

# SOLO / DUETTO 25-35 ErP

# ISTRUZIONI PER L'INSTALLAZIONE E LA MANUTENZIONE



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# **INSTALLER INSTRUCTIONS**

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# **CONFORMITY**

Our Company declares that SOLO - DUETTO ErP boilers comply with the essential requirements of the following directives:

- Boiler Efficiency Directive 92/42/EEC
- Ecodesign Directive 2009/125/EC
- Regulation (EU) N. 813/2013 811/2013

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# **IMPORTANT**

When carrying out commissioning of the boiler, you are highly recommended to perform the following checks:

- Make sure that there are no liquids or inflammable materials in the immediate vicinity of the boiler.
- Make sure that the electrical connections have been made correctly and that the earth wire is connected to a good earthing system.
- Check that the flue pipe for the outlet of the products of the combustion is unobstructed.
- Make sure that any shutoff valves are open.
- Make sure that the system is charged with water and is thoroughly vented.
- Check that the circulator is not blocked.

# 1 DESCRIPTION OF THE BOILER

### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

One of the features of the cast iron thermal group with the integrated gas-oil burner is its functional silence. The perfectly balanced combustion and the high yield allows it to economise considerably the operating costs.

The instructions relative to the following models are indicated in the present manual:

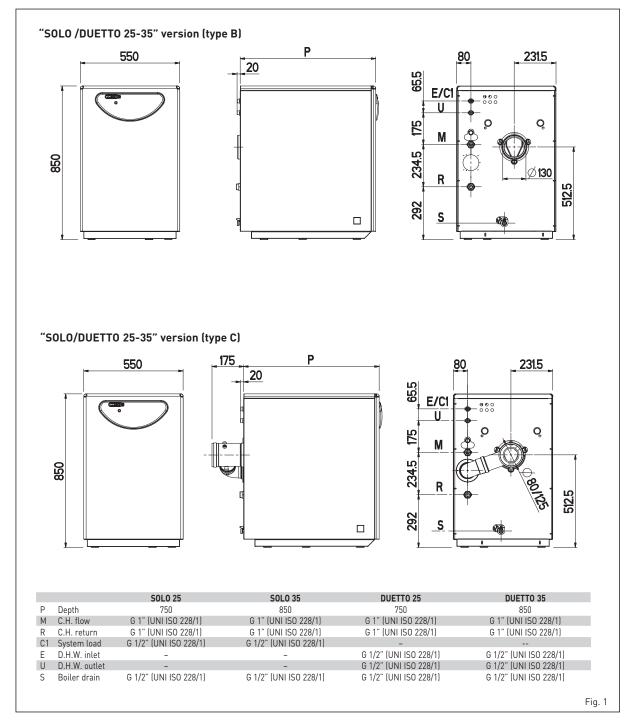
- "SOLO 25-35 ErP" for heating only
- "DUETTO 25-35 ErP" for heating and hot water production with instant tank

The instructions given in this manual

are provided to ensure proper installation and perfect operation of the appliance and should be strictly followed.

WARNING: The boiler can be converted into type C requesting the kit code 8101594.

# 1.2 DIMENSIONS (fig. 1)



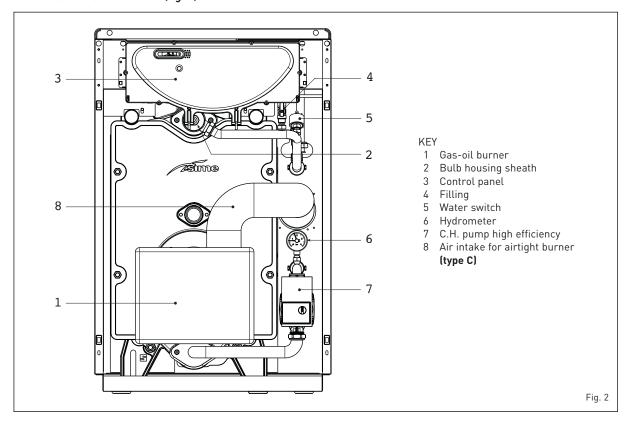
# 1.3 TECHNICAL FEATURES

		SOLO 25 ErP	SOLO 35 ErP	DUETTO 25 ErP	DUETTO 35 ErP
Heat output (Pn max)	kW	25.2	32.7	25.2	32.7
Heat input (Qn max - Qnw max)	kW	27.0	34.8	27.0	34.8
Measured yield 100% useful		93,9	94,0	93,9	94,0
Measured yield 30% useful		97,9	97,6	97,9	97,6
PIN number	n°	1312CQ188R	1312CQ188R	1312CQ188R	1312CQ188R
Туре		B23P - C23P	B23P - C23P	B23P- C23P	B23P - C23P
Energy efficiency					
Seasonal energy efficiency class of the heating	system	В	В	В	В
Seasonal energy efficiency of the heating syst	em %	87	87	86	87
Sound power of the heating system	dB (A)	46	45	46	46
D.H.W. energy efficiency class				В	В
D.H.W. energy efficiency	%			73	63
D.H.W. load profile declared				XL	XL
Losses after shutdown to 50°C (EN 303)	W	178	178	198	198
Elements	n°	4	5	4	5
Maximum water head (PMS)	bar	4	4	4	4
Water content	l	28	33	24.5	30.5
Expansion vessel water content/preloading	l/bar	10/1	12/1	10/1	12/1
Loss of head smoke	mbar	0.16	0.21	0.16	0.21
Combustion chamber pressure	mbar	0.17	0.25	0.17	0.25
Suggested chimney depression	mbar	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
Smoke temperature	°C	160	160	160	160
Smoke flow	m <sup>3</sup> n/h	41.4	52.8	41.4	52.8
CO <sub>2</sub>	%	12.5	12.5	12.5	12.5
Maximum temperature (T max)	°C	95	95	95	95
Power consumption	W	175	195	175	195
Adjustment range heating	°C	45÷85	45÷85	45÷85	45÷85
D.H.W. production					
Adjustment range D.H.W.	°C			30÷60	30÷60
D.H.W. flow rate (EN 13203)	l/min			12	14
Contin. D.H.W. flow rate ( $\Delta t 30^{\circ}C$ )	l/min			12	14
Minimum D.H.W. flow rate	l/min			2.5	2.5
D.H.W. tank maximum water head (PMW)	bar			6	6
Gas-oil burner *					
Burner nozzle		0.55 60°S	0.65 80°S	0.55 60°S	0.65 80°S
Pump pressure	bar	12.5	13	12.5	13
Shutter regulator		5.5	5.0	5.5	5.0
Weight	kg	137	162	176	201

