

Product information

Cascade system

Quinta Ace S

Dear Customer,

Thank you very much for buying this appliance. Please read through the manual carefully before using the product, and keep it in a safe place for later reference. In order to ensure continued safe and efficient operation we recommend that the product is serviced regularly. Our service and customer service organisation can assist with this. We hope you enjoy years of problem-free operation with the product.

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1 About this manual

1.1 General

This manual is intended for the installer.



Important

Some illustrations in this manual show parts that may not be available in your market.

1.2 Additional documentation

The following documentation is available in addition to this manual:

Installation manual

1.3 Symbols used in the manual

This manual contains special instructions, marked with specific symbols. Please pay extra attention when these symbols are used.



Danger of electric shock

Indicates: an imminently hazardous situation

Consequence if not avoided: Will result in death or serious injury.

• This is how to avoid the hazard.



Danger

Indicates: an imminently hazardous situation

Consequence if not avoided: Will result in death or serious injury.

• This is how to avoid the hazard.



Warning

Indicates: a potentially hazardous situation

Consequence if not avoided: Could result in death or serious injury.

• This is how to avoid the hazard.



Caution

Indicates: a potentially hazardous situation

Consequence if not avoided: Could result in minor or moderate injury.

• This is how to avoid the hazard.



Notice

Indicates: a potential risk of damage to the supported product

Consequence if not avoided: Could result in damage to the product or other property.

. This is how to avoid the hazard.



Important

Please note: important information.

The symbols mentioned below are of lower importance, but they can help you navigate or give useful information.



See

Reference to other manuals or pages in this manual.



Helpful information or extra guidance.

Direct menu navigation, confirmations will not be shown. Use if you are familiar with the system.

2 Description of the product

2.1 Modular cascade system

Important

The cascade systems are designed and supplied for specific use with BAXI boilers.

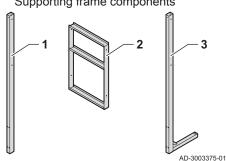
Cascade systems link multiple boilers together to provide a desired total heating output. The BAXI cascade system is modular and designed for expansion. A low loss header or plate heat exchanger balances the flow volumes between the cascade and the rest of the heating system.

2.2 Cascade types

Tab.1 Cascade types

| Cascade type | In-line wall mounted configuration | In-line standing configuration | Back-to-back configuration |
|------------------|---|---|---|
| Descrip- tion | Boilers in line, mounted to the wall. The collector pipe assembly is mounted to the wall. The frame con- sists of wall brackets. | Boilers in line, mounted to the frame. The collector pipe assembly is mounted to the frame. The frame consists of I-poles. | Boilers back to back, mounted to the frame. The collector pipe assembly is mounted to the frame. The frame consists of I-poles and L-poles. |
| Example | AD-3002462-01 | AD-3002463-01 | AD-3002464-01 |
| Frame type | AD-3002465-01 | AD-3002466-01 | AD-3002467-01 |

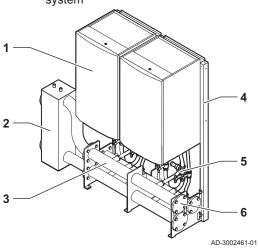
Fig.1 Supporting frame components



- 1 I-pole
- 2 Intermediate frame
- 3 L-pole

2.3 Main components

Fig.2 Main components of a cascade system



Tab.2 Main components

| Item | Description | Function |
|------|-----------------------|--|
| 1 | Appliance | The wall-hung boiler used in cascade. |
| 2 | Hydraulic separator | A hydraulic separator between the boiler side and system side of an installation maintains a correct water flow and a constant flow temperature. A hydraulic separator can be a plate heat exchanger or a low loss header. |
| 3 | Collector pipe | A collector pipe assembly combines the flow, return and gas pipes into a single frame. A 40 mm condensate collector pipe (not supplied) can be installed in the frame. Holes in the frame allow the pipe to be fitted to the left or right with a downwards slope. |
| 4 | Supporting frame | Floor standing supporting frames are needed when a wall is not available. Supporting frames consists of I-poles, L-poles and intermediate frames. |
| 5 | Boiler connection set | Boiler connection sets connect the boilers to the collector pipes. |
| 6 | Blanking flange | A blanking flange seals the end of the collector pipe assembly. |

2.4 Cascade delivery options



The available cascade options may vary per country or per selected boiler setup.

Tab.3 Cascade system options

| Description | Function | Options |
|-----------------------|--|--|
| Boiler connection set | Connections the boiler to the collector pipe assembly. | Boiler connection set straight (for boilers installed directly above the collector pipes) Boiler connection set back (for boilers installed on the rearmost row of the back-to-back configuration) |
| Blanking flange set | Seals the end of the collector pipe assembly. | Blanking flange for low loss header Blanking flange with expansion vessel connection (for cascades with a plate heat exchanger hydraulic separator and additional expansion vessel) |

