Technology Comparison

Maximum Performance

HydroMax

Utilizes existing boiler energy to heat water.



- · Best hot water output.
- · Highest overall efficiency.
- · Insulated storage for peak demands.
- Installs almost anywhere. No flame, flue or fuel lines.
- Non-metallic water reservoir for long life and cleaner water.
- Instantaneous Indirect Technology™ reduces unwanted cycling and provides endless hot water.
- Removable heat exchanger can be easily cleaned.

Tankless Wall-Hung

Water is heated as it flows through unit.

Small footprint.

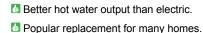


- Good firing efficiency.
- No storage. Simultaneous demands often exceed heater capacity.
- Requires dedicated flue.
- Gas supply line often needs to be upsized.
- Delayed start extends wait time for hot water.
- Can take over 20 years to achieve payback.
- Sensitive to scale buildup.

Conventional Gas-Fired



Natural Gas or LP flame heats stored water.



- May take over an hour to reheat.
- Conventional models offer poor efficiency.
- Heat loss typically high during idle periods.

Conventional Electric

Electric elements heat stored water.

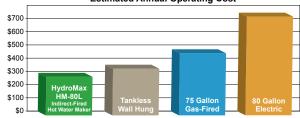
- Least expensive to purchase and install.
- Simple hookup, no flue or fuel lines.
- Poor hot water recovery performance.
- Electricity is typically the most expensive water heating method.
- Heating elements and anode rod often require service.

Hot Water Availability (Gallons in First Hour) 250 200 150 100 HydroMax HM-80L Indirect-Fired Hot Water Maker Wall Hung Gas-Fired Electric

Data based on published manufacturer ratings for high-output models.

Heat Input: Indirect 140,000 BTUH; Tankless 199,000 BTUH; Gas 70,000 BTUH; Electric 5500W

Estimated Annual Operating Cost



Costs based on US Department of Energy (DOE) guidelines for a four person household Energy Factor (EF/CAE): Boiler/Indirect. 85, Tankless .82, Gas .59, Electric .92



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Hydronic Efficiency To the Max™

There are many choices for heating water but only one provides the best combination of performance and efficiency: A HydroMax™ Indirect-Fired Water Heater. Using the home's existing boiler energy minimizes fuel use and maximizes hot water output. See how HydroMax[™] surpasses other water heater technologies in comfort and fuel savings.





Instantaneous Indirect Technology™ combines the convenience of stored hot water with the efficiency of a tankless on-demand water heater -

- Heats water only when you need it keeping HydroMax™ and your boiler off during idle periods.
- Digital accuracy offers a consistent hot water supply, gallon after gallon.

the best of both worlds!

- Built-in safety and performance diagnostics monitor the system.
- One-touch user modes to suit your hot water needs:



Standard Mode

Provides maximum hot water output – up to 3X other water heaters.



On-demand sensing saves energy and money.



Minimizes operation when you're away from home for extended periods.

Limited Lifetime Warranty

Upgradable from standard 7 year warranty.