Riva
Woodburning & Multi-fuel* Freestanding Stove Range

* Multi-fuel when fitted with a Multi-fuel grate

Instructions for Use, Installation & Servicing
For use in GB & IE (Great Britain & Republic of Ireland).

IMPORTANT
THE OUTER CASING, FRONT AND GLASS PANEL BECOME EXTREMELY HOT DURING OPERATION AND WILL RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY AND BURNS IF TOUCHED. IT IS THEREFORE RECOMMENDED THAT A FIREGUARD COMPLYING WITH BS 8423 (LATEST EDITION) IS USED IN THE PRESENCE OF YOUNG CHILDREN, THE ELDERLY OR INFIRM.

Do not attempt to burn rubbish in this appliance.
Please read these instructions carefully before installation or use.
Keep them in a safe place for future reference and when servicing the fire.
The commissioning sheet found on page 3 of these instructions should be completed by the Installer.
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Contents

Covering the following models:
Riva F40 Avanti (RVF40AV), Midi (RVF40AVM), Highline (RVF40AVH)
Riva Avanti F55 Midi (RVF55AVM)
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To receive your Extended Warranty your Stovax appliance must have been purchased from our Expert Retailer Network and registered within one month of purchase or installation. Please note that all warranties are effective from the date of purchase. Any Stovax product purchased outside of our Extended Retailer Network, or not registered within the stated time will carry a standard 12 month warranty.

It is a condition of the Extended Warranty that the installation complies with the relevant Building Regulations and is carried out by a suitably trained and qualified individual (HETAS in the UK or equivalent in other countries) with the certificate of installation and the Commissioning Report on Page 3 completed and retained by the end user.

Full terms and conditions are detailed in the Warranty Statement on the Stovax website www.stovax.com. In the event of any conflict of information the wording on the website shall prevail.

Important Note: Should any problems be experienced with your product, claims must first be submitted to the Expert Retailer where the appliance was purchased from who will offer immediate assistance or contact Stovax on your behalf.

* Multi-fuel when fitted with a Multi-fuel grate
Appliance Commissioning Checklist

To assist us in any guarantee claim please complete the following information:-

Dealer appliance was purchased from:

Name: 
Address: 
Telephone number: 

Essential information - MUST be completed:

Date Installed: 
Model Description: 
Serial Number: 

Installation Engineer:

Company Name: 
Address: 
Telephone number: 

Commissioning Checks - to be completed and signed:

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Signature: ................................................................. Print Name: .................................................................
Welcome

Congratulations on purchasing your Riva appliance, if installed correctly Stovax hope it will give you many years of warmth and pleasure for which it was designed.

The purpose of this manual is to familiarise you with your stove, and give guidelines for its installation, operation and maintenance. If, after reading, you need further information, please do not hesitate to contact your Stovax retailer.

1. General Points

1.1 Before installation and/or use of this appliance please read these instructions fully and carefully to ensure that you have fully understood their requirements.

The appliance must be fitted by a registered installer*, or approved by your local building control officer.

1.2 All local regulations, including those referring to national and European Standards need to be complied with when installing the appliance.

1.3 Only use for domestic heating in accordance with these operating instructions.

1.4 You must burn only approved fuels. Do not use with liquid fuels or as an incinerator.

1.5 Appliance surfaces become very hot when in use. Use a suitable fireguard‡ if young children, elderly or infirm persons are present.

Stovax offer firescreens, sparkguards and hearthgate systems for protection. Your Stovax dealer can advise you about these products.

1.6 Do not place photographs, TV’s, paintings, porcelain or other combustible items on the wall or near the appliance. Exposure to hot temperatures will cause damage. Do not place furniture or other items such as drying clothing closer than 1m from the front of this appliance.

WARNING: Extra fuel should not be stored on or next to the appliance. Only keep enough fuel for immediate use nearby and never leave the appliance unattended for long periods with any combustible material in close proximity.

1.7 Extractor fans or cooker hoods must not be placed in the same room or space as this can cause appliance to emit fumes into the room.

1.8 Do not obstruct inside or outside ventilation required for the safe use of this appliance.

1.9 Do not make unauthorised changes to the appliance.

1.10 The chimney must be swept at least once a year. See Section 12.

1.11 Do not connect, or share, the same flue or chimney system with another appliance.

1.12 This appliance is designed to be used with the doors shut.

SERIAL NUMBER

1.13 This number is required when ordering spare parts or making warranty claims.

It is found on the appliance data plate, see Diagram 1 or 2.

RIVA AVANTI

PRODUCT: MODEL No. SERIAL No.

RIVA FREESTANDING

PRODUCT: MODEL No. SERIAL No.

AIR CONTROLS

Cleanburn Technology and Convector Efficiency

Riva appliances incorporate the latest cleanburn technology with a unique ‘Opti-Burn’ setting in order to burn fuels with greater efficiency.

1) Primary Air - for use initially when establishing fires and the main air supply when burning solid fuels.

2) Airwash - air drawn over the window cleans the glass. The source of Primary Combustion air when burning wood.

3) Unique ‘Opti-Burn’ setting provides optimum efficiency and visual effect.

‡In the U.K. these products must conform to the latest edition of BS 8423, Fireguards for use with solid fuel appliances. If appliance is operating unattended they must conform to the latest edition of BS 3248

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4) **Cleanburn** - secondary air is preheated through a heat exchanger to combust unburned hydrocarbons, providing a cleaner and more efficient burn.

5) Convected and radiant heat. See Diagram 3.

For Air Controls, see Diagram 4 or 5.

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Use the tool provided to operate the air controls.

**DO NOT OPERATE THE AIR CONTROLS WITH BARE HANDS**

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**Airwash air control**

There is an ‘opti-burn’ setting to help you gauge a position of maximum efficiency. If the control is pushed past this stop the Airwash is fully closed.

**Primary air control**

Lower the ashpan cover and move air control as shown using the ashpan tool.

**IMPORTANT:** Stovax provide gauntlet style gloves for the users protection from heat and any sharp edges when using the appliance. For your safety ensure that gloves are always worn when opening, operating, refuelling or handling internal metalwork.

**DOOR HANDLE**

1.14 Use a protected gloved hand to operate.

**DO NOT OPEN THE DOOR WITH BARE HANDS**

DO NOT OPEN THE DOORS WHEN THE FIREBOX IS FULL OF FLAMES - WAIT FOR THEM TO DIE DOWN.
1.15 To open and close the door use the tool provided, see Diagram 6.

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1.16 To open the door:
   — Pull the lower portion of the handle.

1.17 To close the door:
   — Hold the handle in the open position and push the door to the closed position.
   — Return the handle to the vertical position.

See Diagram 7.

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1.18 To remove the door handle:
   — Lift the handle without rotating.

See Diagram 7.

2. Using the Appliance for the First Time

2.1 To allow the appliance to settle, and fixing glues and paint to fully cure, operate the appliance at a low temperature for the first few days.

2.2 Do not touch the paint during the first period of use.

2.3 During this time the appliance may give off some unpleasant odours. Keep the room well ventilated to avoid a build-up of fumes.

2.4 Please be aware that, during use, rope seals may discolour. This is normal.

WARNING

Properly installed, operated and maintained, this appliance will not emit fumes into the room. Occasional fumes from de-ashing and refuelling may occur.

Persistent fume emission is potentially dangerous and must not be tolerated.

