Only with the Exhaust fan ON)	Er14
Lack of voltage	Er15
RS485 Communication error (Not applicable on this product)	Er16
Extinguishing for Lack of Pellet	Er18
Lambda Regulator error (Not applicable on this product)	Er22
Vacuum Error below the minimum threshold	Er34
Vaccum Error above the upper threshold	Er35

5.1 ERROR CODES

In the unlikely event that the appliance fails to start or shuts down unexpectedly, then the Error code show on the display will give an indication as to the potential cause of the problem. Some of the errors can be cleared by the house holder and they are :

Er01 - Water Safety Thermostat – Press the reset button A and then hold button B for three seconds to clear the error from the controller.



Error codes must be notified to the service personnel in order to diagnose the problem.

Er04 - Water over temperature – Hold button B for three seconds. If the problem persists contact you service agent.

Er05 – Exhaust over-temperature – Check that baffle is in position and clean inside of combustion chamber.

Er09 – Low water pressure – Contact your installer.

Er10 – High water pressure – Contact your installer.

Er12 - Failed Ignition– Empty any un-burnt pellets from the burner pot and hold button B for three seconds to clear the error. **Er13** - Accidental Extinguishing for Low Exhaust Temperature – Empty any un-burnt pellets from the burner pot and hold button B for three seconds.

Er15 - Loss of Voltage– Usually occurs after a power-cut. Empty any un-burnt pellet from the burner pot and hold button B for three seconds. Turn off the time clock for 10 seconds before switching on again.

Er18 – Lack of Pellet – When the pellets reach the pellet sensor in the hopper the system extinguishes to prevent having to re-prime the auger. Refill the hopper and hold the button B for 3 seconds. Turn off the time clock for 10 seconds before switching on again.

Er34 – Low vacuum pressure – clear the error by holding button B for 3 seconds. Turn off the time clock for 10 seconds before switching on again.

Er35 – High vacuum pressure - clear the error by holding button B for 3 seconds. Turn off the time clock for 10 seconds before switching on again.

6. COMMISSIONING

Commissioning of the E-Compact range of boilers can be divided into 3 sections :

- Pre-Commissioning Checks
- Auger Calibration & Fire-Up
- Client Handover

Pre-Commissioning Checks

Pre-Commissioning checks ensure that the installation complies with the guidelines contained in this manual and that local bye-laws and code requirements have been complied with. Pre-commissioning checks include :

Boiler room survey to establish if the boiler is on the appropriate base, air and venting requirements have been complied with, all plumbing connections are complete and system is filled and that expansion vessels, PRV's and air vents are appropriately sized, all pipework has been checked for leaks and is insulated and that a form of heat leak is present

electrical connections are complete and safe, electrical installation is fully grounded, power disconnect is in place and appropriately sized fuses are used.

fuel is available to commission the boiler.

It is recommended that a Pre-Commissioning checklist is completed by the Installer and returned to the Commissioning Engineer before commissioning is arranged.

It is also advisable to carry out an Outputs Test to ensure proper functionality of all components.

