INSTALLATION AND OPERATION MANUAL

Outlander-15
(AMB9000 leg model illustrated)

SAFETY INFORMATION

WARNING

If the information in these instructions are not followed exactly, a fire or explosion may result causing property damage, personal injury or death. Please read the entire manual before you install and use your appliance. This heater has not been tested with an unvented gas log set. To reduce risk of fire or injury, do not install an unvented gas log set into the heater.

- This heater can be very hot when burning.
- Combustible materials such as firewood, wet clothing, etc. placed too close can catch fire.
- Children and pets must be kept from touching the heater when it is hot.
- The chimney must be sound and free of cracks. Before installing this appliance, contact the local building or fire authority and follow their guidelines.
- Operate only with the doors tightly closed.
- Burn wood behind the log retainer directly on the firebricks.
- Do not use an elevated grate or otherwise raise the fire.
- This appliance is designed to burn natural wood only. Higher efficiencies and lower emissions generally result when burning air dried seasoned hardwoods, as compared to softwoods or to green or freshly cut hardwoods.
- Do not start a fire with chemicals or fluids such as gasoline, engine oil, etc.
- Do not burn trash or garbage, lawn clippings/waste, rubber, waste petroleum products, paints or paint thinners/solvents, plastic, materials containing asbestos, construction debris, railroad ties or treated wood, manure or animal remains, salt water driftwood or salted materials, unseasoned wood, coal, charcoal, coloured paper, cardboard, plywood or particleboard. Burning these materials may result in release of toxic fumes or render the appliance ineffective and cause smoke.
- Do not let the appliance become hot enough for any part to glow red.

Wood Stoves ONLY

- At least 14 squares inches (90.3 square centimeters) of outside air must be admitted to the room or directly to the appliance through a 4" (101.8mm) diameter pipe.
- KEEP THE STOVE TOP TEMPERATURE BELOW 700°F (371°C). Attempts to achieve heat output rates that exceed design specifications can result in steel distortion and damage.

FOR INDOOR USE ONLY

U.S. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA) CERTIFIED TO COMPLY WITH 2020 PARTICULATE EMISSION STANDARDS USING CORD WOOD. THIS APPLIANCE HAS BEEN TESTED BY POLYTESTS AND LISTED BY OMNI-TEST LABORATORIES, INC. TO STANDARDS: CSA B366.2, UL 5627, AND UL 1482. METHODS ALT-125 AS REFERENCED INTO 40 CFR PART 60 SUBPART AAA, OMNI REPORT NUMBER 0415WS014E.

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INSTALLER:
Leave this manual with the appliance.

CONSUMER:
Retain this manual for future reference.

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WARNING

- This appliance is hot when operated and can cause severe burns if contacted.
- Any changes or alterations to this appliance or its controls can be dangerous and is prohibited.
- Do not operate appliance before reading and understanding operating instructions. Failure to operate appliance according to operating instructions could cause fire or injury.
- Before installing this appliance, contact the local building or fire authority and follow their guidelines.
- This appliance must be installed by a qualified installer. Never try to repair or replace any part of the appliance unless instructions are given in this manual. All other work should be done by a trained technician.
- Risk of burns. The appliance should be turned off and cooled before servicing.
- Do not operate without fully assembling all components. Do not install damaged, incomplete or substitute components.
- Do not let the appliance become hot enough for any part to glow red.
- Risk of cuts and abrasions. Wear protective gloves, footwear and safety glasses during installation. Sheet metal edges may be sharp.
- All wiring should be done by a qualified electrician and shall be in compliance with local codes, in the absence of local codes, use the current CSA22.1 Canadian Electric Code in Canada or the current National Electric Code ANSI/NFPA No. 70 in the United States.
- If equipped, burning your appliance with the ash dump door ajar creates a fire hazard that may result in discolouration to the door, internal damage to the appliance or a house and/or chimney fire.
- Do not connect this appliance to a chimney flue serving another appliance.
- Clothing or other flammable material should not be placed on or near the appliance. Objects placed in front of the appliance must be kept a minimum of 48” (121.9cm) away from the front face of the appliance.
- Due to high temperatures, the appliance should be located out of traffic and away from furniture and draperies.
- Even after the appliance is off, it will remain hot for an extended period of time.
- Any safety screen or guard removed for servicing must be replaced prior to operating the appliance.
- Under no circumstances should this appliance be modified.
- This appliance must not be connected to a chimney flue pipe servicing a separate solid fuel burning appliance.
- Do not operate the appliance with the glass door removed, cracked or broken. Replacement of the glass should be done by a licensed or qualified service person.
- Do not strike or slam shut the appliance glass door.
- Only doors / optional fronts certified with the appliance are to be installed on the appliance.
- If the appliance is not properly installed, a house fire may result. Do not expose the appliance to the elements (ex. rain, etc.) and keep the appliance dry at all times. Wet insulation will produce an odour when the appliance is used.
- The chimney must be sound and free of cracks. Clean your chimney a minimum of twice a year and as required.
- Children and adults should be alerted to the hazards of high surface temperature and should stay away to avoid burns or clothing ignition.
- Young children should be carefully supervised when they are in the same room as the appliance. Toddlers, young children and others may be susceptible to accidental contact burns. A physical barrier is recommended if there are at risk individuals in the house. To restrict access to an appliance or stove, install an adjustable safety gate to keep toddlers, young children and other at risk individuals out of the room and away from hot surfaces.
- Ensure you have incorporated adequate safety measures to protect infants/toddlers from touching hot surfaces.
- Check with your local hearth specialty dealer for safety screens and hearth guards to protect children from hot surfaces. These screens and guards must be fastened to the floor.
- Keep the packaging material out of reach of children and dispose of the material in a safe manner. As with all plastic bags, these are not toys and should be kept away from children and infants.
- Do not start a fire with chemicals or fluids such as gasoline, engine oil, etc.
WARNING

- Your appliance requires periodic maintenance and cleaning. Failure to maintain your appliance may lead to smoke spillage in your home.
- Ashes must be disposed in a metal container with a tight lid and placed on a non-combustible surface well away from the home or structure until completely cool.
- Ensure clearances to combustibles are maintained when building a mantel or shelves above the appliance. Elevated temperatures on the wall or in the air above the appliance can cause melting, discolouration or damage to decorations, a TV or other electronic components.

**WARNING:** This product can expose you to chemicals including lead and lead compounds, which are known to the State of California to cause cancer, and chemicals including carbon monoxide, which are known to the State of California to cause birth defects or other reproductive harm. For more information, go to www.P65Warnings.ca.gov.

For wood appliances:

- Lower emissions generally result when burning air dried seasoned hardwoods, as compared to softwoods or too green or freshly cut hardwoods. Burning wet unseasoned wood can cause excessive creosote accumulation. When this is ignited it can cause a chimney fire that may result in a serious house fire.
- This appliance is designed to burn natural wood only. Do not burn trash or garbage, lawn clippings / waste, rubber, waste petroleum products, paints or paint thinners / solvents, plastic, materials containing asbestos, construction debris, railroad ties or treated wood, manure or animal remains, salt water driftwood or salted materials, unseasoned wood, coal, charcoal, coloured paper, gift wrapping, cardboard, plywood or particleboard. Burning these materials may result in release of toxic fumes or render the appliance ineffective and cause smoke.
- Burn wood directly on the firebricks. Do not elevate grate or otherwise raise the fire.
- Do not store wood within appliance installation clearances or within the space required for re-fueling and ash removal.
- If equipped, the catalyst must be installed and in good working order. It is recommended that the catalyst is inspected at least three times per heating season.
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1.1 dimensions

SIDE VIEW

FRONT VIEW

TOP VIEW

LEG MODEL

PEDESTAL MODEL
1.2 specifications

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* As tested using test method ALT-125.

