



DEFRA  
EXEMPT



# Wood Burning Stove System

Reduce your reliance on gas with our wood burning stove, combined with a chimney system for a bungalow, log cabin or house.

Defra exempt for installation and use in Smoke Control Areas

**SCHIEDEL**



# An all-in-one Stove package

Schiedel offers a unique all-in-one system: a perfect combination of DEFRA exempt stove in an easy to install package to add a stove and chimney to a newly built house or a bungalow, a self build project, or a luxury home at the drawing stage. Also ideal to add to an existing dwelling.

Our innovative and advanced clean burning technology provides an eco-friendly and pleasant warmth. Wood stoves achieve up to 84 % energy-efficiency – delivering more heat with less wood.

## DEFRA exempt

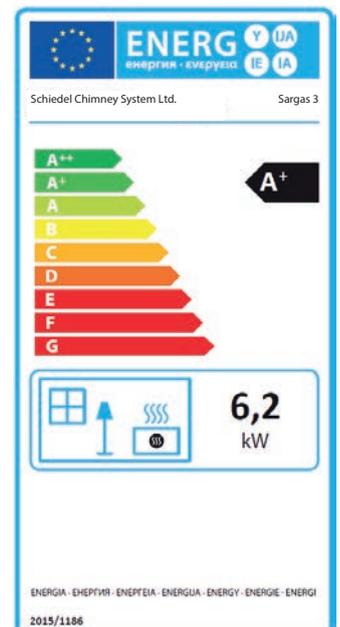
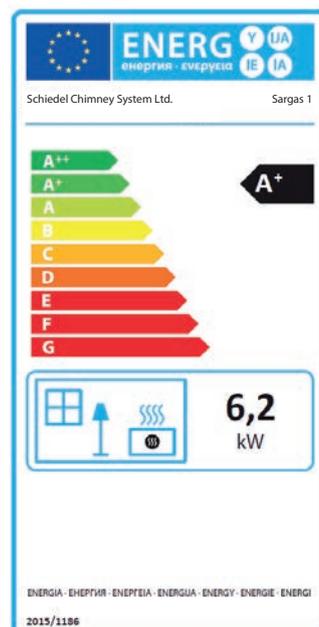
In addition to meeting the requirements of Ecodesign for efficiency and emissions, all clearSkies certified appliances at Level 3 or above will also have been verified by the scheme administrator as meeting the requirements for Defra exemption.

Therefore you can be assured that our Sargas models exceed the minimum requirements and are future proofed as well as approved on the Defra website to be installed in Smoke Control Areas

## clearSkies

Both Schiedel Sargas models have achieved the clearSkies certification clearSkies certified appliances meet the minimum performance level for Ecodesign regulations – the minimum legal requirement for an appliance manufactured in the UK from 1st January 2022.

These new Ecodesign Regulations represent a significant tightening of these criteria over the current CE requirements.



# The Clean Air Act 1993 and Smoke Control Areas

**Both stove models are Defra Exempt, which means they can be installed and used in Smoke Control areas.**

The Sargas 1 and Sargas 3 have been recommended as suitable for use in smoke control areas when burning wood logs. The Sargas 1 and Sargas 3 must be fitted with a permanent stop to prevent closure of the combustion air regulator beyond 80mm open.

Under the Clean Air Act 1993 and Smoke Control Areas Under the Clean Air Act, local authorities may declare the whole or part of the district of the authority to be a smoke control area. It is an offence to emit smoke from a chimney of a building, from a furnace or from any fixed boiler if located in a designated smoke control area. It is also an offence to acquire an "unauthorised fuel" for use within a smoke control area unless it is used in an "exempt" appliance ("exempted" from the controls which generally apply in the smoke control area).

Your local authority is responsible for implementing the Clean Air Act 1993 including designation and supervision of smoke control areas and you can contact them for details of Clean Air Act requirements.

In England appliances are exempted by publication on a list by the Secretary of State in accordance with changes made to sections 20 and 21 of the Clean Air Act 1993 by section 15 of the Deregulation Act 2015.

