# Compact size wood pellet boiler TOBY B 12-17-21 DIRECTIONS for use and maintenance



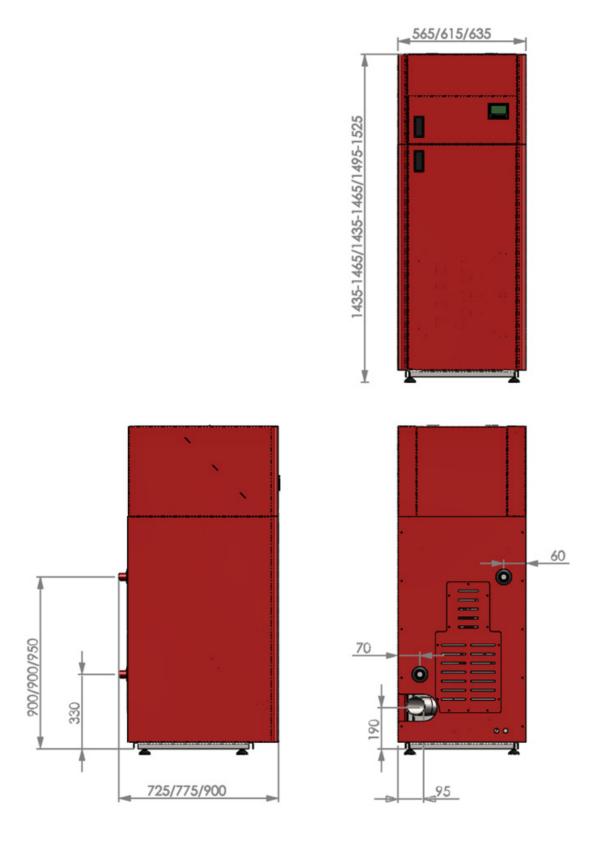


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# 1 Basic Boiler data



Type	Width B (mm)	Height H (mm)	Length L (mm)
B 12	565	1435/1465	725
B 17	615	1435/1465	775
B 20	635	1495/1525	900

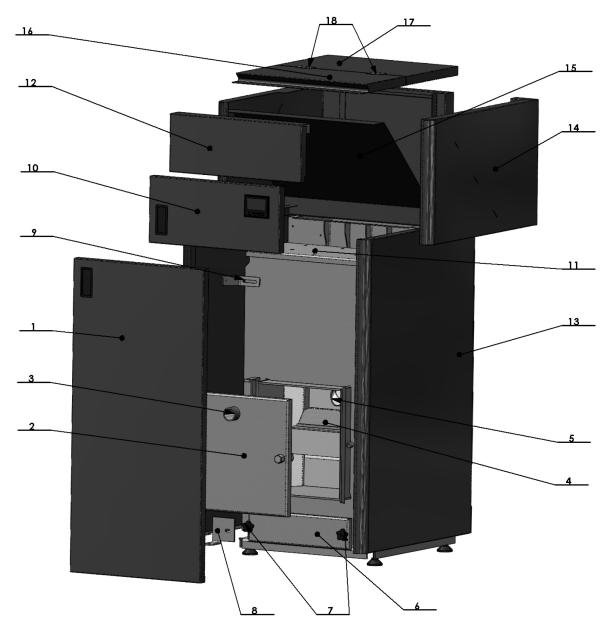
#### 1.1 Technical data according to EN 303-5

Boiler type TOBY B	12	17	21
Total power	13.5 KW	17,5 KW	21 KW
Power range	3.6-13.5 KW	4.8 - 17.5 KW	6.3 - 20,7 KW
Min power pellet consumptioni	min 0.8 kg/h	min 1.1 kg/h	min 1.4 kg/h
Max power pellet consumption	$\max 2.8 \text{ kg/h}$	$\max 3.7 \text{ kg/h}$	$\max 4.6 \text{ kg/h}$
Width (mm)	565	615	635
Height (mm)	1435-1465	1435-1465	1495-1525
Depth (mm)	725	775	905
Flue gas exit height (mm)	190	190	190
Total weight of the boiler	190 kg	210 kg	265 kg
Pellet capacity	80 kg	90 kg	100 kg
Flow/Return (inch)	1"	1"	1
Fill/Drain Tap (inch)	1/2"	1/2"	1/2"
Flue gas exit diameter $((\Phi))$	80 mm	80 mm	80 mm
Air inlet $((\Phi))$	50 mm	50 mm	50 mm
Exit flue gas temperature	160 °C	160 °C	160 °C
Necessary draught	10 Pa	10 Pa	10 Pa
Boiler water volume	33 lit	41 lit	58 lit
Electric power supply	220 V 50 Hz	220 V 50 Hz	220 V 50 Hz
Energy consumption during start-up	400 W	400 W	400 W
Energy consumption during operation	100 W	100 W	100 W
Efficiency	90 %	90 %	90 %
Boiler class	5	5	5