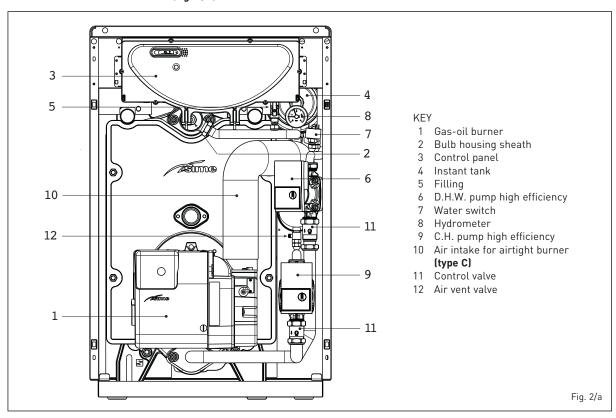
<sup>\*</sup> Calibration values with the coaxial drain terminal code 8096220 installed

# 1.4 MAIN COMPONENTS

# 1.4.1 "SOLO 25-35" version (fig. 2)



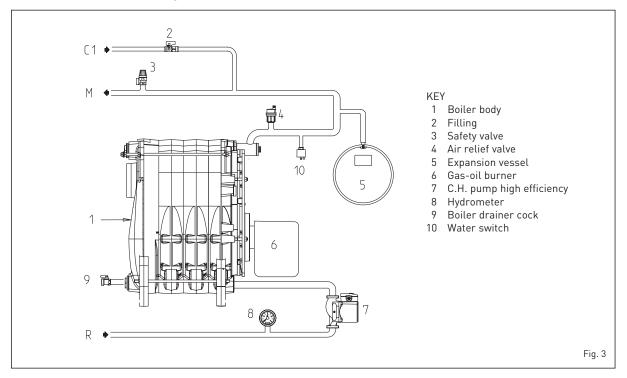
# 1.4.2 "DUETTO 25-35" version (fig. 2/a)

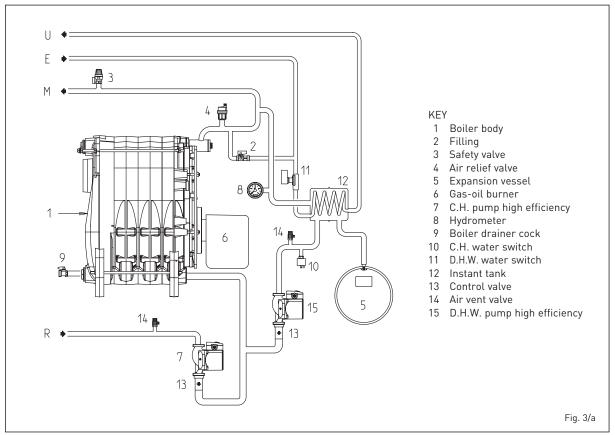


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# 1.5 FUNCTIONAL DIAGRAM

# 1.5.1 "SOLO 25-35" version (fig. 3)





# 2 INSTALLATION

### 2.1 BOILER ROOM

The boilers with a rating of more than 35 kW must be equipped with a technical room whose dimensions and requirements correspond to the current standards and regulations.

The minimum distance between the walls of the room and the boiler must not be less than 0.60 m., while the minimum height between the top of the boiler and the ceiling must be at least 1 m. which can be reduced to 0.50 m. for boilers with incorporated heaters (however the minimum height of the boiler room must not be less than 2,5 m). The boilers with a rating of less than 35 kW can be installed only in perfectly air-vented rooms. To circulate air in the room, air vents must be made on the outside walls which satisfy the following requirements.

- Have a total surface area of at least 6 cm<sup>2</sup> for each installed Kw of thermal capacity and however not less than 100 cm<sup>2</sup>.
- To be situated as close as possible to the floor, unobstructable and protected by a grate which does not reduce the air passage area.

### 2.2 CONNECTING UP SYSTEM

Before proceeding to connect up the boiler, you are recommended to make the water circulate in the piping in order to eliminate any foreign bodies that might be detrimental to the operating efficiency of the appliance. For connecting up the pipes, make sure to follow the indications illustrated in fig. 1. The connections should be easy to disconnect using pipe unions with orientable connections.



