

# Positive Input Ventilation Edition 1.1

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# Positive Input Ventilation

Solutions designed especially for Social Housing









Mould is a simple plant; if you want to kill it, stop watering it. If mould has already formed, painting over it will not solve the problem. Ventilation is mould's biggest enemy as it removes the root cause: the moisture in the air. Where mould is present in bedrooms or other livings rooms, PoziDry Pro™ or PoziDry Compact Pro will provide the answer.

Discrete

Tamper Proof

Low Maintenance

Ultra Quiet



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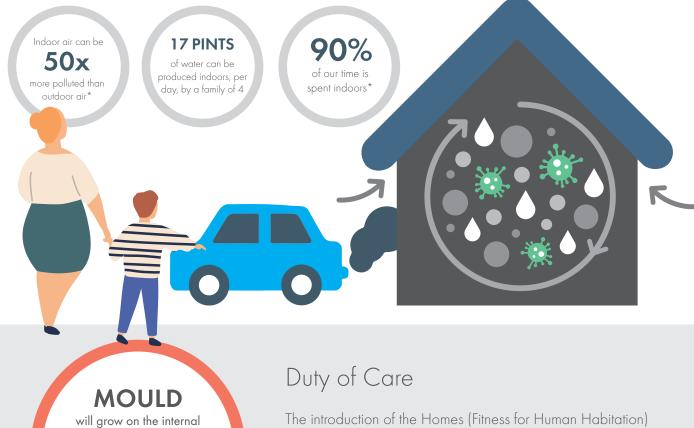
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# Unhealthy Homes

Pollutants such as moisture in the air, chemicals from household cleaners, mould spores and dust mite faeces can all lead to conditions not fit for human habitation.

## Why are homes polluted?

Under the Decent Homes Standard we have fitted double glazed windows, cavity wall and loft insulation and fitted insulating doors to many homes around the UK. However, these energy efficiency measures have sealed our homes and reduced the amount of air that can escape; causing moisture, mould and other indoor air pollution to increase.



surfaces of buildings when Relative
Humidity at the surface exceeds
80% for 6 > hours per day.

New Horizons Project DO3 -Technical Report ODPM The introduction of the Homes (Fitness for Human Habitation) Act 2018 means that landlords now have an increasing responsibility for the conditions in which their residents live. Occurrences of damp and mould are specifically called up in the bill as being conditions unsuitable for human habitation, with the onus on the landlord to rectify the issue.

<sup>\*</sup> Source - www.myhealthmyhome.com



PIV units can provide a whole house solution to indoor air pollutants and make a home habitable again.



### How does PIV work?

Positive Input Ventilation (PIV) is an energy efficient method of pushing out and replacing stale unhealthy air with clean drier air, by gently introducing filtered air into the home and increasing the circulation of air around the property. By removing the moisture and other pollutants from the air, mould cannot grow which removes the problem at source.



### A solution for all types of properties

PIV units are usually situated in a loft or on a wall. Our PoziDry range offers both solutions whether you are dealing with a house or a flat. To keep things simple, we have used the same commissioning and controls platform so that whether you are solving a problem for a house or flat, commissioning is common and easy.





Condensation and mould are controlled as moisture laden air is replaced by drier air. This protects the property from harmful condensation and mould.



Inbound air is filtered improving the indoor air quality. The optional F7 filter will remove almost all pollen from the air and help reduce diesel particulates.



Volatile organic compounds (VOCs), dust mites and other indoor air pollutants are reduced, giving your residents a healthier indoor environment.

# Designed for resident satisfaction

PoziDry Pro<sup>™</sup> gives installers precise control over airflow.





You want a whole house ventilation solution to condensation and mould that leaves the resident happy. However, we've found there are some common complaints from residents after a PIV is installed:







We understand that **COMPLAINTS** consume time and energy better spent on other things that make a difference.

The PoziDry Pro™ can help solve condensation and mould issues, without the complaints.

