# **Installation Manual** SWT180 Brine-Earth Heat Exchanger







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## **1. GENERAL SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

#### Caution:

The following safety instructions should be observed:

- Read this installation manual thoroughly before beginning with the installation of the SWT180 and putting it into service.
- The installation and all electrical work may only be performed by qualified personnel.
- Observe all necessary legal and national requirements (accident prevention regulations and approved technical standards) when installing the SWT180 and putting it into service.
- No liability whatsoever is assumed for any damage caused by non-product-specific storage, inappropriate installation or improper use.
- The technical specifications of this installation manual must be observed to ensure the legal fulfilment of any warranty claims. The warranty is extended to five years if only genuine Pluggit components are used.
- Technical modifications reserved.

## **2. GENERAL NOTES**

#### 2.1. INTENDED USE

The SWT180 can be used to preheat the supplied outside air in winter and precool it in summer.

To do so, the supplied outside air is directed through the heat exchanger of the SWT180 in which a brine mixture (water-antifreeze mixture) circulates.

This allows the utilisation of the higher earth temperature in order to heat the outside air and ensure frost-proof operation of the ventilation unit in winter.

In summer the cooler earth temperature is used to pre-cool the outside air.

## **3. INSTALLATION CONDITIONS**

#### **3.1. PRELIMINARY WORK BY THE CUSTOMER**

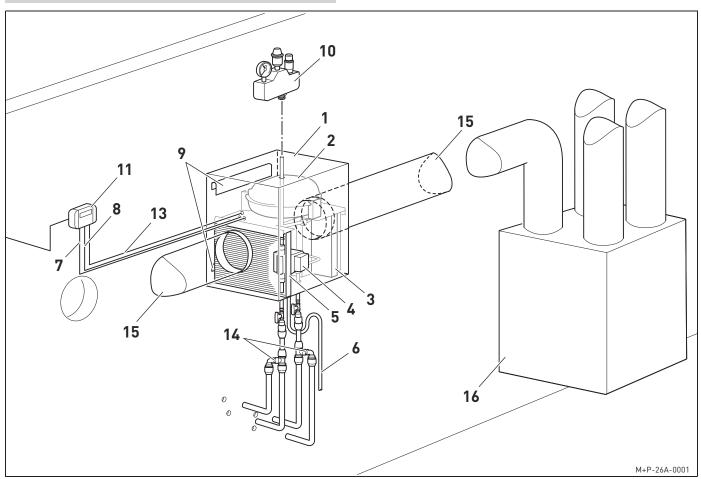
- Determine a suitable location for the SWT180:
  - Vibration-free
  - Water-protected
  - Free from variations in temperature
  - Nearby the ventilation unit
  - With accessible connections for maintenance work
- Install the PE pipes for the brine lines in the earth. See page 9 for the components required.
- Create water-tight wall ducts for the outer air supply and brine lines.
- Create a condensate drain.
- Install the electrical connection with 230 V for the SWT180S controller.

#### Note:

All permits, laws and rules required can be found in the product information.



## 4. ITEMS OF THE SET



#### SWT180 Pluggit brine-earth heat exchanger

- **1** SWT180
- 2 Expansion vessel
- 3 Heat exchanger
- 4 Circulation pump
- **5** Filter of G4 quality
- 6 Condensate line
- 7 Temperature sensor (A)
- 8 Temperature sensor (I)
- 9 Mounting bracket
- 10 Safety assembly

#### SWT180S controller

- 11 SWT180S controller
- 12 SWT180S controller connection
- 13 Circulation pump connection

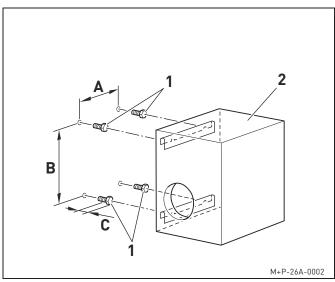
#### Accessories required

- 14 Components to be provided by the customer (see page 9)
- **15** Ventilation pipes (see page 7)
- **16** Avent P300, Avent P300N or Avent P450 Pluggit ventilation unit