| Description | Function | Options | |
|---------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Collector pipe assembly (DN65) | Collector pipe assembly with DN65 flow and return pipes, combined with DN50 for gas (for nominal configurations to 460 kW). | Collector pipe assembly for 2 in-line boilers (or 4 back-to-back) Collector pipe assembly for 3 in-line boilers (or 6 back-to-back) Collector pipe assembly for 4 in-line boilers (or 8 back-to-back) | |
| Collector pipe assembly (DN100) | Collector pipe assembly with DN100 flow and return pipes, combined with DN65 for gas (for nominal configurations to 1200 kW). | Collector pipe assembly for 2 in-line boilers (or 4 back-to-back) Collector pipe assembly for 3 in-line boilers (or 6 back-to-back) Collector pipe assembly for 4 in-line boilers (or 8 back-to-back) | |
| Expansion vessel | An expansion vessel connects to the boiler connection set in a cascade. | Expansion vessel | |
| Low loss header | A hydraulic separator between the cascade and system to maintain a correct water flow and flow temperature. | DN65 without magnetic filter (for nominal heat output configurations to 460 kW) DN100 without magnetic filter (for nominal heat output configurations to 1200 kW) DN65 with magnetic filter (for nominal heat output configurations to 460 kW) DN100 with magnetic filter (for nominal heat output configurations to 1200 kW) | |
| Plate heat exchanger | A hydraulic separator between the cascade and system to maintain a correct water flow and flow temperature. | The plate heat exchanger depends on the boiler type and number of boilers in a cascade. | |
| Supporting frame | Levelling bracket for installing multiple boilers in- line on a wall. | I-pole L-pole Intermediate frame | |
| Wall bracket | Levelling bracket for installing multiple boilers in- line on a wall. | Wall brackets for 2 boilersWall brackets for 3 boilersWall brackets for 4 boilers | |



See also

Choosing a heat exchanger type, page 16

2.5 Accessories



The available accessories may vary per country or per selected cascade configuration.



Contact a BAXI supplier for available flue gas pipe accessories.

Tab.4 Accessories

| Accessory | Description | Available versions |
|----------------------------|---|--|
| Bend sets | Used for positioning the low loss headers at a 90° angle. | DN65 bend setDN100 bend set |
| Cascade managers | Used to control the appliances in the cascade system. | Several cascade managers are available, depending on the heating system. |
| DHW connection sets | Used for connecting one of the outermost boilers to a DHW cylinder. | \varnothing 35 mm connection to DHW (pipe shape is depending of the boiler). |
| Frame mounting plates | Used to mount cascade controllers or other electrical connection boxes. | Plate for top pole-mounting Plate for side pole-mounting |
| Gas filter expansion pipes | Used for mounting a gas filter next to a low loss header. | DN50 expansion pipeDN65 expansion pipe |
| Gas filter sets | Used to prevent clogging of the gas control valves. | DN50 filter DN65 filter |

| Accessory | Description | Available versions |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| Insulation sets | Used to reduce heat loss. | Collector pipe assembly insulationLow loss header insulationElbow set insulation |
| Levelling feet | Used to level the collector pipes frame(s) when installed on uneven ground. | Levelling feet with washers and nuts. |
| Low loss header adapter plate | Used to fit a DN65 low loss header to a DN100 collector pipe assembly. | DN65 to DN100 |
| Welding flange sets | Used to weld connecting pipes to the low loss headers or gas filters. | DN65 flange kit DN100 flange kit |

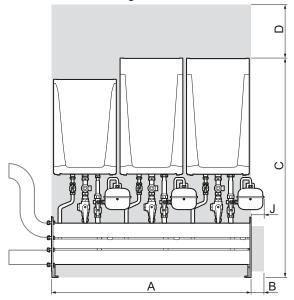
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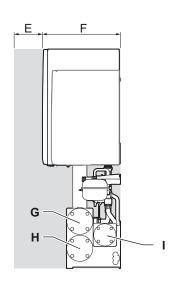
3.1 Dimensions and connections

3.1.1 Dimensions and connections - Cascade setup

The images in this chapter show DN100 collector pipes.

Fig.3 In-line wall mounted configuration





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Tab.5 Dimensions in mm with DN65 collector pipes

| | Description | 2 boilers | 3 boilers | 4 boilers | 5 boilers | 6 boilers | 7 boilers | 8 boilers |
|---|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Α | Total width | 1060 | 1590 | 2120 | 2650 | 3180 | 3710 | 4240 |
| В | Free space required for mounting the blanking flanges (1) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| С | Total height | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 |
| D | Free space above the boilers (recommended minimum) ⁽²⁾ | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| E | Free space in front of the boilers (recommended) | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| F | Total depth | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 |
| G | Flow connection | DN65 PN6 |
| Н | Return connection | DN65 PN6 |

| | Description | 2 boilers | 3 boilers | 4 boilers | 5 boilers | 6 boilers | 7 boilers | 8 boilers |
|---|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| I | Gas connection | DN50 PN16 |
| J | Free space required for expansion vessel | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 |

(1) When fitting a blanking flange with an expansion vessel connection, make sure there is enough space for fitting the vessel.

Tab.6 Dimensions in mm with DN100 collector pipes

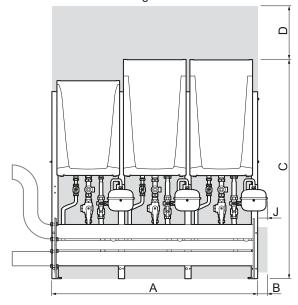
| | Description | 2 boilers | 3 boilers | 4 boilers | 5 boilers | 6 boilers | 7 boilers | 8 boilers |
|---|--|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Α | Total width | 1060 | 1590 | 2120 | 2650 | 3180 | 3710 | 4240 |
| В | Free space required for mounting the blanking flanges (1) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| C | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≤ 70 kW boiler models | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 | 1579 |
| С | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≥ 90 kW boiler models | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 |
| D | Free space above the boilers (recommended minimum) ⁽²⁾ | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| E | Free space in front of the boilers (recommended) | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| F | Total depth For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≤ 70 kW boiler models | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 | 560 |
| F | Total depth For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≥ 90 kW boiler models | 631 | 631 | 631 | 631 | 631 | 631 | 631 |
| G | Flow connection | DN100 PN6 |
| Н | Return connection | DN100 PN6 |
| I | Gas connection | DN65 PN16 |
| J | Free space required for expansion vessel | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 | 102 |

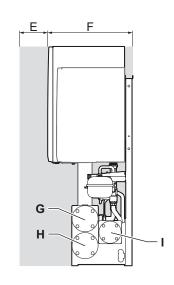
⁽¹⁾ When fitting a blanking flange with an expansion vessel connection, make sure there is enough space for fitting the vessel.

