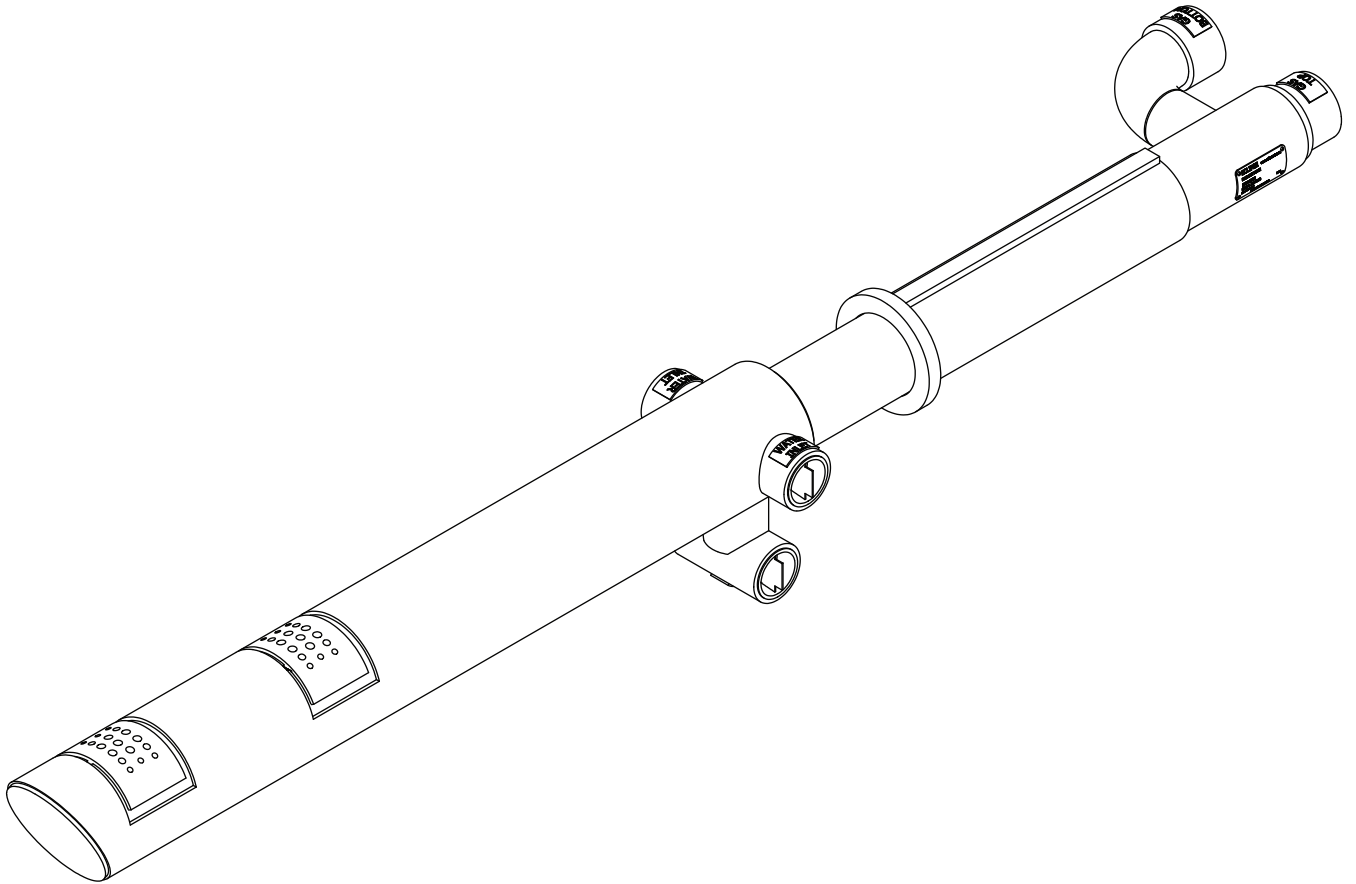


Eclipse WGD

Throughport Gas Burners

Version 2



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NOTICE

Is used to address practices not related to personal injury.

NOTE

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Introduction

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Product Description

The WGD burner is a dual-nozzle, flat-flame, water-cooled, gas burner designed to be inserted into the furnace through the port floor.