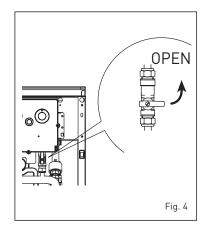
The shutoff valve must be connected to a suitable flow system and return pipes

### 2.2.1 System filling (fig. 4)

The boiler and the relative system must be filled operating on the bearing tap and the pressure of cold charging the system must be included between 1 - 1.2 bar. During filling the main switch should be left open.

Filling must be done slowly so as to allow any air bubbles to be bled off through the provided air vents. This operation can be made easy by positioning horizontally the incision of the block screw of the shutoff valve.

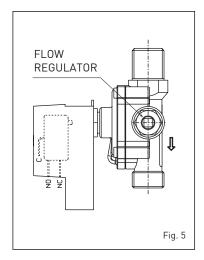
Upon completing the filling, put the screw back to its original position. At the end of the operation make sure that the tap is closed (fig. 4).



# 2.2.2 D.H.W. production on "DUETTO 25-35" version (fig. 5)

To adjust water flow use the water pressure gauge flow regulator (fig. 5):

- Turn clockwise and the regulator reduces water supply consequently increasing the relevant temperature.
- Turn counter-clockwise and the regulator increases water supply consequently reducing the relevant temperature.



### 2.2.3 Characteristics of feedwater

To prevent lime scale and damage to the tap water exchanger, the water supplied should have a hardness of no more than 20°F.

In all cases the water used should be tested and adequate treatment devices should be installed.

To prevent lime scale or deposits on the primary exchanger, the water used to supply the heating circuit should must be treated in accordance with UNI-CTI 8065 standards. It is absolutely essential that the water is to be treated in the following cases:

- Very extensive systems (with high contents of feedwater).
- Frequent addition of makeup water into the system.
- In case it is necessary to empty the system either partially or totally.

### 2.3 SMOKE EXHAUST

# 2.3.1 Connecting up flue (type B)

The flue is of fundamental importance for the proper operation of the boiler; if not installed in compliance with the standards, starting the boiler will be difficult and there will be a consequent formation of soot, condensation and encrustation.

A flue therefore must satisfy the following requirements:

- be constructed with waterproof materials and resistant to smoke temperature and condensate;
- be of adequate mechanical resilience and of low heat conductivity;
- be perfectly sealed to prevent cooling of the flue itself:
- be as vertical as possible; the terminal section of the flue must be fitted with a static exhaust device that ensures constant and efficient extraction of products generated by combustion;
- to prevent the wind from creating pressure zones around the chimney top greater than the uplift force of combustion gases, the exhaust outlet should be at least 0.4 m higher than structures adjacent to the stack (including the roof top) within 8 m.
- have a diameter that is not inferior to that of the boiler union: square or rectangular-section flues should have an internal section 10% greater than that of the boiler union;
- the useful section of the flue must conform to the following formula:

$$S = K \frac{P}{\sqrt{H}}$$

S resulting section in cm<sup>2</sup>

- K reduction coefficient for liquid fuels: 0.024
- P boiler input in Kcal/h
- H height of the flue in meters measured from the flame axis to the flue outlet into the atmosphere. When dimensioning the flue, the effective height of the flue in meters must be considered, measured from the flame axis to the top of the flue, reduced by:
  - 0.50 m for each change of direction of the connection union between boiler and flue;
  - 1.00 for each horizontal metre of the union itself.

Our boilers are the B23 type and do not need any particular connections other than the one to the flue as described above.

# 2.3.2 Smoke exhaust with ø 80/125 coaxial flue (type C) (fig. 6)

The boiler converted into type C with the kit code 8101594 are set to be connected to Ø 80/125 stainless steel coaxial flues that can be adjusted to the most suitable direction for room requirements (fig. 6).

The maximum acceptable length of

the flue must not be over 7.0 equivalent meters.

Load losses in meters for each single accessory to be used in the exhaust configuration are indicated in Table A.

Only use original SIME accessories and make sure that connections are correct as indicated in the instructions supplied with the accessories.

# 2.4 FUEL ADDUCTION (figg. 7 - 7/a)

The fuel can be fed into the thermal group sideways, the ducts must be

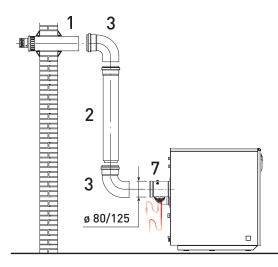
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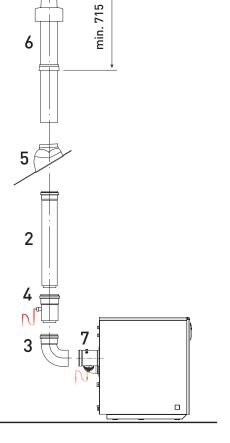
- Stainless steel coaxial flue L. 886 code 8096220
- 2 a Stainless steel extension L. 1000 code 8096121
- 2 b Stainless steel extension L. 500 code 8096120
- 3 a 90° stainless steel curve code 8095820
- 3 b 45° stainless steel curve code 8095920
- 4 Stainless steel vertical condensation recovery L. 135 code 8092820
- 5 Tile with hinge code 8091300
- 6 Roof outlet terminal L. 1063 code 8091203
- 7 Kit code 8098810

# **TABLE A**

	Load loss (mt)
90° stainless steel curve	1,80
45° stainless steel curve	0,90
Stainless steel extension L. 1000	1,00
Stainless steel extension L. 500	0,50
Roof outlet terminal L. 1063	1,00
Stainless steel coaxial flue L. 886	0,70
Stainless steel vertical condensation recovery I	135 0.70

Stainless steel vertical condensation recovery L. 135





WARNING: The maximum acceptable length of the flue must not be over 7.0 equivalent meters.