Similarly in Scotland appliances are exempted by publication on a list by Scottish Ministers under section 50 of the Regulatory Reform (Scotland) Act 2014. In Wales and Northern Ireland these are authorised by regulations made by Welsh Ministers and by the Department of the Environment respectively.

Further information on the requirements of the Clean Air Act can be found here at:

<https://www.gov.uk/smoke-control-area-rules>



# Sargas wood burning stove system advantages

## Stove-highlights

Heat sustainably and Co2 neutral with local firewood, independent of international electricity, gas and oil suppliers.

Thanks to high-quality manufacturing and optimal combustion chamber construction, the SARGAS stove offers high energy efficiency: Class A+ environmentally friendly combustion tested according to DIN EN 13240

Air-cooled door handle and self-closing door

Simple operation with one lever for both primary and secondary combustion air

Adjustable legs for uneven floors

## System highlights

- Ideal for timber frame buildings such as log cabins
- Exceptional minimal distances to combustibles



# Stove specifications / approvals

Stove name:	Sargas 1 and Sargas 3
Standard:	EN 13240 RRF – 40 17 4674
Rated output:	6.2 kW
Efficiency:	81 %
Emissions:	CO <sub>2</sub> (at 13% O <sub>2</sub> ) 1125 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Emissions:	dust 6 mg/m <sup>3</sup>
Flue gas temperature:	327 °C
Negative pressure in the chimney:	12 Pa
Weight (depends on the stove type)	approx.100 kg
Stove dimensions	W x D x H 526 mm x 417 mm x 1133,7 mm
Minimum distance from combustible materials	Model 1 front 1200 mm / sides 100 mm and back 70 mm Model 3 front 1200 mm / sides 400 mm and back 50 mm
Allowed fuel consumption	2 kg/h



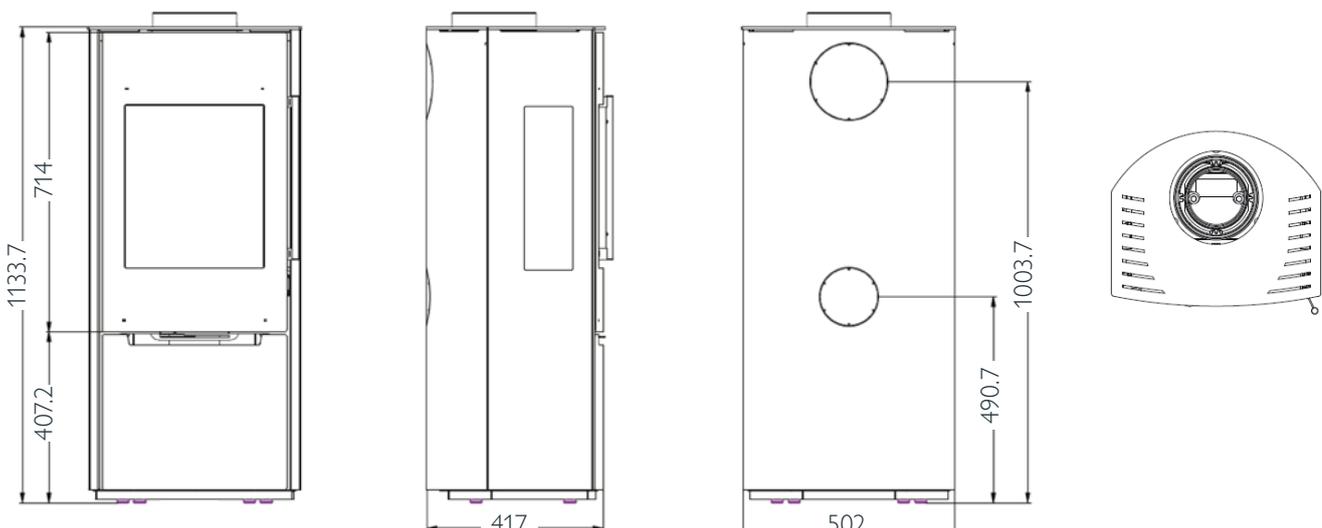
## DEFRA EXEMPT

The Sargas is DEFRA exempt so it can be installed and used in Smoke Control Areas in the United Kingdom, when operated in accordance with the instruction and installation manuals and when any conditions are met.