## **5. INSTALLATION**

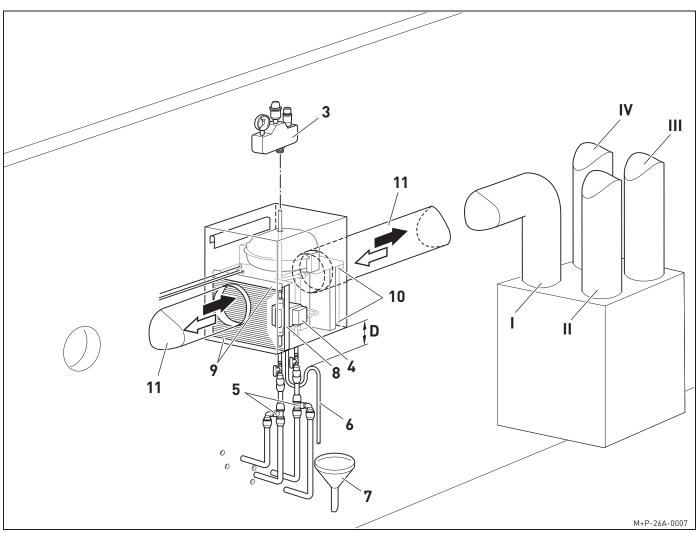
#### 5.1. INSTALLING THE SWT180



- 1. Drill holes as illustrated here and screw in the screws (1) M6x60 DIN 7976.
  - **A** 300 mm
  - **B** 385 mm
  - **C** 3 mm
- 2. Hook in the SWT180 (2).



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- 3. Connect the safety assembly (3) in a professional manner.
- 4. Wire the circulation pump (4).
- 5. Connect the brine lines (5).
- 6. Fasten the condensate line (6).
- Put the condensate line (6) in a siphon loop into a funnel (7) or siphon.
   Observe a minimum drain height (D) of the condensate of 100 mm.
- 8. Insert the filter (8) on the outside air intake side.

  → flow direction:
  Insert the filter (8) in holders (9).
  <□ flow direction:</p>

Insert the filter (8) in holders (10).

- 9. Install the ventilation pipes (11) in a professional manner.
  - I Outside air (AU)
  - II Exhaust air (AB)
  - III Supply air (ZU)
  - IV Outgoing air (FO)

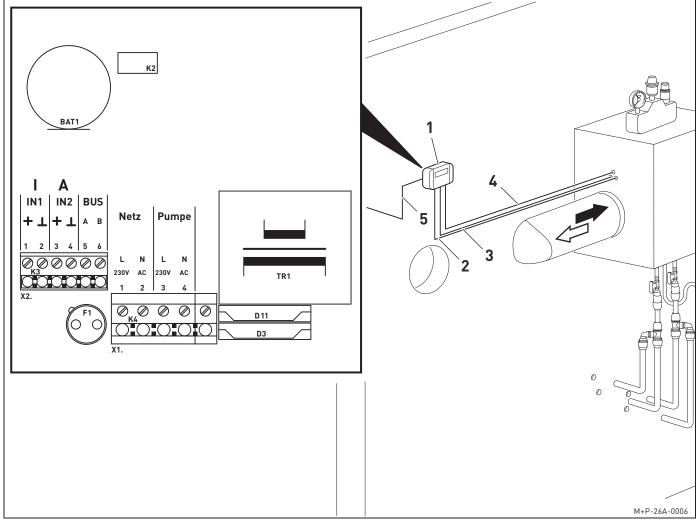
#### Note:

The following sections of the technical manual must be observed for the installation of the ventilation pipes:

- Heat insulation and protection against the formation of condensation
- IsoPlugg insulation pipe and moulded parts
- Fitting and operation IsoPlugg insulation pipe



#### 5.2. CONNECTING THE SWT180S CONTROLLER



IN1 terminal for temperature sensor (I)

IN2 terminal for temperature sensor (A)

#### Bus terminal

Mains terminal (line cross-section of 3 x 1.5 mm<sup>2</sup>)

Pump terminal (line cross-section of 3 x 0.75 mm<sup>2</sup>)

- 1. Fasten the SWT180S controller (1).
- Connect temperature sensor A (2) to the IN2 terminal downstream of the heat exchanger <□ in the direction of flow.
- Connect temperature sensor I (3) to the IN1 terminal upstream of the heat exchanger 
   → in the direction of flow.
- 4. Connect the circulation pump (4) to the pump terminal.
- 5. Connect the SWT180S controller (5) to the mains terminal.