** Figures will vary considerably with individual conditions.

*** Wolf Steel Ltd. estimated realistic BTU/hr with hardwood logs and regular refueling.

**** Required in order to achieve proper draft.

1.3 general instructions

**WARNING**

- All wiring should be done by a qualified electrician and shall be in compliance with local codes. In the absence of local codes, use the current CSA C22.1 Canadian Electric Code (in Canada) or the ANSI / NFPA No 70 National Electric Code in the United States.
- Burning your appliance with the ash well open or the ash door ajar creates a fire hazard and may cause internal damage to the appliance or a house and/or chimney fire.
- Do not connect this appliance to a chimney flue serving another appliance. Do not connect to any air distribution duct or system.
- Provide adequate clearance for servicing and operating the appliance.
- Provide adequate ventilation.
- Never obstruct the front opening of the appliance.
- Objects placed in front of the appliance must be kept a minimum of 48" (121.9cm) from the front face of the appliance.
- Do not install in a mobile home.

- Before beginning your installation, consult with your local building code agency or fire officials and insurance representative to ensure compliance.
- Non-toxic smoke will be emitted during the paint curing process, to help dissipate the smoke open a window near the appliance.
- Remove any dust or debris off the top of the appliance before firing the appliance as the paint will become soft as the appliance heats up and will harden as the appliance cures. To cure the paint on your appliance burn your appliance moderately hot during the first few fires.
- To keep the gasket from sticking to the appliance as the paint is curing, periodically open the door every 5-10 minutes.
- For the first two weeks use generous amounts of fuel and burn the appliance with the damper wide open for an hour as the appliance goes through a process of eliminating moisture in the steel and firebricks. The initial heat output will be reduced while the moisture is being drawn from the appliance and it will be necessary to build several hot fires to remove this moisture. **DURING THIS PROCESS DO NOT OVERFIRE THE APPLIANCE. REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF AIR COMING INTO THE APPLIANCE IF THE APPLIANCE OR CHIMNEY BECOMES RED.**
1.4 general information

**WARNING**

- Do not operate this appliance without the legs or pedestal installed.

This model was specifically designed over many months of research to meet the 2020 U.S.A. EPA particulate emission standards and has been extensively tested in Canadian laboratories. This system is the most efficient, simple and trouble free we know and works as follows:

Secondary air from the rear hole travels up the back in the secondary air housing to the manifold located at the top and shoots out laterally to oxidize the gases below the smoke exit.

The lower combustion chamber is lined with high temperature firebricks on 2 sides, the back and across the bottom, with a layer of fibre baffles at the top to maintain a high temperature in the combustion chamber so that gases mixing with the preheated air from the secondary air manifold tube are easily ignited and burned. The appliance sides and back are shielded to direct the heat upwards and forwards into the room.

Be sure to provide sufficient combustion air. There are many other appliances in your home competing for air such as: a kitchen range hood, forced air heating devices, clothes dryer or a bathroom exhaust fan.

After extended periods of non-operation such as following a vacation or a warm weather season, the appliance may emit a slight colour for a few hours. This is caused by dust particles on the firebox burning off. Open a window to sufficiently ventilate the room.

If you experience smoking problems, you may be to open a door, a window or otherwise provide some method of supplying combustion air to the appliance.

Do not use makeshift compromises during installation. Do not block or restrict air, grille, or louvre openings. Do not add a hood. Burning your appliance with the door open or ajar creates a fire hazard that may result in a house and/or chimney fire. All venting connections must be in compliance with the chimney manufacturer's installation instructions. Clearances referred to throughout this manual are the minimum requirements.

Your appliance must be installed in accordance with all national and local building code standards and the standard of Chimney and Appliances, Vents and Solid Fuel Burning Appliance NFPA #211. Consult the authority having jurisdiction (such as municipal building department, fire department, fire prevention bureau, etc.) to determine the need to obtain a permit. If you are in doubt about the proper installation for your situation, contact your dealer or local building or fire official. The manufacturer does not guarantee that this appliance and its options will completely heat your entire house.

Expansion / contraction noises during heating up and cooling down cycles are normal and to be expected.

It is recommended that in all cases, the appliance be secured to the floor. Use the pallet packing brackets to accomplish this.
1.5 Rating Plate Information

This illustration is for reference only. Refer to the rating plate on the appliance for accurate information.

Note:

The rating plate must remain with the appliance at all times. It must not be removed.
2.1 appliance placement

We recommend having your Ambiance wood burning appliance installed by a qualified technician. However, should you choose to install the appliance yourself, it is extremely important that you follow all installation instructions for the appliance, the chimney and connector if applicable, as well as local building codes. At the very least, draw a detailed plan of your installation, including clearance dimensions to combustibles, and have your authorized dealer review them to confirm that they conform to the relative installation parameters.

**note:**
When positioning the appliance, it may be necessary to adjust its position to prevent the chimney/vent system from intersecting with a framing member and to meet the minimum combustible clearance requirements. Its location should also avoid the potential for drapes or doors to swing within 48" (122cm) in front of the appliance to prevent a fire hazard.

2.2 minimum clearance to combustibles

**WARNING**
- Do not install into any area having less than 7 feet (2.1m) (ceiling to appliance bottom, excluding hearth height).

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<th>PARALLEL &amp; CORNER</th>
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<td>Backwall (C)</td>
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<td>Ceiling (F)</td>
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Clearances can be reduced with shielding acceptable to local authorities. Reduced installation must comply with NFPA 211 or CAN/CSA-B365.
2.3 alcove installation

Your appliance may be installed using a listed double wall connector, such as Security DL6 in Canada, the Simpson Duravent Plus DVL in the USA or an equivalent double wall connector, into an alcove having a depth of no more than 4 feet and a height of at least 6’3”. The minimum clearances are as shown.

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2.4 floor protection

If the appliance is to be installed on top of a combustible floor, it must be placed on an approved non-combustible hearth pad, that extends 8” (203mm) beyond the appliance sides and back and 18” (457mm) in Canada / 16” (406mm) in the USA to the front. The reduced clearance from the back of the appliance may result in the appliance pad terminating shorter than 8” (203mm) beyond the appliance.

**note:**

Floor protection is required for spark and ash shielding, but not for limiting floor temperatures from the radiant heat of the appliance. The appliance was designed and safety-tested so that without any protection, the floor would not overheat.

Refer to local building codes for suitable floor protection materials.

2.5 outside air

The following are signs that fresh air may be required:

- When there is combustion present: Wood burns poorly, smoke spills, back-draft takes place and your chimney does not draw steadily.
- In the winter there is too much condensation on the windows.
- Opening a window seems to alleviate the above symptoms.
- A ventilation system is installed in the house.
- Other devices are present that exhaust house air.
- The house has tight fitting windows and/or is equipped with a well-sealed vapour barrier.

