



Boiler Manual



- Installation
- Start-up



Please read before proceeding

Installer

WARNING

Read all instructions before installing. Follow all instructions in proper order to prevent personal injury or death.

- Consider **piping and installation** when determining boiler location.
- Any claims for damage or shortage in shipment must be filed immediately against the transportation company by the consignee.

User

- This manual is for use only by your qualified heating installer/service technician.
- Please refer to the User's Information Manual for your reference.
- We recommend regular service by a qualified service technician, at least annually.

NOTICE

When calling or writing about the boiler— Please have the boiler model number from the boiler rating label and the CP number from the boiler jacket. You may list the CP number in the space provided on the **Installation and service certificate** found on page 33.

WARNING

Failure to adhere to the guidelines on this page can result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

When servicing boiler —

- To avoid electric shock, disconnect electrical supply before performing maintenance.
- To avoid severe burns, allow boiler to cool before performing maintenance.

Boiler operation —

- Do not block flow of combustion or ventilation air to boiler.
- Should overheating occur or gas supply fail to shut off, do not turn off or disconnect electrical supply to circulator. Instead, shut off the gas supply at a location external to the appliance.
- Do not use this boiler if any part has been under water. Immediately call a qualified service technician to inspect the boiler and to replace any part of the control system and any gas control that has been under water.

Boiler water —

- Do not use petroleum-based cleaning or sealing compounds in boiler system. Water seal deterioration will occur, causing leakage between sections. This can result in substantial property damage.
- Do not use "homemade cures" or "boiler patent medicines". Serious damage to boiler, personnel

and/or property may result.

- Continual fresh makeup water will reduce boiler life. Mineral buildup in sections reduces heat transfer, overheats cast iron, and causes section failure. Addition of oxygen and other gases can cause internal corrosion. Leaks in boiler or piping must be repaired at once to prevent makeup water.
- Do not add cold water to hot boiler. Thermal shock can cause sections to crack.

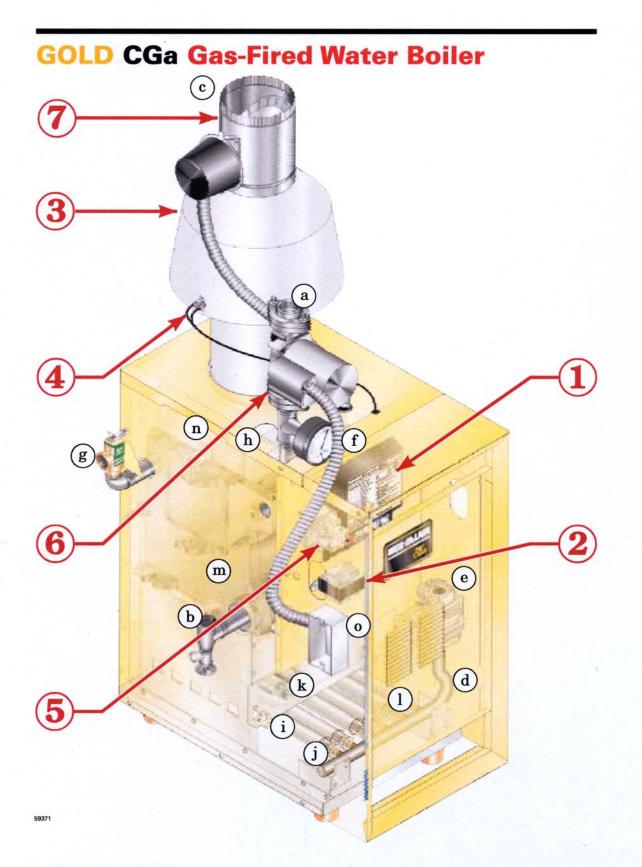
Glycol — potential fire hazard —

All glycol is flammable when exposed to high temperatures. If glycol is allowed to accumulate in or around the boiler or any other potential ignition source, a fire can develop. In order to prevent potential severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage from fire and/or structural damage:

- Never store glycol of any kind near the boiler or any potential ignition source.
- Monitor and inspect the system and boiler regularly for leakage. Repair any leaks immediately to prevent possible accumulation of glycol.
- Never use automotive antifreeze or ethylene glycol in the system. Using these glycols can lead to hazardous leakage of glycol in the boiler system.

Boiler Manual







How it works . . .

1 Control module

The control module (used on **spark-ignited pilot boilers**) responds to signals from the room thermostat and boiler limit circuit to operate the boiler circulator, pilot burner, gas valve and vent damper. When room thermostat calls for heat, the control module starts the system circulator and activates the vent damper (causing it to drive open).

When the vent damper has opened completely, the control module opens the pilot valve and activates pilot ignition spark.

The control module allows up to 15 seconds to establish pilot flame. If flame is not sensed within 15 seconds, the control module will turn off the gas valve, flash the Flame light, and immediately start a new cycle. This will continue indefinitely until pilot flame is established or power is interrupted. Once pilot flame is proven, the control module opens the gas valve to allow main burner flame.

When the room thermostat is satisfied, the control module turns off the gas valve and deactivates the vent damper (causing it to close).

The control module indicator lights show normal sequence when the lights are on steady. When a problem occurs, the control module flashes combinations of lights to indicate the most likely reason for the problem. See page 52 for details.

Standing pilot boilers (controls not shown) use the pilot thermocouple to prove flame. If the thermocouple is satisfied, the gas valve and vent damper will open on a call for heat and close afterwards.

2) Transformer

The control transformer reduces line voltage to 24 volts for the gas valve and limit circuit.

B Draft hood

The draft hood provides a minimum draft for the boiler, assuring adequate air for combustion if installed in accordance with manual and not modified in any way.

Spill switch

The spill switch will shut down the boiler (requiring manual reset of the switch reset button) if the vent system becomes blocked.



Water temperature limit switch

The water temperature limit switch turns off the gas valve if the temperature in the boiler goes above its setting. (The circulator will continue to run as long as there is a call for heat.)

Boiler circulator

The boiler circulator circulates water through the external (system) piping. The circulator is shipped loose, and can be mounted on either the boiler supply or return piping. The factory-installed circulator wiring harness provides ample length for either location. **NOTE** — The control module provides a pump exercising routine. If the boiler is not operated for 30 days, the control module will power the circulator for 30 seconds, then turn off.



Vent damper

The vent damper closes during off cycles to reduce heat loss from the house up the vent.

Other boiler components:

- **a** supply to system
- **b** return from system
- **c** flue outlet
- **d** burner manifold
- e gas valve

- **f** pressure/temperature gauge**g** relief valve
- **h** air vent connection
- i flame rollout switch
- **j** burner orifice

- **k** pilot burner, typical
- 1 stainless steel burners
- **m** cast iron boiler sections
- **n** flue collector
- o junction box

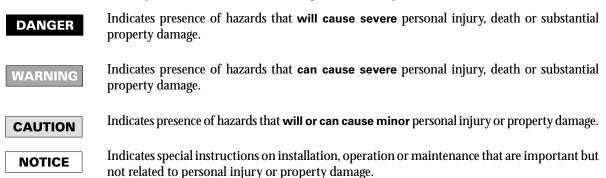


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Hazard definitions

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



1a Prepare boiler location — codes & checklist

Installations must follow these codes:

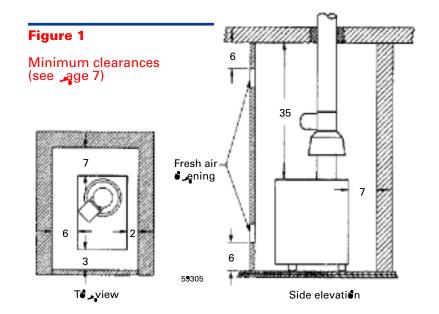
- Local, state, provincial, and national codes, laws, regulations and ordinances.
- National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1-latest edition.
- Standard for Controls and Safety Devices for Automatically Fired Boilers, ANSI/ASME CSD-1, when required.

Before locating the boiler, check the following:

- Check for nearby connection to:
 - System water piping
 - Venting connections
 - Gas supply piping
 - Electrical power
- Check area around boiler. Remove any combustible materials, gasoline and other flammable liquids.

Failure to keep boiler area clear and free of combustible materials, gasoline and other flammable liquids and vapors can result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

- National Electrical Code.
- For Canada only: B149.1 or B149.2 Installation Code, CSA C22.1 Canadian Electrical Code Part 1 and any local codes.
- Boiler must be installed so that gas control system components are protected from dripping or spraying water or rain during operation or service.
- If new boiler will replace existing boiler, check for and correct system problems, such as:
 - 1. System leaks causing oxygen corrosion or section cracks from hard water deposits.
 - 2. Incorrectly-sized expansion tank.
 - 3. Lack of antifreeze in boiler water causing system and boiler to freeze and leak.



WARNING



1b Prepare boiler location — clearances

Service clearances

1. Provide the following clearances for cleaning and servicing the boiler and for access to controls and components:

Clearance from:	Minimum
Top (for cleaning flueways)	35"
Front (for access to controls and components)	18"
Back	7"
Left side (for cleaning and servicing)	24"
Right side	7"

 Provide at least screwdriver clearance to jacket front panel screws for removal of front panel for inspection and minor service. If unable to provide at least screwdriver clearance, install unions and shutoff valves in system so boiler can be moved for servicing.

Flooring and foundation

Flooring

The CGa boiler is approved for installation on combustible flooring, but must never be installed on carpeting.

WARNING

Do not install boiler on carpeting even if foundation is used. Fire can result, causing severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

Foundation

- 1. Provide a solid brick or minimum 2-inch thick concrete foundation pad if any of the following is true:
 - floor can become flooded.
 - the boiler mounting area is not level.
- 2. The minimum foundation size is:

Boiler model	Minimum foundation length 25" Minimum foundatio width	
CGa-25	25"	12"
CGa-3	25"	12"
CGa-4	25"	15"
CGa-5	25"	18"
CGa-6	25"	21"
CGa-7	25"	24"
CGa-8	25"	27"

Residential garage installation Take the following special precautions when installing

the boiler in a residential garage. If the boiler is located in a residential garage, per ANSI Z223.1, paragraph 5.1.9:

- Mount the boiler a minimum of **18 inches above the floor** of the garage to assure the burner and ignition devices will be no less than **18** inches above the floor.
- Locate or **protect the boiler** so it cannot be damaged by a moving vehicle.

Small space installations

 Provide the following clearances to combustible material for small space installations. (See Figure 1, page 6):

Clearance from combustible materials (closet installations):	Minimum
Top (for cleaning flueways)	35"
Front (provide means of access)	3"
Back	7"
Left side (provide means of access)	6"
Right side	2"

- 2. Hot water pipes must be at least 1/2" from combustible material.
- 3. **Single-wall vent pipe** must be **at least 6 inches** from combustible material.
- 4. **Type B double-wall metal vent pipe** refer to vent manufacturer's recommendation for clearances to combustible material.



IC Prepare boiler location — vent system

WARNING

Failure to follow all instructions can result in flue gas spillage and carbon monoxide emissions, causing severe personal injury or death.

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severe personal injury or death. Do not alter boiler draft hood or place any obstruction or non-approved vent damper in breeching or vent system.

Inspect existing chimney before installing boiler. Failure to clean or replace perforated pipe or tile lining will cause

CSA certification will become void. Flue gas spillage and carbon monoxide emissions will occur causing severe personal injury or death.

When removing boiler from existing common vent system:

At the time of removal of an existing boiler, the following steps shall be followed with each appliance remaining connected to the common venting system placed in operation, while the other appliances remaining connected to the common venting system are not in operation.

- a. **Seal any unused openings** in the common venting system.
- b. Visually inspect the venting system for proper size and horizontal pitch and determine there is no blockage or restriction, leakage, corrosion or other deficiencies which could cause an unsafe condition.
- c. **Test vent system** Insofar as is practical, close all building doors and windows and all doors between the space in which the appliances remaining connected to the common venting system are located and other spaces of the building. Turn on clothes dryers and any appliance not connected to the common venting system. Turn on any exhaust fans, such as range hoods and bathroom exhausts, so they will operate at maximum speed. Do not operate a summer exhaust fan. Close fireplace dampers.
- d. **Place in operation** the appliance being inspected. Follow the lighting/operating instructions. Adjust thermostat so appliance will operate continuously.
- e. **Test for spillage** at draft hood relief opening after 5 minutes of main burner operation. Use the flame of a match or candle.
- f. After it has been determined that **each appliance** remaining connected to the common venting system properly vents when tested as outlined above, return doors, windows, exhaust fans, fireplace dampers, and any other gas-burning appliance to their previous conditions of use.

Any improper operation of common venting system should be corrected so the installation conforms with the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1-latest edition. Correct by resizing to approach the minimum size as determined using the appropriate tables in Part 11 of that code. Canadian installations must comply with B149.1 or B149.2 Installation Code.

Chimney or vent requirements

- 1. Venting must be installed according to Part 7, Venting of Equipment, of National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1-latest edition and applicable building codes. Canadian installations must comply with B149.1 or B149.2 Installation Codes.
- 2. See Ratings table on page 67 for minimum chimney or vent sizes. A chimney or vent without a listed cap should extend at least 3 feet above the highest point where it passes through a roof of a building and at least 2 feet higher than any portion of a building within a horizontal distance of 10 feet. A chimney or vent must not extend less than the distances stated above.
- 3. A lined chimney is preferred and must be used when required by local, state, provincial and national codes, laws, regulations and ordinances. Vitreous tile linings with joints that prevent retention of moisture and linings made of noncorrosive materials are best. Advice for flue connections and chimney linings can be obtained from local gas utility. **Type B** double-wall metal vent pipe or single-wall vent pipe may be used as a liner.
- 4. Cold masonry chimneys, also known as outside chimneys, typically have one or more walls exposed to outside air. When any atmospheric gas-fired boiler with automatic vent damper is vented through this type of chimney, the potential exists for condensation to occur. Condensation can damage a masonry chimney. Weil-McLain recommends the following to prevent possible damage.
 - a. Line chimney with corrosion-resistant metal liner such as AL29-4C[®] single-wall stainless steel or B-vent. Size liner per National Fuel Gas Code ANSI Z223.1-latest edition.
 - b. Provide drain trap to remove any condensate.
- 5. Where two or more gas appliances vent into a common chimney or vent, equivalent area should be **at least equal** to area of vent outlet on largest appliance **plus 50 percent** of vent outlet area on additional appliance.



1d Prepare boiler location — air contamination

Please review the following information on potential combustion air contamination problems.

Refer to **Table 1** for products and areas which may cause contaminated combustion air.

WARNING

To prevent potential of severe personal injury or death, check for products or areas listed below before installing boiler. If any of these contaminants are found:

• remove contaminants permanently

– OR –

• isolate boiler and provide outside combustion air. See national, provincial or local codes for further information.

Table 1 Corrosive contaminants and likely locations

Products to avoid	Areas likely to have contaminants
Spray cans containing chloro/fluorocarbons	Dry cleaning/laundry areas and establishments
Permanent wave solutions	Swimming pools
Chlorinated waxes/cleaners	Metal fabrication plants
Chlorine-based swimming pool chemicals	Beauty shops
Calcium chloride used for thawing	Refrigeration repair shops
Sodium chloride used for water softening	Photo processing plants
Refrigerant leaks	Auto body shops
Paint or varnish removers	Plastic manufacturing plants
Hydrochloric acid/muriatic acid	Furniture refinishing areas and establishments
Cements and glues	New building construction
Antistatic fabric softeners used in clothes dryers	Remodeling areas
Chlorine-type bleaches, detergents, and cleaning solvents found in household laundry rooms	Garages with workshops
Adhesives used to fasten building products and other similar products	



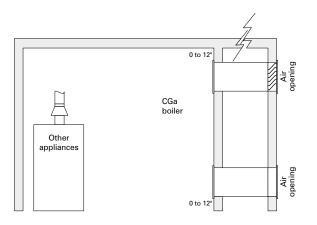
Special considerations

Tight construction

ANSI Z223.1 defines unusually tight construction where:

- a. Walls and ceilings exposed to the outside atmosphere have a continuous water vapor retarder with a rating of 1 perm or less with openings gasketed, and ...
- b. Weather-stripping has been added on openable windows and doors, and . . .
- c. Caulking or sealants are applied to areas such as joints around windows and door frames, between sole plates and floors, between wall-ceiling joints, between wall panels, at penetrations for plumbing, electrical, and gas lines, and in other openings.