⁽²⁾ Make sure there is enough space for the flue gas system.

⁽²⁾ Make sure there is enough space for the flue gas system.

Fig.4 In-line frame mounted configuration





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Tab.7 Dimensions in mm with DN65 collector pipes

| | Description | 2 boilers | 3 boilers | 4 boilers | 5 boilers | 6 boilers | 7 boilers | 8 boilers |
|---|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Α | Total width | 1110 | 1640 | 2170 | 2700 | 3230 | 3760 | 4290 |
| В | Free space required for mounting the blanking flanges (1) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| С | Total height | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 |
| D | Free space above the boilers (recommended minimum) ⁽²⁾ | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| E | Free space in front of the boilers (recommended) | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| F | Total depth | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 |
| G | Flow connection | DN65 PN6 |
| Н | Return connection | DN65 PN6 |
| I | Gas connection | DN50 PN16 |
| J | Free space required for expansion vessel | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 |

⁽¹⁾ When fitting a blanking flange with an expansion vessel connection, make sure there is enough space for fitting the vessel.

Tab.8 Dimensions in mm with DN100 collector pipes

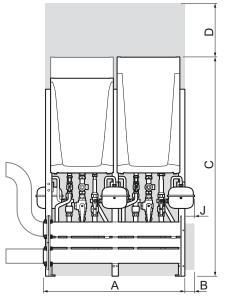
| | Description | 2 boilers | 3 boilers | 4 boilers | 5 boilers | 6 boilers | 7 boilers | 8 boilers |
|---|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Α | Total width | 1110 | 1640 | 2170 | 2700 | 3230 | 3760 | 4290 |
| В | Free space required for mounting the blanking flanges (1) | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| С | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≤ 70 kW boiler models | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 |
| С | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≥ 90 kW boiler models | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 |
| D | Free space above the boilers (recommended minimum) ⁽²⁾ | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| E | Free space in front of the boilers (recommended) | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |

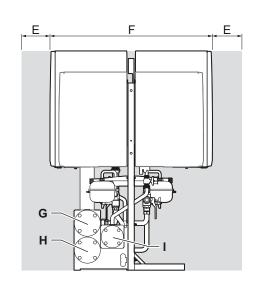
⁽²⁾ Make sure there is enough space for the flue gas system.

| | Description | 2 boilers | 3 boilers | 4 boilers | 5 boilers | 6 boilers | 7 boilers | 8 boilers |
|---|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| F | Total depth For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≤ 70 kW boiler models | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 | 610 |
| F | Total depth For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≥ 90 kW boiler models | 681 | 681 | 681 | 681 | 681 | 681 | 681 |
| G | Flow connection | DN100 PN6 |
| Н | Return connection | DN100 PN6 |
| I | Gas connection | DN65 PN16 |
| J | Free space required for expansion vessel | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 | 76 |

⁽¹⁾ When fitting a blanking flange with an expansion vessel connection, make sure there is enough space for fitting the vessel.

Fig.5 Back-to-back configuration





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Tab.9 Dimensions in mm with DN65 collector pipes

| | Description | 3-4 boilers | 5-6 boilers | 7-8 boilers |
|---|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Α | Total width | 1110 | 1640 | 2170 |
| В | Free space required for mounting the blanking flanges (1) | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| С | Total height | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 |
| D | Free space above the boilers (recommended minimum) ⁽²⁾ | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| E | Free space in front of the boilers (recommended) | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| F | Total depth | 1170 | 1170 | 1170 |
| G | Flow connection | DN65 PN6 | DN65 PN6 | DN65 PN6 |
| Н | Return connection | DN65 PN6 | DN65 PN6 | DN65 PN6 |
| I | Gas connection | DN50 PN16 | DN50 PN16 | DN50 PN16 |
| J | Free space required for expansion vessel | 76 | 76 | 76 |

⁽¹⁾ When fitting a blanking flange with an expansion vessel connection, make sure there is enough space for fitting the vessel.

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⁽²⁾ Make sure there is enough space for the flue gas system.

⁽²⁾ Make sure there is enough space for the flue gas system.

Tab.10 Dimensions in mm with DN100 collector pipes

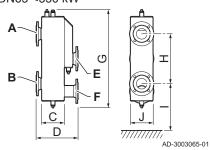
| | Description | 3 – 4 boilers | 5 – 6 boilers | 7 – 8 boilers |
|---|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Α | Total width | 1110 | 1640 | 2170 |
| В | Free space required for mounting the blanking flanges (1) | 50 | 50 | 50 |
| С | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≤ 70 kW boiler models | 1687 | 1687 | 1687 |
| С | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≥ 90 kW boiler models | 1748 | 1748 | 1748 |
| D | Free space above the boilers (recommended minimum) ⁽²⁾ | 700 | 700 | 700 |
| E | Free space in front of the boilers (recommended) | 1000 | 1000 | 1000 |
| F | Total depth For a cascade with Quinta Ace S - ≤ 70 kW boiler models | 1170 | 1170 | 1170 |
| F | Total height For a cascade with Quinta Ace S ≥ 90 kW boiler models | 1312 | 1312 | 1312 |
| G | Flow connection | DN100 PN6 | DN100 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| Н | Return connection | DN100 PN6 | DN100 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| I | Gas connection | DN65 PN16 | DN65 PN16 | DN65 PN16 |
| J | Free space required for expansion vessel | 76 | 76 | 76 |

⁽¹⁾ When fitting a blanking flange with an expansion vessel connection, make sure there is enough space for fitting the vessel.

