Installation Instructions

DirectVent Pro
H2 Termination Supplement

Venting System For Direct Vent Gas Stoves and Fireplaces
A MAJOR CAUSE OF VENT RELATED FIRES IS FAILURE TO MAINTAIN REQUIRED CLEARANCES (AIR SPACES) TO COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS. IT IS OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE THAT DOUBLE WALL DIRECTVENT PRO BE INSTALLED ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

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APPLICATION

This instruction applies to the M&G DuraVent DirectVent Pro 4"x6-5/8" and 5"x8" H2 termination system, and is intended as a supplement to the applicable Direct Vent Pro Instruction. This termination and venting system, in combination with the gas appliance, has been tested and listed by an accredited test agency. Check the manufacturer's rating plate and instruction manual to confirm that M&G DuraVent Direct Vent and the H2 termination are approved for use on the appliance you have selected.
Read all instructions carefully before starting the installation. Failure to follow these instructions may create a fire hazard or other unsafe condition, may affect your homeowner’s insurance, and will void the warranty. Keep these instructions for future reference. Check with the appliance manufacturer's installation instructions for specific venting and clearance to combustible requirements, which may vary from one appliance to another. Be sure to comply with minimum or maximum distances of vertical or horizontal runs as prescribed in the appliance manufacturer’s installation instructions.

**WARNING**
- Always maintain required clearances (air spaces) to nearby combustibles to prevent a fire hazard. Do not fill air spaces with insulation. Be sure to check the vent termination clearance requirements from decks, windows, soffits, gas regulators, air supply inlets, and public walkways, as specified in these installation instructions and local building codes.
- The gas appliance and vent system must be vented directly to the outside of the building, and never be attached to a chimney serving a separate solid fuel or gas-burning appliance. Each direct vent gas appliance must use its own separate vent system. Common vent systems are prohibited.

**H2 INSTALLATION**
1. Determine the components required per local building codes and OEM installation instructions. These may include a wall thimble, a wall firestop and / or vinyl siding standoff (BVS), *(Fig.1)*. (Note: When installing DirectVent Pro on appliances in Canada, a 2-piece wall thimble is required in order to comply with IR #41). Reference **Table 1** for H2 compatibility.
2. Determine the correct size of the wall penetration. This will be provided by the appliance OEM. Unless otherwise noted, the default dimension is a 9”x9” framed opening *(Fig.2)*.
3. Mark the wall for the framed hole per Step 2. Unless otherwise specified by the appliance OEM, the center line of the pipe should line up with the center of the opening. Cut and frame the penetration in the exterior wall where the vent will be terminated *(Fig.1)*.

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**Figure 1- H2 Termination Assembly**
WALL THIMBLE / WALL FIRESTOP

4. If required, the wall thimble and wall firestop are installed similarly, reference Fig. 1. Use wood screws, apply weather sealant prior to installation, ensure a tight seal. The four wood screws noted should be replaced with appropriate fasteners for use on brick, concrete, block, or other types of construction.

Table 1 - H2 Compatibility

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* Preferred Component
VINYL SIDING STANDOFF BOX (BVS)
5. If installing a vinyl siding standoff box (BVS), reference Fig.3. The same BVS box works with both the 4x6 and 5x8 termination mounting plate. Depending on your installation requirements, install the standoff box to either the framed opening of the exterior wall (when no thimble is installed-use wood screws) or directly to the outside wall thimble plate (use included hardware).

Ensure “top” label is up, and flanges with pre-punched holes are towards the wall. Hardware installs from inside the box (no exposed hardware), recommended to use an extended bit. Apply non-hardening sealant prior to and after installation to ensure a tight seal. The BVS box may be painted.

TERMINATION BODY
6. Determine the correct air intake throttle setting (Fig.5). This setting is provided by the OEM for your particular appliance. The default is “1- Open.” Adjust throttle to required setting (rotate / move). An optional throttle lock hole is provided. A sheet metal screw may be driven to lock the throttle position.

7. Install termination body (4x6 or 5x8) to either the framed opening of the exterior wall, the outside wall thimble plate, or to the vinyl siding standoff box, depending on your installation requirements (Fig.4). Ensure orientation, ("Top" label should be up, shroud support rivets should be down- Fig.6). Affix termination body initially only with the lower two screws (closest to the support rivets-Fig.4,6), use included hardware. It is important the termination body is level to

Figure 4- Termination Body

Figure 5- Air Intake Throttle
prevent water entry. The upper screws will be affixed in Step 8. Apply sealant as needed to ensure a weather-tight seal.

8. Once the termination body is in place, install the termination shroud to the termination mounting plate (Fig.6). Hang the shroud on the shroud support rivets (Fig.6), press the shroud down to "engage" the rivets into place. Align the upper shroud holes with the upper termination mounting plate holes and attach using included hardware. It is recommended to use an extended bit. If needed, the air intake throttle may be re-adjusted at this time. The termination shroud may be painted, use a suitable high temp paint.

OPTIONAL INSULATED DECORATIVE COVER
Optional insulated Decorative Cover is available, to reduce cold air infiltration through the wall penetration. This option is only available with OEM approval based on the specific appliance listing.

H2 SNORKEL INSTALLATION
1. Follow Steps 1-4 from H2 INSTALLATION. A BVS box is not used with the snorkel.
2. If installing the snorkel with Vinyl Siding, cut siding away per Fig.8,9. Dimensions in Table 2 are from center-line of pipe.
3. Install support brackets with wall side flanges going inward, Snorkel will be installed over these flanges (Fig.8 Step 2-3). Apply non-hardening sealant prior to and after installation to ensure a tight seal.
4. Once snorkel is installed, set air intake throttle as per Step 6 from H2 INSTALLATION per OEM guidance.
5. Affix termination shroud per Step 8 of H2 TERMINATION.
The base of the H2 Snorkel may be installed below grade. Critical to ensure proper fill materials and drainage are below the snorkel to prevent water ingress into snorkel or into the building structure. Ensure Termination of snorkel is at proper height for expected snow loads, and per OEM guidelines, etc. Unless otherwise directed by the Appliance OEM, maintain 2” clearance around snorkel body.

IMPORTANT: Follow all termination location guidelines and Maintenance detailed in the Direct Vent Pro Installation instruction L954. This instruction is a supplemental document.
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