

Caring for your Stelrad Radiator

Design, Installation and Commissioning

When designing domestic systems, we recommend that Stelrad radiators are only used in heating systems complying with British Standard Code of Practice for Central Heating for Domestic Premises BS EN 12828:2003 and BS EN 12831:2003. The central heating system should be commissioned and installed to BS5449 standard.

Single feed, direct cylinders are not recommended, should interchange of water occur, fresh aerated water would enter the heating system, resulting in corrosion.

On completion, of the installation, the system should be properly flushed and filled in accordance with the British Standard Code of Practice BS 7593:2006 for the Treatment of Water in Domestic Hot Water Central Heating Systems, Part L of Building Regulations and Good Practice Guidance for Scotland.

After installation of a new Stelrad radiator the central heating system should be cleaned and flushed with cleaner to remove existing contaminants, flux residue and other installation debris which, if left, can cause damage to the new radiator. Afterwards the system should be treated with an inhibitor to ensure long term protection against corrosion and lime scale.

Paint Finish

The radiator should be cleaned with warm water and non-abrasive, pH neutral detergent solution. It is recommended that you should thoroughly rinse the surfaces after cleaning to remove all residues, a soft cloth or sponge can be used for this purpose.

Aggressive cleaners, chemicals and abrasive pads should not be used.