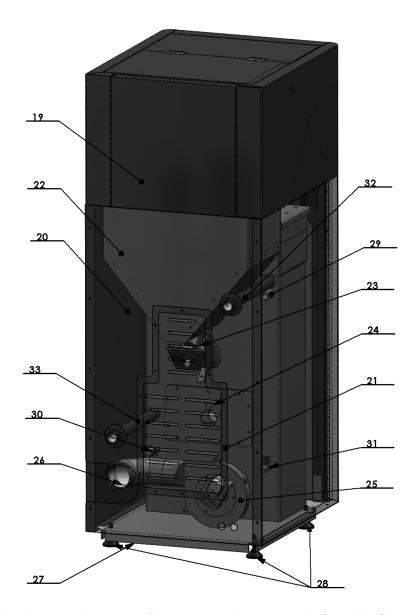
## 1.2 Product description

- TOBY B boilers are aimed for residential buildings (up to 150 sqm) but unlike TOBY H kamin, B models are exclusively aimed for boiler rooms. Sign B stays for "compact design" of this boiler it is smaller and weights less than the standard "three-pass" TOBY 20 model.
- 12 KW models can also come in so-called "SET" versions: SET means that circulation pump, expansion vessel, safety valve are all included and pre-mounted into the boiler.
- With purchase of additional boiler router, regulation of this boiler can be connected with internet: boiler can be turned on/off directly from mobile phone through application (android and ios supported so far).
- Boiler is completely adapted to burn wood pellet as a primary fuel, achieving maximum efficiency level (90
- Ignition, start-up and turning-off are fully automatized. Combustion control is optimized using algorithms such as 'modulation' which automatically decreases pellet dose as the difference between desired and reached temperature is decreasing.
- Pellets are fed to boiler via internal transporter screw inside the storage tank. From there pellets are fed over to heating chamber where they fall free to the designated melting area (the 'actual' embedded burner of the boiler). Storage and melting area are physically divided. There is a safety thermostat to prevent back-fire.
- Maintenance and cleaning are reduced to a minimum compared to all solid fuel boilers only once a week, with a premium quality pellet and proper maintenance even less frequent.
- Boiler is equipped with a safety pressure sensor as soon as the boiler door is open boiler stops feeding pellets.

# 1.3 Boiler parts

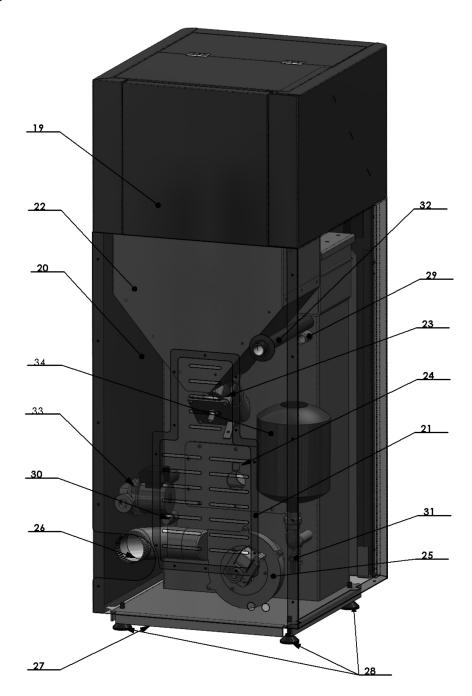


Door housing plates 2. Outter door 3. Visor 4. Burner (pot) 5. Pellet doser tube 6. Opening for cleaning
Opening threads 8. Boiler housing (lower carrier) 9. Boiler housing (upper carrier) 10. Boiler small door with display 11. Boiler Tubulators Opening 12. Boiler housing mask 13. Lateral sides of the housing



