

Firefighting Equipment Identification Chart

Firefighting Equipment	Sign	Colour	Class A	Class B	Class C	Class E	Class F	Comments
			Wood, Paper and Plastic	Flammable and Combustible Liquids	Flammable Gasses	Energized Electrical Equipment	Cooking Oils and Fats	
Water Fire Extinguisher			✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	Dangerous if used on Class B, E and F.
Wet Chemical Fire Extinguisher			✓	✗	✗	✗	✓	Dangerous if used on Class E.
Foam Fire Extinguisher			✓	✓	✗	✗	△	Dangerous if used on Class E.
Powder ABE Fire Extinguisher			✓	✓	✓	✓	△	Special Powders are available for various types of metal fires.
CO2 Fire Extinguisher			△	△	✗	✓	✗	Not generally suited to outdoor use.
Fire Blanket			△	△	✗	✗	✓	Used to extinguish or control small fires.
Fire Hose Reel			✓	✗	✗	✗	✗	Only used on Class A.

- ✓ Effective
- △ Limited
- ✗ Not recommended