

Installation Instructions



Large Diameter Chimney System
10" to 24" diameter

DuraTech LDC

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A MAJOR CAUSE OF VENT RELATED FIRES IS FAILURE TO MAINTAIN REQUIRED CLEARANCES (AIR SPACES) TO COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS. IT IS OF THE UTMOST IMPORTANCE THAT DURATECH BE INSTALLED ONLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE INSTRUCTIONS.

IMPORTANT:

Read through all of these instructions before beginning your installation. Failure to install this product as described in these instructions will void the manufacturer's warranty, may create a fire or other safety hazard, and may affect your homeowner's insurance and safety listing of your appliance.

Keep these instructions for future reference.

Dear Customer, Installer, or End User:

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

If you are searching for tech support or product information, contact us using the information found on the contact page in these instructions.

LISTED TO:

UL 103 TYPE HT (10" - 16")

UL 103 (18" - 24")

CAN/ULC-604 (10" - 24")



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MH7399



For the most up-to-date installation instructions, see the manufacturers website.

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GENERAL INFORMATION CLEARANCES

Always allow at least a 2-inch clearance between Chimney Pipe and any combustible materials. Never fill any required clearance space with insulation or any other materials. Combustible materials include lumber, plywood, sheetrock, plaster and lath, furniture, curtains, electrical wiring and building insulation. Keep single wall stovepipe at least 18 inches away from combustible materials, unless a clearance reduction system that is acceptable to the authority having jurisdiction is used, or the appliance to be installed is listed and the instructions specify a different clearance.

PERMITS

Contact your local Building Official or Fire Official regarding permits, restrictions, and installation inspections in your area.

CHIMNEY APPLICATIONS

Large Diameter DuraTech LDC Chimney only listed to UL 103 Type HT for 10"-16" diameters and UL 103 for 18"- 24" diameters. In Canada, listed to CAN/ULC-604 for 10"- 24" diameters.

DuraTech LDC Chimney is listed under UL Re-examination Service Number MH7399.

In the United States, DuraTech LDC Chimney can be used with wood fireplaces, furnaces, boilers, water heaters, ranges, or other residential-type appliances fueled by oil, gas, coal, or wood, that have been tested and listed for use with a UL 103 Type HT or UL103 chimney system.

In Canada, DuraTech LDC Chimney can be used with oil & gas fired appliances listed for use with a Type A Chimney, in accordance with CAN/ULC-604. NOTE: DuraTech LDC Chimney is NOT certified to CAN/ULC-629. Do not install on a masonry fireplace without first contacting your local authority for approval.

Large Diameter Chimney is available in 10" through 24" diameters. Do not use with forced draft, positive-pressure appliances.

Large Diameter Chimney system is designed to extend vertically with a maximum of one (1) offset (two elbows total) of up to 30° from vertical.

INFORMATION ON DURATECH LDC CHIMNEY - 10 - 24 INCHES INCLUDING MAXIMUM FLUE GAS TEMPERATURES - MINIMUM CLEARANCES TO COMBUSTIBLES			
10" TO 24" DIAMETERS	U.S.A.		CANADA
MINIMUM CLEARANCES TO COMBUSTIBLES MATERIALS	2"	2"	2"
MAXIMUM OPERATING TEMPERATURES	1000° F	1000° F	1000° F (540° C)
BRIEF FORCED FIRING	1400°F	1400° F	1400° F (760° C)
TESTED TO:	2100° F (10 minutes)	1700° F (10 minutes)	1700° F (925° C) (30 minutes)
TESTING STANDARD	10" TO 16" - UL 103 TYPE HT	18" TO 24" - UL 103	10" TO 24" - CAN/ULC - 604

EQUIPMENT & MATERIALS

Drill / Driver
 Hammer
 Caulking Gun
 Plumb Bob
 Screwdrivers (Phillips & Standard)
 Tin Snips
 Saber or Keyhole Saw
 Level
 Dependable Ladder
 Tape Measure
 Proper Gloves and Shoes
 Eye Protection
 Materials You May Need:
 Non-hardening Waterproof Sealant
 8 Penny Nails
 #8, 2-1/2" & 1-1/2" Wood Screws
 Roofing Nails
 600°F RTV Silicone Sealant

INSTALLATION NOTES

Proper planning for your Large Diameter Chimney installation will result in greater safety, efficiency, and convenience, as well as saving time and money. You must use only authorized Large Diameter Chimney parts to maintain a listed Chimney system (not including the connector pipe). Do not mix parts or try to match with other products, or use improvised solutions. Do not install damaged or modified parts. Each solid-fuel appliance must be vented with its own chimney. Table 1 lists the authorized Large Diameter Chimney components. Practice good workmanship. Sloppy work could jeopardize your chimney's safety. Keep electrical wiring and insulation away from all chimneys and stovepipes. If you have any questions, be sure to contact either your dealer or manufacturer directly.

CHIMNEY DIAMETER

Follow the appliance manufacturer's instructions to determine chimney diameter and clearances between combustible materials and your heating appliance. Never choose a chimney with an inside diameter smaller than your appliance's outlet. If you are connecting to a masonry fireplace, refer to **Table 4**, for proper sizing. To calculate the chimney's outside diameter, add 2 inches to the inside diameter. In Canada, this chimney is not certified to CAN/ULC-629 - do not install on a masonry fireplace without first contacting your local authority for approval.

CHIMNEY HEIGHT

The National Fire Protection Association Standard #211 states: "Chimneys shall extend at least three feet above the highest point where it passes through the roof of a building, and at least two feet higher than any portion of a building within ten feet" (**Fig 1**. 10"-16" diameter Large Diameter Chimney may be installed up to 40 feet high when using a Support Box, and up to 30 feet high when using a Tee Support. Large Diameter in 18"-24" diameters is intended to be mounted directly to an appliance or masonry fireplace, and is limited in height by the allowable weight of the supporting surface, up to a maximum of 60-ft. If the chimney extends more than 4 feet above the roof, an Extended Roof Bracket must be used. Due to the overlap of the joints, subtract 1" from each Chimney Section's height to calculate installed height.

CHIMNEY PLACEMENT

When deciding the location of your chimney, try to avoid modifications to roof beams and other structural components of the building.