Systems such as HRV's are designed to bring fresh air into your home and will resolve these related performance issues with your appliance.
### 3.0 Installation

**WARNING**

- Wear gloves, protective footwear and safety glasses for protection.
- Carefully follow the instructions for assembly of the pipe and other parts needed to install the appliance. Failure to do so may result in a fire, especially if combustibles are too close to the appliance or chimney and air spacers are blocked, preventing the free movement of cooling air.
- Do not draw outside air from garage spaces. Exhaust products of gasoline engines are hazardous. Do not install outside air ducts such that the air may be drawn from attic spaces, basements or above the roofing where other heating appliances or fans and chimneys exhaust or utilize air. These precautions will reduce the possibility of appliance smoking or air flow reversal. The outside air inlet must remain clear of leaves, debris, ice and/or snow. It must be unrestricted while appliance is in use to prevent room air starvation which can cause smoke spillage and an inability to maintain a fire. Smoke spillage can also set off smoke alarms.
- Negative pressure within your home may inadvertently affect your appliance.
- To prevent contact with sagging or loose insulation, the appliance must not be installed against vapour barriers or exposed insulation. Localized overheating could occur and a fire could result.
- Do not use makeshift compromises during installation. Do not block or restrict air, grille or louvre openings. Do not add a hood.
- To prevent personal injury, keep hand tools in good condition, sharpen cutting edges and make sure tool handles are secure.
- Always maintain the minimum air space required in the enclosure to prevent fires.
- Check with local building officials for any permits required for installation of this appliance and notify your insurance company prior to proceeding.

#### 3.1 Chimney

**WARNING**

- Never install a single wall slip section or smoke pipe in a chase structure. The higher temperature of this single wall pipe may radiate sufficient heat to combustible chase materials to cause a fire.
- Do not connect this appliance to a chimney system serving another appliance.
- To avoid danger of fire, all instructions must be strictly followed, including the provision of air space clearance between chimney system and enclosure. To protect against the effects of corrosion on those parts exposed to the weather, we recommend that the chase top be painted with a rust-resistant paint.
- Do not fill any framed space around the chimney with insulation or any other material. Insulation placed in this area could cause adjacent combustibles to overheat.
- Maintain a minimum 2" (51mm) air clearance to all parts of the chimney system at all times (this excludes the chimney connection). Failure to maintain this 2" (51mm) air clearance will cause a structure fire. Never fill this space with any type of material.
- Detailed instructions for installation of the chase top, storm collar and termination cap are packaged with these parts.
- Do not cut rafters or ceiling joists without first consulting a building official to ensure structural integrity is not compromised.
- Firestop spacers must be used whenever the chimney penetrates a ceiling/floor area.
- The total horizontal vent length should not exceed 40% of the chimney height above the appliance all horizontal smoke pipe must slope slightly upwards a minimum of 1/4" (6.4mm) per foot and all connections must be tight and secured by three sheet metal screws equally spaced. An uninsulated smoke pipe shall not pass through an attic, roof space, closet or similar concealed space, or through a floor, ceiling, wall or partition, or any combustible constructions.
- Do not use any makeshift materials during installation.

Your appliance may be connected to a factory built or masonry chimney. If you are using a factory built chimney, it must comply with ULCS629 (Canada) or UL103 (USA) standards. It must therefore be a 6" (152mm) HT Type (2100°F) chimney. It is extremely important that it be installed according to the manufacturer’s specifications. The manufacturer's installation instructions and specified clearances should always be followed in accordance with local and national codes. In Canada the CSA B365 and the CSA C22.1 installation codes are to be followed. In the USA the ANSI NFPA 70 and ANSI NFPA 211 installation codes are to be followed.

Chimney and chimney connector must be in good condition and kept clean.
installation

3.1.1 chimney connection

Your chimney connector and chimney must have the same diameter as the appliance’s exhaust flue outlet. The appliance pipe must be made of aluminized or cold roll steel with a minimum 24 gauge (0.6mm) thickness. It is strictly forbidden to use galvanized steel.

A 6” (152.4mm) diameter single or double wall chimney connector, used to connect the appliance to the chimney, must be installed with the crimped end toward the appliance. This will ensure that the moisture which condenses from the burning wood will flow back into the fire chamber. Each joint in the chimney connector must be secured with at least three sheet metal screws, equally spaced around the circumference.

For installation of your chimney connector, the following recommendations may be useful.

- The chimney connector must be short and straight. For optimum performance, it is recommended that all horizontal runs have a minimum 1/4” (6.4mm) rise per foot (0.3m), with the higher end of the section toward the chimney. For safe and proper operation of the appliance, see “INSTALLATION” instructions.
- To ensure a good draft, the total horizontal length of the connector should never exceed 8’ (2.4m) to 10’ (3.1m). In the case of vertical installation, the total length of the connector can be longer and connected without problem to the chimney at the ceiling level.
- There should never be more than two 90° elbows in the entire connector and chimney system. Never start with a 90° elbow. Always go up vertically for at least 2 feet (0.6m) from the flue collar before using a 90° elbow.
- The connector must not pass through any combustible material, nor may it pass through a concealed space (such as an attic, roof space, or closet). If passing through a wall, ceiling or into a masonry chimney, use either chimney components listed for that specific use, or means acceptable to local authorities having jurisdiction over the installation.

This appliance must be connected to:

A. A chimney complying with the requirements for Type HT chimneys in the Standard for Chimneys, Factory-Built, Residential Type and Building Heating Appliance, or

B. A code-approved masonry chimney with a flue liner. Vent the stove into a masonry chimney or an approved, insulated solid-fuel stainless-steel chimney with as short and straight a length of 6” (152.4mm) diameter chimney connector as possible. Connection to a masonry thimble cemented in place.
3.1.2 adding sections
Add chimney sections, according to the manufacturer's installation instructions. If the chimney system passes through an attic space a rafter radiation shield or attic insulation shield is required. The chimney must extend at least 3ft (0.9m) above its point of contact with the roof and at least 2ft (0.6m) higher than any wall, roof or building within 10ft (3.1m). If the chimney extends more than 5ft (1.5m) above the roof, it must be secured using a roof brace or guide wires. A raincap must be installed to avoid internal damage and corrosion.

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**note:**
This illustration is for wood appliances only.

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An insulated stainless steel chimney must be supported at the ceiling or roof and its installation must comply with its manufacturer's instructions.

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1. CLEARANCE CAN BE REDUCED IF A LISTED CHIMNEY CONNECTOR IS USED.
2. CLEARANCES CAN BE LESS THAN 2" WHERE ESTABLISHED BY THE SUPPORT.
installation

3.1.3 typical through the ceiling

A. Move the stove into position with the flue centered, midpoint between two joists to prevent having to cut them. Use a plumb bob to line up the center.

B. Cut and frame an opening in the ceiling to provide a 2" (50.8mm) clearance between the outside of the chimney and any combustible material. **Do not fill this space with any type of material.** Nail headers between the joist for extra support. Firestop spacers must be placed on the bottom of each framed opening in any floor or ceiling that the chimney passes through. If your chimney system is enclosed within the attic area, a rafter radiation shield is required.

C. Hold a plumb bob from the underside of the roof to determine where the opening in the roof should be. Cut and frame the roof opening to maintain proper 2" (50.8mm) clearances.