#### 5.3. FILLING THE SYSTEM

#### Note:

Observe sufficient mixing proportions of the brine mixture. Frost protection must be ensured at approx. -18 °C.

- 1. Fill the system with approx. 60 litres of brine mixture.
- 2. Bleed the brine lines in a professional manner after filling the system.
- 3. Pressurise the system with approx. 1.5 2.0 bar.



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## **6. PRESSURE TEST**

The system must be subjected to a pressure test in compliance with DIN EN 805 or the DVGW (German Gas and Water Society) work sheet W 400-2 before putting it into service after installing it.

The pressure test should be conducted only by qualified personnel with expertise in conducting such pressure tests, in the testing methods and in the required safety regulations.

## 7. REMOVAL FROM SERVICE/DISPOSAL

#### 7.1. SHUT-DOWN FOR REMOVAL

The system may be removed from service only by qualified personnel.

- De-energise the system.
- Disconnect the entire system from the mains supply.

#### 7.2. PACKAGING

The transport and protective packaging is made largely of reusable materials.

All packaging materials should be disposed of according to local regulations.

#### 7.3. OLD UNIT

The SWT180 and SWT180S controller also contain valuable materials and substances which should not end up in the residual waste.

Hand over old units to a local recycling plant for recycling.

## 8. TECHNICAL DATA

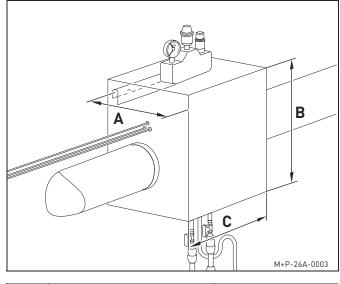
#### 8.1. ACCESSORIES REQUIRED

- Screws (M6x60 DIN 7976) for mounting bracket
- SWT180S controller for Pluggit SWT180 brine-earth heat exchanger
- IsoPlugg ventilation pipes, IP150 or IP180 insulation pipe
- Components to be provided by the customer (see page 9)
- Optional filter of F7 filter quality

#### 8.2. DEVICE DATA

Weight	35 kg
Connection for ventilations pipes	<ul> <li>IsoPlugg IP150 or IP180 insulation pipes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Standard vapour diffusion-tight insulated pipes with d 150 mm or 180 mm</li> </ul>
Connection for brine lines	15 x 1 mm copper pipe
Air flow rate	max. 330 m <sup>3</sup> /h
Brine delivery rate	150 - 200 litres/h
Operating pressure	1.5 - 2.0 bar
Filter	G4 filter quality Optionally available in F7 filter quality.

#### 8.3. DIMENSIONS



А	Total width	420 mm
В	Total height	480 mm
С	Total length	504 mm

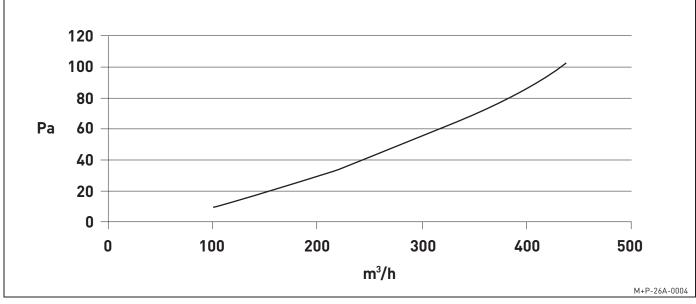
## Note:

Keep an additional clearance of approx. 500 mm around the SWT180 for connections and subsequent maintenance work.



## 9. APPENDICES

## 9.1. PRESSURE DROP AT SWT180 WITH G4 FILTER



Pa Pressure drop

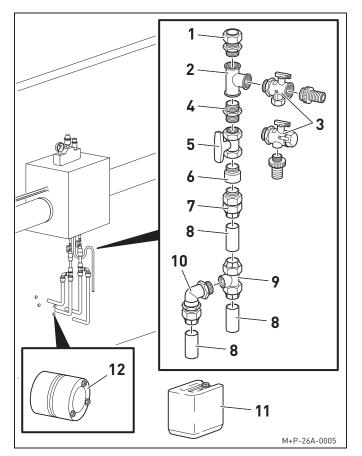
**m<sup>3</sup>/h** Flow rate



## 10. COMPONENTS TO BE PROVIDED BY THE CUSTOMER

All components specified here are required to make sure the SWT180 works.