## ✓ Cold Draughts

Every resident and home is different. Therefore fine control of the air velocity and heater temperature are essential to eliminate cold draughts.  $SmartSense^{\mathsf{TM}}$  technology allows for 11/s or 1°C adjustments to ensure resident thermal comfort.

## ✓ Noise Levels

Introducing any mechanical system into a home will always create a noise; however some units are louder than others. Antivibration legs and mounting options along with smart flow diffuser technology allow for an ultra quiet installation.

## Running Costs

Residents at risk of fuel poverty need to know that the positive input ventilation system isn't going to cause problems with their energy bills. With an ultra low power consumption motor, the PoziDry Pro™ can service a 3 bed house for as little as £5 per annum.





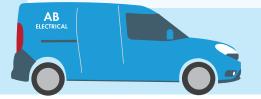
■ The PoziDry Pro's unique leg design allows for anti-vibration mounting.

The PoziDry Compact Pro's ▶ innovative internal foam casing allows for anti-vibration mounting.



## Ease of Install

The PoziDry Pro<sup>™</sup> range provides solutions suitable for dwellings with or without loft space.





It is not always possible to find room for a new ventilation system in an already busy home. This can lead to installations being put into awkward spots where the residents will be most affected by the aesthetics or noise from a product.

That is why our PIV systems are flexible and small to ensure the best installation every time.





The PoziDry Compact Pro is the smallest on the market, meaning you can always find space for it even in the smallest of apartments.

The foam back plate is less than 100g meaning there is no longer a need to lift a heavy metal box above head height to mark drilling holes.

With 2 inlet and 2 outlet positions, the PoziDry Compact Pro can be installed in 16 orientations, giving you the ultimate installation flexibility.





# Landlord Support

Resolve condensation and mould issues for good and future proof your housing stock.



You need to know that your property is being looked after. Ventilation can protect your assets from condensation and mould, but only if it is operating as intended and installed properly.

## The challenges we know you face

Positive Input Ventilation is a very successful solution, but these common issues can leave landlords

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#### Cost to Residents

Concerns over energy bills can lead to complaints, with little evidence to back up the manufacturers claims, how can landlords re-assure their residents?



#### **Tampering**

If a resident switches the product off or turns it down, the condensation may return. This could leave you frustrated and without a plan of action. How can landlords ensure their solutions are being followed through?



#### Correct Installation

A good ventilation system is only as good as its installation. How can landlords be sure that their system is installed correctly and tackling the problem?

## Unrivalled Support Beyond Purchase

The PoziDry family comes with in-built security features and can be installed by our approved installers to guarantee

> **PEACE OF** MIND



Identify whether the system is being used with the days run logger or communicate with residents over accurately measured running costs with the SmartSense<sup>™</sup> controls platform.



#### Tamper Proof

Residents can interfere with the unit and reduce airflow, allowing mould to return. The PoziDry range allows you to set a customised 3 digit PIN at installation to prevent changes to the settings and confusion when the mould returns.



#### Supply and Fit

A good PIV unit poorly fitted will cause a problem, a poor PIV unit well fitted won't do anything. We can take care of everything for you. Installation is important, many issues can arise from unexpected places. Let us install for you and get a 30 day money back guarantee and a 7 year warranty.

# Helping the Environment

By reducing your carbon footprint.





# Made in Britain

We design, develop and manufacture our fans in the UK. We have reduced transport related carbon emissions by up to 15 Tonnes per year and invested in UK skilled jobs, increasing our local workforce and providing a boost to the local job market.



# Longevity of Spares

Vent-Axia has long been recognised as setting a gold standard for the availability of spares and support for obsolete product ranges. For example the Standard Range was launched over 60 years ago and we still supply components and spares.



# Low Power Consumption

Did you know that 1W can make a huge difference over the lifetime of a product? 1W running for 35 years means approximately  $85 {\rm kg~CO}_2$  emitted into the atmosphere. That is why we strive to use the lowest power consumption possible motor technology to play our part.