These burners, each incorporating its own water jacket, are of all welded construction and made from carbon steel. The burner produces a fan-shaped flame using a unique arrangement of converging flat jet nozzles. Only one burner may be used in each port. Port design must be compatible with the burner.

Installing the burner under the port, inserted through the port bottom and fitted to the Eclipse retraction mechanism is the optimum arrangement. Using throughport burners with the retraction mechanism ensures the lowest possible maintenance and, therefore, consistency of combustion, essential for high glass quality.

Audience

This manual has been written for people who are already familiar with all aspects of a glass burner and its add-on components, also referred to as “the burner system”.

These aspects are:

- Installation
- Use
- Maintenance

The audience is expected to have previous experience with this type of equipment.

Benefits

- Reduced fuel consumption
- Refractory savings
- Reduced carryover
- High glass quality
- Compact design
- Fits existing retraction gear
- Low NOx emissions
- Luminous flame for high heat transfer
- Excellent flame coverage
- One burner per port required

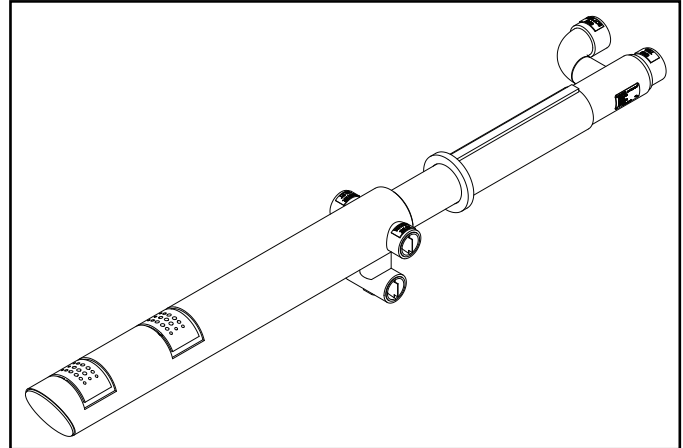


Figure 1.1. WGD Burner

WGD Documents

Information Guide 1135

- This document

Datasheet 1135

- Required to complete design and selection

Spare Parts List 1135

- Recommended replacement part information

Related Documents

- EFE 825 (Combustion Engineering Guide)
- Eclipse Bulletins and Info Guides: 710, 732, 760, 818, 830, 832, 852, 854, 856, 610, 820, 902, 930

Purpose

The purpose of this manual is to ensure the installation and adjustment of a safe, effective and trouble-free combustion system.

Safety

Important notices, which help provide safe burner operation, will be found in this section. To avoid personal injury and damage to the property or facility, the following warnings must be observed. All involved personnel should read this entire manual carefully before attempting to start or operate this system. If any part of the information in this manual is not understood, contact Eclipse before continuing.



WARNING

- **DO NOT disassemble any component WITHOUT first reading the manufacturer's instructions. Several components contain parts under compression or pressure and could injure personnel if not disassembled properly.**
- **Control panels contain voltages which can severely injure personnel. These panels are normally double fed from the emergency supply. NO engineer/maintenance technician who is not fully conversant with the equipment should be allowed access to the panel internals.**
- **Control circuits MUST not be altered at any time unless Eclipse has been consulted and has approved the modifications.**
- **No naked lights are to be used in the area of gas pipeline components.**
- **Any gas leaks should always be isolated and rectified immediately. Any piece of pipeline equipment and its surrounding area should be properly vented and/or purged as appropriate after isolation and before the start of any maintenance.**
- **Extreme care should be taken when working on burner equipment installed under the furnace port.**
- **Eclipse recommends installing a safety guard around moving parts.**
- **Eclipse recommends considering any area with moving mechanical parts a restricted area.**

- **The burners, described herein, are designed to mix fuel with air and burn the resulting mixture. All fuel burning devices are capable of producing fires and explosions if improperly applied, installed, adjusted, controlled or maintained.**
- **Do not bypass any safety feature; fire or explosion could result.**
- **Never try to light a burner if it shows signs of damage or malfunction.**
- **The burner and duct sections are likely to have HOT surfaces. Always wear the appropriate protective equipment when approaching the burner.**

NOTICE

- **This manual provides information regarding the use of these burners for their specific design purpose. Do not deviate from any instructions or application limits described herein without written approval from Eclipse.**

Capabilities

Only qualified personnel, with sufficient mechanical aptitude and experience with combustion equipment, should adjust, maintain or troubleshoot any mechanical or electrical part of this system.

