

Installation instructions /Instrucciones de Instalación/ Instructions pour l'installation



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all installation instructions, can result in property damage or serious injury.

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Instrucciones de instalación (ES)

Introduction

• The **Ubbink Rolux® condensing** concentric vent system is considered part of the **Rinnai®** direct vent tankless water heater.

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- The **Ubbink Rolux® condensing** concentric vent system was tested and approved with the **Rinnai®** appliance by a third party testing agency.
- Check the manufacturer's installation instructions or certificate of compliance to confirm that the Ubbink Rolux[®] condensing concentric vent system is approved for your direct vent tankless water heater.
- The Rinnai[®] tankless water heater installation instructions take precedence over this document.
- Always refer to the appliance installation instructions before proceeding with the installation of this product.

Installation and service of Ubbink Rolux[®] concentric vent systems must be performed by a qualified installer, service agency or the gas supplier.

Approvals/codes

The installation must conform with local codes or, in the absense of local codes, the National Fuel Gas Code, ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54 and/or CSA B149.1, Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code.

The maximum vent length, as stated in the water heater installation instructions and these instructions, should never be exceeded.

Do not use with other vent products

Ubbink Rolux[®] condensing vent systems must be used throughout the entire vent system. Do not use vent components from other vent manufacturers when using the Ubbink Rolux[®] condensing vent system. Unless approved by the appliance manufacturer, do not connect this Ubbink concentric condensing vent into a common vent system.

Inspection

Before installation inspect each vent component for damage and correct seal placement. Do not attempt to fix or install any damaged vent components.

Condensate

Slope horizontal venting 1/4 inch per foot (25 mm/m) either toward the appliance with an integrated condensate collector or toward the exhaust terminal (*Ubbink prefers pitching the vent 1/4 inch per foot (25mm/m) towards the appliance with a condensate collector*).

- a) The vent system should be inspected annually for signs of damage or condensate leaks. If the vent system appears damaged the appliance must be turned off and the vent system repaired.
- b) Refer to local code for horizontal termination above a public walkway, driveway or area where condensate or vapor could create nuisance or hazard.
- c) Ice can develop in regions of cold climate. A 1/4 inch per foot pitch to the appliance with the use of the condensate collector is recommended (*Ubbink can not be held liable for personal injury or property damage due to ice formation*).

A WARNING

The Ubbink Rolux[®] Condensing Vent System was tested and approved with the appliance for a maximum flue gas temperature of 230F (110[°]C). Do NOT use this system on any other appliance.

Recommended vent/air intake terminal position

Ubbink refers to the appliance installation instructions and/or national and local codes such as ANSI Z223.1 / NFPA 54 or CGA-B149 for the correct position of the vent and air intake position.*

The tankless water heater installation instructions take precedence over this document.

Terminals should be so positioned as to avoid products of combustion entering openings into buildings or other flues or vents.

The Ubbink Rolux White Vent extension material is primarily designed for indoor use. If used outdoors the material should be protected for UV-radiation (direct sunlight).

* For clearances not specified in ANSI Z223.1 / NFPA 54 or CGA-B149, please use clearances in accordance with local installation codes and the requirements of the gas supplier.

General Installation Instructions

Joint connection



Vent connections must be firmly pressed together so that the gaskets form an airtight seal. To ensure optimum joint connection, it is recommended to secure with three #8x1/2in. self tapping screws. Secure the vent to the wall or ceiling with pipe clamps or perforated hanger iron. Vent connections extending beyond the outside of a building or structure should be enclosed to protect seals and gaskets.

Coping with condensation



Horizontal vent lengths must pitch a minimum 1/4 in. /ft. (25mm/m) or (1°) to the appliance.

NOTE

See exception under Condensate on page 3.

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Appliance connection 3/5 and 2/4 system



Shortening of vent extensions

The grey inner pipe should always extend 0.4 in. (10 mm) beyond the white outside pipe on the male end of the vent extension.

Always cut the male end of the vent pipe extension. Do not attempt to cut the female end.



Pipes overlap by 1.25 in. (32 mm). Therefore when cutting to size, add $2 \times 1.25 = 2.5$ in. (65 mm) to the extension pipe length (X) needed for installation.

Deburr the sharp edges, other wise the gaskets might get damaged, which can result in the system no longer being air tight.





With the termination of the vent system a bag with special Ubbink branded Lubricant is supplied. That lubricant, or water, is the only approved lubricant for the lubrication of the (green) flue seals. Do not use fat/grease /soap or other substances as these can damage the seals, resulting in mallfunctioning of the vent system.

Installation Instructions Rolux[®] Condensing Horizontal Discharge Vent System

Identify the vent location

- Place the 90 degree vent pipe elbow or horizontal starter adapteron the appliance. a)
- b) Mark position on wall
- c) Or use template provided with water heater
- d) Cut hole, covering the top of the waterheater to prevent debris from entering.

For the 3/5 (80/125) system the hole is minimum 5.5 in. diameter (140mm), for the 2/4 (60/100) system the hole is minimum 4.5 in. diameter (115 mm)



Measure dimension to fit

Reference page 4 of these installation instructions for the acceptable pitch direction.

- Refer to page 7 to adjust the terminal to correct length, for wallthickness indicated with A..
- Note: When the terminal protrudes more from the wall then prescribed, this can effect the performance of the product. The white section of the terminal is not intended to be visible outdoors.



2/4 (60/100) system

3/5 (80/125) system

Measure dimension to fit, adjust the termination to length



Note: Deburr the sharp edges, other wise the gaskets might get damaged, which can result in the system no longer being air tight.

Final installation of the vent system



- a) After cutting the appropriate length, slide the horizontal through the hole in the wall.
 Position the first rubber wall plate around the male end of the termination.
- b) Slide the male end of the termination in the Horizontal Discharge Adapter.
- c) Fill the gaps between the wall and the vent pipe penetration with a weather proof sealant.
- d) Finally, position the second rubber wall plate around the vent pipe, between the termination and the exterior wall.

Installation Instructions Rolux[®] Condensing Vertical Discharge Vent System

Identify the vent location



Determine the location where the roof discharge terminal will be installed. Taking into account the angle of the roof, cut the hole with a dimension that allows the vertical discharge roof terminal to be installed - 6"x6" 150x150 mm hole for flat roof,

- 9"x6" 225x150 mm hole for 12/12 pitch (45°)
- 12"x6" 300x150 mm hole for 16/12 pitch (55°).

Adjust the termination to length



The terminal can be shortened by cutting both the inside and outside pipes with the same length X.

Deburr the sharp edges, other wise the gaskets might get damaged, which can result in the system no longer being air tight.

Mounting the vent system



Parts and Dimensions Universal Components for 2/4 (60-100) and 3/5 (80-125) systems





Vertical Vent System Installation examples



NOTE *

Install a support bracket on each extension, or at least every 39". For vertical runs install a support bracket on each extension, or at least every 78".

Horizontal Vent System Installation examples

Condensate direction



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Install a support bracket on each extension, or at least every 39".

For vertical runs install a support bracket on each extension, or at least every 78".

