

EKW-Herald V3 Flue Guide



Models covered:

EKW-HCB117

EKW-HCB190

EKW-HCB235

EKW-HCB295

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GENERAL

Lochinvar EcoKnight water heaters and Herald boilers are certified for use on the following flue categories:

Installation type	Category	Description
B23	Open flue	An appliance intended to be connected to a flue that evacuates the products of combustion to the outside of the room containing the appliance. The combustion air is drawn directly from the room.
C13	Closed Flue	An appliance connected to either a concentric or twin-pipe flue system with a Horizontal flue terminal. Both the air inlet and flue exhaust must be in the same pressure zone.
C33	Closed Flue	An appliance connected to either a concentric or twin-pipe flue system with a Vertical flue terminal. Both the air inlet and flue exhaust must be in the same pressure zone.
C53	Closed Flue	An appliance connected to a twin-pipe flue system with a Horizontal or Vertical flue terminal. Both air inlet and flue exhaust may be in different pressure zones.
C63	Closed Flue	An appliance intended to be connected to a separately approved and marketed system for the supply of combustion air and discharge of combustion products (i.e. other than that supplied by the water heater manufacturer).

Due to the pressure drop within the standard M&G flue system only B23 flue systems can be supplied. As such only B23 and C63 systems are covered in this document.

All installations should comply with the requirements of:

1. For appliances up to 70kW net input- BS5440-1:2008- Flueing and ventilation for gas appliances of rated input not exceeding 70 kW net (1st, 2nd, and 3rd family gases). Specification for installation of gas appliances to chimneys and for maintenance of chimneys.
 - a. Refer to drawing 1 and table 1 for details of terminal locations.
2. For appliances over 70kW net input- IGEM/UP/10 Edition 4 +A: 2016 - Installation of flued gas appliances in industrial and commercial premises, specific attention should be paid to the following sections.
 - a. Refer to drawing 1 and table 1 for details of terminal locations.
 - b. Horizontal terminations shall be located according to the minimum distances given in table 1, and subject to the risk assessment criteria shown in table 2.
 - c. Horizontal flue terminations (other than for fan dilution systems) must not be installed for any single appliance or group of appliances with a total nett input exceeding 333kW net heat input.
 - d. For any single appliance or group of appliances with a total net heat input exceeding 333 kW, the general requirements of IGEM/UP/10 Edition 4 +A: 2016 shall apply and approval must be sought from the Local Authority prior to commencement of the installation.
3. The Clean Air Act for installations exceeding 333kW nett input.

