

**DORCHESTER
DR-FC 80 to DR-FC 95
HOT WATER
STORAGE HEATERS**

**Installation, Commissioning
and Maintenance Instructions**

DORCHESTER MODELS: DR-FC 80, 95

**Condensing, Closed Combustion, Direct Gas Fired Hot Water Storage Heaters
with Automatic Ignition for
Domestic Hot Water Installations**

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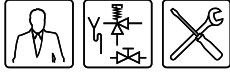
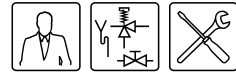


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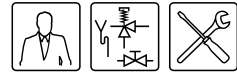
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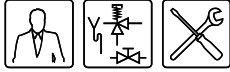
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1 Introduction

1.1 About the water heater



This manual describes how to install, service and use the DR-FC water heater. The DR-FC water heater is a condensing room-sealed water heater with a fan in the air intake. A concentric chimney connector is fitted standard to the water heater. Alternatively, the water heater can be connected using a parallel system. Installation types possible with this water heater are C13, C33, and C53. The information in this manual is applicable to types: DR-FC 80 and DR-FC 95.

The manner of construction and features of the water heater are in conformance with the European standard for gas-fired storage water heaters for the production of domestic hot water (EN 89). The water heaters are compliant with the European Directive for Gas Water heaters, and have the right to bear the CE mark.

Warning

Read this manual carefully before starting up the water heater. Failure to read the manual and to follow the printed instructions may lead to personal injury and damage to the water heater.

1.2 What to do if you smell gas

Warning

Whenever there is a **smell of gas**:

No naked flames! No smoking!

Avoid causing sparks! Do not use any electrical equipment or switch, i.e. no telephones, plugs or bells!

Shut off the mains gas supply!

Open windows and doors!

Warn occupants and leave the building!

After leaving the building, alert the gas distribution company or installer.

1.3 Regulations and documents

Gas Safety Installations and Use Regulations 1998, (As amended). It is law that all gas appliances are installed by competent persons, in accordance with the above regulations. Failure to install appliances correctly could lead to prosecution. It is in your own interest, and that of safety, to ensure that this law is complied with.

The installation of the boiler **MUST** be in accordance with the relevant requirements of the Gas Safety Regulations, Building Regulations, IEE Regulations and the Water Supply (water fittings) Regulations.

The installation should also be in accordance with any relevant requirements of the HSE, local gas region and local authority and the relevant recommendations of the following documents:

British Standards

- **BS 6891**: Specification for installation of low pressure gas pipework of up to 28 mm (R1) in domestic premises (2nd family gas). For larger installations see IGE/UP/2 below.



- **BS 6798:** Specification for installation of gas-fired boilers of rated input not exceeding 70 kW net.
- **BS 6644:** Specification for installation of gas-fired hot water boilers of rated inputs between 60 kW and 2 MW (2nd and 3rd family gases).
- **BS 6700:** Specification for design, installation, testing and maintenance of services supplying water for domestic use within buildings and their curtilages.
- **BS EN 806-2:** Specification for installations inside buildings conveying water for human consumption. Part 2: Design.
- **BS 5546:** Specification for installation of hot water supplies for domestic purposes, using gas-fired appliances of rated input not exceeding 70 kW.
- **BS 5440:** Installation and maintenance of flues and ventilation for gas appliances of rated input not exceeding 70 kW net (1st, 2nd and 3rd family gases). Part 1: Flues. Part 2: Ventilation.

Institute of Gas Engineers and Managers Publications

- IGE/UP/1 Soundness testing and purging of industrial and commercial gas installations.
- IGE/UP/1A Soundness testing and direct purging of small low pressure industrial and commercial natural gas installations.
- IGE/UP/2 Gas installation pipework, boosters and compressors on industrial and commercial premises.
- IGE/UP/10 Installation of gas appliances in industrial and commercial premises. Part 1: flued appliances.

CIBSE Publications:- "CIBSE Guide"

Section B4 : Water Service Systems.

1.4 Target groups

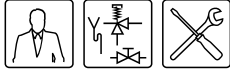
The three target groups for this manual are:

- (end) users;
- installers;
- service and maintenance engineers

Symbols on each page indicate the target groups for whom the information is intended. See [Table 1.1](#).

Table 1.1 Target group symbols

Symbol	Target group
	(End) user
	Installer
	Service and maintenance engineer



1.5 Maintenance

A service should be carried out at least once a year, both on the water side and on the gas side. Maintenance frequency depends, among other things, on the water quality, the average burning time per day and the set water temperature.

Remark

To determine the correct maintenance frequency, it is recommended to arrange for the service and maintenance engineer to check the water heater on both the water and gas side, three months after installation. Based on this check, the best maintenance frequency can be determined.

Remark

Regular maintenance extends the service life of the water heater.

Both the end user and the service and maintenance engineer are responsible for regular maintenance. They will need to establish clear agreements on this.

Remark

If the water heater is not regularly maintained, the warranty will become void.

1.6 Forms of notation

The following notation is used in this manual:

Remark

Important information

Note

Ignoring this information can lead to the water heater being damaged.

Warning






























Failure to carefully read this information may lead to danger of personal injury, and serious damage to the water heater.

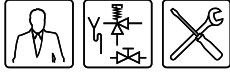


1.7 Overview of this document

Table 1.2 provides an overview of the contents of this document.

Table 1.2 Contents of document

Chapter	Target groups	Description
2 Functioning of the water heater	  	This chapter describes how the water heater functions.
3 Installation	 	This chapter describes the installation activity to be completed before you actually start up the water heater. Instructions are also provided for the installation and/or service and maintenance engineer on converting the water heater to other types of gas.
4 Filling and draining	  	This chapter describes how to fill and drain the water heater.
5 The control panel	  	This chapter describes the general control of the water heater using the display.
6 Status of the water heater	  	This chapter describes the status (mode or condition) that the water heater may have, and possible actions to take.
7 Starting up and shutting down	  	This chapter describes how to start up the water heater, and how to shut it down for a brief or long period of time. The general heating cycle of the water heater is also described.
8 Main menu	  	Describes the main menu of the display. This is the actual menu for the user, however the installer and service and maintenance engineers will also need to use this menu.
9 Service program	 	Describes the service menu. It is mainly intended for the installer and service and maintenance engineers. End users may also refer to this chapter for additional information about the water heater.
10 Troubleshooting	  	This chapter is mainly intended for the installer and the service and maintenance engineer. It describes water heater errors. These errors are indicated on the display. A troubleshooting table of possible causes and solutions is provided. End users may also refer to this chapter for additional information about the water heater.
11 Maintenance frequency	 	<p>This chapter describes how to determine the optimum frequency at which to carry out maintenance. Both the end user and the service and maintenance engineer are responsible for regular maintenance. They need to reach clear agreement on this.</p> <hr/> <p> Remark If the water heater is not regularly maintained, the warranty will become void.</p> <hr/>
12 Maintenance		This chapter sets out the maintenance tasks to be carried out during a service.

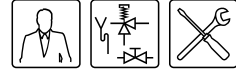


2 Functioning of the water heater

2.1 Introduction

Topics covered in this chapter:

- [Functional description of the water heater;](#)
- [The water heater's heating cycle;](#)
- [Protection for the water heater;](#)
- [Safety of the installation.](#)



2.2 Functional description of the water heater

Legend

- (1) top cover
- (2) mains choke
- (3) hot water outlet
- (4) control panel
- (5) EMC filter
- (6) frequency controller
- (7) temperature sensor T_1
- (8) control panel
- (9) potentiostat
- (10) electrical connection block
- (11) combustion chamber
- (12) fan
- (13) hot surface igniter
- (14) flame probe
- (15) burner
- (16) inspection and cleaning opening
- (17) drain valve
- (18) cold water inlet
- (19) temperature sensor T_2
- (20) insulation layer
- (21) pallet
- (22) automatic air bleed
- (23) circulation pump
- (24) air supply hose
- (25) pressure switch
- (26) gas control
- (27) anode
- (28) tank
- (29) heat exchanger
- (30) chimney pipe
- (31) siphon

Figure 2.1 shows a cut-away view of the water heater.

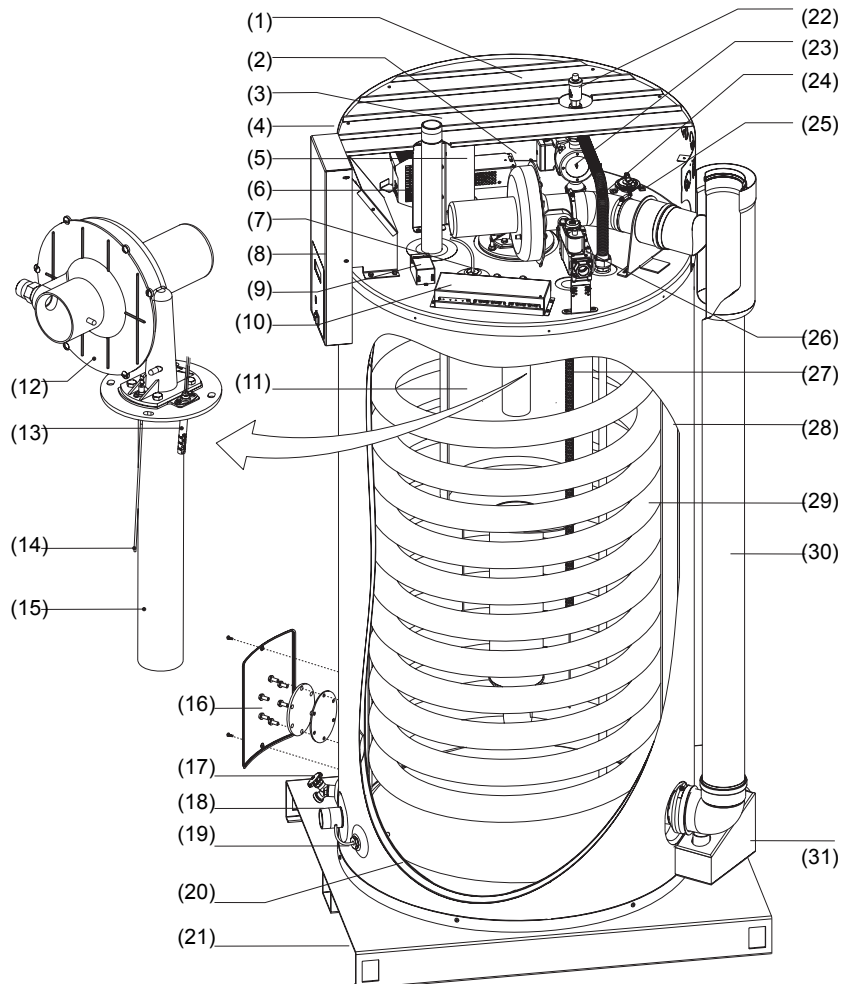
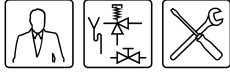


Figure 2.1 Cut-away view of the water heater

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In this water heater, the cold water enters the bottom of the tank via the cold water inlet (18). The tap water, heated by the combustion chamber (11) and heat exchanger (29), leaves the tank through the hot water outlet (3). Once the water heater is completely filled with water, it remains constantly under water supply pressure. As hot water is drawn from the water heater, cold water is immediately added.

The water heater is equipped with a gas/air premix burner (15). The air is drawn in through the fan (12). The gas is added via the gas control (26) on the intake side of the fan. The gas/air mixture is then blown into the burner. Thanks to the modulated supply of gas and air, the optimum gas/air mixture is always achieved.



Through the special design of the heat exchanger (29), the flue gases are first led downwards via the combustion chamber, then upwards again via the heat exchanger, then once more downwards beside the water in the tank. In this process, the flue gases gradually become cooler. Because the cooled flue gases flow alongside the cold water lower down in the tank, they start to condense. This condensation causes latent heat energy to be released, which is transferred to the cooler water, and thereby increases the performance of the unit. The condensate yielded by this process is discharged via the siphon (31). The insulation layer (20) prevents heat loss. The inside of the tank is enamelled to protect against corrosion. The two electrical low-maintenance anodes (27) provide additional protection against corrosion.

For use during maintenance, the water heater has a inspection and cleaning opening (16).

2.3 The water heater's heating cycle

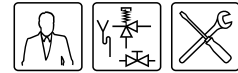
The entire water heater is controlled (and monitored) by the control panel (4). The temperature sensor T1 (7) (in the top of the tank (28)) and the temperature sensor T2 (19) (lower down in the tank) measure the water temperature. The continuous pump, standard in these water heaters, prevents excessive water temperature differences within the water heater. The temperatures observed by T_1 and T_2 are signaled to the control panel. Based on these two observations, the control panel calculates a net water temperature: T_{net} . The value of T_{net} lies between the temperatures measured at the top and bottom of the tank. As soon as T_{net} falls below the set water temperature (T_{set}), the control panel registers a 'heat demand'. The gas control (26) is opened, and the gas is mixed with air. This mixture is ignited by the hot surface igniter (13) and the water becomes heated. As soon as T_{net} rises above T_{set} , the heat demand ends, and the control panel stops the heating cycle.

Both when registering and ending the heat demand, the control panel assumes a certain margin. We refer to this margin as the hysteresis (see paragraph ['9.2 Setting the hysteresis'](#)).

2.4 Protection for the water heater

The control panel monitors the water temperature and ensures safe combustion. This is achieved by:

- the [Water temperature protection](#);
- the [Gas control](#);
- the [Fan](#);
- the [Pressure switch](#);
- the [Flame probe](#).



2.4.1 Water temperature protection

Using temperature sensor T1 (7) and temperature sensor T2 (19), the control panel monitors three temperatures which are important for safety. [Table 2.1](#) explains the functioning of the temperature sensors.

Table 2.1 Temperature protection

Protection	Description
Against frost ($T_1 < 5^\circ\text{C}$ or $T_2 < 5^\circ\text{C}$)	The frost protection cuts in. The water is heated to 20°C .
For maximum water temperature ($T_1 > 85^\circ\text{C}$ or $T_2 > 85^\circ\text{C}$)	The high-limit safeguard serves to prevent overheating and/or excessive formation of scale in the water heater. Should the high-limit safeguard be activated, the heating is halted. This causes the water in the tank to cool down. Once the water has cooled sufficiently ($T_1 \leq 78^\circ\text{C}$), the control panel resets the water heater.
For extra safety ($T_1 > 93^\circ\text{C}$ or $T_2 > 93^\circ\text{C}$)	A lockout error of the water heater controller takes place. The controller must be manually reset before the water heater can resume operation (see paragraph '6.3 Error conditions'). The reset may only be performed once $T_1 < 78^\circ\text{C}$.

2.4.2 Gas control

The control panel opens the gas control so that gas can be supplied to the burner. As a safety measure, the gas control has two valves. Both valves shut off the gas supply.

2.4.3 Fan

The fan, controlled by the frequency controller (6), provides an optimum air supply when there is a heat demand. A safety aspect is that the fan ensures that any gases present in the combustion chamber get removed, both before and after combustion. We refer to this as pre- and post-purge.

2.4.4 Pressure switch

The pressure switch ensures the discharge of flue gases and the supply of incoming air during the pre-purge and normal running of the water heater. The standard position of the pressure switch is open. When sufficient pressure differential is reached, the pressure switch closes. However, in the event of a fault, the pressure switch will be tripped open, and the heating cycle will be interrupted.

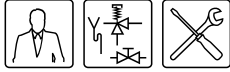
[Table 2.2](#) shows the trip point per water heater.

Table 2.2 Pressure switch trip points

Water heater	Pressure differential [Pa]	
	Closing	Opening
DR-FC 80	≥ 395	≤ 365
DR-FC 95	≥ 525	≤ 495

Remark

The trip point of the pressure switch is not adjustable.



2.5 Safety of the installation

2.4.5 Flame probe

To ensure that no gas can flow when there is no combustion, a flame probe has been fitted. The control panel uses this rod for flame detection, by means of ionisation detection. The control panel cuts in, the instant it detects that there is a gas flow but no flame.

2.5.1 Unvented installation

With an unvented installation, an expansion valve and expansion vessel prevent excessive pressure in the tank. This prevents damage being caused to the enamelled coating (in the water heater) or to the heater. A non-return valve prevents excessive pressure in the water supply system. This valve also prevents water from flowing backwards from the tank into the cold water supply system. The pressure reducing valve protects the installation against an excessively high water supply pressure. These components are fitted to the cold water pipe. See paragraph '[3.6.1 Cold water side](#)'.

2.5.2 Vented installation

With a vented installation, excess pressure is taken up by the open water tank. The level of the water tank determines the maximum working pressure in the heater, which may not exceed 8 bar. The installation must also be fitted with an open vent from the hot water pipe, which discharges into a tundish. See paragraph '[3.6.3 Hot water side](#)'.

2.5.3 T&P valve

A T&P valve is mandatory in an 'unvented' installation.

A T&P valve monitors the pressure in the heater, and the water temperature at the top of the heater. If the pressure in the heater becomes excessive (>7 bar) or the water temperature is too high (>97°C), the valve will open. The hot water will immediately flow out of the heater. Because the water heater is under water supply pressure, cold water will automatically flow into the heater. The valve remains open until the unsafe situation has been averted. A connecting point for a T&P valve is standard on the water heater. See paragraph '[3.6.3 Hot water side](#)'.

2.6 Options

The heaters can be supplied with the following additional variations, either ready fitted or for site fitting:

2.6.1 LPG

The heaters can be supplied adjusted for use on propane or butane, see section 3.12. It is most important that the heater is correctly adjusted for the gas to be fired.

2.6.2 Unvented Supply

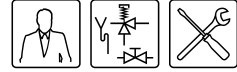
The heaters can be supplied with a purpose designed and sized unvented kit comprising pressure reducing valve, non-return valve, expansion vessel, expansion relief valve and pressure/temperature relief valve, to enable the heater to be coupled directly to the mains water. For details see 2.5.1, 2.5.3 and 3.6.

2.6.3 Top to Bottom Circulation

In order to give enhanced temperature control to aid compliance with the HSE guidance and the DHss Code of Practice for 'The Control of Legionellae in Health Care Premises', a pump circulation kit can be supplied comprising 230 volt single phase pump, non-return valve, pipe work and sufficient fittings to contact between the hot water flow and the bottom connection. For details see section 3.5 of this manual.

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Functioning of the water heater





3 Installation

Warning

The installation should be carried out by an approved installer in compliance with the general and local regulations imposed by the gas, water and power supply companies and the fire service.