Table 1 Large Diameter Chimney Components	
12", 18", 24" & 36" SECTIONS	ROUND CEILING SUPPORT BOX
FIRESTOP RADIATION SHIELD	EXTENDED ROOF BRACKET
ELBOW	TRIM COLLARS FOR ROUND SUPPORT BOXES
ATTIC INSULATION SHIELD	ADJUSTABLE ROOF FLASHING
TEE WITH TEE CAP	WALL THIMBLE
ELBOW STRAP	CHASE TOP FLASHING
TEE SUPPORT	FINISHING COLLAR
BRACKET WALL STRAP	FLAT ROOF FLASHING
CHIMNEY CAP	ROOF RADIATION SHIELDS
ANCHOR PLATE	STORM COLLAR

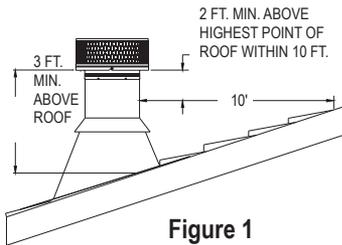


Figure 1

CHIMNEY ENCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS

Through Rooms: Interior chimneys shall be enclosed where they extend through closets, storage areas, occupied spaces, or anyplace where the surface of the chimney could be contacted by persons or combustible materials. The space between the outer wall of the chimney and the enclosure shall be at least 2 inches (*Fig 2*).

Multi-Story: Consult local building code officials for requirements in your area. The National Fire Protection Association Standard #211 states: "Factory-built chimneys that pass through floors of buildings requiring the protection of vertical openings shall be enclosed with approved walls having a fire resistance rating of not less than one hour when such chimneys are located in a building less than 4 stories in height, and not less than 2 hours when such chimneys are located in a building more than 4 stories in height." In Canada, except in

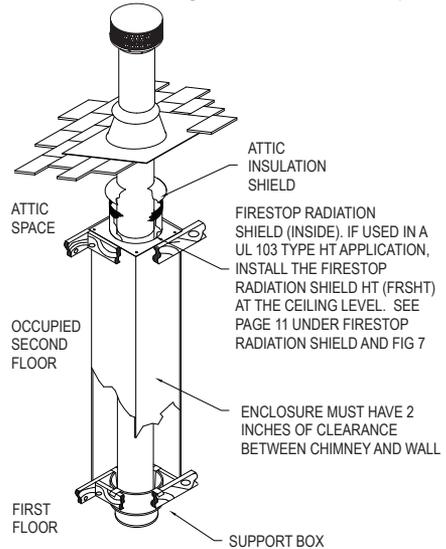


Figure 2

single-family and two-family dwellings, chimneys which extend through another story must have an enclosure with a fire resistance rating equal to or greater than that of the floor or roof assembly through which they pass.

Cold Climates: In cold climates, chimneys mounted on an outside wall should be enclosed in a chase. Exterior chases reduce condensation and creosote formation, and enhance draft. Include an access door by the Tee Cap for chimney cleaning (*Refer to Fig 18*).

APPLIANCE RECOMMENDATIONS

Follow the appliance manufacturer's instructions. The requirements stated below pertain to all appliances installed with Large Diameter Chimney systems.

Choice: Choose an appliance that is listed by a recognized testing laboratory, is appropriate for your needs, and is not larger than required.

Installation: Once the chimney system is in place, install the appliance and stovepipe (if applicable) as described in the appliance manufacturer's instructions. Be sure to maintain all required clearances.

Flues: Connect only one solid fuel appliance per chimney.

Operation: Follow the appliance manufacturer's instructions and safety manual for maximum efficiency and safety. Over-firing can damage the appliance, stovepipe and chimney, and can void your warranties.

Fuels: Do not burn driftwood, plastic, or chemically treated wood such as railroad ties. They are corrosive to your appliance and chimney system. Follow the appliance manufacturer's instructions and safety manual in regards to fuels. Not all appliances are equipped to burn coal. Coal with a low sulfur content will reduce the possibility of corrosion.

STEP-BY-STEP DIRECTIONS

There are three general types of Large Diameter Chimney installations:

1. Ceiling-supported.
2. Tee-supported (through-the-wall)
3. Masonry Fireplace

Review the step-by-step directions before beginning your installation.

CEILING SUPPORT

Ceiling supported systems are available for diameters 10"-16".

1. Place Appliance: Position the appliance according to the manufacturer's instructions. The flue outlet collar should be placed between the rafters or joists above, if possible.

2. Frame Support Opening: Drop a plumb bob to the center of the appliance's flue outlet and mark this center point on the ceiling. Refer to Table 2 for specific framing and clearance dimensions. Mark appropriate cutting lines around the center point. Cut a square hole in the ceiling for the Support Box. Frame a level, square opening centered over the hole which you have cut. (*Figures 3 and 4*).

3. Install Support: For installation into a flat ceiling, you need to use the Round Support Box. The Round Ceiling Support Box includes a square Trim Collar (*Fig 5*). The Support Box must extend at least 3 inches below the finished ceiling. (Do not install beyond 4-1/2" below finished ceiling or the trim collar will not cover properly). Level the Support Box and secure it to the framing using at least three 8-penny nails per side (min. of 12 total). Wrap the straps of the Support Box around the framing members (*Fig 4*), and secure with (2) 8-penny nails per side (eight nails total). Alternatively, you may use 1-1/2" #8 wood

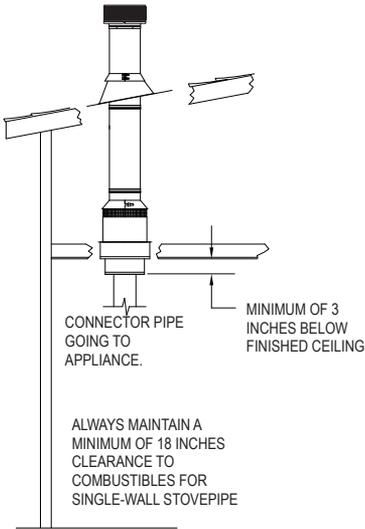


Figure 3

screws (min. of 12 total for the Support Box, and 8 total for the straps), instead of nails. Next, secure the round or square Trim Collar to the ceiling/framing members using (4) 1" long, round head wood screws.