## CLEARSKIES LEVEL 5

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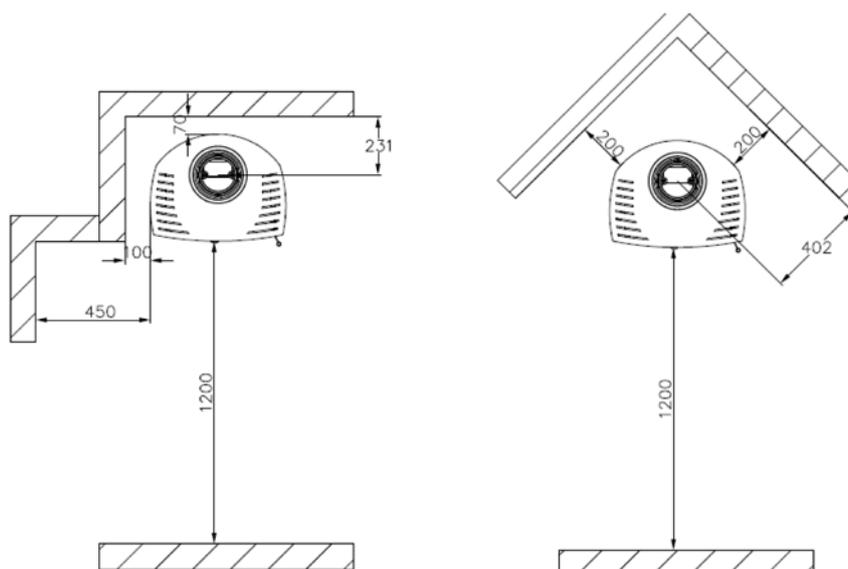
# Stove placement

## Minimum distance to combustibles

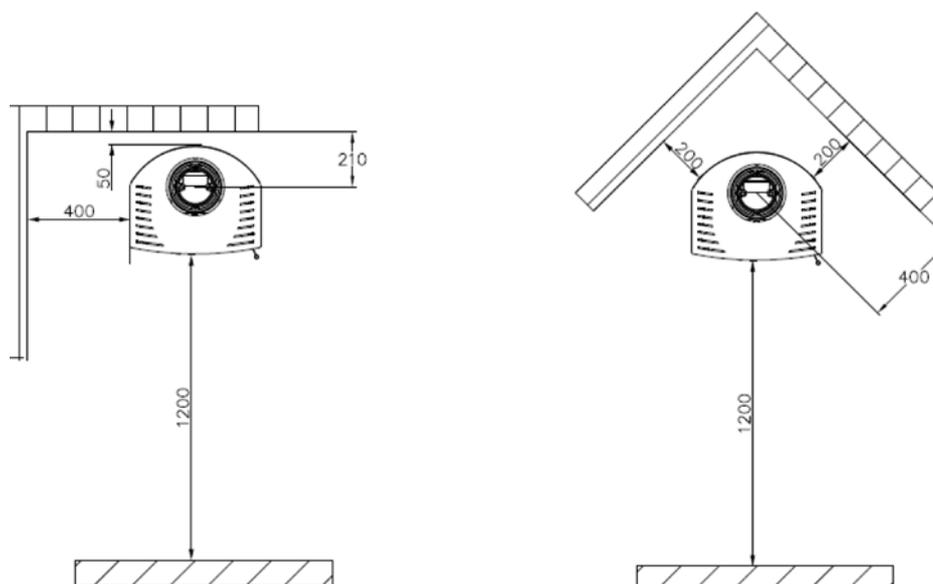
The stove is designed to be a free-standing indoor device. It must be installed at the following minimum distances to combustible materials (wood partitions, furniture, decorative fabrics, etc.)

