# Sirius FS

Floor Standing Stainless Steel Condensing Boilers

Single Boiler Applications: 50 to 160kW Modular Boiler Applications: up to 640kW



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# 1.1 Background

Potterton Commercial's Sirius FS is a technically sophisticated range of floor standing, stainless steel condensing boilers. Backed by a unique, fully comprehensive extended warranty, and built in reliability you can sit back and relax after the installation.

Lightweight, low noise and easy to install, the Sirius FS is also extremely energy efficient (up to 107% net) as well as offering advanced ultra low NOx performance, exceeding Class 5. Using the latest stainless steel heat exchanger technology in conjunction with the most sophisticated control system, the Sirius FS delivers maximum condensing performance. Sirius FS boilers are easy to service with good internal space for providing easy access to key components.



The Potterton Commercial Sirius FS is available in six outputs, all with a width of 450mm, for single boiler applications with nominal outputs of: 50, 70, 90, 105, 130, & 160kW. These sizes make it the perfect choice for large domestic applications as well as for use in a range of light commercial premises e.g. small hotels, bars and restaurants etc. The boilers can also be arranged in modular format up to 640kW. This also enables the boiler to be suitable for use in general commercial applications such as hospitals, schools and colleges etc.

## 1.3 Benefits

#### Peace of mind

The Potterton Commercial Sirius FS is manufactured to ISO9001 Quality Standards using only components of the finest quality, ensuring the range delivers exceptional reliability. Potterton Commercial also provides a fully comprehensive five year parts and labour warranty on the Sirius FS boilers\*, when commissioned by Potterton Commercial. Otherwise our standard one year warranty applies.

# **Environmentally Friendly**

The Sirius FS generates net operating efficiency levels of up to 107% at 50°C/30°C and is fully Part L2 compliant. An in-built weather compensation facility optimises seasonal efficiency (full modulation down to 30% and encourages the boiler to condense whenever possible).

#### **Fuel Flexibility**

Supplied for use with natural gas or LPG (propane) optional.

#### **User-friendly Controls**

Full on-board diagnostics indicate any faults on the user-friendly display panel. The in-built time control (one heating phase) provides the end-user simple control with full diagnostics.

## 1.4 Design

Designed for floor standing applications, the Sirius FS is a perfect replacement for applications where the existing atmospheric boilers no longer meet the requirements of energy saving legislation. Its compact design allows space saving installation of boiler plant.

# 1.5 Options

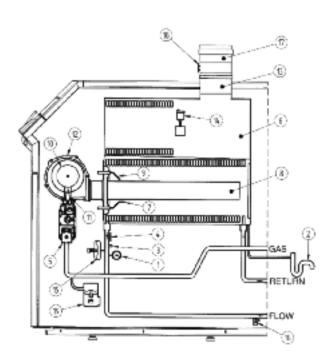
The Sirius FS is available with a variety of options to enable the specifier to customise each installation: modular pipework kits and Building Management Controls.

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#### 1.6 Construction

The Sirius FS range of floor standing condensing boilers comprise the latest in stainless steel heat exchangers. For ease of access, the full premix burner has been sited at the front of the boiler. Water and gas connections are made at the rear, conventional flue outlet at the top and controls are accessible by a push-open door. All servicing is carried out from the front of the boiler.



# 1.7 Exploded View & Description

- 1. Pressure Gauge
- 2. Condensate Siphon
- 3. Flow Sensor
- 4. Safety Thermostat
- 5. Gas Valve
- 6. Heat Exchanger
- 7. Ionisation Electrode
- 8. Burner
- 9. Ignition Electrode
- 10. Mixing Chamber & Venturi
- 11. Gas Diaphragm
- 12. Fan
- 13. Flue Joint
- 14. Automatic Air Vent
- 15. Water Pressure Switch
- 16. Boiler Drain Point
- 17. Flue Spigot
- 18. Flue Thermostat
- 19. Gas Pressure Switch

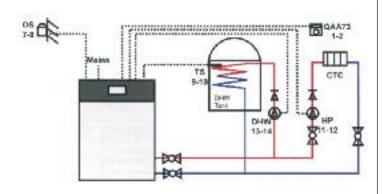
# 2.1 System Requirements

The Potterton Commercial Sirius FS is suitable for systems with a minimum water pressure of 1 Bar (10 metres vertical head), with a maximum working pressure of 4 Bar.