14. Upper lateral boiler housing plate 15. Pellet magazine slope 16. Hole for pellet flow 17. Fixed opening 18. Opening hinges 19. Upper back housing plate 20. Back housing plate 21. Revision opening at back housing plate 22. Small pellet magazine 23. Pellet auger with motor 24. Ignitor 25. Ventilator 26. Flue tube 27. Basement 28. Adjustable legs 29. Probe 30. Safety valve 31. Fill / Drain Tap 32. Flow line 33. Return line

## 1.4 Boiler parts - variation TOBY B 12 SET



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# 2 Directions for storage and transport

#### 2.1 Delivery form

Boiler is shipped with plastic protection sleeve on a pallet.



Boiler must be in its upright position all the time.

The rotation of the boiler during the shipment or installation represents a serious risk and can lead to damaging the boiler.



It is forbidden to place one boiler onto another.

The boiler can be stored only in closed rooms with no atmospheric influence. The humidity in the storing room also must not exceed the critical value of 80%, so as not to create any condensate. The temperature of the storing room must be in the range from 0 °C to 40 °C.

When unpacking the boiler, you must check whether the paint on the boiler coating has been scratched somewhere and whether all parts of the boiler stand in their proper position.

#### 2.2 Delivery range



Together with the boiler, also the following parts are supplied:

- Cleaning kit with an ash tray
- Warranty paper and this boiler manual
- Boiler regulation (built-in already)
- Boiler cables to connect to power supply and circulation pump
- B 12 SET version ONLY: expansion vessel, circulation pump



Along the boiler following parts are OBLIGATORY but NOT INCLUDED in boiler delivery:

- Thermo-manometer and the safety group
- Mixing valve
- Boiler valves etc.

# 3 Introductory remarks

The end user must follow the guidelines from this manual all the time. In contrary case the warranty won't be acknowlidged.



Boiler chamber is tested on test pressure of 6 bar in our own facility.



Pay strict attention that boiler valves are always open while boiler in use.



Don't forget to do a mechanical reset of the circulation pump at start of every heating season.



## Clean the boiler on a regular base.

An expert should be entrusted with the mounting of the heating and the initial operation. This must be a person who will take over the responsibility and guarantee the correct operation of the boiler and of the complete central heating system. In the case of an incorrectly planned system with manifesting deficiencies caused by the respective person's incorrect installation of the system, which can again lead to an incorrect operation of the boiler, the complete liability for the material damage and potential new costs arising in relation to it is borne exclusively by the person who was entrusted with the mounting of the central heating system, and not by the boiler manufacturer, sales representative or seller.

# 4 Safety remarks

While in use, some parts of the boiler may be hot. Don't touch the boiler without appropriate hand protection against heat.

If some parts of the boiler occur to be damaged it is strictly forbidden to continue using the boiler.



Do not touch electrical wires with wet hands

Electric connections must be made according to 73/23 CEE i 93/98 CEE and properly dimensioned.

Use of the temperature relief valve is OBLIGATORY with this boiler to ensure safety in heating systems using solid fuels.

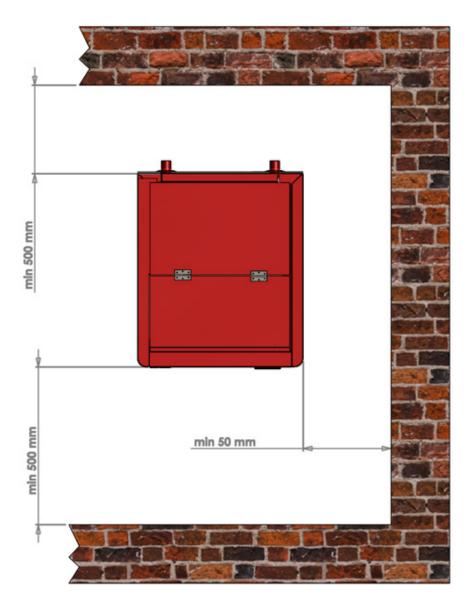
# 5 Boiler placement

#### 5.1 Boiler room

Boiler room must posess ventilation windows. The area for necessary ventilation surface is defined like this:

$$A(cm^2) = 6,02 \cdot P(KW)$$

where P is nominal boiler power KW.