DRAWING 1 WATER HEATER TERMINAL LOCATIONS

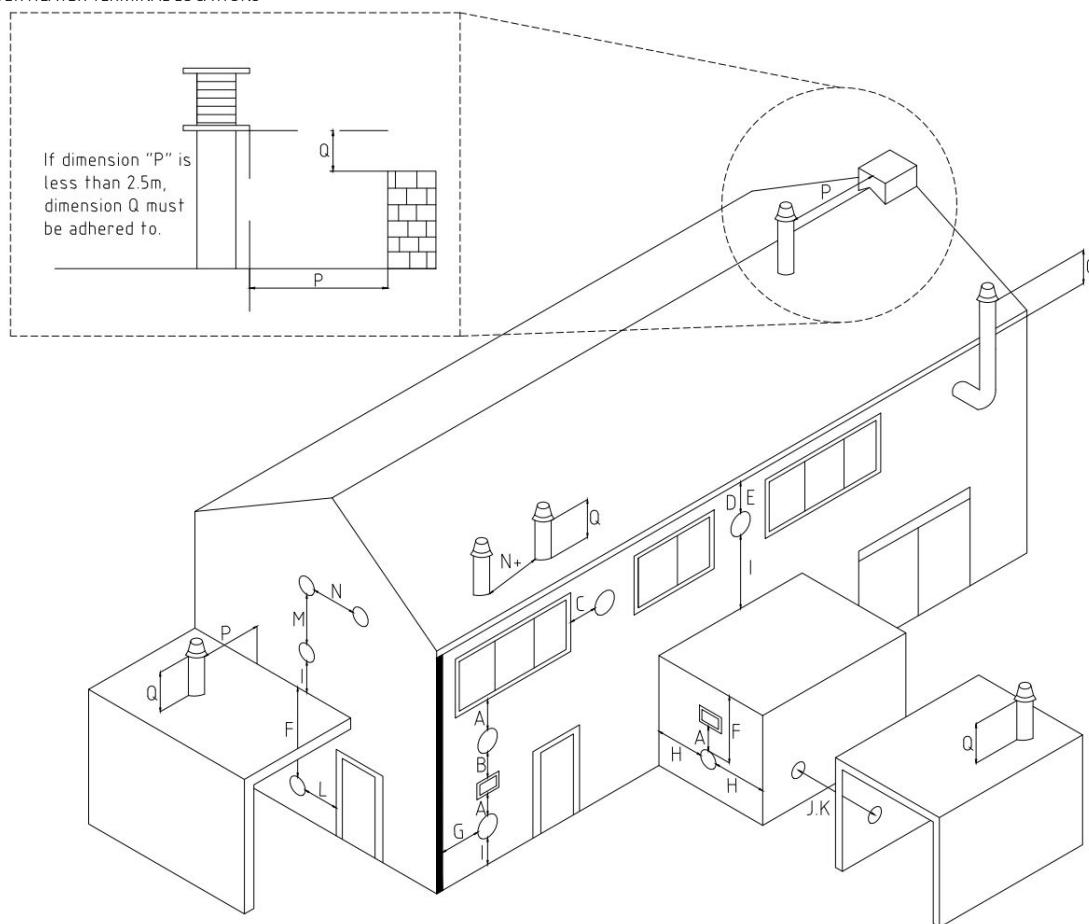


TABLE 1 WATER HEATER TERMINAL LOCATIONS

Location	Description	EKW-HCB117	EKW-HCB190	EKW-HCB235	EKW-HCB295
A	Directly below an opening, air brick, opening windows etc.	2500	2500	2500	n/a
B	Above an opening, air brick, opening windows etc.	940	1468	1793	n/a
C	Horizontally to an opening, air brick, opening windows etc.	940	1468	1793	n/a
D	Below a gutter or sanitary pipework	200	200	200	n/a
E	Below the eaves	200	200	200	n/a
F	Below a balcony or car port roof	Not recommended see UP10 risk assessment			
G	From a vertical drain or soil pipe	150	150	150	n/a
H	From an internal or external corner	2087	3775	4816	n/a
I	Above ground, roof or balcony level	300	300	300	n/a
J	From a surface facing the terminal	2087	3775	4816	n/a
K	From a terminal facing the terminal	2908	4318	5188	n/a
L	From an opening in the car port (e.g. door, window) into the dwelling	Not recommended see UP10 risk assessment			
M	Vertically from a terminal on the same wall	940	1468	1793	n/a
N	Horizontally from a terminal on the same wall	940	1468	1793	n/a
P	From a vertical structure on the roof	425	620	740	n/a
Q	Above intersection with the roof	425	620	740	n/a

TABLE 2 RISK ASSESSMENT

The table below is an excerpt from IGEMUP10 and should be used in conjunction with that document

Further to the requirements in IGEM/UP/10 Edition 4 +A: 2016 Section 8 under clause 8.7.3.3 and Figure 7 the following risk assessment gives guidance for the positioning of horizontal flues. This form should be completed before work commences and undertaken by a person who is competent to undertake the risk assessment.

Type C appliances with net heat input exceeding 70 kW and not exceeding 333 kW low level flue discharge risk assessment (including net heat input for groups of appliances)			
No.	Regarding the flue position	No	Yes
1	Is the proposed flue termination within the distance in Figure K of a road, path, track, thoroughfare, walkway, property boundary or area, which is used for general public access other than for maintenance purposes?	No	Yes
2	Is the proposed flue termination within the distance in Figure K to a playground, school, yard, seating area, or area where there may be a public gathering	No	Yes
3	If the proposed flue termination enclosed on more than two sides, then does it comply with the requirements of Figure 11B?	No	Yes
4	Is the proposed flue termination within the distance in Figure K of a surface or building element that may be affected by corrosion or deterioration from plume condensate?	No	Yes
5	Is the proposed flue position in an area where vehicles could be parked within distances from Figure 12 Line G to the flue?	No	Yes
6	Are there shrubs or trees within minimum distances shown on Figure K of the proposed terminal position?	No	Yes
7	Is the proposed flue termination within a light well?	No	Yes
8	Are the products of combustion from the proposed flue position likely to build up under unfavourable atmospheric conditions, due to poor cross flow of air caused by enclosures or adjacent structures and/or likely to cause nuisance?	No	Yes
9	Is the flue termination position likely to cause a nuisance to adjoining properties?	No	Yes
Building Regulations part J			
10	Is the proposed flue termination less than 300 mm from the boundary of the property, as measured from the side of the terminal to the boundary?	No	Yes
Regarding the Clean Air Act			
11	Is the total output of the individual, or group of flue terminals (if within 5U (see A3.7)), greater than 333 kW net heat input?	No	Yes
General			
12	Are there any other considerations that are required for this risk assessment, see separate sheet.	No	Yes
13	Comments:		
If all answers are Blue, then the flue position should be suitable			
If any answer is Orange, then the flue position is unsuitable, consider revising the position or type of flue outlet or contact the local Environmental Health officer for assistance and/or approval			