For buildings with such construction, provide air openings into the building from outside, sized per the appropriate case in **Figure 3** if appliances are to use inside air for combustion and ventilation.





2a Prepare boiler – placement and setup

Place boiler/crate near position

- 1. Leave boiler in crate and on pallet until installation site is ready.
- 2. Move entire crate and pallet next to selected location.
- 3. Remove crate. Leave boiler on pallet.
- 4. Remove boiler from pallet as follows:
 - a. Tilt left side of boiler up and place a board under left legs.
 - b. Tilt boiler the other way and place a board under right legs.
 - c. Slide boiler backwards off pallet and into position.

NOTICE

Do not drop boiler or bump jacket on floor or pallet. Damage to boiler can result.

- 5. Check level.
 - a. Shim legs, if necessary.
 - b. Do not alter legs.

Inspect orifices and burners

- 1. Remove front jacket door. Remove base access panel (See Figure 32, item 4, page 62).
- Check for correctly-sized manifold orifices. See Table
 2 below for sizing. (The orifice size is stamped on the orifice spud barrel.)

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Correctly-sized manifold orifices must be used. Failure to do so will result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

3. Level and straighten burners.

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Burners must be properly seated in slots in burner rest with their openings face up. Main burner orifices must inject down center of burner. Failure to properly seat burners will result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

4. Reinstall access panel.

CAUTION

Do not operate boiler without access panel secured in place. Failure to comply could cause momentary flame rollout on ignition of main flame, resulting in possible fire or personal injury hazard.

Orifice replacement procedure (when required)

- 1. Remove access panel.
- 2. On gas manifold, mark location of main burner with attached pilot assembly.
- 3. Remove main burner with attached pilot assembly from manifold. Remove all remaining burners.
- 4. Remove and discard all main burner orifices in gas manifold.
- 5. Apply a small amount of pipe dope to each of the new orifices and install in the manifold. Make sure the orifices are aligned correctly, not cross-threaded in the manifold tappings.

WARNING Dise on propan

- Use only pipe dope compatible with propane gas, even if boiler is to be operated on natural gas. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.
- 6. Reinstall main burner with attached pilot assembly at location marked on gas manifold. Reinstall all remaining burners.
- 7. Follow check-out procedure, section **7**, page 33.

Location	Natural gas		ocation Natural gas Propane gas		ne gas
	0-2,000 ft	over 2,000 ft	0-2,000 ft	over 2,000 ft	
U. S.	2.00 mm	(Note 1)	1.30 mm	(Note 1)	
Canada	0-2,000 ft	2,000-4,500	0-2,000 ft	2,000-4,500	
Canada	2.00 mm	1.90 mm	1.30 mm	1.20 mm	

Table 2 Manifeld Striftce sizing



Perform hydrostatic pressure test

Pressure test boiler **before** attaching water or gas piping or electrical supply (except as noted below).

Prepare boiler for test

- Remove the shipping nipple (from CGa supply tapping) and remove the boiler relief valve. Temporarily plug the relief valve tapping with a ³/₄" NPT pipe plug.
- Remove 1¼" nipple, reducing tee and drain valve from accessory bag. Install in boiler return connection as shown on page 3 or in Figure 34, item 3, page 64. Install circulator on either the return or supply.
- Remove 1¼" nipple, 1¼" tee, bushing and pressure/ temperature gauge from accessory bag. Pipe to boiler supply connection as shown in Figure 34, page 64. (Use pipe dope sparingly.)
- 4. Connect a hose to boiler drain valve, the other end connected to a fresh water supply. Make sure hose can also be used to drain boiler after test.
- 5. Connect a nipple and shutoff valve to system supply connection on the 1¹/₄" tee. This valve will be used to bleed air during the fill. (Valve and nipple are not included with boiler.)
- 6. Connect a nipple and shutoff valve to system return connection (at circulator flange if circulator installed on return). This valve will be used to bleed air during the fill. (Valve and nipple are not included with boiler.)

Fill and pressure test

- 1. Open the shutoff valves you installed on supply and return connections.
- 2. Slowly open boiler drain valve and fresh water supply to fill boiler with water.

- 3. When water flows from shutoff valves, close boiler drain valve.
- 4. Close shutoff valves.
- 5. Slowly reopen boiler drain valve until test pressure of not more than 45 psi is reached on the pressure/ temperature gauge.
- 6. Test at no more than **45 psi for no more than 10** minutes.

WARNING

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- **Do not leave boiler unattended**. A cold water fill could expand and cause excessive pressure, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.
- 7. Make sure constant gauge pressure has been maintained throughout test. Check for leaks. Repair if found.

Leaks must be repaired at once. Failure to do so can damage boiler, resulting in substantial property damage.

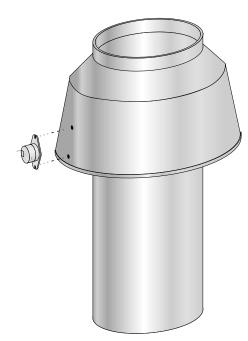
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Drain and remove fittings

- 1. Disconnect fill water hose from water source.
- 2. Drain boiler at drain valve or out hose, whichever provides best access to drain. Remove hose after draining if used to drain boiler.
- 3. Remove nipples and valves unless they will remain for use in the system piping.
- 4. Remove plug from relief valve tapping. See Section **3** to replace relief valve.

GOLD CGa Gas-Fired Water Boiler







Prepare boiler — vent damper installation

NOTICE

WARNING

These systems are used on gas-fired boilers with vent dampers as shipped from factory. Boiler will not operate without vent damper installed.

Only vent dampers listed in the **Replacement** parts list on page 61 are certified for use with CGa boilers. Any other vent damper installed could cause severe personal injury or death.

Damper blade

Standing pilot ignition systems — Refer to vent manufacturer's instructions to install plug (shipped with damper) in damper hole. For standing pilot boilers only, install plug with ³/₈" diameter hole in vent damper hole.

Spark-ignited pilot systems— Refer to vent manufacturer's instructions to install plug (shipped with damper) in damper hole. For spark-ignited pilot boilers only, install **plug with no hole** in veper

Figure 8 Vent dam Jer assemblies

- 4. Read and apply the harness plug warning label (shown above) so that it is visible after installation.
- 5. Plug damper harness receptacle into damper harness plug.



Bypassing (jumpering) vent damper will cause flue products such as carbon monoxide to escape into the house. This will cause severe personal injury or death.

CAUTION

After boiler has operated once, if either end of harness is disconnected, the system safety shutdown will occur. The boiler will not operate until harness is reconnected.



Effikal damper — Damper hold open switch must be in **Automatic Operation** position for system to operate properly.



3a Water piping – general information

General piping information

If installation is to comply with ASME or Canadian requirements, an additional **high temperature limit** is needed. Install control in supply piping between boiler and isolation valve. Set second control to minimum 20 °F above setpoint of first control. Maximum allowable setpoint is 240 °F. See page 34 or 38, for wiring.

A **low water cutoff device** is required when boiler is installed above radiation level or by certain state or local codes or insurance companies. Use low water cutoff designed for water installations. Electrode probe-type is recommended. Purchase and install in tee in supply piping above boiler.

Use backflow check valve in cold water supply as required by local codes.

Pressure/temperature gauge

Install pressure/temperature gauge in tee on supply piping (as shown in drawing on page 3). The gauge well is a self-closing valve, allowing removal of the gauge without draining the system.

System water piping

See **Figure 9** (diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank) or **Figure 10** (closed-type expansion tank) on page 21, and **Table 3** below, for near-boiler and single-zone systems designed for return water at least 130 °F.

See pages 18-19 to complete multiple-zone piping or pages 20-25 to complete piping for radiant heating systems or converted gravity systems.

Refer to page 25 for boilers used with refrigeration systems.

Relief valve

Install relief valve vertically in ³/₄" tapping on side of boiler. See **Figure 9 or 10** and the tag attached to the relief valve for manufacturer's instructions.



To avoid water damage or scalding due to relief valve operation:

- Discharge line must be connected to relief valve outlet and **run to a safe place of disposal**. Terminate the discharge line to eliminate possibility of severe burns should the valve discharge.
- Discharge line must be as short as possible and be the **same size as the valve discharge connection** throughout its entire length.
- Discharge line must **pitch downward** from the valve and terminate at least 6" above the floor drain where any discharge will be clearly visible.
- The discharge line shall **terminate plain**, **not threaded**, with a material serviceable for temperatures of 375 °F or greater.
- Do not pipe the discharge to any place where freezing could occur.
- No shutoff valve shall be installed between the relief valve and boiler, or in the discharge line. Do not plug or place any obstruction in the discharge line.
- **Failure to comply** with the above guidelines could result in failure of the relief valve to operate, resulting in possibility of severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.
- **Test the operation of the valve** after filling and pressurizing system by lifting the lever. Make sure the valve discharges freely. If the valve fails to operate correctly, replace it with a new relief valve.

Boiler model	To system	From system			
CGa-25	3⁄4"	3⁄4"			
CGa-3	1"	1"			
CGa-4	1"	1"			
CGa-5	1"	1"			
CGa-6	1 1⁄4"	1 ¼"			
CGa-7	1 1⁄4"	1 ¼"			
CGa-8	1 1⁄2"	1 1⁄2"			
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Note: Circulator flange supplied with boiler is same size as recommended piping above.

WARNING

Install boiler such that —

- Chilled medium, if used, is piped in parallel with heating boiler. Use appropriate valves to prevent chilled medium from entering boiler. Consult I=B=R Installation and Piping Guides.
- If boiler is connected to heating coils located in air handling units where they can be exposed to refrigerated air, use flow control valves or other automatic means to prevent gravity circulation during cooling cycle. Circulation of cold water through the boiler could result in damage to the heat exchanger, causing possible severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



30 Water piping – single-zone system

Expansion tank

Diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank – Figure 9

- 1. Ensure expansion tank size will handle boiler and system water volume and temperature. Tank must be located in boiler return piping as close to boiler as possible, before inlet side of circulator. See tank manufacturer's instructions for details.
- 2. Install an automatic air vent as shown.

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Closed-type expansion tank – Figure 10

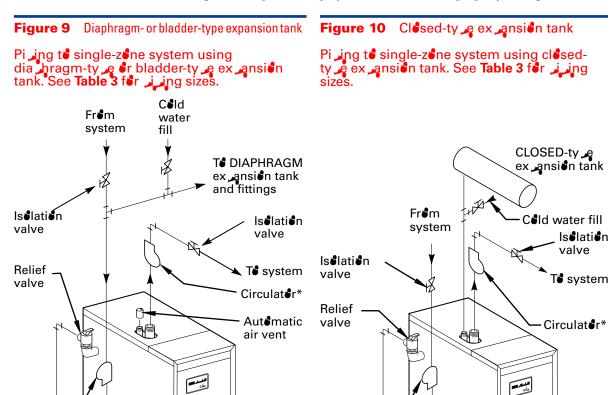
- 1. Ensure expansion tank size will handle boiler and system water volume and temperature. See tank manufacturer's instructions for details.
- 2. Connect tank to ½" NPT tapping located behind supply outlet, using ½" NPT piping. Pitch any horizontal piping up towards tank 1 inch per 5 feet of piping.

Undersized expansion tanks cause system water to be lost from relief valve and makeup water to be added through fill valve. Eventual section failure can result.

WARNING

CAUTION

Use **Figure 9** or **Figure 10** only for single-zone systems designed for return water at least 130 °F. For systems with low return water temperature possible, such as converted gravity systems and radiant heating systems, refer to the special piping suggestions of pages 20-25. Failure to prevent low return water temperature to the boiler could cause corrosion of the boiler sections or burners, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



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Water piping – multiple zones

WARNING

Failure to prevent low return water temperature to the boiler could cause corrosion of the boiler sections or burners, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

Radiant heating systems

Preferably, use primary/secondary piping, as shown in **Figures 13** or **14** on page 21. Alternatively, use the method of either **Figure 15** or **Figure 16** on page 23. **Do not use the piping of Figure 17** (system-bypass), because this method does not control radiant system supply temperature.

If radiant system tubing has no oxygen barrier, a heat exchanger must be used.

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Typical piping — multiple-zone installations

Figure 11

Zening with circulaters – return water 130 °F er higher.

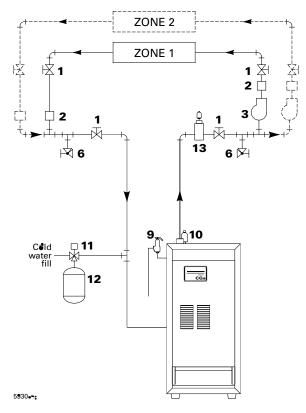
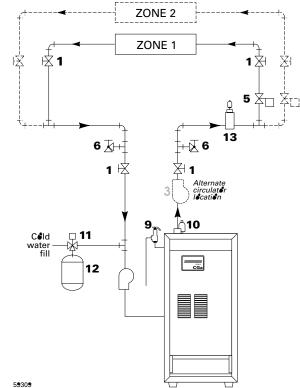


Figure 12

Zening with zene valves – return water 130 °F er higher.



- 1 Boiler isolation (balancing) valves
- 2 Flow/check valve
- **3** System or zone circulator
- **5** Zone valve
- 6 Drain valve
- **9** Relief valve
- **10** Automatic air vent (with diaphragm-type expansion tank), or connect to tank fitting (closed-type expansion tank). **DO NOT** use an automatic air vent when using closed-type expansion tank. It would allow air to leave the system, causing waterlogging of the expansion tank.

11 Fill valve

- 12 Diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank, if used (For closed-type expansion tank, pipe from top of air separator to tank fitting as in Figure 10.)
- **13** Air separator and automatic vent, if used (Note that the fill valve must always be connected to the expansion tank, regardless of location of expansion tank circulator or air separator.