### Replaceable Cartridge



With a 7 year guarantee, repairs and replacement on your wall mounted PIV units will be one less headache. However, you can rest assured that with the replaceable cartridge system, and recyclable ABS construction, you are making the environmentally friendly choice.



Only replacing the inner cartridge means less plastic waste and less fuel for shipping, ultimately lowering the carbon footprint of the installation.



What this also means is that the duct work, wiring and mounting are not disturbed during re-installation meaning that the decorative condition of the home is left untouched.



▲▼ The PoziDry Compact



All our PIV fans are made with recyclable ABS plastic.



# PoziDry Pro

Ensure resident satisfaction and reduce the need to re-visit the property.



#### Easy Filter Replacement

The product's unique filter choices make improving indoor air quality easy. Choose from G4 or F7 filter options providing filtration down to PM2.5, which includes diesel particulates. Push fit connections make filter attachment easy during servicing.



#### Anti-vibration Legs

To make PoziDry Pro™ whisper quiet throughout its operational life, a UK made ball bearing motor with dual anti-vibration mounts is fitted. The purpose designed acoustic legs dissipate any vibration, guaranteeing silent operation.



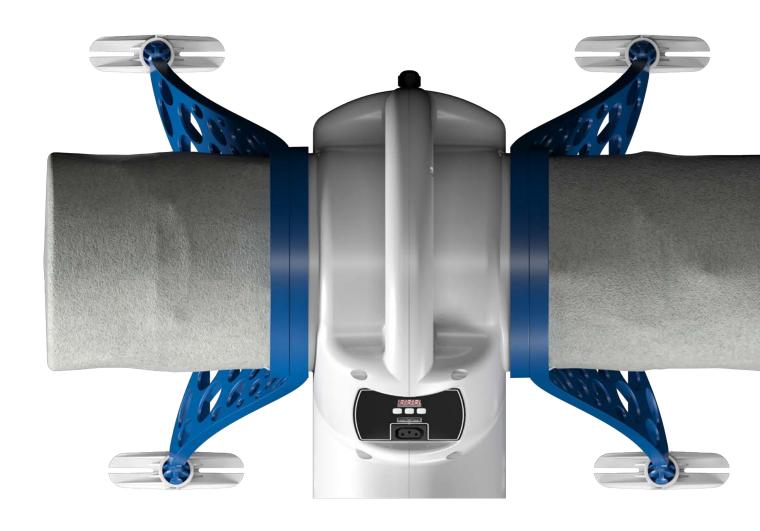
#### Discreet Diffuser

The discreet circular diffuser is easily fitted and maintained. Its low profile and aesthetically pleasing design has been developed with resident acceptability in mind.



#### Ultimate Thermal Comfort

The PoziDry Pro™allows full adjustment of both the air velocity and temperature in 11/s or 1°C increments. It also has adjustable boost temperatures to reduce the risk of filling the home with cooler air, especially when the resident has the thermostat up high. Also, for those who like it warm, the PoziDry Pro™ has an adjustable summertime cut-off temperature to allow the unit to continue running even at high temperatures.





#### Unit Size

With its body measuring only 447 x 364mm PoziDry Pro™ will easily fit through standard loft hatches. The compact size makes it easy to store and transport and means it is versatile to fit.



#### Easy Handling

The easy grip handle moulded into the main body makes transporting the PoziDry Pro™ into the loft simple. The ability to carry the unit with one hand allows you to retain 3 points of contact on the ladder and stay safe.



#### Energy Efficient Heater

The flexible heater option allows the heater to be located at either unit or diffuser level. Locating the heater at diffuser level can save up to 4°C of heat loss.



#### Up to 7 Years Warranty

With a high performance, long life motor and precision engineered components, the PoziDry Pro™ delivers maximum air performance with minimum wear and tear. This gives us the absolute confidence to guarantee it for up to 7 years.