**note:**
The chimney must be supported at the ceiling or roof so that its weight does not rest on the appliance and must comply with its manufacturer's instructions.
3.1.4 typical through the wall

If possible, design the installation so that the connector does not pass through a combustible wall. If during your installation you must pass through a combustible wall, check with your building inspector before you begin. Also check with the chimney connector manufacturer for any specific requirements.

Consult with your dealer regarding special connection components available for use for wall pass-throughs. Use only parts that have been tested and listed for use in a wall pass-through.
You can also install your appliance using your existing masonry chimney. To do so, use the following guidelines. Use a factory-built thimble, or construct your own brick thimble. If you are using a masonry chimney, it is important that it be built in compliance with the specifications of the Building Code in your region. It must normally be lined with fire clay bricks, metal or clay tiles sealed together with fire cement. (Round flues are the most efficient). The maximum flue size is 8" (203.2mm) x 8" (203.2mm) square or 6" (152.4mm) round. For greater diameters it is necessary to install a 6" (152.4mm) stainless steel liner.
4.1 leg installation

⚠️ WARNING

- Do not remove knockout unless installing the optional ash drawer kit.

To avoid being damaged during shipping, the appliance has been bolted to the pallet and must be unbolted before the appliance can be installed.

**note:**
If installing the optional ash drawer, see “optional ash drawer kit (EP20LAD)” section prior to heat shield and leg installation. Legs may need to be adjusted in order to properly align with the heat shield holes.

A. With the bolt through the legs, feed the washer and lock washer onto the bolt. Thread the nut a thread or two onto the bolt and slide the leg onto the slot on appliance (Fig. 4-1).

B. Slide the heat shield over the four bolts. Finally, secure the heat shield in place using the remaining nuts (Fig. 4-2).

**note:**
Bolts must be tight prior to heat shield installation.

C. Lift the appliance up and gently set down on all four legs. Do not pivot appliance up on its legs, as this could result in damage to the legs.

D. Place logo as illustrated (Fig. 4-3). For additional logo placement locations, see “optional ash drawer” section.
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4.2 pedestal installation

**note:**
If an optional ash drawer kit is to be installed, ensure open side of pedestal is at the front of the appliance. If not, opening should be at the back.

To avoid being damaged during shipping, the appliance has been bolted to the pallet and must be unbolted before the appliance can be installed.

A. Using the machine screws supplied, secure the pedestal to the four brackets on the bottom of the firebox.

B. Lift the appliance up and gently set down on pedestal. Do not pivot appliance up as it could result in damage to the pedestal.

4.3 door removal

⚠️ **WARNING**
- Burning your appliance in with the doors open or ajar creates a fire hazard that may result in a house and/or chimney fire.
- Do not strike or slam door.
- Never remove the door when the appliance is hot.

1. Pivot the door open and lift the door and pins off the bushings.
2. Set the door aside being careful not to scratch the paint.
4.4 door handle installation

⚠️ WARNING

- Burning your appliance in with the doors open or ajar creates a fire hazard that may result in a house and/or chimney fire.
- Do not strike or slam door.
- Never remove the door when the appliance is hot.

1. Twist the large wire handle over the end of the handle rod.
2. Twist the smaller wire handle over the end of the air damper rod below the door.

NOTE: DOOR MAY NOT BE AS ILLUSTRATED

NOTE: Position of door handle latch.
4.5 secondary air tubes

1. Start at the back working forwards by sliding the secondary air tube in the firebox and inserting the tube into the hole, as illustrated in "1".

2. Slide the tube into the opposite hole. With the holes on the secondary air tube pointing forward, align the tube with the tube retainer and insert the cotter pin, as illustrated in "2".

3. Spread the cotter pin to retain.
4.6 brick and baffle installation

⚠️ WARNING

- Operation of the appliance without the baffles can result in excessive temperatures that could damage the appliance, chimney and the surrounding enclosure.

With the appliance and chimney installation completed, move the bricks into place as illustrated below.

A. Install the four (A) bricks, two (B) bricks and two (C) bricks, working from the back of the appliance forward as illustrated (Fig. 1).

| note: |
| Left and right rear bricks have been cut. |

B. Install two (A) bricks along both sides of the appliance. Install the four (A) bricks and one (G) brick along the back wall by pivoting the bricks up under the brick retainer (Fig. 1).

| note: |
| Place narrow brick in center. |

C. Carefully pivot fibre baffles (F) up onto the secondary air tubes (Fig. 2). Ensure that the top baffles are pushed all the way to the rear of the firebox, leaving a minimum of a 1 inch gap along the front. This will allow the flue gases to escape the firebox. Ensure overlap joint is tight (Fig. 2).

D. Install the two (D) bricks along the front (Fig. 1).

| note: |
| The fibre baffles are shipped in a box inside the firebox and must be removed from all special packaging prior to installation. |
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4.7 ash lip installation

To avoid damage during transport, the ash lip has been shipped in the firebox. Using the two screws that secured the appliance to the shipping bracket, attach the ash lip as illustrated.
5.1 blower kit installation

**WARNING**

- Risk of fire and electrical shock!
- Turn off the gas and electrical power before servicing this appliance.
- Use only Wolf Steel approved optional accessories and replacement parts with this appliance. Using non-listed accessories (blowers, doors, louvres, trims, gas components, venting components, etc.) could result in a safety hazard and will void the warranty and certification.
- Ensure that the fan's power cord is not in contact with any surface of the appliance to prevent electrical shock or fire damage. Do not run the power cord beneath the appliance.
- The wire harness provided in the blower kit is a universal harness. When installed, ensure that any excess wire is contained, prevent it from making contact with moving or hot objects.

Drywall dust will penetrate into the blower bearings, causing irreparable damage. Care must be taken to prevent drywall dust from coming into contact with the blower or its compartment. Any damage resulting from this condition is not covered by the warranty policy. Use of the blower increases the output of heat.

Provisions have been made on this appliance to install an optional blower kit (EPT70) that comes complete with a variable speed switch to turn the blower ON/OFF, as well as to adjust the blower speed.

1. Ensure the thermal disc bracket is in the correct position (*Fig. 1*).

2. Remove the knock-out from the back of the appliance.

3. Install the blower and housing as shown (*Fig. 2*) using 4 screws (supplied).

4. Loosen the adjustment screws.

5. Reach between the outer panel and the firebox, then slide the thermal disc bracket until the thermal disc is touching the rear of the firebox (*Fig. 1*).

**note:**

For optimal performance, the thermal disc **MUST** make contact with the firebox.

6. Re-secure the adjustment screws to hold the thermal disc bracket in place.
optional installation

5.2 ash drawer kit (EP20LAD)

⚠️ WARNING

- Failure to achieve a good seal between the ash opening and ash plug will result in an over-fire condition that could cause damage to the appliance.

Provisions have been made on the appliance to install an optional ash drawer kit. The kit allows for convenient removal of excess ash.

1. If the appliance has been previously operated, the appliance must be cold and the ashes must be removed in order to access the ash plug.

   **note:**
   Place the ash drawer from the kit underneath the appliance to catch falling ashes during the installation.

2. From the underside of the appliance, remove the nuts that secure the heat shield and the ash opening cover plate.

3. Remove the small light weight brick that is covering the ash opening, and discard. It is important that the area around the ash opening be cleaned well to ensure that a proper seal is created between the new ash plug and the ash opening.

