



ORTAL Power Vent System Manual

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INTRODUCTION

ORTAL Heating Solutions offers the best in aesthetic heating technology. ORTAL's Power Vent System is an optional accessory component to ORTAL's direct vent gas fireplace offerings. This unique fan blower system provides for increased flexibility of fireplace installation in homes and apartment buildings as well as in hospitality and commercial settings.

Advantages of the ORTAL Power Vent System:

- Small diameter chimneys
- Longer venting pathways
- Options to run inlet and exhaust pathways horizontal, vertical and below the plane of the firebox.

This Manual is for use with the installation of the ORTAL Power Vent System to be used along with ORTAL's fireplace installation manual. Other Power Vent and fan accessories may be available for use with ORTAL fireplaces. Consult those product manuals for proper installation and use. Vents other than the ORTAL Power Vent System are NOT covered in this manual.

SAFETY WARNINGS and IMPORTANT INFORMATION

<u>WARNING</u> – Be sure to review all safety warnings and installation guidelines contained within this manual.

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<u>WARNING</u> – Electrical components. Be sure that all electrical connections are properly installed, insulated and secured to avoid potential ELECTRICAL SHOCK and FIRE HAZARD and malfunction of the system. Consult local building code requirements.

<u>Important</u> – It is imperative that all materials and objects used to carry out the installation are materials certified or specified by ORTAL Heating Solutions and are suitable for use. Do NOT install the system with different materials or objects than those approved for installation by ORTAL Heating Solutions.

<u>Important</u> – Exceeding the restrictions imposed by ORTAL Heating Solutions can cause damage to the function of the fireplace and/or to the living space in which the fireplace and vent system are installed. The installation must be carried out according to the instructions listed in this manual. ORTAL will not be responsible for any damage caused by improper installation.



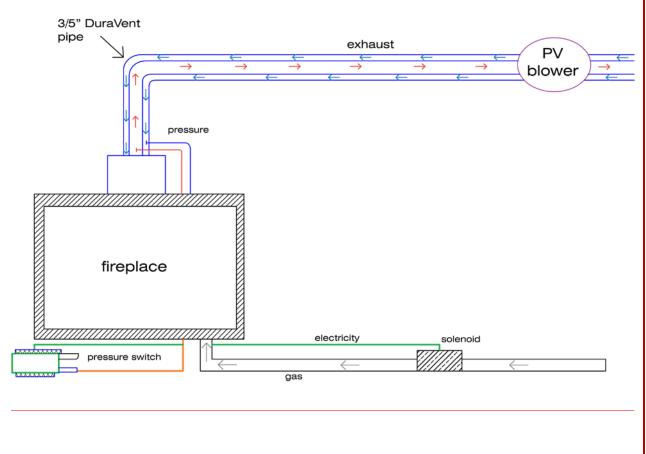
THE ORTAL POWER VENT SYSTEM

The ORTAL Power Vent System can be affixed to any standard ORTAL fireplace using a vent adaptor. ORTAL fireplaces operate using direct vent technology. The Power Vent system is an optional accessory that can be used to enhance the fireplace and provide a variety of different installation configurations not available with typical direct vent pathways.

The ORTAL Power Vent System application must be selected at the time of ordering the ORTAL fireplace unit. The type of venting is 3/5"; this cannot be retro-fitted.

Before installing the ORTAL Power Vent System, review the system's construction plan and design. Consider installation location and pathway(s) including any structural requirements, clearances for rough and finish materials and local codes.

Diagrammatic sketch of power vent system





ORTAL Power Vent System: Basic Information

1. Power Vent

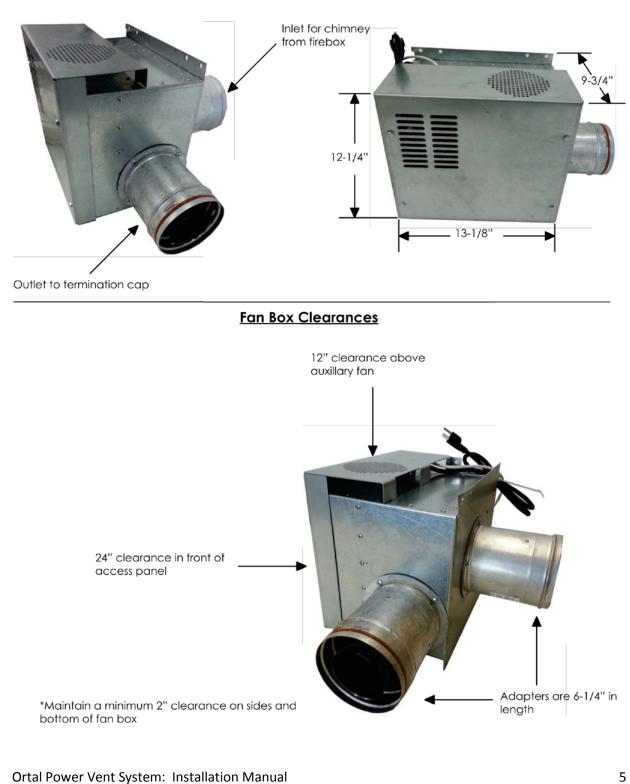
- a. The Power Vent (also referred to as the fan or blower) is the mechanism which spins and creates a forceful draw on the exhaust air bringing in oxygen from the inlet pipe and forcing consumed carbon dioxide air out through the exhaust pathway.
- b. The fan box is placed in-line on the exhaust/inlet vent pathway.
- c. The Power Vent fan box shall be installed at a minimum 21' from the firebox connection point or a maximum 45' distance from the firebox.