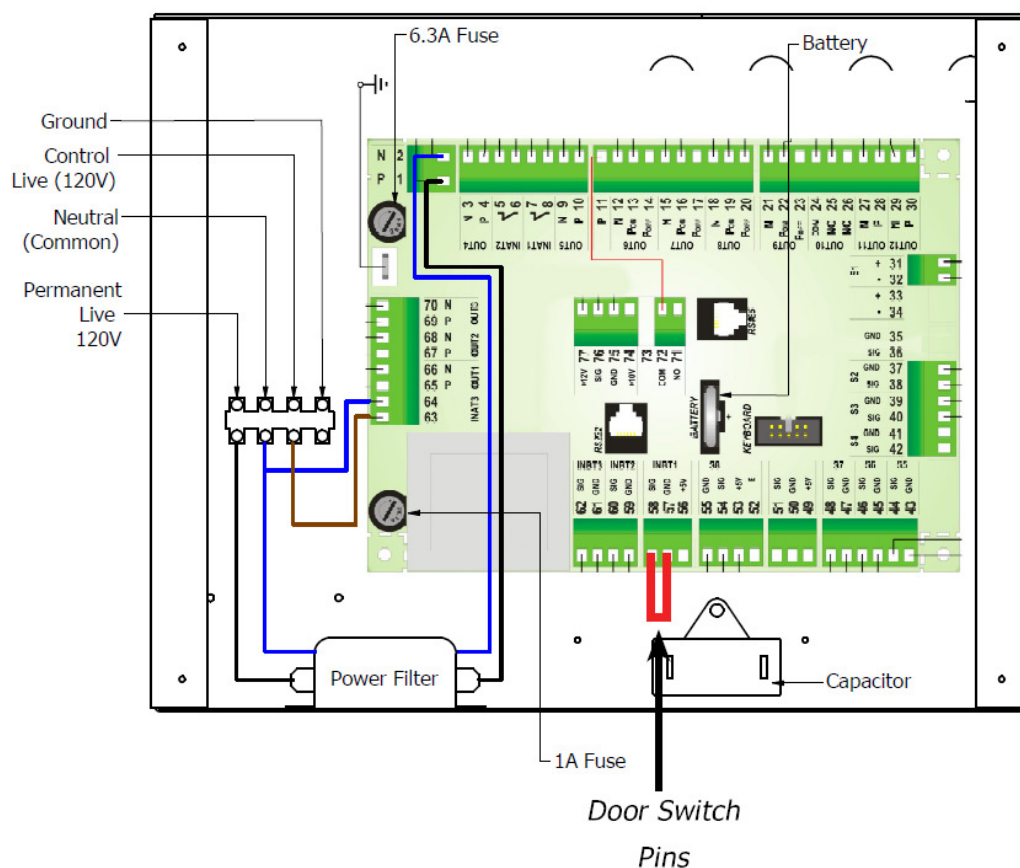
Auger Calibration

One very important part of the commissioning process is to check that the auger is delivering the correct amount of fuel into the burner grate. Wood pellets are an organic substance and so can vary in density, durability, calorific value, etc. . A simple check on calculating the fuel feed rate is illustrated below. For this procedure you will need a simple digital weighing scales capable of weighing up to 5kgs (11 lbs) and a bowl to collect the fuel.



Digital Scales

Before we can carry out the auger calibration we must temporarily disconnect the boiler door switch as we will have the boiler door open during this procedure. This can be done by turning off all electrical power to the boiler and removing the cover from the control board. Undo connections 57/58 and a link wire or 'jumper' between these connections.



Once the door switch has been disconnected and the hopper has been filled with fuel the auger will need to be primed. This is accessed through the :

User Menu > Load function

When this function is activated the slide plate mechanism must open first (usually about 30 seconds), before the main feed auger starts to turn. Wait until pellets can be heard dropping into the burner then continue to allow pellets to feed into the burner for a further 30 seconds. Pressing the ESC key (P1) will stop the Load function. The burner auger will continue to run for 30 seconds to push the fuel in the burner onto the grate.

Clear the fuel from the grate and remove the grate from the burner. The system is now ready to check the calibration of the auger.



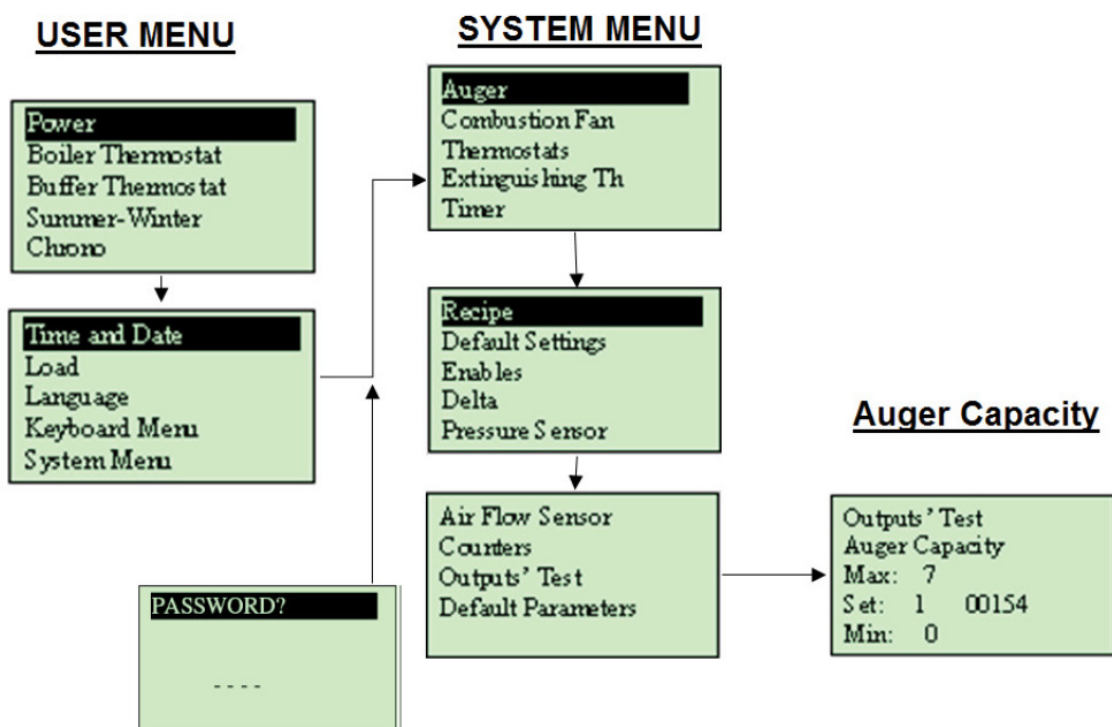
Check the Auger ON value for Power 7 in :