The water heater may only be installed in a room which complies with the requirements stated in national and local ventilation regulations.

Refer also to paragraph '[1.3 Regulations and documents](#)'.

3.1 Introduction

This chapter describes the installation activities to be carried out before the water heater may be started up, namely:

- [Packaging](#);
- [Environmental conditions](#);
- [Technical specifications](#);
- [Water connections, Unvented](#);
- [Water connections, Vented](#);
- [Gas connection](#);
- [Air supply and flue gas discharge](#);
- [Electrical connections](#);
- [Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure](#);
- [Conversion to a different gas category](#).

Remark

Starting up the water heater is described in chapter '[7 Starting up and shutting down](#)'.

3.2 Packaging

To avoid damaging the water heater, remove the packaging carefully.

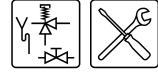
We recommend unpacking the water heater at or near its intended location.

Note

The water heater may only be manoeuvred in an upright position. Take care that the water heater is not damaged after unpacking.

3.3 Environmental conditions

The DR-FC water heater is a room-sealed water heater. Installation types possible with this water heater are C13, C33, and C53. This makes it possible to install the water heater in either a closed or an open boiler room.



3.3.1 Humidity and ambient temperature

The boiler room must be frost-free, or be protected against frost. [Table 3.1](#) shows the environmental conditions that must be adhered to, for correct functioning of the electronics present in the water heater to be guaranteed.

Table 3.1 Humidity and ambient temperature specifications

Humidity and ambient temperature	
Humidity	max. 93% RH at +25°C
Ambient temperature	Functional: $0 \leq \leq 50^{\circ}\text{C}$

3.3.2 Maximum floor loading

In connection with the water heater's weight, take account of the maximum floor loading, see [Table 3.2](#).

Table 3.2 Weight specifications related to maximum floor loading

Weight of the water heater filled with water	
DR-FC 80, DR-FC 95	893 kg



3.3.3 Working clearances

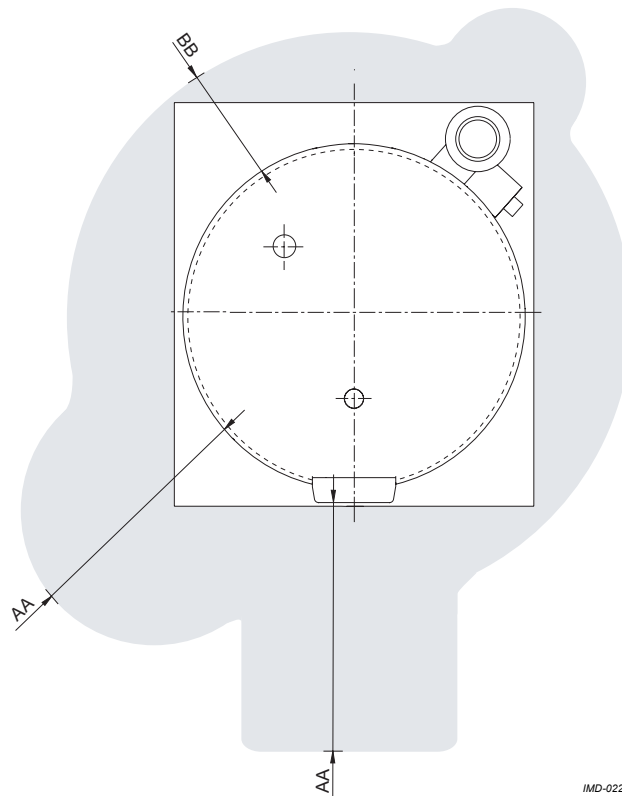
For access to the water heater it is recommended that the following clearances are observed (see [Figure 3.1](#)):

- AA: around the water heater's control column and cleaning openings: 100 cm.
- BB: around the water heater itself: 50 cm.

Remark

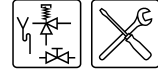
When installing the water heater, be aware that any leakage from the tank and/or connections can cause damage to the immediate environment or floors below the level of the boiler room. If this is the case, then the water heater should be installed above a wastewater drain or in a suitable metal leak tray.

The leak tray must have an appropriate wastewater drain and must be at least 5 cm deep with a length and width at least 5 cm greater than the diameter of the water heater.



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Figure 3.1 Working clearances



3.4 Technical specifications

The water heater is supplied without accessories. Check the dimensions and other specifications for the accessories to be used, based on [Figure 3.2](#) and tables [Table 3.3](#) through [Table 3.6](#).

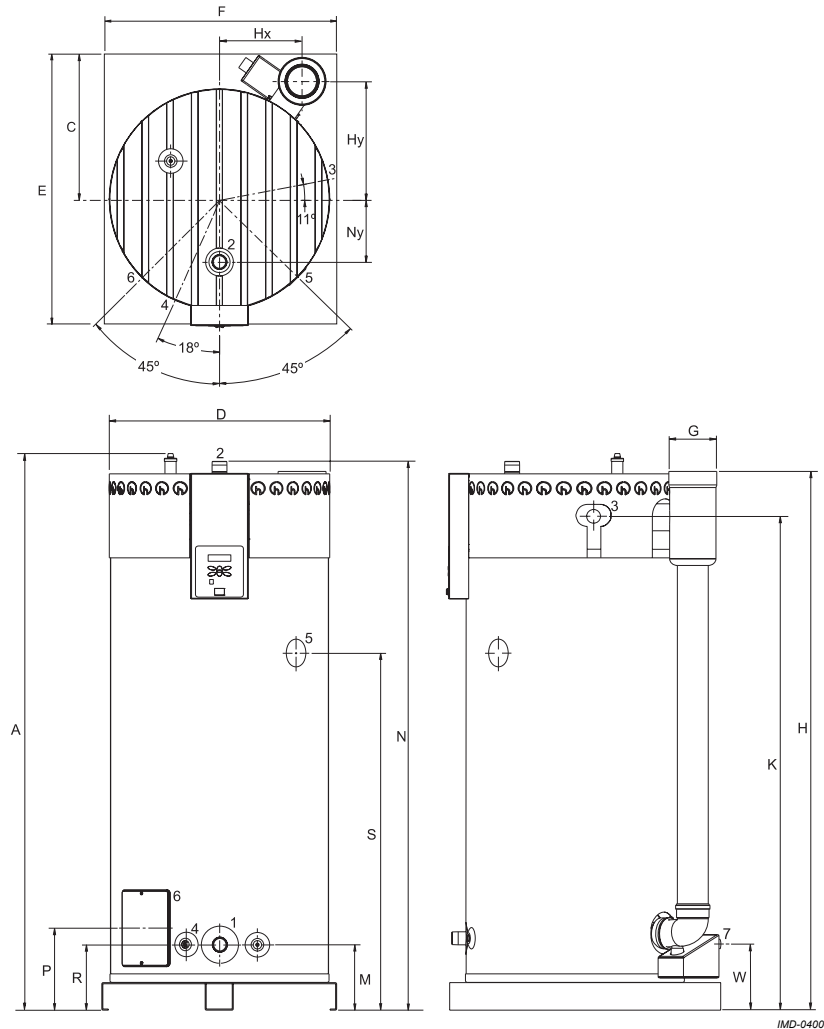


Figure 3.2 Plan and elevation of the water heater

Table 3.3 Dimensions

Dimension	Description	Unit	DR-FC 80	DR-FC 95
A	Total height	mm	2100	2100
D	Water heater diameter	mm	845	845
E	Depth	mm	1000	1000
F	Width	mm	900	900
G	Diameter of air supply/flue gas discharge	mm	130/200	130/200
K	Height of gas connection	mm	1845	1845
M	Height of cold water supply connection	mm	225	225

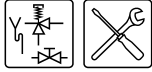
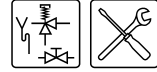


Table 3.3 Dimensions

Dimension	Description	Unit	DR-FC 80	DR-FC 95
N	Height of hot water outlet connection	mm	2050	2050
P	Height of cleaning and inspection opening	mm	290	290
R	Height of drain valve	mm	225	225
S	Height of T&P valve	mm	1415	1415
W	Height of condensation drainage connection	mm	260	260
X	Height of air supply connection	mm	1830	1830
1	Cold water supply connection	-	R 1 ¹ / ₂	
2	Hot water outlet connection	-	R 1 ¹ / ₂	
3	Gas control connection	-	Rp ³ / ₄	
4	Drain valve connection	-	³ / ₄ "	
5	T&P valve connection	-	1-11.5 NPT	
6	Cleaning/inspection opening	mm	95 x 70	
7	Condensation drainage connection	-	Rp 1	

Table 3.4 Gas data I_{2H3P}

Description	Unit	DR-FC 80	DR-FC 95
Specifications for natural gas 2H: G20 - 20 mbar			
Orifice diameter	mm	7.00	7.60
(1) = flat sealing plate (2) = burner pressure regulator	1 or 2	2	2
Nominal load (gross)	kW	85.0	103.5
Nominal output	kW	80.3	97.9
Supply pressure	mbar	20	20
Burner pressure	mbar	7.0	6.5
Gas consumption ⁽¹⁾	m ³ /h	8.3	10.1
Specifications for LP gas 3P: G31 - 37 mbar (propane)			
Orifice diameter	mm	5.00	5.40
(1) = flat sealing plate (2) = burner pressure regulator	1 or 2	2	2
Nominal load (gross)	kW	83.2	101.2
Nominal output	kW	80.3	97.8
Supply pressure	mbar	37	37

**Table 3.4** Gas data $\text{H}_2\text{H}_3\text{P}$ (Continued)

Description	Unit	DR-FC 80	DR-FC 95
Burner pressure	mbar	14.5	14.5
Gas consumption ⁽¹⁾	kg/h	6.1	7.4

1. Based on 1013.25 mbar and 15°C

Table 3.5 General specifications

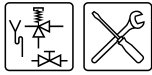
DESCRIPTION	Unit	DR-FC 80	DR-FC 95
Capacity	litres	483	483
Empty weight	kg	410	410
Maximum working pressure	bar	8	8
Maximum working pressure unvented	bar	5.5	5.5
Nominal working pressure unvented	bar	3.5	3.5
Maximum temperature control thermostat	°C	80	80
Number of anodes	-	2	2
Fan rotational speed at ignition	rpm	3480	3480
Working speed of fan	rpm	6120	6540
Diameter of air restrictor	mm	46	46
Heating time $\Delta T = 45^\circ\text{C}$	min.	18	14

Table 3.6 Electrical specifications

DESCRIPTION	Unit	DR-FC 80	DR-FC 95
Electrical power consumption	W	625	710
Supply voltage	VAC	230 (-15% +10%)	
Mains frequency	Hz	50 (± 1 Hz)	
IP class	-	30	30

3.5 Installation diagram

Figure 3.3 shows the water and gas connection diagrams for unvented and vented installations. The following paragraphs, describing the connections in detail, make reference to these diagrams.



Legend

- ❶ pressure-reducing valve (mandatory)
- ❷ T&P valve (mandatory)
- ❷a) safety valve
- ❸ stop valve (recommended)
- ❹ non-return valve (mandatory)
- ❹a) non-return valve
- ❺ circulation pump (optional)
- ❻ drain valve
- ❼ manual gas valve (mandatory)
- ❽ stop valve (mandatory)
- ❾ temperature gauge (optional)
- ❿ condensation drainage (mandatory)
- ⓫ hot water draw-off points
- ⓬ expansion valve (mandatory)
- ⓭ expansion vessel (mandatory)
- ⓮ 3-way venting valve (optional)
- ⓯ water tank
- ⓰ float valve
- Ⓐ cold water supply
- Ⓑ hot water outlet
- Ⓒ circulation pipe
- Ⓓ gas supply
- Ⓔ overflow pipe

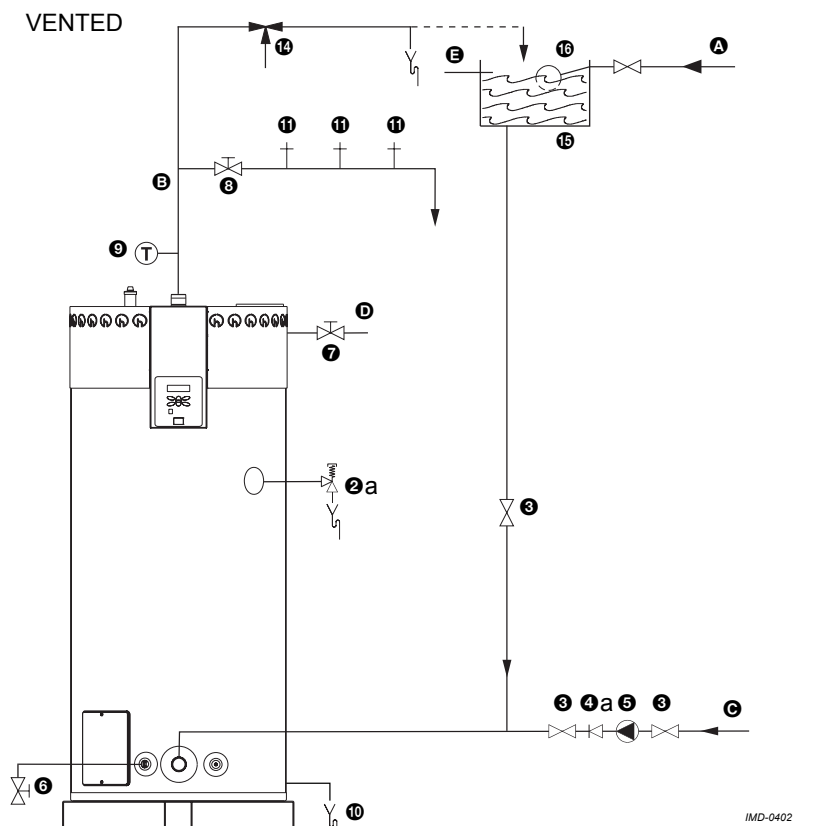
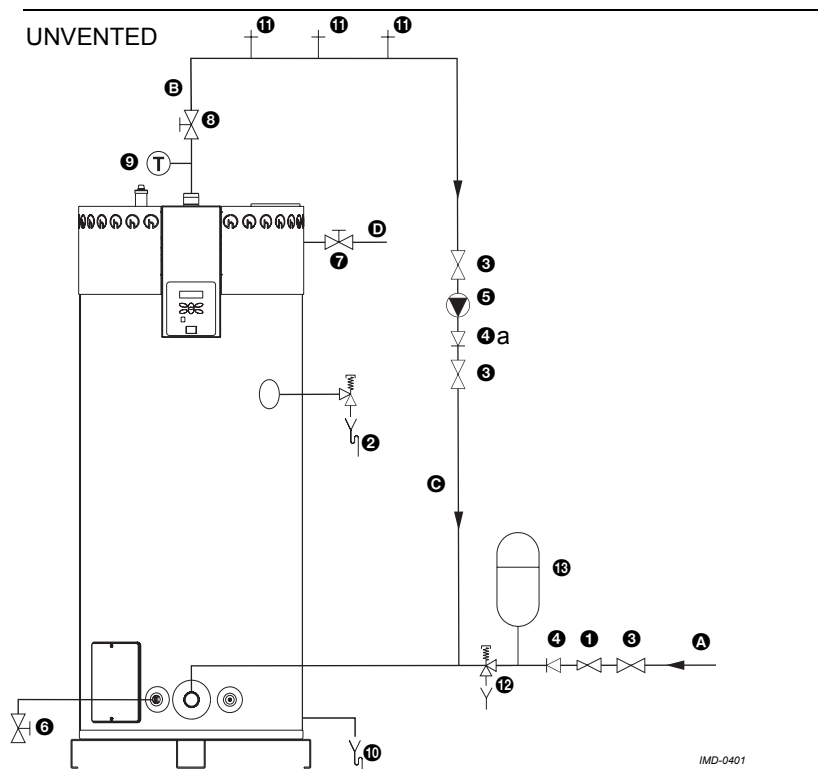
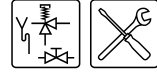


Figure 3.3 Installation diagram unvented and vented



3.6 Water connections, Unvented

3.6.1 Cold water side

See ❶ in [Figure 3.3](#).

1. Fit an approved stop valve ❸ on the cold water side as required by regulations.
Refer also to paragraph '1.3 Regulations and documents'.
2. The maximum working pressure of the water heater is 8 bar. Because the pressure in the water pipe at times can exceed 8 bar, you must fit an approved pressure-reducing valve ❶.
3. Fit a non-return valve ❷ and an expansion vessel ❿.
4. Fit an expansion valve ⓫ and connect the discharge to a drain via a tundish.

3.6.2 Top to bottom recirculating pump

You can connect a top to bottom recirculation pump to prevent stratification of the water in the water heater.

1. Fit a pipe (Ø 22 mm), a stop valve ❸ and a top to bottom recirculation pump ❺.
2. Fit non-return valve ❷.
3. Fit stop valves ❸.

3.6.3 Hot water side

See ❸ in [Figure 3.3](#).

Remark

Insulating long hot water pipes prevents unnecessary energy loss.

1. Optional: fit a temperature gauge ❹ to be able to check the temperature of the tap water.
2. Fit the T&P valve ❷.
3. Fit a stop valve ❸ in the hot water outlet pipe, for use when servicing.

3.6.4 Circulation pipe

See ❹ in [Figure 3.3](#).

If an immediate flow of hot water is required at draw-off points, a circulation pump can be installed. This improves comfort and reduces water wastage.

1. Fit a circulation pump ❺ of the correct capacity for the length and resistance of the circulation system.
2. Fit a non-return valve ❷a downstream the circulation pump to guarantee the direction of circulation.
3. Fit two stop valves ❸ for service purposes.
4. Connect the circulation pipe to the cold water supply pipe.

3.6.5 Condensation drainage

- Fit a sloping wastewater pipe to the siphon ❿ for condensation drainage and connect this to the wastewater discharge in the boiler room.

Note

All piping behind the siphon must be condensation-resistant.



3.7 Water connections, Vented

3.7.1 Cold water side

See ④ in [Figure 3.3](#).

1. Fit an approved stop valve ③ on the cold water side between the water tank ⑥ and the water heater, as required by regulations. Refer also to paragraph '1.3 Regulations and documents'.

3.7.2 Top to bottom recirculating pump

You can connect a top to bottom recirculation pump to prevent stratification of the water in the water heater.