# PoziDry Compact Pro

The smallest PIV unit on the market



#### Replaceable Cartridge

With all the critical components located on one central and easy to replace cartridge, repairs and replacement is easy. Simply unplug and remove the central cartridge, leaving the ductwork and back plate intact.



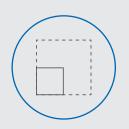
#### Foam Construction

Metal PIV units can pool with condensation and vibrate noisily. With an insulated foam body construction, the PoziDry Compact Pro is condensation resistant and dampens noisy vibrations providing an ultra quiet operation.



#### Easily Replaced Filters

The product's unique filter choices make improving indoor air quality easy. Choose from G4 or F7 filter options providing filtration down to PM2.5 which includes diesel particulates. Push fit connections make filter attachment easy during servicing.



#### Small and Compact

We understand that finding a place to install a PIV system in a small property without a loft space can be challenging. The PoziDry Compact Pro is a small, shoebox sized unit that can be installed almost anywhere, even boxed in entirely along with the ductwork, to provide a discreet and unobtrusive solution.







#### Flexible Configurations

The unit has 2 options for inlet and outlet positions. This combined with the ability to be installed horizontally, vertically or even upside down gives you complete freedom over your installation location.



#### Discreet ABS Cover

The discreet cover combines simple geometry with a subtle matte finish to blend in with the room and minimise the impact on the resident's home.



#### In-built Adjustable Grille

The unit comes with 2 blanking plates and 1 grille with adjustable airflow direction to always point the air in the best direction so that residents don't experience cold draughts.



#### Up to 7 Years Warranty

With a high performance, long life, 12 pole motor and precision engineered components, the PoziDry Compact Pro delivers maximum air performance with minimum wear and tear. This gives us the absolute confidence to guarantee it for up to 7 years.





# A Wide Range of Solutions

More than just an innovative ventilation manufacturer



### Survey

Our experienced consultants can visit your site and provide impartial expert advice on condensation and mould complaints and issues you may be experiencing at the property, which will help determine if ventilation could be a solution to the problem. This includes detailed reports outlining recommendations within 48 hours.





### **Products**

Designed with residents in mind, our social housing product solutions are powerful enough to remove moist air to help eradicate condensation & mould and at the same time quiet enough not to disturb while remaining energy efficient.





### Installation

Getting it right the first time isn't always easy. We provide an end-to-end solution and can install the right product to combat the problem, offering peace of mind, ensuring a happy resident and protecting the property over the long term.





## Support

Our expert ventilation consultants are always on-hand to assist with queries, offer their expert opinions, or even assist installers on trials of new ventilation products. Backed up by a knowledgeable and friendly technical support department, you can rest assured that Vent-Axia will always offer first class support.





### Training

The ventilation industry is constantly changing and evolving. So are our customer's challenges and that is why we are on hand to offer practical, engaging and informative training. From CPD courses on mould and condensation to hands-on toolbox talks on installation, we can help you to stay ahead of the knowledge curve.







### Downloads

Vent-Axia has simplified the way you can access information. Knowledge Hub provides you with our literature and comprehensive product information all in one place, at the touch of a button. Watch our video now to find out more.

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# PoziDry Pro<sup>™</sup> Technical Specification

#### Models



#### PoziDry $\text{Pro}^{\text{\tiny{M}}}$ with G4 filter, 2m of flexi duct and a Ø200mm Smart Airflow™ discreet diffuser †

BBA approved positive input ventilation for whole house mould and condensation control. Smart Sense™ control allows quick and accurate set up. Variable speed control allows the unit to be effective in a property up to 150m². Automatic summer shut off stops warm air coming back into the property. Wireless control ready.