4. Frame Openings: Frame openings in each ceiling or floor above the Support Box (Fig 6). These openings are to hold the Firestop Radiation Shield and Attic Insulation Shield. Locate each opening by dropping a

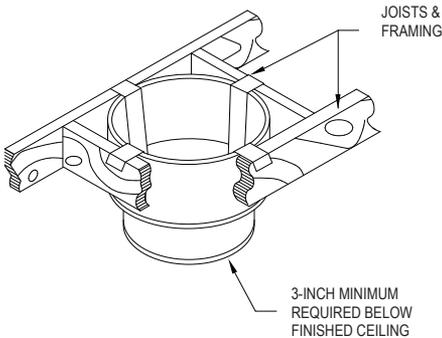
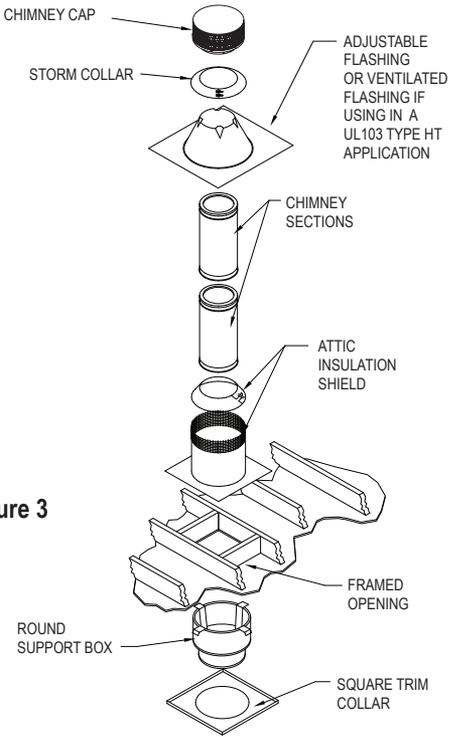


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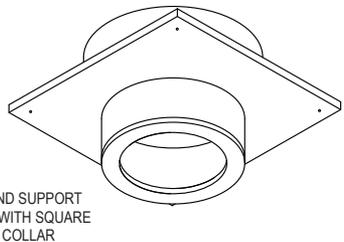


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plumb bob to the four corners of the opening below. Maintain the minimum clearances and dimensions as specified in **Table 2**. If Elbows must be used to avoid an obstruction, refer to the Offset Elbow Installation section. The chimney must be centered within this opening and maintain the 2-inch clearance to combustibles.

5. Cut Roof Opening: Cut an opening in the roof directly above the opening below, and at least 4 inches larger than the chimney's outside diameter to provide at least a 2-inch clearance all around the chimney.

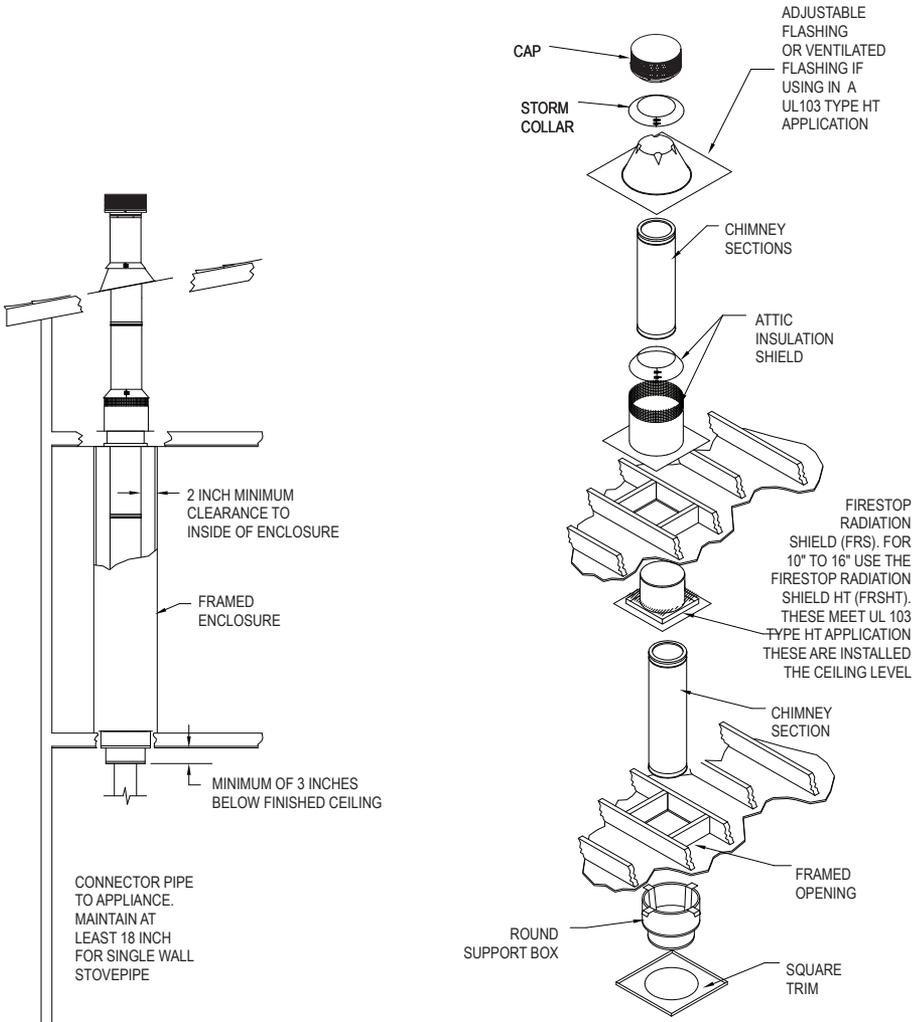


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Table 2

Inside Square Framing Dimensions
(X" x X")

Chimney Diameter	10"	12"	14"	16"	18"	20"	22"	24"
CEILING SUPPORT BOX	16 1/4"	18 1/4"	20 1/4"	22-1/4"	na	na	na	na
WALL THIMBLE	16"	18"	20"	22"	na	na	na	na
FIRESTOP RADIATION SHIELD	na	na	na	na	24 1/4"	26 1/4"	28 1/4"	30 1/4"
FIRESTOP RADIATION SHIELD HT	16"	18"	20"	22"	na	na	na	na
ATTIC INSULATION SHIELD	16 1/4"	18 1/4"	20 1/4"	22 1/4"	24 1/4"	26 1/4"	28 1/4"	30 1/4"

6. Install Firestop Radiation Shield (FRS):

A Firestop Radiation Shield is required in multistory installations at each floor penetration above that where the Support Box is located.

Example: in a multistory home where the appliance is on the ground floor (Support Box is in the 1st floor ceiling), you would need a Firestop Radiation Shield at the 2nd floor ceiling, and at the 3rd floor ceiling, etc., including where the chimney penetrates into the attic. **Figure 6** shows a typical 2-story installation with an attic.

Note: a Firestop Radiation Shield is not installed where the chimney penetrates through the roof. Instead, you will need to install Roof Radiation Shields (required for 18"-24" diameters only - see **Step 7**) around the roof joist members. The Firestop Radiation Shield is installed on the underside of the ceiling/floor framing, with the cylindrical "tube" portion of the shield pointing upward (**Fig 7**). Use a minimum of either (1) 8 penny nail or (1) 1-1/4" wood screws per corner. Refer to Table 2 for framing requirements.

NOTE: In a 10" to 16" application (listed to UL 103 Type HT), you will need to use the Firestop Radiation Shield HT (FRSHT). See Figure 7.