3.1.2 Dimensions and connections - Low loss headers

The images in this chapter show DN65 low loss headers.

Fig.6 Low loss header dimensions - DN65 <350 kW



Tab.11 Low loss header dimensions - DN65 <350 kW

| | Description | DN65 <350 kW | DN65 - DN100 ⁽¹⁾ |
|---|---------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| Α | flange size flow, system side | DN65 PN6 | DN65 PN6 |
| В | flange size return, system side | DN65 PN6 | DN65 PN6 |
| С | body depth | 143 | 143 |
| D | total depth | 277 | 357 |
| E | flange size flow, boiler side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| F | flange size return, boiler side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| G | total height | 610 | 610 |
| Н | flange distance, system side | 330 | 330 |
| I | flange height, system side | 200 | 200 |
| J | total width | 160 | 200 |

⁽¹⁾ Includes an adapter to connect the DN65 low loss header to an DN100 collector pipe set.

⁽²⁾ Make sure there is enough space for the flue gas system.

Fig.7 Low loss header dimensions - DN65 <350 kW - DN100

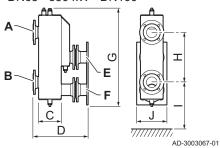


Fig.8 Low loss header dimensions

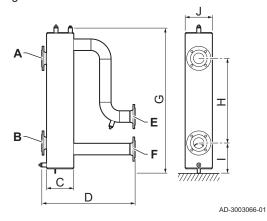
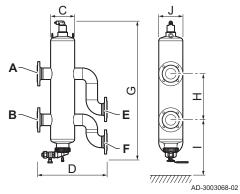


Fig.9 Low loss header with dirt separator dimensions



Tab.12 Low loss header dimensions

| | Description | DN65 | DN100 |
|---|---------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Α | flange size flow, system side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| В | flange size return, system side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| С | body depth | 180 | 250 |
| D | total depth | 617 | 631 |
| E | flange size flow, boiler side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| F | flange size return, boiler side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| G | total height | 960 | 960 |
| Н | flange distance, system side | 560 | 560 |
| I | flange height, system side | 200 | 200 |
| J | total width | 180 | 250 |

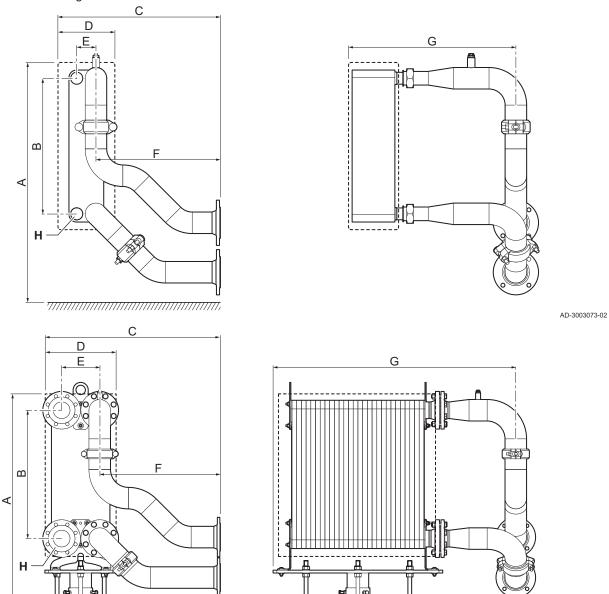
Tab.13 Low loss header with dirt separator dimensions

| | Description | DN65 | DN100 |
|---|---------------------------------|----------|-----------|
| Α | flange size flow, system side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| В | flange size return, system side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| С | body depth | ø159 | ø219 |
| D | total depth | 462 | 744 |
| E | flange size flow, boiler side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| F | flange size return, boiler side | DN65 PN6 | DN100 PN6 |
| G | total height | 905 | 1261 |
| Н | flange distance, system side | 305 | 460 |
| I | flange height, system side | 306 | 414 |
| J | total width | ø159 | ø219 |

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3.1.3 Dimensions and connections - Plate heat exchangers

Fig.10 Plate heat exchanger dimensions



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| Tab.14 Plate heat exchanger dimensions in mm | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|----------------------|-------------|-------|----------------------|------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| Dimension | Α | В | С | D | E | F | G | Н |
| Description | total height | flange dis- tance | total depth | depth | flange dis- tance | connection depth | total width | connection size |
| RHB-60-60 | 752 | 480 | 617 | 201 | 68 | 400 | 604 | 1 1/4" outer thread |
| RHB-60-80 | 752 | 480 | 617 | 248 | 68 | 400 | 651 | 1 1/4" outer thread |
| RHB-60-100 | 752 | 480 | 617 | 295 | 68 | 400 | 698 | 1 1/4" outer thread |
| RHB-60-120 | 752 | 480 | 617 | 342 | 68 | 400 | 745 | 1 1/4" outer thread |
| RHB-60-140 | 752 | 480 | 617 | 389 | 68 | 400 | 792 | 1 1/4" outer thread |
| RHB-110-80 | 964 | 520 | 684 | 308 | 91 | 400 | 703 | 2" outer thread |
| RHB-110-100 | 964 | 520 | 684 | 360 | 91 | 400 | 755 | 2" outer thread |
| RHB-110-120 | 964 | 520 | 684 | 412 | 91 | 400 | 807 | 2" outer thread |
| RHB-110-140 | 977 | 520 | 698 | 526 | 91 | 400 | 890 | 2" outer thread |