Always use the condensation recovery (4) in outlets with vertical exhaust.

Fig. 6

passed through the aperture on the right or left hand side of the shell for connection to the pump (fig. 7 - 7/a).

### **Important**

- Make sure, before turning on the boiler, that the return tube is free.
   An excessive counter-pressure would break the pump seal.
- Make sure that the tubes are sealed.
- The maximum depression of 0.4 bar (300 mmHg) (see Table 1) must not be exceeded. Gas is freed from the fuel above that value and can cause cavitation of the pump.
- It's advisable to bring the return tube in the depression systems up to the same height of the intake tube. In this case the foot valve is unnecessary.

If instead the return tube arrives above the fuel level, the foot valve is indispensable.

### Starting the pump

Turn on the burner to start the pump and check the flame ignition.

If a "lock out" occurs before fuel arrival, wait for at least 20 seconds then press the burner release button "RESET" and wait for the whole start-up operation to repeat until the flame lights up.

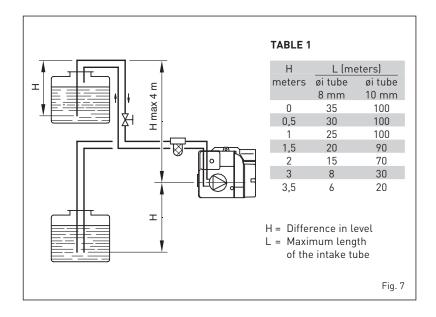
# 2.5 BURNER ADJUSTMENTS

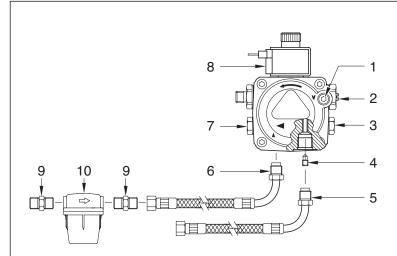
Each unit is shipped with a burner unit equipped with a nozzle and calibrated at the factory; it is recommended, however, that the settings listed under point 1.3 be checked, with reference to atmospheric pressure at sea level. If it is necessary to adjust the burner differently from the factory settings, this should be done by authorised personnel following the instructions provided below.

The burner adjustments allow operation up to an altitude of 1300 m above sea level.

### 2.5.1 Air lock adjustment (fig. 8)

To adjust the air lock, loosen the screw (1 fig. 8) and slide the graduated scale (2 fig. 8) indicating the position air lock position. The values for adjustment of each unit are given in point 1.3.





### CONNECTIONS

- 1 Vacuometer attachment
- 2 Pressure regulator
- 3 Manometer attachment
- 4 By-pass screw
- 5 Back-flow flexible pipe (included in supply)
- Suction flexible pipe (included in supply)
- 7 Auxiliary pressure intake
- 8 Valve
- 9 Racor 3/8" (included in supply)
- 10 Fuel feed line filter (included in supply)

### ATTENTION:

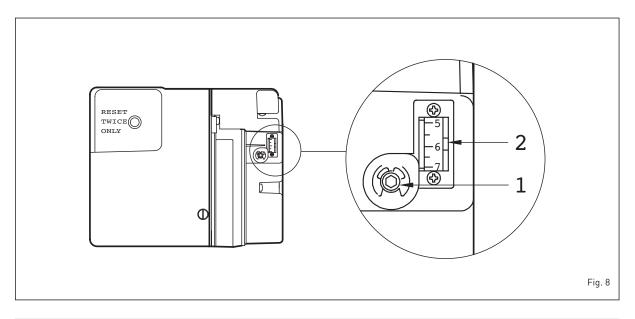
- loosen the pump joints (5-6) before pointing the flexible pipes for bringing them out from the prefixed opening on the right/left hand side of the shell. Afterwards tighten the joints to the pump.
- The pump is prearranged for the double-tube function. Remove the by-pass screw (4) for single tube function.

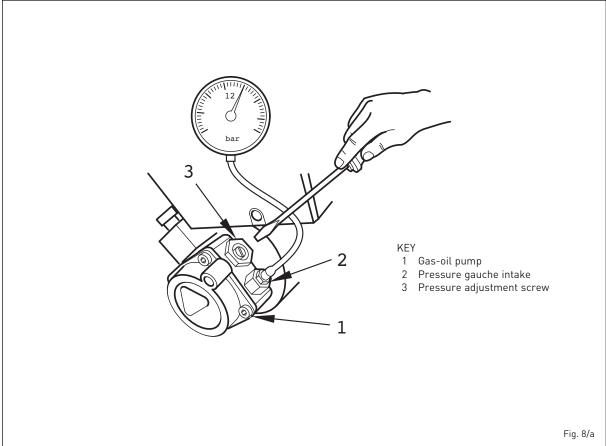
Fig. 7/a

# 2.5.2 Pump pressure adjustment (fig. 8/a)

To adjust gas-oil pressure, turn the

screw (3 fig. 8/a) and check pressure with a pressure gauche connected to the intake (2 fig. 8/a), making sure pressure corresponds to the value given under point 1.3.