7. Install Roof Radiation Shields: Roof Radiation Shields are required for 18"-24" diameter chimney installations. Roof Radiation Shields provide protection for roof framing members. **NOTE:** For 10" - 16" diameters, the Roof Radiation Shield HT (RRSHT) comes with insulation attached and meets UL 103 Type HT requirements.

Note: Combustible materials will still need to be a minimum of 2" away from the chimney. Roof Radiation Shields must be installed with their face 1/2" off of the roof framing joists (**Fig 8**). Depending upon the pitch of your roof, trim the

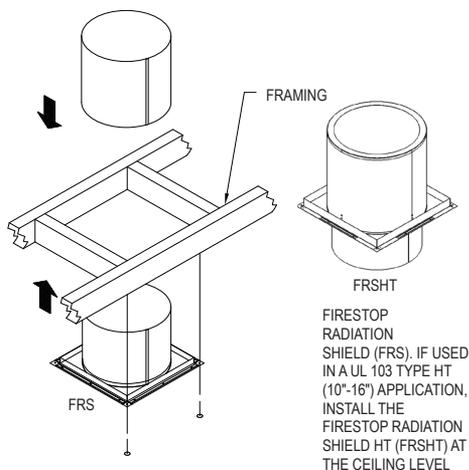


Figure 7

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NOTE: TO MEET A UL 103 TYPE HT APPLICATION FOR DIAMETERS OF 10" TO 16", POSITION INSULATION BETWEEN THE ROOF RADIATION SHIELD AND JOIST

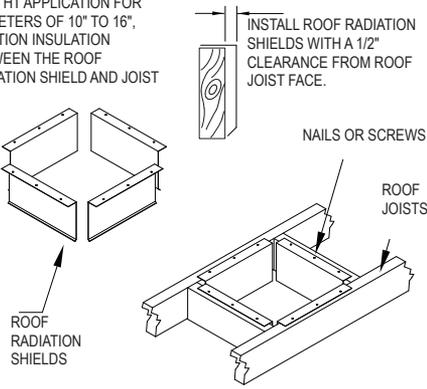


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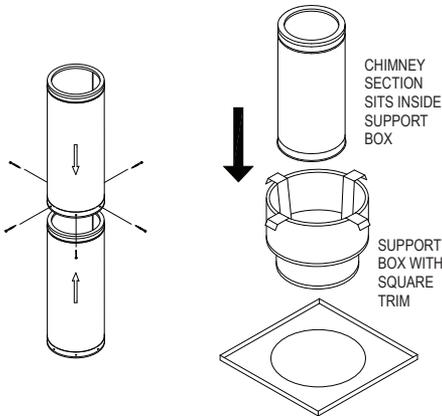


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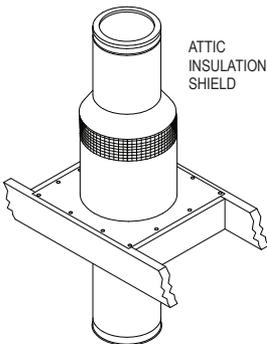


Figure 10

Roof Radiation Shields with tin snips so they provide complete coverage of the roof framing exposed to the chimney. Secure the Roof Radiation Shields to the top of the framing members using at least (3) nails or screws for each shield (**Fig 8**).

8. Assemble Chimney Sections: Lower the female end of the first Chimney Section in the Support Box (**Fig 9**). Sheet metal screws are not required between the first Chimney Section and the Support Box. For each additional Chimney Section use the (6) Sheet metal screws provided to make a secure connection between the chimney sections (**Fig 9**). Do not penetrate the inner liner of the chimney.

9. Install Attic Insulation Shield: Install the Attic Insulation Shield where the chimney passes into an attic. Its purpose is to prevent debris and building insulation from getting too close to the chimney (**Fig 10**). An installed Attic Insulation Shield is 15 inches high. In attic areas where this shield cannot fit, you must enclose the attic portion of the chimney in a framed enclosure. If the chimney is fully enclosed through the attic, an Attic Insulation Shield is not required. Where the chimney passes into the attic, install the Attic Insulation Shield as follows:

- a. If the Firestop Radiation Shield extends above the attic floor, no modifications are necessary. The Firestop Radiation Shield will fit inside the Attic Insulation Shield.
- b. Assemble Chimney Sections until at least 18 inches of chimney extends above the Firestop Radiation Shield.
- c. Slip the Attic Insulation Shield over the Chimney and Firestop Radiation Shield until the base sits squarely on the framed opening (**Fig 6 & 10**).
- d. Secure the Attic Insulation Shield to the

top of the framed opening using at least (3) 8-penny nails or (3) #8, 1-1/2" wood screws per side (**Fig 10**).

e. Wrap the Collar of the Attic Insulation Shield around the chimney and fasten it loosely. Slide the Collar down to meet the Attic Insulation Shield. Tighten the bolts to secure the Collar in place (**Fig 11**).

10. Attach Flashing: In new construction, assemble the Chimney Sections to a point above the roof, then slip the Flashing over the chimney.

NOTE: In UL 103 Type HT applications (10" - 16"), a ventilated flashing must be installed.

On an existing roof, center and install the Flashing before extending the chimney above the roof. Allow space to permit sliding the next Chimney Section up through the Flashing. Always ensure the chimney remains vertical (use a level), and that at least a 2-inch clearance to combustible materials is maintained all around. Install the upper edge of the Flashing under the roofing. Nail to the roof along the upper edge and down each side with 1-inch roofing nails. Do not nail the lower edge of the Flashing (**Fig 12**). Be sure to follow local building practices, as needed. Seal all nail heads with a non-hardening waterproof sealant. On flat or tarred and graveled roofs, nail and seal the Flat Roof Flashing to the roof on all sides with roofing compound. Do not put screws through the Flashing into the Chimney Pipe.

11. Finish Top: Apply a non-hardening waterproof sealant around the chimney at the point where the Storm Collar will meet the chimney just above the Flashing, and also along the vertical seam of the chimney pipe, where it is exposed to the weather (**Figures**

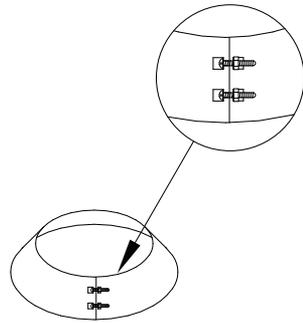


Figure 11

12 and 13. Slide the Storm Collar down over the chimney to the top of the Flashing. Tighten the bolts of the Storm Collar and seal the Storm Collar against the sealant. After installing sufficient Chimney Sections to meet the height requirement as shown in **Figure 1**, attach the Chimney Cap onto the top of the chimney by setting the female end of the Cap onto the male end of the last chimney section. Secure the Cap by using (6) sheet metal screws provided. Do not push down from the top portion of the cap as this may damage the cap. Push from the lower section of the Cap if needed. The Chimney Cap can be removed for chimney cleaning as described in the Chimney Maintenance section of the instructions. Use an Extended Roof Bracket if the chimney extends more than 4 feet above the roof (**Figures 16 & 17 in the Extended Roof Bracket section**).