The required number of components may vary depending on the structural conditions.



Pos.	Component	Description	Optional	Quantity
1	Clamping ring fitting <sup>1)</sup>	<ul> <li>15 x ½" (SWT180 copper line connection of 15 x 1 mm)</li> </ul>		2
		• Of brass		
		<ul> <li>For mild steel, copper, stainless steel and cross-linked PE pipes</li> </ul>		
		Suitable for concealed installation		
		in accordance with DVGW TRGI 1986		
		• DVGW work sheet W534 in combination with CU pipes of 12 - 54 mm		
		• DVGW work sheet W534 in combination with stainless pipes of 15 - 54 mm		
2	T-piece	• 1/2"		1
		• Bare red brass with 3 internal threads		



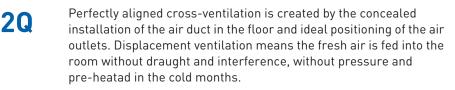
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Pos.	Component	Description	Optional	Quantity
3	Fill/drain ball	• 1/2"		1
	valve	With wing grip		
		Nickel-plated		
		Straight with hose fitting		
		Bend with hose fitting		
4	Hexagon fitting	• 1/2"		1
		Bare red brass		
5	Heating ball valve	• DN 15 mm		2
		• Red brass PN 10 bar with $\frac{1}{2}$ " internal thread		
		• 1x with gravity brake if necessary		
6	Reducer	• 1 x 1⁄2"		2
		• Bare red brass with external and internal thread		
7	Screw	• DN 32 mm with external thread (1")	• Screw connection DN 32 mm,	2
	connection	• PN 16 bar for water of 20 °C up to DN 63 mm	90° with external thread (1")	
		• PN 12.5 bar for water of 20 °C from	PN 16 bar for water of 20 °C up to DN 63 mm	
		DN 75 mm	PN 12.5 bar for water of 20 °C	
		• Also suitable for PEX pipes, with DVGW no.	from DN 75 mm Also suitable for PEX pipes	
			with DVGW no.	
8	PE-HD pipe	• 32 x 3 mm (corresponds to 1")	• PE-PEX pipes, 32 x 3 mm	2 x 50 m
		In compliance with DIN 8074/8075	(corresponds to 1") of high-	or 1 x 100 m
		• Black PE 80	pressure cross-linked PE-HD PN 12.5 bar/SDR 11 bar for DIN/	
		• PN 12.5 bar/SDR 11 bar	DVGW tested drinking water in	
			accordance with DIN 16892/93	
	2)		with blue PE coating	
9	T-piece <sup>2)</sup>	<ul> <li>DN 32 mm, 90° with internal thread (1") at central connecting piece</li> </ul>		2
		<ul> <li>PN 16 bar for water of 20 °C up to DN 63 mm</li> </ul>		
		<ul> <li>PN 12.5 bar for water of 20 °C from</li> </ul>		
		DN 75 mm		
		• Also suitable for PEX pipes, with DVGW no.		
10	Screw connection <sup>2]</sup>	• DN 32 mm, 90° with external thread (1")		2
		• PN 16 bar for water of 20 °C up to DN 63 mm		
		<ul> <li>PN 12.5 bar for water of 20 °C from DN 75 mm</li> </ul>		
		• Also suitable for PEX pipes, with DVGW no.		
11	Antifreeze	• E.g. Termera -35 °C	Use approved antifreeze for	60 litres
		Biological and environmentally friendly	installation in earth.	
		antifreeze which can be used undiluted.	Antifreeze concentrate of up to -18 °C, 20 litres	
12	Wall duct	• For PE-HD pipe, DN 32 mm		4
		Water-tight		
) Pres	s or solder fittings can al equired for 1 x 100 m lin	so be used (15 x ½")	1	1

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