SARGAS 1 (EN 13240)		SARGAS 3 (EN 13240)	
Rear:	70 mm	Rear:	50 mm
Sides:	100 mm	Sides:	400 mm
Floor:	0 mm	Floor:	0 mm
Distance from glass front:	1200 mm	Distance from glass front:	1200 mm
Distance from superimposed hearth	225mm	Distance from superimposed hearth	225mm

Sargas 1



Sargas 3



# Prior to installation

## Mandatory requirements

The system must be installed according to valid British/European Standards, national building regulations and Schiedel Installation Instructions of the manufacturer as indicated in the documentation.

Apart from the general instructions there are specific instructions in connection with the type of connected Wood appliance. Always refer to appliance installation instructions and related standards covering specific applications!

## Flue diameter

The chimney size recommended by the appliance manufacturer is 150mm i/d for Perimeter Air & 125mm i/d for ICID systems. The operational requirements of the appliance and the configuration of the flue must satisfy the flue sizing requirements of EN13384-1 for single appliances.

## Appliance-chimney connection

When connecting the appliance directly to a system chimney, the appropriate appliance connector must be used and the joint between the appliance spigot and the appliance connector must be securely caulked and sealed with non asbestos rope or suitable alternative. The connection to the appliance should be carried out only by a competent person.

## Chimney route

The chimney should remain as straight as possible through its vertical run to assist flow. Before installing the chimney be sure that there are no beams or rafters mounted in the chimney vertical run.

## Enclosure/Shaft

With the exception of the room containing the appliance, where the chimney passes through any part of the building where there is a risk of accidental human contact, i.e. a bedroom etc., or where there is a risk of contact with combustible materials, the chimney should be enclosed in an appropriate way. Please check requirements in national building and fire regulations. This can be achieved by boxing in the chimney in habitable rooms, or by the use of a protective wire mesh frame in roof spaces etc. In all cases the minimum distance to any combustible material, including loft insulation, must be respected and any enclosure should meet the requirements of national building and fire regulation.

## Inspection openings

According to national regulations, provisions should be made to enable a chimney to be inspected and cleaned. Respective national building code and requirements of appropriate standards should be observed. We recommend consulting a competent chimney sweep on the arrangement of the inspection opening. To aid cleaning, sufficient distance should be left between changes of direction to permit the safe passage of cleaning brushes within the system.

## Distance to combustibles

On Wood applications, where there is a risk of soot fire, it is essential that the correct distance to combustible material is maintained.

Please refer to the twin wall chimney system guide on distance to combustibles.

# System design guide

## Loading bearing Information

A	Max. installation height from base or intermediate support	8 m
B	Max. distance between lateral supports	3 m
C	Max height above last support	2 m
X	Max offset distance between 2 bends	1 m

## Support components

Prior to installation the number and position of support components should be established according to the load bearing information and max. allowed distances between supports.

The weight of a chimney system requires an independent support. Only minimal weight should be borne by the appliance (e.g. vertical connecting flue section, up to the floor passage). The chimney can be supported from first floor level by using a support plate or ceiling box fixed between two ceiling joists. In longer vertical runs wall bands should be used to support the chimney, fixed to the wall/roof structure.

They can be used in combination with the wall band extension components to provide for adjustment to various distances from the wall. Wall bands are non-load bearing and provide lateral support only.

## Terminals

Terminals are supplied complete with a locking band. Once the terminal has been pushed into place, the adjustment bolts on the locking band clips should be tightened to ensure that the terminal is properly secured to the previous pipe.

## Free standing height above the roof

Max free standing height is 2m. Where height is >600mm above the last structural support, a locking band is required immediately below the roof support and on any pipe joints above it. Where the free-standing height should exceed 2,0 m above the last support or above the roof, a guy wire bracket must be used in conjunction with guy wires or rigid stays.

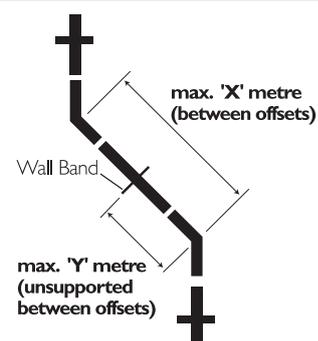
## Lightning protection

Stainless steel flue gas system can be damaged by a lightning strike. If a building has a lightning conductor or earthing circuit make sure that flue gas system is incorporated to it.