If you are located in heavy snow country, a "snow splitter" should be used to protect the chimney by routing snow around the pipe. A Snow Splitter is available, or one can be fabricated locally from heavy gauge sheet metal (**Fig 14**).

12. Enclosures: Enclose chimneys where they pass through occupied spaces, including

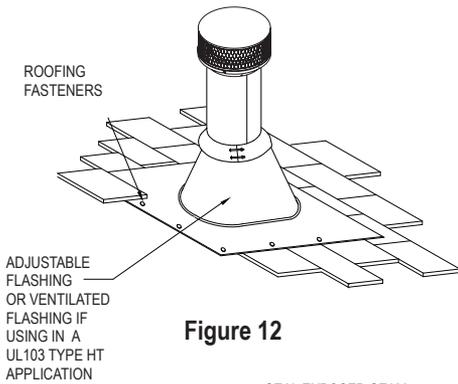


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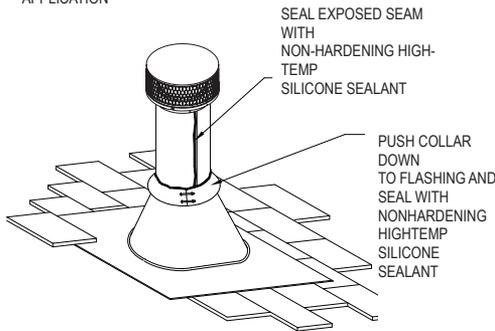


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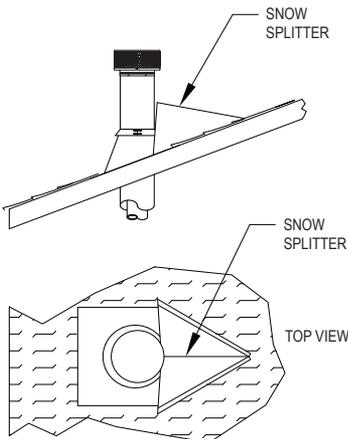


Figure 14

closets. Always maintain at least a 2 inch clearance between the chimney and any combustible materials. Interior enclosures may be constructed with standard framing and sheathed with sheetrock or plywood. Use Wall Straps at least every 4 feet to maintain a minimum of 2 inches of air space between the chimney and combustible materials.

OFFSET ELBOW INSTALLATION

The Large Diameter Chimney allows for the use of one pair of 30° Elbows (measured from the vertical) for chimney sizes 10" - 24". A 30° Elbow is the largest that can be used in an offset from vertical. A 30° Elbow may not be combined with another elbow to make a steeper offset (e.g. two 30° Elbows are not allowed to be put together to form a 60° elbow from vertical). Avoid Elbows if possible, since a totally vertical chimney is more efficient. When Elbows are necessary to avoid obstructions such as rafters, ridgepoles, or joists, you are only allowed to use 1 pair of Elbows in any one chimney system.

1. Attach Elbows: Attach Elbow to Chimney Section or other Elbow by mating the male and female ends with each other and using the (6) sheet metal screws provided. Attach one Elbow to the Chimney Section below, and align it for the offset. Refer to **Table 3** to determine the required offset length and attach an appropriate length (or lengths) of Chimney Section(s) above the Elbow. For each Chimney Section in the offset, an Elbow Strap must be used to support the weight of that pipe section. No more than half of the total chimney run can be between the elbows (inclined); this is to ensure the chimney drafts properly (e.g. if the total chimney run is 20-ft, no more than 10-ft is allowed to be between the elbows). Attach

the second Elbow above the Chimney Section to complete the offset (**Fig 15**).

2. Secure Offset: Place the Elbow Strap's band around the angled portion of the top Elbow, then tighten the nut and bolt until the clamp is firm. Wrap the Elbow Strap end over an adjacent joist or rafter and secure it with at least two 8-penny nails or #8 x 1-1/2" screws. Do not add more Chimney Sections until the Elbows are supported. Be sure that the chimney remains vertical (**Fig 15**).

EXTENDED ROOF BRACKET INSTALLATION

If the chimney extends more than 4 feet above the roofline, an Extended Roof Bracket must be installed at every 4-foot increment of chimney height above the roofline, leaving no more than 4 feet of chimney extending above the last pipe bracket.

The Extended Roof Bracket consists of the Pipe Band, the Adjustable Legs, and the Roof Brackets.

1. Mount Pipe Band: Slip the Pipe Band around the chimney and secure by tightening the nut and bolt.

2. Attach the Legs: The Adjustable Legs of the assembly will adjust from 67" to 114". Secure one end of the Legs to the Pipe Band using the nuts and bolts included (1 per Leg). Position the Adjustable Legs so they form approximately a 60° angle with the chimney, and with each other (**Figures 16 and 17**). Be sure that there is at least 3" of overlap between the top and bottom halves of the Adjustable Leg to ensure a secure fit. In order to secure Legs in proper position, there is a hole provided in the outer leg where the outer and inner halves overlap. Use a 1/4" drill bit to drill

ELBOW ANGLE FROM VERTICAL	CHIMNEY LENGTH BETWEEN ELBOWS	OFFSET INCHES	RISE INCHES
30°	0"	6 5/8"	25 1/2"
30°	12"	12 7/16"	35 1/2"
30°	18"	15 7/16"	40 3/4"
30°	24"	18 7/16"	45 15/16"
30°	36"	24 1/2"	56 1/4"

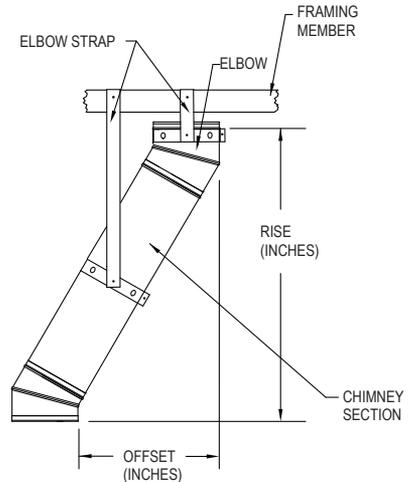


Figure 15

EXTENDED ROOF BRACKET ASSEMBLY

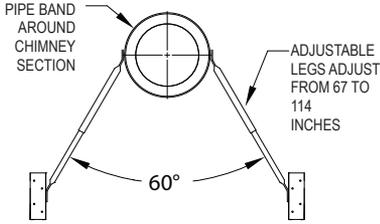


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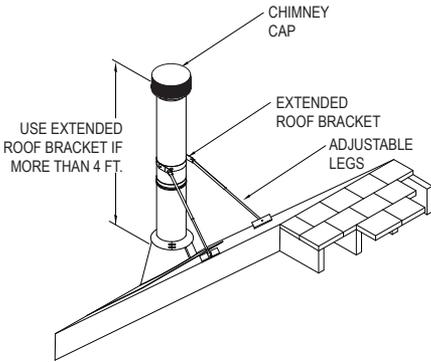