2. Venting Pathways

- a. Venting pathway of 3/5" will be by M&G Duravent.
 - i. Air Inlet:
 - 1. The pathway through which outside air is drawn into the firebox.
 - ii. Exhaust Vent:
 - 1. The pathway through which consumed air is expelled from the firebox and released to the outside of the building.
 - 2. When leaving the firebox, the air (smoke) passing through and into the exhaust vent pipe is typically 320-370 degrees celsius.
- b. Sealing and securing the venting pathways is critical to the optimal function of the fireplace and the Power Vent System and to prevent air from the living area from entering the firebox chamber and from consumed air being exported back into the living area.
 - i. For the 3/5" pathway,
 - 1. Make sure gasket in each gasket ring is complete
 - 2. Each connection between chimney parts is twist locked
 - 3. When removing or installing pipe, dot guides must be aligned
 - ii. Depth/Angle of descent
 - 1. The vent pipe can be installed up to 6' (vertical) below the bottom of the firebox frame (not including the legs).
 - 2. Up to six 90 degree offsets or equal (i.e. 540 total degrees of offset/angles) are allowed.
- c. Clearances, Minimum clearance to combustible material:
 - i. Power Vent Fan Box
 - 1. Clearance Diagram below.



Fan Box Dimensions



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- 2. Front cover of the box: 24" minimum (for service access)
- 3. Minimum 18x18" access panel required for service
 - a. If it can be vented into the room, can have a louvered access door. Must maintain 150 sq. in. of free air within the access panel to cool the power vent fan components.
 - b. If it can't be vented into the room, must be a closed access door and maintain 180 cubic ft.
- ii. Pathway: 3/5" Clearance
 - 1. Between the firebox and the Power Vent fan Box
 - a. Vertical run
 - i. 1" radius
 - b. Horizontal run
 - i. Top (90 degrees), 3"
 - ii. Bottom and sides (270 degrees), 1"
 - 2. From the Power Vent fan box to the termination cap
 - a. Vertical run
 - i. 1" radius
 - b. Horizontal run
 - i. Top (90 degrees), 3"
 - ii. Bottom and sides (270 degrees), 1"
 - 3. Also, refer to ORTAL's fireplace installation manual for vent pipe clearance detail.
- iii. Make sure NO flammable materials are near the exhaust pipes as they may reach 400 degrees Celsius.
- d. Mounting
 - i. Power Vent box and chimneys to be connected and secured per local code requirements.

3. Pressure Switch

- a. This instrument identifies pressure. When the Power Vent fan is activated, the pressure switch senses the air flow and only then it transmits an electrical signal to the PV control module which then releases gas to the fireplace and allows it to operate.
- b. The pressure switch is a safety feature which prevents operation of a fireplace using the ORTAL Power Vent System without the fan being on or properly operating. Refer to System Operations and Sequence later in this manual for more details.



4. ORTAL Power Vent System: Parts List

Item	Description	Location	Quantity
1	Power Vent Fan, PL20UL0080	Fan assembly	1
2	Power Vent Fan Box	Fan assembly	1
3	Power Vent Fan Cover	Fan assembly	1
4	Transformer and Receiver	Fan assembly	1
5	Power Cord	Fan assembly	1
6	Data Cord	Fan assembly	1
7	Electronic Control Terminal	Control Box	1
	(operated by Mertik Remote	(near	
	Control)	fireplace)	
8	Pressure Switch	Control Box	1
9	Pressure Switch Tube	Control Box	1
10	Data Termination	Control Box	1
11	Receiver Termination	Control Box	1
12	Gas Solenoid	Between valve	1
		and burner	
13	Gas Solenoid Termination	Between valve	1
		and burner	
14	Venting Adapters	Comes with	1
	Series 40 to 80:	Power Vent	
	a. 4/6" to 3/5"	System to	
	Series 110 to 200:	attach to	
	b. 5/8" to 3/5"	Firebox	
15	Remote Control (or wall switch)	Comes with	1
	and Receiver T16	Power Vent	
		System	



ORTAL POWER VENT PIPE (35CVS)

Part Number	Description	Pcs/ Ctn
35CVS-06	6" Pipe	6
35CVS-12	12" Pipe	6
35CVS-24	24" Pipe	6
35CVS-36	36" Pipe	6
35CVS-E45	45 Degree Elbow	6
35CVS-E90	90 Degree Elbow	6
35CVS-12TA	9"-12" Telescoping Adjustable Pipe	6
35CVS-18TA	12"-18" Telescoping Adjustable Pipe	6
35CVS-WS	Wall Strap	12
35CVS-CD	Universal Condensate Drain	1
35CVS-SC	Storm Collar	1
35CVS-WT	Wall Thimble	1
35CVS-FS	Firestop Support	1
35CVS-F	Adjustable Flashing	1
35CVS-HCR	Horizontal Cap	1
35CVS-VC	Vertical Cap	1
35CVS-RS	Roof Support	1

VENT CONNECTIONS AND ADAPTERS

- 1. Sealing: In the ORTAL Power Vent System, the vents (pipes) must be sealed. Failure to seal the pathway(s) properly will prevent the system from working properly and can result in damage to the fireplace and/or the surrounding building.
- 2. Vents Pipe/Pathways:
 - a. The ORTAL Power Vent System is certified for use with chimney pipe vent pathway from M&G DuraVent. This product was used during testing and certification of the ORTAL Power Vent System. While other similar products exist, they should not be substituted for the M&G DuraVent materials specified in this manual.
 - b. Ensure that the pipes being used are intact and without flaw (i.e. no holes, tears, open seems, corrosion or other occurrences that may inhibit the proper function of the pipe with the Power Vent system.)
 - c. Pipes must be installed using supports, minimum every 3' or per local code, the stricter of the two. Without proper support, the pathway may yield load upon the vent connection which can result in impairing the long-term sealant or other damage to the integrity of the sealed pathway.
 - d. Secure all connections with self tapping stainless steal screws, minimum three for every connection point
- Adaptors between the fireplace and vent: Adaptor components vary depending on the size/model of the fireplace. Adaptors will be provided with the Power Vent System. Confirm components are correct.



Power Vent Adapters

a. 35CVS PV Adapter

b. 3" PV adapter





c. 35CVS PV Adapter for Space Creator 120, 150, and 200





INSTALLING the ORTAL POWER VENT SYSTEM

First, review the installation detail per project plans.

Then, make sure all the materials, system components and tools necessary are present and in good condition.