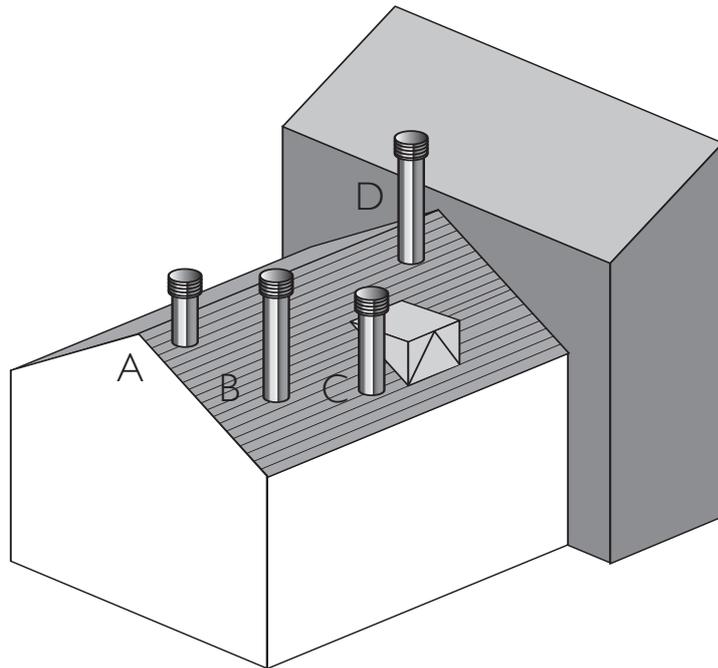


## Maximum offset info.

Int Ø	150
X (m)	1
Y (m)	1



# Flue termination height



Point where flue passes through weather surface (Notes 1, 2)		Clearance to flue outlet
A	At or within 600mm of the ridge	At or within 600mm above the ridge
B	Elsewhere on the roof (whether pitched or flat)	At least 2300mm horizontally from the nearest point on the weather surface and: a) at least 1000mm above the highest point of intersection of the chimney and the weather surface; or b) at least as high as the ridge
C	Below (on a pitched roof) or within 2300mm horizontally to an openable roof-light, dormer window or other opening (Note 3)	At least 1000mm above the top of the opening

## Delivery to site and storage

Components should be carefully transported and off loaded. Ensure all chimney components are available and check them to ensure there has been no damage. Components should be stored and protected on site from accidental damage. Do not use damaged components!

## Handling

It is advised that suitable personal protective equipment should be used when handling the products. Use only

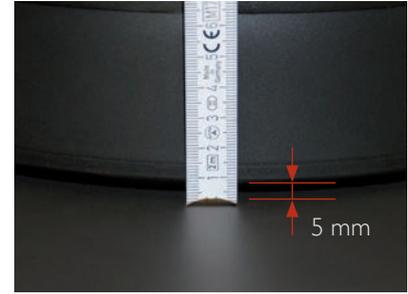
# Installation instructions



1. Make sure the outlet on the stove is installed correctly, according to the installation manual for the stove. Apply high temperature liquid sealant on the inner and outer ring of the stove outlet to provide a gas tight connection.



2. Place the adapter and push the protruding liner onto the stove connector. If necessary, the adapter can be cut at the bottom to get the desired distance between the pipe and the stove top plate.



3. The outer case of the adapter should not be in direct contact with the top plate of the stove. There should be at least 5 mm clearance ensured.

The weight of a chimney system is considerable and requires independent support. Minimal weight should be borne by the appliance or concentric stove connector. Please refer to section » passage through the floor for further reference.