# 2.7 ELECTRICAL CONNECTION

The boiler is supplied with an electric cable and the electric power supply to the boiler must be 230V-50Hz single-phase through a fused main switch. The stat cable, whose installation

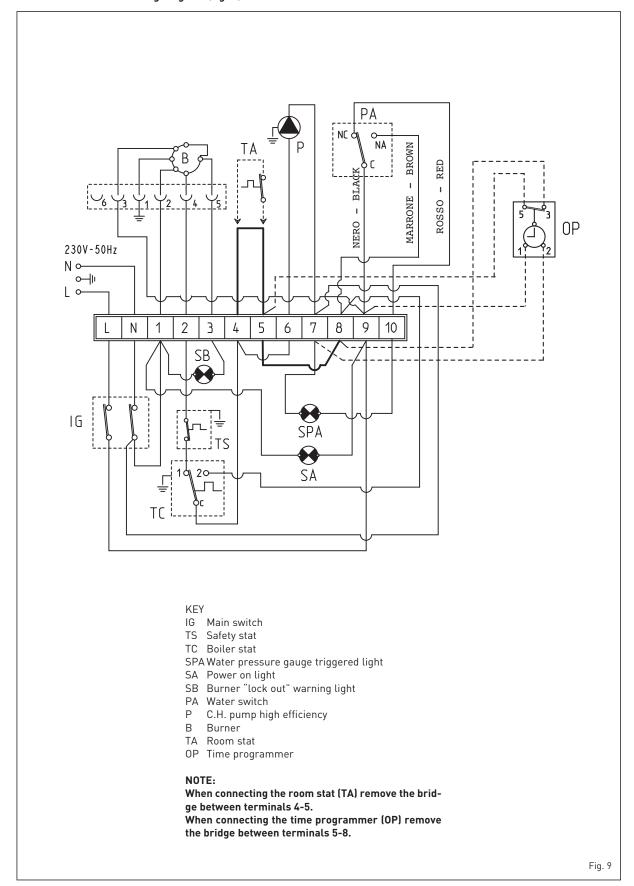
is compulsory for obtaining a better adjustment of the room temperature, must be connected as shown in fig. 9 - 9/a.

NOTE: Device must be connected to an efficient earthing system. SIME

declines all responsibility for injury or damage to persons resulting from the failure to provide for proper earthing of the appliance.

Always turn off the power supply before doing any work on the electrical panel.

# 2.7.1 "SOLO 25-35" wiring diagram (fig. 9)



# 2.7.2 "DUETTO 25-35" wiring diagram (fig. 9/a)

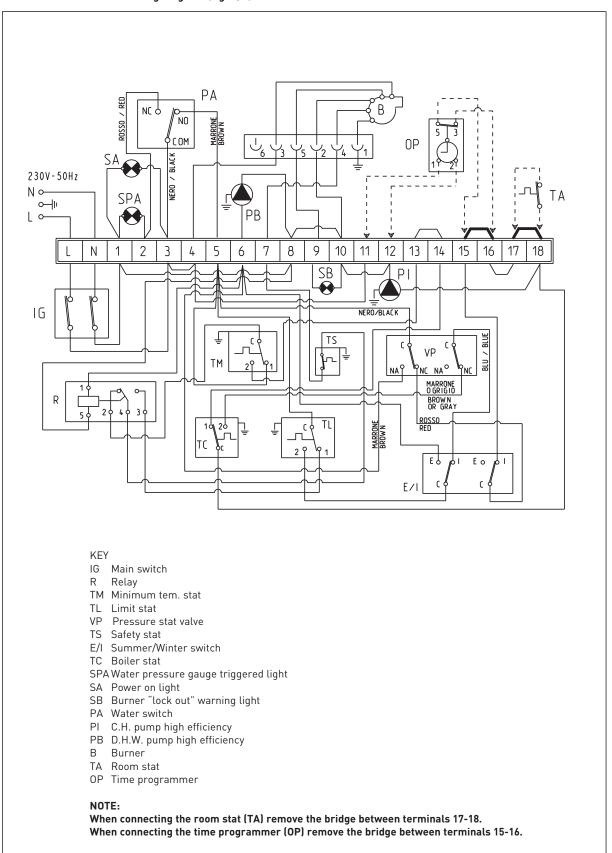
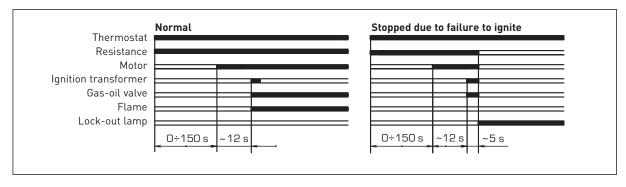


Fig. 9/a

# 2.7.3 Functional diagram



# 3 CHARACTERISTICS

# 3.1 COMBUSTION CHAMBER DIMENSIONS (fig. 10)

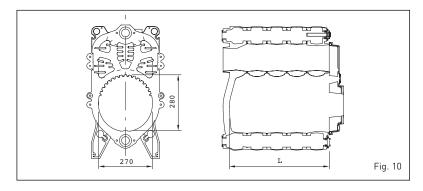
The combustion chamber is a direct passage type and is conform to the EN 303-3 standard annex E.