If fume emission does persist:
   • Open doors and windows to ventilate the room.
   • Leave the room.
   • Allow fire to burn out and safely dispose of fuel from the appliance.
   • Check for chimney blockage and clean if required.
   • Do not attempt to relight until the cause of the emission has been identified and corrected
   • If necessary seek expert advice.
   • All open flued appliances can be affected by temporary atmospheric conditions which may allow fumes to enter the house. Because of this an electronic carbon monoxide detector conforming to the latest edition of BSEN50292 must be fitted in the same room as the appliance. The existence of an alarm must not be considered a substitute for ensuring regular servicing and maintenance of the appliance and chimney system.

IF THE ALARM SOUNDS FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN ABOVE.
3. Recommended Fuels

3.1 Wood Logs:

Burn only seasoned timber with a moisture content of less than 20%. To ensure this allow cut wood to dry for 12 to 18 months.

3.2 Solid fuel:

— Burn only anthracite or manufactured briquette smokeless fuels listed as suitable for use with closed heating appliances

Do not burn bituminous coal, ‘petro-coke’ or other petroleum based fuels as this will invalidate the product guarantee.

3.3 Fuel consumption.

As tested at nominal heat output to the requirements of EN 13240: 2001 for intermittent operation:

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4. Lighting the Appliance

IMPORTANT: Stovax provide gauntlet style gloves for the users protection from heat and any sharp edges when using the appliance.

For your safety ensure that gloves are always worn when opening, operating, refuelling or handling internal metalwork.

4.1 Whether using wood or solid fuel the process for lighting the appliance is the same.

4.2 For best results set air controls as shown, see Diagram 9 or 10.

**RIVA AVANTI**

Primary air control
Airwash air control
Open 25%
Open Fully

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Primary air control
Airwash air control
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*In the U.K:
- Ring the Solid Fuel Association advice line on 0845 601 4406 for details
- Visit their web site at www.solidfuel.co.uk
4.3 Place firelighters or paper and dry kindling wood on the grate (Multi-fuel) or firebed (Woodburning version).

A successful fire initially requires plenty of kindling to establish a hot firebox and warm the chimney to aid flue performance.

4.4 Light the paper or firelighters, see Diagram 11.

4.5 Leave the door slightly open as the fire establishes and the glass warms to avoid build up of condensation.

4.6 Add larger pieces of wood.
Do not use full sized logs at this stage, build up gradually in size. Too many logs may smother the fire.

Do not load fuel above the log guard and the Secondary Combustion Inlets at the back of the firebox.
See Diagram 12.

4.7 Close the door and follow the instructions for Running the Appliance.

Do not run with the door slightly open except for initial lighting as this could cause over-firing and damage the appliance.

5. Running the Appliance

Burning Wood

5.1 Close the Primary air control and use the Airwash to control the burn rate when appliance is at operating temperature, see Diagram 13 or 14.

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Wood burns best on a bed of ash (approx. 25mm (1") deep).

5.2 Do not burn large amounts of fuel with the Airwash Control closed for long periods of time. This reduces the glass cleaning effect of the Airwash and causes tars and creosotes to build-up in the appliance and flue system.

5.3 When in use, burning the appliance at a high temperature for a short period reduces tars and creosotes.

**WARNING: DO NOT OPERATE THE APPLIANCE WITH THE PRIMARY AIR CONTROL OPEN FOR LONG PERIODS OF TIME AS THIS COULD CAUSE OVER-FIRING AND MAY CAUSE PERMANENT DAMAGE.**

Experience establishes settings to suit personal preference.

A bright and clean firebox indicates the appliance is burning well.
Refuelling

5.4 Toward the end of the burn cycle open the Primary Air control for a few minutes. This increases the temperature of the ashbed, helping re-ignition of the new logs and keeps the ash to a minimum.

5.5 Rake the embers evenly over the firebed and open the Airwash Control fully for a few minutes before re-fuelling.

Do not refuel when a large amount of flames are in the firebox as this could cause smoke or flames to spill into the room.

Close the doors immediately after refuelling.

5.6 Burn new logs at a high temperature for a few minutes before adjusting the Airwash Control. Refuel little and often for clean, efficient burning. More Airwash will increase the heat output, burn fuel more quickly and will help keep the glass clean.

Small amounts of Primary Air can sometimes help to maintain a hot fuel bed.

Fuel Overloading

The maximum amount of fuel specified in this manual should not be exceeded, overloading can cause excess smoke.

Air Controls:

Operation with the air controls left fully open can cause excess smoke. The appliance must not be operated with the air control or door left open except as directed.

Converting Woodburning models

5.7 To burn wood and smokeless fuels efficiently in a woodburning appliance a cast iron multi-fuel kit must be fitted. This also allows the efficient combustion of wood.

Multi-fuel kit part numbers:

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Only for use with recommended fuels, see Installation Section for full fitting details.

Burning Solid Fuel

5.8 To burn wood and smokeless fuels a cast iron multi-fuel kit must be fitted.

Only for use with recommended fuels, (see User Instructions, Section 3).

5.9 Allow the fire to become established before adding the solid fuel, see section 4.

When the fire becomes established reduce the Airwash air control to approximately 25% open and control the burn rate using the Primary air control only.
Refuelling

5.10 De-ash the grate before re-fuelling (see User Instructions, Section 7).

Open the Primary Air Control fully to establish a glowing bed before adding new fuel.

5.11 Add the correct amount of fuel, see Section 3.

5.12 Close the door immediately after refuelling.

Burn new fuel at a high temperature for a few minutes before adjusting the Primary Air Control to the desired setting.

Refuel little and often for clean, efficient burning.

When burning solid fuel more primary air will increase the heat output and burn the fuel more quickly.

A small amount of Airwash can sometimes help to keep the glass clean but will reduce efficiency.

5.13 Experience establishes settings to suit personal preference.

5.14 Do not burn large amounts of fuel with the Primary Air Control on a low combustion setting for long periods of time. This reduces the glass cleaning effect of the Airwash and causes tars and creosotes to build-up in the appliance and flue system.

5.15 When in use, burning the appliance at a high temperature for a short period reduces tars and creosotes. WARNING: DO NOT OPERATE THE APPLIANCE WITH THE PRIMARY AIR CONTROL OPEN FOR LONG PERIODS OF TIME AS THIS COULD CAUSE OVER-FIRING AND MAY CAUSE PERMANENT DAMAGE.

5.16 Only anthracite or smokeless fuels suitable for use in closed appliances must be burned in this appliance.

5.17 Do not burn bituminous coal, ‘petro-coke’ or other petroleum based fuels as this invalidates the product guarantee.

5.18 Do not load fuel above the log guard and the Secondary Air Inlets at the back of the firebox, see Diagram 12.

Shut Down

5.19 If there is still burning fuel in the firebox, Stovax do not recommend shutting down the air controls completely unless there is a chimney fire in progress (see section 9 for advice). Closing the controls during the burning process will cause poor combustion and could lead to a build up of gasses that could ignite dangerously.

5.20 Always have enough air entering the stove to maintain some flame within the firebox.

5.21 If it is necessary to shut down the appliance then run on a high setting until all of the fuel has been burnt before closing the air controls.

6. Extended Burning

6.1 It is possible to get the appliance to burn for extended periods of time. In order to do this:

— De-ash prior to final refuelling.

— Burn new fuel at a high temperature for a few minutes before adjusting the Primary Air Control.

— Set air controls to low combustion settings. This will gradually blacken the glass but it will clear when operated at a high temperature for a short period.

7. Ash Removal

Do not allow ash to build up as it may cause damage and adversely effect the performance of the appliance. Warning: Ash can remain hot long after appliance has been in use.

7.1 Wood versions only. (not Avanti models)

— Open Doors.

Warning: Ash can remain hot long after appliance has been in use.