System Menu > Auger > C09

This value is the Auger ON time for Power 7 on each cycle. Enter the Auger Capacity menu :

System Menu > Outputs Test > AugerCapacity

This Menu gives the option to run an auger simulation at Power 1 - Power 7. We need to check the fuel delivery rate at Power 7 first. Set this to 7 and press SET (key (P3)). Once the slide plate mechanism has been opened the counter starts and the system simulates the auger ON/OFF cycle for power 7.



Fuel being delivered into burner



Allow the counter to run for 360 seconds then press ESC (key P1) to stop the simulation. Collect all the fuel into a bowl of a known weight taking care not to leave any behind.

Weigh the quantity of fuel then run the following calculation :



Weight of Fuel in grams after 360 seconds (6 minutes) x 10 = Weight of Fuel in Kg/Hr

Fuel Kg/Hr x Calorific Value of Fuel (4.85 Kw/kg) = Fuel Input

Fuel Input - Boiler Efficiency Loss (10%) = Boiler Output in Kg.

Example :

408g in 6 Minutes x 10 = 4.08 Kg/Hr

4.08kg/hr x 4.85 = 19.8kW Input

19.8Kw - 10% = 18kw Output

Feed rate at Power 7 is correct in this example. Allow a tolerance of +/- 5%.

If the feed rate is too low or too high at Power 7 then change the auger value C09 accordingly and repeat the procedure to confirm the correct amount. Repeat the procedure for Power 1 and Power 4. Once these settings have been confirmed we can evenly space out the settings between, e.g. Power 2, 3 and Power 5 and 6.