4. Once the area surrounding the opening has been cleaned, place the new ash plug (supplied) over the opening.

5. Carefully remove the knock out from the heat shield by breaking the micro tabs.

6. Bend out the four bend tabs at a 90° angle from the heat shield.

7. Align the slots in the ash drawer housing with the four bend tabs. Secure using the four screws supplied.

8. Secure the heat shield and ash drawer housing to the appliance using the nuts removed in step 2.

9. Slide the ash drawer into the ash housing.
5.3 ash pan kit (EP20PAD)

**WARNING**
- Failure to achieve a good seal between the ash opening and ash plug will result in an over-fire condition that could cause damage to the appliance.

**Provisions have been made on the appliance to install an optional ash drawer kit. The kit allows for convenient removal of excess ash.**

**note:**
It is recommended to install the rails on the pedestal base prior to installing the pedestal assembly to the firebox.

1. If the appliance has been previously operated, it must be cold and the ashes must be removed in order to access the ash plug.
2. If the pedestal has been installed with the opening to the back, it will be necessary to lay the appliance onto its back, remove the pedestal and re-install it with the opening to the front. It is recommended all fire brick, including baffles, be removed prior to placing the appliance on its back.
3. From the underside of the appliance, remove the nuts that secure the ash opening cover plate.
4. Install the ash pan rails using the screws provided.
5. Snap the magnets into place.
6. Slide the ash drawer into the ash housing.
7. Install the handle using the screws provided and affix the logo to the ash pan housing cover as illustrated.
8. Place the ash pan housing cover in front of the opening, engaging it into the slots.
9. Remove the small light weight brick that was covering the ash opening and discard. It is important that the area around the ash opening be cleaned well to ensure that a proper seal is created between the new ash plug and the ash opening.
10. Once the area surrounding the opening has been cleaned, place the new ash plug (supplied) over the opening, allowing the protrusion on the brick to recess into the opening on the bottom of the firebox.
6.0 operation

\section*{WARNING}

- Always operate this appliance with the door closed and latched except during startup and re-fueling. Always wear gloves to prevent injury. Do not leave the fire unattended when the door is unlatched as unstable wood could fall out of the fire chamber creating a fire hazard to your home.
- Never leave your children unattended when there is a fire burning in the appliance.
- Never use gasoline, gasoline-type lantern fuel, kerosene, charcoal lighter fluid, or similar liquids to start or ‘freshen up’ a fire in this appliance. Keep all such liquids well away from the appliance while it is in use.
- Objects placed in front of the appliance should be kept a minimum of 48" (121.9cm) from the front face.
- Any modification of the appliance that has not been approved in writing by the testing authority is considered breaching CSA B365 (Canada) and ANSI/NFPA 211 (USA).
- Open air control (and damper when fitted) before opening firing door.
- Hot while in operation. Keep children, clothing and furniture away. Contact may cause skin burns. Wear gloves to operate your appliance.
- Burning your appliance with the doors open or ajar creates a fire hazard that may result in a house and/or chimney fire.
- This wood appliance has a manufacturer-set minimum low burn rate that must not be altered. It is against federal regulations in the United States to alter this setting or otherwise operate this wood appliance in a manner inconsistent with operating instructions in this manual.

Your Ambiance EPA listed product is a hi-tech appliance, designed with the most advanced technology. The appliance is extremely airtight.

The first fire(s) in your appliance will be difficult to get going and keep going with little amount of heat being generated. This is a result of the moisture being driven out of the fire brick. During the break-in period (the first 2 or 3 fires) create only small fires using kindling; this will allow the firebrick to cure. Do not be alarmed if small hairline cracks develop in the firebrick. This is a normal occurrence and does not pose a safety hazard. The paint may also smell a little for the first few fires as it cures and you may wish to open a door or window to alleviate the smell.

To start, a brisk fire is required. Place loosely crumpled paper on the floor of the appliance and cover with dry kindling. Open the air control fully by sliding control all the way to the right. Light the paper and leave the door slightly ajar (1½/25.4mm) until all kindling is burning. To maintain a brisk fire, a hot coal bed must be established and sustained.

Slowly add larger wood (2x4 size pieces). Lay the pieces lengthwise from side to side in the hot coal bed with a shallow trench between, so that the primary air can flow directly into this trench and ignite the fuel above. When the fire seems to be at its peak, medium sized logs may be added. Once these logs have caught fire, carefully close the door. (Closing the door too quickly after refueling will reduce the firebox temperature and result in an unsatisfactory burn.) Remember it is more efficient to burn medium sized wood, briskly, and refuel frequently than to load the appliance with large logs that result in a smouldering, inefficient fire and dirty glass.

As soon as the door is closed, you will observe a change in the flame pattern. The flames will get smaller and lazier because less oxygen is getting into the combustion chamber. The flames, however, are more efficient. The flames will remain lazy but become larger again as soon as the firebrick have been heated thoroughly and the chimney becomes heated and provides a good draft. At this point, the roaring fire that you see when the door is opened is wastefully drawing heated room air up the chimney, certainly not desirable. Always operate with the door fully closed once the medium sized logs have caught fire.

You can now add larger pieces of wood and operate the appliance normally. Once the appliance is entirely hot, it will burn very efficiently with little smoke from the chimney. There will be a bed of orange coals in the firebox and secondary flames flickering just below the top baffles. You can safely fill the firebox with wood to the top of the door and will get best burns if you keep the appliance pipe temperatures between 250°F (120°C) and 450°F (270°C). A surface thermometer will help regulate this.

Without an appliance thermometer, you are working blindly and have no idea of how the appliance is operating! An appliance thermometer offers a guide to performance and should be located 18" (457mm) above the flue collar. Install the thermometer according to manufacturers instructions.

\section*{Can't get the fire going?}

Use more kindling and paper. Assuming the chimney and vent are sized correctly and there is sufficient combustion air, the lack of sufficiently dry quantities of small kindling is the problem. Thumb size is a good gauge for small kindling diameter.

\section*{Can't get heat out of the appliance?}

One of two things may have happened. The appliance door may have been closed prematurely and the appliance itself has not reached optimum temperature. Re-open the door and/or draft control to re-establish a brisk fire. The other problem may have been wet wood. The typical symptom is sizzling wood and moisture being driven from the wood.
6.1 optimum burn method

For optimal emissions performance and efficiency follow these simple guidelines when using your appliance:

A. Maintain a 2" (51mm) deep, hot, glowing red coal bed.
B. Burn dry seasoned wood with less than 20% moisture content and burn so that the glass door remains clean.
C. A stove thermometer 18" (457mm) up on the single wall stove pipe should indicate 350°F (176°C) as an average temperature.
D. Maintain a minimal trace of smoke coming from the chimney when the appliance is burning as intended.
E. Inspect and replace all necessary components such as gaskets, manifolds, glass and other components which may affect the overall appliance performance.
F. Ensure an adequate draft to control burn rate and temperature.

Refer to “operation” and “maintenance” sections for detailed information.

6.2 air control

⚠️ WARNING

- This wood appliance has a manufacturer-set minimum low burn rate that must not be altered. It is against federal regulations in the United States to alter the setting or otherwise operate this wood appliance in a manner inconsistent with operating instructions in this manual.

Draft is the force which moves air from the firebox up through the chimney. The amount of draft in your chimney depends on the length and diameter of chimney, local geography, nearby obstructions and other factors including the amount of heat generated by the fire which can be measured by an appliance thermometer.