— Leave a layer of ash to start the new fire on. Wood burns best on a bed of ash (approx. 25mm (1") deep).

— Remove ash with a small shovel and place into a Stovax Ash Caddy (Stovax Part No. 4227) or other suitable container.

Do not place hot ash in any container made from plastic or any other combustible material.

— De-ash at least once a week.

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7.2 Multi-fuel Versions

De-ash the appliance before filling with new fuel. Do not allow ash to build up on the underside of the grate as this can cause premature failure.

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— Insert the Riddling Tool into the socket (Primary air control), located under the lip of the door, see Diagram 18.

— Move the Riddling Tool from side to side 3 or 4 times to remove the ash. Do not force the handle beyond its natural stop point. The ash will fall into the ashpan.

— Open Ash pan cover, see Diagram 19.

**Warning:** Ash can remain hot long after appliance has been in use.

— Using gloves, carefully remove ashpan using tool supplied, see Diagram 19. Ensure the tool is fully engaged before operation. Practise this technique before hand with a cold ashpan.

— Place the ash into a Stovax Ash Caddy (Stovax Part No. 4227) or other suitable container.

— Check and remove ash as often as required when burning solid fuel.

— De-ash at least once a week.

Do not place hot ash in a container made from plastic or any other combustible material.

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— Open Ash pan cover, see Diagram 20.

— Insert the Riddling Tool into the socket (Primary air control), see Diagram 20.

— Move the Riddling Tool from side to side 3 or 4 times to remove the ash. Do not force the handle beyond its natural stop point. The ash will fall into the ashpan.

**Warning:** Ash can remain hot long after appliance has been in use.

Using gloves, carefully remove ashpan using tool supplied, see Diagram 21.

— Place the ash into a Stovax Ash Caddy (Stovax Part No. 4227) or other suitable container.

— Check and remove ash as often as required when burning solid fuel.

— De-ash at least once a week.

Do not place hot ash in a container made from plastic or any other combustible material.

8. Over-Firing

8.1 Do not over-fill with fuel or run at high temperatures for long periods or over-firing can occur. **DO NOT OPERATE THE APPLIANCE WITH THE PRIMARY AIR CONTROL OPEN FOR LONG PERIODS OF TIME AS THIS COULD CAUSE OVER-FIRING AND MAY CAUSE PERMANENT DAMAGE.**

8.2 Over-firing can cause permanent damage to the appliance and invalidate the product warranty.
9. Chimney Fire

9.1 If a chimney fire occurs:

— Shut all air controls immediately.
— Evacuate the building.
— Call the fire brigade.
— Do not re-enter the building until it is confirmed safe.

9.2 Do not use the appliance after a chimney fire until:

a) It has been inspected by a registered installer*, confirming the appliance is safe to use.

b) The chimney system has been inspected and swept by a chimney sweep, confirming the system is structurally sound and free from obstruction**.

c) It is repaired as required before re-use. Use only genuine Stovax replacement parts to keep your appliance in safe, efficient working order.

10. General Cleaning

10.1 Clean and inspect the appliance regularly, especially in periods of heavy use. Regular cleaning and maintenance will help give many years of safe use.

10.2 Allow appliance to cool thoroughly to avoid risk of burns.

10.3 Clean regularly, according to level of use.

10.4 Remove the ash completely (see User Instructions, Section 7).

10.5 Check internal components for damage and for obvious build up of soot, ash or debris above the flue baffle(s) (these can be found in the upper part of the firebox). Use a torch if necessary.

10.6 If there are any signs of a build up of debris above the flue baffle(s) either:

— Arrange for the chimney to be swept (see User Instructions, Section 12).
— Remove the baffles and clear the debris (see Pre-Installation Instructions, Section 4).

10.7 To refresh painted finishes a touch up spray is available. Contact your Stovax retailer quoting the serial number found on the appliance date badge.

Do not use aerosol sprays near an operating appliance. Do not use abrasive cleaner or cleaning pads.

10.8 Check that the door shuts properly and creates an effective seal. Leaking door seals prevent the appliance working properly.

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11. Cleaning Glass

11.1 Keep the glass clean with correct use of the Airwash system and good quality fuel. Use the boost setting to clear any build up.

11.2 Sometimes additional cleaning may be required. Before undertaking this operation allow appliance to cool fully. Do not clean hot glass.

11.3 On appliances with printed glass do not use cleaning agents that have a high alkaline or acidic content, for example Stovax Gel Cleaner, these are aggressive cleaning agents designed to be used with heavily stained clear glass. On printed glass surfaces, use Stovax Glass Cleaner (Stovax No.4103) which is better formulated for this application.

11.4 Before applying a cleaning agent remove any dust and loose soot with a damp cloth.

11.5 Use an appropriate glass cleaner. Apply the cleaning fluid to a cloth before rubbing onto the glass. Apply carefully and do not apply excessively. Try to prevent any run off which could soak into the rope seals around the edge of the glass.

11.6 Soot can also contain acidic particles that can cause corrosive damage to printed glass.

11.7 Some types of wood and solid fuel can cause a white residue to form on the glass. If this occurs it should be cleaned off at least once a week during periods of heavy usage. If the liquid cleaning agents recommended do not remove this residue use a dry cleaning pad which will help remove these white marks.

11.8 Before relighting the appliance ensure the glass is fully dried. If the rope seal has absorbed excess cleaning agent it is advisable to replace the rope as soon as possible to preserve the printed finish of the glass.

12. Chimney Sweeping

12.1 To maintain safe and efficient use of the appliance, the chimney/flue must be inspected and swept at least once a year by a qualified chimney sweep*.

If the appliance is used continuously throughout the year, or it is used to burn wood, more frequent sweeping is recommended.

The best time to have the chimney swept is at the start of the heating season.

12.2 The chimney, any connecting flue pipe and the appliance flue ways, if incorporated, must be regularly cleaned.

12.3 Ensure adequate access for cleaning where it is not possible to sweep through the chimney.

12.4 If the chimney is believed to have previously served an open fire it must be swept a second time within a month of regular use after installation.
13. Care Of Stove

Stovax has a range of cleaning and maintenance products and accessories to keep your appliance in good working order. Your Stovax retailer can advise you on suitable items for your stove and provide genuine spare parts such as replacement glass, door sealing rope and firebricks. View the extensive range at www.stovax.com by clicking on Accessories. In addition, an annual service by a competent engineer is recommended to keep your stove in the best possible condition.

14. Seasonal Use

14.1 Clean and service the appliance if not used during the warmer months, as detailed in the Maintenance and Servicing section.

14.2 Set the air controls to 50% to keep the appliance ventilated and stop the build-up of any moisture inside.

14.3 Before re-lighting the appliance:

   – Remove the baffles.
   – Clear any debris that may have accumulated.
   – Check the flue is clear of any blockages.

15. Optional Extras

15.1 Fan Kit

This appliance can be fitted with an optional convection fan kit. The fan must be fitted at the time of installation. For installation and operating procedures you must refer to the instructions supplied with the fan kit - Stovax Part No PM266

15.2 Smoke Control Kit

This appliance can be modified to burn wood in a smoke control zone. For more details on the Smoke Control Kit for this appliance contact your retailer.

NOTE: These appliances have been independently tested to PD6434 and have been exempt from the controls that generally apply in smoke control areas hence are considered suitable for use in Smoke Control Area when burning wood and ONLY when fitted with the relevant Smoke Control kit.
# Troubleshooting

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### FLUES

The flue system has two main functions:

- To safely remove the smoke, fumes and combustion gases from the building.
- To provide a sufficient amount of flue draught (suction) in the appliance to ensure the fire keeps burning.