## Installation – which way up?

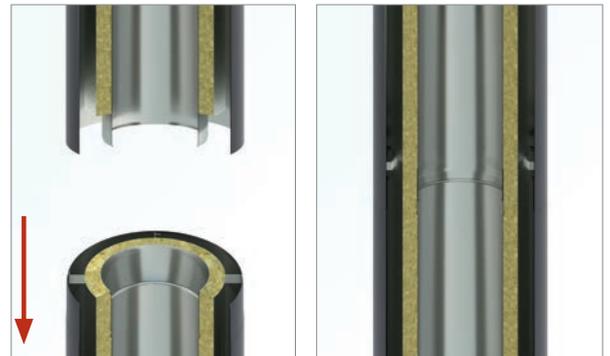
All flue gas carrying components must be installed with the direction arrow on the product label pointing to ter-

## Jointing system

Joints in the twin wall system are made by means of a simple push fit, or twist lock jointing method.

## Thermal expansion

All twin wall elements are designed to allow for thermal expansion of the liner within each joint, so there is no requirement for any additional expansion joints.

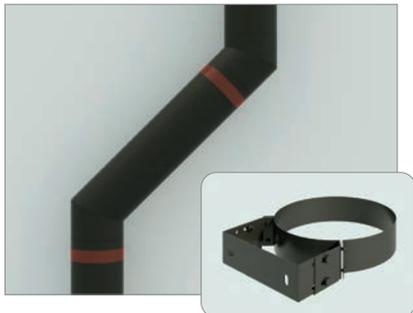


Install first chimney inspection pipe with test point depending on the height of the floor a proper pipe length should be used to span the distance between the stove adapter and a ceiling box installed to the bottom level of the floor level above.

## Inspection

To conform to Building Regulations, an inspection length must be used directly above the appliance adaptor to allow for cleaning access. To aid cleaning, sufficient distance should be left between changes of direction to permit the safe passage of cleaning brushes within the system. This is particularly important on Wood applications. It is recommended that chimneys serving Wood appliances be swept as frequently as necessary, but at least twice a year.

# Support components



## Offset (optional)

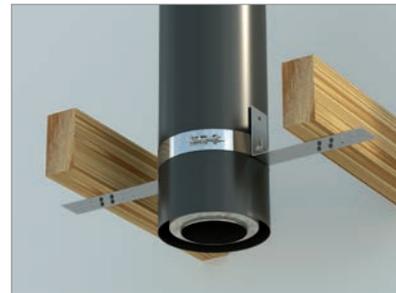
In most cases, pipes are installed vertically from bottom to top, but conflict with roof rails or alike can occur, so an offset should be used to avoid obstacle. Check national regulation on required inspection openings when installing offsets to assist cleaning.

A locking band should be mounted on each joint to strengthen installed length. Wall bands should be installed in locations as shown in the picture to support stability of the



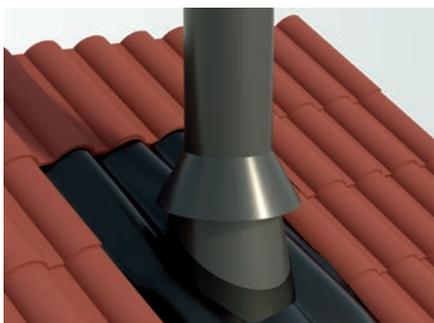
## Wall bands

Wall bands are non load bearing and provide lateral support only. They are used in intermediate chimney sections where non supported chimney length exceed max. allowed lengths. Refer to the load bearing tables on page 10 for full



## Passage through the roof

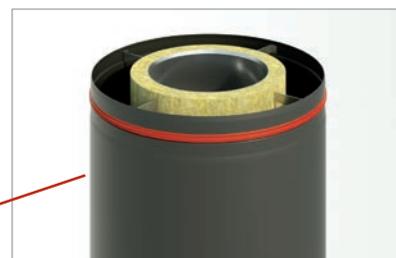
Roof structure represent the upper most position for fixing the chimney before transition to the free standing part. We recommend using a roof support bracket which is supplied as a kit, complete with two side plates for fixing to the roof trusses and a band to give lateral support to the chimney as it passes through the roof. Special attention should be drawn to distance to combustible between the outer