Now, installation can begin:

- 1. Build and install the rest of the air inlet/exhaust pathway(s). Ensure that all pipe pathway connections are sealed, supported and with clearances maintained as outlined previously in this manual.
 - a. Pathways installation can be done before or after installation of the firebox and the rest of the Power Vent System.
- 2. Firebox installation. Recommended to place firebox in its final location first. However, Power Vent pathway and box can be installed before or after firebox.
 - a. With firebox installation, place the Power Vent control system by the firebox access door. **Make sure to place the control box with the arrow pointing up.**
 - b. Connect the vent adaptor firmly to the fireplace. Secure the vent adaptor with a minimum of 3 stainless steel screws and seal with hi-temp silicon.
 - c. Connect the pressure switch to the pressure switch tube and secure.
 - d. Connect the control box to the terminations as follows:
 - i. Connect relay cable from Mertik GV60 receiver to termination #1
 - ii. Connect <u>solenoid</u> cable to **termination #2** (it should already be installed in the flex tube line between the GV60 valve and the burner port).
 - iii. Connect the <u>data</u> wire from the Power Vent fan box, the 6 volt communication cable between the control box and the Power Vent fan box, **termination #3**. Make sure the cable does not come in contact with the exhaust pipe. Refer to local building codes for cable insulation requirements, if any.
- 3. Place the fan box at its location and fasten in tightly maintaining required clearances and per local building codes. The fan box must be placed with at least 21' of exhaust pipe between the firebox and the fan box. (Depending on the way the pipe is laid, the fan box may be physically closer than 21'.)
- 4. Pipe termination points
 - a. At the termination points of exhaust and inlet pipes, caps must be affixed to prevent water from entering the pipes.
 - i. For 3/5" use the 3/5" termination cap direct vent chimney pipe by M&G Duravent.



- ii. Use horizontal or roof termination part as end cap
- 5. Place the restrictor inside the firebox on the interior exhaust port and close with two bolts provided with the firebox (restrictor table below).
- 6. Connect the fireplace to the gas line. Gas connections to be done by a certified gas technician and in accordance with local building codes.
- 7. Connect the ORTAL Power Vent fan box to electricity. Electrical connections to be done by a certified electrician and in accordance with local building codes.



RESTRICTOR TABLE

Natural Gas (NG)

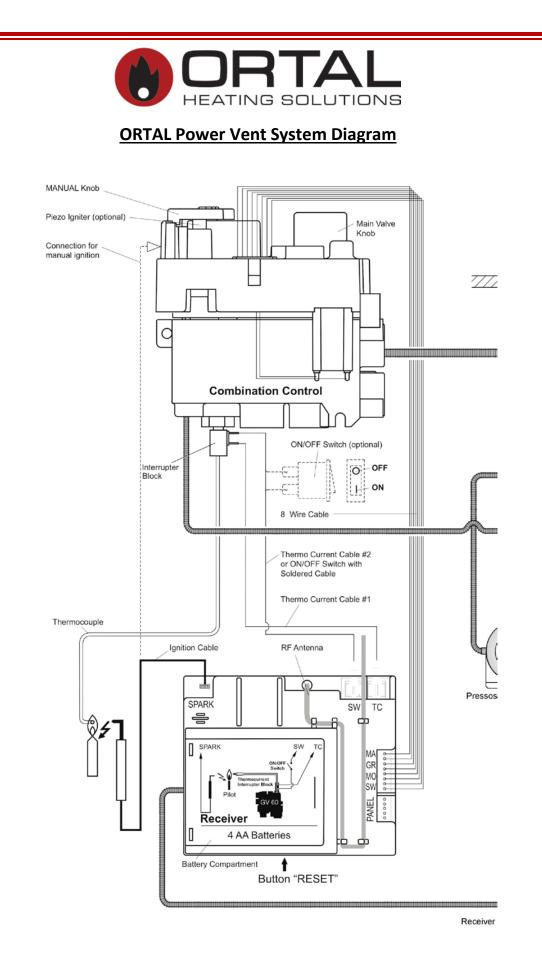
Burner	Burner Restrictor # Restrictor #		Max exhaust length
	short route (x" d)	Long Route (x" d)	
30	32 (1.26" d)	34 (1.34" d)	102′
45	34 (1.34)	40 (1.57)	99'
100	46 (1.81)	48 (1.89)	99'
135	48 (1.89)	55 (2.16)	92'
160	46 (1.81)	55 (2.16)	76'

Propane (LPG)

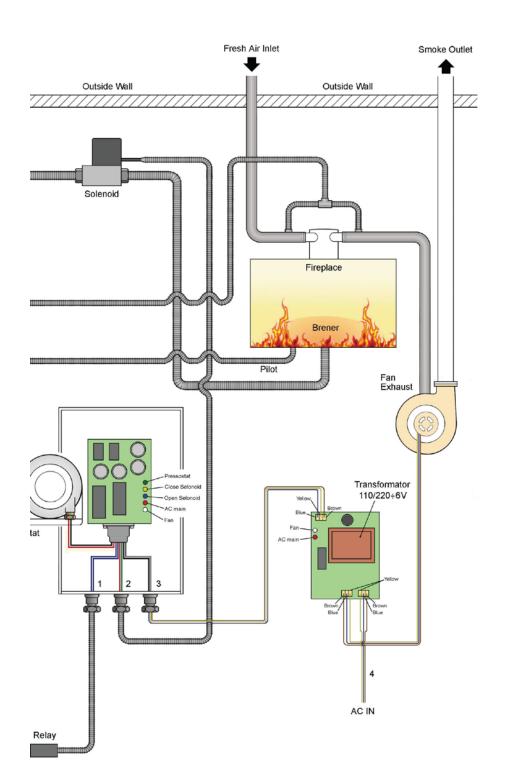
Burner	Restrictor #	Restrictor #	Max exhaust length
	short route (x" d)	Long Route (x" d)	
30	28 (1.1" d)	30 (1.18" d)	109'
45	28 (1.1)	34 (1.34)	109'
100	34 (1.34)	40 (1.57)	109'
135	40 (1.57)	48 (1.89)	102'
160	40 (1.57)	48 (1.89)	99'

Note:

1. Power Vent fan must be installed a minimum of 21 feet (linear vent length) from the firebox connection point and can be installed a maximum of 45 feet from the firebox. For special approval please contact ORTAL USA.