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| Dimension | Α | В | С | D | E | F | G | Н |
|-------------|--------------|----------------------|-------------|-------|----------------------|------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| Description | total height | flange dis- tance | total depth | depth | flange dis- tance | connection depth | total width | connection size |
| RHB-110-160 | 964 | 520 | 684 | 516 | 91 | 400 | 911 | 2" outer thread |
| RHB-110-180 | 964 | 520 | 684 | 568 | 91 | 400 | 963 | 2" outer thread |
| RMB-235-80 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 333 | 204 | 400 | 757 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-100 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 383 | 204 | 400 | 807 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-120 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 433 | 204 | 400 | 857 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-140 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 483 | 204 | 400 | 907 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-160 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 533 | 204 | 400 | 957 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-180 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 583 | 204 | 400 | 1007 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-200 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 633 | 204 | 400 | 1057 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-220 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 683 | 204 | 400 | 1107 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-240 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 733 | 204 | 400 | 1157 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-260 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 783 | 204 | 400 | 1207 | DN80 |
| RMB-235-280 | 1140 | 682 | 1016 | 833 | 204 | 400 | 1257 | DN80 |

4 Before installation

4.1 Installation regulations



Warning

Hazardous appliance

Chance of injury.

• Installation of the appliance must only be carried out by a qualified installer in accordance with regulations and the information given in the manual.

4.2 Choice of the location

4.2.1 Boiler room

If the combined maximum load of the cascade system is higher than 130 kW, the boiler room must comply with specific regulations.



See

- The local regulations.
- BS6644: Specification for the installation and maintenance of gas-fired hot water boilers of rated inputs between 70 kW (net) and 1.8 MW (net)

4.3 Requirements for water connections

- Before installation, check that the connections meet the set requirements.
- Carry out any welding work required at a safe distance from the appliance.
- If using synthetic pipes, follow the manufacturer's instructions.

4.3.1 Requirements for the central heating connections

· We recommend installing a central heating filter in the return pipe to prevent clogging of boiler components.

4.3.2 Requirements for the condensate drain

- The drain pipe must be Ø 32 mm or larger, terminating in the drain.
- Use only plastic material for the discharge pipe due to the acidity (pH 2 to 5) of the condensate.
- Fit a trap in the drain pipe.
- The drain pipe must slope down at least 30 mm per metre, the maximum horizontal length is 5 metres.
- Do not make a fixed connection in order to prevent an overpressure in the trap.

4.4 Requirements for expansion vessels

An expansion vessel must be installed at each boiler.

When a plate heat exchanger is installed, an additional expansion vessel must be fitted on the boiler side of the heat exchanger. A blanking flange set with an expansion vessel connection is available separately for this purpose.

4.5 Choosing a heat exchanger type

A plate heat exchanger can be used as a hydraulic separator. Refer to the following table to determine the correct plate heat exchanger type.

All values in the table are valid for a ΔT of 20 °C.

Tab.15 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 35 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa | | | |
| 2 | 67.6 | 2.91 | RHB-60-60 | 7.13 | | | |
| 3 | 101.4 | 4.36 | RHB-60-60 | 15.19 | | | |
| 4 | 135.2 | 5.81 | RHB-60-80 | 16.53 | | | |
| 5 | 169.0 | 7.27 | RHB-60-100 | 18.54 | | | |
| 6 | 202.8 | 8.72 | RHB-60-120 | 22.02 | | | |
| 7 | 236.6 | 10.17 | RHB-110-80 | 15.43 | | | |
| 8 | 270.4 | 11.63 | RHB-110-100 | 13.43 | | | |
| 9 | 304.2 | 13.08 | RHB-110-100 | 16.85 | | | |
| 10 | 338.0 | 14.53 | RHB-110-120 | 16.11 | | | |
| (1) Nominal output P_{nc} 50/30 °C. | | | | | | | |

Tab.16 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 50 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa |
| 2 | 97.2 | 4.18 | RHB-60-60 | 14.06 |
| 3 | 145.8 | 6.27 | RHB-60-80 | 19.22 |
| 4 | 194.4 | 8.36 | RHB-110-80 | 10.53 |
| 5 | 243.0 | 10.45 | RHB-110-80 | 16.18 |
| 6 | 291.6 | 12.54 | RHB-110-100 | 15.60 |
| 7 | 340.2 | 14.63 | RHB-110-120 | 18.76 |
| 8 | 388.8 | 16.72 | RHB-110-140 | 16.65 |
| 9 | 437.4 | 18.81 | RHB-110-180 | 14.79 |
| 10 | 486.0 | 20.90 | RMB-235-80 | 16.68 |
| (1) Nominal output | P _{nc} 50/30 °C. | , | , | , |

Tab.17 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 60 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa |
| 2 | 118.8 | 5.11 | RHB-60-80 | 12.97 |
| 3 | 178.2 | 7.66 | RHB-60-100 | 20.50 |
| 4 | 237.6 | 10.22 | RHB-110-80 | 15.55 |
| 5 | 297.0 | 12.77 | RHB-110-100 | 16.11 |
| 6 | 356.4 | 15.33 | RHB-110-120 | 17.80 |
| 7 | 415.8 | 17.88 | RHB-110-140 | 18.94 |
| 8 | 475.2 | 20.43 | RHB-110-160 | 20.24 |

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--|--|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa | | |
| 9 | 534.6 | 22.99 | RMB-235-100 | 13.41 | | |
| 10 | 594.0 | 25.54 | RMB-235-100 | 16.26 | | |
| (1) Nominal output P_{nc} 50/30 °C. | | | | | | |