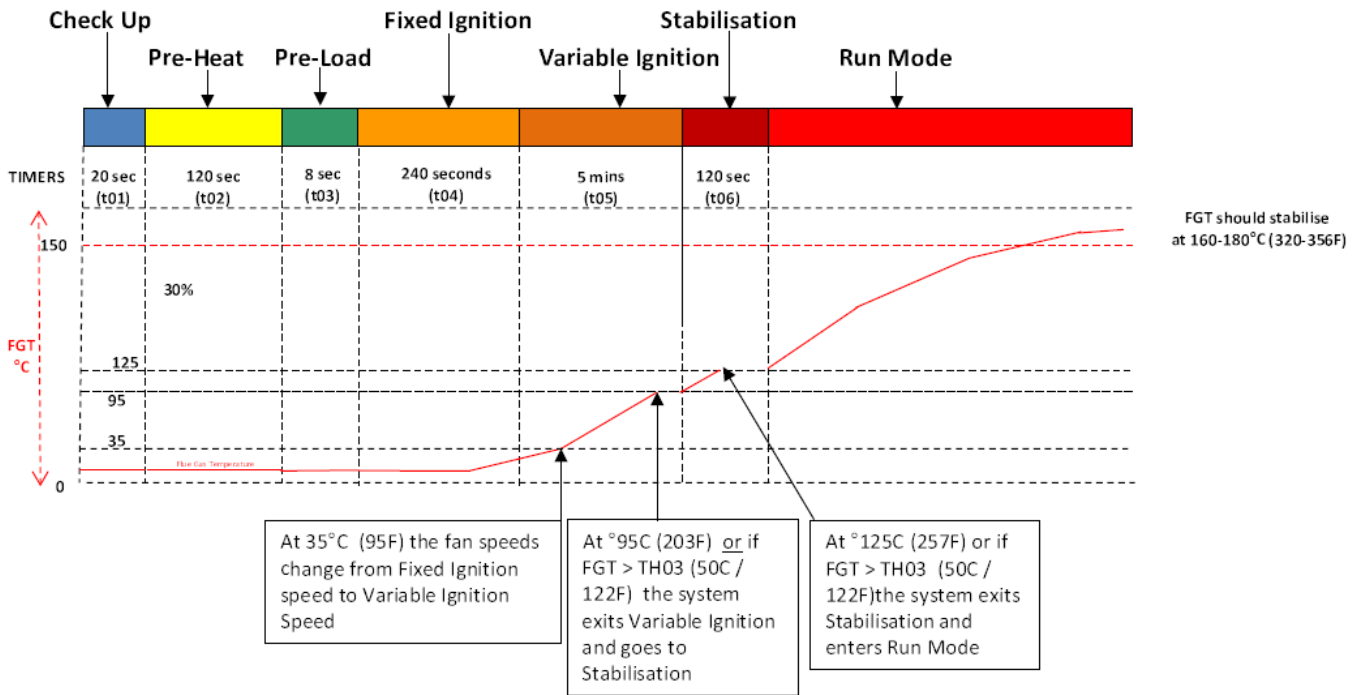
Once the auger calibration has been completed replace the burner grate, turn off the power and reconnect the door switch.

Ensure that the baffles are in place and fitted correctly.

We are now ready to start an ignition cycle for the first time.

First Fire-Up

Hold the ON/OFF key (P2) for 3 seconds until 'Ignition Started' appears on the display. The system will go through each stage for the specified time as per the graph below. The various stages can be observed from the main screen and other information is available through the monitor screens.



As the water temperature in the boiler nears its set point the system should start to modulate down through the power levels. Once the target temperature has been reached the system will enter the Extinguishing stage, Final Cleaning and then rest in Standby until the water temperature drops by 3C.

It is recommended that a flue gas analysis is carried out to obtain a nominal 12% CO₂ at Power 7 and down to 8-10% CO₂ at Power 1. This will ensure a consistent level of combustion and any air adjustments can be made through the Combustion Fan menu by adjusting the appropriate power level fan speed.

Customer Handover

After every commissioning the Customer must be provided with training by the Commissioning Engineer. The following is a list of items which should be covered during the product induction with the Customer :

Provide a general overview of the product and identify the main components and their function, illustrate how to turn on and off the appliance and adjust water temperature through the User Menu

demonstrate where and how to fill the appliance with fuel and advise of the correct quality of fuel to be used,

demonstrate how to clean down the combustion chamber by removing and replacing the baffles, emptying the ash containers in the main combustion chamber and the lower ash chamber,

explain how to remove the burner grate and clear the air holes to ensure good combustion,

explain the various error codes that may appear and provide instruction on how to manage and clear error messages. Provide warning on which error codes are system critical codes and should not be reset by the Customer,

the Customer must be warned of the safety implications when handling hot ash and that heat proof gloves should be used.

The product Warranty must be explained to the Customer and they shall sign the commissioning card confirming that they have received instructions on how to operate the appliance, understand the risks when handling hot ash and agree to the product warranty.

The warranty card shall be returned to WES by fax, e-mail or post within 14 days from the commissioning date.

7 BOILER OPERATION & MAINTAINANCE

The ECOMPACT Slim has been developed to ensure that the User is able to carry out the most basic functions in a safe and convenient manner. Once the installation has been successfully carried out the User interaction is quiet simple from a regular inspection on the combustion chamber to remove ash to filling the hopper with pellets.

Turning ON and OFF the boiler

- It is recommended that your boiler is controller by an external time clock. The time programs should be set to the times that heat is required at different periods throughout the day. You should also make allowance for the ignition time of the appliance, i.e. the time it takes from when the time clock signals the boiler to start until the flame has fully developed in the appliance (usually approx. 10-20 minutes).
- When choosing your programs on your time clock it is recommended that you program the clock for long runs instead of short runs. This gives the boiler time to settle and match the heat demand of the property. It is also when the boiler is most efficient.
- If the boiler is not being controlled by a time clock then it can be turned on and off locally at the display on the boiler control panel. Hold the ON/OFF button for 3 seconds to start the boiler. Hold the ON/OFF button for 3 seconds to turn off the boiler.