SYSTEM OPERATION

Operation Instructions and Sequence

- 1. Use T16 remote control and receiver only.
- An ORTAL fireplace equipped with Power Vent System is controlled the same way as a standard ORTAL fireplace. It is switched on/off the same way and flame control is the same.
 - a. Refer to ORTAL fireplace manual and Mertik Maxitrol manual for more information.
- 3. When fan is connected to electricity, red LED light should be on in both the fan and control boxes.
 - a. Red LED light indicates lives electricity is supplied to the fan system.
- 4. When igniting the fire with the remote control a white LED light turns on in both the fan and control boxes.
 - a. The white LED light indicates that the PV system is given command to turn on.
- 5. When the fan begins to work, the pressure switch recognizes pressure in the exhaust pipe as compared to the air inlet as it is a closed system. The Power Vent System is verifying that the system is closed and active as a direct vent system. When a pressure threshold is passed (varies per fireplace model) the pressure switch will turn on a green LED light and send an electrical signal to the gas solenoid to open the gas between the GV60 valve and the burner port.
 - a. The pilot flame is NOT part of the Power Vent System's electrical sub-system and works the same as with a standard ORTAL fireplace. Potential problems with the pilot have nothing to do with the Power Vent System.
- 6. Gas Solenoid
 - a. When the solenoid opens, momentarily a blue LED light is lit in the control box.
 - b. When the solenoid closes, momentarily a yellow LED light is lit in the control box.
- 7. The system operates with 110 volt 10 amps, no batteries, must have dedicated power line. If there is a power failure, the system will not operate.

Color	When	Where
Red	Electricity is sent to fan.	Fan and Control Boxes
White	PV system given command to turn on	Fan and Control Boxes
Green	Air pressure threshold is passed	Control Box
Blue	Solenoid open, gas released (burner on,	Control Box
	pilot on)	

LED lights



Yellow	Solenoid closed, gas flow stopped	Control Box
	(burner off, pilot on)	

<u>Important</u> - Before turning on the fireplace for the first time, ensure that the system is installed according to the above instructions; review the system sketches above and that all systems are connected properly.

<u>Important</u> – It is imperative, before turning on the fireplace for the first time, to review the instructions in the booklet concerning installation of the fireplace, and verify that the installation was done according to the instructions in this booklet. Also, if for any reason after installation, the fireplace does not work properly, the system must not in any way be turned on.

When first turning on the fireplace, the pilot will switch on and only then will the rest of the burner ignite (as with the standard ORTAL fireplace).

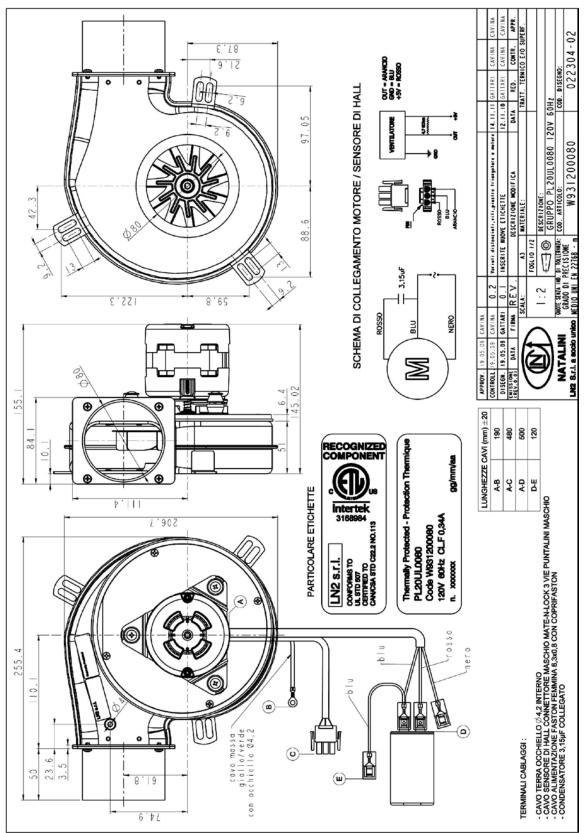
TECHNICAL DATA

Power Vent

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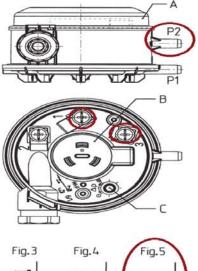
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Tensione	Voltage	Spannung	120V
Frequenza	Frequency	Frequenz	50/60Hz
Potenza nominale	powerconsumption	Leistungsaufnahme	35W
Portata massima	Max. Air flow	Fördervolumen	150 m3/h
Rumore massimo*	Max. Noise*	Geräuschpegel*	46.5 dB(A)
Classe di isolamento	Insulation class	Isolationsklasse	F
Protezione termica	Thermal protection	Wärmeschutz	Self-restoring T.P.
Materiale chiocciola	Housing material	Gehäusematerial	Aluminized steel
Materiale girante	Impeller material	Material des Lüfterrades	Inox AISI430







PRESSURE SWITCH DIAGRAM





Note

With the safety cover removed, contact with terminals 1, 2 and 3 poses a lethal C hazard (mains power voltage)!

Adjusting of upper/lower switching point

(Dial B: For higher switching point [higher pressure] turn in clockwise direction.) Allow pressure to increase gradually (do not exceed max. pressure limit), adjust desired switching point with dial (B).

Check the upper or lower switching points by raising and lowering the pressure several times and make any necessary adjustments.

Adjust switch within printed-on scale only!

Do not turn the dial (B) into the area of the black mark [[Switching contact changes from NC (1-2) to NO (1-2).