All installations should comply with all relevant codes of practice, British Standards and current Building Regulations. Maximum efficiencies can only be achieved when the Sirius FS boilers are installed within fully condensing systems. Typical heating system layouts and their controls can be seen in the diagrams that follow.



# 2.2 Single Boiler DHW & CT



# TS Tank Sensor\* DHW DHW Pump (Not Supplied) PLP Primary Loop Pump (Not Supplied) QAA73 Room Control Module\* HP Heating Pump (Not Supplied) OS Outside Sensor Numbers Boiler Terminal Connections

Pump (Not Supplied)

Installer Wiring

Isolating Valve (Not Supplied)

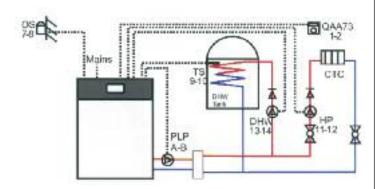
Non-Return Valve (Not Supplied)

Low Loss Header (Not Supplied)

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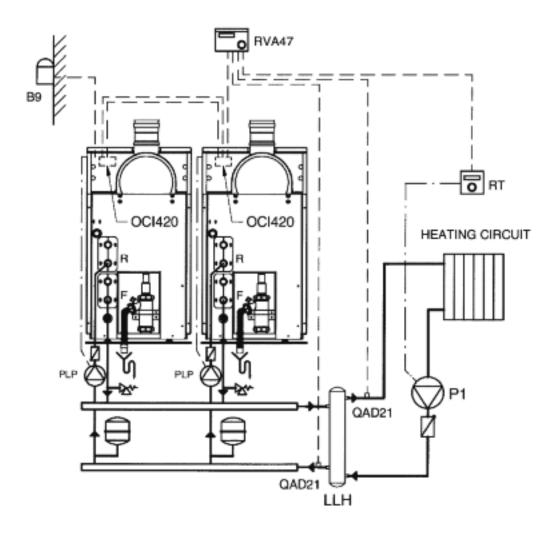
\*Optional Extra

# 2.3 Single Boiler with Low Loss Header DHW & CT



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# 2.4 Modular Boilers with DHW & CT

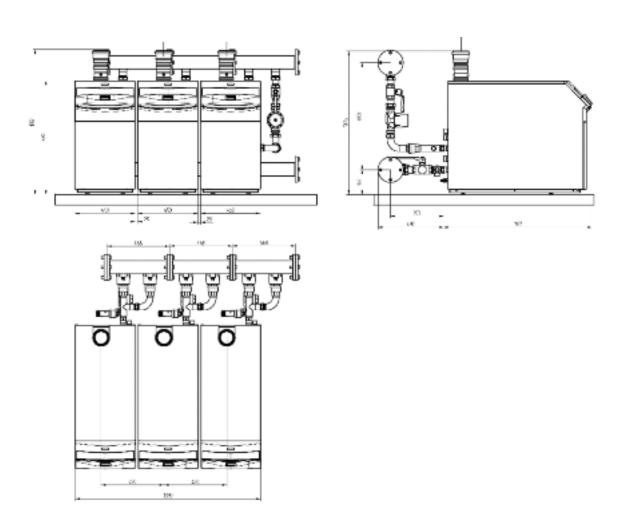


| Application                 | Terminal Board |
|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Primary pump PLP            | M1: A – B      |
| Heating pump P1             | RVA 47         |
| Room thermostat             | RVA 47         |
| Flow / Return sensor QAD 21 | RVA 47         |

# 3.1 Pipe-work Options

Optional pipe-work header kits are available for modular applications. This should facilitate the installation process, removing the need to fabricate additional pipe-work on site. Manufactured to ISO 9001, the kits are fully tested and supplied in a ready-to-use single package.