Emptying the Ash Pan

- The boiler contains two areas where ash needs to be removed at regular intervals.
- The primary ash pan is located in the main combustion chamber. The frequency of emptying the ash pan is determined by the length of time the boiler has been running and under what load conditions. Once the ash in the ash pan has reached the top then it should be emptied. A daily check during the first few days of operation will give an indication as to when it needs to be emptied.



Always make sure that before you open the main combustion chamber door that the boiler has been switched off as has been allowed to cool down sufficiently so as not to cause injury.

Always empty ash into a metal container as ash which may appear cool could be hot in the centre.

Never use plastic brushes or dust pans to clean ash from the boiler.

Always use heat resistant gloves when handling the ash pan or cleaning the boiler.



When the combustion chamber door is opened, even with the boiler in the OFF position, the combustion fan will run at full power



Always allow boiler to cool down before opening the combustion chamber door.



Unscrew the two fixing knobs on the ash pan.



Carefully remove the ash pan and dispose of the ash into a metal container.



If the burner pot contains ash remove the pot for the holder and scrape the contents into a container. Also make sure that the air holes are clear. Carefully replace the pot ensuring that it is properly seated.



Failure to replace the pot correctly can cause damage and invalidate the warranty. Your installer will show you how to do this correctly.

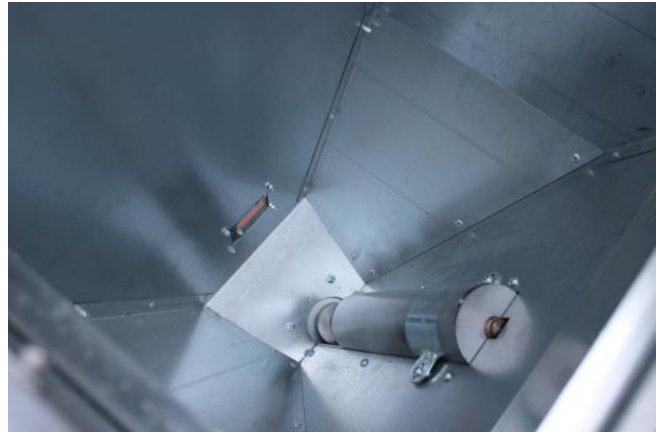


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Filling With Fuel

- The boiler will indicate when the level of pellets reaches a low level. The system will shut down and will wait for the hopper to be refilled.
- Open the pellet hopper lid and carefully pour approved pellets into the hopper.
- Never fill the hopper above the guard mesh across the opening of the hopper.



Never allow any foreign material to enter the hopper. This will lead to the malfunction of the auger system and could cause damage to the appliance and invalidate your warranty.