The flue draught is caused by rising hot gases when the appliance is lit.

Tar and creosote are a major cause of chimney fires. If the appliance experiences problems with tar build up consult a chimney sweep before continued use of the appliance.

For advise on the correction of persistent flue problems consult a qualified heating engineer before continuing to use the appliance.
Please Note

This section is intended to give an overview of the product performance and essential information required for installing the appliance. It is intended for qualified engineers who are already familiar with Stovax products. For full details and expanded information please see the Technical Appendix at the back of this manual.

1. Riva Dimensions

RIVA F55 AVANTI MIDI

RIVA F66 FREESTANDING

RIVA F76 FREESTANDING

All dimensions in mm. (25.4 mm = 1")

In the U.K. Additional information covering the installation of the appliance may be found in the following British Standards: BS EN 15287, BS6999, BS8303.
Installation Checklist

RIVA F40 FREESTANDING

5" Top and rear flue outlet

RIVA F40 AVANTI

5" Top and rear flue

RIVA F40 AVANTI MIDI

5" Top and rear flue outlet

RIVA F40 AVANTI HIGHLINE

All dimensions in mm. (25.4 mm = 1")
## Installation Checklist

### 2. Essential Information

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#### Recommended Fuels

- Wood: Seasoned Wood (less than 20% moisture content)
- Solid Fuel: Briquette smokeless fuel suitable for closed appliances (Anrit-Phuracite-Taybrite-Homefire Ovals)

### FLUES

#### Flue/Chimney Size

- Without flue liner Round (Diameter) mm
  - 153
  - 153
- Without flue liner system (Square) mm
  - 135
  - 135
- With Liner of Factory made system (diameter) mm
  - 153
  - 153

#### Flue Draught

- Min mm Wg
  - 1.0
- Nominal mm Wg
  - 1.25
- Max mm Wg
  - 2.0

#### Flue Gas Mass Flow

- Wood g/s
  - 4.4
- Solid Fuel g/s
  - 3.9

#### Flue Gas Temperature at Spigot/Socket

- Wood °C
  - 393
- Solid Fuel °C
  - 393

#### Flue Outlet Size (Top or Rear Option) mm

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#### As tested to the requirements of EN 13240 for intermittent operation

### VENTILATION

#### A) Traditionally Built Homes

- Where leakage is greater than 5m³/hour/m².
- Ventilation normally required = 550m² per kW output over 5kW

#### B) Modern Construction Homes

- Where leakage is less than 5m³/hour/m².
- Ventilation normally required = 550m² per kW

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For full technical details on ventilation see Technical Appendix on Page 37
3. Minimum Dimensions - Hearth

3.1 Hearth construction must comply with the building regulations in force. The appliance must stand on a non-combustible constructional hearth which is at least 125mm thick with the minimum dimensions as shown in Diagram 3.

Some appliances like the Avanti, Midi and Highline ranges do not raise the floor temperature enough to require a constructional hearth. These appliances can stand on a superficial hearth which is a minimum of 12mm thick, see Diagram 4. This is also referred to as a Floor Protector Plate or Floor Protector.

3.2 If this appliance is installed in an elevated setting (Highline) it is recommended to increase the 225mm hearth depth to safely contain any falling logs or embers. The higher the appliance is installed the deeper the hearth should be to avoid scorched floor coverings.

4. Clearances

IMPORTANT: INSTALLATION MUST COMPLY WITH CURRENT BUILDING REGULATIONS

ENSURE THAT SUFFICIENT CLEARANCES ARE PROVIDED BETWEEN THE FLUE PIPE AND ANY COMBUSTIBLE MATERIALS IN THE FIREPLACE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES IN FORCE.†

4.1 When installing a Riva stove it is important to observe the following clearances to both combustible and non-combustible materials. Also ensure that a clearance of 1 meter is maintained in front of the appliance when operating.

† England and Wales – Document J / Scotland - Part F /Document J (Republic of Ireland only)
Non-Combustible Materials

4.2 All appliances will require some clearance between them and any non-combustible materials to allow for either:

— Installation, servicing or accessing controls.

— Convection in order for the appliance to function properly.

Recommended: Minimum clearances for installation/servicing/convection is:

Rear - 25mm  Sides 50mm  Top 100mm

NOTE: If the non-combustible surface is less than 200mm thick additional clearances may be required. This requirement ensures that the non-combustible material does not transmit excessive heat through the wall onto combustible material which might be placed against it.

See Diagrams 5 & 6 (Fireplaces) & Diagram 7 (Freestanding) and table below.

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Freestanding Installation

Combustible Materials

4.3 It is essential for safety to ensure the following clearances to combustible materials are maintained.

See Diagrams 5 & 6 and table below.

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5. Optional Extras

The Riva has a number of optional extras to enhance the performance of the appliance. These need to be considered when planning the installation.

Fan Kit

5.1 This appliance can be fitted with an optional convection fan kit. The fan must be fitted at the time of installation. For installation and operating procedures you must refer to the instructions supplied with the fan kit - Stovax Part No PM266.

Smoke Control Kit

5.2 This appliance can be modified to burn wood in a smoke control zone. For more details on the Smoke Control Kit for this appliance contact your retailer.

NOTE: These appliances have been independently tested to PD6434 and have been exempt from the controls that generally apply in smoke control areas hence are considered suitable for use in Smoke Control Area when burning wood and ONLY when fitted with the relevant Smoke Control kit.
1. General

1.1 To make the installation of the appliance easier it is best to remove the internal components before fitting into the builders opening/studwork.

Packing List

- Instructions
- Warranty card
- Flue Collar
- Tools: Hex Keys
- Fixing kit
- Drilling Template
- Gloves
- Blanking Plate
- Door Tool
- Ash Pan Tool

Standard Features

- Primary air (under grate air for full multi-fuel use) – (Multi-fuel appliances only)
- Airwash (for wood burning / clean glass)
- Preset secondary air control (to ensure complete burning of flue gases)
- Riddling grate system for clean de-ashing – (Multi-fuel appliances only)
- Top or rear flue exit option

1.2 For the best results removing the following components as set out below.

2. Removal of the Door

**RIVA AVANTI**

(Tools required - Large flat-blade screwdriver)

2.1 To remove the door from the Riva Avanti:

Support the weight of the door before removing the pin.

Remove the hinge pin by unscrewing from the body of the Riva and pulling the pin out of the hinge blocks.

The door should be kept in the closed position when the pin is removed.

Release the door catch to lift the door clear of the hinge blocks.

2.2 Lie the door on a soft flat surface, to protect the glass and paintwork.

2.3 Replace the door in the reverse order from removal. Do not hang the door from the catch only when replacing, as this could damage the catch mechanism.

2.4 Care should be taken to fully support the weight of the door during the removal and replacement, as the door assembly is heavy.

**RIVA FREESTANDING**

(Tools required – None)

2.5 To remove the door from the Riva:

Open the door by approximately 25mm.

Lift the door free of the hinge blocks on the left of the door.

Lie the door face down on a soft flat surface, to protect the paintwork and glass.

2.6 Take care to protect the top left hand corner of the door to avoid damage to the paintwork.

3. Removal of the Log Guard

3.1 To remove the Log guard:

Lift Log Guard clear of the supporting brackets.

Rotate to clear the sides of the door opening.

Do not use appliance without the log guard in position.

4. Removal of the Baffles (All)

No tools are required.

To maintain efficient combustion the Riva Stove is fitted with a twin baffle system, consisting of upper and lower baffles.

Allow the stove to cool fully before removing the baffle system.