WARNING

For systems with possible low return-water temperature (such as converted gravity systems, radiant heating systems and heat pump systems), refer to the special piping suggestions of **Figures 13 – 17**, as applies. Failure to prevent sustained low return water temperature to the boiler could cause corrosion of the boiler sections, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



3d Water piping – low temp systems

Primary/secondary (preferred) bypass piping method	Primary/secondary bypass piping is preferred because the flow rate and temperature drop in the heating circuit(s) is determined only by the heating circuit circulator(s). So adjustment of the bypass valves in the boiler circuit will not cause a change in the heating circuit rate and temperature distribution.
	Figures 13 and 14 show suggested bypass arrangements using primary/secondary bypass piping (preferred) for low temperature systems such as radiant heating systems or converted gravity systems . For alternatives, see pages 22 through 25.
	The bypass valves (items 7a and 7b) provide mixing of hot boiler outlet water with cooler system return water — set to assure a minimum return water temperature (at least 130 °F) to the boiler. Set the valves as explained below.
Temperature gauges	Gauge 4a is suggested, but optional on any system.
	Gauge 4b is optional on converted gravity systems, but required on radiant heating systems — to display the water temperature being supplied to the radiant tubing.
	Gauge 8 is required on all systems to assure the return water temperature is accurately set for a minimum of 130 °F. If this gauge is not available however, adjust the valves such that the boiler-mounted temperature/pressure gauge reads at least 150 °F when the system return water is cold (approximately 60 °F water temperature).
Valve adjustment (Figure 13 and 14 only)	 Set the valves while the system is cool, setting for the coldest expected water temperature (usually 60 °F since the system will often drop to room temperature between cycles). Start with valve 7a fully closed and 7b fully open. Gradually open valve 7a while closing valve 7b until the temperature at gauge 8 reads 130 °F when gauge 4a reads 60 °F. Note that valve 7a regulates the amount of hot water from the boiler supply which mixes with return water. Valve 7b regulates the amount of system water flowing through the boiler secondary loop.
WARNING	Failure to prevent low return water temperature to the boiler could cause corrosion of the boiler sections or burners, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.
	Radiant heating system piping should include a means of regulating the boiler return water temperature and the system supply temperature (such as provided by an injection pumping control).
	Boiler return water temperature will be adequately controlled using the methods shown in this manual provided the system supply temperature is relatively constant .
	DO NOT apply the methods of this manual if the system is equipped with an outdoor reset control . Instead, provide controls and piping which can regulate the boiler return water temperature at no less than 130 °F regardless of system supply temperature. Contact your Weil-McLain representative for suggested piping and control methods.
	Failure to prevent cold return water temperature to the boiler could cause corrosion damage to the sections or burners, resulting in possible severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



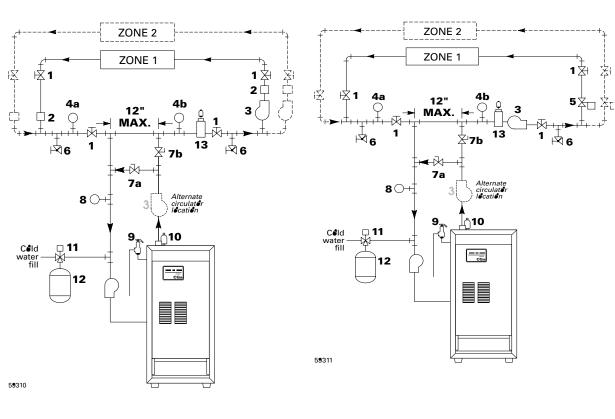
Primary/secondary (preferred) piping — for radiant heating or converted gravity systems

Figure 13

Figure 14

Zening with circulaters

Zening with zene valves



- **1** Boiler isolation (balancing) valves
- 2 Flow/check valve
- **3** System or zone circulator (circulator should cycle with zone valve and switches, using circulator valve or zone control panel)
- **4** System temperature gauges
- **5** Zone valve
- 6 Drain valve
- **7** System temperature valves (see instructions to the left for adjusting valves)
- 8 Blend temperature gauge
- **9** Relief valve

- **10** Automatic air vent (with diaphragm-type expansion tank), or connect to tank fitting (closed-type expansion tank). **DO NOT** use an automatic air vent when using closed-type expansion tank. It would allow air to leave the system, causing waterlogging of the expansion tank.
- **11** Fill valve
- **12** Diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank, if used (For closed-type expansion tank, pipe from top of air separator to tank fitting as in **Figure 10**.)
- **13** Air separator and automatic vent, if used (Note that the fill valve must always be connected to the expansion tank, regardless of location of expansion tank, circulator or air separator.)



3e Water piping – low temp systems

Boiler-bypass piping method in ord

This piping method is called a **boiler-bypass** because part of the circulator flow is bypassed around the boiler (through valve **7a**). This method reduces the flow rate throughout the boiler, in order to raise the average water temperature in the boiler enough to prevent flue gas condensation. Boiler-bypass piping is effective for some boilers — including the CGa — provided the flow rates are adjusted according to the instructions following.

Figures 15 and **16** are alternative piping suggestions for **converted gravity** (large water content or steam systems) or **radiant heating system** — for use when primary/secondary piping can't be applied. (**Figure 17** is another alternative, using system bypass in place of boiler-bypass piping. **Figure 17** however, is not suitable for radiant heating applications because it does not protect the radiant system from possible high water temperature.)

Boiler-bypass piping keeps system flow rate as high as possible and temperature drop as low as possible, helping to equalize the building heat distribution.

Temperature gauges Gauge **4a** is optional if the bypass valves will be adjusted using cold (or room temperature) return water to the boiler. (When setting the valves without gauge **4a** installed — using cold or room temperature water — assume the return water temperature to be 60 °F. Set the valves so gauge **8** reads at least 120 °F.

Gauge **4b** is optional on converted gravity systems, but **required** on radiant heating systems — to display the water temperature being supplied to the radiant tubing.

Gauge **8** is **required** on all systems to assure reliable adjustment of the bypass valves. The boiler-mounted temperature/pressure gauge can be used if a separate temperature gauge is not installed.

Valve adjustment

- 1. Start with valve **7a** fully closed and **7b** fully open.
- 2. Gradually open valve **7a** while closing valve **7b** until the temperature at gauge **8** reads 60 °F higher than gauge **4a**. A minimum 60 °F temperature rise through the boiler assures a low enough flow rate and high enough average temperature to prevent condensation even with low system return water temperature.
- 3. Valve **7a** regulates the system flow rate, while valve **7b** regulates the boiler flow rate.
- 4. The boiler-mounted temperature/pressure gauge may be used in place of a separate gauge 8.

WARNING

Failure to **prevent low return water temperature** to the boiler could cause corrosion of the boiler sections or burners, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

Radiant heating system piping should include a means of **regulating the boiler return water temperature** and the **system supply temperature** (such as provided by an **injection pumping control**).

Boiler return water temperature will be adequately controlled using the methods shown in this manual provided the **system supply temperature is relatively constant**.

DO NOT apply the methods of this manual if the system is equipped with an **outdoor reset control**. Instead, **provide controls and piping** which can **regulate the boiler return water temperature** at **no less than 130 °F** regardless of system supply temperature. Contact your Weil-McLain representative for suggested piping and control methods.

Failure to **prevent cold return water temperature** to the boiler could cause corrosion damage to the sections or burners, resulting in possible severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

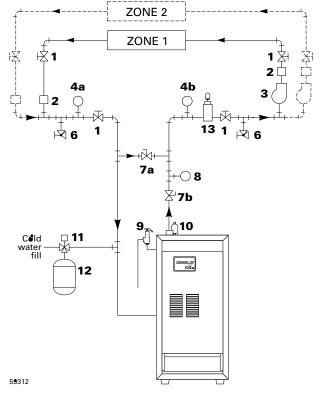


Boiler-bypass (alternate) piping — for radiant heating or converted gravity systems

Figure 15 Boiler-by ass ing

Zening with circulaters

(Alternative to primary/secondary juing Figures 13 and 14)

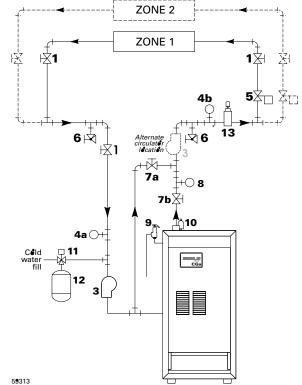


- 1 Boiler isolation (balancing) valves
- 2 Flow/check valve
- **3** System or zone circulator
- 4 System temperature gauges
- **5** Zone valve
- 6 Drain valve
- **7** System temperature valves (see instructions to the left for adjusting valves)
- 8 Blend temperature gauge
- 9 Relief valve

Figure 16 Beiler-by ass ing

Zening with zene valves

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- **10** Automatic air vent (with diaphragm-type expansion tank), or connect to tank fitting (closed-type expansion tank). **DO NOT** use an automatic air vent when using closed-type expansion tank. It would allow air to leave the system, causing waterlogging of the expansion tank.
- **11** Fill valve
- **12** Diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank, if used (For closed-type expansion tank, pipe from top of air separator to tank fitting as in **Figure 10**.)
- **13** Air separator and automatic vent, if used (Note that the fill valve must always be connected to the expansion tank, regardless of location of expansion tank, circulator or air separator.)



3f Water piping – low temp systems

System-bypass piping method

This piping method is called a **system-bypass** because part of the circulator flow bypasses the system (through valve **7a**). This bypassed hot water from the boiler outlet mixes with cooler system return water temperature in order to provide minimum 130 °F return water to the boiler. Valve **7b** will most often be full open, but may need to be slightly closed on some low pressure drop systems in order to cause enough flow through valve **7a**.

Figure 17 is an alternative piping method that provides return water temperature control for boilers installed on **converted gravity systems** (large water content or steam systems).

Do not apply the piping of **Figure 17** on **radiant heating systems**. It provides no method of regulating the water temperature provided to the system and could result in excessive water temperature in the radiant tubing.

System-bypass piping as shown in **Figure 17** can be used with either zone valve or circulator zoning. When used with circulator zoning however, the boiler circulator (item **3**), must be piped as shown. It cannot be used as one of the zoning circulators.

Do not apply system-bypass piping if the reduced flow in the system could cause poor heat distribution. That is, system-bypass piping reduces the flow in the system and increases the water temperature supplied to the system. This can cause increased heat from radiators at the beginning of the system and reduced heat from radiators near the end of the system.

Valve adjustment 1. Start

1. Start with valve **7a** fully closed and **7b** fully open.

- 2. Gradually open valve **7a** while closing valve **7b** until the temperature at gauge **8** reads at least 130 °F at all times.
- 3. Valve **7a** regulates the amount of boiler supply water mixed with return water. Valve **7b** causes a pressure drop in the system needed to balance flow through valve **7a** and the system.
- 4. The valve adjustment should be done with the system at the coldest expected temperature (60 °F for converted gravity systems or high mass radiant systems).

WARNING

Failure to **prevent low return water temperature** to the boiler could cause corrosion of the boiler sections or burners, resulting in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

Radiant heating system piping should include a means of **regulating the boiler return water temperature** and the **system supply temperature** (such as provided by an **injection pumping control**).

Boiler return water temperature will be adequately controlled using the methods shown in this manual provided the **system supply temperature** is **relatively constant**.

DO NOT apply the methods of this manual if the system is equipped with an **outdoor reset control**. Instead, **provide controls and piping** which can **regulate the boiler return water temperature** at **no less than 130 °F** regardless of system supply temperature. Contact your Weil-McLain representative for suggested piping and control methods.

Failure to **prevent cold return water temperature** to the boiler could cause corrosion damage to the sections or burners, resulting in possible severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



31 System-bypass (alternate) piping – for converted gravity (or steam) systems

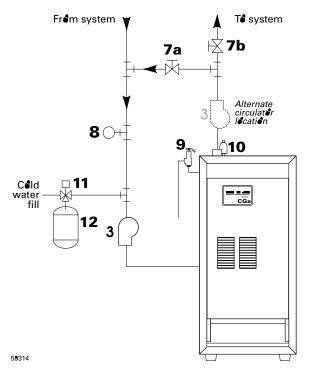


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- 3 System or zone circulator
- 7 System temperature valves (see instructions to the left for adjusting valves)
- 8 Blend temperature gauge
- 9 Relief valve
- **10** Automatic air vent (with diaphragm-type expansion tank), or connect to tank fitting (closed-type expansion tank). **DO NOT** use an automatic air vent when using closed-type expansion tank. It would allow air to leave the system, causing waterlogging of the expansion tank.
- **11** Fill valve
- 12 Diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank, if used (For closed-type expansion tank, pipe from top of air separator to tank fitting as in **Figure 10**.)

Figure 18

Water piping – Refrigeration system

Ex ansien tank System y او د su -X-Shut-Circulat[®]r valve Water chiller

Pi jing refrigeration systems

Strainer **---**Beiler Check valve System return -M Balancing 59315 valve

Prevent chilled water from entering boiler

Install boiler so that chilled medium is piped in parallel with the heating boiler. Use appropriate valves to prevent chilled medium from entering boiler. See Figure 18 for typical installation of balancing valve and check valve.

If boiler is connected to heating coils located in air handling units where they can be exposed to refrigerated air, use flow control valves or other automatic means to prevent gravity circulation during cooling cycle.



4 Gas piping

Natural Gas:

- 1. Refer to **Table 4** for pipe length and diameter. Base on rated boiler input (divide by 1,000 to obtain cubic feet per hour). **Table 4** is only for gas with **specific gravity 0.60**, with a pressure drop through the gas piping of 0.30" w.c. For additional gas pipe sizing information, refer to ANSI Z223.1 (or B149.1 or B149.2 for Canadian installations).
- 2. Inlet pressure required at gas valve inlet:
 - Maximum: 13" w.c.
 - Minimum: 5" w.c.
 - Manifold gas pressure: 3.5" w.c.
- 3. Install 100% lockup gas pressure regulator in supply line **if inlet pressure exceeds 13**" **w.c.** Adjust for 13" w.c. maximum.

Propane Gas:

- 1. Contact gas supplier to size pipes, tanks and 100% lockup gas pressure regulator.
- 2. Adjust propane supply regulator provided by gas supplier for 13" w.c. maximum pressure.
- 3. Inlet pressure required at gas valve inlet:
 - Maximum: 13" w.c.
 - Minimum: 11" w.c.
 - Manifold gas pressure: 10" w.c.

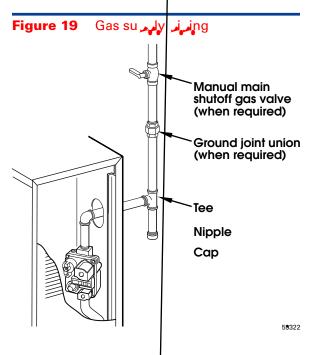


Table 4 Pi e ca acity for 0.60 s ecific gravity natural gas

Gas pipeCapacity of pipe for pipe size of:length(Ca _acity in cubic feet gas _er hour)						
(feet)	1⁄2" 3⁄4"		1" 1¼"		1½"	
10	132	27•••:	520	1050	1600	
20	92	190	350	730	1100	
30	73	152	2•5	590	• 6 0	
40	63	130	245	500	760	
50	56	115	215	440	670	
75	45	93	175	360	545	
100	3•••:	79	150	305	460	
150	31	64	120	250	3 •9 :	



$\mathbf{5}$ Field wiring

WARNING

For your safety, turn off electrical power supply at service entrance panel before making any electrical connections to avoid possible electric shock hazard. Failure to do so can cause severe personal injury or death.

NOTICE

Wiring must be N.E.C. Class 1.

If rollout thermal fuse element wire as supplied with boiler must be replaced, type **200** °C wire or equivalent must be used. If other original wiring as supplied with boiler must be replaced, use only type **105** °C wire or equivalent.

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

Electrical installation must comply with:

- 1. National Electrical Code and any other national, state, provincial or local codes or regulations.
- 2. In Canada, CSA C22.1 Canadian Electrical Code Part 1, and any local codes.

Wiring connections

Boiler is shipped with controls completely wired, except spill switch and vent damper. Refer to wiring diagrams shown on page 34 for standing pilot ignition boiler or page 38 for spark-ignited pilot boiler.

Thermostat

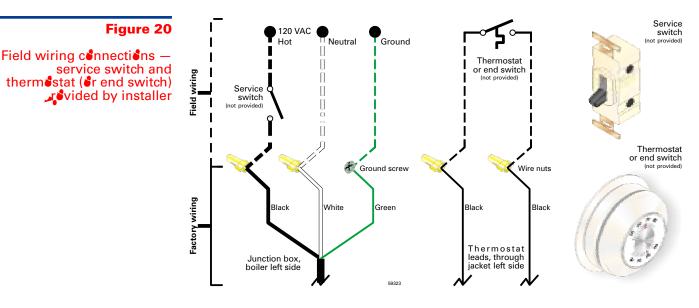
- 1. Connect thermostat as shown on wiring diagram on boiler.
- 2. Install on inside wall away from influences of drafts, hot or cold water pipes, lighting fixtures, television, sunrays or fireplaces.
- 3. If thermostat has a heat anticipator, set heat anticipator in thermostat to match power requirements of equipment connected to it. If connected directly to boiler, set for 0.1 amps plus gas valve current. See information on the wiring diagram shown in **Figure 25b**, page 39. For other devices, refer to manufacturer's specifications. Wiring diagram on boiler gives setting for control module and gas valve. Also see instructions with thermostat.