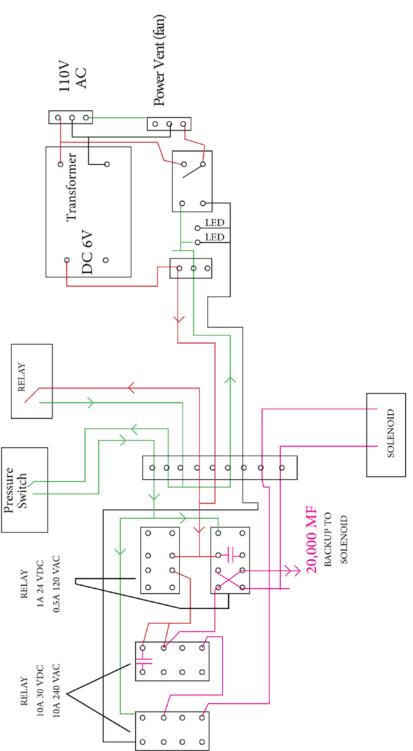
Remark for DPS 604 range 0.3...5 mbar

Adjust the switch for low ranges from 0.3 to 0.5 mbar in the mounting position! Noncompliance can result in switching point offset (mass diaphragm) or malfunction of the switch!

After readjusting to the initial setting the switch works correct again.

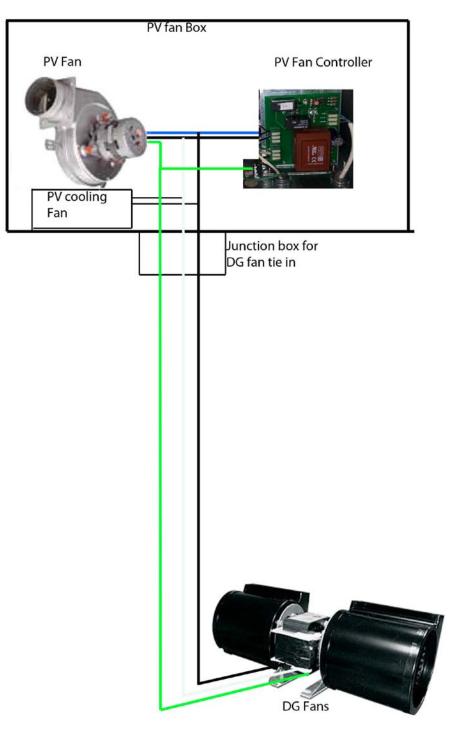








SKETCH FOR POWER VENT SYSTEM COMBINED WITH DOUBLE GLASS





TROUBLESHOOTING GUIDE

<u>Important</u> – The fireplace and fan must be turned off at the first sign of any problem. Do NOT manipulate the system while the fireplace and the fan are turned on. Look for the appropriate solution. If the solution to the problem is ineffective, contact ORTAL.

DESCRIPTIONS AND SOLUTIONS OF PROBLEMS

PROBLEM	SOLUTION
1. Pilot will not ignite	The operation of the pilot is not connected to the operation of the Power Vent System. Consult your primary ORTAL fireplace manual or local ORTAL representative for troubleshooting guide.
2. The fan is noisy	The blower is too tightly fastened to the box. Loosen the bolts. There is an issue with the blower fan. Look for defects or possible foreign objects or obstructions.
3. High or "ghostly" flames	Confirm restrictor size. Adjust or change the restrictor. Refer to the restrictor table. Check connection to the exhaust pipe and confirm that it is sealed. If that does not resolve the issue, contact ORTAL. A restrictor other than what it is indicated in the table may be advised.
4. The pilot is on. The burner and Power Vent fan are not operating.	 The pressure switch does not recognize pressure in the vent and causing the gas solenoid to be closed. 1) Refer to LED table page No. 15. If a light that should be on is off, that is an indication of failure. 2) Confirm that control box is



5. The pilot is on. The fan is on. The	 positioned level with arrow up. 3) Make sure the pressure switch is installed properly and connected to the pressure switch tube 4) Confirm that all terminations in control box are properly connected. 5) Look for obstruction 6) Check connection to the exhaust pipe. 7) Check the gas tube between the GV60 valve and the burner port. 8) Inlet pressure is too low or too high, not in the range required. Check with gas provider. Possible failure with the gas solenoid.
Burner is not operating.	Gas solenoid is not open, OR Wire (see termination #2) from control to gas solenoid is not connected, OR there is no proven draft.
 The pilot is on. The burner is on. The fan is not operating. 	Definite failure with the gas solenoid. The system should shut down due to high CO level in the fireplace. If fireplace does not immediately shut down, manually turn the fireplace off.
 The burner is on, but disengages without use of remote control (it goes off on its own). 	Confirm remote control is T16 model. A standard ORTAL (Mertik) remote control may activate the system, but it will not allow it to stay on. Confirm that the pilot is sealed and on.
8. The burner turns on and off	Make sure the pressure switch is installed properly and connected to the pressure switch tube

<u>Important</u> – The fireplace and fan must be turned off at the first sign of any problem. Do NOT manipulate the system while the fireplace and the fan are turned on. Look for the appropriate solution. If the solution to the problem is ineffective, contact ORTAL.

Installation Instructions



Double wall / Direct Vent system for Pellet Fuel, Category II, III and IV condensing and non-condensing gas appliances.



NOTE:

• EXAMINE ALL COMPONENTS FOR POSSIBLE SHIPPING DAMAGE PRIOR TO INSTALLATION.

• PROPER JOINT ASSEMBLY IS ESSENTIAL FOR A SAFE INSTALLATION.

• FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS EXACTLY AS WRITTEN.

• CHECK THE INTEGRITY OF ALL JOINTS UPON COMPLETION OF ASSEMBLY.

• THIS VENTING SYSTEM MUST BE FREE TO EXPAND AND CONTRACT.

• THIS VENTING SYSTEM MUST BE SUPPORTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

• CHECK FOR UNRESTRICTED VENT MOVEMENT THROUGH WALLS, CEILINGS, AND ROOF PENETRATIONS.