Operator Training

The best safety precaution is an alert and trained operator. Train new operators thoroughly and have them demonstrate an adequate understanding of the equipment and its operation. A regular retraining schedule should be administered to ensure operators maintain a high degree of proficiency.

Replacement Parts

Order replacement parts from Eclipse only. All Eclipse approved valves or switches should carry UL, FM, CSA, CGA and/or CE approval where applicable.

Installation

In this section you will find information and instructions needed to install the burner and the system components.

Handling & Storage

Handling

- Make sure the area is clean.
- Protect all components from weather, damage, dirt and moisture.
- Protect the components from excessive temperatures and humidity.
- Take care not to drop or damage components.

Storage

- Make sure the components are clean and free of damage.
- Store the components in a cool, clean, dry room.
- After you have made sure everything is present and in good condition, keep the components in their original packaging as long as possible

Approval of Components

Limit Controls & Safety Equipment

All limit controls and safety equipment must comply with all applicable local codes and/or standards and must be listed for combustion safety by an independent testing agency. Typical application examples include:

- American: NFPA 86 with listing marks from UL, FM, CSA
- European: EN 746-2 with CE mark from TuV, Gastec, Advantica

Electrical Wiring

All the electrical wiring must comply with all applicable local codes and/or standards such as:

- NFPA Standard 70
- IEC60364
- CSA C22
- BS7671

Gas Piping

All the gas piping must comply with all applicable local codes and/or standards such as:

- NFPA Standard 54
- ANSI Z223
- EN 746-2

Where to Get the Standards:

The NFPA Standards are available from:
National Fire Protection Agency
Batterymarch Park
Quincy, MA 02269
www.nfpa.org

The ANSI Standards are available from:
American National Standard Institute
1430 Broadway
New York, NY 10018
www.ansi.org

The UL Standards are available from:
333 Pfingsten Road
Northbrook, IL 60062
www.ul.com

The FM Standards are available from:
1151 Boston-Providence Turnpike
PO Box 9102
Norwood, MA 02062
www.fmglobal.com/approvals

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WGD Water-Cooled Throughport Gas Burner

This water jacket has a 4 inch (102 mm) diameter outer tube and consists of two concentric inner tubes forming an in and out passage for the water. The collar of the burner clamp has a 2 inch (50.8 mm) outer diameter.

The water jacket is available in lengths of 55 to 79 inch (1400 to 2000 mm) in increments of 4 inches (100 mm).

Nozzles can be supplied for these burners with different hole and spray angles to suit particular furnace requirements. Top nozzles are available with angles of 0°, 5°, 10°, and 15° and bottom nozzles are available with angles of 5°, 10°, 15°, and 20°. Both top and bottom nozzles are available with spray angles of 60°, 80°, and 100°. Contact Eclipse for additional nozzle sizes and geometries.

The gas nozzles are held in place by one locating screw in each nozzle inserted through the center of the nozzle. The nozzle securing plate is held in place by two screws. This allows nozzle locating plates to be replaced in the event of damage to the locating screw thread.

The burner length, hole angle and spray angle must be determined from the furnace information.

Burner Cooling Water System

Eclipse throughport burners require a constant, non-interruptible supply of cooling water. The cooling water requirements are:

Supply Pressure	30 psig (2.1 bar)
Flow Rate per Burner	21 US gal/min (80 L/min) minimum
Pressure Drop through the Burner	14 psig (1.0 bar)
Maximum Water Supply Temperature	104°F (40°C)
Maximum Water Temperature Rise	36°F (20°C)

The cooling water should be free of impurities and have a maximum water hardness of 30 ppm. Water pH should be between 7.5 and 8.5 with a dissolved oxygen level of less than 1 ppm. Eclipse recommends a closed loop cooling water system. Where this is impossible, a corrosion inhibitor must be added to the water.