4.1 Remove the Log Guard from the stove to give access to the firebox.
Pre-Installation Instructions

4.2 First remove the Lower Baffle, see Diagram 2:
Lift the front edge to unhook it from the support bars.
Pull the baffle forward to disengage the rear edge from the location above air inlet holes.
Rotate the baffle to remove from the firebox through the door opening.

4.3 Second remove the Upper Baffle, see Diagram 3:
Pull forward to disengage it from the hanging points at the top of the firebox.
Rotate the baffle to remove it from the firebox through the door opening.

4.4 Replace in reverse order.

4.5 The baffle system is designed to give safe and efficient operation of the stove. Replace any damaged baffles immediately.
Do not modify the baffle.

5. Removal of the Fire Bricks (All)

5.1 Remove the firebricks as part of the routine maintenance. This can be carried out without the use of tools.
Allow the appliance to cool fully before removing firebricks.

5.2 Take care when handling, as bricks can become fragile after use. Life span depends on the type of fuels burnt and the level of use.
Replace damaged bricks as soon as possible.

5.3 Remove the baffles and grate system.

5.4 The bricks must be removed and replaced in the correct order, as shown in Diagrams 4, 5 & 6.
6. Removal of the Riddling Mechanism

The Riddling Mechanism (or Grate) can be removed for cleaning to maintain good working condition.

6.1 To remove Riddling Mechanism:
First remove the centre grate by tipping the grate control boss downwards and lifting the centre grate vertically.

6.2 The main grate can then be lifted by the front first and then rotating the grate to clear the firebox.

6.3 Ensure the seal tape on the underside of the grate is in good condition and correctly fitted. If not, replace with new. (Stove part number 4998).

6.4 Replace the grate in the reverse order from removal.

6.5 The grate must sit flat on the side supports, with no debris trapped under it. Check that the centre grate sits flat and rotates freely with no debris trapped under it.

5.5 Replace in the reverse order.
Installation Instructions

1. Installing the Appliance

Each installation is unique to the property so it is not possible to give details to suit every setting. The installation must comply with Building Regulations and be made using "best practice" construction methods.

Many fireplace openings have a supporting lintel. Do not remove without supporting the remaining structure of the building. Do not support the structure with the appliance or the flue system.

1.1 Take care when installing the appliance. Careless handling and use of tools can damage the finish and/or area.

1.2 To fit the appliance to the hearth and to assemble a Rear Flue you need to take out the log guard, baffles and rear top bricks, see Pre-Installation section.

Riva Freestanding

Tools required 10mm A/F spanner/socket and masonry drill.

1.3 Secure to the hearth using the fixing screws provided.

F40 Avanti, Midi, Highline & F55 Avanti Midi

Tools required 10mm A/F spanner/socket and masonry drill.

1.4 Secure to the hearth using the fixing screws provided.

A floor drilling template is supplied with the appliance.

F40 Avanti (Only)

1.5 The appliance may be levelled on the hearth by adjusting the hexagon head levelling screws with a 13mm A/F spanner.

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‡ the latest edition of BS 8303, BS EN 15287, BS 7566
2. Top Flue Installation

The appliance is factory supplied with a top flue outlet but the flue collar and blanking plate require sealing with Fire Cement before use.

2.1 Flue Pipe Installation

To fit the pipe to the collar:

— Lift appliance into position.
— Take care not to damage the hearth finish.
— Level using adjustable bolts, see Diagram 3 (Riva F40 Avanti only).
— Before fitting the flue pipe fit decorative ring to flue pipe, see Diagram 5.
— Connect appliance to the chimney using flue pipe.
— Secure with self tapping screw.
— Seal the connecting joints.

The Flue must be installed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

2.2 Typical Top Flue Pipe Installation

Install in accordance with manufacturer’s instructions.

2.3 Connect a flue pipe 612mm long by inserting it into the flue spigot and seal using fire cement. Fit the cast iron finishing collar over the flue pipe and locate into recess in the top cover.

All models

All Models

Connection to chimney as detailed in Building Regulations

135 Elbow with access cover

600mm minimum
1000mm max unsupported

Flue Pipe x 612 long

Seal Collar with fire cement

Self tapping screws

Flue pipe x 612 long

Decorative Ring

Fire Cement
3. Rear Flue Installation

Because the appliance is supplied for top flue exit, you need to move the blanking plate to the top of the appliance and fit the collar and flue pipe to the rear:

Tools required - cross-headed screw driver, 10mm A/F spanner/socket wrench and a keyhold saw.

3.1 Remove the back cover after removing the fixing screws.

3.2 Remove the flue break-out cover using a small saw to cut the 3 securing lugs.

3.3 To change from top to rear exit flue, reverse the flue spigot and blanking plate using the method detailed.

The baffle and bricks should already be removed following location of the appliance on its hearth.

3.4 Remove the flue collar using a 10mm A/F spanner/socket wrench to remove the 4 fixing bolts including the 2 flanged spacers.

3.5 Remove the blanking plate using a 10mm A/F spanner/socket wrench to take out the 4 bolts.

3.6 Fitting the flue collar and blanking plate to the top

— Fit the blanking plate to the top flue outlet.

— Using the 4 bolts (including the 2 flanged spacers as shown), seal to the firebox as shown using fire cement.

— Fit the flue collar to the rear flue outlet using the 4 bolts from the cover plate.

— Seal to the firebox using fire cement.
Installation Instructions

3.7 Flue Pipe Installation
(Tools required - Screwdriver suitable for self-tapping screw)

— Insert a tee into the flue collar.
The tee piece is used as cleaning access.

— Lift appliance into position.
Take care not to damage the hearth finish.

— Level using adjustable bolts, if required.

— Connect tee to the chimney using flue pipe.

— Secure with self tapping screw.

— Seal the connecting joints using fire cement.

**Do not use a 90° elbow to make this connection.**
The Flue must be installed in accordance with manufacturers instructions.

3.8 The following flue pipe is available to ensure safe installation:

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3.9 Typical Rear Flue Pipe Installation

4. CO Alarms

All open flued appliances can be affected by temporary atmospheric conditions which may allow fumes to enter the house. Building regulations require that whenever a new or replacement fixed solid fuel or wood/biomass appliance is installed in a dwelling a carbon monoxide alarm must be fitted in the same room as the appliance. Further guidance on the installation of the carbon monoxide alarm is available in the latest edition of BS EN50292 and from the alarm manufacturer’s instructions.

HETAS recommend the unit is permanently fixed in accordance with the manufacturer’s installation instructions or with the guidance contained in Approved Document J where no other information is available.

**Provision of an alarm must not be considered a substitute for either installing the appliance correctly or ensuring regular servicing and maintenance of the appliance and chimney system.**
1.1 To commission:
   — Replace the internal components.
   — Check the door alignment and catch operation and adjust if required (see Maintenance & Servicing, Sections 5 & 6).
   — Check the soundness of door seals, castings and joints.
   — Check the operation of the air controls.

1.2 Now carry out a final smoke draw test:
   — Warm the flue with a blowlamp, or similar, for about 10 minutes.
   — Place a smoke pellet on the centre of the grate, with the air controls open.
   — Close the door. Smoke should now be drawn up the flue and be seen to exit from the flue terminal.
   — Complete test with all doors and windows closed in the room where the appliance is fitted.
   — If there are any extractor fans in adjacent rooms the test must be repeated with the fans running on maximum and with interconnecting doors open.
   — Check the effect of ceiling fans during the test.

If the test fails, re-check the suitability of the flue system and ventilation. An inadequate air supply to the room is potentially dangerous.