• DIFFERENT MANUFACTURERS HAVE DIFFERENT JOINT SYSTEMS AND ADHESIVES.

• DO NOT MIX PIPE, FITTINGS, OR JOINING METHODS FROM DIFFERENT MANUFACTURERS.

NOTE:

Read through all of these instructions before beginning your installation. Failure to install as described in this instruction will void the manufacturer's warranty, and may have an effect on your homeowner's insurance and UL listing status. Keep these instructions for future reference. This booklet also contains instructions for installing a venting system within an existing masonry chimney, and for installations passing through a cathedral ceiling.

Dear Customer, Installer, or End User:

We welcome any comments, ideas, input or compliants regarding matters pertaining to our DuraVent products.

If you are searching for tech support or product information, please phone us at 800-835-4429. Or email us at: techsupport@duravent.com



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FASNSEAL CONCENTRIC VENT INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

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APPLICATIONS

M&G DuraVent's Concentric Stainless (CVS) vent pipe is listed to UL1738 as a double-wall vent system for Category II, III, and IV gas appliances, to UL641 and ULC/ORD C441 for pellet fuel, and ULC S609 for L Vent. CVS is pressure rated to 10 in-w.c. for the inner pipe. CVS can also be used as a direct vent system, where the inner pipe is the exhaust vent; the outer pipe supplies the combustion air for the appliance. When installing CVS with direct vent appliances, the vent is considered a component of the appliance, and is listed in conjunction with the appliance to the corresponding appliance standard. Check with your appliance manufacturer or look in the appliance installation instructions to verify that M&G DuraVent's CVS has been listed as a direct vent for use with your appliance.

CLEARANCES

CVS is listed to 0" clearance as a doublewall vent system for Category II, III, and IV appliances, for flue temperature of up to 400-degrees F for horizontal enclosures, and up to 480-degrees F for vertical enclosures. CVS must maintain 1" clearance to combustibles when used with pellet fuel. When CVS is used as a concentric/direct vent system on gas, the clearance to combustibles are specified by the appliance manufacturer. Check with your appliance manufacturer for specifications about clearance to combustibles for the vent pipe, which may vary from one appliance to another. Never fill any required clearance space with insulation or any other materials. Combustible materials include, but are not limited to, lumber, plywood, sheetrock, plaster and lath, furniture, curtains, electrical wiring, and building insulation.

PERMITS

Before installation, check with your local Building Official, Fire Official, or other authority having jurisdiction regarding permits, restrictions, and installation inspections in your area.

GENERAL INSTALLATION NOTES

Read through these installation instructions before beginning your installation. Proper planning for your Concentric Stainless Vent system installation will result in greater safety, efficiency, and convenience, as well as saving time and money. You must use only authorized M&G DuraVent parts, or other parts specifically authorized and listed by the appliance manufacturer in order to maintain a safe, approved system. Do not mix parts or try to match with other products or use improvised solutions. Do not install damaged or modified parts. Practice good workmanship. Sloppy work could jeopardize your vent's safety. Keep electrical wiring and building insulation away from all chimneys and vents. When deciding the location of your installation, try to avoid modifications to structural components of the building. If you have any questions, contact either your dealer or M&G DuraVent directly.

Check with the appliance manufacturer for the maximum and minimum allowed vent runs for your specific appliance model, including maximum number elbows allowed in the system. The total vent length from the appliance to the termination shall not be greater than what is specified by the appliance manufacturer. For condensing appliances, always follow the appliance manufacturer's recommendation for handling condensate drainage.

Plan the layout of the vent system:

• Consider the length of horizontal runs, elbows, clearance requirements, and location of terminations.

• For horizontal vent runs, maintain at least a ¼" rise per foot away from the appliance to prevent collection of condensate or buildup of heat in the vent.

• Consider condensate drainage, if needed for your appliance. Refer to the appliance manufacturer's installation instructions for requirements of condensate drainage.

• The CVS system must not be routed into, through, or within any other vent or chimney, with the exception of running the vent through an otherwise unused masonry chimney.

• The vent system must terminate in accordance with local code requirements and appropriate National Codes:

o For the US (Gas): NFPA 54 / ANSI Z223.1 National Fuel Gas Code or the International Fuel Gas Code

o For the US (Pellet): NFPA 211 Standard for Chimneys, Fireplaces, Vents, and Solid Fuel Burning Appliances

o For Canada: CAN/GGA-B149.1 Natural Gas Installation Code or CAN/CGA-149.2 Propane Installation Code.

JOINT CONNECTIONS

M&G DuraVent's Concentric Vent is connected together by aligning the Alignment Dimples on the male and female vent sections, sliding together and twist locking in either direction *(Fig 1)*. The joints will only connect and come apart at the point where the Alignment Dimples are aligned. The CVS joint section can rotate 360-degrees to allow elbows to point in the desired direction. The vent pipe sections cannot be cut. Telescoping Adjustable lengths are available to accommodate specific installation length requirements. Screws are not required for joint connection, except as where indicated for Telescoping Adjustable lengths and Horizontal Termination Caps.

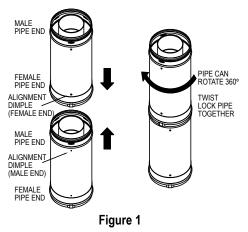
APPLIANCE CONNECTION

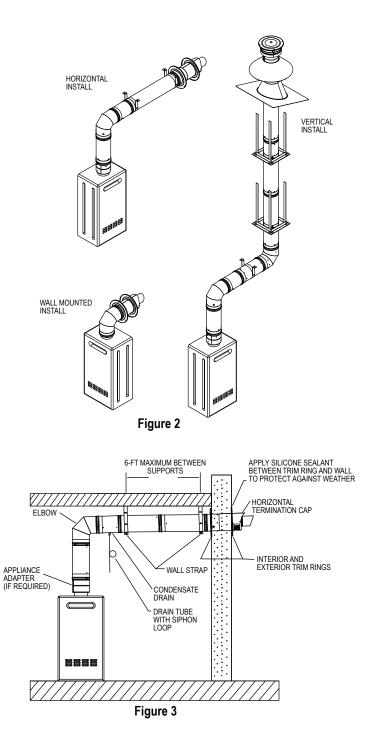
Connect CVS vent pipe to the appliance as directed by the appliance manufacturer, as it can vary depending on the make and model of your appliance. In some cases, this may require an Appliance Adaptor; in other cases, the vent pipe may be able to slip on to the appliance directly. Check with your appliance manufacturer for the connection method.