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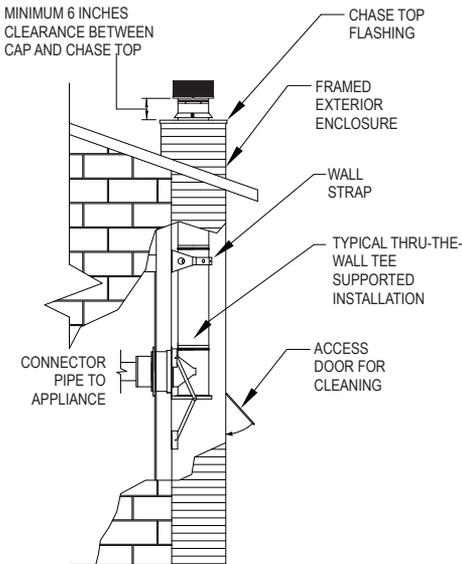


Figure 18

through the inner leg at that location. Use the nut & bolt provided to pin the Adjustable Legs in position.

3. Install Roof Brackets: Mount the two Roof Brackets where each of the Adjustable Legs meets the roof, using 4 roofing nails per bracket. Seal the nail heads carefully with a non-hardening, waterproof sealant. Attach the bottom end of the Adjustable Legs to the Roof Brackets using the nuts & bolts provided.

TEE-SUPPORTED INSTALLATIONS

Tee-Supported installations are used when passing through a wall to an outside chimney. Tee-Supported installations are available for the Large Diameter Chimney 10" through 16" diameters. The Tee Support can hold a maximum of 30 feet of Chimney. The required parts and general configuration are as shown in **Figures 18 and 19**.

1. Place Appliance: Position the appliance according to the manufacturer's instructions. It is a good idea to try to position the appliance so it will allow the chimney to line up centered between studs.

2. Locate, Cut & Frame Opening: Determine the location where the chimney will pass through the wall. The chimney should pass through the wall, centered between two studs. The height of the penetration can be determined by positioning sections of connector pipe until you have the desired configuration (refer to the appliance manufacturer's installation instructions for restrictions on connector pipe). Cut and frame an opening in the inner and outer walls at this location. Refer to **Table 2** for the appropriate framing dimensions.

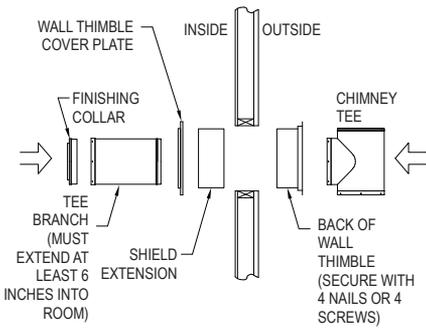


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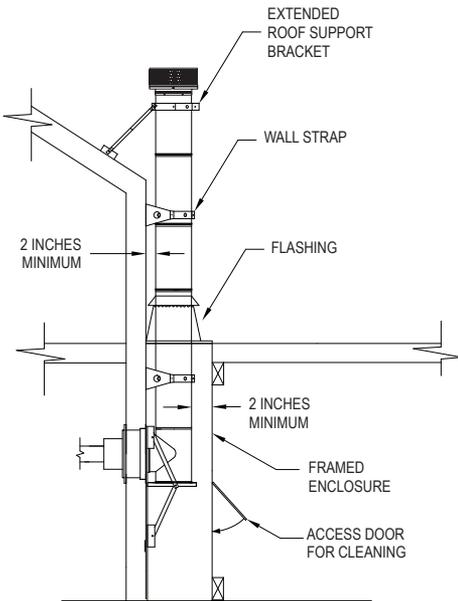


Figure 21

Cap is securely inserted into the bottom of the chimney pipe. Secure the Tee Cap in place by attaching the Tee Cap Retainer Bar using the two (2) bolts included (**Fig 19**).

6. Install Cover Plate and Finishing Collar:

After the Chimney Branch is secured in place (penetrating at least 6" into the room), slide the Cover Plate over the Branch and attach it to the framing using (4) 1-1/4" long, round head wood screws. Be sure that the Branch is centered in the opening of the Cover Plate. Twist lock the Finishing Collar on to the female end of the Chimney Branch by twisting clockwise.

7. Complete Chimney:

Attach the Chimney Sections as in **Step 8** in the Ceiling Supported Installation section. Secure the chimney to the wall with Wall Straps at 4-foot intervals to maintain at least 2 inches of clearance to combustible materials. Slip the Wall Straps around the chimney, tighten the bolts, and fasten the Wall Straps to the wall with (4) #8, 2-1/2" long wood screws. Once the chimney is at the minimum height specified in **Figure 1**, attach the Chimney Cap onto the top of the chimney by holding it by the collar and slipping the female end of the Cap onto the male end of the Chimney Pipe. Secure the Cap in place by using the (6) sheet metal screws provided. If the chimney penetrates an overhang, frame for at least 2 inches of clearance, and install Roof Radiation Shields (required for 18"-24" diameter chimney only), Flashing and Storm Collar as described in **Steps 7, 10 & 11** for Ceiling Supported Installations. Another option is to cut away the overhang for a 2-inch clearance (**Fig 22**). If the chimney extends more than 4 feet above the top Wall Strap or Flashing, use an Extended Roof Support Bracket. NOTE: In a UL 103 Type HT

application for 10" to 16" diameters, install the Roof Radiation Shields (RRSHT) as per Step 7 under the Ceiling Support section.

8. Install Chase Top Flashing: It is recommended that a Tee Supported Chimney be enclosed in a chase. If a chase enclosure has been constructed, you can either use a standard flat-roof flashing, or you can use a Chase Top Flashing. Using a Chase Top Flashing allows for a lower profile for the chimney. The Chase Top Flashing has an opening in the center that has a 3" larger diameter than the outer diameter of the LDC Chimney. If the Chase Top Flashing can fit over your chase enclosure as required (**Fig 23**) then install as directed, or trim as needed. However, if the Chase Top Flashing is smaller than your chase enclosure, then you will need to provide a galvanized sheet capable of covering your chase and overhanging the each side by 1/4-1/2 inch. Attach the Chase Top Flashing to the galvanized sheet using sheet metal screws and non-hardening waterproof sealant. Use the Chase Top Flashing Spacers to allow the proper air-gap clearances on the galvanized sheet. The Chase Top Flashing Spacers are available to insure that the proper air-gap is maintained. **Figure 23** displays in some detail, how these air gaps are established using the Spacers and Chase Top Flashing. Secure the Chase Top Flashing to the chase using a sufficient number of #8, 1-1/2" wood screws, being careful to insure the air gap is maintained between the flashing and the chase. Seal the screw heads with non-hardening sealant. Install the Storm Collar directly down on top of the collar of the Chase Top Flashing.

