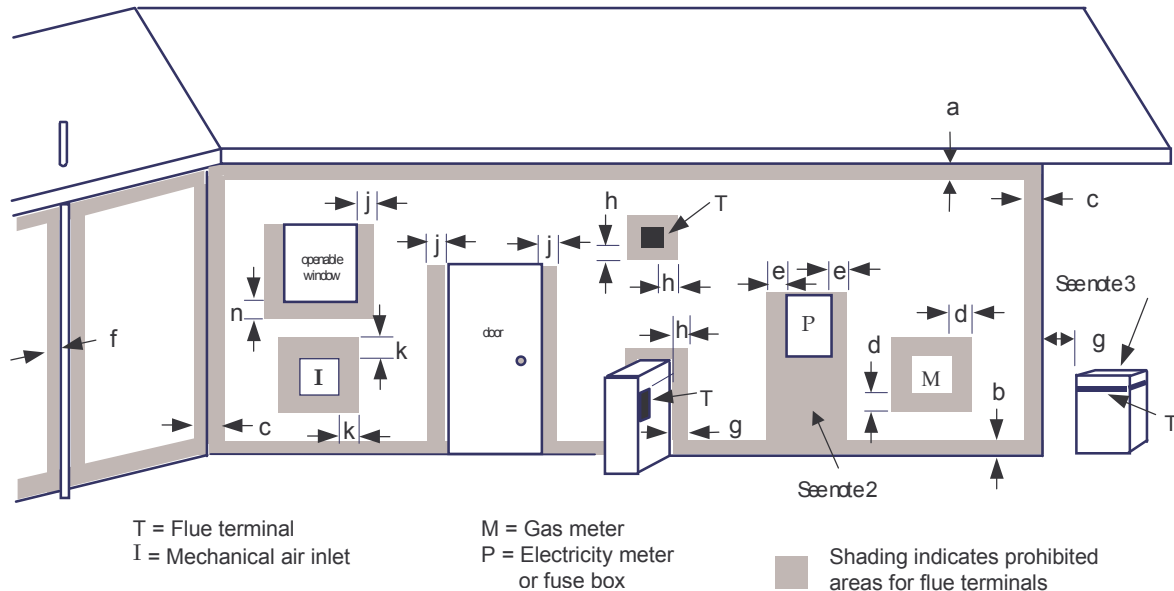


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Flue clearances



Ref.	Item	Minimum clearances (mm)	
		Natural draught	Fan assisted
a	Below eaves, balconies and other projections:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appliances up to 50 MJ/h input Appliances over 50 MJ/h input 	300 500	200 300
b	From the ground, above a balcony or other surface †	300	300
c	From a return wall or external corner †	500	300
d	From a gas meter (M)	1000	1000
e	From an electricity meter or fuse box (P)	500	500
f	From a drain pipe or soil pipe	150	75
g	Horizontally from any building structure † or obstruction facing a terminal	500	500
h	From any other flue terminal, cowl or combustion air intake †	500	300
j	Horizontally from an openable window, door, non-mechanical air inlet or any other opening into a building with the exception of sub-floor ventilation:		
	• Appliances up to 150 MJ/h input	500	300
	• Appliances over 150 MJ/h input up to 200 MJ/h input	1500	300
	• Appliances over 200 MJ/h input up to 250 MJ/h input †	1500	500
	• Appliances over 250 MJ/h input †	1500	1500
	• All fan-assisted flue appliances, in the direction of discharge		1500
k	From a mechanical air inlet, including a spa blower	1500	1000
n	Vertically below an openable window, non-mechanical air inlet, or any other opening into a building with the exception of sub-floor ventilation:		
	• Space heaters up to 50 MJ/h input	150	150
	• Other appliances up to 50 MJ/h input	500	500
	• Appliances over 50 MJ/h input and up to 150 MJ/h input	1000	1000
	• Appliances over 150 MJ/h input	1500	1500

† - unless appliance is approved for closer installation

See Notes overleaf

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Notes:

- 1 All distances are measured to the nearest part of the terminal.
- 2 Prohibited area below electricity meter or fuse box extends to ground level.
- 3 Where the flue terminal of a balanced flue appliance, a fan-assisted flue appliance, a room sealed appliance or the flue terminal of an appliance designed for outdoor installation is to be installed under a covered area -
 - (a) the covered area is to be open on at least two sides; and
 - (b) the terminal is to be located to ensure a free flow of air across it is achieved.
- 4 See AS 5601 Gas Installations, for clearances required from a flue terminal to an LP Gas cylinder. A flue terminal is considered to be a source of ignition.
- 5 For appliances not addressed above, approval shall be obtained from Energy Safe Victoria.

If further information is required, please phone the
Gas Safety Technical Information Line on 1800 652 563

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