GWB8-E GAS-FIRED HOT WATER BOILER

RESIDENTIAL
PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

WATER HEATING / BOILERS

Gas-Fired Hot Water Boiler - 60 Hz

Bulletin No. 210651
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Supersedes July 2016

AFUE up to 83.9%
Heating Input – 50,000 to 299,000 Btuh

MODEL NUMBER IDENTIFICATION

GWB 8 - 075 E - 3

Series
GWB = Gas-Fired Hot Water Boiler

AFUE
Minimum Efficiency - 8 = 82%

Revision Number
3 = 3rd Generation

Ignition
E = Electronic Ignition

Capacity (Input)
050 = 50,000 Btuh
075 = 75,000 Btuh
100 = 100,000 Btuh
125 = 125,000 Btuh
150 = 150,000 Btuh
170 = 170,000 Btuh
200 = 200,000 Btuh
262 = 262,000 Btuh
299 = 299,000 Btuh
Applications

• Nine models with heating inputs of 50,000 to 299,000 Btuh
• AFUE - Up to 83.9%
• Natural gas or LPG/Propane (LPG with optional conversion kit)
• Boiler applications include radiant floor heating, baseboard heating and zoned heating systems
• Compact size allows easy installation in a basement or utility room
• Shipped factory assembled with all controls installed and wired
• Each unit is factory test operated to ensure dependable performance

Heating System

Cast Iron Boiler Assembly
• Boiler sections and push nipples are constructed of long life cast iron
• Boiler sections and push nipples expand and contract together, providing positive watertight seal
• Boiler components are easily accessible for cleaning and servicing

Electronic Ignition
• Electronic spark igniter provides positive ignition of pilot burner on each operating cycle
• Pilot gas is ignited and burns during each running cycle of the boiler
• Main burners and pilot gas are extinguished during the off cycle
• Ignition system permits main gas valve to open only when the pilot burner is proven to be lit
• Pilot operation is fully automatic on demand for heat.
• Should flame fail to ignite, control will continue to re-attempt ignition
• Should a loss of flame occur, the main valve closes, shutting down the unit

Automatic Gas Control
• Silent operating gas controls provide 100% safety shut off
• 24 volt redundant combination gas control valve combines automatic safety pilot, manual shut off option (On-Off), pilot filtration, automatic electric valve (dual) and gas pressure regulation into a compact combination control
• Dual valve design provides double assurance of 100% close off of gas to the pilot and main burners on each off cycle
HEATING SYSTEM (continued)

Stainless Steel Burners (050 to 200 Models)
- Each burner has rows of continuous ports which result in quiet and clean combustion

Titanium Burners (262 and 299 Models)
- Titanium composite burners resist corrosion and oxidation
- Slotted port design results in quiet, clean combustion
- Superior strength and longevity

Circulating Pump
- Constructed of cast iron
- Pump motor is impedance protected
- Motor and impeller is removable as a single unit for servicing
- Pump is shipped separately for field installation

Relief Valve
- Furnished as standard and factory installed on 50 to 200 models
- Field installed on top of cabinet on 260 and 299 models
- Valve provides for pressure relief of heating system in case of abnormal operating conditions
- Valve opens at 30 psig
- Approved by ASME

Combination Temperature/Pressure Gauge
- Gauge monitors system for safe and reliable operation

Brass Drain Valve
- 3/4 in. brass drain valve is furnished as standard and factory installed in drain outlet on side of cabinet on 50 to 200 models
- Field installed on 260 and 300 models.
- See dimension drawing for location

Optional Accessories

LPG/Propane Conversion Kit
- Conversion kit required for field changeover from natural gas
- Kits available for standard and high altitude operation
- See Specifications tables

IGNITION CONTROL MODULE
- Control module provides ignition sequence, flame monitoring and safety shutdown for intermittent pilot spark ignition heating system

BOILER CONTROL MODULE
- On-board microprocessor saves fuel by adjusting boiler temperature based on heating demand
- Easy dial-in settings for low/high temperature limits and economy settings
- Installed external to the boiler cabinet in durable protective housing with display window

Thermal Targeting
- Microprocessor-based algorithm monitors thermostat activity and continually evaluates how much heat the house requires
- When it is very cold outside, heat demand is high and the control raises the boiler Target Temperature to provide needed heat to the house
- When the outside temperature is milder, heat demand is lower
- During these periods, the control lowers the boiler Target Temperature - saving fuel - while continuing to provide comfort to the house