Typical Closed-Loop Water System Description

In a typical closed loop system, water would be stored in a header tank at a constant level. This tank would have a minimum capacity of around 400 US gallons (1500 liters) per burner to provide sufficient backup in an emergency situation (approximately 15 minute supply). Water from this header tank would be pumped around the system through heat exchangers, or another type of water cooling device, through the burners, piped in parallel, and back to the pump suction. A pressure switch would be used to check system delivery pressure.

In the event of low pressure being detected, an alarm condition would be registered. Immediate action would need to be taken to avoid possible heat damage to the burners. In a typical Eclipse closed loop system, a standby pump would be brought into use. If this did not restore correct pressure, bypass valves would operate allowing the header tank water to drain through the burners keeping them cool while they were removed from the furnace.

Similarly, a switching thermometer would be used to check the system return water temperature. If an excessively high temperature was measured again, an alarm condition would be registered requiring immediate action to avoid possible heat damage to the burners. In a typical Eclipse approved system, a standby heat exchanger or water cooler would be brought on-line, and if normal return water temperature was not restored, the system bypass valves would operate to drain the header tank through the burners keeping them cool while they were being removed from the furnace.

On each leg of the burner outlet it is recommended that an orifice plate, fitted with a differential pressure switch, be used to detect individual burner cooling water flow. Each pressure switch would cause an alarm condition warning furnace operators of a potential burner failure if water flow dropped below the minimum. Additional thermometers could also be fitted to each burner leg to give furnace operators extra warning of possible overheating. Pressure gauges would also be fitted at suitable points throughout the system to provide local indication of system conditions.

Contact Eclipse for assistance with water system design.

Retractable Burner Systems for Eclipse-Supplied Retraction Mechanisms

Unit Requirements

1. Pneumatic power air supply. (This supply should be well lubricated using the lubricator provided or using the client's own system).

Supply Pressure	45 psig (3.1 barg) minimum
Air Consumption	25 in ³ /stroke (635 cm ³ /stroke)
Recommended Lubrication Oils	Only mineral based hydraulic oils should be used

2. Retraction gear reversal valve signal line. Required to raise or retract the retraction gear.

Supply On	Burner Raise
Supply Off	Burner Lower
Supply Pressure	45 psig (3.1 barg) minimum