Adjusting the air control all the way to the left reduces the temperature. The draft can be adjusted from low to high by moving the handle from left to right.

Inadequate draft may cause back-puffing into the room through the appliance and chimney connector points and may cause plugging of the chimney. Too much draft may cause an excessive temperature in the appliance, glowing red appliance parts or chimney connectors or an uncontrollable burn which can lead to a chimney fire or permanent damage to the appliance.

Do not operate your appliance for longer than 30 minutes with the draft control on “HIGH” (fully open).

6.3 fire extinguishers / smoke & carbon monoxide detectors

*note:

Always check your smoke and CO detectors are working properly.

All homes with a solid fuel burning appliance should have at least one fire extinguisher in a central location, known to all, at least one smoke detector and carbon monoxide (CO) detector in the room containing the appliance. If the smoke detector sounds an alarm, correct the cause but do not deactivate or relocate the smoke detector. If the carbon monoxide detector sounds an alarm, immediately vent the area, evacuate and call your local fire department.
6.4 fuel

**WARNING**

- Do not store fuel within the clearance to combustibles, or in the space required for re-fueling and ash removal.
- Burning wet, unseasoned wood can cause excessive creasote accumulation. When ignited, it can cause a chimney fire that may result in a serious house fire.

When loading the appliance, ensure that the two upper fibre baffles are not lifted up and off their ledge. For maximum efficiency, when the appliance is thoroughly hot, load it fully to the top of the door opening and burn at a medium low setting. Maximum heat for minimum fuel (optimum burn) occurs when the appliance top temperature is between 500°F (260°C) and 600°F (315°C). The bricks will be nearly all white and the glass mostly clear. The whiteness of the bricks and the cleanliness of the glass are good indicators of your operating efficiency. Not enough heat is produced when only one or two pieces of wood are burned or the wood may not burn completely. A minimum of three pieces are needed to encase a bed of coals that sustains the fire.

**note:**

When loading the appliance, ensure to keep fuel back from the glass. If coals are to accumulate on the front lip, there is a chance they will fall out when the door is opened.

Loosely stacked wood burns quicker than a tightly packed load. Wood burns in cycles rather than giving a steady output of heat. It is best to plan these cycles around your household routine so that only enough coals are left to start the next load. In the evening, load your appliance, at least, a half-hour before bed to ensure a good fire, hot enough to close the draft control for an overnight burn.

Burn only dry seasoned wood with less than 20% moisture content. It produces more heat and less soot or creasote. Do not burn ocean beach wood. Its salt content can produce a metal-eating acid. When refueling open the door slowly to prevent smoke spillage. Use a pair of long gloves (barbecue gloves) when feeding the fire. Because these appliances burn at the front, they are clean and efficient, but they are also very hot and gloves are useful. Keep a small steel shovel nearby to use as a poker and to remove ashes. Do not store the wood within 3 feet (1m) of the appliance.

6.5 lighting a fire

6.5.1 flash fire

A flash fire is a small fire burned quickly when you don’t need much heat. After your kindling has “caught”, load at least 3 pieces of wood, stacked loosely. Burn with the draft control fully open or closed only slightly.
6.5.2 extended fire

Load your larger pieces of wood so they are tightly packed, close enough to prevent the flames from penetrating it completely. After approximately 30 minutes, depending on the size of the load, close the draft control completely making sure that the fire is not extinguished.

DO NOT OVERFIRE THE APPLIANCE!

Overfiring can occur by:

A. Burning large amounts of smaller wood pieces such as furniture scraps, skids or treated wood;
B. Vigorously burning large loads of wood with the draft control on "HIGH" (fully open) for long periods of time (one or two hours).
C. Operating the appliance with the ash dump door blocked open or a poor gasket seal on the main door.

6.6 smoking

A properly installed appliance should not smoke. If yours does, check the following:

• Has the chimney had time to get hot?
• Is the smoke passage blocked anywhere in the appliance, chimney connector or chimney?
• Is the room too airtight and the air intake not connected to the outside? Try with a window partly open.
• Is the smoke flow impeded by too long a horizontal pipe or too many bends?
• Is it a weak draft perhaps caused by a leaky chimney, a cold outside chimney, too large a diameter of a chimney, too short a chimney, or a chimney too close to trees or a higher roof?
• Is the moisture content of the wood greater than 20%?
• If equipped, has the catalyst bypass been closed or closed prematurely?

6.7 optional fan operation

The following operating procedure is recommended to achieve optimal performance:

When operating on high burn rate:
1. We recommend setting the fan to the “HIGH” setting and operating with a thermodisc (located at the back of the appliance).

When operating on medium burn rate:
2. We do not recommend using the fan.

When operating on low burn rate:
3. We recommend turning on the fan after 60 minutes at the minimum setting and operating with a thermodisc (located at the back of the appliance).
7.0 maintenance

⚠️ WARNING

- Turn off the power before servicing the appliance.
- Appliance may be hot, do not service until appliance has cooled.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners.

Check your chimney and chimney connector for creosote and soot buildup weekly until a safe frequency for cleaning is established.

If accumulation is excessive, disconnect the appliance and clean both the chimney and the appliance. You may want to call a professional chimney sweep to clean them. Both have to be cleaned at least once a year or as often as necessary.

Remove fibre baffles and clean above them once a year. Replace any broken bricks.

7.1 ash removal procedures

⚠️ WARNING

- Improper disposal of ashes result in fires. Do not discard ashes in cardboard boxes, dump in backyards, or store in garages.
- If using a vacuum to clean up ashes, be sure the ashes are entirely cooled. Using a vacuum to clean up warm ashes could cause a fire inside the vacuum.
- Never operate your appliance with the grate cover removed.
- Failure to achieve a good seal between the ash opening, ash plug or ash well door will result in an over-fire condition that could cause damage to the appliance.

Allow the ashes in your firebox to accumulate to a depth of two or three inches; they tend to burn themselves up. When the fire has burned down and cooled, remove any excess ashes but leave an ash bed approximately 1 inch (25mm) deep on the firebox bottom to help maintain a hot charcoal bed.

**DISPOSAL OF ASHES:** Ashes should be placed in a metal container with a tight fitting lid. The closed container of ashes should be placed on a non-combustible floor or ground, well away from all combustible materials, pending final disposal. If the ashes are disposed of by burial in soil or otherwise locally dispersed, they should be retained in the closed container until all cinders have thoroughly cooled.

7.1.1 ash removal with ash drawer

1. To remove the ashes, clear the ash away from the ash plug.
2. Remove the ash plug. **It is recommended to use a poker.**
3. Rake the excess ash into the ash drawer.
4. **Do not overfill the ash drawer. Ash should not accumulate higher than the sides of the drawer.**
5. Before removing the drawer, ensure that the area around the ash opening is clean. Tap the ash from the chute into the drawer, then place the ash plug back over opening. Only operate your appliance with a well sealed ash plug.
7.2 creosote formation and removal

When wood is burned slowly, it produces tar and other organic vapors, which combine with expelled moisture to form creosote. The creosote vapors condense in the relatively cooler chimney flue or a slow-burning fire. As a result, creosote residue accumulates on the flue lining. When ignited, this creosote makes an extremely hot fire.

The chimney connector and chimney should be inspected at least once every two months during the heating season to determine if a creosote buildup has occurred.

If creosote has accumulated, it should be removed to reduce the risk of a chimney fire.