Tab.18 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 70 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa |
| 2 | 140.4 | 6.04 | RHB-60-80 | 17.73 |
| 3 | 210.6 | 9.06 | RHB-110-80 | 12.36 |
| 4 | 280.8 | 12.06 | RHB-110-100 | 14.49 |
| 5 | 351.0 | 15.09 | RHB-110-120 | 17.32 |
| 6 | 421.2 | 18.11 | RHB-110-140 | 19.38 |
| 7 | 491.4 | 21.13 | RMB-235-80 | 17.08 |
| 8 | 561.6 | 24.15 | RMB-235-100 | 14.63 |
| 9 | 631.8 | 27.17 | RMB-235-100 | 18.30 |
| 10 | 702.0 | 30.19 | RMB-235-120 | 17.12 |
| (1) Nominal output | <i>P_{nc}</i> 50/30 °C. | • | | |

Tab.19 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 90 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa |
| 2 | 183.6 | 7.89 | RHB-110-80 | 9.25 |
| 3 | 275.4 | 11.84 | RHB-110-100 | 13.91 |
| 4 | 367.2 | 15.79 | RHB-110-140 | 14.88 |
| 5 | 459.0 | 19.74 | RMB-235-80 | 14.96 |
| 6 | 550.8 | 23.68 | RMB-235-100 | 14.09 |
| 7 | 642.6 | 27.63 | RMB-235-100 | 18.91 |
| 8 | 734.4 | 31.58 | RMB-235-120 | 18.64 |
| 9 | 826.2 | 35.53 | RMB-235-140 | 17.96 |
| 10 | 918.0 | 39.47 | RMB-235-160 | 17.69 |
| (1) Nominal output | P _{nc} 50/30 °C. | • | | |

Tab.20 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 110 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa |
| 2 | 220.4 | 9.48 | RHB-110-160 | 4.59 |
| 3 | 330.6 | 14.22 | RMB-235-80 | 7.72 |
| 4 | 440.8 | 18.95 | RMB-235-120 | 7.05 |
| 5 | 551.0 | 23.69 | RMB-235-160 | 6.65 |
| 6 | 661.2 | 28.43 | RMB-235-200 | 6.72 |
| 7 | 771.4 | 33.17 | RMB-235-260 | 6.44 |
| 8 | 881.6 | 37.91 | RMB-235-280 | 7.72 |
| 9 | 991.8 | 42.65 | RMB-235-280 | 9.70 |
| 10 | 1102.0 | 47.39 | RMB-235-280 | 11.91 |
| (1) Nominal output | <i>P_{nc}</i> 50/30 °C. | • | | · |

Tab.21 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 130 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop | | | |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|--|--|--|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa | | | |
| 2 | 261.2 | 11.23 | RHB-110-100 | 12.58 | | | |
| 3 | 391.8 | 16.85 | RMB-235-80 | 11.08 | | | |
| 4 | 522.4 | 22.46 | RMB-235-100 | 12.71 | | | |
| 5 | 653.0 | 28.08 | RMB-235-120 | 14.91 | | | |
| 6 | 783.6 | 33.70 | RMB-235-140 | 16.25 | | | |
| 7 | 914.2 | 39.31 | RMB-235-180 | 14.62 | | | |
| 8 | 1044.8 | 44.93 | RMB-235-220 | 14.25 | | | |
| (1) Nominal output | (1) Nominal output P_{nc} 50/30 °C. | | | | | | |

Tab.22 Plate heat exchangers for Quinta Ace S - 150 kW

| Number of boilers | Output ⁽¹⁾ | Total flow | Heat exchanger type | Heat exchanger pressure drop |
|--------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | kW | m ³ /h | | kPa |
| 2 | 301.8 | 12.98 | RMB-235-80 | 6.74 |
| 3 | 452.7 | 19.47 | RMB-235-140 | 5.69 |
| 4 | 603.6 | 25.96 | RMB-235-200 | 5.64 |
| 5 | 754.5 | 32.44 | RMB-235-280 | 5.74 |
| 6 | 905.4 | 38.93 | RMB-235-280 | 8.12 |
| 7 | 1056.3 | 45.42 | RMB-235-280 | 10.96 |
| 8 | 1207.2 | 51.91 | RMB-235-280 | 14.22 |
| (1) Nominal output | <i>P_{nc}</i> 50/30 °C. | | | • |

4.6 Requirements for the gas connection

- Carry out any welding work required at a safe distance from the boiler.
- Before installing, check that the gas meter has sufficient capacity. Take into account the consumption of all appliances. Notify the local energy company if the gas meter has insufficient capacity.
- An installed boiler gas cock must always be accessible.
- We recommend installing a gas filter to prevent clogging of the gas control valve.

4.7 Requirements for the flue gas discharge system

4.7.1 Material



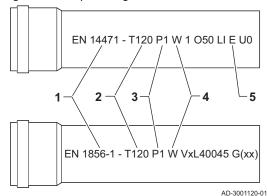
Danger Flue gas leakage

Chance of CO poisoning.

- Do not combine pipes, coupling, roof terminals, and connection methods from different manufacturers. This also applies to common shared flue ducts.
- Follow the instructions provided by the manufacturer of the flue gas material.
- The materials used must comply with the prevailing regulations and standards.
- Please contact us when using flexible flue gas outlet material.

Use the string on the flue gas outlet material to check whether it is suitable for use on this appliance.

Fig.11 Sample string



- 1 EN 14471 or EN 1856–1: The material is UKCA and CE approved according to this standard. For plastic this is EN 14471, For aluminium and stainless steel this is EN 1856-1.
- T120: The material has temperature class T120. A higher number is also allowed, but not lower.
- **P1**: The material falls into pressure class P1. H1 is also allowed.
- W: The material is suitable for draining condensation water (W='wet'). D is not allowed (D='dry').
- E: The material falls into fire resistance class E. Class A to D are also allowed, F is not allowed. Only applicable to plastic.