   — Light the appliance and slowly increase the temperature.
   — Ensure no combustion products enter the room.
   — Open the main fire door when the appliance reaches operating temperature and carry out a spillage test with a smoke match or pellet around the door opening.

1.3 If excessive spillage occurs allow the appliance to cool and re-check the flue system and ventilation.

1.4 Finally:
   — Explain to the user the safe operation of the appliance, use of the controls and the importance of only using suitable fuels.
   — Ensure that a CO alarm has been fitted and make the user aware of its operation and importance, referring them to the Warning section on page 5 of the User Instructions.
   — Explain the cleaning and routine maintenance requirements.
   — Explain the requirement to use a suitable fireguard when children, elderly or infirm persons are near the appliance.

   — Record retailer/supplier and installer details in Appliance Commissioning Checklist (page 3, Instructions for Use).
   — Record serial number in Appliance Commissioning Checklist (page 3, Instructions for Use).

   This number is required when ordering spare parts and making warranty claims.

   — Give this instruction manual to the customer.
Certificate Of Compliance

Upon completing the installation, the form below must be filled in by your installer to comply with the requirements of HETAS and the building regulations. The installer must give these details, including their HETAS registration number, for the purposes of any insurance details that may change as a result of the appliance being installed.

HETAS LTD - CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

Please tick appropriate boxes or enter details in boxes below

Record ID (HETAS Use Only) *(indicates that this data must be given)

Customer Name *
Installation Address *
Installation Address *
Installation Address *
Installation Address *
Town *
Postcode * Work Completion Date *
Local Authority Name *(Must be given if no postcode available)
Installing Company Name * Company’s HETAS Reg. No. *
Installing Engineer’s Name * Engineer’s HETAS Reg. No. *

Description of Work

Location:
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Utility Room
- Bedroom
- Other, Specify

Appliance:
- Dry Open Fire
- Open Fire with Boiler
- Dry Cooker
- Cooker with Boiler
- Dry Roomheater/Stove
- Roomheater/Stove with Boiler
- Independent Boiler

Make  
Model  
Heat Output kW

System:
- New Heating and Hot Water System
- Updated Existing Heating and Hot Water System
- Dry System Only

If Wet System:  Is the Hot Water System Unvented? Y/N

Chimney:
- New Insulated Factory Made Chimney System Installed

Relining of existing chimney:
- Twin Wall Flexible Liner (for Class 1 Appliance)
- Cast In-situ Liner
- Rigid Sectional Liner Metal
- Rigid Sectional Liner Other

Hearth:
- New Hearth/Surround fitted
- Existing Hearth/Surround Updated

Additional Information

Connecting fluopipe:
- Diameter mm
- Socket joints upward and gas tight

Provision for sweeping chimney/fluopipe:  Yes No
- Chimney Data Plate Location *

Air supply:
- Has a permanently open air vent been fitted:  Yes No
- Is vent opening at least 50% of cross sectional area of throat/flue or, State total free area of air vent mm²

Confirm an approved Carbon Monoxide alarm has been fitted

Testing & Commissioning to Approved J Appendix E

Confirm you have commissioned and tested the appliance & associated work for safe and efficient operation

Declaration of completion
As the competent person responsible for the work described above, I confirm that the appliance and associated work has been installed in accordance with the HETAS rules of registration, and that the work complies with Regulations 4 and 7 of the Building Regulations, and Approved Documents J, G & L as applicable.

Signed:  Print name:  Date:

Copies of this completed certificate must be (white copy) sent to HETAS Ltd at the address given below (pink copy) given to the customer for retention (yellow copy) retained by the installing company

This certificate should be retained by the property owner who may be required to produce it in any future sale of the property.

HETAS Ltd, Unit 6, Newton Trading Estate, Green Lane, Tewkesbury, Glos. GL20 8HD  
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1. Annual Service

**IMPORTANT:** Stovax provide gauntlet style gloves for the users protection from heat and any sharp edges when using the appliance. For your safety ensure that gloves are always worn when opening, operating, refuelling or handling internal metalwork.

1.1 Before the start of the heating season strip, inspect and clean the appliance as detailed:

- Allow appliance to cool.
- Remove all internal parts: baffle, log guard and firebricks. Take care handling firebricks as they can become fragile after a period of use.
- Sweep the appliance at this point if necessary.
- Vacuum clean any remaining ash and debris from the inside of the appliance. Stovax offer a filter/collection attachment for vacuum cleaners to protect them from fire ash: Ash Clean (Stovax Part No. 2091).
- Clean the grate parts with a wire brush.
- Check the parts for any damage. Replace any damaged parts using genuine Stovax replacement parts.
- Check and clean the firebricks with a soft brush. Some surface damage will occur during use. The life of the bricks will depend on the type of fuels burnt and the level of use. Replace damaged bricks as soon as possible.
- Re-fit cleaned internal parts.
- Remove the glass from the door and discard all old rope seals. (see Maintenance and Servicing, Section 3).
- On appliances with printed glass do not use cleaning agents that have a high alkaline or acidic content, for example Stovax Gel Cleaner, these are aggressive cleaning agents designed to be used with heavily stained clear glass. On printed glass surfaces, use Stovax Glass Cleaner (Stovax No.4103) which is better formulated for this application.
- Do not use abrasive cleaners to remove tar or soot deposits from the glass.
- Fit new door rope seal (see Maintenance and Servicing, Section 4).
- Lightly oil the door catch mechanism and hinge pins. Avoid getting oil onto the door seals and glass.
- To refresh painted finishes a touch up spray is available. Contact your Stovax retailer quoting the serial number found on the appliance data badge.

1.2 Use genuine Stovax replacement parts to keep the appliance in safe, efficient working order. This is a list of the maintenance products that may need be required:

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These products, available online at [www.stovax.com](http://www.stovax.com) or from your local Stovax Retailer, along with regular maintenance and use of correct fuels, will keep the appliance in the best possible condition.

1.3 For more information about the Stovax Group products please visit our website at [www.stovax.com](http://www.stovax.com).

1.4 Burn at a low temperature for the first day of use after any maintenance. This allows the seals, fixing glues and paint to fully cure.

1.5 During this time the appliance may give off some unpleasant odours. Keep the room well ventilated to avoid a build-up of fumes.

1.6 Your Stovax Retailer can carry out servicing and maintenance.

2. Removal of Internal Parts

2.1 To service and maintain the good working condition of your appliance it will be necessary to remove several internal parts. Consult the installation section for the following:

- **Door Assembly** - Pre-Installation Section 2, page 21.
- **Log Guard** - Pre-Installation Section 3, page 21.
- **Baffles** - Pre-Installation Section 4, page 21.
- **Firebricks** - Pre-Installation Section 5, page 22.
- **Riddling Mechanism** - Pre-Installation Section 6, page 23.
3. Fitting a new Door Glass - All Models

3.1 To maintain safe use of the appliance damaged door glass must be replaced immediately. To complete this operation remove the door see Section 2 in the Pre-Installation section.

3.2 Lay the door face down on a soft flat surface, to protect the paintwork and glass.

3.3 Remove the old door rope seal and scrape old glue from the locating groove. Clean the locating groove with a clean dry cloth to remove all old dust and debris.

3.4 Use a 2.5mm A/F hexagon key to remove the exposed fixing screws in the rope seal locating groove.

3.5 Remove the trim/frame. The old glass can then be lifted clear of the door. (Note how the edge sealing tape is fixed.)

3.6 Dispose of the old glass safely.

3.7 Clean and re-paint the rear of the door if required. Clean the screws with light oil and coat with high temperature anti-seize grease, this will aid future removal.