## Section above the roof

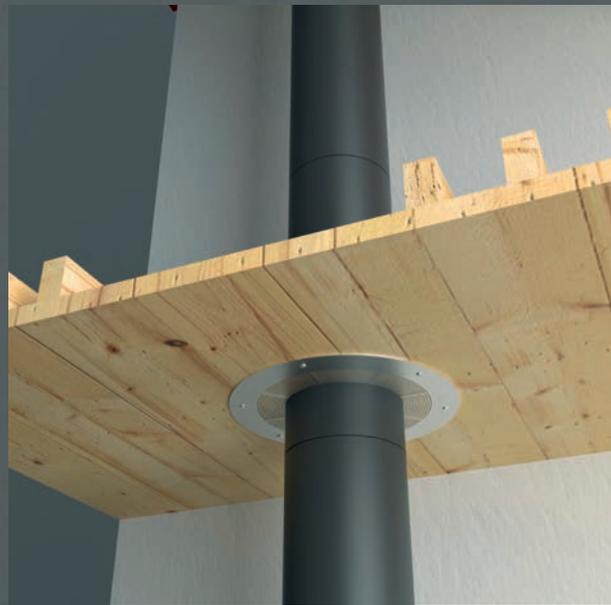
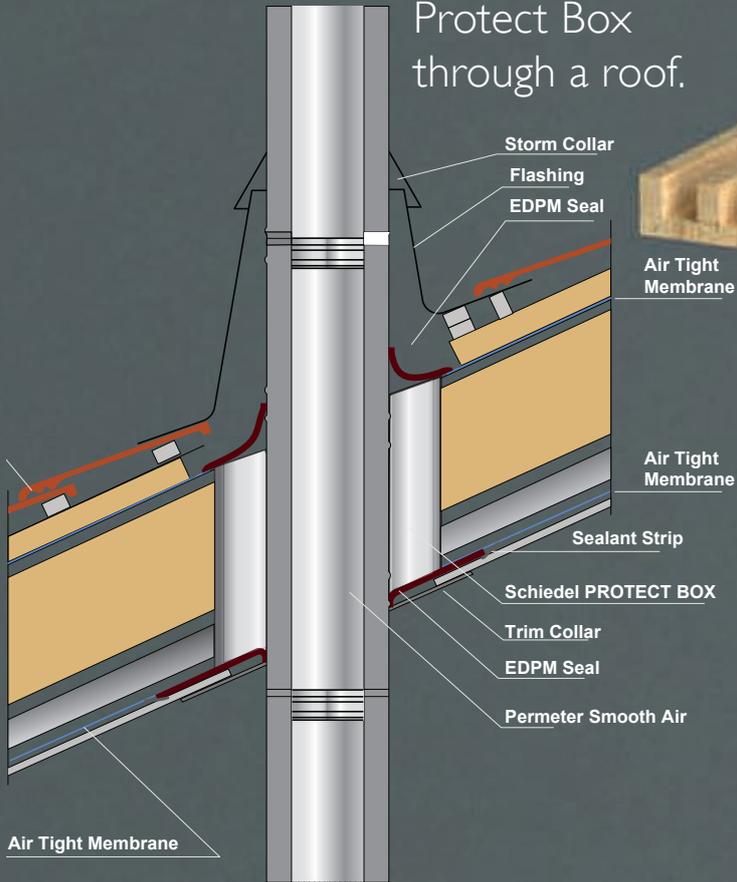
A chimney penetration should be protected accordingly. We recommend

For external applications (above the roof) a bead of silicone may be applied.



Bead of silicone sealant to be applied on external pipes.

## Protect Box through a roof.



Support detail using ventilated firestops and ventilated support plates.

A ventilated firestop is used on the living room ceiling with a ventilated support plate at first floor level.

A ventilated firestop is used in the bedroom ceiling and then a Protect Box can be used at roof level together with EPDM mats to maintain an air tight envelope within the building



# Support Components



## Structural locking band

A structural locking band (supplied separately) should be used in sections above the roof where structural support is required. Max free standing height is 2m. Where height is >600mm above the last structural support, a locking band is required immediately below the roof support and on any pipe joints above it.