1. Fit a pipe (Ø 22 mm), a stop valve ③ and a top to bottom recirculation pump ⑤.
2. Fit non-return valve ④.
3. Fit stop valves ③.

3.7.3 Hot water side

See ⑥ in [Figure 3.3](#).

Remark

Insulating long hot water pipes prevents unnecessary energy loss.

4. Fit a safety valve ②a.
5. Optional: fit a temperature gauge ⑨ to be able to check the temperature of the tap water.
6. Fit a stop valve ③ in the hot water outlet pipe, for use when servicing.
7. If a circulation pipe is to be fitted, then refer to paragraph [3.7.4](#).

3.7.4 Circulation pipe

See ⑩ in [Figure 3.3](#).

If an immediate flow of hot water is required at draw-off points, a circulation pump can be installed. This improves comfort and reduces water wastage.

1. Fit a circulation pump ⑩ of the correct capacity for the length and resistance of the circulation system.
2. Fit a non-return valve ④a downstream the circulation pump to guarantee the direction of circulation.
3. Fit two stop valves ③ for service purposes.
4. Connect the circulation pipe to the cold water supply pipe.

3.7.5 Condensation drainage

See paragraph '[3.6.5 Condensation drainage](#)'.

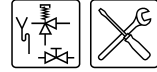
3.8 Gas connection

Warning

Gas installation may only be carried out by an authorised installer in compliance with the general regulations imposed by the gas company. Refer also to paragraph '1.3 Regulations and documents'.

Note

Make sure that the diameter and length of the gas supply pipe are large enough to supply sufficient capacity to the water heater.



See ① in [Figure 3.3](#).

1. Fit a gas valve ⑦ in the gas supply pipe.
2. Blow the gas pipe through before use, to be sure it is clean.
3. Close the gas valve.
4. Fit the gas supply pipe to the gas control.

 **Warning**

Check for leaks after fitting.

3.9 Air supply and flue gas discharge

 **Warning**

The installation should be carried out by an authorised installer, in compliance with the general and local regulations imposed by gas, water supply and power supply companies and the fire service. Refer also to paragraph '[1.3 Regulations and documents](#)'.

Depending on the approved installation types, there are several alternatives for connecting the air supply and flue gas discharge. The DR-FC water heaters are approved for installation types C13, C33, and C53.

The most common installation types are:

- C13: [Concentric wall flue terminal C13](#) and
- C33: [Concentric roof flue terminal C33](#).

This manual describes these installation types. If an explanation of other types of installation is required, please contact Hamworthy.

 **Note**

For type C13 and C33 installations, Hamworthy prescribes the use of a roof or wall-mounted terminal, exclusively of a type approved for the water heater. See paragraph '[3.9.1 Concentric wall flue terminal C13](#)' and '[3.9.2 Concentric roof flue terminal C33](#)'. Use of an incorrect roof or wall-mounted terminal can cause the installation to malfunction.

 **Remark**

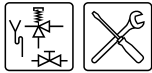
Make sure that the chimney discharges into an area where this is permitted for this category of water heater.

The following requirements must also be fulfilled:

- The maximum chimney length allowed (A+B+C) is 15 metres.
 - The maximum number of 45° or 90° bends allowed is 3.
 - If you make use of horizontal piping, then this must slope towards the water heater with a minimum of 5 mm per metre running length!
 - Make sure that the chimney discharges into an area where this is permitted for this category of water heater.
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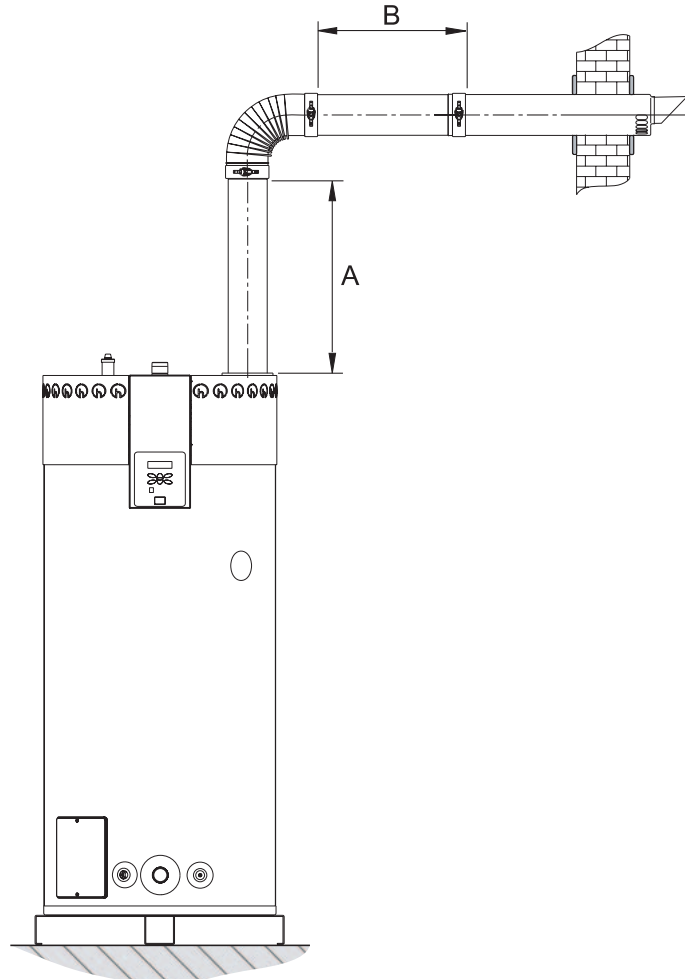
 **Remark**

Install the transition piece first, and only then, the remaining flue gas discharge material.



3.9.1 Concentric wall flue terminal C13

Table 3.7 shows the wall flue terminal prescribed by Hamworthy (installation type C13).

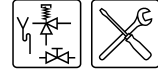


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Figure 3.4 Wall flue terminal

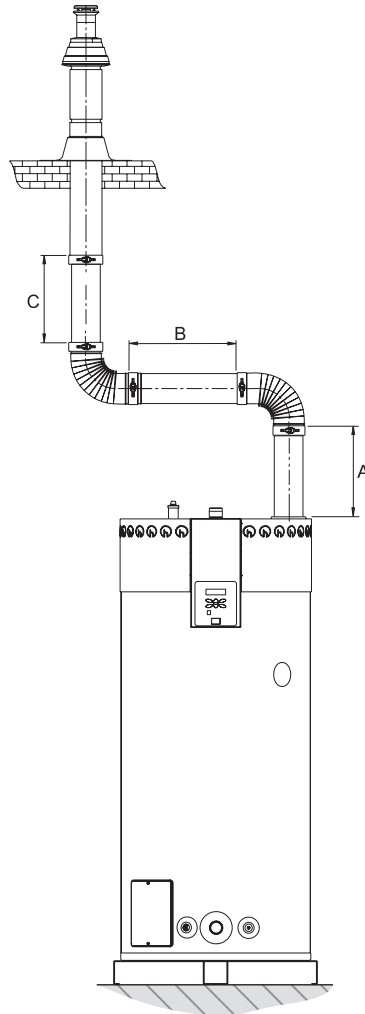
Table 3.7 Concentric wall flue terminal specifications

Item		Description
Wall flue terminal	Manufacturer	Muelink & Grol
	Model	M2000 MDV SEC
Tube material	Construction	Concentric
	Flue gas discharge	Thick-walled aluminium with lipped sealing ring
	Air supply	Thin-walled galvanised sheet steel
Tube diameters	Flue gas discharge	Ø 130 mm
	Air supply	Ø 200 mm



3.9.2 Concentric roof flue terminal C33

Hamworthy prescribes the roof flue terminal (installation type C33) as specified in [Table 3.8](#).



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Figure 3.5 Roof flue terminal

Table 3.8 Concentric roof flue terminal specifications

Item	Description	
Roof flue terminal	Manufacturer	Muelink & Grol
	Model	M2000 DDV SEC HR
Tube material	Construction	Concentric
	Flue gas discharge	Thick-walled aluminium with lipped sealing ring
	Air supply	Thin-walled galvanised sheet steel
Tube diameters	Flue gas discharge	Ø 130 mm
	Air supply	Ø 200 mm



3.10 Electrical connections

Warning

The installation should be carried out by an approved installer in compliance with the general and local regulations imposed by the gas, water and power supply companies and the fire service.

Refer also to paragraph '1.3 Regulations and documents'.

3.10.1 Introduction

Topics covered in this paragraph:

- 3.10.2 Preparation;
- 3.10.3 Mains power;

Optionally, it is possible to connect an isolating transformer, a continuous pump, a program-controlled pump, a 'Tank ON' and an 'Alarm OUT' to the water heater. For these options, see:

- 3.10.4 Isolating transformer;
- 3.10.5 program-controlled pump;
- 3.10.6 Extra ON mode switch ('Tank ON');
- 3.10.7 Connecting extra error signal ('Alarm OUT').

Remark

The optional components are not included in the rating for electrical power consumption (see tables in paragraph 3.4).

3.10.2 Preparation

Note

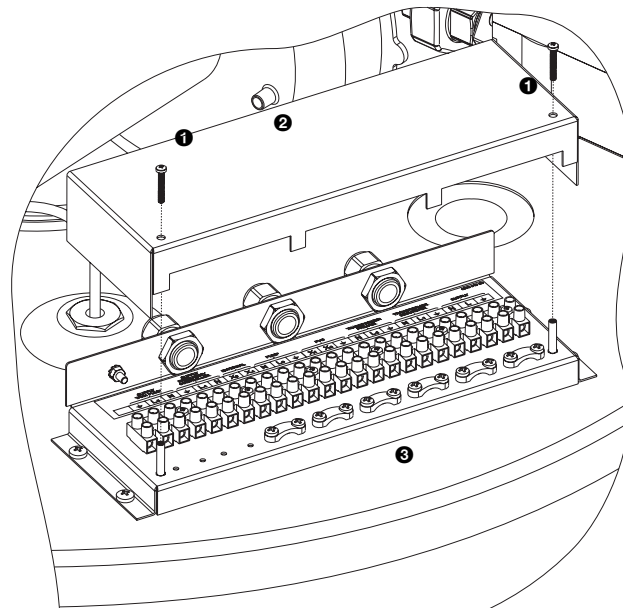
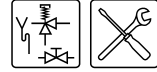
The water heater is phase-sensitive. It is **absolutely essential** to connect the phase (L) from the mains to the phase of the water heater, and the neutral (N) of the mains to the neutral of the water heater.

There should also be **no potential difference** present between neutral (N) and earth (\perp). If this is the case, then an isolating transformer must be applied in the supply circuit. See '3.10.4 Isolating transformer'.

Figure 3.6 shows a view of the electrical connection block. Table 3.9 shows the associated connections.

Table 3.9 Electrical connection block

-	Circulation Pump				Frequency controller			Tank ON		Regulated pump			Alarm OUT			Isolating transformer					Mains power		
	\perp	L ₅	N	\perp	L ₄	N	X ₃	X ₄	N	L ₃	\perp	X ₁	X ₂	\perp	N	L ₂	\perp	N	L ₁	\perp	N	L	\perp
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24



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Figure 3.6 Connection block (connections 1 through 24 explained in [Table 3.9](#))

In preparation you should first remove the two covers and the protective cap of the electrical section. The covers are attached to the water heater by 4 screws and fastenings. The covers are also joined to each other with fastenings.

1. Undo the screws of the covers.
2. Carefully remove the black covers from the water heater.
The electrical section is now visible.
3. Loosen the 2 screws **1** of the electrical section, and remove the protective cap **2** from the electrical section.
The connection block **3** will now be visible.



Remark

Refer to 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC' for the connection of electrical components.

3.10.3 Mains power

The water heater is supplied without a power cable and isolator.



Remark

In order to receive electrical power, the water heater has to be connected to the mains voltage by means of a permanent electrical connection. A double pole isolator with contacts gaps of at least 3 mm must be fitted local to the water heater. The power cable must have cores of at least 3 x 1.0 mm².

1. Connect phase (L), neutral (N) and earth (\perp) of the power cable to terminals 22 through 24 of the connection block as indicated in [Table 3.9](#).
2. Fit the power cable in the pull relief.
3. If you do not need to make any more connections:
 - Fit the cap on the electrical connection block.
 - Fit the covers onto the water heater.



4. Connect the power cable to the isolator.

Warning

Leave the water heater disconnected until you are ready to start it up.

5. If you do not need to make any more connections:
 - Fit the cap on the electrical connection block.
 - Fit the covers onto the water heater.

3.10.4 Isolating transformer

An isolating transformer should be used if there is a case of 'floating neutral'.

1. Refer to fitting instructions provided with the isolating transformer.⁽¹⁾
2. Connect phase (L), neutral (N) and earth (\perp) of the power cables to terminals 16 through 21 of the connector block as indicated in [Table 3.9](#).
3. Fit the cables in the pull relief.
4. If you do not need to make any more connections:
 - Fit the cap on the electrical connection block.
 - Fit the covers onto the water heater.
5. Connect the power cable to the isolator.

3.10.5 program-controlled pump

Switching on of the program-controlled pump is determined by the control panel settings.

1. Connect phase (L), neutral (N) and earth (\perp) to terminals 10, 11 and 12 as indicated in [Table 3.9](#).
2. Fit the cable in the pull relief.
3. If you do not need to make any more connections:
 - Fit the cap on the electrical connection block.
 - Fit the covers onto the water heater.

3.10.6 Extra ON mode switch ('Tank ON')

Tank ON is a facility for connecting an external ON/OFF switch. In the OFF position, the programmed operating mode is active. In the ON position, the programmed operating mode is overruled, and the 'ON mode' is active.

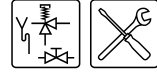
1. Connect cables (X_3 and X_4) to terminals 8 and 9 as indicated in [Table 3.9](#).
2. Fit the cable in the pull relief.
3. If you do not need to make any more connections:
 - Fit the cap on the electrical connection block.
 - Fit the covers onto the water heater.

3.10.7 Connecting extra error signal ('Alarm OUT')

Alarm OUT is a potential free terminal that is switched when an error is detected. This can be used to signal errors, for example by turning on a lamp. A 230 V circuit can be directly powered. For other voltages, a specific relay prescribed by Hamworthy is required.

1. Connect the phase cables (X_1 and X_2) to terminals 13 and 14 as indicated in [Table 3.9](#). If required, connect earth (\perp) to terminal 15.
2. Fit the cable in the pull relief.

1. Contact Hamworthy for details of the correct isolating transformer.



3. If you do not need to make any more connections:
 - Fit the cap on the electrical connection block.
 - Fit the covers onto the water heater.

3.11 Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure



Remark

Before you start up the water heater and/or begin to check the supply pressure and burner pressure, you must first fill the water heater. Please refer to paragraph '4.2 Filling the water heater' for filling instructions.



Note

Before starting-up for the first time, and following conversion, you must always check the supply pressure and burner pressure. If necessary, adjust these to be certain of optimum performance of the water heater.



Remark

The easiest way to check the gas pressures is by using two pressure gauges. This procedure assumes that these two gauges are available.

Legend

- ❶ burner pressure regulator
- ❷ burner pressure control cap
- ❸ burner pressure control adjusting screw
- ❹ supply pressure test nipple
- ❺ burner pressure test nipple

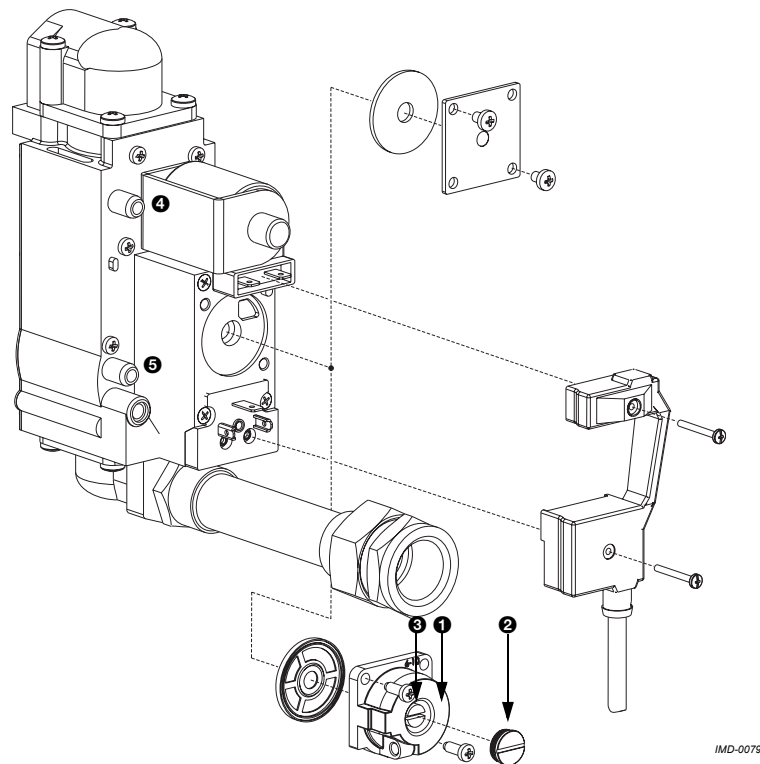
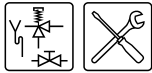


Figure 3.7 The gas control subassembly

To check the supply pressure and burner pressure, proceed as follows:

1. Disconnect the water heater from the power supply. See paragraph '7.3.2 Isolate the water heater from the power supply'.
2. Undo the screws of the covers.
3. Carefully remove the black covers from the water heater. The electrical section is now visible.



Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure

4. There are two test nipples on the gas control (Figure 3.7):
 - a supply pressure test nipple ④;
 - a burner pressure test nipple ⑤.

Sealing screws are located inside the test nipples. Loosen both sealing screws by a few turns. Do not loosen them completely; this makes them difficult to tighten again.
5. Connect a pressure gauge to the burner pressure test nipple ⑤.
6. Open the gas supply and vent the gas supply line via supply pressure test nipple ④.
7. Connect a pressure gauge to the supply pressure test nipple ④ as soon as gas starts to flow from this nipple.
8. Switch on the power to the water heater using the isolator on the water heater.
9. Turn the control panel **ON** by setting the 0/I switch to **position I**.