Junction box (furnished)

- 1. Connect 120 VAC power wiring (Figure 20).
- 2. Fused disconnect or service switch (15 amp. recommended) may be mounted on this box. For those installations with local codes which prohibit installation of fused disconnect or service switch on boiler, install a 2 x 4 cover plate on the boiler junction box and mount the service switch remotely as required by the code.

Wiring multiple zones

Refer to zone valve manufacturer's literature for wiring and application. A separate transformer is required to power zone valves. Zoning with circulators requires a relay for each circulator.





6a Start-up — preparation

Check for gas leaks

WARNING

Before starting the boiler, and during initial operation, smell near the floor and around the boiler for gas odorant or any unusual odor. Do not proceed with start-up if there is any indication of a gas leak. Repair any leak at once.

WAR<u>NING</u>

Propane boilers only — Your propane supplier mixes an odorant with the propane to make its presence detectable. In some instances, the odorant can fade and the gas may no longer have an odor.

- Propane gas can accumulate at floor level. Smell near the floor for the gas odorant or any unusual odor. If you suspect a leak, do not attempt to light the pilot.
- Use caution when attempting to light the propane pilot. This should be done by a qualified service technician, particularly if pilot outages are common.
- Periodically check the odorant level of your gas.
- Inspect boiler and system at least yearly to make sure all gas piping is leak-tight.
- Consult your propane supplier regarding installation of a gas leak detector. There are some products on the market intended for this purpose. Your supplier may be able to suggest an appropriate device.

Determine if water treatment is needed

DANGER

Do not use **petroleum-based cleaning or sealing compounds** in boiler system. Severe damage to boiler will occur, resulting in substantial property damage.

WARNING Eliminate all system leaks. Continual fresh makeup water will reduce boiler life. Minerals can build up in sections, reducing heat transfer, overheating cast iron, and causing section failure.

Verify water chemistry

Consult local water treatment companies for unusually hard water areas (above 7 grains hardness) or low pH water conditions (below 7.0). Boiler water pH of 7.0 to 8.5 is recommended.

Freeze protection (when used)

Use antifreeze made especially for hydronic systems. Inhibited propylene glycol is recommended.

WARNING

Do not use **ethylene glycol**, **automotive or undiluted antifreeze**. Severe personal injury or death can result.

- 1. Determine **antifreeze quantity** according to system water content. Boiler water content is listed on page 67. Remember to include expansion tank water content.
- 2. Follow antifreeze manufacturer's instructions.
- 3. A 50% solution of propylene glycol/water provides maximum protection to about -30 °F.
- 4. Local codes may require **back flow preventer** or actual disconnect from city water supply.
- 5. When using antifreeze in a system with automatic fill, install a water meter to monitor water makeup. Glycol will leak before the water begins to leak, causing glycol level to drop. Added water will dilute the antifreeze, reducing the freeze protection level.



Fill the system with water

- 1. Close manual and automatic air vents and boiler drain cock.
- 2. **Fill to correct system pressure**. Correct pressure will vary with each application. Typical cold water fill pressure for a residential system is 12 psi.
- 3. **Purge air** from system:
 - a. Connect a hose to the purge valve (see *drain valves*, item **6**, in suggested piping diagrams on pages 17 through 23, **Figure 9** through **Figure 16**). Route hose to an area where water can drain and be seen.
 - b. Close the boiler or system isolation valve between the purge valve and fill connection to the system.
 - c. Close zone isolation valves.
 - d. Open quick-fill valve on cold water makeup line.
 - e. Open purge valve.
 - f. One zone at a time, open the isolation valves. Allow water to run through the zone, pushing out the air. Run until no noticeable air flow is present. Close the zone isolation valves and proceed with the next zone. Follow this procedure until all zones are purged.
 - g. Close the quick-fill water valve and purge valve and remove the hose. Open all isolation valves. Watch that system pressure rises to correct cold-fill pressure.
 - h. After the system has operated for a while, eliminate any residual air by using the manual air vents located throughout the system.
 - i. If purge valves are not installed in system, open manual air vents in system one at a time, beginning with lowest floor. Close vent when water squirts out. Repeat with remaining vents.
- 4. Open **automatic air vent** (diaphragm-type or bladder-type expansion tank systems only) one turn.
- 5. Open other vents:
 - a. Starting on the lowest floor, open air vents one at a time until water squirts out.
 - b. Repeat with remaining vents.
- 6. Refill to correct pressure.

Inspect system water piping

After filling the boiler and system with water, **inspect all piping** throughout the system for leaks. If found, repair immediately. Repeat this inspection after the boiler has been started and the system has heated up.

WARNING

Leaks must be repaired at once. Failure to do so can damage the boiler, resulting in substantial property damage.



Do not use **petroleum-based cleaning or sealing compounds** in boiler system. Severe damage to boiler will occur, resulting in substantial property damage.



6a Start-up — preparation continued

Inspect base insulation

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The boiler contains ceramic fiber and fiberglass materials. Use care when handling these materials per instructions on **page 68** of this manual. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury.



Failure to replace damaged insulation or reposition insulation can result in a fire hazard, causing severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

Check to make sure **insulation is secure** against all four sides of the base. If insulation is damaged or displaced, **do not** operate boiler. Replace or reposition insulation.

6 Start-up — operate boiler

WARNING

DO NOT proceed with boiler operation unless boiler and system have been filled with water and all instructions and procedures of previous manual sections have been completed. Failure to do so could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage. Before starting the boiler . . .

- Read manual Section 8/9 and the Lighting/Operating instruction procedure (see Table 5, below).
- Verify the boiler and system are full of water.
- Verify the **Start-up preparation** procedures of **Section 6** have been completed.

Models	Standing pilot	Gas	Page	Spark-ignited pilot	Gas	Page
Gua-20	Honeywell VR8200/VR8300	Natural or Propane	35	Honeywell VR8204/VR8304	Natural	40
to CGa-6 Robertshaw 7200 Natural	D - h t - h 7000	Matural	00	Robertshaw 7200	Natural	41
	Naturai	tural 36	White-Rodgers 36E	Natural	42	
CGa-7 to	Honeywell VR8200/VR8300	Natural or Propane	35	Honeywell VR8204/VR8304	Natural	40
CGa-8	Robertshaw 7200	Natural	36	White-Rodgers 36C	Natural	43

Table 5 Lighting/Operating instruction location guide



60 Start-up — operate boiler continued

Start the boiler

• Follow the Lighting/Operating Instructions from Section 8 or 9 to start the boiler. Remove boiler jacket door and note the gas valve manufacturer and model number. Use only the lighting/operating instruction which applies to this gas valve (see Table

Check system and boiler

Eliminate all system leaks. Continual fresh makeup water will reduce boiler life. Minerals can build up in sections, reducing heat transfer, overheating cast iron, and causing section failure.

WARNING If you discover evidence of any gas leak, shut down the boiler at once. Find the leak source with bubble test and repair immediately. Do not start boiler again until corrected. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

DANGER

WARNING

Do not use **petroleum-based cleaning or sealing compounds** in boiler system. Severe damage to boiler will occur, resulting in substantial property damage.

1. Check system piping for leaks. If found, shut down boiler and repair immediately.

5, page 30). (The lighting instruction label on the boiler provides the same information.)

- See **Section 6c**, below, if boiler fails to start.
- 2. Vent air from system using manual vents. Air in the system will interfere with circulation and cause heat distribution problems and noise.

3. **Inspect vent system** thoroughly for signs of deterioration from corrosion, physical damage or sagging. Verify that masonry chimney liners are in good condition, with no obstructions, and there are no openings into the chimney.

- 4. **Check around the boiler** for gas odor following the procedure of section **6a**, page 28 of this manual.
- 5. Verify operation per section 6d, page 32. Perform check-out procedure in section 7, page 33, and fill in the Installation and service certificate.

6C Start-up — if boiler doesn't start . . .

Check for:

- 1. Loose connections, blown fuse or service switch off?
- 2. High limit switch set below boiler water temperature?
- 3. Thermostat set below room temperature?
- 4. Gas not turned on at meter or boiler?
- Incoming gas pressure less than:
 5" w.c. for natural gas? 11" w.c. for propane gas?
- 6. If none of the above corrects the problem, refer to **Troubleshooting,** section **11**, page 49 of this manual.



6d Start-up – verify operation

NOTICE

The boiler model suffix will be "**SPD**". For spark-ignited pilot boilers (suffix "**PID**"), see **Section 8** or **9** for operation and lighting/operating information.

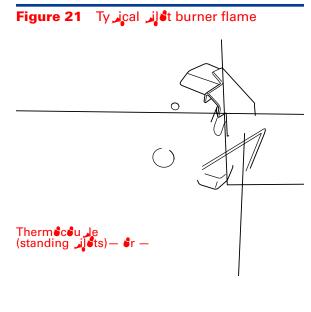


Figure 22 Ty jcal main burner flame



Check-out procedure — checklist

- □ Boiler and heat distribution units filled with water?
- □ Automatic air vent, if used, open one full turn?
- □ Air purged from system?
- □ Air purged from gas piping? Piping checked for leaks?
- □ Correctly sized manifold orifices installed? Refer to **Table 2**, page 12 to check size and fuel type.

DANGER

Correctly sized manifold orifices must be used. Failure to do so will cause severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

- □ Followed lighting/operating instructions on boiler or in manual section **8**, page 34 or section **9**, page 37 for proper start-up?
- □ Proper burner flame observed? Refer to **Check burner flame**, manual section **6d**, page 32.
- □ Test limit control While burners are operating, move indicator on limit control below actual boiler water temperature. Burners should go off while circulator continues to operate. Raise setting on limit control above boiler water temperature and burners should reignite.
- Test additional field-installed controls If boiler has a low water cutoff, additional high limit or other controls, test for operation as outlined by manufacturer. Burners should be operating and should go off when controls are tested. When controls are restored, burners should reignite.
- □ Botton on spill switch pushed in?
- □ Test ignition system safety device:
 - a. **Standing pilot** Turn gas cock knob to **PILOT** position and extinguish pilot flame. Pilot gas flow should stop in less than 3 minutes. Put system back into operation (see section **6**, pages 28-32).
 - b. **Spark-ignited pilot** Connect manometer to outlet side of gas valve. Start boiler, allowing for normal startup cycle to occur and main burners to ignite. With main burners on, manually shut off gas supply at manual main shutoff gas valve. Burners should go off.

Open manual main shutoff gas valve. Manometer should confirm there is no gas flow. Pilot will relight, flame sensing element will sense pilot flame and main burners reignite.

- □ Set limit control(s) to system temperature requirements. Adjust balancing valves and controls to provide design temperature to system.
- □ For multiple zones, adjust flow so it is about the same in each zone.
- □ Verify thermostat heat anticipator (if available) set properly? Refer to Field wiring, manual section 5, page 27, Thermostat(s).
- □ Cycle boiler with thermostat Raise to highest setting and verify boiler goes through normal start-up cycle. Lower to lowest setting and verify boiler goes off.
- □ Measure natural gas input:
 - a. Operate boiler 10 minutes.
 - b. Turn off other appliances.

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- c. At natural gas meter, measure time (in seconds) required to use one cubic foot of gas.
- d. Calculate gas input:

$$\frac{3600 \times 1000}{\text{umber of seconds from step } c} = \text{Btuh}$$

- e. Btuh calculated should approximate input rating on boiler rating label.
- □ Check manifold gas pressure by connecting manometer to downstream test tapping on main gas valve. Manifold pressure for natural gas should be 3.5" w.c. and for propane gas should be 10" w.c.
- □ Observe several operating cycles for proper operation.
- **Given Set room thermostat to desired room temperature.**
- **Gradient Service Certificate below?**
- Review all instructions shipped with this boiler with owner or maintenance person. Return instructions to envelope and give to owner or place in pocket inside front panel in boiler.

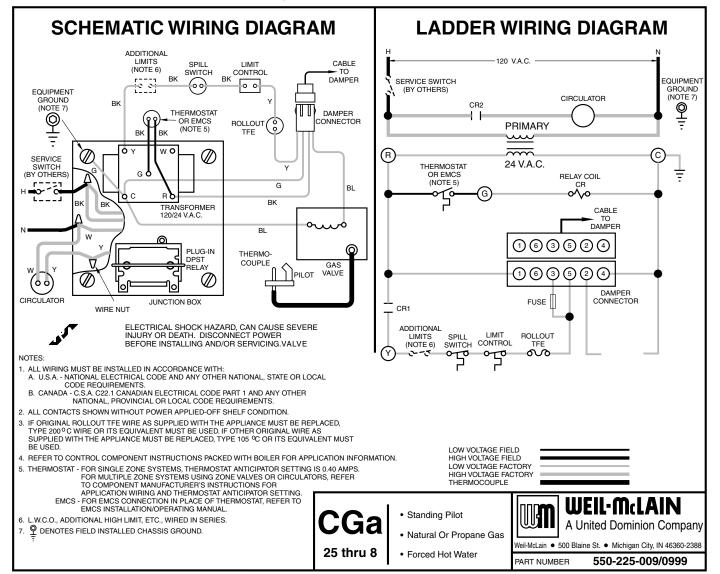
Installation and service certificate

Boiler model	Series	CP number	_ Date installed
Measured Btuh input	 Installation instructions have been followed. Check out sequence has been performed. Above information is certified to be correct. Information received and left with owner/maintenance person 		
Installer (company)	(add	lress)	(phone)



8 Operation – standing pilot boilers

Figure 23 Wiring diagram – Standing Jost system





b Lighting instructions – CGa-25 to CGa-8



WARNING

If you do not follow these instructions exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

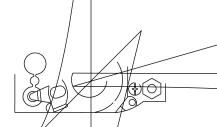
- A. This appliance has a pilot, which must be lighted by hand. When lighting the pilot, follow these instructions exactly.
- B. Before **LIGHTING**, smell all around the appliance area for gas. Be sure to smell next to the floor because some gas is heavier than air and will settle on the floor. See below.
- C. Use only your hand to push down the reset button or turn the gas control knob. Never use tools. If the knob or reset button will not operate by hand, don't try to repair it, call a qualified service technician. Force or attempted repair may result in a fire or explosion.
- D. Do not use this appliance if any part has been under water. Immediately call a qualified service technician to inspect the appliance and to replace any part of the control system and any gas control, which has been under water.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU SMELL GAS

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

LIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. **Stop!** Read the safety information above on this label.
- 2. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- 3. When equipped with Effikal vent damper Model RVGP, place service switch in Hold Damper Open position.
- 4. Turn off all electrical power to the appliance.
- 5. When equipped with Johnson Controls vent damper Model M35, manually rotate damper blade in direction of arrow to Open position indicated on damper assembly.
- 6. Turn gas control knob clockwise \frown to **OFF**.
- 7. When equipped with vent damper, verify damper blade is in full open position.



8. Wait five (5) minutes to clear out any gas. Then smell for gas, including near the floor. If you smell gas, **STOP**! Follow "**B**" in the safety information above. If you don't smell gas, go to the next step.

- 9. Remove access panel located above burners.
- 10. Find pilot follow metal tube from gas control. The pilot is between two burners behind the access panel.