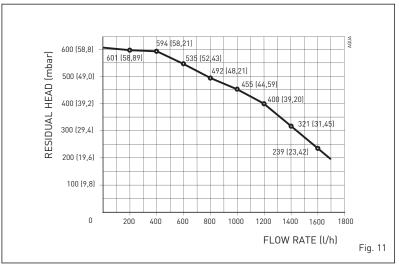
The dimensions are shown in fig. 10. An adequate protection panel is mounted on the inside wall of the rear head of all the models.

	L	Volume
	mm	$dm^3$
S0L0 25	305	17,5
S0L0 35	405	24,0
DUETTO 25	305	17,5
DUETTO 35	405	24,0

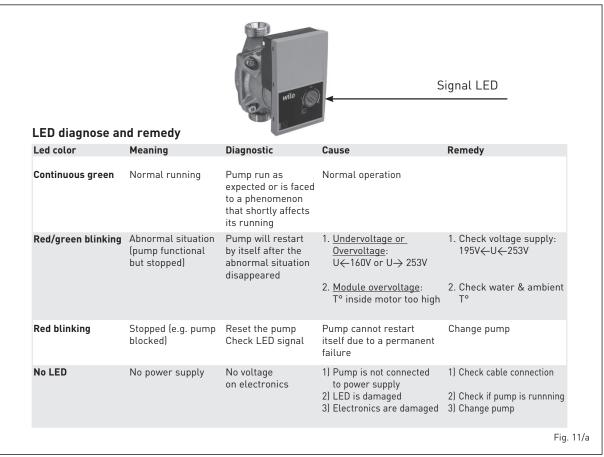
# 3.2 SYSTEM AVAILABLE HEAD (fig. 11)

The head available for the heating plant is shown as a function of the flow in graph in fig. 11.

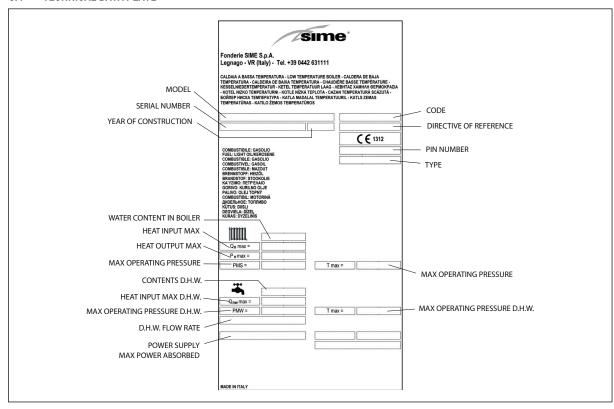




# 3.3 Pump high efficiency diagnose and remedy (fig. 11/a)



# 3.4 TECHNICAL DATA PLATE



# 4 USE AND MAINTENANCE

# 4.1 DISASSEMBLY OF OUTER CASING (fig. 14)

The shell can be completely disassembled for an easy maintenance of the boiler by following the numeric steps shown in fig. 14.

# 4.5 DISASSEMBLY OF EXPANSION VESSEL

The heating expansion tank is disassembled in the following manner:

- Make sure that the boiler has been emptied of water.
- Unscrew the union which connects the expansion tank.
- Remove the expansion tank.

Before filling up the system make sure that the expansion tank is reloaded at the pressure of  $0.8 \div 1$  bar.

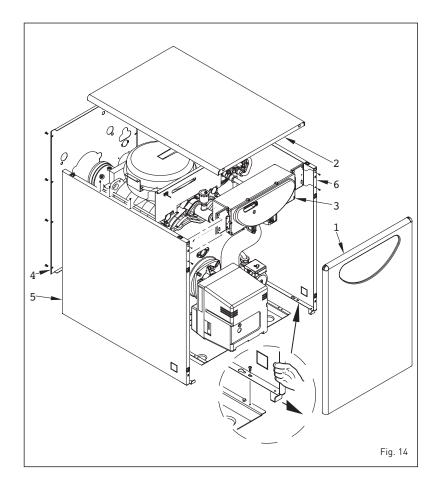
# 4.6 BURNER MAINTENANCE (figg. 15 - 15/a - 15/b)

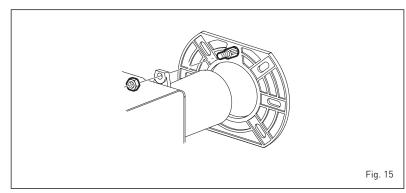
To dismantle the burner from the boiler door, remove the nut (fig. 15).

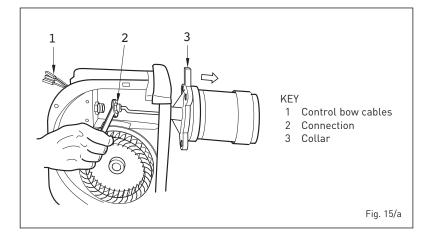
- To access the internal part of the burner, remove the air lock unit held in place by two screws to the sides and remove the right hand shell, which is held in place by four screws, taking care not to damage the 0-ring seal. OR.
- To dismantle the nozzle holder and heater unit, proceed as follows:
  - open the cover, which is held in place by a screw, and remove the heater cables [1 fig. 15/a] protected by a heat resistant sheath; remove the fairlead and pass the cables through the hole.
  - remove the two cables from the ignition electrodes fastened in place with a faston.
  - loosen the union (2 fig. 15/a) and remove the four screws which fasten the collar (3 fig. 15/a) to the burner.
- To dismantle the eater or thermostat, refer to figure 15/b.

