Commercial Pellet Systems and Pellet Storage

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Agenda

- Specifications
- Pellet boiler designs/features
- Boiler controls
- Pellet storage
- Potential customers

Specifications

- ASME certified pressure vessels

 or Atmospheric systems
- Made in the USA
 - or imported



Commercial Boilers

Small scale	Medium scale	Large scale
< 350 MBTU	350-3,500 MBTU	> 3,500 MBTU
Residential	Schools	Schools
Churches	Hotels	Nursing Homes
Small Commercial	Community Center	Hospitals
Greenhouses	Greenhouses	Campuses
Poultry/Hog Barns	Poultry/Hog Barns	District Heat



Underfed stoker



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Fixed grate- top feed



Pellet feed from internal hopper Into rotary valve onto fixed grate.

Downdraft gasification technology



Fixed Grate- top feed



Pellets delivered by auger to Fire pot



Combustion Chamber



Ceramic lined for increased heat in combustion chamber



Combustion Chamber





Primary and secondary air for better combustion

Vertical fire tube





Horizontal Fire Tube





Hot Water- Pellet or Chip boiler





Turbulators

- Angular
- Twisted tape
- Coil



THE TURBULATOR

Improving Heat Transfer Efficiency At the Least Cost

Turbulator Configuations

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Turbulators are available in a variety of configurations to fit most tube sizes and are used in many types of heat exchange equipment.



APPLICATIONS Shell & Tube Heat Exchangers Firetube Boilers Radiant Heaters Immersion Heaters Line Heaters Cast Iron Sectional Boilers Hot Water Heaters







Fire tube Cleaning

Soot blowing

- Pneumatic blast, 60psi

Motorized

- Motor driven, 1/turbulator or multiple
- Frequency determined by intervals or by fuel consumption
- Minimizes manual cleaning
- Maintains boiler efficiency for longer period of time



Sootblowing



hoses deliver compressed air from Blue air receiver to fire tubes

Each hose pre-set to blast group of fire tubes



Motorized



#11 indicates the motors for fire tube cleaning#12 indicates fire tubes

Ash Extraction



- Complete ash system to ash barrel
- Automatic
- Cleaning frequency by time or lbs

Ash extraction



Smaller commercial boilers will be equipped with ash box

Less ash with smaller boilers, not as many pellets being consumed

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Particulate separation



- Cyclone to reduce particulate emissions
- Removed through rotary valve into ash extraction

Boiler controls

- Touch screen PLC
- Building management
- Web enabled, online management
- Easy navigation



Boiler controls

- Alarm sending/history
- Determine who gets alerts
- View history of customers alerts to see how well the system is maintained

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Commercial Furnaces



- 130 kW and 230 kW (up to 780,000 Btu/hr)
- Wood pellets or chips
- Automatic fuel feeding, ash extraction and soot blowing
- Made in the USA





GS/A Cut-away



General Boiler Layout



Intermediate Pellet Hopper



Designed to meter pellets in from bulk silo

Reduces amount of fuel to remove if problem occurs

Equipped with capacitive sensor and Water deluge/sprinkler valve

Pellet storage

- Up to 4 ton
- Indoor application, basement/shop/garage
- Manual, auger, or pneumatic fill







Pellet storage



- 20' sea container conversion
- Pneumatic deliver
- Auger fuel feed to boiler





Pellet storage



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- Bulk pellet storage to be determined by pellet supplier and boiler output
- Install bulk silo larger than local delivery truck to keep system operational

Pellet Delivery

• Pneumatic



Pellet Delivery

• Auger truck





Pellet Delivery

- Bulk sacks
 - Pellets filled manually or by auger
 - Lower delivery costs





















Thank You!

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