- Turn gas control knob counterclockwise ✓ to PILOT.
- 12. Push in red reset button and hold. Immediately light the pilot with a match. Continue to hold reset button in for about one (1) minute after the pilot is lit.
- 13. Release reset button. Pilot should remain ht. If pilot soes out, repeat steps 6 through 13.
 - If reset button stays depressed after release, stop and immediately call your service technician or gas supplier.
 - If the pilot will not stay lit after several tries, turn the gas control knob clockwise via to OFE and call your service technician or gas supplier.

14. Replace access panel

- 15. Turn gas control knob counterclockwise 🦳 to ON.
- 16. Turn on all electric power to the appliance.
- 17. When equipped with Effikal vent damper, place service switch in Automatic Operation position.
- 18. Set thermostat to desired setting.
- 19. Replace front panel.

TO TURN OFF GAS TO THE APPLIANCE

- 1. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- 2. Turn off all electric power to the appliance if service is to be performed.
- 3. Remove front panel.
- 4. Turn gas control knob clockwise \frown to **OFF**.
- 5. Replace front panel.



b Lighting instructions – CGa-25 to CGa-8

- Standing pilot
- Gas valve manufacturer Robertshaw

Natural gas

• Gas valve model(s) - 7200

FOR YOUR SAFETY READ BEFORE LIGHTING

WARNING

If you do not follow these instructions exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

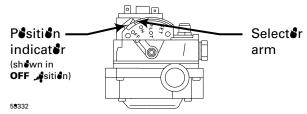
- A. This appliance has a pilot, which must be lighted by hand. When lighting the pilot, follow these instructions exactly.
- B. Before **LIGHTING**, smell all around the appliance area for gas. Be sure to smell next to the floor because some gas is heavier than air and will settle on the floor. See below.
- C. Use only your hand to depress the selector arm. Never use tools. If the selector arm will not move by hand, don't try to repair it, call a qualified service technician. Force or attempted repair may result in a fire or explosion.
- D. Do not use this appliance if any part has been under water. Immediately call a qualified service technician to inspect the appliance and to replace any part of the control system and any gas control, which has been under water.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU SMELL GAS

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

LIGHTING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Stop! Read the safety information above on this label.
- 2. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- 3. When equipped with Effikal vent damper Model RVGP, place service switch in Hold Damper Open position.
- 4. Turn off all electrical power to the appliance.
- 5. When equipped with Johnson Controls vent damper Model M35, manually rotate damper blade in direction of arrow to Open position indicated on damper assembly.
- 6. Depress and move selector arm left \checkmark to **OFF**.
- 7. When equipped with vent damper, verify damper blade is in full open position.



 Wait five (5) minutes to clear out any gas. Then smell for gas, including near the floor. If you smell gas, STOP! Follow "B" in the safety information above. If you don't smell gas, go to the next step.

- 9. Remove access panel located above burners.
- 10. Find pilot follow metal tube from gas control. The pilot is between two burners behind the access panel.



- Move selector arm on gas control right to SET position.
 Hold selector arm in SET position and immediately light
- 12. Hold selector arm in SET position and immediately light the pilot with a match. Continue to hold selector arm to SET for about one-half (¹/₂) minute after the pilot is lit.
- 13. Release selector arm. If pilot does not remain lit, repeat steps 6 through 13.
- 14. Replace access panel.
- 15. Turn selector arm left \checkmark to **ON**.
- 16. Turn on all electric power to the appliance.
- 17. When equipped with **Effikal** vent damper, place service switch in **Automatic Operation** position.
- 18. Set thermostat to desired setting.
- 19. Replace front panel.

TO TURN OFF GAS TO THE APPLIANCE

- 1. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- 2. Turn off all electric power to the appliance if service is to be performed.
- 3. Remove front panel.
- 4. Depress and move selector arm left \checkmark to **OFF**.
- 5. Replace front panel.



9a Operation – spark-ignited pilot boilers

NOTICE

Follow all procedures given in this manual and operating instructions when operating the boiler. Failure to do so could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

- 1. **Standby**: With no call for heat, the vent damper and circulator are deenergized. No gas flows to pilot or main gas valve.
- 2. Call for heat (thermostat circuit closes):
 - a. Vent damper and circulator energized if pilot status acceptable. Vent damper drives open. When vent damper end switch makes circuit, ignition control begins pilot ignition attempt.
 - b. Ignition control checks for false flame signal: If ignition control senses pilot signal when no pilot gas should be present, control will lockout, requiring reset procedure as given in **Figure 24**.
- 3. **Pilot ignition**: Control module sparks the pilot and opens pilot valve in main gas valve.
 - a. If pilot does light and control module senses flame current, spark generator is turned off and main valve opens.
 - b. If pilot does not light within 15 seconds, pilot valve

is closed and spark generator is turned off. Control module waits 5 minutes, then attempts to ignite pilot again. This cycle will continue indefinitely if pilot ignition control does not sense pilot flame.

- 4. Main burner operation:
 - a. Control module monitors pilot flame current. If signal is lost, main valve closes, spark generator activates and sequence returns to step 4.
 - b. If power is interrupted, control system shuts off pilot and main gas valves and restarts at step 1 when power is restored.
 - c. În the event the limit control shuts down the boiler
 The control module closes the main gas valve, but keeps the circulator operating and the vent damper open.
- 5. **Thermostat satisfied** (thermostat circuit opens) Pilot and main gas valves are closed — Vent damper is deenergized, and cycles to closed position. Circulator is shut off.
- 6. Boiler is now in the standby mode.
- 7. Thermostat anticipator setting: Set thermostat heat anticipator as instructed in **Figure 25b**, page 39.

Figure 24 Ignition control module sequence of o gration - status light indications

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9a Operation – spark-ignited pilot system continued

Figure 25a Schematic wiring diagram - S ark-ignited is system

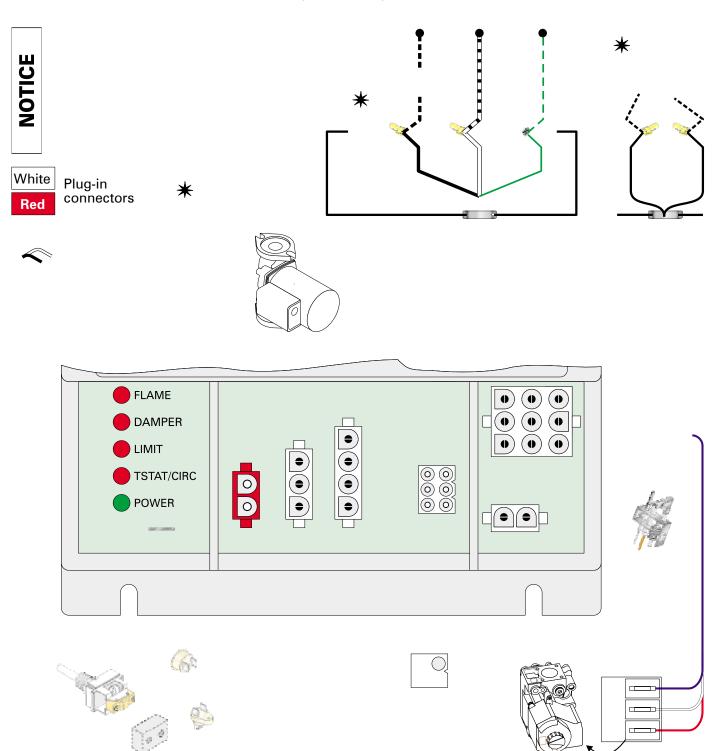




Figure 25b Ladder wiring diagram - S ark-ignited system

WARNING

Electrical shock hazard — can cause severe injury or death. Disconnect power before installing or servicing.

Legend for ladder wiring diagram

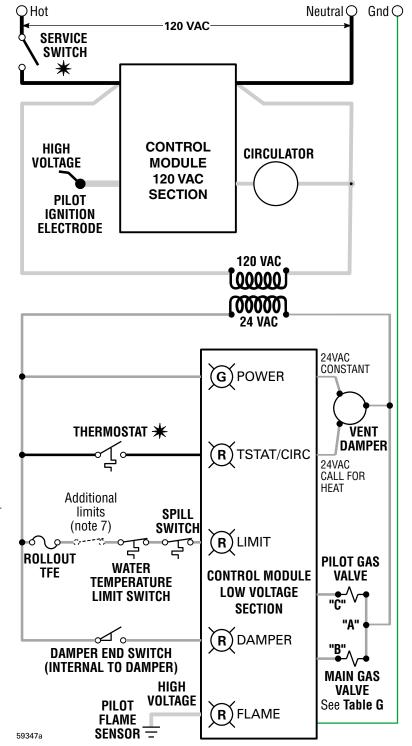
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 Low voltage factory wiring
 High voltage spark ignition wiring
 Ground connectors

Table G: Gas valve terminals and anticipator settings

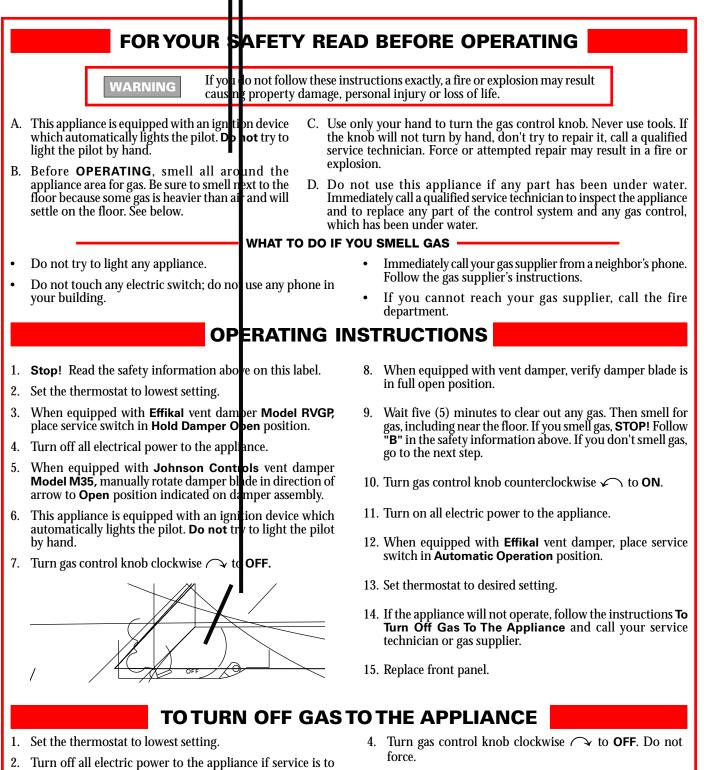
Gas valve	"A"	"B"	"C"	Anticipator amps				
Honeywell VR8204	MV/PV	MV	PV	0.6				
Honeywell VR8304	MV/PV	MV	PV	0.8				
Robertshaw 7200	С	М	Р	0.55				
White-Rodgers 36C 2-4 * 1 3 0.7								
* Terminals 2–4 are factory-jumpered on the White-Rodgers 36C gas valve.								

- All wiring must be installed in accordance with:

 A. U.S.A. N.E.C. And any other national, state, or local code requirements.
 B. Canada C.S.A. C22.1 C.E.C. Part 1 and any other national, provincial, or local code requirements.
- 2. Pilot lead wires are not field replaceable. Replace pilot assembly if necessary.
- 3. If any of the original wire as supplied with the appliance must be replaced, use minimum 105 °C wire or equivalent. Exception wires to a rollout TFE must be 200 °C or equivalent.
- 4. Thermostat anticipator setting (single zone) see Table G for anticipator setting, depending on which gas valve is installed in boiler.
- 5. For multiple zoning, use either zone valves or circulators. Refer to the component manufacturer's instructions and this manual for application and wiring suggestions.
- 6. Refer to control component instructions packed with the boiler for application information.
- Wire any additional limit controls (low water cutoff, additional high limit, etc.) in series with boiler limit control as shown.







5. Replace front panel.

3.

be performed.

Remove front panel.

9b Operating instructions – CGa-25 to CGa-6

- Spark pilot
- Gas valve manufacturer Robertshaw

Natural gas

• Gas valve model(s) **– 7200**

FOR YOUR SAFETY READ BEFORE OPERATING

WARNING

If you do not follow these instructions exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or loss of life.

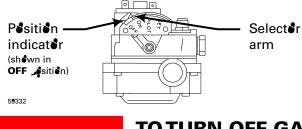
- A. This appliance is equipped with an ignition device which automatically lights the pilot. **Do not** try to light the pilot by hand.
- B. Before **OPERATING**, smell all around the appliance area for gas. Be sure to smell next to the floor because some gas is heavier than air and will settle on the floor. See below.
- C. Use only your hand to depress or move the selector arm. Never use tools. If the selector arm will not depress or move by hand, don't try to repair it, call a qualified service technician. Force or attempted repair may result in a fire or explosion.
- D. Do not use this appliance if any part has been under water. Immediately call a qualified service technician to inspect the appliance and to replace any part of the control system and any gas control, which has been under water.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU SMELL GAS

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

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Stop! Read the safety information above on this label.
- 2. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- 3. When equipped with Effikal vent damper Model RVGP, place service switch in Hold Damper Open position.
- 4. Turn off all electrical power to the appliance.
- 5. When equipped with Johnson Controls vent damper Model M35, manually rotate damper blade in direction of arrow to Open position indicated on damper assembly.
- 6. This appliance is equipped with an ignition device which automatically lights the pilot. **Do not** try to light the pilot by hand.
- 7. Depress and move selector arm to **OFF**. **Note**: Selector arm cannot be moved to **OFF** unless selector arm is depressed slightly. Do not force.



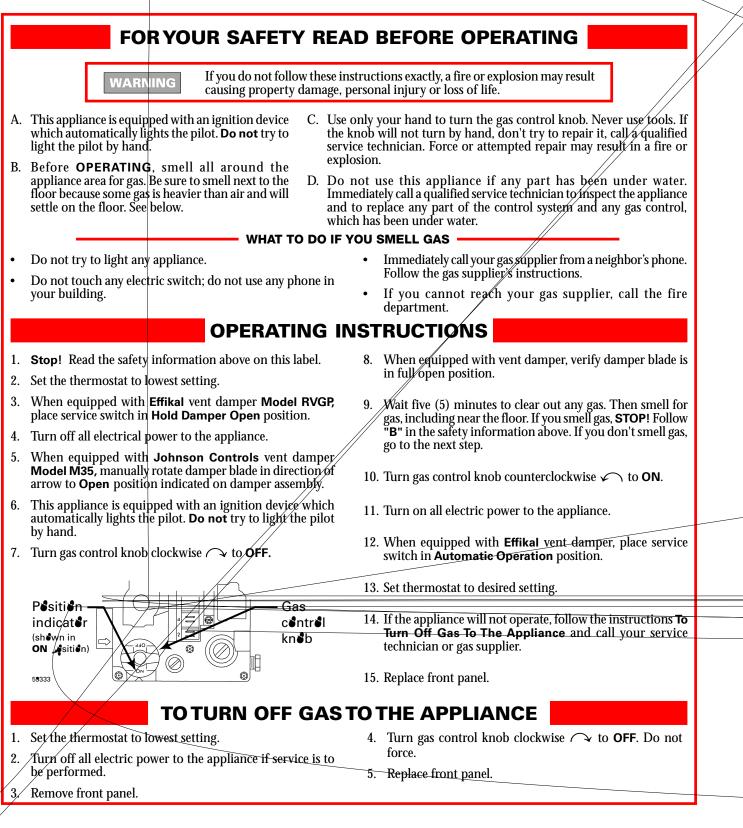
- 1. Set the thermostat to lowest setting.
- 2. Turn off all electric power to the appliance if service is to be performed.
- 3. Remove front panel.