Figure 3.8 Control panel

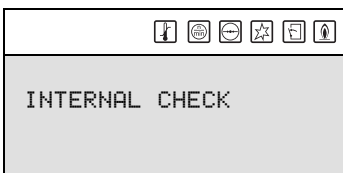


Figure 3.9 Internal check



Figure 3.10 Main menu

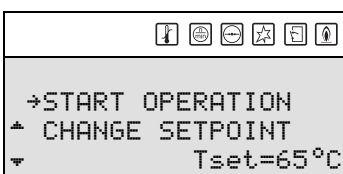


Figure 3.11 Starting up

The display will now show **INTERNAL CHECK** for about 10 seconds, then go to the main menu.

10. Activate the 'ON mode' by going through the following steps:
 - Press once on the blue arrow (⇩) to bring the pointer (→) to **ON** and press **ENTER**. The display shown in Figure 3.11 appears.
 - Confirm with **ENTER** the option **START OPERATION**.
The water heater is now in 'ON mode' and will ignite.

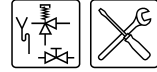
11. Once the display shows the text **RUNNING** you must wait about 1 minute before reading the dynamic pressures.

12. Use the pressure gauge to read the supply pressure at the test nipple ④. Refer to Table 3.4.

Remark

Consult the mains gas supply company if the supply pressure is not correct.

13. Use the pressure gauge to read the burner pressure at test nipple ⑤. Refer to Table 3.4.






14. Remove the cap ❷ from the burner pressure regulator ❶.
15. Adjust the burner pressure by turning the adjusting screw ❸, depending on the correction required:
 - Adjusting screw anticlockwise: burner pressure decreases.
 - Adjusting screw clockwise: burner pressure increases.
16. Cover the opening of the adjusting screw and check the burner pressure against the target value from [Table 3.4](#).
17. If the pressure reading is not correct, repeat steps 15 and 16 until the correct pressure is attained.
18. Fit the cap ❷ on the burner pressure regulator.
19. Activate the 'OFF mode' of the control panel:
 - If the MENU is not displayed:
press .
 - Use  and  to position the cursor (→) beside OFF.
 - Confirm with **ENTER**.
20. Wait until the fan has stopped, and turn the control panel off.



Figure 3.12 Main menu



Note

Failure to wait until the fan stops can cause damage to the water heater.

21. Shut off the gas supply.
22. Disconnect the two pressure gauges and re-tighten the sealing screws in the test nipples.
23. Replace the cover.

3.12 Conversion to a different gas category

Note

The conversion may only be carried out by an authorised installer.

3.12.1 Introduction

If the water heater must operate on a family of gas (LP gas or natural gas) or other gas category than that for which the water heater has been set up at the factory, the water heater will have to be adapted using a special conversion kit.

Note

You must check the supply pressure and burner pressure once the conversion is complete.

Legend

❶ orifice

❷ three-part gas coupling

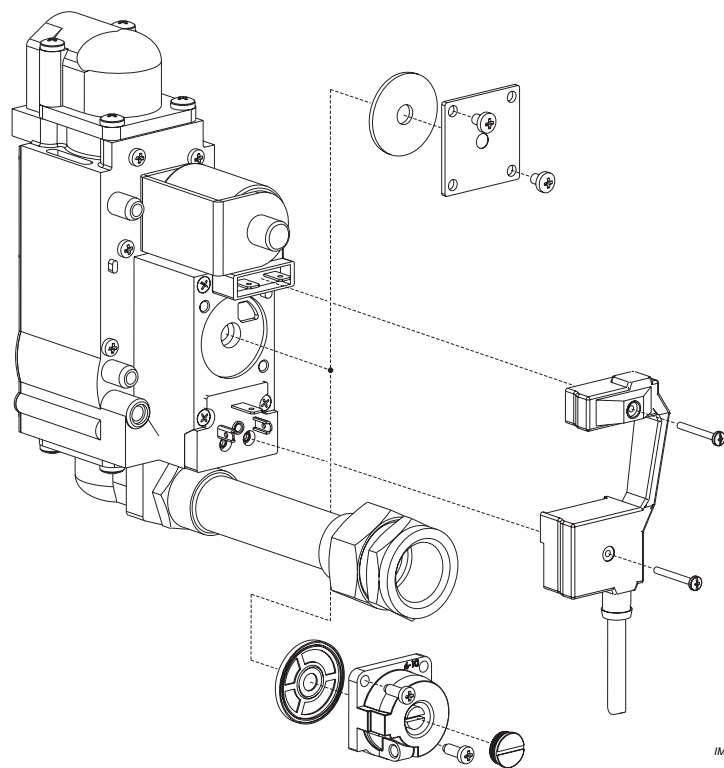



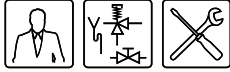
Figure 3.13 Orifice assembly

1. Disconnect the water heater from the mains. See paragraph ['7.3.2 Isolate the water heater from the power supply'](#).
2. Shut off the gas supply.
3. Loosen the screws of the covers.
4. Carefully remove the black covers from the water heater.
5. Detach the three-part gas coupling ❷ adjacent to the burner.
6. Select and fit the correct orifice from the conversion kit, based on [Table 3.4](#). The injector diameter is stamped into each injector ❶.
7. Re-fit the three-part gas coupling ❷.

Note

8. Check the burner and supply pressure (see paragraph [3.11](#)).

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9. Replace the cover.
 10. Remove the sticker showing the new gas category from the conversion kit, and attach it below the water heater's rating plate. This clearly indicates that the water heater may no longer be run on the gas for which it was originally supplied.
 11. Start the water heater (see paragraph [7.2](#)).



4 Filling and draining

4.1 Introduction

Topics covered in this chapter:

- [Filling the water heater.](#)
- [Draining the water heater.](#)

The components referred to in these paragraphs are illustrated in [Figure 4.1](#).

4.2 Filling the water heater

4.2.1 Filling unvented installations

To fill the water heater, proceed as follows.

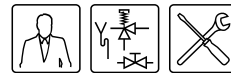
1. Open the stop valve ③ in the hot water pipe and, if present, the stop valves ④ for the circulation pump.
2. Shut drain valve ⑥.
3. Open the nearest hot water draw-off point ①.
4. Open the supply valve ③ on the cold water side ① so that cold water flows into the water heater.
5. Completely fill the water heater (when cold water flows at normal pressure from the nearest hot water draw-off point, the water heater is full).
6. Bleed the entire installation of air, for example by opening all hot water draw-off points.
7. The water heater is now under water supply pressure. There should be no water coming out of the expansion valve ⑩, nor the T&P valve ②. If this does happen, the cause might be:
 - The water supply pressure is greater than the specified 3.5bar. Check the correct pressure.
 - The expansion valve in the protected cold supply setup is defective or incorrectly fitted.

4.2.2 Filling vented installations

To fill the water heater, proceed as follows.

1. Open the stop valve ③ in the hot water pipe and, if present, the stop valves ④ for the circulation pump.
2. Shut drain valve ⑥.
3. Open the nearest hot water draw-off point ①.
4. Open the supply valve ③ on the cold water side ① so that cold water flows into the water heater.
5. Completely fill the water heater (when cold water flows at normal pressure from the nearest hot water draw-off point, the water heater is full).
6. Bleed the entire installation of air, for example by opening all hot water draw-off points.

The water heater is now under water supply pressure. There should be no water coming out of the safety valve ②a. If this does happen, the safety valve might be defective or incorrectly fitted.



Legend

- ❶ pressure-reducing valve (mandatory)
- ❷ T&P valve (mandatory)
 - ❷a) safety valve
- ❸ stop valve (recommended)
- ❹ non-return valve (mandatory)
 - ❹a) non-return valve
- ❺ circulation pump (optional)
- ❻ drain valve
- ❼ manual gas valve (mandatory)
- ❽ stop valve (mandatory)
- ❾ temperature gauge (optional)
- ❿ condensation drainage (mandatory)
- ⓫ hot water draw-off points
- ⓬ expansion valve (mandatory)
- ⓭ expansion vessel (mandatory)
- ⓮ 3-way venting valve (optional)
- ⓯ water tank
- ⓰ float valve
- ⓱ cold water supply
- ⓲ hot water outlet
- ⓳ circulation pipe
- ⓴ gas supply
- ⓵ overflow pipe

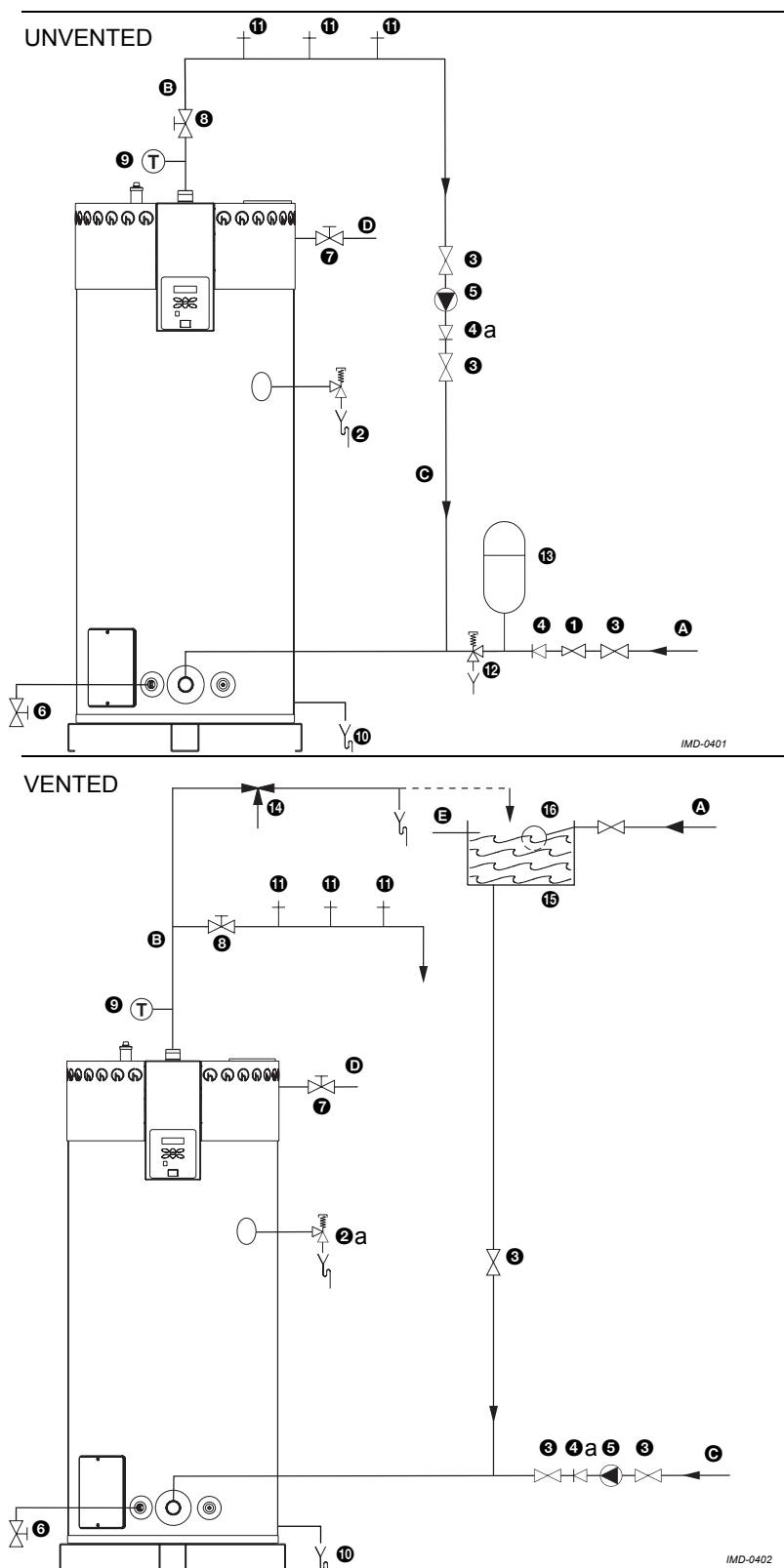


Figure 4.1 Installation diagram unvented and vented



4.3 Draining the water heater

4.3.1 Draining unvented installations

Some service activities require the water heater to be drained. The procedure is as follows:





1. Activate the MENU with .
2. Use  and  to position the cursor beside OFF. See [Figure 4.2](#).
3. Confirm OFF with **ENTER**.
4. Wait until the fan has stopped. The  icon is then dimmed.






Figure 4.2 Main menu

Note

Failure to wait until the fan stops can cause damage to the water heater.







Figure 4.3 Control panel

5. Turn the water heater **OFF (position 0)** using the ON/OFF switch on the control panel. See [Figure 4.3](#).
6. Disconnect the water heater by putting the mains switch between the water heater and the mains power supply to position 0.
7. Shut off the gas supply .
8. Close the stop valve  in the hot water pipe.
9. Close the supply valve of the protected cold supply setup.
10. Open the drain valve .
11. Bleed the water heater (or installation) so that it drains completely empty.




4.3.2 Draining vented installations

Some service activities require the water heater to be drained. The procedure is as follows:

1. Activate the MENU with .
2. Use  and  to position the cursor beside OFF. See [Figure 4.2](#).
3. Confirm OFF with **ENTER**.
4. Wait until the fan has stopped. The  icon is then dimmed.

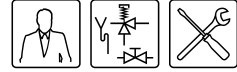
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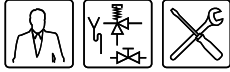
Failure to wait until the fan stops can cause damage to the water heater.

5. Turn the water heater **OFF (position 0)** using the ON/OFF switch on the control panel. See [Figure 4.3](#).
6. Disconnect the water heater by switching the mains isolator off.
7. Shut off the gas supply .
8. Close the stop valve  in the hot water pipe.
9. Close the stop valve between the water cistern and the cold water inlet.
10. Open the drain valve .
11. Vent the water heater (or installation) so that it drains completely empty.

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Filling and draining





5 The control panel

5.1 Introduction

Topics covered in this chapter:

- [5.2 Overview](#);
- [5.3 Explanation of the icons](#);
- [5.4 Control panel ON/OFF switch](#);
- [5.5 Navigation buttons](#);
- [5.6 PC connection](#).

5.2 Overview

[Figure 5.1](#) shows the control panel. The control panel is completely menu-driven. It comprises:

- a 4-line display with 20 characters per line;
- 6 push buttons for operating the water heater (below the display);
- 6 graphical symbols (above the display);
- a connector for a service PC;
- an ON/OFF switch.

The push buttons are divided into three groups:

- Navigation buttons:
 - Buttons UP ↑, and DOWN ↓;
 - Enter: **ENTER**;
 - Reset button: **RESET**
- The main menu: (see chapter '[8 Main menu](#)');
- the service program: (see chapter '[9 Service program](#)', this chapter is specifically intended for the service and maintenance engineer and installer).



Figure 5.1 Control panel

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The control panel

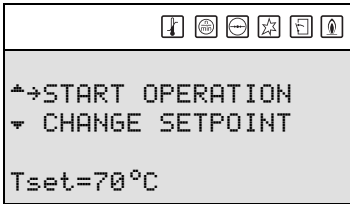


Figure 5.2 The display

In this manual, the display of the control panel is shown as in [Figure 5.2](#), both with and without icons.

5.3 Explanation of the icons

[Table 5.1](#) gives an explanation of the icons.

Table 5.1 Icons and their meaning

Icon	Name	Explanation
	Heat demand	Heat demand detected
	Purge	Pre- and post-purge using fan
	Pressure switch	Pressure switch is closed
	Glow	(Pre)glow
	Gas control	Gas control open / ignition
	Flame detection	Water heater running

5.4 Control panel ON/OFF switch

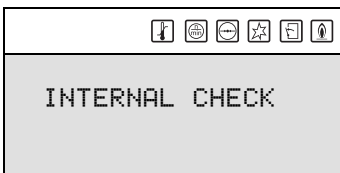


Figure 5.3 Internal check

The ON/OFF switch of the control panel turns the water heater ON and OFF. Note that in the OFF position the water heater remains electrically live, in order for the continuous pump to stay running.

After switching on, the text `INTERNAL CHECK` appears on the display for about 10 seconds. The main menu then appears (see chapter ['8 Main menu'](#)). If no selection is made in the main menu, the water heater automatically switches to OFF mode. See paragraph ['6.2 Operating modes'](#).

Remark

To electrically disconnect the water heater, you must use the main switch between the water heater and the mains power supply.

5.5 Navigation buttons

The use of these buttons is explained with the help of [Figure 5.4](#). This figure shows the main menu. See also chapter ['8 Main menu'](#).

The navigation buttons are:

- Buttons UP ↑, and DOWN ↓;
- Enter: **ENTER**;
- Reset button: **RESET**

The arrows ↕ and ⇩ indicate that you can scroll up and/or down. Use buttons ↑ and ↓ to scroll.

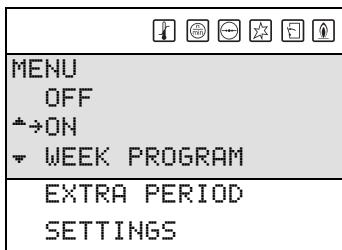


Figure 5.4 Navigation buttons

The cursor \rightarrow points to the option to be activated. In the display as shown in [Figure 5.4](#) you can scroll through the main menu.

The main menu consists of: OFF, ON, WEEK PROGRAM, EXTRA PERIOD and SETTINGS. The options EXTRA PERIOD and SETTINGS only become visible after scrolling downwards.

The selected option is confirmed using **ENTER**.

With the **RESET** button, you go back one page in a menu, and all options selected in the current menu are discarded.

Remark

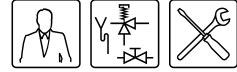
The **RESET** button is also used to reset the water heater following an error.

5.6 PC connection

The PC connection is exclusively intended for technicians from A.O. Smith who can read the status and history of the water heater. These details can be important for troubleshooting and/or responding to complaints.

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The control panel





6 Status of the water heater

6.1 Introduction

Topics covered in this chapter:

- [6.2 Operating modes](#);
- [6.3 Error conditions](#);
- [6.4 Service condition](#);
- [6.5 Anode protection](#).

6.2 Operating modes

When running, the water heater has four basic operating modes, namely:

```
OFF
13:45 Thursday 6°C
FROST PROTECTION
ACTIVATED
```

Figure 6.1 Frost protection

```
ON
13:45 Thursday 67°C
Tset 75°C
```

Figure 6.2 ON

```
EXTRA
12:30 Thursday 76°C
TH 12:45 Tset 75°C
PERIOD ACTIVATED
```

Figure 6.3 Extra period

OFF

In this mode, the frost protection is activated. [Figure 6.1](#) shows the display with the following information:

- line one: the text OFF;
- line two: the time, the day and alternately T_1 and T_{net} . See paragraph [2.3](#);
- lines three and four: the text FROST PROTECTION ACTIVATED.