3.8 Fit the edge sealing tape to the new glass and place the glass into position in the door.

3.9 Place the door trim/frame back in to position and re-fix with the clean fixing screws. Do not over tighten the clips as this could break the glass.

3.10 Squeeze a generous bead of fresh Stovax Thermic Seal glue into the rope locating groove. Do not glue over the screw heads.

3.11 Press the new Stovax door sealing rope into the locating groove, placing the joint in the middle of the lower edge of the door.

Refit the door on to the appliance and close the door to apply pressure to new rope.

Leave the door closed for at least 12 hours before lighting the appliance and run at a low temperature for approximately one day. This allows the adhesive to fully bond to the seal.

3.12 Fit only original Stovax ceramic glass, which is suitable to use in high temperature applications.

3.13 Using the appliance with a damaged door glass could cause dangerous fumes to enter the room, or the appliance to over fire, resulting in damage.

4. Fitting A New Door Seal - All Models

4.1 To maintain the safe use of your appliance you need to replace damaged or worn door sealing rope. To complete this operation remove the door see Section 2 in the Pre-Installation section.

4.2 Lay the door face down on a soft flat surface, to protect the paintwork and glass.

4.3 Remove the old rope and scrape old glue from the locating groove. Clean the locating groove with a clean dry cloth to remove all old dust and debris.

4.4 Squeeze a generous bead of fresh Stovax Thermic Seal glue into the rope locating groove.

4.5 Press the new Stovax rope into the locating groove, placing the joint in the middle of the lower edge of the door.

4.6 Refit the door and close the door to apply pressure to the new rope.

Leave the door closed for at least 12 hours before lighting the appliance and run at a low temperature for approximately one day. This allows the adhesive to fully bond to the seal.

4.7 Using the appliance with a damaged door seal can cause dangerous fumes to enter the room, or the appliance to over fire, resulting in damage.
5. Adjusting the Door Catch

To maintain the safe use of your Riva, you may need to adjust the door catch to ensure safe correct closing of the door.

**RIVA AVANTI**

(Tool required - 13mm A/F spanner)

5.1 To complete this operation open the main firedoor to give access to the fixed part of the door catch as shown in Diagram 3.

5.2 Use a 13mm A/F spanner loosen the locking nut holding the catch block shown in Diagram 3.

Reposition to achieve the correct fit. This may need a trial and error approach to find the correct position.

5.3 If the door still feels loose after correcting the catch operation, the door rope seal is worn and requires replacement, as detailed in Section 5.

**RIVA FREESTANDING**

(Tool required - 4mm A/F Hex Socket key)

5.4 To complete this operation open the main firedoor to give access to the fixed part of the door catch as shown in Diagram 4.

5.5 Using a 4mm A/F hexagon key loosen the 2 fixing screws, as shown in Diagram 4.

Reposition the catch block to achieve a correct fit. This may need a trial and error approach to find the correct position.

5.6 If the door feels loose after correcting the catch operation the door rope seal is worn and requires replacement, as detailed in Section 5.
6. Adjusting Door Hinges

To maintain the safe use of your Riva, you may need to adjust the door hinges to ensure safe correct closing of the door.

**RIVA AVANTI**

6.1 To complete this operation open the main fire door to give access to the hinge block as shown in Diagram 5.

6.2 Loosen the 6 fixing screws using a 4mm A/F hexagon head socket key to adjust the door alignment.

6.3 Turn screw A to level the door.

6.4 Turn screw B to raise or lower the door.

6.5 Re-tighten the fixing screws and check alignment. This may require a trial and error approach to find the correct position.

**RIVA FREESTANDING**

6.6 To complete this operation open the door to give access to the fixed part of the door hinge as shown in Diagram 6:

6.7 Using a 5mm A/F hexagon head key to loosen the fixing screws, see Diagram 6.

Reposition the hinge blocks to achieve the correct fit.

This may require a trial and error approach to find the correct position.
7. Adjusting Ashpan Cover Hinges

RIVA AVANTI

(Tool required - 2.5mm A/F Hex socket key)

Fixing Screw

RIVA FREESTANDING

7.1 It is possible to correct the fit of the ash pan door by loosening the hinge fixing screws and repositioning the hinges. This may need a trial and error approach to find the correct position.

8. Adjusting Ashpan Door Touch Latch

RIVA AVANTI

(Tool required - 2.5mm A/F Hex socket key)

Fixing Screw

RIVA FREESTANDING

8.1 It is possible to correct the fit of the ash pan door by loosening the hinge fixing screws and repositioning the hinges. This may need a trial and error approach to find the correct position.
Technical Appendix

Legal Requirements

Before installation and/or use of this appliance please read these instructions carefully to ensure that all requirements are fully understood.

The appliance must be fitted by a registered installer*, or approved by your local building control officer.

It is very important to understand the requirements of the national Building Regulations† and standards‡, along with any local regulations and working practices that may apply. Should any conflict occur between these instructions and these regulations then the regulations must apply.

Your local Building Control Office can advise regarding the requirements of the regulations.

† England and Wales – Document J / Scotland - Part F/Document J (Republic of Ireland only)
‡ the latest edition of BS 8303, BS EN 15287, BS 7566
*Registered on the Competent Persons Scheme (GB only) see page 38/ INFO (Republic of Ireland).

1. Flue Outlet Positions

These positions are defined by Document J of the Building Regulations.

Works must be carried out with care to meet the requirements of Health and Safety* and comply with the Health and Safety rules**, and any new regulations introduced during the lifetime of these instructions. Particular attention should be drawn to:

- Handling: The appliance is heavy. Adequate facilities must be available for loading, unloading and on site handling.
- Fire Cement: Some fire cement is caustic and must not come into contact with the skin. Protective gloves must be worn. Wash hands thoroughly with plenty of water after contact with skin.
- Asbestos: This appliance contains no asbestos. If there is the possibility of disturbing any asbestos in the course of installation seek specialist guidance and use appropriate equipment.
- Metal Parts: Take care when installing or servicing the stove to avoid personal injury.

A faulty installation can cause danger to the inhabitants and structure of the building.

For users of this appliance:
Your building insurance company may require you to inform them that a new heating appliance has been installed on your property. Check that your cover is still valid after installing the appliance.

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<td>C Below (on a pitched roof) or within 2300mm horizontally to openable rooflight, dormer window, or other opening (Note 3)</td>
<td>At least 1000mm above the top of opening</td>
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<td>D Within 2300mm of an adjoining or adjacent building, whether or not beyond the boundary (Note 3)</td>
<td>At least 600mm above any part of the adjacent of building within 2300mm</td>
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1) The weather surface is the building external surface, such as it’s roof tiles or external walls.
2) A flat roof has a pitch less than 10°.
3) The clearance given for A or B, as appropriate, will also apply.
4) A vertical flue fixed to an outside wall should be treated as equivalent to an inside flue emerging at the nearest edge of the roof.
2. Flue or Chimney

2.1 The flue or chimney system must be in good condition. It must be inspected by a competent person and passed for use with the appliance before installation.

Products of combustion entering the room can cause serious health risks.

2.2 The following must be checked:

— The construction of the masonry chimneys, flue block chimneys and connecting flue pipe system must meet the requirements of the Building Regulations†.

— A flexible flue liner system can be used if certified for use with solid fuel systems and installation complies with manufacturer’s instructions and Building Regulations. The flue liner must be replaced when an appliance is replaced, unless proven to be recently installed and in good condition.

— If it is necessary to fit a register plate it must conform to the Building Regulations†.

— The minimum height of the flue or chimney must be 4.5m from the hearth to the top of the flue, with no horizontal sections and a maximum of 4 bends. Bends must have angles of less than 45 degrees from the vertical.