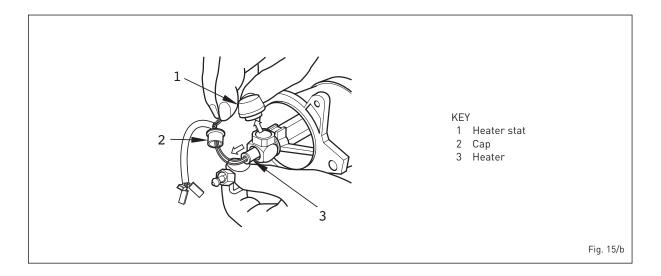
# 4.7 CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE

Preventive maintenance and checking of the efficient operation of the equipment and safety devices must be carried out at the end of each heating season exclusively by the authorised technical staff.









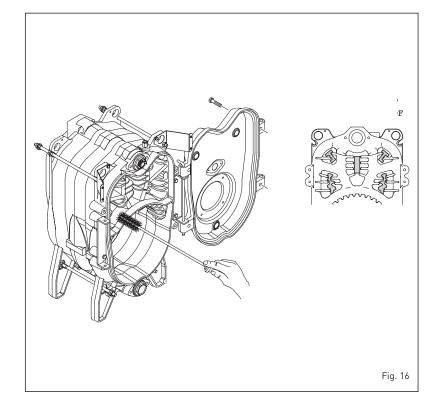
# 4.7.1 Cleaning smoke ducts (fig. 16)

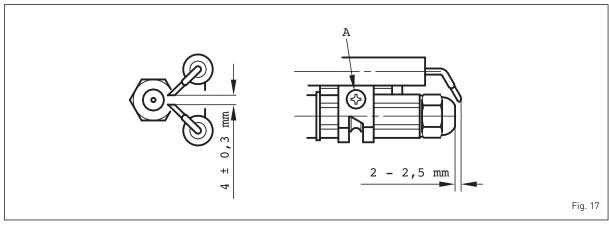
Use an adequate swab for cleaning the smoke ducts of the boiler. After cleaning, position the circulators in their original position (fig. 16).

# 4.7.2 Cleaning combustion head (fig. 17)

The combustion head is cleaned in the following manner (fig. 17):

- Disconnect the high tension cables from the electrodes.
- Unscrew the fixture screws of the circulator support and remove it.
- Brush the propeller delicately (turbulence disc).
- Carefully clean the photo-resistance of eventual deposits of dirt deposited on its surface.
- Clean the remaining components of the combustion head of eventual deposits.
- Upon completion re-assemble the unit in the opposite way as described





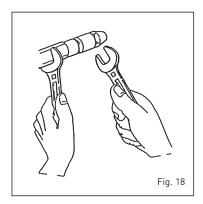
above taking care to respect the indicated measurements.

# 4.7.3 Substitution of nozzle (fig. 18)

The nozzle should be substituted at the beginning of every heating system for guaranteeing the correct fuel flow and a good spray efficiency.

The nozzle is substituted in the following manner:

- Disconnect the high tension cables from the electrodes.
- Loosen the fixture screw (A fig. 17) of the electrodes support and remove it.
- Block the spray door using a n°19 spanner and unscrew the nozzle with a n°16 spanner (fig. 18).



### 4.8 FAULT FINDING

There follow a list of some reasons and the possible remedies for a series

of faults which could happen causing a failure or an irregular function of the appliance. A function fault, in most cases, causes the "lock out" signal on the control panel to turn on.

When this light turns on, the burner can only function again after the reset button has been pressed; once this has been done and a regular ignition occurs, the failure can be defined momentary and not dangerous.

On the contrary, if the "lock out" persists, then the cause of the fault as well as the remedy must be looked for in the following faults:

### The burner does not ignite

- Check the electric connections.
- Check the regular fuel flow, the cleanness of the filters, of the nozzle and air vent from the tube.
- Check the regular spark ignition and the proper function of the burner.

# The burner ignites regularly but the flame goes out immediately

 Check the flame detection, the air calibration and the function of the appliance.

# Difficulty in regulating the burner and/or lack of yield

 Check: the regular flow of fuel, the cleanness of the boiler, the non obstruction of the smoke duct, the real input supplied by the burner and its cleanness (dust).

# The boiler gets dirty easily

- Check the burner regulator (smoke analysis), the fuel quantity, the flue

obstruction and the cleanness of the air duct of the burner (dust).

### The boiler does not heat up

- Control the cleanness of the shell, the matching, the adjustment, the burner performances, the preadjusted temperature, the correct function and position of the regulation stat.
- Make sure that the boiler is sufficiently powerful for the appliance.

# Smell of unburnt products

- Control the cleanness of the boiler shell and the flue, the airtightness of the boiler and of the flue ducts (door, combustion chamber, smoke ducts, flue, washers).
- Control the quality of the fuel.

# Frequent intervention of the boiler shutoff valve

- Control the presence of air in the system, the function of the circulation pumps.
- Check the load pressure of the appliance, the efficiency of the expansion tanks and the valve calibration.

# **USER INSTRUCTIONS**

# WARNINGS

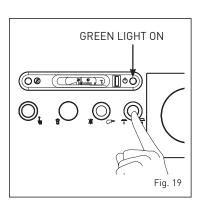
- In case of fault and/or incorrect operation, deactivate it without making any repairs or taking any direct action. If fuel or combustion is smelt, air the room and close the fuel interception device. Contact the authorised technical staff.
- The installation of the boiler and any servicing or maintenance job must be carried out by qualified personnel.
- It is absolutely prohibited to block the intake grilles and the aeration opening of the room where the equipment is installed. The intake grilles are indispensable for a correct combustion.