ON

In this mode, the water heater continually responds to the hot water demand. [Figure 6.2](#) shows the display with the following information:

- line one: the text ON;
- line two: the time, the day and alternately T_1 and T_{net} . See paragraph [2.3](#);
- line three: the programmed water temperature T_{set} ;
- line four: is empty when the water heater is idle, or depending on the heating cycle, a text such as HEAT DEMAND. See '[7.4 The water heater's heating cycle](#)'.

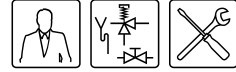
EXTRA

In this mode, one extra period is programmed and activated. In this mode, the OFF or PROG mode is temporarily overruled to fulfil a single period of heat demand. Once the period has passed, the water heater automatically returns to the previous operating mode. [Figure 6.3](#) shows the display with the following information:

- line one: the text EXTRA;
- line two: the time, the day and alternately T_1 and T_{net} . See paragraph [2.3](#);
- line three: the switch-on time, and the related water temperature setting;
- line four: the text PERIOD ACTIVATED.

PROG

In this mode a preset week program is active, and the water heater responds continually to heat demand within the time periods set in the week program. There are two distinct situations possible in this mode:



```

PROG
10:00 Monday    76°C
MO 11:15    Tset 75°C

```

Figure 6.4 Week program active, current time within programmed period

```

PROG
12:00 Monday    76°C
MO 11:15
PERIOD ACTIVATED

```

Figure 6.5 Week program active, current time outside programmed period

1) The current time falls within a set time period of the week program.

Figure 6.4 shows the display in this situation:

- line one: the text PROG;
- line two: the time, the day and alternately T_1 and T_{net} . See paragraph 2.3;
- line three: the next scheduled switch-off time and the water temperature T_{set} of the active period;
- line four: is empty, or depending on the heating cycle, a text such as HEAT DEMAND. See paragraph '7.4 The water heater's heating cycle'

2) The current time falls outside a set time period of the week program.

Figure 6.5 shows the display in this situation:

- line one: the text PROG;
- line two: the time, the day and alternately T_1 and T_{net} . See paragraph 2.3;
- line three: the next scheduled switch-on time;
- line four: the text PERIOD ACTIVATED.

In all modes, the temperature may at any moment drop below the desired temperature. The water heater then enters a heating cycle. This heating cycle is the same for all basic operating modes. See paragraph '7.4 The water heater's heating cycle'.

Remark

Setting and programming of the basic operating modes are described in chapter '8 Main menu'.

6.3 Error conditions

```

S04:  SENSOR ERROR

      CHECK
      SENSOR OR DUMMY

```

Figure 6.6 Example of an error message

Figure 6.6 shows an example of an error condition. If the water heater enters this condition, the display will show the following information:

- line one: error code comprising a letter and two digits, followed by the error description;
- lines two through four: alternately, a brief explanation of the error, and a brief action to resolve the error.

Note

The displayed action to resolve the error may only be performed by a service and maintenance engineer.

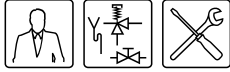
There are various types of errors:

- LOCK OUT ERRORS
When the cause has been removed, these errors require a reset with the **RESET** button, before the water heater can resume running.
- BLOCKING ERRORS
These errors disappear automatically once the cause of the error has been removed, after which the water heater resumes by itself.

The display does not show what type of error has been detected. For a detailed overview of error conditions, please refer to chapter '10 Troubleshooting'.

If, as end-user, you find the water heater in an error condition, you may attempt to re-start the water heater by pressing the **RESET** button once.

However, should the error return or become persistent, you should contact your service and maintenance engineer.



6.4 Service condition

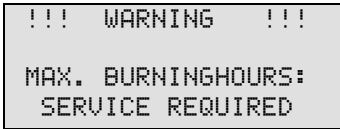


Figure 6.7 Service required

Figure 6.7 shows the message SERVICE REQUIRED. Should this message appear, then the water heater is in need of a service and maintenance inspection. In that case, contact your service and maintenance engineer.

Remark

The message SERVICE REQUIRED is based on the number of burning hours and the preset service interval. Should the service interval have been incorrectly selected, contact the service and maintenance engineer for instructions on how to adjust this. See chapter '11 Maintenance frequency'.

6.5 Anode protection

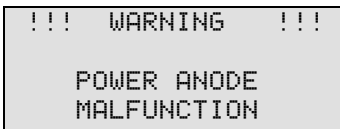


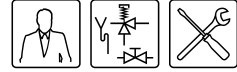
Figure 6.8 Anode warning

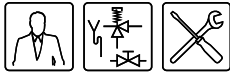
Figure 6.8 shows the error message for a malfunction of the anode protection. The display alternates between this message and the water heater's current operating mode. For a detailed overview of error conditions, please refer to chapter '10 Troubleshooting'.

Should this message appear, contact your service and maintenance engineer.

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Status of the water heater





7 Starting up and shutting down

7.1 Introduction

Topics covered in this chapter:

- [Starting up.](#)
- [Shutting down.](#)

7.2 Starting up

Start-up the water heater as follows:

1. Fill the water heater. See chapter '4 Filling and draining'
2. Open the gas valve (see 'Figure 4.1 Installation diagram unvented and vented').
3. Switch on the power to the water heater using the isolator between the water heater and the power supply.
4. Turn the control panel **ON** by putting the ON/OFF switch to **position I**.



Figure 7.1 Control panel

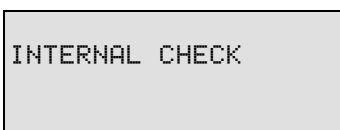


Figure 7.2 Internal check



Figure 7.3 Main menu

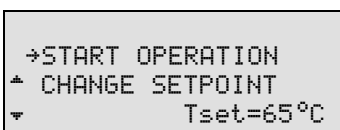


Figure 7.4 Starting up

The display will now show `INTERNAL CHECK` for about 10 seconds, then go to the main menu.

5. Activate the 'ON mode' by going through the following steps:
 - Press once on the blue arrow (\downarrow) to position the cursor (\rightarrow) beside `ON` and press `ENTER`. The display shown in [Figure 7.4](#) will appear.

- Confirm with `ENTER` the option `START OPERATION`.

The water heater will now enter 'ON mode'. If there is a heat demand, the water heater will run through a heating cycle. See paragraph '7.4 The water heater's heating cycle'.

If the heating cycle is not run, then there is no current heat demand; should this happen, then T_{set} will probably need to be set. This is described in paragraph '8.4 Setting the water temperature'



7.3 Shutting down

You can:





- Shut the water heater down for a brief period ('OFF mode').
- Isolate the water heater from the power supply.
- Shut the water heater down for a longer period.

7.3.1 Shut the water heater down for a brief period ('OFF mode')

To shut the water heater down for a brief period, you must activate the frost protection.

You can use the frost protection to prevent water freezing in the water heater.

Activate the frost protection as follows:

1. Press button  to select the main menu.
2. Using  and  position the cursor () beside OFF.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The frost protection cuts in if the water temperature drops below 5°C. The text FROST will then appear on line one of the display. The water heater will heat the water to 20°C (T_{set}) before dropping back to OFF mode.

```
OFF
13:45 Thursday 6°C
FROST PROTECTION
ACTIVATED
```





Figure 7.5 Frost protection

Remark

These values of 5°C and 20°C cannot be adjusted.

7.3.2 Isolate the water heater from the power supply

The water heater should only be disconnected from mains power in the correct way. The correct procedure is as follows:

1. Activate the MENU with .
2. Use  and  to position the cursor beside OFF. See [Figure 7.6](#).
3. Confirm OFF with **ENTER**.
4. Wait until the fan has stopped. The  icon is then dimmed.

```
MENU
→OFF
← ON
▼ WEEK PROGRAM
```

Figure 7.6 Main menu



Note

Failure to wait until the fan stops can cause damage to the water heater.

5. Turn the water heater **OFF (position 0)** using the ON/OFF switch on the control panel. See [Figure 7.7](#).
6. Isolate the water heater by putting the mains switch between the water heater and the mains power supply to position 0.



Figure 7.7 control panel



7.3.3 Shut the water heater down for a longer period

Drain the water heater, if you are shutting it down for a longer period of time. Proceed as follows:

1. Isolate the water heater from the power supply as described in paragraph 7.3.2.
2. Shut off the gas supply.
3. Close the stop valve in the hot water pipe.
4. Open the drain valve.
5. Vent the water heater (or installation) so that it drains completely empty.

7.4 The water heater's heating cycle

The water heater's heating cycle is activated as soon as the measured water temperature (T_{net}) falls below the threshold value (T_{set}). This threshold value depends on the currently selected water heater operating mode. For example, if the water heater is in the 'OFF mode' (frost protection), then this value is 5°C. If the water heater is in the 'ON mode', then this threshold value is selectable, for example, 65°C.

The heating cycle runs in turn through the following states:



1. HEAT DEMAND;
2. PRE-PURGE;
3. PRESSURE SWITCH;
4. PRE-GLOW;
5. IGNITION;
6. RUNNING;
7. POST-PURGE.

The complete cycle is explained in the example set out below assuming the water heater is operating in mode ON.

Remark

The same heating cycle applies to the other operating modes.

Once the water heater starts, it will run through 8 steps:

1. The water temperature drops below the set temperature of (for example) 65°C. The control panel detects a heat demand and starts the heating cycle.
 - The  icon is activated.
 - The message HEAT DEMAND appears.
2. Following the heat demand, the fan is powered up and the pre-purge begins. This lasts about 15 seconds. During this phase, any residual gases are removed.
 - The  icon is activated.
 - The message PRE PURGE appears.

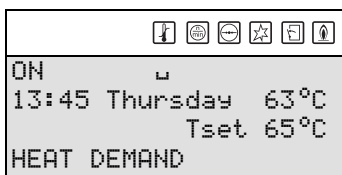


Figure 7.8 Frost protection cuts in

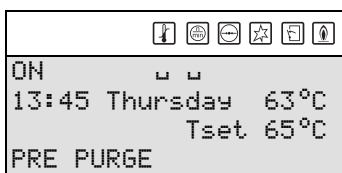


Figure 7.9 Pre-purge

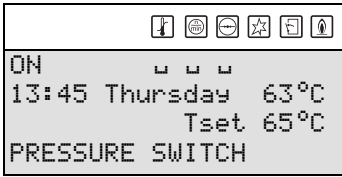
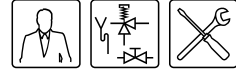


Figure 7.10 Pressure switch

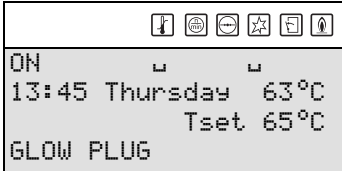


Figure 7.11 Pre-glow

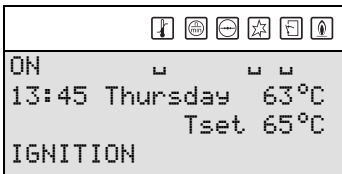


Figure 7.12 Ignition

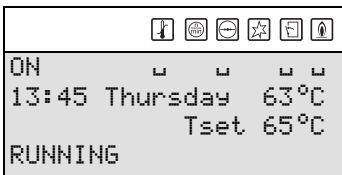


Figure 7.13 Running

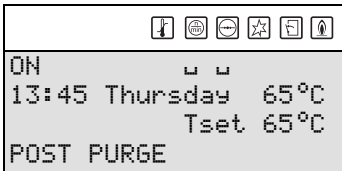


Figure 7.14 Post-purge

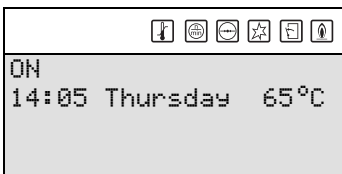
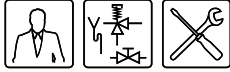


Figure 7.15 Running

3. During the pre-purge, the pressure switch closes.
 - The icon is activated.
 - The message PRESSURE SWITCH appears.
 4. After some time, the pre-purge ceases and the control panel reduces the speed of the fan to the rotational speed for ignition. This is followed by the pre-glow of the hot surface igniter.
 - The and icons are dimmed.
 - The icon is activated.
 5. After a number of seconds pre-glow, the gas control is opened and ignition takes place.
 - The icon is activated.
 - The message IGNITION appears.
 6. After ignition, the flame is detected and the water heater will be running. This means that actual heating has started. The rotation speed of the fan then increases to the normal running speed, and the pressure switch will close:
 - The icon is dimmed.
 - The and icons are activated.
 - The message RUNNING appears.
 7. Once the water is up to temperature, the heat demand drops off, and the post-purge starts. This lasts about 25 seconds.
 - The , and icons are dimmed.
 - The icon is activated.
 - The message POST PURGE appears.
 8. Following the post-purge, the fan stops and the pressure switch opens:
 - The and icons are dimmed.
 - The message POST PURGE disappears.
- At the first subsequent heat demand, the heating cycle will resume from step 1.



8 Main menu

8.1 Introduction

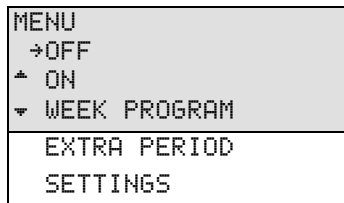



Figure 8.1 Main menu

The MENU is reached by pressing button  of the control panel. The options are:

- OFF

Select this option if you wish to shut the water heater down for a brief period, but do not wish to drain it. In this mode, the frost protection is active. This prevents water from freezing in the water heater. See paragraph ['7.3 Shutting down'](#).

- ON

In this mode, the water heater continually responds to the hot water demand. See paragraph ['8.3 Switching into 'ON mode'](#).

- WEEK PROGRAM

Select this option to allow the water heater to respond to heat demand only during pre-programmed periods. Outside those periods, only frost protection is active. See paragraph ['8.5 Week program'](#).

- EXTRA PERIOD

Select this option to overrule the OFF mode or PROG mode (i.e. Week program) so that a single temporary period of heat demand will be fulfilled. See paragraph ['8.6 Extra period'](#).

- SETTINGS

Select this option to set the language and the time. You can also use this option to display the regulation interval (temperature), and the ignition and running speeds of the fan. See paragraph ['8.7 Settings'](#).


Remark


If you fail to make any selection with the main menu open, then after 30 seconds, the water heater will automatically return to the mode it was previously in.

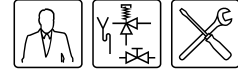
Topics covered in this chapter:

- [Setting the water temperature](#)
- [Week program](#)
- [Extra period](#)
- [Settings](#)

8.2 Notational convention for menu-related instructions

The MENU () of the control panel is divided into sub-menus. For example, SETTINGS is one of the functions reached from the main menu. The menu SETTINGS is itself divided into sub-menus. For example, LANGUAGE is a sub-menu of SETTINGS. So, for example, to select menu LANGUAGE, this manual employs the following convention:

- : SETTINGS | LANGUAGE
Confirm with ENTER.



This means:

1. : Activate the main menu with .
2. SETTINGS: Using button and/or go to SETTINGS and press ENTER.
3. LANGUAGE: Using button and/or go to LANGUAGE.
4. Confirm with ENTER: After pressing ENTER, the sub-menu LANGUAGE is activated.

This notation is also used for more than 2 sub-menus.

8.3 Switching into 'ON mode'

You can switch the water heater into 'ON mode' from any operational mode, as follows:

- : ON | START OPERATION
Confirm with ENTER.



Remark

Starting up and shutting down the entire water heater is described in chapter 7.

8.4 Setting the water temperature

8.4.1 Setting the water temperature via SETPOINT menu

The water temperature can be set to any value between 40°C and 80°C.

Set the water temperature via:

1. : ON | CHANGE SETPOINT
Confirm with ENTER.

```
START OPERATION
^→CHANGE SETPOINT
▼          Tset=65°C
```

Figure 8.2 Setting SETPOINT

```
SETPOINT
→ 65°C
```

Figure 8.3 Adjusting water temperature

2. Use:

- to increase the value;
- to decrease the value.
- Confirm with ENTER. After confirming, the water heater enters 'ON mode'.



Remark

If the temperature setting is higher than the current water temperature, it is possible that the water heater does **not** immediately start heating. To prevent excessively frequent switching on and off, there is a heating margin. The standard setting for this margin is 2°C. The water heater starts heating when the water temperature is 2°C colder than the SETPOINT and continues heating until the water is 2°C hotter than the SETPOINT. We refer to this margin as the hysteresis. The service and maintenance engineer can adjust this value (see paragraph 9.2).

8.4.2 Setting water temperature during ON mode

The water temperature can also be directly adjusted when the water heater is in 'ON mode'. Simply use:

- to increase the value;
- to decrease the value.
- Confirm with ENTER

```
ON
13:45 Thursday 65°C
          Tset=65°C
```

Figure 8.4 ON mode: the water heater is on



8.5 Week program

8.5.1 Introduction

Using the week program, you can set the water temperature for the days and times you wish.

```
PROG
07:55 Monday 64°C
MO 08:00 Tset 75°C
PROGRAM ACTIVATED
```

Figure 8.5 week program active

If the water heater is running under a week program, then this is indicated on the display by the text PROG on the first line (see Figure 8.5). The second line shows the time of day, the day of the week and the temperature. The third line shows the next switching time of the week program and the programmed temperature. The fourth line shows the text PROGRAM ACTIVATED.

The water heater's default week program switches the water heater on every day at 00:00 hours and off at 23:59 hours. The water temperature setting is standard 65°C.

If you wish, you can change every setting in the standard week program of the water heater.

If, while the week program is running, the water temperature becomes too low, then the water heater will run through the heating cycle (see '7.4 The water heater's heating cycle'), then return to the week program.

The following topics are covered in this paragraph:

- 8.5.2 Starting up and shutting down the week program
- 8.5.3 Changing the water heater's standard week program
- 8.5.4 Adding times to a week program
- 8.5.5 Deleting times from a week program

8.5.2 Starting up and shutting down the week program

The week program can be started up from any other operating mode, as follows:

- : WEEK PROGRAM | START OPERATION

Confirm with **ENTER**.

A week program can be shut down simply by activating a different operating mode, for example 'ON mode'.