Thermal Pre-Purge
- Enhances boiler efficiency by supplying latent heat that may remain in the boiler from a previous run cycle to the heating zone requiring heat
- The control activates the burner only when it determines that the latent heat will not be adequate to satisfy the heating demand

Enhanced Condensing Protection (Optional Setting)
- Allows the boiler to heat to 125°F before energizing the circulating pump, reducing the potential for condensing
- Once activated, the control continues to monitor boiler temperature and interrupts the pump if it drops below 115°F

Display LEDs
- Three, seven segment LEDs continually displays boiler temperature
- Instantly changes to display control settings when any dial is adjusted
- Indicator light for heating call
- Fahrenheit or Celsius display

LED Status Lights
- Status lights on top of control continually indicates which functions are active and if the control is holding the burner off for any reason

TEMP
- ACTIVE – Indicates the control is powered and the temperature function is active
- HI TEMP – Illuminates any time the burner is off as a result of the boiler reaching the high limit setting

LWCO
- ACTIVE – Illuminates when the control is providing low water cut-off protection

LOW WATER – Indicates a low water condition in the boiler

ECONOMY
- ACTIVE – Indicates that the Economy dial is turned on and that Thermal Targeting function is active
- TARGET – Illuminates any time the burner is on as a result of the boiler reaching the Target temperature determined by Thermal Targeting
- TEST SETTINGS BUTTON – Automatic or Manual reset mode, and test settings for initial control setup
FEATURES

ADDITIONAL CONTROLS

Flame Rollout Switch
- Temperature sensitive fusible-link device is furnished and factory installed on the boiler base just outside of the burner box
- Prevents unit operation in the event combustion products passageway through the flueway is reduced or blocked

Junction Box
- Furnished in Control Module housing for easy field wiring

Limit Sensor
- Factory installed immersion type limit sensor provides protection against abnormal operating conditions

Transformer
- 40VA transformer furnished for control module operation

Optional Accessories

Thermostat
- Thermostat is not furnished with unit
- Lennox Price Book for selection

VENTING

Blocked Vent Shutoff Sensor
- Temperature Switch prevents unit operation in case of flue blockage
- Sensor is furnished as standard and factory installed at the relief opening of the draft diverter

Integral Draft Hood
- Reduces the overall height and footprint of the boiler making it ideal for low clearance/space limited installations

Vent Damper
- Motorized vent damper electrically interlocks with the gas ignition system to increase efficiency of heating system by reducing loss of heated air up the chimney after burner shut off
- Also reduces chimney infiltration during boiler off cycle
- Furnished as standard for field installation

CABINET

- Heavy gauge steel
- Baked-on enamel paint finish
- Fully insulated with fiberglass insulation, keeping cabinet surface temperatures low
- Hole for drain valve (furnished) furnished on left side of cabinet for 262 and 299 models only
- Controls are shipped factory installed on right side of cabinet
- Burner access panel is easily removed for servicing
- Integral draft diverter is part of unit cabinet
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CSA certified units for Canada must be derated when installed at an elevation of more than 2000 feet above sea level. If unit is installed at an altitude higher than 2000 feet, the unit must be derated 10% for elevations between 2000 feet and 4500 feet above sea level.

**NOTE** — This is the only permissible derate for these units.

### INSTALLATION CLEARANCES

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**NOTE** — Air for combustion must conform to the methods outlined in the National Fuel Gas Code (NFPA 54/ANSI-Z223.1) or the National Standard of Canada CAN/CSA-B149.1 “Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code”.

**NOTE** — In the U.S. flue sizing must conform to the methods outlined in the current National Fuel Gas Code (NFPA 54/ANSI-Z223.1) or applicable provisions of local building codes. In Canada flue sizing must conform to the methods outlined in National Standard of Canada CAN/CSA-B149.1.

¹ Definition of Alcove is a three-sided space with no wall in front of boiler. ANSI standard for alcove is 18 inches (457 mm) from front of appliance to leading edge of side walls.

² Clearance for installation on combustible floor if combustible flooring base (field supplied) is installed between the boiler and the combustible floor.
### 050 TO 200 MODELS

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**NOTE** - Add 6 (152 mm) to height for Vent Damper.

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CIRCULATING PUMP FLOW RATE

REVISIONS

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*007 Pump furnished with all boilers.

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