Tab.23 Overview of material properties

| Version | Flue gas outlet | | Air supply | | |
|--|--|--|---|--|--|
| | Material | Material properties | Material | Material properties | |
| Single-wall, rigid | Plastic ⁽¹⁾ Stainless steel ⁽²⁾ Thick-walled, aluminium ⁽²⁾ | With UKCA and/or CE marking Temperature class T120 or higher Condensate class W (wet) Pressure class P1 or H1 Fire resistance class E or better ⁽³⁾ | Plastic Stainless steel Aluminium | With UKCA and/or CE marking Pressure class P1 or H1 Fire resistance class E or better ⁽³⁾ | |
| (1) According to E (2) According to E (3) According to E | N 1856. | | | | |

4.7.2 Flue gas outlets/air inlets

- The positioning of air inlets and flue gas outlets must always meet the applicable national and local regulations.
- The terminals for the flue gas outlet and the air inlet must be in the same pressure range.
- The position of the terminals must allow free passage of air at all times.
- · Avoid terminal positions of the flue gas outlet, where condensation plumes could cause nuisance.
- · For installing the flue gas outlet and air inlet materials, refer to the instructions of the manufacturer of the relevant material.

4.7.3 Common flue gas outlet/air inlet

If there is sufficient height above the boilers, a common flue gas outlet/air inlet system can be used. In the design of the common system, a distinction is made between a series or parallel configuration.

In series configurations, individual boilers are connected directly to a horizontal collector pipe, which then continues on to the vertical section. An advantage of this configuration is that only one (room-ventilated operation) or two (room-sealed operation) collector pipes run immediately above the boilers.

In parallel configurations, all the flue outlet and air inlet pipes of the individual boilers run above the boilers to be connected to the vertical section. In this configuration there are multiple pipes running above the boilers.

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According the IGEM/UP/10 Edition 4 standard, a maximum of 6 boilers may be connected to a common flue gas outlet/air inlet system.



The terminals for the flue gas outlet and the air inlet must be in the same pressure range.

4.7.4 Individual flue gas outlet/air inlet

If there is insufficient height for a common shared flue system, individual roof terminals can be fitted.

For room sealed systems, the roof terminals must all be installed at the same height on flat or sloping roofs. This avoids flue gases from one boiler being taken in by another boiler. The roof terminals can also be placed within a single roof terminal construction.

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Important

Make sure no flue gas recirculation occurs in case discharge takes place into recesses or in the vicinity of rising walls.

4.7.5 Dimensions flue gas outlet/air inlet pipes

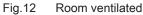
Boilers in a cascade system can be fitted with individual flues, or connected to a common shared overpressure flue. Refer to the boiler documentation for the dimensions of individual flues.

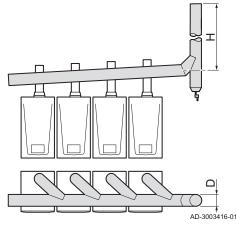
In overpressure systems, the fan pressure of the boilers ensures a correct flue function. All boilers need to be fitted with a non-return valve to prevent flue gasses from entering boilers that are not in operation. In case a boiler is not fitted with a non-return valve, a non-return valve needs to be fitted at the connection to the common shared flue.

Room ventilated flue overpressure

Use the following values to select the minimum diameter (D) from the tables:

- The system heat output in kW at 80/60 °C (P).
- The available vertical flue gas pipe height (H).





Tab.24 Flue gas outlet dimensions for Quinta Ace S (35 – 115 kW) boiler combinations.

| Tab.24 Flue ga | | | | <u> </u> | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Number of boilers | 35 - 50 kW | 60 - 70 kW | 90 - 99 kW | 110 - 115 kW | Minimum D (mm) | | | | |
| Output range (P) kW (80/60 °C) | | | | | H = 0 - 2 m | H = 2 – 5 m | H = 5 – 9 m | H = 9 – 13 m | H = 13 – 17 m |
| 67.6 – 90.0 | 2 | | | | 95 | 95 | 95 | 100 | 105 |
| 88.8 – 110.0 | 1 | 1 | | | 100 | 100 | 110 | 115 | 115 |
| 110.0 – 130.0 | | 2 | | | 105 | 110 | 115 | 120 | 125 |
| 135.8 – 157.8 | 1 | | | 1 | 110 | 110 | 130 | 130 | 130 |
| 157.0 – 177.8 | | 1 | | 1 | 120 | 125 | 130 | 140 | 150 |
| 187.0 – 205.2 | | | 1 | 1 | 120 | 125 | 130 | 140 | 150 |
| 204.0 – 225.6 | | | | 2 | 125 | 130 | 135 | 140 | 150 |
| 212.0 – 242.8 | | 2 | | 1 | 145 | 145 | 150 | 160 | 170 |
| 220.8 – 250.2 | 1 | | 1 | 1 | 150 | 155 | 170 | 175 | 180 |
| 237.8 – 270.6 | 1 | | | 2 | 155 | 165 | 170 | 175 | 180 |
| 259.0 – 290.0 | | 1 | | 2 | 160 | 165 | 170 | 175 | 180 |
| 289.0 – 317.4 | | | 1 | 2 | 160 | 165 | 170 | 175 | 180 |
| 306.0 – 338.4 | | | | 3 | 165 | 170 | 175 | 180 | 185 |
| 314.0 – 355 | | 2 | | 2 | 180 | 180 | 190 | 195 | 200 |
| 339.8 – 383.4 | 1 | | | 3 | 190 | 195 | 200 | 205 | 210 |
| 361.0 – 403.4 | | 1 | | 3 | 175 | 180 | 185 | 190 | 200 |
| 391.0 – 430.8 | | | 1 | 3 | 190 | 195 | 200 | 205 | 210 |
| 408.0 – 451.2 | | | | 4 | 200 | 200 | 205 | 210 | 215 |
| 416.0 – 468.4 | | 2 | | 3 | 205 | 210 | 215 | 220 | 225 |
| 424.0 – 485.0 | | 4 | | 2 | 210 | 215 | 220 | 225 | 225 |