7.3 runaway or chimney fire

**WARNING**

- A chimney fire can permanently damage your chimney system. This damage can only be repaired by replacing the damaged component parts. Chimney fires are not covered by the lifetime limited warranty.

**CAUSES:**
- Using incorrect fuel, or small fuel pieces which would normally be used as kindling.
- Creosote build up in chimney.
- Leaving the door ajar too long and creating extreme temperatures as the air rushes in the open door.
- If equipped, burning your appliance with the ash plug not securely seated.

**SOLUTIONS:**
- Do not burn treated, painted, artificial, paper or processed wood logs, coal, charcoal, coloured paper or cardboard.
- Have chimney regularly cleaned.
- Be careful not to over-fire the appliance by leaving the door open too long after initial start-up. A thermometer on the chimney connector and/or appliance top helps to indicate the appliance operating temperature.
- If equipped, always operate the appliance with the ash plug properly installed.

**IN CASE OF A CHIMNEY FIRE:**
- Close glass door and air control (and damper, when equipped).
- Have a well understood plan for evacuation and a place outside for everyone to meet. Prepare to evacuate to ensure everyone’s safety.
- Call local fire department. Have a fire extinguisher handy. Contact local authorities for further information on how to handle a chimney fire.
- After the chimney fire is out, clean and inspect the chimney or chimney liner for stress and cracks prior to lighting another fire. Also check combustibles around the chimney and the roof.

7.4 chimney cleaning

Both the chimney and the appliance must be inspected and cleaned if necessary at least once a year. For serious wood burners, chimney cleaning must be done as needed to avoid chimney fires; the venting systems for controlled combustion appliances may need cleaning as often as once a month. These rates, however, depend on the burning habits of the individual operating the appliance. For example, it is possible to clog a solid fuel appliance chimney in a few days if slow, smoldering fires are burned and the chimney is cold.

**note:**

Appliances burned consistently without hot fires may result in significant creosote accumulations in the chimney.

Certain items and considerations are important in chimney cleaning:
- Proper tools should be used, including a brush specifically designed for chimney cleaning.
- The chimney connector and dampers as well as the chimney should be cleaned.
- The appliance’s firebox and baffle system should be cleaned if needed.
- The chimney should be inspected and repairs made if needed, preferably by a qualified chimney sweep or mason.
7.5 door glass replacement

**WARNING**

- Do not use substitute materials.
- Glass may be hot. Do not touch glass until cooled.
- Care must be taken when removing and disposing of any broken door glass or damaged components. Be sure to vacuum up any broken glass from inside appliance before operation.
- Do not strike, slam, or scratch. Do not operate appliance with glass removed, cracked, broken, or scratched.

Replacement glass/frame assembly shall be replaced as a complete unit as supplied by the appliance manufacturer.

**note:**
Care must be taken when removing and disposing of any broken glass or damaged components. Be sure to vacuum up any broken glass from inside the appliance before operation.

7.6 gasket replacement

At the end of each burning season inspect the shield and gasket below the manifold for warping or deterioration. Replace if necessary. Both are held to the manifold with machine screws. The shield and the 1/8" (3.2mm) fibre cloth gasket are available from your Wolf Steel Ltd. dealer. At this time also check that the door gasket is not worn or loose. Replace with 3/8" (9.5mm) high density fibreglass rope if necessary.

The airwash gasket and shield above the door should also be inspected and replaced if deteriorated.

**note:**
Do not operate the appliance if the manifold shield or fibre baffle is deteriorated or missing.

7.7 care of glass

**WARNING**

- Do not clean glass when hot! Do not use abrasive cleaners to clean glass.

If the glass is not kept clean, permanent discolouration and/or blemishes may result. Normally a hot fire will clean the glass. The most common reasons for dirty glass include:

- Not using sufficient fuel to get the appliance thoroughly hot.
- Using green or wet wood.
- Closing the draft so far that there is insufficient air for complete combustion.

If it is necessary to clean the glass, buff lightly with a clean dry cloth and non-abrasive cleaner. Clean the glass after the first 10 hours of operation with a recommended appliance glass cleaner. Thereafter, clean as required.

The glass is very strong, but do not let burning fuel rest or fall against it and always close the door gently.

**NEVER FORCE OR SLAM IT SHUT!**

Do not operate the appliance with broken glass, as leakage of flue gases may result.

Contact your local authorized dealer/distributor for complete cleaning instructions.

If the glass should ever crack or break while the fire is burning, do not open the door until the fire is out. Do not operate the appliance until the glass has been replaced. Contact your local authorized dealer/distributor for replacement parts. **DO NOT SUBSTITUTE MATERIALS.**
7.8  wood

**WARNING**

- This appliance is designed to burn natural wood only. Do not burn treated wood, coal, charcoal, coloured paper, cardboard, solvents or garbage. This appliance has not been tested with an unvented gas log set. To reduce risk of fire or injury, do not install an unvented gas log set into the appliance.
- Higher efficiencies and lower emissions generally result when burning air dried seasoned hardwoods, as compared to softwoods or too green or freshly cut hardwoods.
- Burning wet, unseasoned wood can cause excessive creosote accumulation. When ignited, it can cause a chimney fire that may result in a serious house fire.
- Do not store fuel within the clearance to combustibles, or in the space required for re-fueling and ash removal.

Before loading the appliance, ensure all required insulation and baffles are installed and situated properly. For maximum efficiency, when the appliance is thoroughly hot, load it fully to the specified maximum amount and burn at a medium low setting (if equipped). The whiteness of the bricks and the cleanliness of the glass are good indicators of your operating efficiency. Not enough heat is produced when only a few pieces of wood are burned or the wood may not burn completely.

**NOTE:** When loading the appliance, ensure to keep fuel back from the glass. If coals are to accumulate on the front lip, there is a chance they will fall out when the door is opened.

**TYPES OF WOOD**

Both hardwood and softwood burn equally well in this appliance but hardwood is denser, will weigh more per cord and burn a little slower and longer.

Manufactured firelogs made by compressing 100% natural wood fibre can be safely used as fuel. Do not use manufactured firelogs if they contain additives such as paraffin, wax, binders etc. Never burn more than two manufactured firelogs at a time.

**MOISTURE CONTENT**

Burn only dry, clean unpainted wood that has been seasoned. It produces more heat and less soot or creosote. Freshly cut wood contains about 50% moisture while after proper seasoning only about 20% of the water remains. As wood is burned, this water boils off consuming energy that should be used in heating. The wetter the wood, the less heat is given off and the more creosote is produced. Dry firewood has cracks in the end of the grain.

**STORING WOOD**

Firewood should be split and stacked in a manner that allows for full air circulation and covered in early spring to be ready for burning that fall. Dry firewood has cracks in the end grain.

Cut the wood so that it will fit horizontally, front to back, making for easier loading and less of a likelihood that the wood will roll onto the glass.

Fuel for the appliance must not be stored closer than the required clearances to combustibles (heat sensitive material). **NEVER STORE WOOD IN THE ASH PAN COMPARTMENT (if applicable).**
8.0 replacement parts

⚠️ WARNING

- Failure to position the parts in accordance with this manual or failure to use only parts specifically approved with this appliance may result in property damage or personal injury.

Contact your dealer for questions concerning prices and policies on replacement parts. Normally, all parts can be ordered through your Authorized dealer / distributor.