# 3.2 Sirius FS Modular Pipe-work Header Kits





| Boiler | Hydraulic Resistance & Water Flow Rates |               |                 |      |                 |       |                 |       |
|--------|---|---------------|-----------------|------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
|        | 119                                     | °C <b>Δ</b> T | 15°C <b>∆</b> T |      | 20°C <b>Δ</b> T |       | 30°C <b>∆</b> T |       |
|        | kPa                                     | L/sec         | kPa L/sec       |      | kPa             | L/sec | kPa             | L/sec |
| FS50   | 50                                      | 0.97          | 32              | 0.71 | 25              | 0.53  | 10              | 0.35  |
| FS70   | 60                                      | 1.41          | 35              | 1.03 | 20              | 0.77  | 11              | 0.51  |
| FS90   | 77                                      | 1.85          | 36              | 1.35 | 24              | 1.02  | 11              | 0.68  |
| FS105  | 75                                      | 2.17          | 40              | 1.59 | 23              | 1.19  | 13              | 0.80  |
| FS130  | 54                                      | 2.61          | 31              | 1.91 | 23              | 1.43  | 11              | 0.96  |
| FS160  | 49                                      | 3.26          | 31              | 2.39 | 20              | 1.79  | 11              | 1.19  |

# 3.3 Sirius FS Modular Pipe-work Header Kits Sales Codes

|           | FS90                       | FS105        | FS130        | FS160        |
|-----------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| 2 Boilers | 2 x BFS/PCAK               | 2 x BFS/PCAK | 2 x BFS/PCAK | 2 x BFS/PCAK |
| 3 Boilers | Boilers 3 x BFS/PCAK 3 x E |              | 3 x BFS/PCAK | 3 x BFS/PCAK |
| 4 Boilers | 4 x BFS/PCAK               | 4 x BFS/PCAK | 4 x BFS/PCAK | 4 x BFS/PCAK |

Note: For the FS160 when operating on systems with DT  $< 15^{\circ}$ C then a BFS/PCAK/15 kit is required for each boiler.

# **4.1 Controls Options**

A versatile range of control options are available to meet most project requirements - from large domestic applications to commercial projects such as hospitals and schools. Whether your project is a single boiler, heating only installation, or a multiple boiler installation with multiple heating and hot water zones, the Sirius FS offers a controls solution to suit.

The Sirius FS controls options can be used in conjunction with a building's existing system and are fully compatible with most available types. Supported by the Potterton Commercial Technical Team, assistance for system specification and design is available to help you design the best controls system for your application.

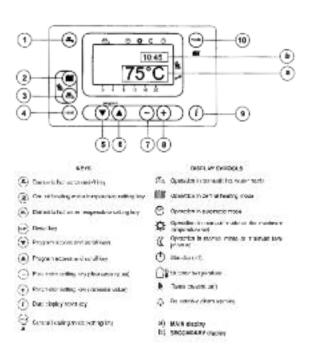
# 4.2 Single Boiler Application Controls & Sales Codes

#### Standard Boiler - Sirius FS

| Product | Sales Code |
|---------|------------|
| FS50    | BFS50      |
| FS70    | BFS70      |
| FS90    | BFS90      |
| FS105   | BFS105     |
| FS130   | BFS130     |
| FS160   | BFS160     |

#### **Standard Boiler Controls**

The Potterton Commercial Sirius FS range of boilers are supplied with a fully integrated Human Machine Interface (HMI) control system. This control and display panel allows the service engineer immediate and accurate information on faults and provides the end user with flexible programming for heating and hot water services. An outside weather compensation sensor, pump overrun facilities and full remote fault diagnostics (fully compatible with existing systems) are also supplied as standard.



# 4.3 Optional Single Boiler Controllers

| Control Type | Sales Code  | Description  |
|--------------|-------------|--|
| QAA73        | BCC/QAA73   | Remote programmable digital room thermostat allowing weather compensation and night set-back for zone control. Programmable up to 3 phases per day for heating and DHW, holiday functions and frost protection.  Allows service engineer entry to in-built programming of the boiler control unit allowing building characteristics to be altered and set. |
| RT           | BCC/RT      | Remote room thermostat, allowing simple temperature control.   |
| QAZ36        | BCC/QAZ36   | Immersion sensor for use when hot water control is required using an indirect cylinder.  |
| AGU2.500     | BCC/AGU2500 | Clip-in interface for use with a variable temperature circuit allows control of 2nd heating pump and 3-way mixer valve (Drive Open/Drive Shut).  |

# 4.4 Modular Boiler Application Controls & Sales Codes

The Sirius FS can easily be modularised and is suitable for applications where up to 12 boilers are arranged in cascade formation i.e. up to a maximum of 1920kW. Potterton Commercial offers a range of modular controls options that facilitate optimum sequencing, matching the boiler output to the system load in the most efficient way.

