

FIRE EXTINGUISHER

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It is advisable to place fire extinguishers at locations within the property where they can be easily reached in the event of a fire.

In Malaysia, the various types of fires are categorised into six classes based on the materials being burnt or that are in danger of being burnt. The contents of the fire extinguishers must therefore be able to safely fight these fires without endangering human lives and property. Class A, B, C and F fire extinguishers also carry a numerical rating that indicates the amount of fire it can handle; the higher the number, the more fire-fighting power it has. Class D and E fire extinguishers are not given numerical ratings.

Choosing the right type of fire extinguisher is critical for effectiveness and safety in fighting a fire. For example, water should never be used to fight Class B and E fires as the risk of being electrocuted or of the fire spreading is very high. Use this guide to select the correct fire extinguisher to use:



CLASSES OF FIRE

Class A

Ordinary combustible materials or organic solids such as paper, wood, cardboard and most plastics

Class B

Flammable or combustible liquids such as petrol, kerosene, grease and oil

Class C

Flammable gases such as butane and propane

Class D

Combustible metals such as magnesium, titanium, potassium and sodium

Class E

Electrical equipment such as appliances, wiring, circuit breakers and electrical outlets

Class F

Cooking fat, trans-fat and cooking oil

TECHNICAL DAT	ΓA					
Type of Fire Extinguisher	Class A Combustible Solids	Class B Flammable Liquids	Class C Flammable Gases	Class D Combustible Metal	Class E Electrical Equipment	Class F Cooking Fat & Oil
Dry Powder	✓	✓	✓	Х	✓	Х
CO ₂	Х	✓	Х	Х	✓	Х
Foam	✓	✓	Х	Х	X	Х





UNIQUE Portable Dry Powder Fire Extinguisher

UNIQUE Portable Dry Powder Fire Extinguishers are handheld, multipurpose fire extinguishers which can be effectively used for Class A, B, C and E fires.

ABC Powder, the dry chemical powder agent in these extinguishers, is a non-conductor of electricity and is not dangerous to humans or animals. This makes dry powder fire extinguishers the ideal equipment to use during danger ous mixed-class fires but their use should be avoided for fires which involve carbon disulphite and flammable metals such as magnesium and sodium (Class D fires).



TECHNICAL DATA							
Model No.	UF-9	UF-6	UF-4	UF-2	UF-1		
Code No.	FEU-9D	FEU-6D	FEU-4D	FEU-2D	FEU-1D		
Capacity	9.0kg	6.0kg	4.0kg	2.0kg	1.0kg		
Type of Extinguishant	ABC Powder						
Туре	Stored Pressure						
Propellant	Nitrogen						
Working Pressure	12 bar (174 psi)						
Test Pressure	25 bar (362.5 psi)						
Temperature Range	-20°C to 60°C						
Discharge Time (approx)	20s	18s	14s	12s	7s		
Overall Height	560mm	560mm	470mm	378mm	330mm		
Cylinder Diameter	181mm	157mm	157mm	110mm	79mm		
Approx. Full Weight	13.0kg	9.4kg	6.9kg	3.3kg	1.9kg		
Body Material	Cold Rolled						
Finishing	Red (RAL 3000)						
Class of Fire	A, B, C, E						
Fire Rating	27A 144B	27A 144B	13A 70B	13A 55B	5A 21B		
Manufactured & Approved	MS 1539 PART 1: 2002						
Throw Range Discharge	3-4m (approx)						





UNIQUE Dry Powder Wheeled (Trolley) Fire Extinguisher

Industrial premises require larger portable fire extinguishers to be on standby in case of fire. Bigger capacity fire extinguishers give more time to douse possibly larger fires in the workplace. Cart-mounted extinguishers are ideal for this purpose as they can easily be moved about.



UFM25		
FEUT- 25D		
25kg		
ABC Powder		
Stored Pressure		
Nitrogen		
15 bar (218 psi)		
30 bar (435 psi)		
-20°C to 60°C		
15s (approx.)		
440mm		
450mm		
960mm		
60 kg		
CR Steel		
Red (RAL 3000)		
A, B, C, E		
A 233B C		
5 - 6m (approx.)		



TECHNICAL DATA			
Model No.	UFM50		
Code No.	FEUT- 50D		
Capacity	50kg		
Type of Extinguishant	ABC Powder		
Туре	Stored Pressure		
Propellant	Nitrogen		
Working Pressure	15 bar (218 psi)		
Test Pressure	30 bar (435 psi)		
Temperature Range	- 20°C to 60°C		
Discharge Time	30s (approx.)		
Overall Length	490mm		
Overall Width	500mm		
Overall Height	1110mm		
Overall Weight	92kg		
Body Material	CR Steel		
Finishing	Red (RAL 3000)		
Class of Fire	A, B, C, E		
Fire Rating	A 233B C		
Throw Range Discharge	5 - 6m (approx.)		

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