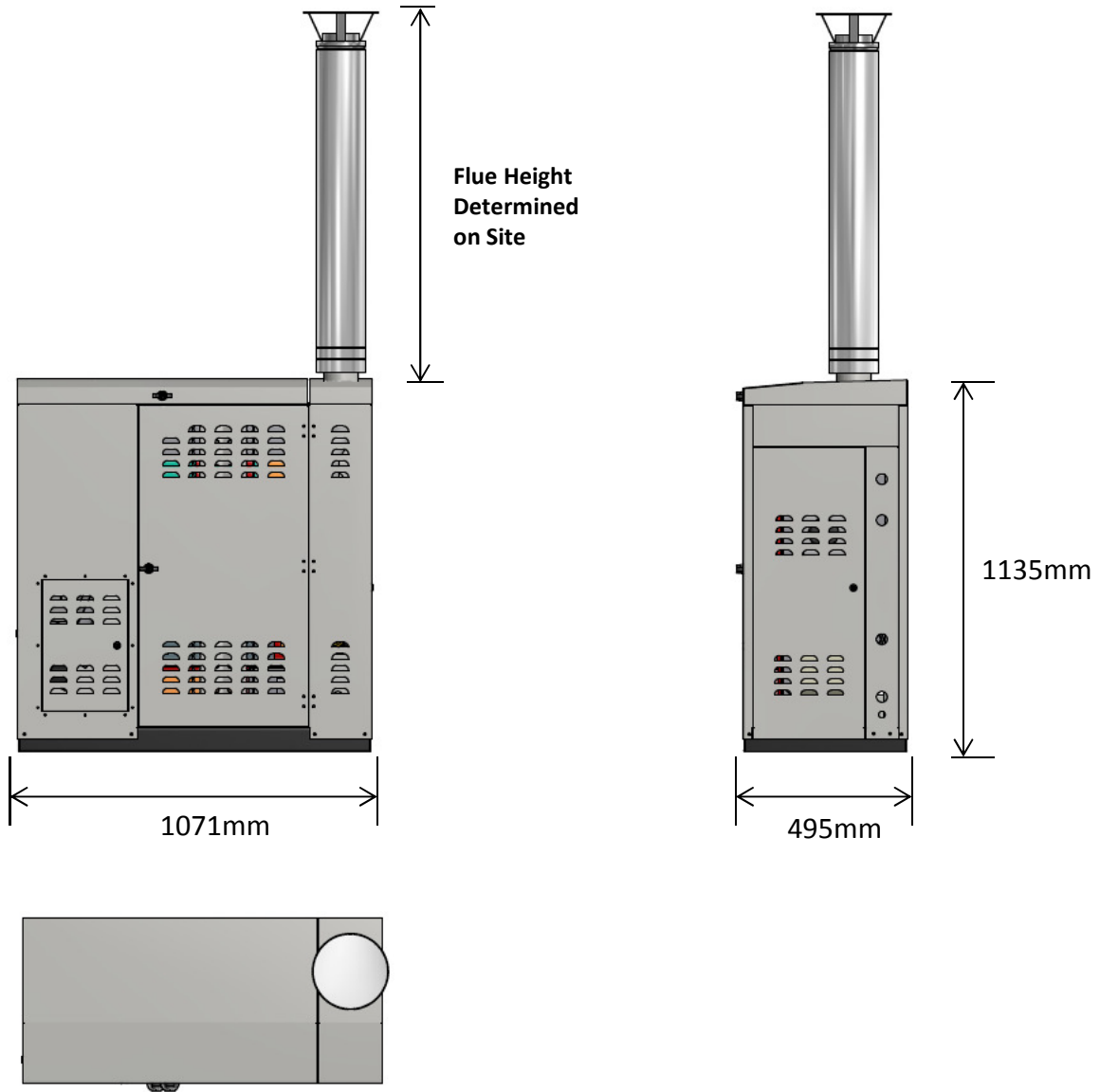
Always close the lid to the hopper once it has been filled with pellets.

Never leave the hopper lid open for prolonged periods as rain or moisture can affect the pellet.

Always supervise children when the hopper lid is open in case foreign material is placed into the hopper or children climb into the hopper.

7. TECHNICAL DATA

Technical Data		ECOMPACT 15 / Slim 18
Nominal Output	kW	4.6 –15/ 18
Nominal HeatInput	Kg/hr	5.0 – 18.2/19.8
Efficiency Nominal Output (EN 303-5)	%	89/90.7
Smoke Temperature at Nominal Power	°C	120-140
Smoke Temperature at Reduced Power	°C	70-90
Min. Required Draft	Pa	10
Exhaust Gas Mass Flow	g/s	3.3 – 10.6
CO2 at Reduced and Nominal Power	%	10.8 – 12.7
Water Operating Temperature Range	°C	50 - 85
Maximum Operating Pressure	Bar/kPa	3 / 269 kPa
Recommended Operating Pressure	bar	1.5
Water Flow Connection	inch	1"
Water Return Connection	inch	1"
Boiler Drain	inch	1/2"
Boiler Safety Thermostat Setting	°C	105
Boiler Class	Class	Class 5
Boiler Electrical Power Requirement		230V 50Hz
Max. Electrical Consumption (Start-Up)	Watts	448
Avg Electrical Consumption in Normal Running	Watts	164
Current on Start-Up	Amp	2.5 Amp
Current During Normal Operation	Amp	1.2 Amp
Width	mm	480
Height	mm	1100
Length (Excluding Flue)	mm	1150
Fuel Hopper Capacity	kg	60
Boiler Flue Diameter (I.D)	mm	100
Boiler Dry Weight	kg	160
Water Content	litres	18



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