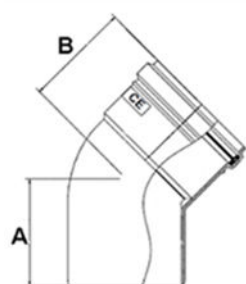
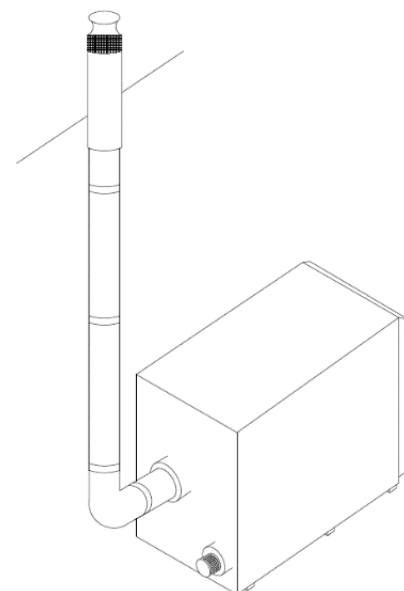
Model Number		EKW-HCB117	EKW-HCB190	EKW-HCB235	EKW-HCB295
FLUE DATA TYPE All except C63					
Nominal flue diameter	mm	150*	150	150	200*
Nominal air inlet diameter	mm	100	100	100	200*
Minimum flue gas temp	°C	35			
Average flue gas temp	°C	70			
Maximum flue gas temp	°C	120			
Maximum equivalent length	m	27	27	16	24.9
Equivalent length 90° bend	mm	7.1	7.1	7.1	1.1
Equivalent length 45° bend	mm	1.8	1.8	1.8	0.7

* Flue size used is larger than the flue outlet of the appliance.

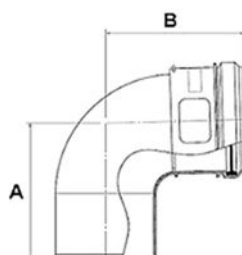
Item no EKWCF010			
Starter kit Model 117-B23 1			
Item	Item No	No	Equivalent length mtr
EXPANDER Ø100mm - Ø130mm PP	M85126	1	0.3
EXPANDER Ø130mm - Ø150mm	M70262	1	0.3
SAMPLING POINT Ø150mm PP	M70326	1	0.3
BEND 90° Ø150mm PP	LV310665	1	7.1
APPLIANCE AIR INLET GUARD Ø100mm	M86787	1	0
Total equivalent length mtr			8

Item no EKWCF011			
Starter kit Models 190-235-B23 2			
Item	Item No	No	Equivalent length mtr
SAMPLING POINT Ø150mm PP	M70326	1	0.3
BEND 90° Ø150mm PP	LV310665	1	7.1
APPLIANCE AIR INLET GUARD Ø100mm	M86787	1	0
Total equivalent length mtr			7.4

All versions additional flue available		
Item	Item No	Equivalent length mtr
EXTENSION Ø150mmPP CUT TO LENGTH (2000mm)	LV310695	2
EXTENSION Ø150mmPP CUT TO LENGTH (1000mm)	LV310694	1
BEND 45° Ø150mm PP	LV310664	1.8
BEND 90° Ø150mm PP	LV310665	7.1
ROOF TERMINAL 150MM	M70359	1
WALL CLAMP Ø150mm	M87196	n/a
FLAT ROOF FLASHING (170mm) ALU	LV302509	n/a
SLOPING ROOF FLASHING Ø100/150mm (25°-45°) LEAD	LV306017	n/a



A=98mm
B=103mm

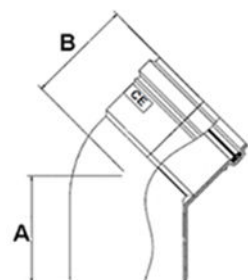
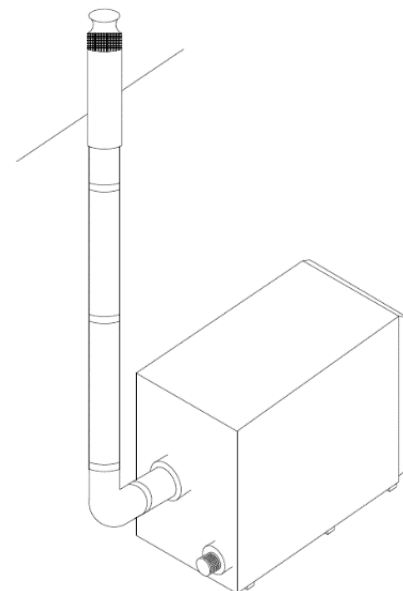