In addition, Potterton Commercial controls can also look after up to 12 heating circuits at a time (including constant

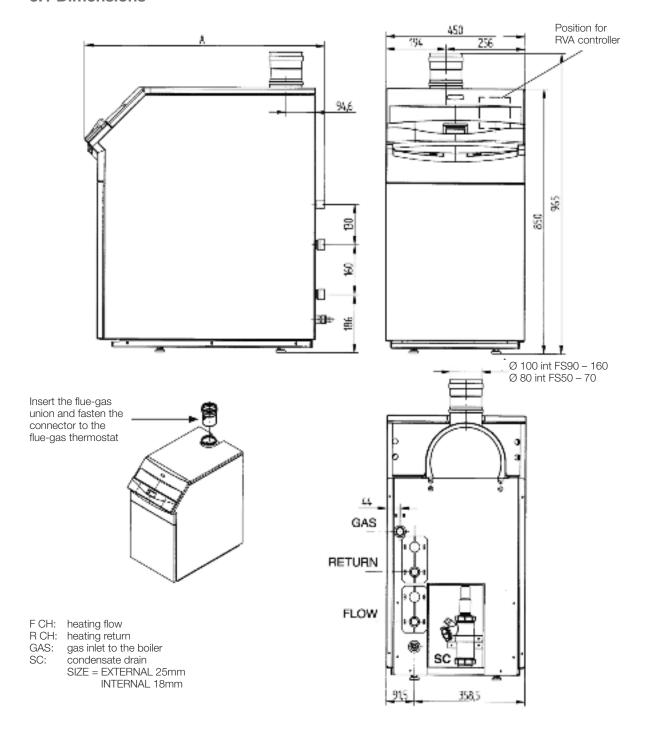
temperature, variable temperature and domestic hot water circuits). It can therefore allow individual zone control and optimisation, individual weather compensation and individual night set-back facilities for each circuit.

Assistance for controls system specification and design is available from the Potterton Commercial technical team to help you design the best controls system for your modular application.

# 4.5 Optional Modular Boiler Controllers

| Control Type | Sales Code | Description   |
|--------------|------------|---|
| RVA47        | BCC/RVA47  | Sequence controller for the control of up to 12 boilers.  |
| OCI420.A109  | BCC/OCI420 | Clip-in interface board for bus connection when using the RVA47 Sequence control. One required for every additional boiler in the cascade.                          |
| RVA46        | BCC/RVA46  | Zone controller for the control of CTC and VTC zones. Allows for the control of individual circuit pumps and 3 port motorized valves, with individual room control. |
| QAZ21        | BCC/QAZ21  | Immersion sensor for use when hot water control is required using an indirect cylinder.   |
| QAA50        | BCC/QAA50  | Remote digital room thermostat allowing optimisation and night set-back for zone control.   |
| RVA Housing  | BCC/RVAH   | Housing for the mounting of RVA controllers   |

# **5.1 Dimensions**



| Model  | Depth A (mm) | Height<br>(mm) | Width<br>(mm) | Gas  | Flow<br>F (CH) | Return<br>R (CH) | Water content (L) |
|--------|--------------|----------------|---------------|------|----------------|------------------|-------------------|
| FS 50  | 621          | 850            | 450           | 3/4" | 1"             | 1"               | 5.1               |
| FS 70  | 693          | 850            | 450           | 3/4" | 1"             | 1"               | 6.5               |
| FS 90  | 801          | 850            | 450           | 3/11 | 11/4"          | 11/4"            | 13.7              |
| FS 105 | 871          | 850            | 450           | 1"   | 1½"            | 1½"              | 21                |
| FS 130 | 1024         | 850            | 450           | 1"   | 1½"            | 1½"              | 23.3              |
| FS 160 | 1132         | 850            | 450           | 1"   | 1½"            | 1½"              | 25.3              |