- 8. When equipped with vent damper, verify damper blade is in full open position.
- Wait five (5) minutes to clear out any gas. Then smell for gas, including near the floor. If you smell gas, STOP! Follow "B" in the safety information above. If you don't smell gas, go to the next step.
- 10. Move selector arm to **ON**.
- 11. Turn on all electric power to the appliance.
- 12. When equipped with **Effikal** vent damper, place service switch in **Automatic Operation** position.
- 13. Set thermostat to desired setting.
- 14. If the appliance will not operate, follow the instructions **To Turn Off Gas To The Appliance** and call your service technician or gas supplier.
- 15. Replace front panel.

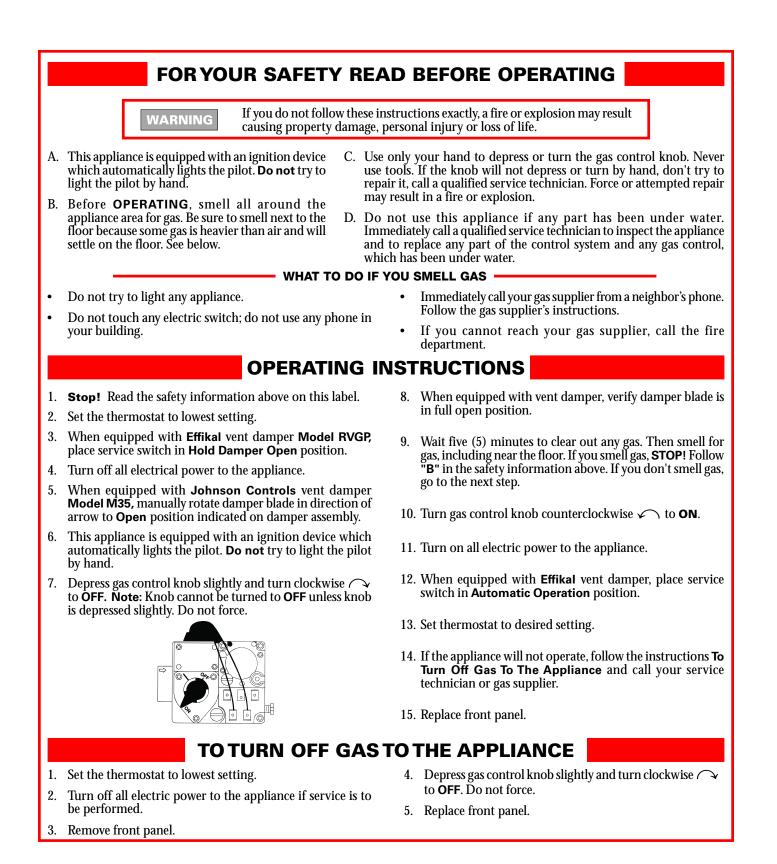
TO TURN OFF GAS TO THE APPLIANCE

- 4. Depress and move selector arm to **OFF**. Do not force.
- 5. Replace front panel.











10a Service and maintenance – schedule

Table 6 Service and maintenance schedules (service technician and user) Service technician **Owner maintenance** (see following pages for instructions) (see CGa User's Information Manual for instructions) Check boiler area Inspect: Check air openings Daily Reported problems Check boiler pressure/ Boiler area temperature gauge Air openings · Flue gas vent system Check boiler interior piping • Pilot and main burner flames Check venting system Water piping Check air vents Monthly · Boiler heating surfaces **ANNNUAL START-UP** · Check boiler relief valve Burners and base · Check automatic air vents (if used) Service: · Oiled-bearing circulators Periodically Test low water cutoff (if used) Start-up: · Perform start-up per manual **Every 6 months** Operate relief valve **Check/test:** · Gas piping Cold fill and operating pressures · Air vents and air elimination · Limit controls and cutoffs End of season · Shut down procedure Expansion tank Boiler relief valve **Review:** Review with owner

WARNING

Follow the **Service and maintenance** procedures given throughout this manual and in component literature shipped with the boiler. Failure to perform the service and maintenance could result in damage to the boiler or system. Failure to follow the directions in this manual and component literature could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



10b Service & maintenance — annual start-up

WARNING

The boiler should be **inspected and started annually**, at the beginning of the heating season, **only by a qualified service technician**. In addition, the maintenance and care of the boiler designated in **Table 6** and explained on the following pages must be performed to assure maximum boiler efficiency and reliability. Failure to service and maintain the boiler and system could result in equipment failure.

Inspect

Reported problems

Inspect any problems reported by owner and correct before proceeding.

Boiler area

- 1. Verify that boiler area is free of any **combustible materials**, gasoline and other flammable vapors and liquids.
- 2. Verify that boiler area (and air intake) is free of any of the **contaminants** listed in **Table 1** on page 9 of this manual. If any of these are present in the boiler intake air vicinity, they must be removed. If they cannot be removed, install combustion air piping to the boiler in accordance with national, provincial or local codes.

Air openings

1. Verify that combustion and ventilation air openings to the boiler room and/or building are open and **unobstructed**. Check operation and wiring of automatic combustion air dampers, if used. 2. Verify that boiler vent discharge and air intake are clean and free of obstructions.

Flue gas vent system

- 1. Visually inspect entire flue gas venting system for blockage, deterioration or leakage. Repair any joints that show signs of leakage in accordance with vent manufacturer's instructions.
- 2. Verify that masonry chimneys are lined, lining is in good condition, and there are not openings into the chimney.

WARNING

Failure to inspect for the above conditions and have them repaired can result in severe personal injury or death.

Pilot and main burner flames

1. Visually inspect pilot burner and main burner flames as directed under section **6d**, page 32 of this manual.

Water piping

- 1. Check the boiler interior piping and all system piping for signs of leaks.
- 2. Repair any leaks before proceeding.

WARNING

The boiler contains ceramic fiber and fiberglass materials. Use care when handling these materials per instructions on **page 68** of this manual. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury.



10b Service & maint. — annual start-up continued

WARNING

Electrical shock hazard — Turn off power to the boiler before any service operation on the boiler except as noted otherwise in this instruction manual. Failure to turn off electrical power could result in electrical shock, causing severe personal injury or death.

DANGER

WARNING

Do not use petroleum-based cleaning or sealing compounds in boiler system. Severe damage to boiler will occur, resulting in substantial property damage.

Eliminate all system or boiler leaks. Continual fresh makeup water will reduce boiler life. Minerals can build up in sections, reducing heat transfer, overheating cast iron, and causing section failure. Leaking water may also cause severe property damage.

Boiler heating surfaces

Inspect..

- 1. Disconnect the vent pipe at the boiler draft hood and remove draft hood after turning off power to the boiler.
- 2. Use a bright light to inspect the boiler flue collector and heating surfaces.
- 3. If the vent pipe or boiler interior surfaces show evidence of soot, follow Cleaning boiler heating surfaces in this manual section. Remove the flue collector and clean the boiler if necessary after closer inspection of boiler heating surfaces.
- 4. If there is evidence of rusty scale deposits on boiler surfaces, check the water piping and control system to make sure the boiler return water temperature is properly maintained (per this manual).
- 5. Reconnect vent and draft hood. Replace all boiler

components before returning to service.

6. Check inside and around boiler for evidence of any leaks from the boiler. If found, locate source of leaks and repair.

Burners and base

- 1. After turning off power to the boiler, remove the jacket door and base access panel (Figure 32, item 4, page 62).
- 2. Inspect burners and all other components in the boiler base.
- 3. If burners must be cleaned, raise rear of each burner to release from support slot, slide forward and remove. Then brush and vacuum the burners thoroughly, making sure all ports are free of debris. Carefully replace all burners, making sure burner with pilot bracket is replaced in its original position and all burners are upright (ports up).
- 4. Inspect the base insulation.
 - a. Pay attention to the WARNINGS on page 68 regarding working with insulation materials.
 - b. Verify that the insulation is intact and secure against all four sides of the base.
 - If insulation is damaged or WARNING displaced, do not operate the boiler. Replace or reposition insulation as necessary. Failure to replace damaged insulation can result in a fire hazard, causing severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.

WARNING

The boiler contains ceramic fiber and fiberglass materials. Use care when handling these materials per instructions on page 68 of this manual. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury.

Oiled-bearing circulators

- 1. The circulator shipped with the CGa boiler is waterlubricated. No oiling is required.
- 2. Check other circulators in the system. Oil any circulators requiring oil, following circulator manufacturer's instructions. Over-oiling will damage the circulator.



Start-up

- 1. Perform start-up procedures section **6**, pages 28-32, including procedure to verify operation of burners and vent damper on page 32.
- 2. Verify **cold fill pressure** is correct and that fill system is working properly.
- 3. Verify **antifreeze level** (if used) is at the right concentration and that inhibitor level is correct.
- 4. **Check gas piping**, per manual sections **4** and **6**, verifying no indications of leakage and all piping and connections are in good condition.
- 5. Read the Lighting or Operating instructions (manual section 8 or 9) applying to the boiler.
- 6. Start the boiler following the Lighting or Operating instructions (manual section 8 or 9).

Check/test

Gas piping

- 1. Sniff near floor and around boiler area for any indication of a **gas leak**.
- 2. **Test gas piping using bubble test**, per section **4**, page 26 of this manual, if there is any indication of a leak.

Cold fill and operating pressures

- 1. While the system is cold, note the **pressure reading** on the boiler pressure/temperature gauge. Verify that cold fill pressure is correct.
- 2. Watch the pressure as the boiler and system heat up to ensure pressure rise is normal. Too high a rise would indicate a waterlogged or undersized expansion tank.

Air vents and air elimination

- 1. Inspect automatic air vents (if used). Also inspect air separators to ensure they are operational.
- 2. The cap must be unscrewed one turn to allow air to escape.
- 3. See **Figure 26**. If the air vent is leaking, remove cap **A** and briefly push valve **B** and then release to clean the valve seat.
- 4. Replace cap **A** by twisting all the way onto valve **B** and then unscrewing one turn.

Limit controls and cutoffs

1. Inspect and test the boiler limit control. Verify operation by turning control set point below boiler

temperature. Boiler should cycle off. Return dial to original setting.

2. Inspect and test additional limit controls or low water cutoffs installed on system.



Expansion tank

1. Expansion tanks provide space for water to move in an out as the heating system water expands due to temperature increase or contracts as the water cools. Tanks may be open, closed or diaphragm or bladder type. See section **3**, page 16 of this manual for suggested best location of expansion tanks and air eliminators.

Open-type — located above highest radiator or baseboard unit, usually in the attic or closet. Has a gauge glass and overflow pipe to a drain.

Closed-type — welded gas tight and located above boiler. Tank is partially filled with water, leaving an air cushion for expansion.

 Make sure this type of tank is fitted with a tank fitting, such as the B & G Tank-Trol or Taco Taco-Trol. This fitting reduces gravity



Service & maint. — annual start-up continued

Gheck/test

circulation of air-saturated tank water back to the system and prevents the air from bubbling up through the water as it returns from the system.

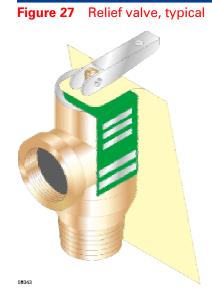
• Do not use automatic air vents in systems with closed-type tanks. The air will escape from the system instead of returning to the tank. Eventually, the tank will waterlog and no longer control pressurization. The boiler relief valve will weep frequently.

Diaphragm- or bladder-type — welded gas tight with a rubber membrane to separate the tank pressurizing air and the water. May be located at any point in the system, but most often found near the boiler.

- Systems with this type of expansion tank require at least one automatic air vent, preferably located on top of an air eliminator, as shown in examples in manual section 3, pages 16-25.
- 2. If relief valve has tended to weep frequently, the expansion tank may be waterlogged or undersized.

Closed-type tank — tank is most likely waterlogged. Install a tank fitting if not already installed. Then check fill level per fitting manufacturer's instructions. If fill level is correct, check tank size against manufacturer's instructions. Replace with a larger tank if necessary.

Diaphragm- or bladder-type — first, check tank size to be sure it is large enough for the system. If size is too small, add additional tank (s) as necessary



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Review with owner

- 1. Review the User's Information Manual with the owner.
- 2. Emphasize the need to perform the maintenance schedule specified in the User's Information **Manual** (and in this manual as well).
- 3. Remind the owner of the need to call in a licensed

Cleaning boiler heating surfaces

- 1. Shut down boiler:
 - Follow "To Turn Off Gas to Appliance" instructions on boiler and Lighting or **Operating instructions.**
 - Do not drain boiler unless it will be exposed to freezing temperatures. If using antifreeze in system, do not drain.
- 2. Follow shutdown procedure.
- 3. Remove venting system connection to boiler.
- Remove top jacket panel. Turn back insulation. 4
- 5. Remove flue collector. Clean sealant from assembly and sections.
- 6. Remove radiation plates hanging between sections.
- Remove burners from base. Brush and vacuum 7. burners to remove all dust and lint. Verify that all burner ports are free of debris.
- 8. Place newspapers in base of boiler to collect soot.
- 9. Clean between sections with wire flue brush.
- 10. Remove newspaper and soot. Vacuum or brush base

and surrounding area.

unusual behavior.

- 11. Reinstall radiation plates.
- 12. Replace collector box/transition assembly. Seal with sealant. Obtain gas-tight seal to prevent flue gas spillage and carbon monoxide emissions, resulting in severe personal injury or death.

contractor should the boiler or system exhibit any

procedure and to schedule an annual start-up at the

4. Remind the owner to follow the proper shutdown

beginning of the next heating season.

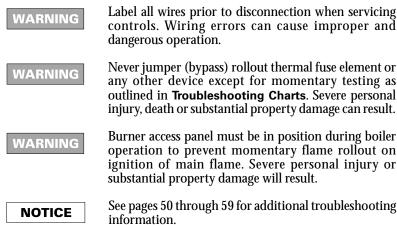
- 13. Replace insulation and jacket top panel.
- 14. Start up boiler following section 6, pages 28-32 of this manual and the boiler Lighting or Operating instructions. Excessive sooting indicates improper gas combustion. If found, check for proper combustion and make any necessary adjustments.

WARNING

The boiler contains ceramic fiber and fiberglass materials. Use care when handling these materials per instructions on page 68 of this manual. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury.

11a

Troubleshooting — procedure



Before troubleshooting:

- 1. Have the following items:
 - Voltmeter that can check 120 VAC and 24 a. VAC.
 - b. Microammeter with a minimum scale range of 0-25.
 - Continuity checker. C.
 - d. U-tube manometer.
- 2. Check for 120 VAC (minimum 102 VAC to maximum 132 VAC) to boiler.
- 3. Make sure thermostat is calling for heat and contacts (including appropriate zone controls) are closed. Check for 24 VAC between thermostat wire nuts and ground.