## Guy wire bracket

Where the free-standing height should exceed 2,0 m above the last support or above the roof, a guy wire bracket must be used in conjunction with guy wires or rigid stays. Please contact Schiedel technical service for advice on details of installation.

## Terminal

The terminal used is designed to ensure sufficient air supply to the stove, which has been approved.



# After Installation

## CE chimney plate

After installation a chimney plate must be applied. This is the responsibility of the installer.

## Maintenance and cleaning

Chimneys should be regularly inspected and cleaned according to the national chimney sweep regulation. Only stainless steel or plastic brushes are allowed to be used for cleaning to avoid corrosion on the flue liner.

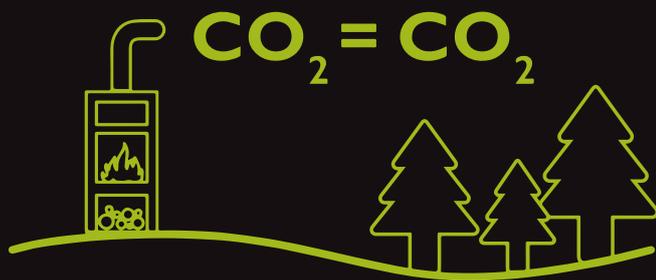
## Carbon monoxide detector

It is essential that a Carbon monoxide detector is installed in room or dwelling where a Wood appliance is installed. This should comply with EN 50291.

Please follow manufacturer's instructions with regards to siting and fixing on the ceiling at least 300 mm from any wall or if it is located on a wall, as high up as possible (above any doors and windows), but not within 150 mm of the ceiling between 1 m and 3 m horizontally from the appliance

N.B Provision of a carbon monoxide detector should not be regarded as a substitute for correct installation and

# Heating with wood



## Renewable resource

Wood is a renewable resource that burns only as much carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>) as it releases from natural decomposition in the forest or as much as the tree captured from the atmosphere during its growth.

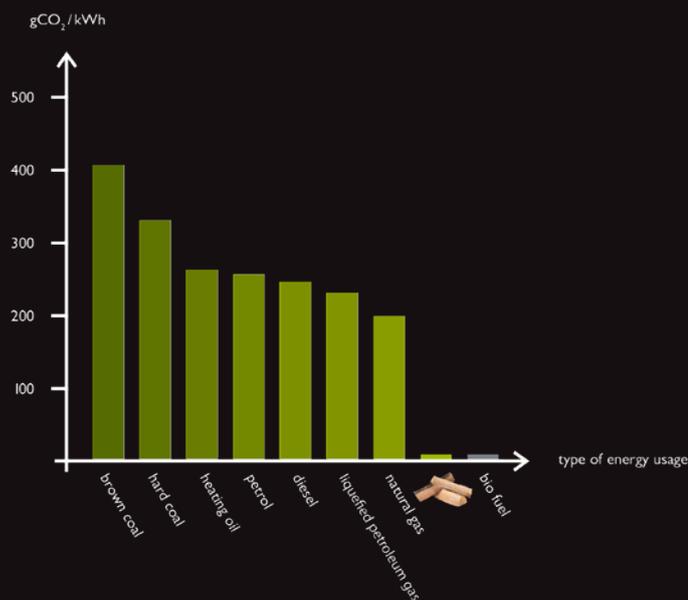
## High energy value

Firewood has a high energy value. For example, take oak: whilst it has a residual wood moisture content of approx. 15–20%, its calorific value adds up to 4.2 kWh per kilogram.

9% (2020)



13-15% (2035)



## Low emission factor

The impact of air pollution on our health and environment is so significant that it is considered to be the second biggest environmental concern after climate change.

Firewood has a low emission factor in comparison with other energy sources, with a very low primary energy coefficient of 0.2.

## European forest is growing

30% of annual forest growth remains in the forest. The area of European forests is increasing by the size of a football field every minute, increasing the potential for carbon capture in the coming decades.

30% of the annual forest increment remains in the forest.





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