For warranty replacement parts, a photocopy of the original invoice will be required to honour the claim.

When ordering replacement parts always give the following information:

- Model & Serial Number of appliance
- Installation date of appliance
- Part number
- Description of part
- Finish

Parts, part numbers, and availability are subject to change without notice.

Parts identified as stocked will be delivered within 2 to 5 business days for most delivery destinations.

Parts not identified as stocked will be delivered within a 2 to 4 week period, for most cases.

Parts identified as ‘SO’ are special order and can take up to 90 days for delivery.
8.1 overview

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<td>W010-2325</td>
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<td>W370-0121</td>
<td>Gasket kit</td>
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<td>W325-0042</td>
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<td>W090-0015</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>W090-0168</td>
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<td>W090-0167</td>
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<td>12</td>
<td>W090-0172</td>
<td>Brick G (2&quot; x 1.25&quot; x 9&quot;)</td>
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<td>13</td>
<td>W010-3564</td>
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<td>EP20P</td>
<td>Pedestal kit</td>
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<td>EP20PAD</td>
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### WARNING

- Turn off the appliance completely and let cool before servicing. Only a qualified service person should service and repair this electric appliance.
- Appliance may be hot, do not service until appliance has cooled.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners.
- When checking connections, installing jumper wires (for test purposes only) or replacing components, unplug appliance from the receptacle to prevent electrical shock or damage to the component.

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<td>Can’t get the fire started.</td>
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<td>Not enough air? Ensure air control is fully open.</td>
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<td>Also ensure that the air opening is not obstructed.</td>
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<td>Cold air blockage? Burn a piece of paper to establish a draft.</td>
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<td>Flue blockage? Inspect chimney.</td>
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<td>Smokes when door is open.</td>
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<td>Insufficient draft? Add more pipe.</td>
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<td>Let air stabilize before opening door.</td>
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<td>Ensure baffles are positioned correctly.</td>
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<td>Negative pressure? Open a window near the appliance.</td>
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<td>Appliance emits odour.</td>
<td>Paint curing, see “general instructions” section.</td>
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<td>Stove doesn’t burn hot enough.</td>
<td>Wood has more than 20% moisture.</td>
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<td>Check to see ash plug is properly seated (if equipped).</td>
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<td>Check door gasket for adequate seal.</td>
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<td>Dirty glass.</td>
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<td>Ensure blower has power.</td>
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11.0 warranty

AMBIANCE products are manufactured under the strict Standard of the World Recognized

AMBIANCE products are designed with superior components and materials, assembled by trained craftsmen who take great
pride in their work. The complete appliance is thoroughly inspected by a qualified and authorized installer, service agency or
supplier before packaging to ensure that you, the customer, receives the quality product that you expect from AMBIANCE.

AMBIANCE WOOD APPLIANCE LIMITED WARRANTY

The following materials and workmanship in your new AMBIANCE appliance are warranted against defects as defined
below:
The combustion chamber is warranted against defects for a period of 5 years.
The secondary air tubes are warranted against defects for a period of 5 years.
Electrical (110V) components and wearable parts are covered and AMBIANCE will provide replacement parts free of charge
during the first year of the limited warranty. This covers: blowers, thermal switches, switches, wiring, rheostats, firebrick,
ceramic glass (thermal breakage only), fibre baffles and gasketing.*
Any labour related to warranty repair is not covered.

* Construction of models vary, Warranty applies only to components included with your specific appliance.

CONDITIONS AND LIMITATIONS

Wolf Steel warrants its AMBIANCE products against manufacturing defects to the original purchaser only. Registering your warranty is not
necessary. Simply provide your proof of purchase along with the model and serial number to make a warranty claim. Provided that the
purchase was made through an authorized AMBIANCE dealer your appliance is subject to the following conditions and limitations:
Warranty coverage begins on the date of original installation.
This factory warranty is non-transferable and may not be extended whatsoever by any of our representatives.
The appliance must be installed by a qualified and authorized installer, service agency or supplier. Installation must be done in accordance
with the installation instructions included with the product and all local and national building and fire codes.
This limited warranty does not cover damages caused by misuse, lack of maintenance, accident, alterations, abuse or neglect. Operating
the appliance on high for extended periods of time, is neglect. Parts installed from other manufacturers will nullify this warranty.
This limited warranty further does not cover any scratches, dents, corrosion or discoloring caused by excessive heat, abrasive and
chemical cleaners nor chipping or peeling of porcelain enamel parts, nor any venting components used in the installation of the appliance.
In the first year only, this warranty extends to the repair or replacement of warranted parts which are defective in material or workmanship
provided that the product has been operated in accordance with the operation instructions and under normal conditions.
After the first year, with respect to the AMBIANCE’S Limited Warranty, Wolf Steel shall, at its discretion, fully discharge all obligations with
respect to this warranty by refunding to the original warranted purchaser the wholesale price of any warranted but defective parts.

After the first year, Wolf Steel Ltd. will not be responsible for installation, labour or any other costs or expenses related to the reinstallation
of a warranted part, and such expenses are not covered by this warranty.
Notwithstanding any provisions contained in the AMBIANCE’S Limited Warranty, Wolf Steel’s responsibility under this warranty is defined
as above and it shall not in any event extend to any incidental, consequential or indirect damages.
This warranty is expressed or implied with respect to this product, its components or accessories are excluded.
Wolf Steel neither assumes, nor authorizes any third party to assume, on its behalf, any other liabilities with respect to the sale of this product.
Wolf Steel will not be responsible for: over-firing, downdrafts, spillage caused by environmental conditions such as rooftops, buildings, nearby
trees, hills, mountains, inadequate vents or ventilation, excessive venting configurations, insufficient makeup air, or negative air pressures
which may or may not be caused by mechanical systems such as exhaust blowers, furnaces, clothes dryers, etc.
Any damages to appliance, combustion chamber, heat exchanger or other components due to water, weather damage, long periods of
dampness, condensation, damaging chemicals or cleaners will not be the responsibility of Wolf Steel.

Regular cleaning of the fine ash generated during the operation of this appliance is a necessary part of maintaining your appliance. Failure
of any components, which is attributed to poor maintenance, is not warrantable and will not be covered by this policy.

Wolf Steel reserves the right to have its representative inspect any AMBIANCE product or part thereof prior to honouring any warranty
claim.
All parts replaced under the Limited Warranty Policy are subject to a single claim.
During the first 10 years Wolf Steel Ltd. will replace or repair the defective parts covered by the lifetime warranty at our discretion free of
charge. From 10 years to life, Wolf Steel Ltd. will provide replacement parts at 50% of the current retail price.
All parts replaced under the warranty will be covered for a period of 90 days from the date of their installation.
The manufacturer may require that defective parts or products be returned or that digital pictures be provided to support the claim.
Returned products are to be shipped prepaid to the manufacturer for investigation. If a product is found to be defective, the manufacturer
will repair or replace such defect.
Before shipping your appliance or defective components, your dealer must obtain an authorization number. Any merchandise shipped
without authorization will be refused and returned to sender.
Shipping costs are not covered under this warranty.
Additional service fees may apply if you are seeking warranty service from a dealer.
Labour, travel, diagnostic tests, shipping and other related charges are not covered by this warranty.

ALL SPECIFICATIONS AND DESIGNS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT PRIOR NOTICE DUE TO ON-GOING PRODUCT IMPROVEMENTS.