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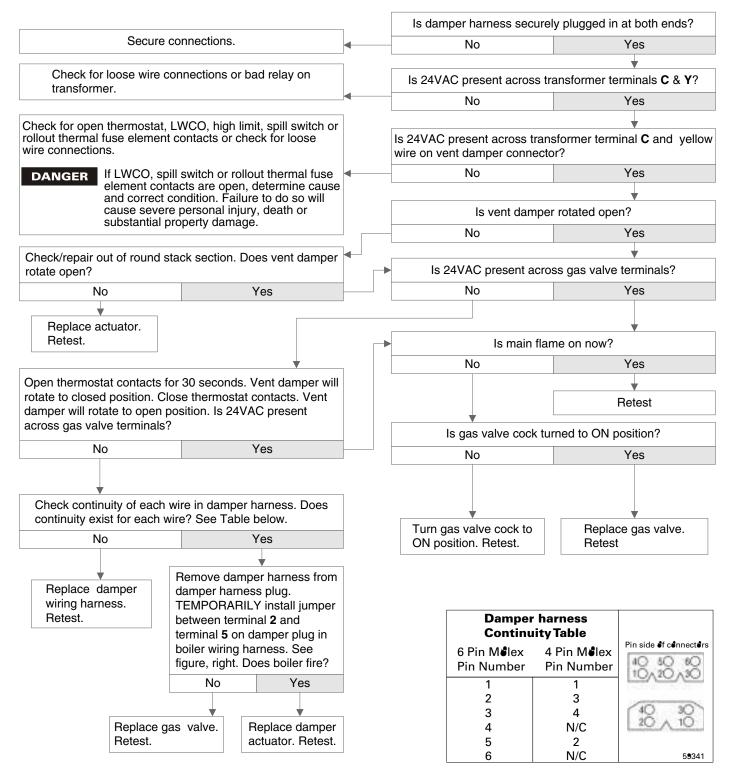


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11b Troubleshooting — standing pilot boilers

Chart 1 - Standing pilot - Boiler will not fire





11C Troubleshooting — spark-ignited pilot boilers

The information on this page and pages 53 through 59 apply only to spark-ignited pilot CGa boilers. These boilers are equipped with an ignition control module that has indicator lights to show control status. Charts 2 through 7, pages 54-59, help you identify problems based on indicator light conditions.

NOTICE

NOTICE

Make sure ground wiring is installed per wiring diagram. Good grounding is extremely important for proper operation.

Solder or water splatter between plugs and circuit WARNING board can cause improper operation of control module. Place a shield over the boiler internal controls and components during installation. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



Control indicator lights lockout modes

See Charts 2 through 7, pages 54-59 in this section, for detailed troubleshooting procedures.

To reset control after a lockout, turn off power at the 120 VAC service switch or turn down all thermostats. Wait 45 seconds. Then restore power or call for heat.

POWER light flashing alone

Usually indicates reversed polarity of 120 VAC power wires.

POWER and TSTAT CIRC lights flashing

Usually indicates stray voltage on external thermostat circuit wires (usually due to miswired 3-wire zone valve).

POWER and DAMPER lights flashing

Usually indicates vent damper failed to open within 5 minutes.

POWER and FLAME lights flashing

Usually indicates false flame sense or flame sensed when it shouldn't be there.

Control indicator lights non-lockout modes

FLAME light flashing alone

Usually indicates pilot flame was not established within 15 seconds from application of spark. Control will flash light, but will continue to cycle indefinitely until flame is established or problem is corrected.

DAMPER light flashing alone

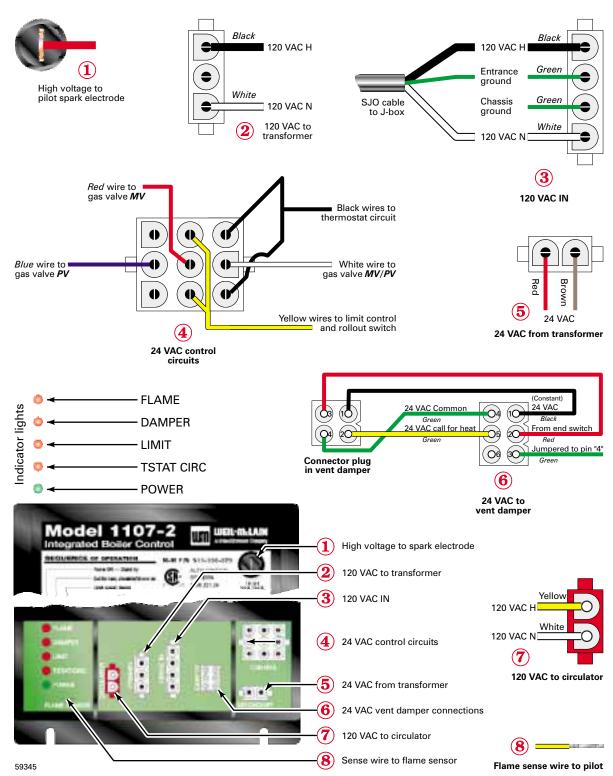
Usually indicates damper opened during run cycle. Boiler will not lockout, but won't heat unless problem is corrected.

Troubleshooting the control module

See Figure 30, page 53, for location of harness plug receptacles and plugs on the control module.

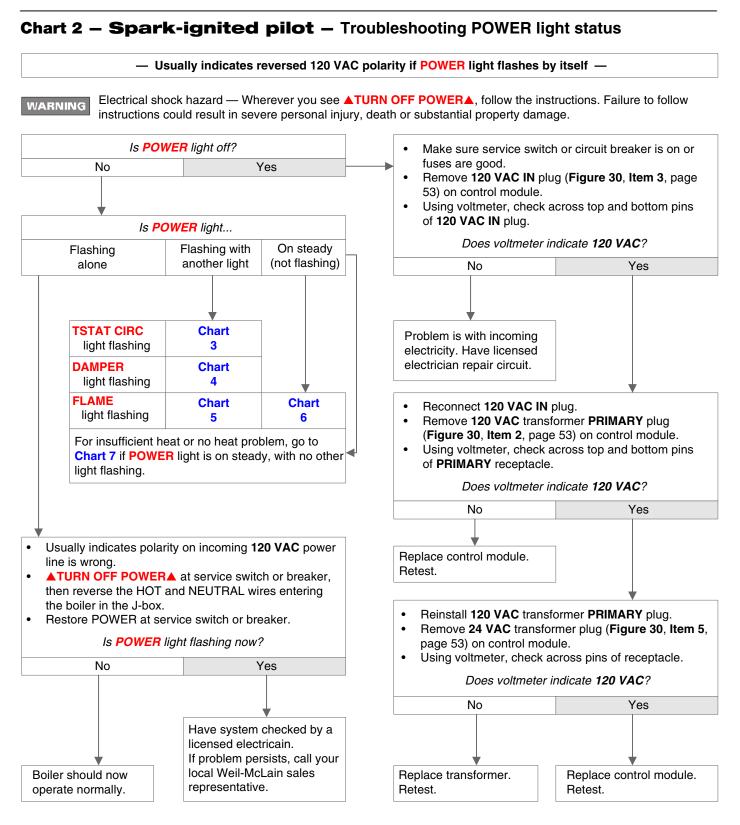


Figure 30 Control module connections

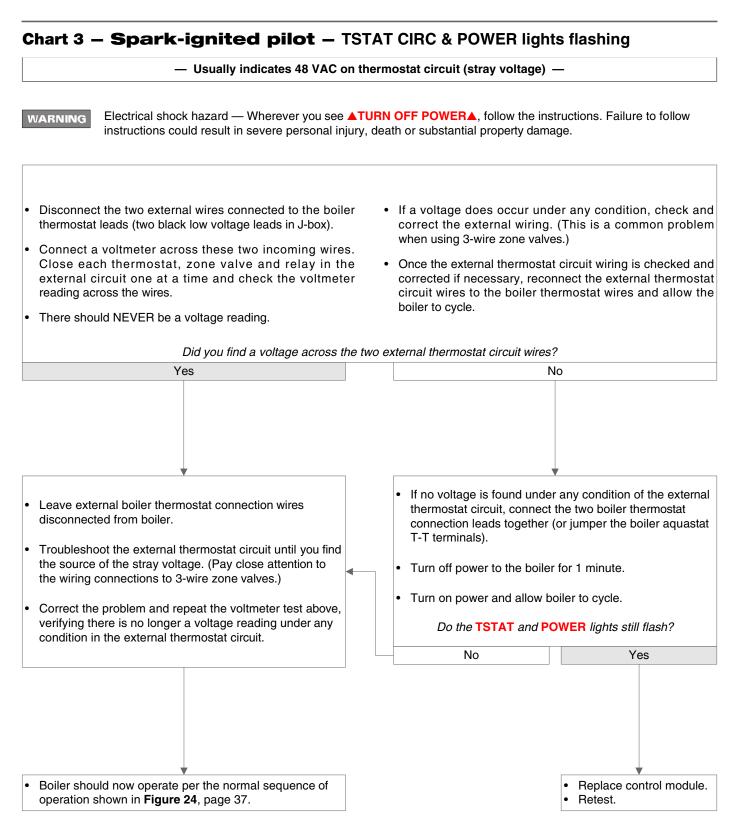




11C Troubleshooting — spark-ignited pilot boilers

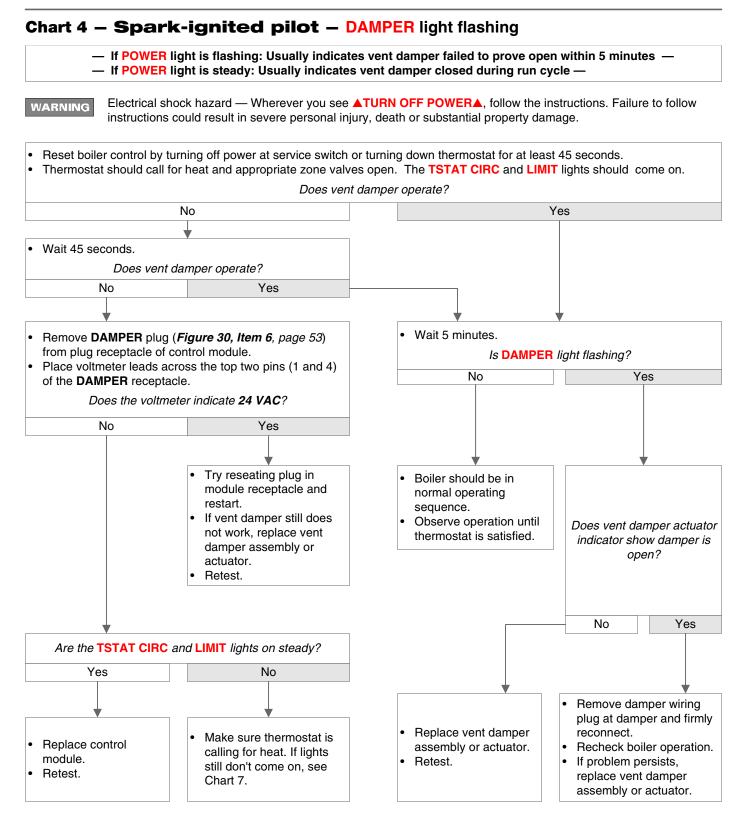


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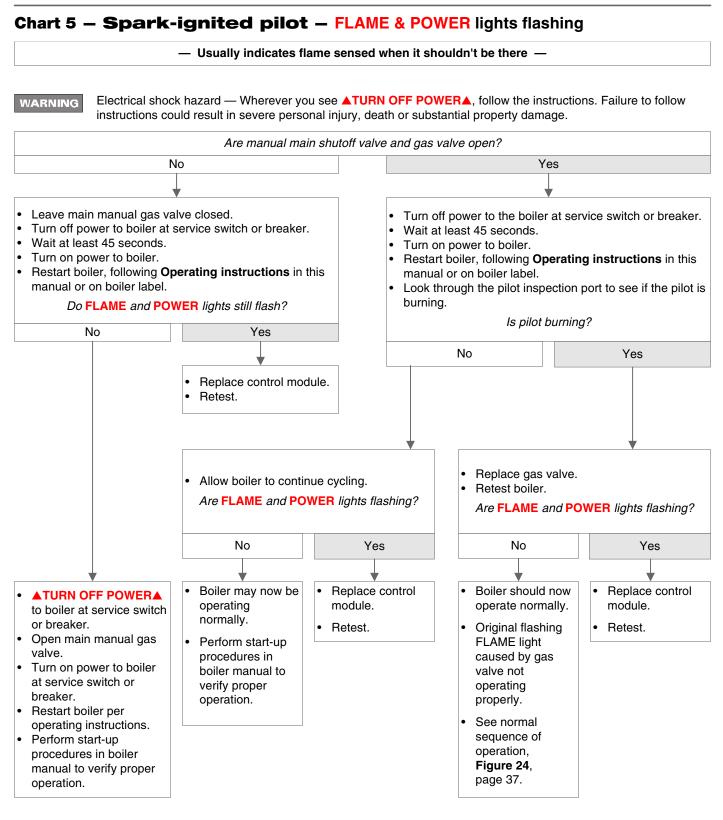


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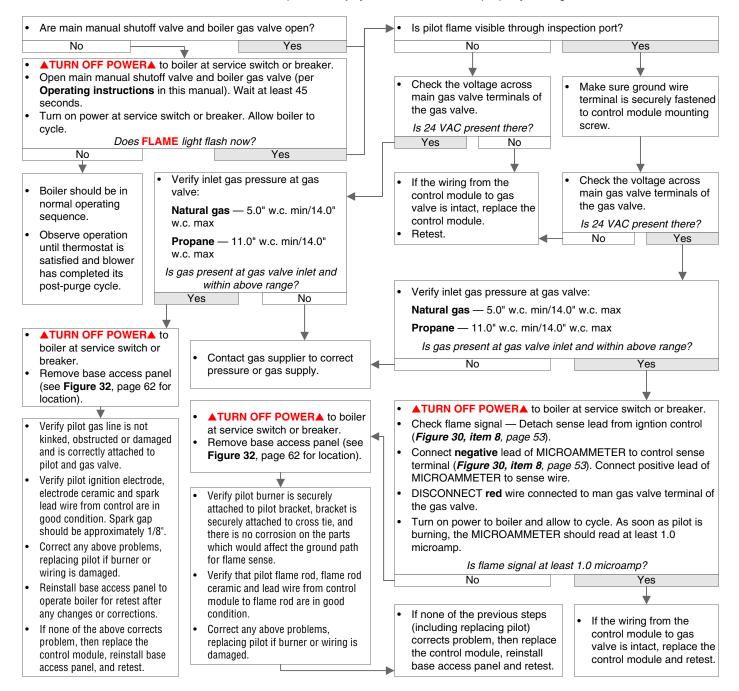


11C Troubleshooting — spark-ignited pilot boilers

Chart 6 – Spark-ignited pilot – FLAME light flashing and POWER light on steady ALSO — Troubleshooting failure to establish main flame

WARNING

Electrical shock hazard — Wherever you see **TURN OFF POWERA**, follow the instructions. Failure to follow instructions could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.



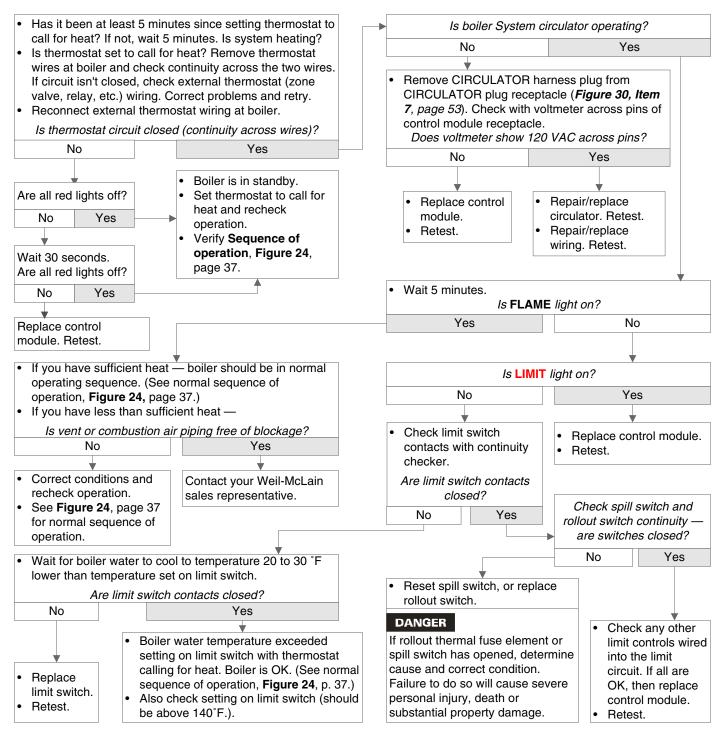


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Chart 7 - Spark-ignited pilot - Insufficient heat or no heat (POWER light on steady)

WARNING

Electrical shock hazard — Wherever you see ▲TURN OFF POWER▲, follow the instructions. Failure to follow instructions could result in severe personal injury, death or substantial property damage.