CONDENSATE DRAINS- GAS FUEL

CVS has an available Condensate Drain if required by the appliance, and has a 5/8" ID outlet which can be attached to an appropriate size plastic tube for drainage. The Condensate Drain can be used in either horizontal or vertical orientation. When installing the Condensate Drain, always create a siphon loop in the plastic tube to prevent the leakage of exhaust gases. Follow all local and national codes for draining acidic condensate.

INSTALLATION





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Determine the venting path required for your installation. There are two general types of installations: Horizontal Installations, and Vertical Installations.

Refer to *Figure* **2** for some typical installations. Always check with the appliance manufacturer for requirements or restrictions with the venting. To determine the installed length of vent pipe, subtract 1-1/4" for each joint due to the joint overlap.

HORIZONTAL INSTALLATIONS

1. Install Appliance. Determine where your appliance will be installed and follow the Appliance manufacturer's installation instructions accordingly.

2. Determine location of wall penetration.

Identify where you want the vent to penetrate through the wall to the outside. Consider the restrictions and requirements for the location of the Horizontal Vent Cap, listed below. When determining the location of the wall penetration, be sure to account for the height of the Appliance Adapter (if needed) and the radius/height of the Elbow. For horizontal vent runs, always maintain at least a ¼" rise per foot away from the appliance (*Fig 3*) to prevent collection of condensate or buildup of heat in the vent. Also make sure you have accommodated any minimum vent height, if any, that the appliance manufacturer may require.

The Horizontal Termination Cap must meet the following requirements:

(a) Clearance above the ground, veranda, porch, deck, or balcony: 12 inches minimum.
(b) Clearance to a window (operable or fixed closed) or door: 12 inches minimum.
(c) Vertical clearance to a ventilated coeffit.

(c) Vertical clearance to a ventilated soffit located above the Termination Cap (if soffit

extends a horizontal distance of 2 feet out over the centerline of the termination):

- 18 inches minimum.
- (d) Clearance to an unventilated soffit:
- 12 inches minimum.

(e) Clearance to an outside corner: as tested by appliance manufacturer.

(f) Clearance to an inside corner: as tested by appliance manufacturer.

(g) Not to be installed above a meter/regulator assembly within 3 feet horizontally from the centerline of the regulator.

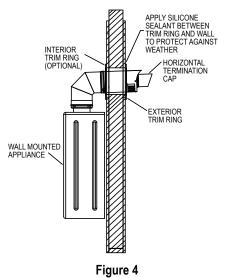
(h) Clearance to a gas service regulator vent outlet: 6 feet minimum.

(i) Clearance to non-mechanical air supply inlet to a building or the combustion air inlet to any other appliance: 12 inches minimum (US), 6 ft (Canada)

(j) Clearance to a mechanical air supply inlet: 6 feet minimum.

(k) Clearance above a paved sidewalk or paved driveway located on public property: refer to local code.

(I) Terminate above the snowline for the area.



3. Cut wall penetration. Refer to the appliance manufacturer for clearance to combustible requirements from the vent. To accommodate the flared end of the vent pipe, the minimum hole size should be 5-3/8" x 5-3/8" for a square cut, or 5-3/8" diameter for a round cut (*Fig 5*). Always check with the appliance manufacturer for any additional clearance to combustibles (if any) from the venting that may be required. For reference, the Outside Trim Ring provided with the Horizontal Termination Cap measures a maximum of 8-1/2" diameter, and has a hole pattern of 7" diameter. For pellet fuel installs, a wall thimble is required.

4. Layout the Vent. Verify which CVS vent lengths and components you will need for your installation. Note that the Horizontal Termination Cap must fit at a specific distance outside of the exterior wall (*Figs 3 & 4*). This distance is needed to ensure proper airflow and pressure within the CVS vent system. To ensure this distance, the Horizontal Termination Cap is adjustable. Also, Telescoping Adjustable lengths are available.

5. Install Vent. Once the vent path and components have been determined, install the vent. Align the male and female pipe ends as described in the Joint Connection section, push together and twist lock (*Fig 2*). Note the direction of the pipe is important. The outer wall female end must face downward/towards the appliance; and the outer wall male end must face upward/away from the appliance. The direction is to ensure correct condensate drainage and weatherization.

If Telescoping Adjustables are used, secure them at the desired length by using (3) $\frac{1}{2}$ "

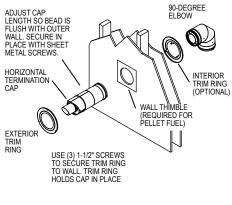


Figure 5

screws provided.

6. Support Vent. Wall Straps are required every 8-ft of horizontal run in order to properly support the vent system (*Fig 3*). If the installation extends through the wall in less than 8-ft of vent pipe, a wall strap is not required. Wall Straps are designed to provide a 1" standoff from nearby walls or ceilings. Use (2) 1-1/2" wood screws to secure each Wall Strap. If a standoff further than 1" is needed, the use of plumbers tape is permissible.

7. Install Wall Termination. If the optional Interior Trim Ring will be installed, bend the three tabs and slip the ring onto the pipe section previous to the Horizontal Termination Cap. Adjust the length of the Horizontal Termination Cap so that the inside edge of the bead of the black-painted exterior portion is flush with the outer wall. This bead is used in combination with the Outer Trim Ring (supplied with the cap) to hold the cap in place at the wall. Once the Horizontal Termination Cap has been adjusted to the correct length, secure it in place with (3) ½" sheet metal screws (*Fig 5*). Then twist-lock on the Horizontal Termination

Cap, and align the cap so the air inlet openings are downward (*Figs 3 & 4*).