Front side and lateral side(s) should have free access. Otherwise, follow the measures depicted in the drawing, since additional space is required to place the tube for flue gases behind the boiler.

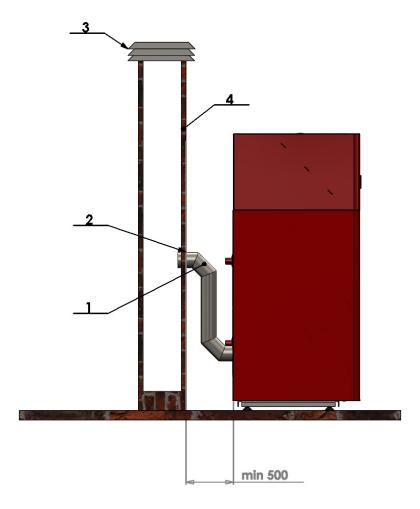


Boiler base must be stable and made of fireproof material.

## 5.2 Connection to the chimney

Sub-pressure pellet boilers require pressure difference of at least 10 ( $\pm$  3) Pa in order to ensure safe and stable combustion process.

This boiler requires a vertical connection for the flue gases in accordance with European norms. It is essential to regularly clean the chimney, at least few times a year.



Legend: 1) Chimney 2) Gasket 3) Fireproof protection cap 4) Chimney diameter not greater than  $200 \times 200 \text{mm}$  and not higher than 5-6m

#### 5.3 Filling the system with water

Filling the system with water is to be done using the tap valve connection of the boiler.



When filling the system with water take care that no air remains in the boiler.

The filling process is done when no air is coming out through automatic air vent and pressure gauge is showing the value between 1,5 and 2,5 bar (closed systems). Air vent is to be set at the highest point of the (closed) central heating system. If the pressure is below 1,5 bar the filling process must be repeated.

For open systems, working pressure depends on the overall height of the system and the open expansion vessel (1 bar for each 10 m is an estimate).

After the filling process is done, it is obligatory to close the drain tap valve, close the water supply to the water-filling pipe and detach the water-filling pipe.

## 5.4 Connecting the boiler with a closed central heating system



The use of a safety valve is obligatory (with a 2-3 bar threshold, depending on the power of the

boiler) and it must be mounted near the boiler.



It is essential to have a thermometer and a manometer installed to the system.



It is recommended to install an anticondensation valve on the return line. (3-way mixing valve).



It is also recommended to mount a filth catcher on the return line.

Depending on the position of the boiler in relation to the pipe-work and the radiators – the installation can be carried out using one of two methods.

#### 5.4.1 Installation method 1

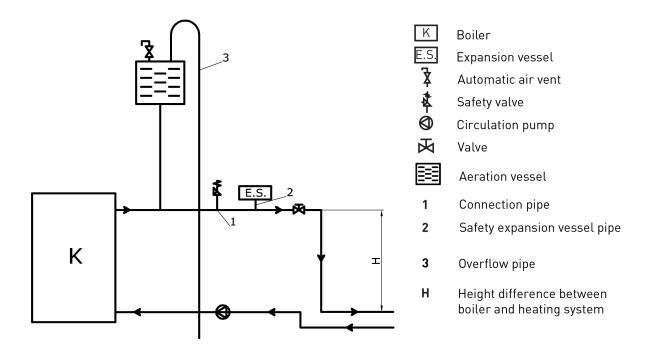
If the boiler is positioned on the same level or higher than the pipe-work and radiators. Each of the following items of equipment shall be fitted along the flow line:

- 1. Automatic air vent.
- 2. Safety valve (spring valve is recommended).
- 3. Expansion vessel.
- 4. Boiler valve.

The safety pressure valve must always be positioned and mounted close to the boiler. It must be easily identifiable and allow for easy access. The safety pressure valve must be set to a nominal pressure of 2.5 bar. The valve must open and operate smoothly at 2.5 bar. Diameter for the aperture at the seat of the valve must be at least 15mm. Connecting pipework to the boiler must be as short as possible. Welds, joints or any possible blockage to this pipe-work must be prevented. Bends in the pipe-work should be avoided if possible. Unavoidable bends should be of a diameter r>3D (D = radius of curvature) and less than  $\alpha > 90$  °C.