Retraction Gear Installation

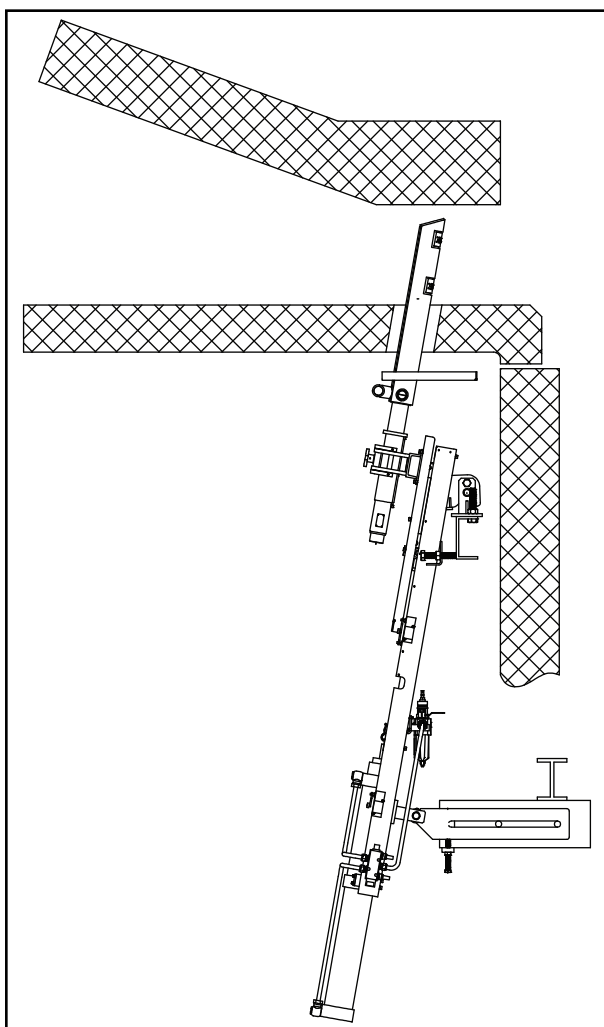


Figure 3.1. Typical Burner Installation

1. Install the retraction gear in approximate position.
2. Attach the power air supply and pilot air signal to the spool valve. Ensure sufficient flexibility is allowed on the pneumatic line for adjustment of the burner alignment and the angular adjustment (approximate minimum ± 50 mm in all directions).
3. Check that the gear is clear of all obstructions and that it operates up and down very slowly (speed adjustment by means of the throttle valves on the exhaust ports of the retraction gear reversal valve). Check that the operation of the shut-off valves are both correct. Check that the carrier plate moves up and down freely.
4. Fit a tube of appropriate length and diameter into the burner clamps and check the alignment of the gear with the hole in the port, using top support adjustments to centralize the burner in the hole while it is in the up position. Adjust the angle of the burner using the bottom adjustment with the burner in both the up and the down position. Check and readjust the top centralizing adjustment after any angular adjustment.

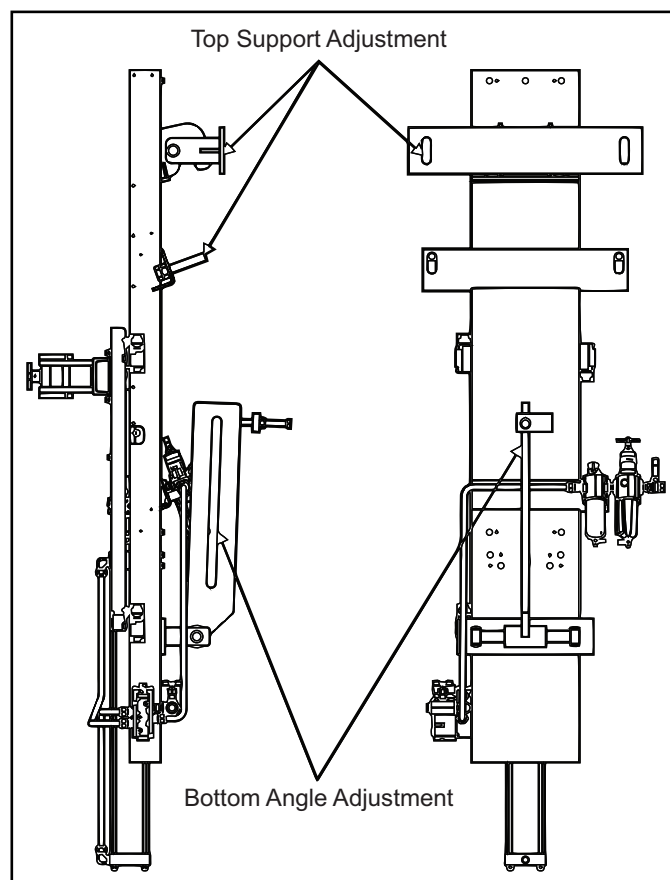


Figure 3.2.

5. Set the pneumatic system pressure to 45 psig (3.1 barg) minimum.

6. Operate the retraction system at normal speed (4-6 seconds/stroke maximum) to check that the movement is smooth and consistent. (This should involve at least 20 strokes).
7. Connect the cooling water supply (see "Burner Cooling Water System" write-up on page 7) ensuring the unused water connections on the burner are securely plugged. Turn on water. Check water alarms.
8. Check water flow is NOT LESS than 21 US gal/min (80 L/min).
9. Invert the burner three or four times to ensure no air bubbles are trapped in the water passages.
8. When firing consistently at the appropriate rate, check the burner height and angle. Allow the flame to clear the port refractories. Adjust as necessary. The flame should sweep across the glass surface.
9. Check the appearance of the burner water jacket when it is retracted to ensure no hot spots have occurred.
10. Remove all burners after the first eight hours. Inspect the jackets and clean the nozzles with a soft wire brush.

NOTE: It is recommended that the brush be made of brass wire to prevent material from being transferred from the brush to the nozzle.

