Quick Installation Guide

Model NFB-301C/399C

STEP 1 Before Installing



Read the Installation & Operation Manual before installing.

This product must be installed and serviced by a licensed plumber, a licensed gas fitter, or a professional service technician. Navien is not liable for any damages or defects resulting from improper installation.



WARNING

Follow all local codes and/or the most recent edition of the National Fuel Gas Code (ANSI Z223.1/NFPA 54) in the USA, or the Natural Gas and Propane Installation Code in Canada (CAN/CGA B149.1).



Installer must verify that at least one carbon monoxide detector is installed within the residential living space before placing the boiler into operation. Refer to the manufacturer's instructions and local codes as well as the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) and Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) recommendations for proper use of carbon monoxide alarms.

Safety

DO NOT install the boiler in areas with excessively high humidity.

Location requirements

Select the best location on "Choosing an Installation Location" in the Installation & Operation Manual.

Allowable minimum clearances



Clearance from:	Indoor Installation
Тор	12 in (305 mm) minimum
Back	0.5 in (13 mm) minimum
Front	24 in (610 mm) minimum
Sides	6 in (152 mm) minimum
Bottom	16 in (406 mm) minimum
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STEP 2 Installing

1 Unpacking



Mounting on the Wall

(1) Remove the wall bracket from the L box.

Checking the Rating Plate



This boiler is configured for Natural Gas from the factory. If conversion to Propane Gas in required, the conversion kit supplied with the boiler must be used.

- Before connecting the gas supply, determine the gas type and pressure for the boiler by referring to the rating plate. Use only the same gas type indicated on the rating plate. Using a different gas type will result in abnormal combustion and malfunction of the boiler. Gas supplies should be connected by a licensed professional only.
- The appliance and its gas connection must be leak tested before placing the appliance in operation.
- This boiler cannot be converted from natural gas to propane or vice versa without a Navien gas conversion kit. Do not attempt a field conversion of this boiler without a Navien gas conversion kit. Doing so will result in dangerous operating conditions and will void the warranty.

Navien Inc. is not liable for any property damage and/or personal injury resulting from improper conversions.

4 Removing the Front Cover



Do not install the boiler on drywall without proper reinforcement.

CAUTION





Nound the wall bracket and the boiler following the instructions below for your installation type. Note The anti-vibration rubber pad must be mounted with its arrow mark () facing upward.

Mounting to a wood studded wall:

Mount the wall bracket using the lag bolts provided.

Mounting to a concrete wall:

Mount the wall bracket using the anchor bolts provided. To mount the anchor bolts, drill a 3/8" diameter hole 3-1/2" deep and insert anchor.

Mounting to a metal studded wall:

Mount the wall bracket using field supplied toggle bolts capable of supporting 100 pounds each.



Unfasten the 4 latches (2 at the top and 2 at the bottom) to remove the front cover.



Gas Piping Connections



Example:

Gas meter 425 CFH	≥	Boiler 195 CFH	+	Furnace 58.8 CFH	+	Domestic gas stove 63.7CFH
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* 1 CFH=1,020 Btuh

 $^{3}/_{4}$ " rigid pipe can be used; refer to the sizing tables in the Installation & Operation Manual for limitations. Avoid using $^{3}/_{4}$ " corrugated connectors or tubing as noise may occur.

6 Water Piping Connections

Space Heating System

A pressure relief valve must be installed when installing piping for a heating system.

Install the included 3/4 in, maximum 50 psi pressure relief valve on the space heating supply.

An ASME approved HV pressure relief valve for space heating system is supplied with the boiler.

You may install the pressure relief valve on the space heating supply of the Navien Manifold System, or on the top connection along with the air vent (and an external LWCO, if required).

Do not solder piping directly onto the water connections, as the heat may cause damage to internal components. Use threaded water connections only.

System Fill Connection



The Navien NFB boiler comes with an air vent and an adapter bushing that must be connected to the air vent connection. The vent efficiently removes the air from the space heating system.

To secure the adapter to the fitting, install the provided clip after inserting the PRV-air vent adapter into the connection on top of the unit.

When installing the air vent, install the air vent bushing between the air vent and the top connection.

Before filling the boiler, remove the air vent cap to allow the system to fill properly. Replace the cap when the system is full.

Note Prior to connecting piping to the boiler, flush the entire system to ensure it is free of sediment, flux, scale, debris or other impurities that may be harmful to the system and boiler. During the assembly of the heating system, it is important to keep the inside of the piping free of any debris including construction dust, copper burr, sand and dirt.



Ensure that the vent cap is re-installed and the vent screws on the system and boiler pumps are properly tightened before testing or operating the system.

Water Piping Connections





7 Condensate Drain Connection

A condensate drain pipe must be connected to the ³/₄" condensate outlet fitting at the

The end of the ¾" (NPT) plastic piping should drain into a laundry tub or into a floor drain.

bottom of the unit and water must be poured into the exhaust connection to fill the condensate trap.







8 Venting



Electrical Connections



Power Connection



Confirmation of DIP Switch Settings

DIP Switch 1 (6 switch unit) SW Function Settin

DIP Switch 2 (8 switch unit)

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Setting			SW	Function	Setting	
Normal Operation	1-OFF, 2-OFF		1	Gas Type	Natural Gas Propane Gas	
2Step MAX	1-ON, 2-OFF	-			0-1,999 ft (0-609 m)	
		-			2 000-5 300 ft	ī



Refer to your local codes to determine if an LWCO device is required for your system and ensure that the built-in device meets the requirements.



120 V AC 60 Hz Min. 2 Amp current with proper grounding

CAUTION

Using abnormally high or low AC voltage may cause abnormal operation, thereby causing fire which reduces the life expectancy of this product.

1 & 2 Status	Operation	2Step MAX	2-OFF	
	1Step MIN	1-OFF, 2-ON	2	
		1Step MAX	1-ON, 2-ON	Z

2&3	High	2,000-5,399 ft (610-1,645 m)	2-ON, 3-OFF
	Altitude	5,400-7,699 ft (1,646-2,346 m)	2-OFF, 3-ON
		7,700-10,100 ft (2,347-3,078 m)	2-ON, 3-ON
4	Reserved	-	-
5&6	Country	US/Canada	5-OFF, 6-OFF
7	Space	Used	7-OFF
	Thermostat	Unused	7-ON
8 Temp	Exhaust	Used	8-OFF
	Temperature Control	Unused	8-ON

1-OFF

1-ON 2-OFF,

3-OFF



When PCB DIP switch 2 #8 is set to On, ensure that CPVC, approved polypropylene, or stainless steel is used for exhaust venting.

STEP 3 After Installing

Opening All the Valves



Space Heating System Valves ΠÓ۲ -0 Shut-off valves

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2 Operating the Boiler



Check the inlet gas pressure reading on the manometer.

CAUTION

The boiler cannot function properly without sufficient inlet gas pressure. Measuring the inlet gas pressure should be performed by a licensed professional only.

Installing the Front Cover



5 Ensure Maximum Water Flow

After running the boiler for the first 10 minutes, turn it off and clean the cold water filter and the space heating return strainer to remove any trapped debris.

6 Final Check

A trial run should be performed in accordance with the Installation checklist listed in the boiler's Installation & Operation Manual.