A=166mm
B=183mm

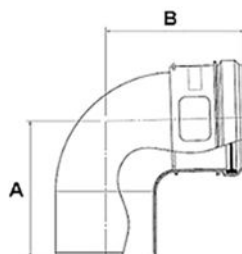
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Item no EKWCF012			
Starter kit Model 295			
Item	Item No	No	Equivalent length mtr
SAMPLING POINT Ø150mm PP	M70326	1	0.3
AIR INLET SCREEN (160MM)	LM900205A	1	0
EXPANDER PP 150-200	M70342	1	0.3
Total equivalent length mtr			0.6

Model 295 additional flue available		
Item	Item No	Equivalent length mtr
VERTICAL TERMINAL Ø200mm PP	LV310683	8.8
BEND 45° Ø200mm PP	LV310667	1.1
BEND 90° Ø200mm PP	LV310668	0.7
EXTENSION Ø200MM (500MM) PP	LV310696	0.3
EXTENSION Ø200mm(1000mm) PP	LV310697	0.6
EXTENSION Ø200mm (2000mm) PP	LV310698	1.2
WALL CLAMP Ø200mm	M87198	n/a
FLAT ROOF FLASHING Ø200mm	LV302328	n/a



A=111mm
B=131mm



A=227mm
B=195mm

C63 FLUE SYSTEMS + COMMON FLUE (SUPPLIED BY OTHERS)

In general, Water heaters are certified with their own purpose supplied Concentric or Twin Pipe flue systems, C63 certified appliances allow the installer to use other flue systems when installing the Water heaters however, they must be of a suitable minimum standard as per Table below.

Model Number	Item	EKW-HCB117	EKW-HCB190	EKW-HCB235	EKW-HCB295
Minimum flue gas temp	°C	35	35	35	35
Average flue gas temp	°C	70	70	70	70
Maximum flue gas temp	°C	120	120	120	120
Flue gas mass rate (@9.0% CO ₂)	g/sec	57.72	80.73	102.18	129.94
Pressure available at the flue outlet	Pa	169	183	190	196

CE string flue gas material	EU standard	Temperature class	Pressure class	Resistance to condensate	Corrosion resistance class	Metal: liner specifications
Min required PP	EN 14471	T120	P1	W	1	n/a
Min required INOX	EN 1856-1	T120	P1	W	1	L20040
CE string flue gas material	Soot fire resistance class	Distance to combustible material	Plastics location	Plastics fire behaviour	Plastics enclosure	
Min required PP	O	30	I of E	C/E	L	
Min required INOX	O	40	n/a	n/a	n/a	

Material	Water heater	dnom	Doutside	Insert
PP	EKW117	100	100 +/-0.6	50 +20/ -2
PP	EKW190	150	150 +/-0.6	50 +20/ -2
PP	EKW235	150	150 +/-0.6	50 +20/ -2
PP	EKW295	150	150 +/-0.6	50 +20/ -2



Caution:

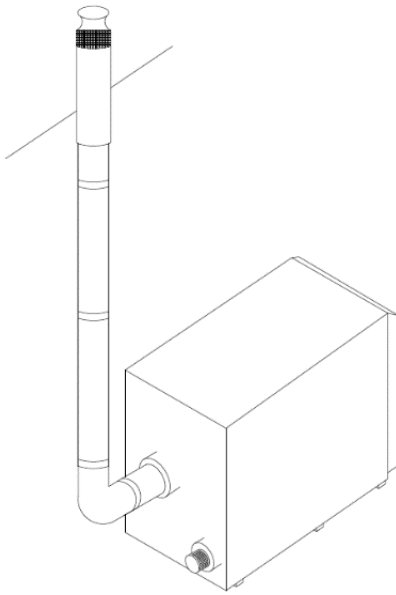
When installing the water heater or boiler as a Type C63 appliance, it should be noted that the terminals must not be installed on opposite sides of the building.

The maximum allowable recirculation rate is 10% under wind conditions.

Aluminium flue pipe must not be used on this appliance as it may lead to premature failure of the heat exchanger and will invalidate the warranty.

FLUE SYSTEM SIZING EXAMPLE

A EKW117 is to be installed in a B23 configuration as shown below. The maximum flue run for this model is 27meters as shown in the table on page 7.



Model	Model 117		
Diameter = 150mm	Quantity	Pa	Pa Total
Starter Kit	1	8	8
Terminal	1	1	1
90 Bend	1	7.1	7.1
4.5m Length		4.5	4.5
Total resistance			=20.6

The total resistance is 20.6 which is less than the max allowed of 27 for this model so this flue system is acceptable. .



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