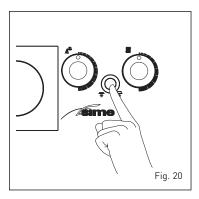
# **IGNITION AND OPERATION**

# BOILER IGNITION (figs. 19 - 20)

Press the main switch for lighting the boiler. The green light turns on to indicate that the appliance is powered (fig. 19). In the "DUETTO 25-35" version choose the position Summer/Winter on the switch (fig. 20):

- The boiler operates in treated





phase with the switch in the position  $^{*}$  (SUMMER)

The boiler operates both in treated phase as well as for heating with the switch in the position (WINTER). The room stat or the chronostat will stop the operation of the boiler.

# **TEMPERATURE ADJUSTMENT** (fig. 21)

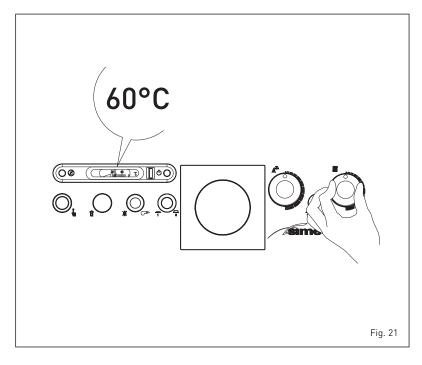
The heating temperature can be adjusted by turning the knob of the

thermostat which has a range of between 45 and 85°C.

The temperature setting can be checked on the thermometer. To ensure optimal boiler efficiency at all times, we recommend not to drop below a minimum working temperature of 60°C (fig. 21).

# SAFETY STAT (fig. 22)

The safety stat is of the manually resetting type and opens, causing



the main burner to turn off immediately, whenever the temperature of 110°C is exceeded in the boiler. To restore boiler operation, unscrew the black cap and reset the button (fig. 21).

Should the appliance "lock out" again, please approach the authorised technical staff.

# **BURNER RESTART (fig. 23)**

In case that ignition or operation faults occur, the main burner "locks out" and the red lamp lights up on the control panel.

Press the "RESET" button to restart the ignition conditions until the flame lights up (fig. 23). This operation can be repeated 2-3 times at maximum and in case of failure contact the authorised technical staff.

ATTENTION: Make sure that there is fuel in the tank and that the taps are open. After each fill up of the tank it is advisable to interrupt the operation of the burner for about one hour.

### **TURNING OFF BOILER** (fig. 19)

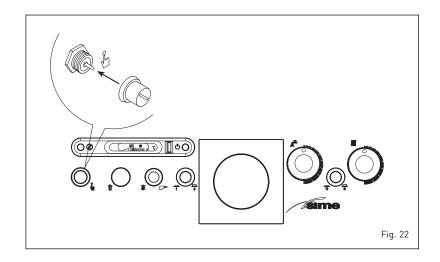
It is sufficient to press the main switch to turn off the boiler (fig. 19). Close both the gas-feed pipe tap and the water tap if the boiler remains inoperative for a long period.

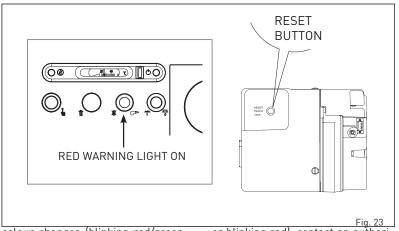
# **SYSTEM FILLING** (fig. 24)

Check periodically that the hydrometer has pressure values at a switched-off system of 1 - 1.2 bar. If the orange water pressure gauge light turns on inhibiting boiler operations, restore operations by turning the supply tap counter-clockwise. After the operation check that the tap is properly closed (fig. 24). Should the pressure exceed the foreseen limit, discharge the superfluous amount by operating on the vent knob of any radiator.

# **GREEN LED PUMP HIGH** EFFICIENCY (fig. 25)

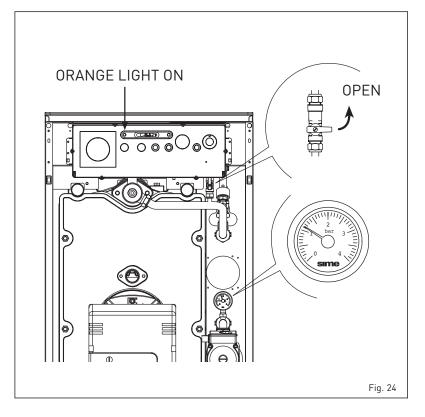
If the LED signal is missing or the





colour changes (blinking red/green

or blinking red), contact an authori-



sed technician.

# **CLEANING AND MAINTENANCE**

At the end of each heating season, it is essential to have the boiler thoroughly checked and cleaned out.

Preventive maintenance and checking of the efficient operation of the equipment and safety devices must be carried out exclusively by the authorised technical staff.

# Signal LED Fig. 25

# **DISPOSAL OF THE EQUIPMENT**

Once it reaches the end of its operating life, the equipment MUST BE RECYCLED in line with current legislation.

IT MUST NOT be disposed of together with urban waste.

It can be handed over to recycling centres, if there are any, or to retailers that offer this service.

Recycling prevents potential damage to the environment and health. It allows to recover a number of recyclable materials, with considerable savings in terms of money and energy.