| Number of boil- ers | 35 - 50 kW | 60 - 70 kW | 90 - 99 kW | 110 - 115 kW | Minimum D (mm) | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Output range (P) kW (80/60 °C) | | | | | H = 0 – 2 m | H = 2 – 5 m | H = 5 – 9 m | H = 9 – 13 m | H = 13 – 17 m |
| 446.0 – 495.8 | | 1 | 1 | 3 | 210 | 220 | 225 | 230 | 230 |
| 441.8 – 496.2 | 1 | | | 4 | 215 | 220 | 225 | 230 | 235 |
| 463.0 – 516.2 | | 1 | | 4 | 215 | 220 | 225 | 230 | 235 |
| 493.0 – 543.6 | | | 1 | 4 | 215 | 225 | 230 | 230 | 235 |
| 510.0 – 564.0 | | | | 5 | 220 | 225 | 230 | 235 | 240 |
| 518.0 – 581.2 | | 2 | | 4 | 230 | 235 | 240 | 245 | 250 |
| 548.0 – 608.6 | | 1 | 1 | 4 | 240 | 240 | 245 | 250 | 255 |
| 543.8 – 609.0 | 1 | | | 5 | 240 | 245 | 250 | 255 | 260 |
| 565.0 – 629.0 | | 1 | | 5 | 240 | 245 | 250 | 255 | 260 |
| 595.0 – 656.4 | | | 1 | 5 | 240 | 245 | 250 | 255 | 260 |
| 612.0 – 676.8 | | | | 6 | 245 | 250 | 255 | 260 | 265 |
| 620.0 - 694.0 | | 2 | | 5 | 250 | 255 | 265 | 270 | 275 |
| 650.0 – 721.4 | | 1 | 1 | 5 | 255 | 265 | 270 | 275 | 275 |
| 645.8 – 721.8 | 1 | | | 6 | 260 | 265 | 270 | 275 | 280 |
| 667.0 – 741.5 | | 1 | | 6 | 260 | 265 | 270 | 275 | 280 |
| 697.0 – 769.2 | | | 1 | 6 | 260 | 265 | 270 | 275 | 280 |
| 714.0 – 789.6 | | | | 7 | 265 | 270 | 275 | 280 | 285 |

Tab.25 Flue gas outlet dimensions for Quinta Ace S (130 – 160 kW) boiler combinations

| Output range | Number of 130 – | Minimum D (mm) | | | | | | |
|----------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|--|--|
| (P) kW (80/60 °C) | 160 kW boilers | H = 0 – 2 m | H = 2 – 5 m | H = 5 – 9 m | H = 9 – 13 m | H = 13 – 17 m | | |
| 243.0 – 280.6 | 2 | 140 | 145 | 150 | 155 | 160 | | |
| 364.5 – 420.9 | 3 | 180 | 185 | 190 | 195 | 200 | | |
| 486.0 – 561.2 | 4 | 215 | 220 | 225 | 230 | 235 | | |
| 607.5 – 701.5 | 5 | 245 | 250 | 255 | 260 | 265 | | |
| 729.0 – 841.8 | 6 | 270 | 275 | 280 | 285 | 285 | | |
| 850.5 – 982.1 | 7 | 295 | 300 | 305 | 305 | 310 | | |
| 972.0 – 112.4 | 8 | 315 | 320 | 325 | 325 | 330 | | |

4.7.6 Additional guidelines

Installation

- For installing the flue gas outlet and air supply materials, refer to the instructions of the manufacturer of the material.
- After installation, check at least all flue gas outlet and air supply parts for tightness.
- Install the flue gas outlet pipe towards the boiler with a sufficient gradient (at least 50 mm per metre).
- Install a sufficient condensate collector and discharge at least 1 m before the outlet of the boiler.
- \bullet The bends used must be larger than 90° to guarantee the gradient and a good seal on the lip rings.

Condensation

- Direct connection of the flue gas outlet to structural ducts is not permitted because of condensation.
- If condensate from a plastic or stainless steel pipe section can flow back to an aluminium part in the flue gas outlet, this condensate must be discharged via a trap before it reaches the aluminium.

Newly installed aluminium flue gas pipes with longer lengths can
produce relatively larger quantities of corrosion products. Also casting
sand and processing metal chips from new boilers can fill the boiler trap
on short term after installation. Check and clean the trap more often for
these reasons.

4.8 Water quality and water treatment

For this appliance, the quality of the heating water must comply with all requirements as listed in **VDI 2035**. If water quality requirements for other components in the system are stated, the most stringent requirements apply.

If water quality is not met, consult a specialist.

Tab.26 Water quality requirements according to VDI 2035

| Heat exchanger material | Unit | Stainless steel |
|---|--------|-----------------|
| Degree of acidity at 25 °C | рН | 8.2 - 10.0 |
| Electrical conductivity at 25 °C (for low saline water) | μS/cm | ≤ 100 |
| Electrical conductivity at 25 °C (for saline water) | μS/cm | 100 - 1500 |
| Oxygen (for low saline water) | mg/l | ≤ 0.1 |
| Oxygen (for saline water) | mg/l | ≤ 0.02 |
| Sum of alkaline earth metals | mmol/l | ≤ 0.02 |





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