Install the black-painted Outer Trim Ring over the Horizontal Termination Cap and secure in place with the (3) 1-1/2" wood screws (*Fig 5*). Seal the Outer Trim Ring against the exterior wall using weatherizing silicone sealant.

If the Interior Trim Ring is installed, slide the Trim Ring against the interior wall and secure in place with (3) 1-1/2" wood screws. Secure the Interior Trim Ring to the CVS pipe by using (3) $\frac{1}{2}"$ sheet metal screws through the tabs in the Trim Ring. Be sure you do not drill through the gasket in the outer wall of the CVS vent pipe.

VERTICAL INSTALLATION:

If you plan on terminating your vent vertically above the roof, check with the appliance manufacturer for any restrictions or requirements on vent lengths.

1. Install Appliance. Determine where your appliance will be installed and follow the Appliance manufacturer's installation instructions accordingly.

2. Determine the location of your ceiling and/or roof penetration. Avoid cutting floor or roof supporting members. Always make sure to follow the appliance manufacturer's required minimum clearance to combustibles.

3. Cut and frame floor penetration

openings. Cut and frame 7-1/2" x 7-1/2" openings at each floor level through which the CVS vent system will penetrate. The opening at the roof does not require framing. Vertical installations of the CVS vent need to be supported. A Firestop Support is required

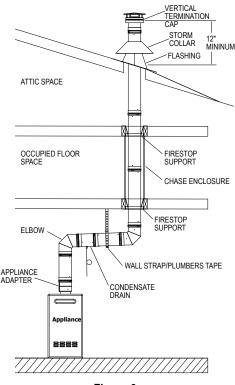


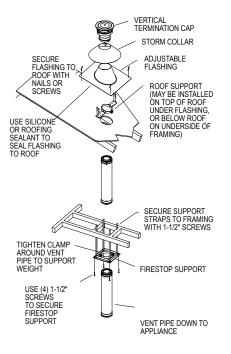
Figure 6

where the vent system passes through the first floor, and additional Firestops are required at each floor opening, except the roof. Follow the appliance manufacturer's requirements for minimum clearance to combustibles 4. Install Firestop Support(s). At each framed floor opening, install a Firestop Support. The Firestop Support is listed to support up to 40-ft of CVS vent pipe. The Firestop Support is installed from underneath the opening, held in place by (4) 1-1/2" wood screws in the corners (Fig 6). From the other side, extend the straps of the Firestop Support and secure them to nearby framing members with additional 1-1/2" wood screws. As the vent passes through the Firestop Support, install the clamp around the vent and tighten with the screws provided,

so the weight of the vent is supported by the Firestop Support (*Fig 6*).

5. Install CVS Vent Pipe. If your appliance requires an Appliance Adapter, install it onto the appliance. Twist-lock on the first section of CVS vent pipe and continue to add vent pipe sections for your installation. As the vent passes through Firestop Supports, tighten the supporting clamp around the vent pipe.

Any elbow offsets must be supported by Wall Straps. Wall Straps must be used to support any horizontal or inclined sections longer than 8-ft. Plumbers tape is allowed to be used to support the vent pipe for interior offsets only, if nearby walls/ceilings/framing members are not close enough to use the Wall Straps.





As the CVS vent passes through the roof, install a Roof Support at the roof level to hold the vent in place, if there are no Wall Straps within 8-ft (*Fig 7*). The Roof Support is clamped around the vent pipe and is secured to the topside or underside of the roof with at least (4) nails or wood screws.

6. Enclosures. Check with your local authority for enclosure requirements when penetrating a vent through an occupied area. Except for the installation in one and two family dwellings, a venting system that extends through any zone above where the connected appliance is located shall have an enclosure with a fire resistance rating equal or greater than that of the floor or roof assembly through which it passes.

For exterior mounted systems, it is recommended that the vent system be enclosed below the roofline to limit condensation and protect against possible incidental damage that may occur to the vent pipe.

7. Install Flashing and Vertical Termination.

Install enough vent pipe through the roof penetration to allow the Adjustable Flashing to fit over the pipe. The Adjustable Flashing will fit roofs from 0/12-12/12 pitch. Slide the Flashing over the vent pipe and secure to the roof. The upper edge of the flashing should slide under the uphill shingles/roofing material, if applicable. Use appropriate roofing sealant to weatherize the flashing to the roof, and secure the flashing in place using at least (4) roofing nails/screws per side of the flashing (*Fig 7*).

After the Flashing is installed, wrap the Storm Collar around the vent pipe, inserting the tab

and folding it back to secure the collar tightly against the pipe. A sheet metal screw may be used to secure the tab in place. Slide the Storm Collar down on top of the Flashing. Use a bead of sealant where the Storm Collar sits on the Flashing to prevent any rain infiltration.

The vent pipe must extend above the roof a minimum of 12", but the installation must also meet any additional height requirements as specified in the appliance manufacturer's installation instructions. Once the required vent height has been reached, twist-lock the Vertical Termination Cap onto the top section of CVS vent pipe to complete the Vertical Installation (*Fig 7*). If more than 4 feet of CVS extends above the roof, then the vent pipe will need to be supported.

MAINTENANCE

Conduct an inspection of the venting system semiannually. Recommended areas to inspect are as follows:

1. Check areas of the Venting System which are exposed to the elements for corrosion. These will appear as rust spots or streaks, and in extreme cases, holes. These components should immediately be replaced.

2. Remove the Termination Cap, and shine a flashlight down the Vent. Clean and remove any deposited or foreign material.

3. Check for evidence of excessive condensation, such as water droplets forming in the inner liner, and subsequently dripping out at joints. Continuous condensate can cause corrosion of caps, pipe, and fittings. It may be caused by having excessive lateral runs, too many elbows, and exterior portions of the system being exposed to cold weather.

4. Inspect joints, to verify that no Pipe Sections or Fittings have been disturbed, and consequently loosened. Also check mechanical supports such as Wall Straps, or plumbers' tape for rigidity.

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