Stock Ref 476310



#### PoziDry $\text{Pro}^{\text{\tiny{M}}}$ with Heater, G4 filter, 2m of flexi duct and a Ø200mm Smart Airflow™ discreet diffuser †

BBA approved positive input ventilation with heater for whole house mould and condensation control. Smart Sense  $^{\!\scriptscriptstyle{\mathrm{IM}}}$  control allows quick and accurate set up. Variable speed control allows the unit to be effective in a property up to 150m<sup>2</sup>. Automatic summer shut off stops warm air coming back into the property. Flexible heater mounting options. Wireless control ready.

Stock Ref

476311



#### PoziDry Pro™ FD with Heater, G4 filter, 2m of flexi duct & Ø200mm Fire rated diffuser (Multi-storey Compliant) † and ††

BBA approved positive input ventilation with heater and fire damper for whole house mould and condensation control. Smart Sense™ control allows quick and accurate set up. Variable speed control allows the unit to be effective in a property up to 150m<sup>2</sup>. Automatic summer shut off stops warm air coming back into the property. Flexible heater mounting options. Fire Damper model supplied with relay to fire alarm cut off and intumescent fire protective ducting. Wireless control ready.

Stock Ref 476312

#### Accessories

#### Twin Spigot Kit

Kit allows for a second diffuser to be fitted offering multi-room ventilation.

#### Stock Ref

#### 449071

#### Includes:

1 x 436592 (Ø200mm 6m Duct)

2 x **561707** (Worm Clips)

1 x **452085** (Ø200mm equal Y Piece)

1 x 478228 (Diffuser)

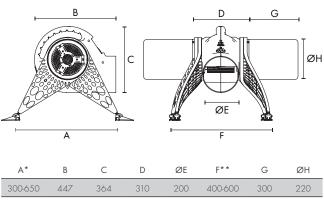
#### F7 Filter Set

F7 filters offer additional filtration removing harmful particulates down to PM2.5

Stock Ref

476401

#### Dimensions (mm)



<sup>\*</sup>Variable to allow for adapting product height. \*\*Variable to adapt to differing joist widths. Height will vary as A dimension changes

#### Performance Guide

	Extract Perform	nance (I/s) - FID	Power (W)		
Bedroom	Trickle	Normal	Trickle	Normal	
1	13	25	2.2	3.6	
2	17	31	2.6	4.8	
3	21	38	3.2	5.5	
4	25	44	3.6	7.5	
5	29	50	4.3	11.5	
Adjustable	10-60	10-60	Up to	14.5	



† Comes with 5 year guarantee †† Please note: PoziDry Pro™ FD model does not include a Smart Air™ technology diffuser

# PoziDry Compact Pro Technical Specification

#### Model



#### With integral heater

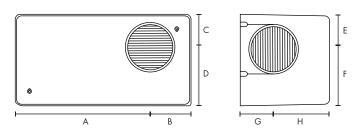
BBA approved positive input ventilation with heater for whole house mould and condensation control. Smart Sense™ control allows quick and accurate set up. Variable speed control allows the unit to be effective in apartments with up to 4 bedrooms. Foam construction for minimum noise levels and removable cartridge for quick and environmentally friendly repairs and replacement.

Stock Ref 479188

#### Accessories

Model	Stock Ref
ABS Spare Cover	479843
Spare Boxing Cover	479849
Spare Boxing Cover with Grille right	479850
Spare Boxing Cover with Grille left	479851
Boxing 200mmx200mm 2m	479852
Boxing End Stop	479853
Boxing End Stop with Grille	479854
Boxing Inner Bend	479855
Boxing Outer Bend	479856
Silencer kit	479857
Acoustic flexi duct	443273
Spare Scroll cartridge	479859
Spare PM10 filter	479860
Spare PM2.5 filter	479861

#### Dimensions (mm)



A B C D F F G H		
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302 91 74 132 79 127 75 125	100	6kg

#### Performance Guide

Speed	FID (I/s)	Power (W)	No. Bedrooms	Breakout dB(A) @ 3m
1	13	4.0	1	11.6
2	17	8.3	2	18.9
3	21	12.5	3	25.4
4	25	18.3	4	29.7



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