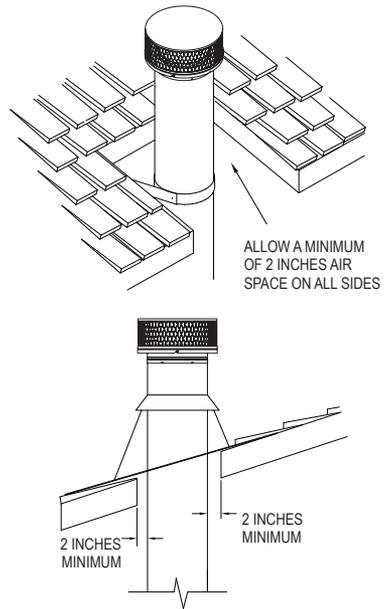


Figure 22

MASONRY FIREPLACE INSTALLATIONS

1. Determine Chimney Size: Use **Table 4** to determine the correct diameter chimney for your fireplace.

2. Mount Anchor Plate: Chimneys for masonry fireplaces begin with an Anchor Plate or Anchor Plate with Damper. Warning: Anchor Plate with Damper is not allowed in chimneys serving stoker-fired, liquid or gas burning appliances. Caution: Do not install Anchor Plate with Damper on Factory-built fireplaces. Important: be sure the surface of the masonry chimney has a level surface on which to attach the Anchor Plate or Anchor Plate with Damper. If the top of the masonry does not have a level surface, then you will need to modify the masonry accordingly. Center the Anchor Plate

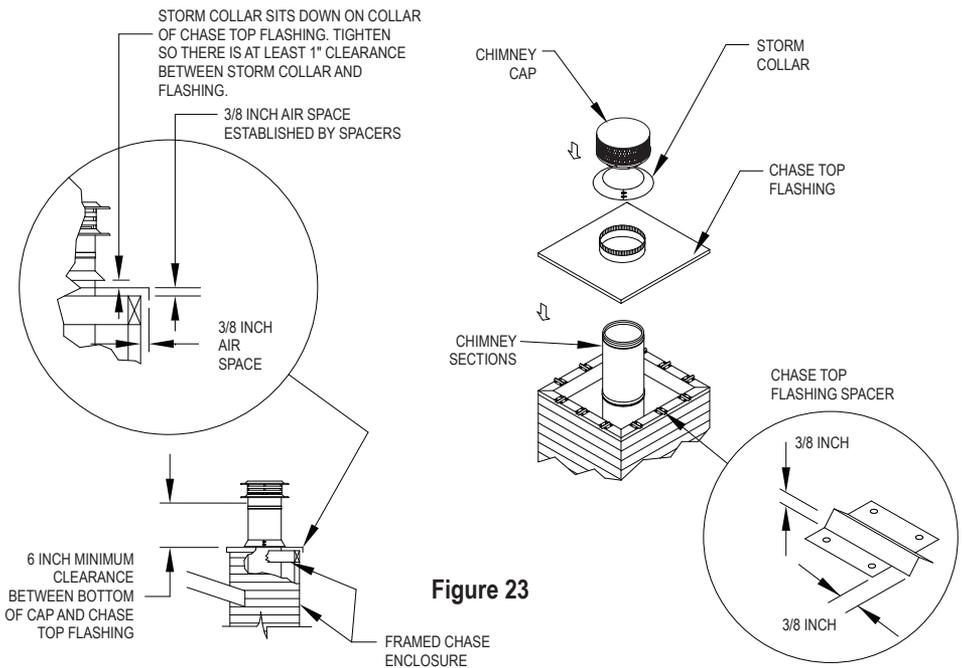


Figure 23

over the masonry flue opening. If a Damper is used, make sure nothing interferes with the damper plate movement. Seal the Anchor Plate in place with a high temperature sealant. Secure Anchor Plate with (4) 2" x 1/4" masonry anchors (**Fig. 24**).

3a. Damper Plate: The Damper Plate should swing freely once the Anchor Plate is installed. When the chain is pulled down, the damper plate should close (horizontal position). When the chain is released (no weight on the chain), the damper should swing open (vertical position).

3b. Lintel Hook: With the damper plate in the closed (horizontal) position, determine and mark the location for the Lintel Hook. The Lintel Hook should be mounted in a position so as to provide a small amount of tension in the spring attached to the chain (**Fig. 25**). The tension is needed to prevent the damper plate

from rattling when closed. Mount the Lintel Hook to the masonry with the screws provided.

4. Attach Chimney: Attach the first Chimney Section onto the Anchor Plate by using the sheet metal screws provided.

5. Finish Chimney: Install the rest of the chimney as directed in the Ceiling Supported Installation section, **Steps 4 through 11**. Refer to **Figure 1** and **Table 4** for chimney height requirements. Always maintain at least 2 inches of clearance to combustible materials, and enclose the chimney where it passes through occupied areas. The 2-inch clearance is an air space; do not fill that clearance space with any materials. Use a Wall Strap for every four (4) feet of chimney height.

CHIMNEY MAINTENANCE

1. Creosote and Soot: When wood is burned slowly, it produces tar and other organic vapors, which combine with expelled moisture to produce creosote. The creosote vapors condense in the relatively cool chimney flue of a slow-burning fire. As a result, creosote residue accumulates on the flue lining. **WARNING:** When ignited, this creosote makes an extremely hot fire.

2. Access: Chimneys must be installed so that access is provided for inspection and cleaning.

3. When to Clean: The chimney should be inspected at least once every month during the heating season to determine if creosote or soot has built up. Check spark arrestor screens at least every 2 to 4 weeks. If creosote or soot has accumulated, it should be cleaned to reduce the risk of chimney fire.