11. Dedicated cooling air to the limit switches can help limit switch performance and life span.

NOTE: All adjustments should be made with the gear locked in the down position. Any angular adjustments may require re-centralizing of the burner.

NOTE: All connections to and from the burner should be secure and free of leaks. However, it is important that overtightening be avoided and, where specified, recommended torque settings be observed.

NOTICE

- **Before starting the burner system and inserting it into the furnace, double check that the water valve is open and that water is circulating through the burner.**

Burner Installation and Operation

1. Remove the tube from the clamps and install the burner into the retraction gear at approximately the correct height.
2. Ensure that all fuel isolating valves are closed and that all valves are installed in the proper location and correctly oriented relative to the flow direction.
3. Fit the gas supply and water supply lines to the burner ensuring sufficient flexibility to allow adjustment of the retraction gear. Check that they will move freely and clear any obstruction as the burner moves up and down. No kinking of hoses should occur and the bending radius should not be less than 12 inches (300 mm).
4. Ensure all personnel are clear of the retraction gear.
5. Unlock the pneumatic controls and raise the burner to the firing position.
6. Once the burner is fully inserted into the port, open the valves to begin the flow of gas through the burner.
7. Observe the flame, and adjust the gas flow to the desired rate and the desired flow ratio between the top and bottom nozzles. Flow is generally set to 50% flow through the top and 50% flow through the bottom with a maximum ratio of 65% to either nozzle. A higher percentage of flow through either nozzle may cause the other nozzle to overheat and become damaged.

Preventative maintenance is the key to a reliable, safe and efficient system. The following are suggested guidelines for periodic maintenance. Burners in severe environments or operational conditions should be checked more frequently. Spare burners not in use should be completely drained and stored vertically to prevent rusting.

NOTE: The periodic, monthly, and yearly lists are an average interval. If your environment is dirty, the intervals may be shorter. Check with local authorities having jurisdiction regarding their recommended maintenance schedules.

Periodic Checklist

1. Continuously monitor the water flow and temperature.
2. Remove and inspect the burners at least four times per year noting hot spots or cracking. Water jackets may need to be chemically cleaned if build-up of deposits is suspected.
3. Before refitting the burners to the furnace, pressure test the water jackets hydraulically to 75 psig (5.2 barg) holding pressure for at least two minutes.
4. Check the operation of the retraction system and the appearance of the burner at least once per day, noting any inconsistency in movement, operation of the shut-off valves or color of the burners, damage hoses, etc.
5. Dismantle and check the water jackets and the water circulation four times per year. Hydraulic pressure test them to 80 psig (5.5 barg).
6. If it should become necessary to replace the retraction gear guide rod wiper rings, care must be taken to replace each bearing block in its original position.

Monthly Checklist

1. Clean all burner nozzles on a routine basis once per month and when required by flame appearance, making sure the burner nozzle is not damaged or distorted.
2. Check for proper air/gas pressures (refer to the WGD Datasheet 1135).
3. Test all the system alarms for proper response signals.
4. Check for the proper operation of ventilating equipment.
5. Test the manual gas shut-off valves for proper operation.

Yearly Checklist

1. Test (leak test) safety shut-off valves for tightness of closure.
2. Test pressure switch settings by checking switch movements against pressure settings and comparing these with the actual impulse pressure.
3. Inspect impulse piping for leaks.
4. Clean and inspect all burners.

Instructions for Cleaning

The water jacket cannot be dismantled for cleaning, however, the exterior should be cleaned as necessary.

The nozzles may be removed for additional cleaning. To remove the nozzles, insert a 5 mm hex key wrench through the center hole of each nozzle and turn the bracket mounting screw until the nozzle comes freely out of the water jacket. It is recommended that a brass wire brush be used to clean the nozzle to prevent removing material from the surface of the nozzle. If water is used, the nozzles must be allowed to cool until they can be handled without gloves before allowing water to touch the surface. This will prevent cracking from the thermal shock. Nozzles should be dried completely before reinstalling into the water jacket and inserting into the furnace.

When re-installing the nozzles, take note of the location of the roll pin (shown in figure 5.1) with respect to the notches at the top of the nozzle seats in the water jacket . The roll pin indicates whether the nozzle is for the top or bottom. Installing the nozzles in the wrong location will cause the nozzles to seat incorrectly.