— There should be at least 600mm of vertical flue pipe above the appliance before any bends are introduced.

— Ensure the connecting flue pipe is kept a suitable distance from any combustible material and does not form part of the supporting structure of the building.

— The installer must ensure the flue pipe diameter is not less than the diameter of the outlet of the appliance and does not narrow to less than the size of the outlet at any point in the system.

— Make provision to remove the appliance without the need to dismantle the chimney.

— Any existing flue must be confirmed as suitable for the new intended use as defined in the Building Regulations.

— The flue or chimney systems must be inspected and swept to confirm the system is structurally sound and free from obstructions.

— If the chimney is believed to have previously served an open fire it must be swept a second time within a month of regular use after installation to clear any soot falls that may have occurred due to difference in combustion levels.

— The flue exit from the building must comply with local building control rules†.

— Chimney heights and/or separations may need to be increased in particular cases where wind exposure, surrounding tall buildings, high trees or high ground could have adverse effects on flue draught.

— Do not connect or share the flue or chimney system with another heating appliance.

2.3 Do not connect to systems containing large voids or spaces over 230mm square.

2.4 Suitable access must be provided to enable the collection and removal of debris.

2.5 The flue must be swept and inspected when the appliance is installed.

**Flue Draught**

The flue draught must be checked with all windows and doors closed and any extraction fans in this, or adjoining rooms, running at maximum speed (see Installation Checklist for ventilation requirements).

Twin Wall Flue System

If this appliance is to be used in conjunction with a twin wall flue system then Stovax recommend the use of their Professional XQ range. Details of this product are available from your Stovax retailer.

In the U.K:

*BS En 15287-1, and the requirements of Building Regulations*

**This should be done by a NACS registered (UK only)/INFO registered (Eire only) chimney sweep, who will issue you with a certificate.**

† Building Regulations Document J

Flue Plate:
Where a hearth, fireplace, flue or chimney is provided or extended (including cases where a flue is provided as part of refurbishment work), information essential to the correct appliance and use of these should be permanently posted in the building, to meet Requirement J4 of the Building Regulations (England and Wales), F3.12 (Scotland).

Additional:
A new factory made system that complies to EN 1856; Part 1 can be used providing installation is to the requirements of:

i) BS 7566 Parts 1 -4

ii) the manufacturer’s instructions

iii) Building Regulations.

For a guide containing information on Chimneys and Flues contact:

The British Flue & Chimney Manufacturers’ Association,

FETA

2 Waltham Court

Milley Lane

Hare Hatch

Reading

Berkshire RG10 9TH

Tel: 0118 9403416  e-mail: info@feta.co.uk
3. Ventilation

3.1 Many older buildings are sufficiently ventilated by natural leakage of air to provide suitable air supply for an appliance of 5kW output or less.

Modern building techniques have reduced the amount of air that leaks in or out of a house. A modern construction with an air tightness of less than 5m³ per hour per m² requires an air vent for **ALL** solid fuel appliances including those with a rated heat output of less than 5kW.

**NOTE:** The air leakage of a modern house is tested at the completion of construction and a certificate issued confirming this.

3.2 This appliance requires a constant supply of air to maintain proper combustion and effective flue performance.

3.3 An inadequate air supply can result in poor combustion and smoke entering the room which is potentially dangerous.

3.4 This supply of air can come from either:

- Purpose provided ventilation.
- Some Stovax appliances can also be fitted with an optional outdoor air kit which allows air to be drawn in from the outside.

3.5 The amount of air required must comply with local building regulations and the rules in force.

3.6 If spillage is detected during commissioning then there may be insufficient natural ventilation and an additional air supply will be necessary.

3.7 Permanent air vents should be non-adjustable and positioned where they are unlikely to become blocked.

3.8 If vents open into adjoining rooms or spaces there must be an air vent of at least the same size direct to the outside.

3.9 Site the vents where cold draught is unlikely to cause discomfort. This can be avoided by placing vents near ceilings or close to the appliance (See diagram).

3.10 Extractor fans or cooker hoods must not be placed in the same room or space as this can cause the appliance to emit fumes into the room.

3.11 Increase air supply provisions where a room contains multiple appliances.

3.12 **If any checks reveal problems do not proceed with the fitting of the appliance until they have been rectified.**

4. Minimum Dimensions - Hearth

4.1 The appliance must stand on a non-combustible constructional hearth which is at least 125mm thick with the minimum dimensions as shown in diagram. As this appliance can be installed in an elevated setting it is recommended to increase the 225mm hearth depth to safely contain any falling logs or embers. The higher the appliance is installed the deeper the hearth should be to avoid scratched floor coverings.

4.2 The building must have a suitable load-bearing capacity for the hearth and appliance. Consult a structural engineer for advice before proceeding.

4.3 When fitting into an existing hearth check that the appliance complies with current construction regulations and is at least the minimum sizes shown.

4.4 If there is no existing fireplace or chimney it is possible to construct a suitable non-combustible housing and hearth setting. The flue must be installed in accordance with all local and national regulations and current rules in force.

4.5 Check if adding a new chimney to your property requires planning permission.

4.6 Some houses are built using a timber frame construction with high levels of thermal insulation. Isolate the appliance from combustible materials, and provide sufficient ventilation to maintain the heating efficiency.
5. Fitting Appliances On A Boat

5.1 If an appliance is to be fitted in a boat it must be done in accordance with the latest edition of BS 8511 (Code of Practice for the Installation of Solid Fuel Heating Appliances on Boats). The Code covers the design, installation and operation of solid fuel heating appliances that are suitable for fitting into inland waterway boats, and gives guidance on product selection, design considerations, installation requirements, inspection and testing, as well as maintenance and safe use tips.

5.2 Consideration should also be given to the requirements of the Boat Safety Scheme (BSS) to ensure the boat's insurance remains valid.

5.3 The appliance should only be installed by a competent person with experience of the latest edition of BS 8511 and the Boat Safety Scheme (BSS).

5.4 Secure the product to a suitably constructed non-combustible hearth.

5.5 All open flued appliances can be affected by temporary atmospheric conditions which may allow fumes to enter the boat. An electronic carbon monoxide detector conforming to the latest edition of BSEN50292 must be fitted and maintained.

5.6 Failure to safely install the appliance could endanger the boat and persons on board.

Organisations authorised to certify competence in the installation of domestic solid fuel appliances (Competent Persons Scheme):

- **APHC** - Association of Plumbing and Heating Contractors (Certification) Ltd.  
  www.aphc.co.uk

- **BESCA** - Building Engineering Services Competence Accreditation Ltd.  
  www.besca.org.uk

- **HETAS** - Heating Equipment Testing and Approval Scheme Ltd.  
  www.hetas.co.uk

- **NAPIT** - National Association of Professional Inspectors and Testers Ltd.  
  www.napit.org.uk

- **NICEIC** - NICEIC Group Ltd.  
  www.niceic.org.uk

**HETAS Approved Chimney Sweeps:**

- **NACS** - The National Association of Chimney Sweeps  
  www.chimneyworks.co.uk

- **APICS** - The Association of Master Chimney Sweeps Ltd.  
  www.apics.org

The Guild of Master Chimney Sweeps - guildofmasterchimneysweeps.co.uk
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Due to continual technical improvements please check online or with your Stovax retailer for the most up to date parts lists.

Only use Genuine Stovax spares when servicing your appliance. All of our essential spare parts and consumable items are available to purchase from our webshop at www.stovaxspares.com.
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HETAS Approval

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Recommended Fuels

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