4. How to Clean: Have your chimney cleaned by a professional chimney sweep if you have doubts about your ability to clean it. Use a plastic, wood, or steel brush. Do not use a brush that will scratch the stainless steel liner of your chimney. Scrub the spark arrestor with a wire brush. To remove the Spark Arrestor Assembly for cleaning, loosen the three bolts that attach it without fully removing them, then twist the spark arrestor assembly counter-clockwise while lifting upwards. To reinstall (**Fig. 26**), lower the spark arrestor assembly onto the three loosened bolts (without aligning the slots and bolts), then twist the spark arrestor assembly clockwise until the slots drop onto the bolts. Ensure that the bolts are fully engaged in the slots, then tighten the bolts to secure the spark arrestor assembly. The Tee Cleanout Cap can be removed once the retaining bar has been unbolted. Remember to replace the Tee Cap and retaining bar when you are finished cleaning the chimney.

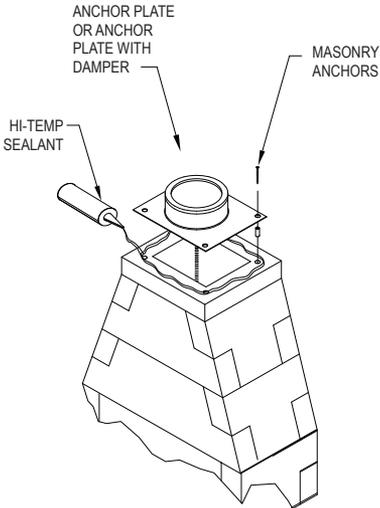


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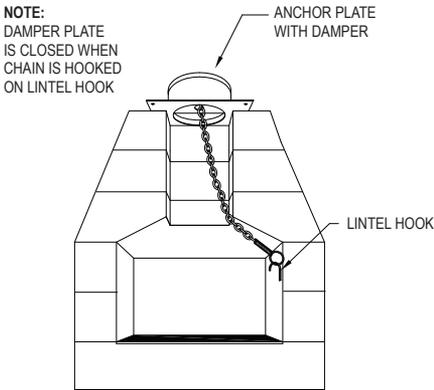


Figure 25

5. Coal: To reduce corrosion in chimneys where coal is burned, clean the chimney thoroughly within 48 hours of shutting down the appliance for the season.

6. Chemical Cleaners: Use chemical cleaners only as a last resort, and use only those which the manufacturer specifically warrants as being noncorrosive to the chimney. DuraVent will assume no liability for damage resulting from the use of chemical cleaners.

7. In Case of Fire: If a flue fire occurs, close all appliance air inlets, and call your Fire Department. Do not use the chimney again, until it has been inspected for possible damage.

8. Painting: As an option, you can coat all exterior metal parts, with the exception of the Chimney Cap, with high temperature, rust proof paint. Wash the metal with a vinegar and water solution before painting. Painting the chimney will help to increase chimney life. Follow the instructions from the paint manufacturer.

9. Creosote Formation: The manufacturer assumes no liability for structural damage or roof contamination as the result of creosote formation. It is the owner's responsibility to comply with inspection and cleaning requirements as described in these instructions, and those of the appliance manufacturer.

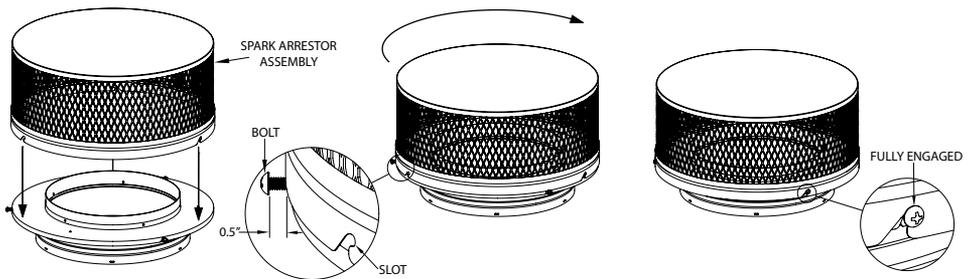
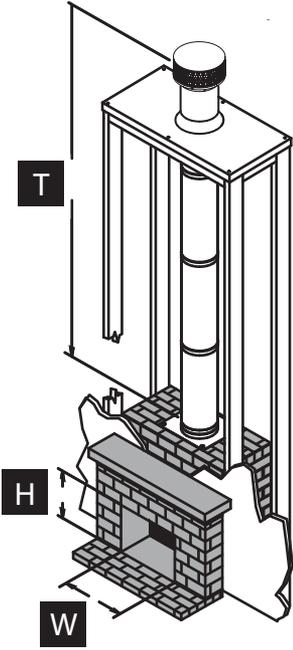
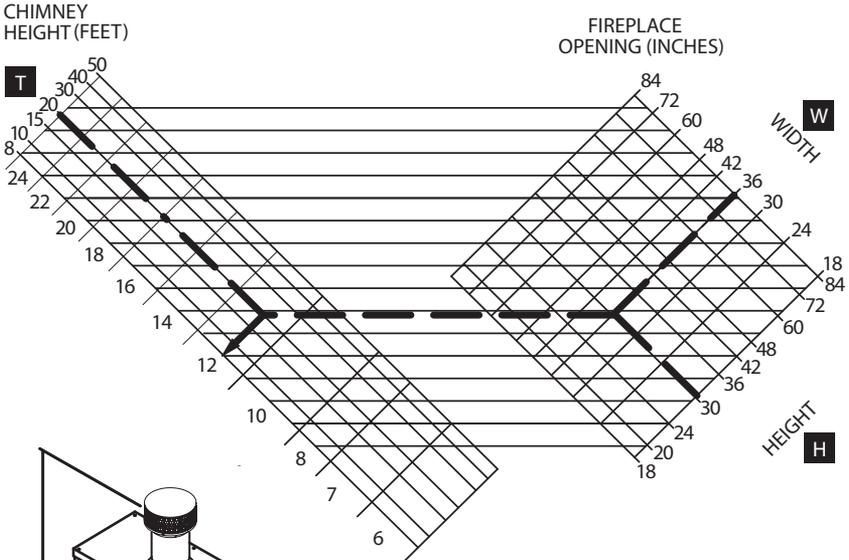


Figure 26

Table 4

Chimney Sizing Chart for Fireplace Installations



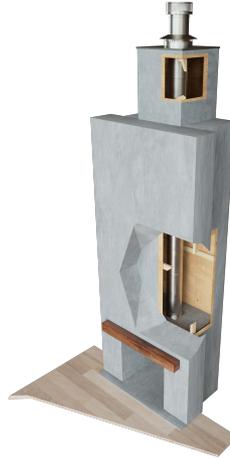
Dotted line represents sample problem.
 Example shows fireplace opening as 36" wide
 and 30" high, and the chimney height as 20'.
 The correct flue size for the sample problem is
 12" diameter pipe.

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TYPICAL INSTALLATIONS



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- (f) any Products that have been moved from their original installation site;
- (g) damage caused by burning driftwood, garbage, or any other prohibitive material that has been burned in the appliance served by the chimney;
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