8.5.3 Changing the water heater's standard week program

Remark

First fill-in the desired week program on the program card supplied. See appendix 'A.3 Week program card'.

A week program is made up of a number of programmable periods in which you can have the water heater switch on and off. A period consists of:

- switch-on time: day of the week, and time in hours and minutes;
- switch-off time: in hours and minutes;
- the water temperature setting;
- on/off setting for a program-controlled pump.

Remark

The switch-off time must always be followed by a switch-off time on the same day of the week. A maximum of **three** periods may be programmed per day. You can program a maximum of **21** periods per week.

```
WEEK PROGRAM
START OPERATION
^+PROGRAM OVERVIEW
▼
```

Figure 8.6 Week program

Bring up the menu for the week program via:

1. : WEEK PROGRAM | PROGRAM OVERVIEW.

Confirm with **ENTER**.



DAY	TIME	Tset	
ON	→SU 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	SU 23:59		
ON	MO 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	MO 23:59		
ON	TU 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	TU 23:59		
ON	WE 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	WE 23:59		
ON	TH 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	TH 23:59		
ON	FR 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	FR 23:59		
ON	SA 00:00	65°C	P
OFF	SA 23:59		
INSERT			
DELETE			
START OPERATION			

Figure 8.7 Standard week program

ON	→SU 00:00		
OFF	SU 23:59		
Tset	65°C		
PUMP	ON	SAVE	

Figure 8.8 Week program

ON	SU→08:00		
OFF	SU 08:00		
Tset	65°C		
PUMP	ON	SAVE	

Figure 8.9 Setting switch-on hours in week program

ON	SU 08→15		
OFF	SU 08:15		
Tset	65°C		
PUMP	ON	SAVE	

Figure 8.10 Setting switch-on minutes in week program

ON	SU 08:15		
OFF	SU→08:15		
Tset	65°C		
PUMP	ON	SAVE	

Figure 8.11 Setting switch-off hours in week program

The display shows the menu for the week program, see [Figure 8.7](#). With the default setting, the program switches on and off every day at 00:00 and 23:59 hours respectively, the water temperature is 65°C and the pump is switched on (P).

Example

As an example, we will set the switch-on time for Sunday to 08:15 hours, and the matching switch-off time to 12:45 hours. The water temperature will be set to 75°C and the pump will run continuously.

Using the menu, the following values will be entered: the switch-on time, the switch-off time, the desired water temperature, and the state of the program-controlled pump.

Setting the switch-on time

- Bring the cursor to **SU** and press **ENTER**. The display will change as shown in [Figure 8.8](#). The day indicated by the → will blink.
- Use **↑** and **↓** to select the day desired. In the example, this is **SU** (Sunday). Confirm with **ENTER**.
The cursor moves to the hour digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.9](#).
- Use **↑** and **↓** to select the hour. In the example this is **08**. Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to the minute digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.10](#).

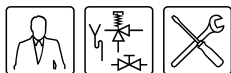
Remark

Because the switch-off time can never be earlier than the switch-on time, the switch-off time setting is automatically adjusted with the switch-on time.

- Use **↑** and **↓** to set the minutes. In the example this is **15**. Confirm with **ENTER**.
The cursor moves to the switch-off hour digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.11](#).

Setting switch-off time

- Use **↑** and **↓** to set the hour. In the example this is **12**. Confirm with **ENTER**.



```
ON  SU 08:15
OFF SU 12:15
Tset 65°C
PUMP ON      SAVE
```

Figure 8.12 Setting switch-off minutes in week program

```
ON  SU 08:15
OFF SU 12:45
Tset→65°C
PUMP ON      SAVE
```

Figure 8.13 Setting water temperature in week program

```
ON  SU 08:15
OFF SU 12:45
Tset 75°C
PUMP ON      SAVE
```

Figure 8.14 Setting the pump in the week program

```
ON  SU 08:15
OFF SU 12:45
Tset 75°C
PUMP ON      →SAVE
```

Figure 8.15 Save week program

```
DAY TIME Tset
ON →SU 08:15 75°C P
OFF SU 12:45
ON MO 00:00 65°C P
OFF MO 23:59
ON TU 00:00 65°C P
OFF TU 23:59
```

Figure 8.16 Add week program

8.5.4 Adding times to a week program

```
WEEK PROGRAM
START OPERATION
↔→PROGRAM OVERVIEW
▼
```

Figure 8.17 Entering a week program

- The cursor moves to the minute digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.12](#).
- Use **↑** and **↓** to set the minutes. In the example this is 45.
Confirm with **ENTER**.
The cursor moves to the water temperature. See [Figure 8.13](#).

Setting the water temperature

- Use **↑** and **↓** to set the water temperature. In the example this is 75°C.
Confirm with **ENTER**.
The cursor moves to PUMP ON . See [Figure 8.14](#).

Setting program-controlled pump

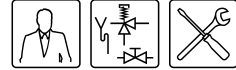
- If required, a pump can be controlled during the period. Use **↑** and **↓** to select PUMP ON . The pump ensures a regular circulation of hot water in the hot water pipes. You can skip this step if you there is no pump in your hot water circuit.
Confirm with **ENTER**.

- The cursor moves to SAVE. See [Figure 8.15](#).
- Confirm with **ENTER**.

- The display shown in [Figure 8.16](#) will appear
- If you wish, use **↓** to scroll to another day, and change more switch-on and switch-off times. Simply repeat steps 3 through 10.
 - After changing all desired switch-on and switch off times, you can start running the week program:
 - Scroll with **↓** to START OPERATION.
Confirm with **ENTER**.

The menu to INSERT switch-on and switch-off times into a week program is reached via:

- ↔**: WEEK PROGRAM | PROGRAM OVERVIEW.
Confirm with **ENTER**.



```

DAY TIME Tset
→SU 08:15 75°C P
OFF SU 12:45
ON MO 00:00 65°C P
.....
.....
OFF SA 23:59
INSERT
DELETE
START OPERATION
    
```

Figure 8.18 Week program

```

ON →SU 08:15
OFF SU 12:45
Tset 65°C
PUMP ON SAVE
    
```

Figure 8.19 Adding a period

```

DAY TIME Tset
ON →SU 18:00 75°C P
OFF SU 22:00
ON MO 00:00 65°C P
OFF MO 23:59
.....
.....
OFF SA 23:59
INSERT
DELETE
START OPERATION
    
```

Figure 8.20 Period added

8.5.5 Deleting times from a week program

```

DAY TIME Tset
ON →SU 08:15 75°C P
OFF SU 12:45
ON SU 18:00 75°C P
OFF SU 22:00
.....
.....
OFF SA 23:59
INSERT
DELETE
START OPERATION
    
```

Figure 8.21 A program

```

MENU
OFF
↕→ON
↔ WEEK PROGRAM
    
```

Figure 8.22 Week program

The display shows the menu for the week program, see [Figure 8.18](#). The cursor points to the active period.

2. Scroll **↓** to INSERT.
Confirm with **ENTER**.

The sub-menu for adding a period will appear. See [Figure 8.19](#).

Example

As an example, we will program an extra period in which the switch-on time is set to 18:00 hours, and the matching switch-off time to 22:00 hours. The water temperature will be set to 75°C and the pump will run continuously.

3. Repeat steps 3 through 10 of paragraph 8.5.3. After the option **SAVE** the display as shown in [Figure 8.20](#) appears; i.e. with the cursor beside the period we have just added.
4. To activate the week program with the new period added, scroll down with **↓** to **START OPERATION** and confirm with **ENTER**.

All switch-on/off times are shown sequentially in the display. Assume that the switch-on/off times for the water heater are programmed as in [Figure 8.21](#).

To delete a period, proceed as follows:

1. **↔**: WEEK PROGRAM.
Confirm with **ENTER**.

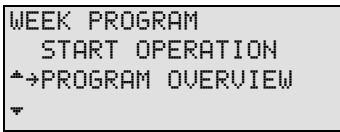


Figure 8.23 Entering a week program

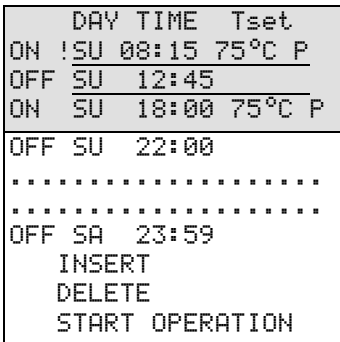


Figure 8.24 A program

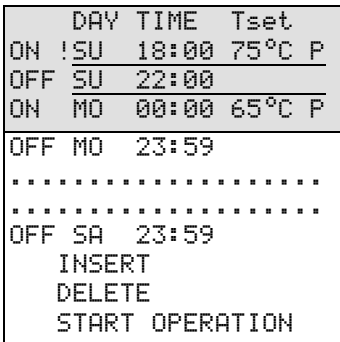


Figure 8.25 Select

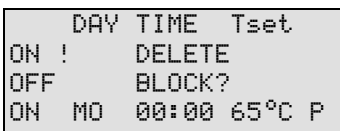


Figure 8.26 Confirm deletion of block from week program

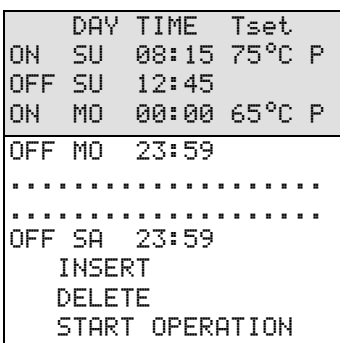
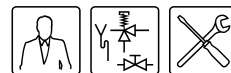


Figure 8.27 Period deleted

2. Scroll with **↓** to PROGRAM OVERVIEW.
Confirm with **ENTER**.
The display shows the menu for the week program, see [Figure 8.21](#).
 3. Scroll with **↓** to DELETE.
Confirm with **ENTER**.
 4. The display will change as shown in [Figure 8.24](#). To warn you that you are now working in the delete sub-menu, the cursor is replaced with an exclamation mark (!) and the period settings will blink (illustrated in the figure by underlining).
 5. Scroll with **↓** to the day to be deleted. For example, the second period of SU (Sunday). See [Figure 8.25](#).
Confirm with **ENTER**.
 6. The lines showing switch-on/off times are replaced by the text DELETE BLOCK?. See [Figure 8.26](#).
Confirm with **ENTER**
(or use **RESET** to cancel deletion)
- The switching period has been deleted. You will return now to the week program menu. The cursor is beside the first programmed period. See [Figure 8.27](#).
7. Scroll with **↓** to START OPERATION.
Confirm with **ENTER**.
The week program is active.



8.6 Extra period

8.6.1 Introduction

Use an extra period when you either want to have the water heater switch on and off for a certain period, either without modifying the active week program, or without taking the water heater out of OFF mode (frost protection active).

If the water heater is running under an 'extra period', then this is indicated in the display with the text EXTRA. See [Figure 8.28](#).

If the water temperature becomes too low during the extra period (see '[8.6.2 Programming an extra period](#)'), the water heater will run through the heating cycle (see '[7.4 The water heater's heating cycle](#)'), then fall back into the extra period.

The same settings can be made for an extra period as for a week program period. See paragraph '[8.5.3 Changing the water heater's standard week program](#)'.

```
EXTRA
10:00 Monday 76°C
MO 11:15 Tset 75°C
PERIOD ACTIVATED
```

Figure 8.28 Extra period active

8.6.2 Programming an extra period

Bring up the menu for entering an extra period via:

```
MENU
ON
← WEEK PROGRAM
→ EXTRA PERIOD
```

Figure 8.29 Extra period

1. EXTRA PERIOD

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The display show the settings for the extra period. See [Figure 8.30](#).

Setting the switch-on time

2. Use and to select the day desired. In the example this is SU.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to the hour digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.30](#).

3. Use and to set the switch-on hour to the desired value. In the example this is 08.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to the minute digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.31](#).



Remark

Because the switch-off time can never be earlier than the switch-on time, the switch-off time setting is automatically adjusted with the switch-on time.

```
ON SU+08:00
OFF SU 08:00
Tset 65°C
PUMP ON START
```

Figure 8.30 Setting switch-on hour for extra period

```
ON SU 08+15
OFF SU 08:15
Tset 65°C
PUMP ON START
```

Figure 8.31 Setting the switch-on minutes for extra period

```
ON SU 08:15
OFF SU+08:15
Tset 65°C
PUMP ON START
```

Figure 8.32 Setting switch-off hour for extra period

```
ON SU 08:15
OFF SU 12+15
Tset 65°C
PUMP ON START
```

Figure 8.33 Setting the switch-off minutes for extra period

4. Use and to set the minutes. In the example this is 15.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to the hour digits of the switch-off period. See [Figure 8.32](#).

Setting switch-off time

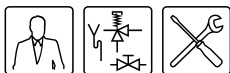
5. Use and to set the hour. In the example this is 12.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to the minute digits, which will blink. See [Figure 8.33](#).

6. Use and to set the minutes. In the example this is 45.

Confirm with **ENTER**.



```
ON   SU 08:15
OFF  SU 12:45
Tset →65°C
PUMP ON          SAVE
```

Figure 8.34 Setting water temperature for extra period

```
ON   SU 08:15
OFF  SU 12:45
Tset 75°C
PUMP →ON        START
```

Figure 8.35 Pump setting for extra period

```
ON   SU 08:15
OFF  SU 12:45
Tset 75°C
PUMP ON          →START
```

Figure 8.36 Saving extra period

The cursor moves to the water temperature. See [Figure 8.34](#).

Setting the water temperature

- Use **↑** and **↓** to set the water temperature. In the example this is 75°C. Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to PUMP ON. See [Figure 8.35](#).

Setting program-controlled pump

- If required, a pump can be controlled during the period. Use **↑** and **↓** to select PUMP ON. The pump ensures a regular circulation of hot water in the hot water pipes. You can skip this step if you there is no pump in your hot water circuit.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The cursor moves to START. See [Figure 8.36](#).

- Confirm with **ENTER**.

The extra period has been programmed.

Remark

Once the extra period has completed running, the controller returns to the mode ON, OFF or WEEK PROGRAM. The following week, the extra period will **NOT** be automatically switched on.

8.7 Settings

8.7.1 Introduction

Using the option **SETTINGS** you can adjust certain settings, and display certain water heater specifications. See [Table 8.1](#).

Table 8.1 Adjustable settings and displayable water heater specifications

Adjustable settings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Menu language • Current day of week, and time
Displayable water heater specifications This category is only relevant to the installer and/or service and maintenance engineer.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Regulation interval (water temperature). • Ignition speed of fan. • Running speed of fan.

8.7.2 Setting menu language

Bring up the menu for selecting the language via:

- ⏏**: **SETTINGS**.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The display shows the menu for settings. See [Figure 8.38](#).

- The cursor is positioned beside **LANGUAGE**

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The display shows the language selection menu. See [Figure 8.39](#).

```
MENU
WEEK PROGRAM
↑ EXTRA PERIOD
↵ →SETTINGS
```

Figure 8.37 Settings

```
SETTINGS
→LANGUAGE
↑ DAY/TIME
↓ SPECIFICATIONS
```

Figure 8.38 Language

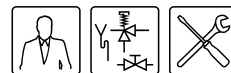


Figure 8.39 Language selection

8.7.3 Setting day and time

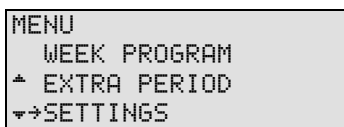


Figure 8.40 Settings

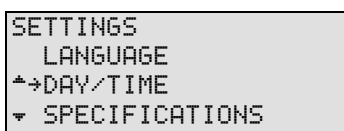


Figure 8.41 Day and time



Figure 8.42 Setting the day



Figure 8.43 Setting the hour

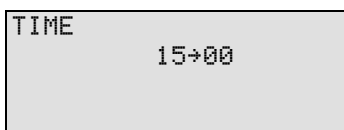


Figure 8.44 Setting the minutes

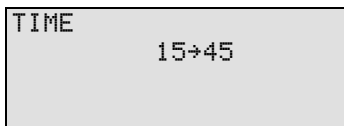


Figure 8.45 Setting the minutes

3. Scroll with **↓** to the desired language.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The language is set.

Bring up the menu for entering the day and time via:

1. : **SETTINGS**.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The display shows the menu for settings. See [Figure 8.38](#).

2. Scroll with **↑** and **↓** to **DAY/TIME**

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The display shows the sub-menu for selecting the day of the week. See [Figure 8.42](#).

3. The cursor is positioned beside **Sunday**.

Scroll with **↑** and **↓** to the desired day.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The day of the week has been set. The display shows the sub-menu for adjusting the time. See [Figure 8.43](#).

4. The cursor moves to the hour digits, which will blink.

Scroll with **↑** and **↓** to the current hour, for example 15.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

5. The cursor moves to the minute digits, which will blink.

Scroll with **↑** and **↓** to the next minute in time, for example 45.

Confirm the minute setting with **ENTER**.

The current time has been set.



Remark

The water heater takes no account of daylight saving.

8.7.4 Displaying water heater specifications



Remark

This category is only relevant to the installer and/or service and maintenance engineer.



Table 8.2 shows the standard water heater specifications.

Table 8.2 Water heater specifications

Water heater	Ignition speed of fan	Running speed of fan	Regulation interval
DR-FC 80	3480 rpm	6120 rpm	40-80 °C
DR-FC 95	3480 rpm	6540 rpm	40-80 °C

Bring up the menu to display the water heater specifications via:

1. : SETTINGS.

Confirm with **ENTER**.

```
MENU
WEEK PROGRAM
^ EXTRA PERIOD
v->SETTINGS
```

Figure 8.46 Main menu

```
SETTINGS
LANGUAGE
^ DAY/TIME
v->SPECIFICATIONS
```

Figure 8.47 Settings

```
SPECIFICATIONS
->REGULATION INTERVAL
^ IGNITION SPEED
v WORKING SPEED
```

Figure 8.48 Water heater specifications

```
REGULATION INTERVAL

40-80°C
```

Figure 8.49 Regulation interval

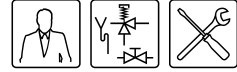
2. Scroll with **↓** to SPECIFICATIONS

Confirm with **ENTER**.

The display shows the sub-menu for displaying water heater specifications. See [Figure 8.48](#).

3. Scroll with **↓** to the section to be displayed, for example REGULATION INTERVAL.

The relevant display specification appears, see [Figure 8.49](#).





