

Supplemental Instructions for Water Heater Insulation Blanket

Installation of this water heater insulation blanket is required after completing the installation of the water heater. See “Installation & Operation Instruction Manual” supplied with the water heater.

DANGER

- Disconnect or turn off power supply to water heater before installing insulation blanket or servicing.
- DO NOT block drain valve or temperature and pressure relief valve.

RECOMMENDED INSTALLATION PROCEDURE

CAUTION

Wear clothing adequate to protect against skin contact and irritation. A long-sleeved shirt with collar and cuffs buttoned, gloves, hat, glasses and disposable dust respirator are advisable.

Write down the complete model and serial numbers of the water heater in the space provided below and store in a safe place for future reference, or write via permanent marker on the outer covering of the insulation blanket.

MODEL NUMBER _____

SERIAL NUMBER _____

To ease the installation process, the discharge line connected to the temperature and pressure relief valve may be temporarily removed.

WARNING

The discharge line **must** be reconnected to the temperature and pressure relief valve after installation of the insulation blanket has been completed.



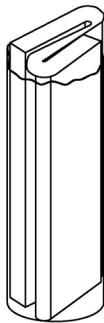
WARNING

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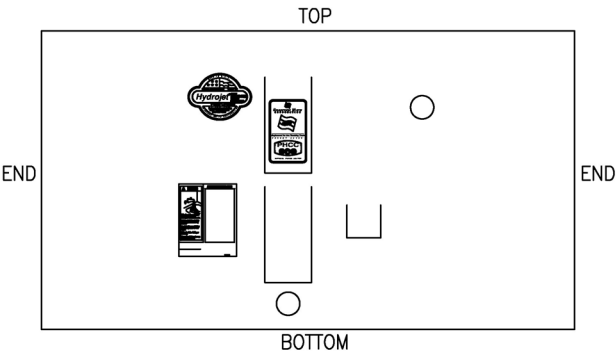
As required by the state of California Proposition 65.

When a drain pan must be installed to avoid water damage to the area adjacent to the water heater, the drain pan must have a minimum length and width of at least 6 inches (15.2 cm) greater than the diameter of the water heater (prior to the blanket being installed).

Remove insulation blanket from sleeve and unroll in clear and dry area. Before installation, the insulation blanket must be "fluffed" and not compressed.



FOLDED BLANKET
IN SLEEVE

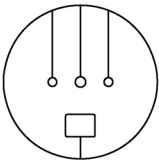


UNFOLDED BLANKET VIEWED FROM FRONT



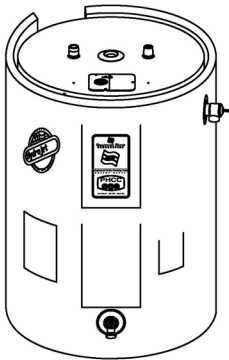
TAPE

3"x60"
(3 ROLLS)

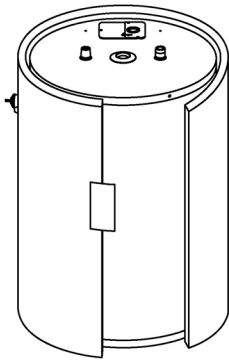


HEAD BLANKET

With vinyl facing outward and fiberglass against water heater surface, loosely wrap insulation blanket around water heater. Align pre-cut openings in insulation blanket with drain valve, control covers and temperature and pressure relief valve of water heater. When components on water heater align with corresponding pre-cut openings, secure one end of insulation blanket to water heater using a 5" piece of tape. See below.

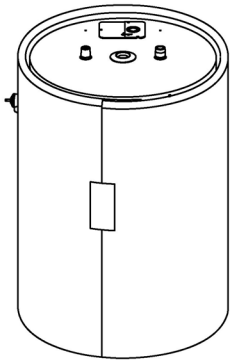


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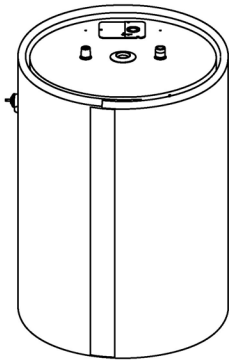


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Wrap other end of insulation blanket around water heater until ends of the insulation blanket overlap. Using another 5" piece of tape, secure the overlapped edge to the insulation blanket. Use tape to cover vertical seam created by exposed edge of the insulation blanket.

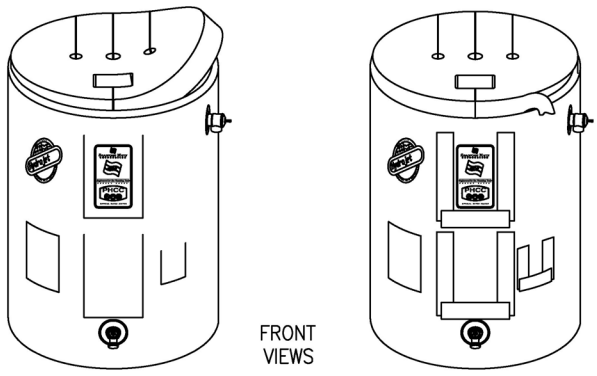


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With the vinyl facing upward and fiberglass against the top of the water heater, place the head blanket on top of the water heater. Align pre-cut openings in the head blanket with the water nipples, temperature and pressure relief valve, and junction box of the water heater. When components on water heater align with corresponding pre-cut openings in the head blanket, secure the head blanket to the insulation blanket use tape to seal the flaps shut on the blanket. See below.



IMPORTANT

Not all models require the use of a piece of head insulation.

Reconnect discharge line to temperature and pressure relief valve as shown below.

For information about the model number, serial number and operating characteristics of the water heater carefully lift flap identified in the previous figure to reveal the rating plate. If additional information is required, carefully remove the insulation blanket. When finished, replace insulation blanket in the same manner as originally installed or contact your plumbing professional.

