

Glossary

Back-boiler	A boiler designed to fit into an existing fireplace and usually sold with a gas fire. The boiler works independently of the fire.
DFE	Decorative fuel effect gas fire. A fire which burns gas through a mock coal or log fire bed. DFEs are less than 20 per cent efficient.
LFE	Live fuel effect gas fire. A fire which burns gas through a mock coal or log fire bed to give the impression of combustion of the bed. LFEs are about 40 per cent to 60 per cent efficient.
Radiant gas fire	A fire which burns gas across ceramic box radiants and plaques which glow.
Space heater	A generic term sometimes used to describe any form of space heating appliance other than central heating.
Wall-hung gas heater	A wall-mounted gas combustion convector space heater having a balanced flue.