12a Replacement parts

Section assembly 61	1
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WARNING

Replacement parts must be purchased through a local Weil-McLain distributor. When ordering, specify boiler model and size and include description and part number of replacement part. Results from using modified or other manufactured parts will not be covered by warranty and may damage boiler or impair operation.

NOTICE

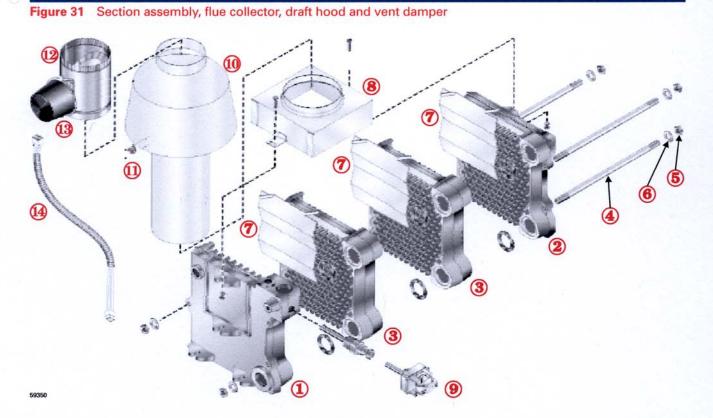
Weil-McLain part numbers are found in Weil-McLain Boilers and Controls Repair Parts Lists.



The boiler contains ceramic fiber and fiberglass materials. Use care when handling these materials per instructions on **page 68** of this manual. Failure to comply could result in severe personal injury.



$12b \hspace{0.1 cm} \hbox{Replacement parts} - \hbox{section assembly} \\$



ltem number	Description	Weil-McLain part number				
1	End section, left hand, 5	311-103-830				
2	End section, right hand,	51128	311-103-810			
3	Intermediate section, 51	311-103-805				
not shown						
not shown	Section replacement kit, sealant for 1 joint	includes seals and				
4	Tie rod, 7/16" without nut (3 per boiler):	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 & CGa-8	560-234-500 560-234-501 560-234-502 560-234-503 560-234-503			
5	Nut, 7/16" (2 per tie rod)	561-928-235				
6	Washer, 7/16" (1 per tie roo	562-248-684				
7	Radiation plate (1 per join	460-003-700				

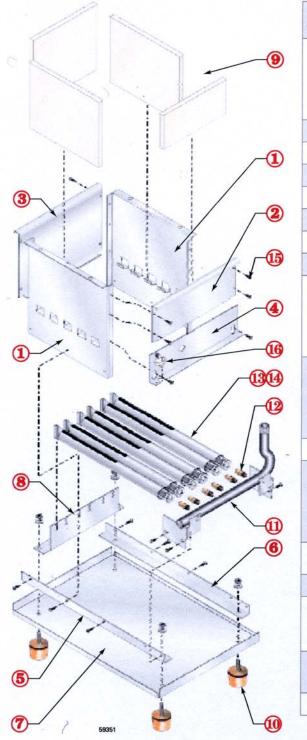
Item number	Description	Weil-McLain part number	
8	Collector hood	CGa-25 CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	381-354-625 381-354-626 381-354-627 381-354-628 381-354-629 381-354-630 381-354-631
9	High limit, 30° differential, with well	Honeywell L4080D1036 White-Rodgers 11B81-3	510-312-250
10	Draft hood	CGa-25 CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	450-021-240 450-021-241 450-021-242 450-021-243 450-021-244 450-021-245 450-021-246
11	Spill switch		510-350-100
12	Vent damper	4" 5" 6" 7"	381-800-474 381-800-475 381-800-476 381-800-477
13	Vent damper actuator	Effikal RVGP Johnson M35BE-1C	510-512-337 510-312-255
14	Vent damper harness		591-391-795

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12c Replacement parts — base assembly

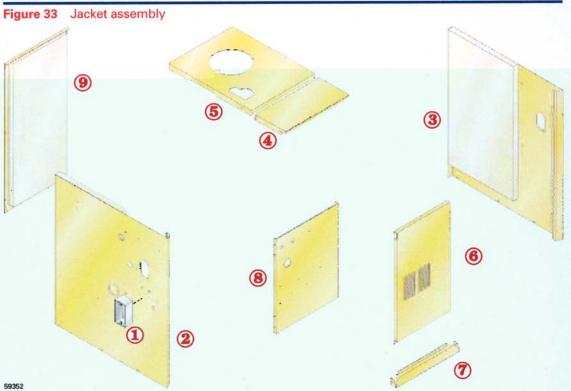
Figure 32 Base assembly, manifold, orifices and burners



ltem number	Description		Weil-McLain part number
	Base assembly kit (includes base panels items 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, plus insulation, air box gaskets, and hardware)	CGa-25 CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	381-354-356 381-354-356 381-354-357 381-354-358 381-354-359 381-354-360 381-354-361
1	Base side panel (in Base assembl	and and a second	
2	Base front cross-tie assembly (in		
3	Base back cross-tie assembly (in	Base assembly)	
4	Access panel (in Base assembly)		
5	Base pan angle, left side (in Base	assembly)	
6	Base pan angle, right side (in Bas	e assembly)	
7	Base pan (in Base assembly)		T San Sand
8	Burner rest	CGa-25 CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	450-003-742 450-003-736 450-003-737 450-003-738 450-003-739 450-003-740 450-003-741
9	Base insulation kit (includes insulation for all base parts above plus gasket material needed between block assembly and base)	CGa-25 CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	381-354-518 381-354-518 381-354-518 381-354-518 381-354-519 381-354-519 381-354-519 381-354-519
10	Boiler leg kit		590-424-253
11	Manifold	CGa-25 CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	591-126-615 591-126-616 591-126-617 591-126-618 591-126-619 591-126-556 591-126-557
12	Main burner orifice — Natural gas Main burner orifice — Propane ga		560-528-997 560-528-998
13	Burner, stainless steel		512-200-077
14	Burner with pilot bracket (not shown)	Standing pilot	512-200-079
		Spark-ignited pilot	512-200-078
15	Screw, 10-32 x 1/s STP type D hx, slot ZP	washer head	available at local supply house
16	Rollout thermal fuse element		512-050-230



12d Replacement parts — jacket assembly

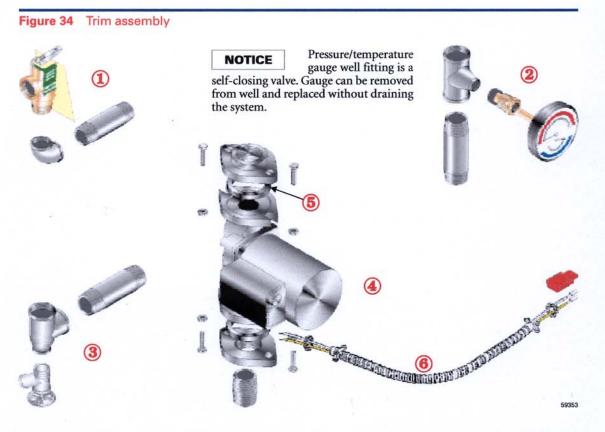


ltem number			Description Weil-McLain Item part number num		Description	Weil-McLain part number		
1		nction box, 2 x 4 vailable at local supply house)		6	Jacket panel,door	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5	431-223-315 431-223-316 431-223-317	
2	Jacket pane insulation	el, left side, with	421-208-159			CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	431-223-318 431-223-319 431-223-320	
3	Jacket pane	el, right side	421-208-160	7	Jacket cross tie,	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4	431-223-325 431-223-326	
4	panel, top CGa	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5	431-223-338 431-223-339 431-223-340		bottom front	CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	431-223-327 431-223-328 431-223-329 431-223-330	
		CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	431-223-341 431-223-342 431-223-343	8	Jacket panel, interior	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6	431-223-290 431-223-291 431-223-292 431-223-293	
5	Jacket panel, top	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4	431-223-351 431-223-352			CGa-7 CGa-8	431-223-293 431-223-294 431-223-295	
	rear	CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	431-223-353 431-223-354 431-223-355 431-223-356	9	Jacket panel, rear	CGa-25 & CGa-3 CGa-4 CGa-5 CGa-6 CGa-7 CGa-8	431-223-300 431-223-301 431-223-302 431-223-303 431-223-304 431-223-305	

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$12e \ \ {}_{\text{Replacement parts}-\text{trim assembly}}$



ltem number	Description	Manufacturer	Manufacturer's part number	Weil-McLain part number
1	Pressure relief valve, ASME, 30 PSIG, ¾" male inlet Pressure relief valve, ASME, 30 PSIG, ¾" female inlet (<i>Fittings shown are factory-installed on boiler.</i>)	Conbraco Watts Conbraco Watts	10-407-10 M330 10-408-05 335	511-546-921 511-546-924
2	Combination pressure-temperature gauge, 2 ½" short shank, self-closing valve (Fittings shown are shipped loose with boiler.)	Ametek ENFM	199982 4104	510-218-099 510-218-047
3	Drain valve, ¾" (Fittings shown are included with boiler.)	Conbraco Hammond Valve Matco-Norca Watts	31-606-01 710 205F04 BD-2C	511-210-423
14	Circulator (Fittings shown are shipped loose with boiler.)	Bell & Gossett Taco	NRF-22-103253 007	511-405-118 511-405-113
5	Circulator gasket, universal (2 per boiler)	Weil-I	590-317-535	
not shown	Circulator hardware kit, includes: 1 flange, 2 nuts, 2 screws, 1 gasket: 3/* NPT — CGa-25		381-354-525	
6	Circulator wiring harness, standing pilot ignition Circulator wiring harness, spark-ignited pilot (with Molex)	Weil-I	591-319-793 381-354-528	
not shown	Mate-N-Lock connector (red), spark-ignited pilot only	Amp	1-480698-2	563-210-632



$12f_{\text{Replacement parts}-\text{controls}}$

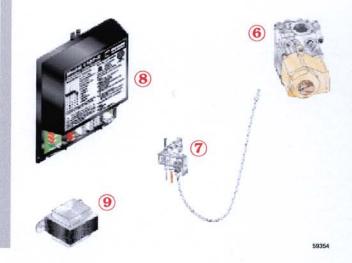
Figure 35 Gas control assembly

Standing pilot controls





Spark-ignited pilot controls



ltem number	Description	Manufacturer	Manufacturer's part number	Weil-McLain part number	
Standing p	ilot — Natural gas components				
1	Gas valve, 1/2" x 1/2", CGa-25 through CGa-6 Gas valve, 3/4" x 3/4", CGa-7 and CGa-8	Honeywell Robertshaw Honeywell	VR8200A2116 7200ER VR8300C4050	511-044-360 511-044-256	
2	Pilot assembly kit with orifice	Weil-McLain		510-811-644	
3	Tubing, pilot, aluminum		THE DAY OF THE OWNER OF THE OWNER	560-742-860	
4	Tubing, thermocouple			511-724-254	
	Propane gas components				
1	Gas valve, ¼" x ¼", CGa-25 through CGa-6 Gas valve, ¾" x ¾", CGa-7 and CGa-8	Honeywell Honeywell	VR8200A2280 VR83004068	511-044-258 511-044-257	
2	Pilot assembly kit with orifice	Weil-McLain		510-811-646	
3	Tubing, pilot, aluminum			550-742-860	
4	Tubing, thermocouple			511-724-253	
	Natural gas and propane gas components				
5	Transformer relay			510-312-167	
not shown	Wiring harness			591-391-862	
Spark ignit	ion				
6	Gas valve, ½" x ½", CGa-25 through CGa-6 Gas valve, ¾" x ¾", CGa-7 and CGa-8	Honeywell White-Rodgers Robertshaw Honeywell White-Rodgers	VR8200A2280 36E36-266 7200 IPER VR8304P4348 36C74-474	511-044-381 511-044-382	
7	Pilot assembly kit with orifice and alun num pilot gas tubing	Weil-McLain		511-330-166	
8	Control module	United Technologies	1107-2	511-330-079	
9	Control transformer			511-842-370	
not shown	Wiring harness, controls to control module			591-391-905	
Pilot gas p	ressure regulator — Natural gas and propane gas, CGa-25 a	nd CGa-3			
not shown	Pilot gas pressure regulator 4.0" w.c. outlet	Maxitrol SLP	RV-12 SL-50N	510-933-126	
not shown	Tubing, from gas valve to regulator	Weil-McLain		560-742-859	
not shown	Adapter, male 1/8" x 7/16" - 24, from regulator to pilot gas line	Weil-McLain		562-302-017	



DOE

13b Ratings







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Boiler model number	Input (Btuh)	DOE Heating capacity	0–2,000 feet altitude		2,000–4,500 feet altitude						Net I=B=R ratings	I=B=R ratings	Boiler water content		DOE onal effic % A.F.U.I		Chimney and breeching
		(Btuh)	Input (Btuh)	Output (Btuh)	lnput (Btuh)	Output (Btuh)	(Btuh)	(gallons)	SPDN	SPDL	PIDN	size					
(N s te 1)		(N s te 2)					(N \$ te 3)										
CGa-25	52,000	44,000	52,000	44,000	46, ₀∙9 0	39,000	3 •79 00	1.5	• 4 ;5	•€ 3	●~4 g0	4"I.D. x 20'					
CGa-3	70,000	5 9 ,000	70,000	59,000	63,000	53,000	51,000	1.5	• 4 ;6	• 3 ;7	●~4 g0	4"I.D. x 20'					
CGa-4	105,000	• >,900	105,000	• > <u>7</u> 000	94,500	79,000	77,000	2.1	•4;7	• 3 ;7	●¶ \$0	5"I.D. x 20′					
CGa-5	140,000	117,000	140,000	117,000	126,000	105,000	102,000	2.7	•4:•7:	• 3 ;7	●ੳ \$5	6"I.D. x 20'					
CGa-6	175,000	146,000	175,000	146,000	157,500	131,000	127,000	3.3	•4;9	• 3 6	•3 2	6"I.D. x 20'					
CGa-7	210,000	175,000	210,000	175,000	1 •% 000	157,000	152,000	3. .~:	• 2 ;0	• 3 ;6	•€ 0	7"I.D. x 20'					
CGa-8	245,000	204,000	245,000	204,000	220,500	1 •€ ;000	177,000	4.4	• ₽;1	•% 6	• ₽;7	7"I.D. x 20'					

Notes 1. See **Table 7** for available pilot systems. The suffix shown in the table is added to the boiler model number. (Not available for millivolt systems.)

- 2. Based on standard test procedures prescribed by the United States Department of Energy.
- 3. Net I=B=R ratings are based on net installed radiation of sufficient quantity for the requirements of the building and nothing need be added for normal piping and pickup. Ratings are based on a piping and pickup allowance of 1.15. An additional allowance should be made for unusual piping and pickup loads.

Table 7 Ignition system model suffixes

Pilot ignition system	Natural gas	Propane gas
t Standing کالا	SPDN	SPDL
S ark-ignited	PIDN	N s t available

NOTICE

Install CGa boilers for residential radiant panel systems, converted gravity heating systems or other low water temperature applications per instructions in this manual to avoid damage due to condensation.

CGa boilers are CSA design certified for installation on combustible flooring. CGa boilers are ASME rated for 50 psig working pressure.