The closed expansion vessel shall be fitted close to the boiler. Connecting pipework should be as short as possible. Fit the expansion vessel in horizontal alignment to the pipe to ensure equal distribution of pressure. The volume of the expansion vessel is determined by the output/capacity of the boiler. A ratio of 1 kW:1 litre should be used. The safety pressure valve and the expansion vessel should be fitted in close proximity to each other, in the following order: expansion vessel closest to the boiler, followed by the safety pressure valve.

In the event of power failure and the boiler fails to operate correctly – any sudden increase of pressure will be controlled first by the expansion vessel, on any further increase in pressure the safety pressure valve will open.



#### 5.4.2 Installation method 2

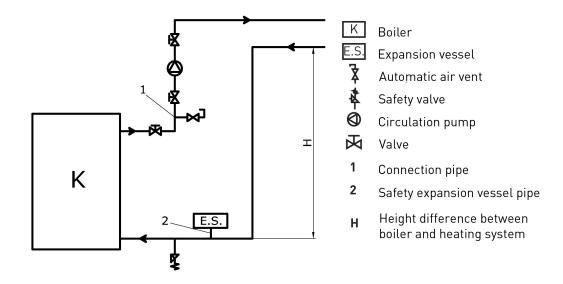
To be used in the case of the boiler being positioned and installed at a lower level than the installed pipework and radiators.

As shown on Figure, following elements are connected along the FLOW:

- 1. Automatic air vent
- 2. Safety valve
- 3. Circulation pump (separated with ball valves on each side so that it can be easily replaced if necessary).

Expansion vessel is on the RETURN line in this case.

Expansion vessel and safety valve are connected following the rules described in the previous chapters. For safe operation info on additional equipment such as expansion vessel and safety valve please refer to manuals delivered with those products.



## 5.5 Use of temperature relief valve with obligatory filling

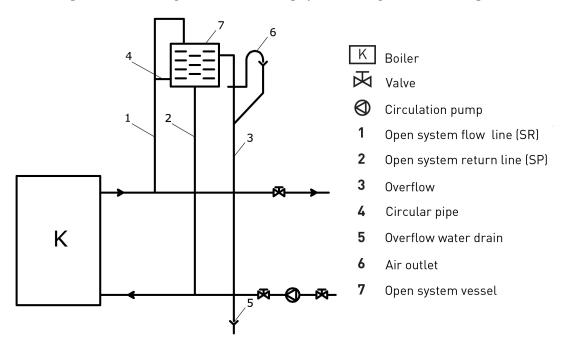
The temperature relief valve (shown below) must be present in the system. The valve must be installed by a qualified technician in accordance with the instructions given in the manual from the producer of the valve.

We recommend the CALEFFI 544501 valve depicted below.



#### 5.6 Fitting the boiler to an open central heating system.

The connecting scheme of an open central heating system is depicted on the figure.



When using open system on the FLOW line following elements are to be installed: safety pipework for the open expansion vessel, boiler valve. On the RETURN line come safety return line of the open expansion vessel, boiler valve and circulation pump valves.

Open expansion vessel is connected to the hot-water distribution pipes (FLOW and RETURN) as shown on Figure – with an additional OVERFLOW pipe output plus CIRCULATION pipe (to prevent freeze during winter months).

Please note that no additional items shall be connected to the open expansion vessel – especially not valves.



The size of expansion vessel is deducted from the following equation:

$$V = 0,07V_{water}(l)$$

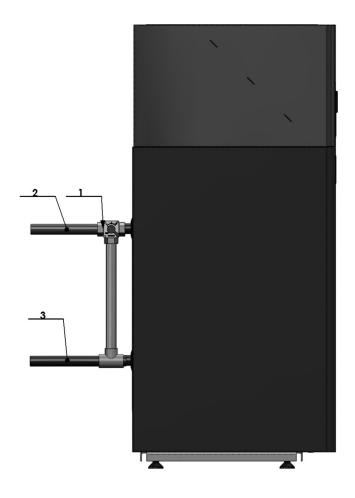
 $V_{water}(l)$  is the water volume in the entire installation. Diameter for the pipework of the expansion vessle line should be round 25 mm.