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# **5.2 Technical Data**

| Model   |                 | FS50  | FS70  | FS 90 | FS 105 | FS 130 | FS 160 |
|---|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Nominal Heat Input (Net)                                  | kW              | 46.4  | 67    | 87.2  | 102.7  | 123.2  | 154    |
| Nominal Heat Input (Gross)                                | kW              | 51    | 73.7  | 95.92 | 112.97 | 135.52 | 169.4  |
| Reduced Heat Input (Net)                                  | kW              | 12.2  | 19.9  | 33.1  | 36.8   | 40     | 41.5   |
| Reduced Heat Input (Gross)                                | kW              | 13.4  | 21.9  | 36.41 | 40.48  | 44     | 45.65  |
| Nominal Heat Output 75/60°C                               | kW              | 45    | 65    | 85    | 100    | 120    | 150    |
| Nominal Heat Output 50/30°C                               | kW              | 48.7  | 70.3  | 91.6  | 107.8  | 129.7  | 162    |
| Reduced Heat Output 75/60°C                               | kW              | 11.8  | 13.4  | 32.2  | 35.8   | 39     | 40.4   |
| Reduced Heat Out put 50/30°C                              | kW              | 12.8  | 14.5  | 34.9  | 38.8   | 42.1   | 43.7   |
| Gas Consumption (NG)                                      | m³/h            | 4.91  | 7.08  | 9.26  | 10.9   | 13.8   | 16.35  |
| Max Flue Temperature                                      | °C              | 72    | 73    | 78    | 80     | 77     | 75     |
| Max Flue Gas Flow Rate                                    | kg/s            | 0.022 | 0.031 | 0.041 | 0.049  | 0.058  | 0.073  |
| Min Flue Gas Flow Rate                                    | kg/s            | 0.006 | 0.007 | 0.016 | 0.018  | 0.019  | 0.02   |
| Nominal Gas Inlet Gas Pressure (NG)                       | mbar            | 20    | 20    | 20    | 20     | 20     | 20     |
| CO <sub>2</sub> for Natural Gas                           | %               |       |       |       | 8.7    |        |        |
| High Level Ventilation to BS6644                          | cm <sup>2</sup> | 92.8  | 134   | 174.4 | 205.4  | 246.4  | 308    |
| Low Level Ventilation to BS6644                           | cm <sup>2</sup> | 185.6 | 268   | 348.8 | 410.8  | 492.8  | 616    |
| Hydraulic Resistance @ 15°C ∆t                            | kPa             | 32    | 35    | 36    | 46     | 31     | 31     |
| Hydraulic Resistance @ 20°C ∆t                            | kPa             | 25    | 20    | 25    | 25     | 22     | 21     |
| Hydraulic Resistance @ 30°C ∆t                            | kPa             | 10    | 11    | 11    | 13     | 11     | 11     |
| Water Flow Rate @ 15°C ∆t                                 | L/sec           | 0.71  | 1.03  | 1.35  | 1.59   | 1.91   | 2.39   |
| Water Flow Rate @ 20°C Δt                                 | L/sec           | 0.53  | 0.35  | 1.02  | 1.19   | 1.43   | 1.79   |
| Water Flow Rate @ 25°C Δt                                 | L/sec           | 0.77  | 0.51  | 0.68  | 0.80   | 0.96   | 1.19   |
| Cold Feed Size  | mm              | 19    | 19    | 19    | 19     | 25     | 25     |
| Open Vent Size  | mm              | 25    | 25    | 25    | 25     | 32     | 32     |
| Safety Valve Size to BS6644                               | mm              | 19    | 19    | 19    | 19     | 19     | 19     |
| Flue Type   |                 |       |       |       | B23    |        |        |
| Flue Spigot Size  | mm              | 80    | 80    | 100   | 100    | 100    | 100    |
| Electrical Supply   | V               | 230   | 230   | 230   | 230    | 230    | 230    |
| Maximum Electrical Power Consumption (single phase, 50Hz) | W               | 90    | 110   | 100   | 160    | 135    | 235    |
| Minimum Operating Pressure                                | bar             | 1     | 1     | 1     | 1      | 1      | 1      |
| Maximum Operating Pressure                                | bar             | 4     | 4     | 4     | 4      | 4      | 4      |
| Maximum Flow Temperature                                  | °C              | 85    | 85    | 85    | 85     | 85     | 85     |
| Boiler Dry Weight   | kg              | 60    | 68    | 75    | 83     | 95     | 103    |
| Water Content   | litre           | 5.1   | 6.5   | 13.7  | 21     | 23.3   | 25.3   |
| Boiler Height   | mm              | 850   | 850   | 850   | 850    | 850    | 850    |
| Boiler Width  | mm              | 450   | 450   | 450   | 450    | 450    | 450    |
| Boiler Depth  | mm              | 621   | 693   | 801   | 871    | 1024   | 1132   |

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