9 Service program

9.1 Introduction

```
SERVICE MENU
→HYSTERESE
^ HISTORIE OF ERRORS
▼ APPLIANCE HISTORY

SELECT APPLIANCE
PUMP RELAY
SERVICE INTERVAL
CONTRAST DISPLAY
TIME BACKLIGHT
SCROLLSPEED
```



Figure 9.1 Service program

The service program is used by the installer or service and maintenance engineer for:

- [Setting the hysteresis](#);
- [Displaying the error history](#);
- [Displaying the water heater history](#);
- [Display the selected water heater](#);
- [Setting the pump on/off](#);
- [Setting the service interval](#);
- [Setting the display contrast](#);
- [Setting the backlight time](#);
- [Setting the display scroll speed](#).

These sub-menus are briefly described in the following paragraphs. If you are not familiar in general with how to use the displays and menus, first read chapter '5 The control panel'.

Remark

The notation convention for the service menu is identical to that described in paragraph '8.2 Notational convention for menu-related instructions'. The difference is, you use  to bring up the service program, instead of  which brings up the main menu.


9.2 Setting the hysteresis

```
HYSTERESE UP  →3°C
```

Figure 9.2 Heating cycle upper limit

If the preset temperature (SETPOINT) is higher than the current water temperature, then the water heater might **not** immediately start the heating cycle (see chapter '7.4 The water heater's heating cycle'). To prevent excessively frequent switching on and off, there is a heating margin. We refer to this margin as the hysteresis. The standard setting for this margin is 2°C. The heating cycle starts if the water temperature drops to 2°C below the SETPOINT and ends when the water reaches 2°C above the SETPOINT.

Set the hysteresis via:

- : HYSTERESE UP
- [Figure 9.2](#) shows an example

Set the hysteresis via

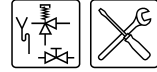
- : HYSTERESE DOWN

9.3 Displaying the error history

Display the error history via:

- : HISTORIE OF ERRORS

The controller will display an overview of 'Blocking errors' and 'Lock out errors'. In both cases, note that the control panel reserves 15 lines for the last 15 error messages. If there are less than 15 error messages, then an ellipsis (...) is displayed. The display first shows the 'Blocking errors'. When **ENTER** is pressed, the 'Lock out Errors' are then displayed.



```
HISTORIE OF ERRORS(B)
  S04 SENSOR ERROR
  F06 IONIZATION
  ▾ CO2 50 HZ ERROR
```

Figure 9.3 Blocking errors

```
HISTORIE OF ERRORS(L)
  F02: FAN
  F07: FLAME ERROR
  ▾ ...
```

Figure 9.4 Lock out errors

Figure 9.3 shows an example of 'Blocking errors'. In this case, the text HISTORIE OF ERRORS is followed by (B).

Figure 9.4 shows an example of the 'Lock out errors'. In this case, the text HISTORIE OF ERRORS is followed by (L).

Remark

For an overview of all errors and the possible causes, please refer to chapter '10 Troubleshooting'.

9.4 Displaying the water heater history

```
APPLIANCE HISTORY
  BURNINGHOURS 000410
  ▲IGNITIONS   001000
  ▾FLAME ERRORS 000021
  IGNIT ERROR  000013
```

Figure 9.5 service program

The water heater history sub-menu is used to display the burning hours, the number of ignitions, the number of flame errors, and the number of ignition errors.

Bring up the menu for displaying the water heater history via:

- : APPLIANCE HISTORY

Figure 9.5 shows an example.

9.5 Display the selected water heater

```
SELECT APPLIANCE
  →5934
  ▲ 8576
  ▾ 3379
  6527
  2331
  3908
  2510
  7767
```

Figure 9.6 Select water heater

Bring up the menu for displaying the water heater selection via:

- : SELECT APPLIANCE

The water heater selection has been correctly preset in the factory.

Figure 9.6 shows the related display.

9.6 Setting the pump on/off

```
PUMP RELAY
  →ON
  OFF
```

Figure 9.7 Pump relay

If a program-controlled pump is installed (installation, see paragraph 3.10.5) then this can be turned ON or OFF via:

- : PUMP RELAY

The standard setting for the pump relay is OFF.

Figure 9.7 shows the related display.

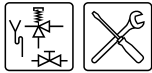
If the mode WEEK PROGRAM or EXTRA PERIOD is active, then the setting for mode WEEK PROGRAM or EXTRA PERIOD has priority over the ON/OFF selection for the pump relay in the service menu.

Example

One of the week program periods is currently active. The pump relay setting is OFF within this period. If the pump relay is set ON in the service menu, the pump will nonetheless remain OFF. The pump will only switch ON once the week program period has ended.

9.7 Setting the service interval

To aid servicing, the control panel has a service interval which defines the frequency of maintenance by the service and maintenance engineer based on the number of burning hours. Refer also to paragraph 11.2.



```
SERVICE INTERVAL
+ 500
▲ 1000 BURNING HOURS
▼ 1500
```

Figure 9.8 Service interval

9.8 Setting the display contrast

```
CONTRAST DISPLAY
+ 95 %
```

Figure 9.9 Display contrast

9.9 Setting the backlight time

```
TIME BACKLIGHT
+ 255 sec
```

Figure 9.10 Backlight time

9.10 Setting the display scroll speed

```
SCROLLSPEED
+ 10
```

Figure 9.11 Scroll speed

The service interval is based on the number of burning hours. This can be set to 500, 1000 and 1500 hours. The standard setting for number of hours is 500. Once the preset number of hours is reached, a message to this effect will appear. See paragraph '6.4 Service condition'.

Adjust the service interval via:

- : SERVICE INTERVAL

Figure 9.8 shows the related display.

Refer also to paragraph '11.2 Determining service interval'.

Adjust the display contrast via:

- : CONTRAST DISPLAY

The standard setting is 100%. The range is from 0 through 100%.

Figure 9.9 shows the related display.

Adjust the backlight time (the time that the display backlight stays lit after the last button is pressed) via:

- : TIME BACKLIGHT

The standard value is 255 sec. The range is from 0 through 255 seconds.

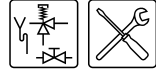
Figure 9.10 shows the related display.

Adjust the display scroll speed via:

- : SCROLLSPEED

The standard setting is 10. The range is from 0 through 100. Setting the value too high or low will make scrolling difficult.

Figure 9.11 shows the related display.





10 Troubleshooting

10.1 Introduction

A distinction is made between:

- **General errors**

General errors are not reported on the display. General errors are:

- Gas smell
- Display does not light up
- Insufficient or no hot water.
- Water leakage
- Explosive ignition

[Table 10.1](#) gives a troubleshooting overview for general errors.

- Anode protection error message

This message appears if the anode protection is not working correctly.

[Table 10.2](#) shows this message.

- **Displayed errors**

Errors are reported on the display, as follows:

- Line 1: An error code and its short description. The code is made up of a letter and two digits.
- Lines 2, 3 and 4: a long description, and a recommended action, alternating every 2 seconds. See [Figure 10.1](#) and [Figure 10.2](#).

```
S02: SENSOR ERROR
TOP TANK
SENSOR 1
NOT CONNECTED
```

Figure 10.1 Possible error

```
S02: SENSOR ERROR
TOP TANK
CHECK TOP TANK
SENSOR
```

Figure 10.2 Action

The displayed errors are divided into two groups:

There are various types of errors:

- LOCK OUT ERRORS

When the cause has been removed, these errors require a reset with the **RESET** button, before the water heater can resume running.


- BLOCKING ERRORS

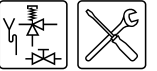
These errors disappear automatically once the cause of the error has been removed, after which the water heater resumes by itself.

[Table 10.3](#) gives a troubleshooting overview for the errors that appear on the display.

Remark






Footnotes referred to from within any table are shown at the bottom of the last page of that table.

 **Warning**
Maintenance may only be performed by a qualified service and maintenance engineer.



10.2 Troubleshooting table for general errors

Table 10.1 General errors (Sheet 1 of 3)

Symptom	Cause	Solution	Remark
Gas smell	Gas leak	 Warning Immediately close the main gas valve.	 Remark Immediately contact your installer or local gas company.
		 Warning Do not operate any switches.	
		 Warning No naked flames.	
		 Warning Ventilate the boiler room.	

Warning

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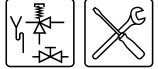


Table 10.1 General errors (Sheet 2 of 3)

Symptom	Cause	Solution	Remark
Display is off	Water heater is turned off	Start-up the water heater. See '7.2 Starting up'	
	No electric power present	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check whether the mains switch is ON. 2. Check that there is power to the mains switch. 3. Check whether the ON/OFF switch of the control panel is ON (position I). 4. Check whether there is power to the electrical connection block. 5. The measured voltage must be 230 VAC (-15%, +10%). 	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC'. If the error cannot be rectified, contact your installer.
	Defective fuse(s)	Replace fuse(s)	To replace the fuses you must contact your installer.
Water leakage	Leakage from one of the water connections (threaded).	Tighten the threaded connection.	If the leak persists, consult your installer.
	Condensation water leakage	Check that the condensation water discharge is working properly. Rectify if necessary.	
	Leakage from another nearby water heater or pipe segment.	Trace the leak.	
	Leakage from the water heater's tank.	Consult the supplier and/or manufacturer.	

Warning

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Table 10.1 General errors (Sheet 3 of 3)

Symptom	Cause	Solution	Remark
Explosive ignition	Incorrect supply pressure and/or burner pressure.	Set the correct supply pressure and/or burner pressure, see '3.11 Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure' .	If ignition is not improved, consult your installer.
	Contaminated burner	Clean the burner. See '12.4.2 Cleaning the burner'	
	Contaminated orifice.	Clean the orifice. See '12.4.3 Cleaning the orifice'	
Insufficient or no hot water.	Water heater is turned off.	Start-up the water heater. See '7.2 Starting up'	
	No electric power present.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check whether the mains switch is ON. 2. Check that there is power to the mains switch. 3. Check whether the ON/OFF switch of the control panel is ON (position I). 4. Check whether there is power to the electrical connection block. 5. The measured voltage must be 230 VAC (-15%, +10%). 	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC' . If the error cannot be rectified, contact your installer.
	Hot water supply is used up.	Reduce hot water consumption and give the water heater time to heat up.	If there continues to be insufficient or no hot water, consult your installer.
	The controller is in OFF mode.	Put the controller in ON mode, see '8.3 Switching into 'ON mode'' .	
	Temperature (T_{set}) is set too low.	Set temperature (T_{set}) to a higher value, see '8.4 Setting the water temperature' .	

Warning

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10.3 Troubleshooting table for anode protection

Table 10.2 Anode protection

Symptom	Cause	Solution	Remark
The display shows the text: !!! WARNING !!! POWER ANODE MALFUNCTION	Error in the anode circuit	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Check the anode connections.2. Check that the potentiostat is working properly.	See appendix ' A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC '

**Warning**

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**10.4 Troubleshooting table for displayed errors****Table 10.3** Displayed errors (Sheet 1 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
S01 (blocking error) Open circuit from temperature sensor T ₂ at bottom of tank.	Sensor is not (correctly) connected.	Connect the sensor lead to JP3.	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC'.
	Damaged wiring or Defective sensor.	Replace the sensor.	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S02 (blocking error) Open circuit from sensor 1 of temperature sensor T ₁ at the top of the tank ⁽¹⁾ .	Sensor is not (correctly) connected.	Connect the sensor lead to JP5.	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC'.
	Damaged wiring or Defective sensor.	Replace sensor T ₁ .	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S03 (blocking error) Open circuit from sensor 2 of temperature sensor T ₁ at the top of the tank ⁽¹⁾ .	Sensor is not (correctly) connected.	Connect the sensor lead to JP5.	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC'.
	Damaged wiring or Defective sensor.	Replace sensor T ₁ .	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S04 (blocking error) Open circuit from dummy 1.	Dummy is not (correctly) connected.	Connect the dummy sensor lead ⁽²⁾ to JP4.	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC'.
	Defective dummy.	Replace the dummy sensor.	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S05 (blocking error) Open circuit from dummy 2.	Dummy is not (correctly) connected.	Connect the dummy sensor lead ⁽³⁾ to JP4.	See appendix 'A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC'.
	Defective dummy.	Replace the dummy sensor.	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.

Warning

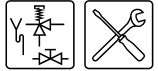
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**Table 10.3** Displayed errors (Sheet 2 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
S11 (blocking error) Short circuit from the temp. sensor T ₂ at the bottom of the tank.	Short circuit in the sensor circuit.	Replace sensor T ₂ .	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S12 (blocking error) Short circuit from sensor 1 of temperature sensor T ₁ at the top of the tank	Short circuit in the sensor circuit	Replace sensor T ₁ .	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S13 (blocking error) Short circuit from sensor 2 of temperature sensor T ₁ at the top of the tank	Short circuit in the sensor circuit	Replace sensor T ₁ .	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
S14 (blocking error) Short circuit from dummy 1	Short circuit in dummy circuit	Replace the dummy sensor(2)	To replace the dummy sensor you must contact your installer.
S15 (blocking error) Short circuit from dummy 2.	Short circuit in dummy circuit	Replace the dummy sensor(2)	To replace the dummy sensor you must contact your installer.

Warning

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**Table 10.3** Displayed errors (Sheet 3 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
F01 (blocking error) Defect in power supply circuit.	Phase and neutral swapped in error.	Connect the phase and the neutral correctly. The water heater is phase-sensitive. See ' 3.10 Electrical connections '.	See appendix ' A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC '.
	Condensation on the flame probe.	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Disconnect the lead at the flame probe.2. Ignite the water heater 3 times, with an interrupted ionisation circuit.3. Reconnect the ionisation lead to the flame probe.4. Ignite the water heater again5. The repeated ignition attempts will have caused the condensation to evaporate.	If errors become persistent, contact your installer.
	Floating neutral.	Install an isolating transformer. See ' 3.10.4 Isolating transformer '.	Contact your installer to have an isolating transformer installed.

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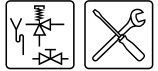
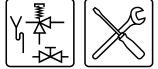


Table 10.3 Displayed errors (Sheet 4 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
F03 (lock out error) The pressure switch fails to work correctly.	Damaged wiring / Open circuit	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check the wiring between the pressure switch and the controller. 2. If necessary, replace the wiring. 	If the error cannot be resolved or is persistent, contact your installer. To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
	Pressure switch not closing.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check the running speed of the fan. See '8.7.4 Displaying water heater specifications'. 2. Check that the hoses on the pressure switch and the air supply hose between fan and burner are correctly fitted. Refit these if necessary. 3. Check the hoses on the pressure switch and the air supply hose between fan and burner for cracks. If necessary, replace the hoses. 4. Check whether the flue gas discharge is compliant with Table 3.7. 5. Check for blockage in the flue gas discharge. Remove any blockage that may be present. 6. Check for blockage in the condensation water discharge. Remove any blockage that may be present. 7. Measure the pressure differential across the pressure switch. See Table 12.1. If there is insufficient pressure differential, clean the heat exchanger. If the pressure differential is acceptable, check that the pressure switch is closing, using a multimeter. 	

**Warning**

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**Table 10.3** Displayed errors (Sheet 5 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
F04 (lock out error) Three unsuccessful ignition attempts.	No gas.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Open the main gas valve and/or the gas valve before the gas control. 2. Check supply pressure to the gas control. 3. If necessary, repair the gas supply. 	To repair the gas supply, contact your installer.
	Air in the gas pipes.	Bleed the air out of the gas pipe.	See '3.11 Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure' for how to bleed air from the gas line, and measure the supply pressure and burner pressure. To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
	No burner pressure.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check the burner pressure at the gas control. 2. Check that the gas valve(s) open and shut correctly. 3. If necessary, replace the gas control. 	
	Defect in the hot surface igniter circuit.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check that the hot surface igniter is correctly connected (JP2). 2. Check the wiring of the hot surface igniter. 3. Measure the resistance across the hot surface igniter. This must lie between 2 and 5 Ω 4. Check that the hot surface igniter lights up during ignition. 5. If necessary, replace the hot surface igniter. 	If the error persists, contact your installer. To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
	Defect in the ionisation circuit.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check that the flame probe is correctly connected (JP2). 2. Check the wiring of the flame probe. 3. Measure the ionisation current. This must be a minimum of 1.5 μA. 4. If necessary, replace the wiring. 	
	Supply voltage too low	Check the supply voltage to the water heater. This must be 230 VAC (+10% -15%).	

Warning

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Table 10.3 Displayed errors (Sheet 6 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
F05 (lock out error) Too many flame errors have been signalled.	Incorrect roof or wall flue terminal. Recirculating flue gases.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check that the correct roof or wall flue terminal has been fitted. See '3.9 Air supply and flue gas discharge'. 2. If necessary, install the correct roof or wall flue terminal. 3. Check that the roof or wall flue terminal discharges into a permitted area. 	If the error cannot be resolved or is persistent, contact your installer.
	Incorrect supply pressure and/or burner pressure.	Check the supply pressure and burner pressure '3.11 Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure'	
F06 (lock out error) Short circuit between flame probe and earth	Damaged cable in contact with metal surface.	Check the wiring of the flame probe. If necessary, replace the wiring.	If the error persists, contact your installer. To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
	Ceramic part of the flame probe is broken/ cracked.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check whether the ceramic part of the flame probe is still intact, in the vicinity of the air distribution plate of the burner. 2. If this is not the case, the flame probe must be replaced. 	
F07 (lock out error) A flame has been detected after the gas valve was closed.	Defective gas valves.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check whether there is still burner pressure present, after the gas valves have closed. 2. Check whether a flame is still present, after the gas valves have closed. 3. If this is the case, then the gas control must be replaced. 	If the error cannot be resolved or is persistent, contact your installer. To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
F08 (lock out error) Error message from safety relay.	Flame detection before gas valve opened.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reset control panel. 2. If the error appears again, replace the control panel. 	If the error cannot be resolved or is persistent, contact your installer. To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.