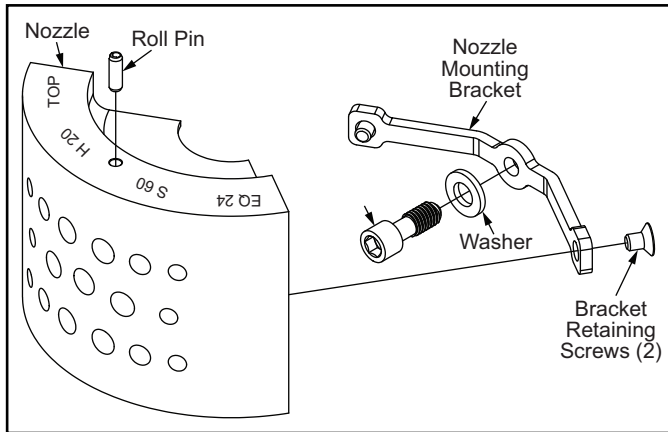


Figure 5.1. Nozzle Assembly

Removal of the Pneumatic Cylinder for Eclipse-Supplied Retraction Mechanisms

1. Before retraction of the burners, place spacers on the guide rods. These are supplied chained to the unit. The burner carriage can now be lowered down onto the spacers. The spacers support the burner carriage and allow better access to the cylinder link pin.
2. Remove the pin which connects the cylinder rod end to the burner carriage.
3. Remove the connecting pipes to the cylinder.
4. Remove the cylinder. Pivot the block top plate in two positions.
5. It will now be possible to lift the cylinder clear off the retraction gear.
6. Replacement of the cylinder is a reversal of the above procedures. When the cylinder link pin is fitted, ensure that both retaining pins are replaced in their original position.



Appendix

Conversion Factors

Metric to English

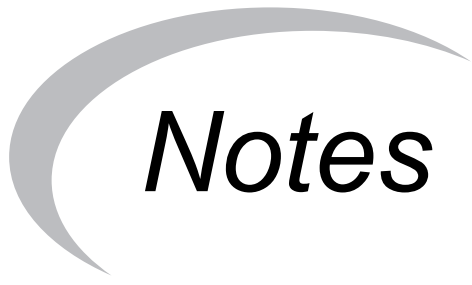
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actual cubic meter/h (am ³ /h)	actual cubic foot/h (acfh)	35.31
normal cubic meter/h (Nm ³ /h)	standard cubic foot /h (scfh)	38.04
degrees Celsius (°C)	degrees Fahrenheit (°F)	(°C x 9/5) + 32
kilogram (kg)	pound (lb)	2.205
kilowatt (kW)	Btu/h	3415
meter (m)	foot (ft)	3.281
millibar (mbar)	inches water column ("w.c.)	0.402
millibar (mbar)	pounds/sq in (psi)	14.5 x 10 ⁻³
millimeter (mm)	inch (in)	3.94 x 10 ⁻²
MJ/Nm ³	Btu/ft ³ (standard)	26.86

Metric to Metric

From	To	Multiply By
kiloPascals (kPa)	millibar (mbar)	10
meter (m)	millimeter (mm)	1000
millibar (mbar)	kiloPascals (kPa)	0.1
millimeter (mm)	meter (m)	0.001

English to Metric

From	To	Multiply By
actual cubic foot/h (acfh)	actual cubic meter/h (am ³ /h)	2.832 x 10 ⁻²
standard cubic foot /h (scfh)	normal cubic meter/h (Nm ³ /h)	2.629 x 10 ⁻²
degrees Fahrenheit (°F)	degrees Celsius (°C)	(°F - 32) x 5/9
pound (lb)	kilogram (kg)	0.454
Btu/h	kilowatt (kW)	0.293 x 10 ⁻³
foot (ft)	meter (m)	0.3048
inches water column ("w.c.)	millibar (mbar)	2.489
pounds/sq in (psi)	millibar (mbar)	68.95
inch (in)	millimeter (mm)	25.4
Btu/ft ³ (standard)	MJ/Nm ³	37.2 x 10 ⁻³



Notes