Open expansion vessel is to be positioned vertically above the highest heating element.

# 6 Return line protection against condensation

Every boiler is sensitive to condensation if the return line water temperature is too low. In order to avoid it is necessary to mount the mixing valve to this boiler.



## 1. 3-end mixing valve 2. Flow line 3. Return line

The purpose of this valve is to transmit a portion of the hot water to the return line cold water in order to compensate the temperature difference between the flow and return line.

#### 6.1 Boiler cleaning and maintenance

Regular maintenance and cleaning of pellet boilers is necessary to ensure product functionality and longlife operation.

- 1. Emptying ash-trailers of the boiler
- 2. Removing ash from the bottom part of the boiler chamber
- 3. Cleaning of burner pot
- 4. Cleaning of the holder of burner pot
- 5. Moving the bar in the heat exchanger of the boiler. This would force the ash to fall down from the difficult-to-access heat exchangers area.

Occasional (seasonal) cleaning consists of regular weekly cleaning plus detailed cleaning of the heating chamber from above

How often do I need to clean the boiler? This depends on several factors, most important is the quality and purity of the wood pellets used. Weekly cleaning has to be performed 1-2 per week, seasonal cleaning 1-3 times during the heating season.

However if pellets of extremely bad quality are used, the cleaning frequency can change dramatically. Boiler would not last long.

What tools do I need to clean the boiler? Simple cleaning set is delivered with the boiler. However, ash-vacuum-cleaner would make things faster and easier.

Before performing any of the steps described below, boiler must be turned off and completely cold. This is especially important for heat-exchanger cleaning. If they are still hot while bar is moved up and down, they will be damaged.



It is obligatory to wear gloves for any operation described below.

#### 6.2 Regular weekly cleaning

Necessary equipment: Gloves, Ash removing vacuum cleaner OR manual cleaning set (delivered with boiler).



Open the outter main boiler door.



Open the lower, chamber door with the boiler KEY.



Open the main boiler door and remove the ash-tray outside the boiler.



Also remove burner pot, remove the ash from the pot int the ash-tray first, then empty the ash-tray.

CAUTION: SOME PARTS MAY BE HOT!



Clean the area where burner pot is placed. Dont forget to clean the top of the tube where resistance heater is placed. When putting parts back to its place make sure the position is the same as before. Otherwise, boiler will not operate properly.



If no vacuum cleaner is present, use the hand tools as shown below.



Release the screw-balls that hold the plate below.



Clean the area inside with the ash cleaner or using manual tools. When screwing back the holders, screw completely, so that no air can pass inside.



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## 6.3 Weekly cleaning of the heat exchangers

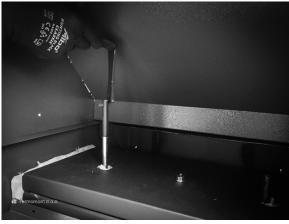
Necessary equipment: Gloves, boiler KEY (delivered with the boiler).



Make sure you perform this operation while boiler is cold.



Open the doors on the top panel of the boiler. There are two bars coming out.



Now take the boiler KEY, mount on the bar and move up-down to release the ash from the heat exchanger tubulators. Do this for both bars.

# 6.4 Occasional (seasonal) cleaning

Necessary equipment: Gloves, Ash removing vacuum cleaner OR manual cleaning set (delivered with boiler). Boiler KEY (delivered with the boiler) or fork key 13.



Open the upper outter door of the boiler.



Metal cap with tubulator lifters and one screw in the middle is visible.



The insulation coat is attached below this metal cap. To unsrew the cap use boiler KEY.



Put the metal cap aside.



make sure you make no damage to the stone-wall insulation below.



With fork-key size 13 or boiler KEY, unscrew the upper cover of the heating chamber.



Lift the cover and put it on side.



Perform detailed cleaning of all parts that can be accessed. Remove the ash.



The use of the ash-vacuum cleaner would make this job faster and easier.



After the cleaning put back the cover and screw the holders.



Put everything back in its place.