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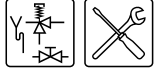


Table 10.3 Displayed errors (Sheet 7 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
F09 (lock out error) Water temperature protection.	Temperature at the top of the tank exceeds 93°C.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check that the circulation pump (if present) is working. 2. Check the position of the temperature sensor T₁. 3. Reset the water heater controller. <hr/> <p>Remark Error 'F09' remains active in the event that the water temperature during a reset was higher than 78 °C. If this is the case, first draw water off by opening the nearest hot water tap, so that cold water can flow in.</p>	If the error cannot be resolved or is persistent, contact your installer.
F10 (lock out error) Restriction on number of ignition attempts based on pressure switch state changes.	Pressure switch not closing.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check the running speed of the fan. See '8.7.4 Displaying water heater specifications'. 2. Check that the hoses on the pressure switch and the air supply hose between fan and burner are correctly fitted. Refit these if necessary. 3. Check for cracks in the hoses on the pressure switch and the air supply hose between fan and burner. If necessary, replace the hoses. 4. Check whether the flue gas discharge is compliant with Table 3.7. 5. Check for blockage in the flue gas discharge. Remove any blockage that may be present. 6. Check for blockage in the condensation water discharge. Remove any blockage that may be present. 7. Measure the pressure differential across the pressure switch. Table 12.1. If there is insufficient pressure differential, clean the heat exchanger. If the pressure differential is acceptable, check that the pressure switch is closing, using a multimeter. 	<p>If the error cannot be resolved or is persistent, contact your installer.</p> <p>To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.</p>

Warning

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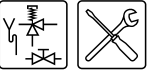


Table 10.3 Displayed errors (Sheet 8 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
F11 (lock out error) Flame detection with closed gas valve.	Defective gas valves.	See F07.	

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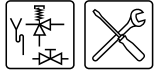


Table 10.3 Displayed errors (Sheet 9 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark	
C02 (lock out error) Error message from the water heater controller.	Incorrect reference voltage from the AD converter.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Reset the control panel. 2. Check that the frequency of the mains power complies with table 3.8. If this is not the case, contact your installer. 3. If the frequency is correct but the error persists, replace the control panel. 	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.	
	Internal error message from the water heater controller.			EEPROM read error.
				50 Hz error.
	Internal communication error			
Internal error message from the water heater controller.	Gas valve relay error.			
	Safety relay error.			
	Ignition relay error.			
	RAM error.			
	EEPROM error.			
	EEPROM contents do not match the software version.			
Processor software error.				

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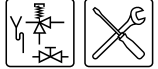



Table 10.3 Displayed errors (Sheet 10 of 10)

Code + Description	Possible cause	Solution	Remark
C04 (blocking error) Water heater selection error.	Incorrect water heater selection / Incorrect selection resistor.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check whether the correct water heater has been selected. See '9.5 Display the selected water heater'. 2. If the correct water heater is selected, fit the correct selection resistor. 3. If incorrect water heater selected, select the correct one. 	If the error does not disappear, you must contact your installer. To obtain a selection resistor, you must contact your installer.
E01 (blocking error) The temperature protection at the top of the tank has been activated.	The temperature of the water at the top of the tank is $> 85^{\circ}\text{C}$.	None. This is a temporary message that may appear from time to time, but will disappear automatically.	
E03 (blocking error) Error in temperature sensor T_1 at the top of the tank.	The temperature differential between the two temperature sensors in the tank is $\geq 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ over a period of 60 seconds or longer.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check sensor position and wiring. 2. Reset the control panel if necessary. Replace the sensor if the error persists. 	To replace the necessary parts, you must contact your installer.
E04 (blocking error) Error in the dummy sensor ⁽²⁾ .	The two dummy sensors detect a differential of $\geq 10^{\circ}\text{C}$ over a period of 60 seconds or longer.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Check leads from dummy 1 and dummy 2. 2. Reset control panel if necessary. Replace the dummy sensor if the error persists. 	To replace the dummy sensor you must contact your installer.

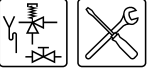
1. Temperature sensor T_1 is a '2 in 1' sensor, T_1 contains 2 NTCs for the high-limit thermostat and safety thermostat protection.

2. The dummy sensor comprises dummy sensor 1 and dummy sensor 2

3. The dummy sensor comprises dummy sensor 1 and dummy sensor 2

 **Warning**

Maintenance may only be performed by a qualified service and maintenance engineer.





11 Maintenance frequency

11.1 Introduction

A service should be carried out at least once a year, both on the water side and on the gas side. Maintenance frequency depends, among other things, on the water quality, the average burning time per day and the set water temperature.

Remark

Regular maintenance extends the service life of the water heater.

Remark

To determine the correct maintenance frequency, it is recommended to arrange for the service and maintenance engineer to check the water heater on both the water and gas side, three months after installation. Based on this check, the best maintenance frequency can be determined.

11.2 Determining service interval

To aid servicing, the control panel has a service interval which defines the frequency of maintenance by the service and maintenance engineer based on the number of burning hours.

The service interval can be set to: 500, 1000 or 1500 burning hours. The standard setting is 500 burning hours.

Example

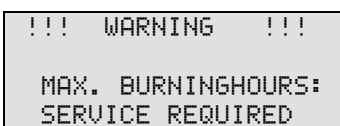
In the first three months, the water heater has burnt 300 hours. During maintenance, it is evident that one service per year will be sufficient. So after one year, some 1200 burning hours will have elapsed. The first value below 1200 hours that can be selected is 1000 burning hours.

In this case, the service and maintenance engineer sets the interval to 1000.

Example

In the first three months, the water heater has burnt 300 hours. During maintenance, it is evident (perhaps due to the water quality) that service will be required at least once every 6 months. So after six months, some 600 burning hours will have elapsed. The first value below 600 hours that can be selected is 500 burning hours.

In this case, the service and maintenance engineer sets the interval to 500.



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!!! WARNING !!!
MAX. BURNINGHOURS:
SERVICE REQUIRED
```

Figure 11.1 Service required

Once the set number of burning hours has elapsed, the message **SERVICE REQUIRED** will appear on the display. See [Figure 11.1](#). Soon after the message appears, contact should be made with the service and maintenance engineer.





12 Maintenance

12.1 Introduction



Note

Maintenance may only be carried out by an approved service and maintenance engineer.

At each service, the water heater undergoes maintenance both on the water side and on the gas side. The maintenance should be carried out in the following order.

1. [Preparation for maintenance](#);
2. [Water-side maintenance](#);
3. [Gas-side maintenance](#);
4. [Finalising maintenance](#).



Remark

Before ordering spare parts, take a moment to write down the water heater type and model, and the full serial number of the water heater. Only by ordering with this information can you be sure to receive the correct spare parts. These details can be found on the rating plate.

12.2 Preparation for maintenance

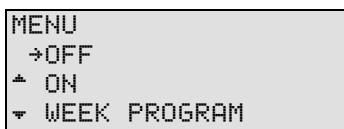


Figure 12.1 Main menu

To test whether all components are still working properly, you should complete the following steps:

1. Activate the MENU with
2. Use and to position the cursor beside OFF. See [Figure 12.1](#).
3. Confirm OFF with **ENTER**.
4. Wait until the fan has stopped. The



Note

Failure to wait until the fan stops can cause damage to the water heater.



Figure 12.2 Control panel

5. Turn the water heater **OFF (position 0)** using the ON/OFF switch on the control panel. See [Figure 12.2](#).
6. Turn the control panel **ON** by setting the O/I switch to **position I**.

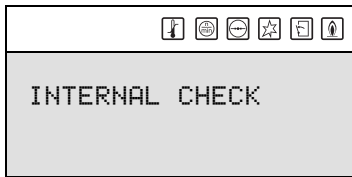


Figure 12.3 Internal check



Figure 12.4 Main menu

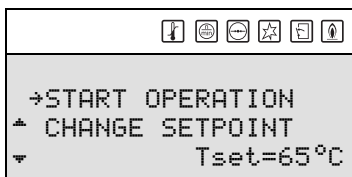


Figure 12.5 Starting up

The display will now show **INTERNAL CHECK** for about 10 seconds, then go to the main menu.

7. Activate the 'ON mode' by going through the following steps:
 - Press once on the DOWN button (↓) to position the cursor beside **ON**, then press **ENTER**. The display shown in figure [Figure 12.5](#) will appear.
 - Confirm with **ENTER** the option **START OPERATION**.
8. If there is no heat demand, increase T_{set} . See paragraph ['8.4 Setting the water temperature'](#) (take note of the original setting) and draw off some water to create a heat demand.
9. Check whether the heating cycle runs correctly. See paragraph ['7.4 The water heater's heating cycle'](#).
10. If you adjusted T_{set} , return the setting to the original value. See paragraph ['8.4 Setting the water temperature'](#).
11. Remove the cover on the top side of the water heater.
12. Check the supply and burner pressures and adjust these, where necessary. See paragraph ['3.11 Checking the supply pressure and burner pressure'](#).
13. Check that all components of the flue gas system are properly attached.
14. Check the pressure differential across the orifice plate of the pressure switch. See [Table 12.1](#). If the pressure differential is too low, then the heat exchanger should be cleaned. See paragraph ['12.5 Finalising maintenance'](#).

Table 12.1 Pressure switch differential

Water heater	Observed pressure differential across the pressure switch (Pa)
DR-FC 80	≥ 395
DR-FC 95	≥ 525

15. Test the operation of the expansion valve of the cold supply setup. The water should spurt out.
16. Test the overflow operation of the T&P valve. The water should spurt out.
17. Check the drain pipes from the discharge points of any valves and remove any lime buildup that may be present.
18. Drain the water heater. See paragraph ['4.3 Draining the water heater'](#).



12.3 Water-side maintenance

12.3.1 Introduction

The following steps should be carried out on the water side:

1. [Checking the anodes.](#)
2. [Descaling and cleaning the heater.](#)
3. [Cleaning condensation water discharge.](#)

12.3.2 Checking the anodes

In principle, the electrical low-maintenance anodes should never need inspection. The diameter of these anodes is approximately 4 mm. While in use, this diameter remains constant. The anodes are fitted with a plastic sheath, to prevent short circuiting with the tank.

12.3.3 Descaling and cleaning the heater

Scale and lime buildup prevent effective conduction of the heat to the water. Periodic descaling prevents buildup of these deposits. This increases the service life of the water heater, and also improves the heating process. Take the rate of scale formation into account when deciding on maintenance frequency.

1. Remove the cover plate **1** on the outer jacket. See [Figure 12.6](#).
2. Undo the bolts.
3. Remove the cover and the gasket.
4. Inspect the tank and remove any contamination.
5. Remove the scale using a suitable chemical cleaner.
6. Close the cleaning opening.
Use a new rubber gasket for this.

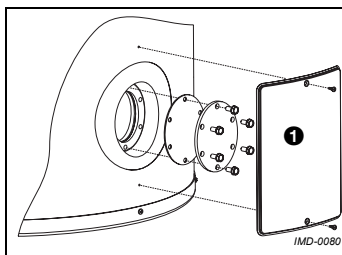


Figure 12.6 Cleaning opening

12.3.4 Cleaning condensation water discharge

To prevent blockages, it is essential to clean the condensation water discharge and siphon.



12.4 Gas-side maintenance

12.4.1 Introduction

The following steps should be carried out on the gas side:

1. [Cleaning the burner.](#)
2. [Cleaning the orifice.](#)
3. [Finalising maintenance.](#)

12.4.2 Cleaning the burner

1. Detach the burner.
2. Remove all contamination present on the burner.
3. Fit the burner.

12.4.3 Cleaning the orifice

1. Detach the orifice.
2. Remove all contamination present in the orifice.
3. Fit the orifice.

12.4.4 Cleaning heat exchanger

1. Detach the burner.
2. Clean the combustion chamber of the heat exchanger using a vacuum cleaner and a soft brush.
3. Detach the flue gas discharge.
4. Clean the end of the heat exchanger using tap water.
5. Fit the burner.
6. Fit the flue gas discharge.



Remark

Check the pressure differential again after cleaning. If the pressure differential is too low following cleaning, please contact the supplier of the water heater.

12.5 Finalising maintenance

To finalise the maintenance carry out the following steps:

1. Fill the water heater. See paragraph '[4.2 Filling the water heater](#)'.
2. Start-up the water heater. See '[7.2 Starting up](#)'.
3. Remove the SERVICE REQUIRED message. Do this by: pressing **RESET** once, followed by **ENTER** once.

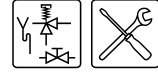


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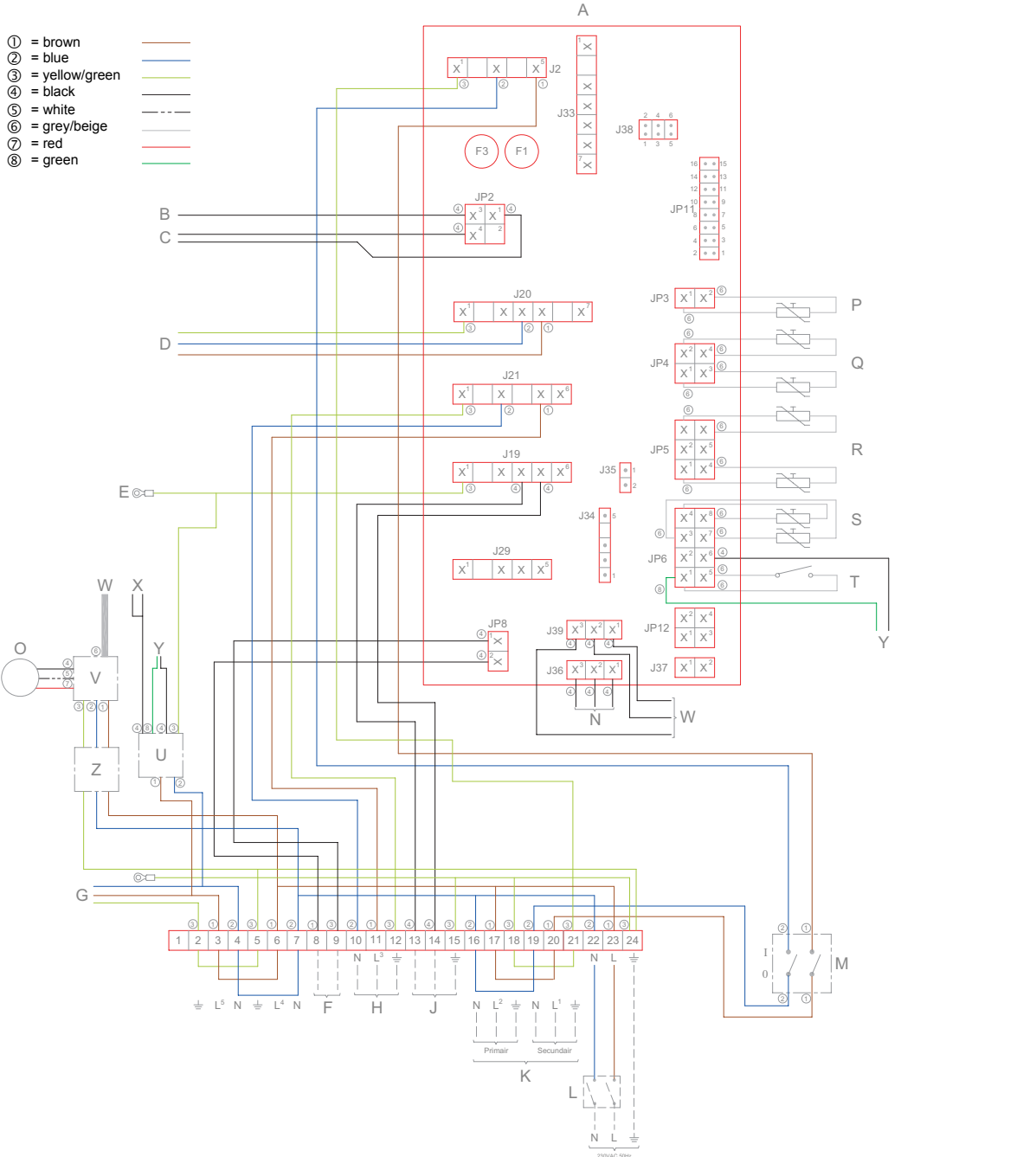
A.1 Introduction

This appendix contains:

- The [Electrical diagram DR-FC](#).
- A [Week program card](#).



A.2 Electrical diagram DR-FC



TERMINAL STRIP CONNECTIONS:

- ⊕ Earth
- N Neutral
- L Phase input of controller
- L¹ Phase output of isolating transformer (secondary side)
- L² Phase input of isolating transformer (primary side)
- L³ Phase input of program-controlled pump
- L⁴ Phase input of frequency controller
- L⁵ Phase input of continuous pump

COMPONENTS:

- A Controller
- B Flame probe
- C Hot surface igniter
- D Gas control valve
- E Burner earth connection
- G External ON mode switch
- F Heater circulation pump

TERMINAL STRIP CONNECTIONS (continued):

- H Program-controlled pump
- J External error signal
- K Isolating transformer
- L Double-pole local isolator
- M Controller ON/OFF switch
- N Display/Flat cable
- O Fan
- P Temperature sensor (T2 - bottom of heater)
- Q Dummy
- R Temperature sensor (T1 - top of heater)
- S Selection resistor
- T Pressure switch
- U Potentiostat
- V Frequency controller
- W RS-485 Interface
- X Electric anodes
- Y Signaling for electric anodes
- Z Mains choke and EMC filter

CONTROLLER CONNECTIONS:

- J2 Connector for power supply to controller
- J19 Connector for external error signal
- J20 Connector for gas control
- J21 Connector for program-controlled pump
- J36 Connector for display to controller
- J39 Connector for fan control signal
- JP2 Connector for flame probe and hot surface igniter
- JP3 Connector for temperature sensor T2
- JP4 Connector for dummy
- JP5 Connector for temperature sensor T1
- JP6 Connector for selection resistor, pressure switch and anode signaling
- JP8 Connector for extra ON mode switch
- F1 Fuse
- F3 Fuse

Figure A.1 Electrical diagram DR-FC

A.3 Week program card

You can fill-in the week program card, cut it out and keep it near the water heater.



Period	DAY	TIME	Tset	Pump
1.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
2.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
3.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
4.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
5.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
6.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
7.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
8.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
9.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
10.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			
11.	ON		.... °C	ON / OFF
	OFF			

Example

Period	DAY	TIME	Tset	Pump
1.	ON	Monday	70 °C	ON / OFF
	OFF	Monday		

Period	DAY	TIME	Tset	Pump	
				ON	OFF
12.			.... °C	ON	OFF
13.			.... °C	ON	OFF
14.			.... °C	ON	OFF
15.			.... °C	ON	OFF
16.			.... °C	ON	OFF
17.			.... °C	ON	OFF
18.			.... °C	ON	OFF
19.			.... °C	ON	OFF
20.			.... °C	ON	OFF
21.			.... °C	ON	OFF

