



# Material Safety Data Sheet

## Powder Extinguisher

### 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY

**Product name:**

**ABE Powder Extinguisher with compressed gas:**  
(FP1021, FP1531, FP2545, FP4566, FP90108, FPA550)

**Manufacturer:** Altamonte Pty Ltd  
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### 2. COMPOSITION / CLASSIFICATION

Chemical name	Chemical formula	CAS no	Quota %
Monoammonium phosphate	NH <sub>4</sub> H <sub>2</sub> PO <sub>4</sub>	7722-76-1	88± 3%
Ammoniumsulphate	NH <sub>4</sub> H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>	7783-20-2	/
Silicates		72319-10-9	Residual
Nitrogen	N <sub>2</sub>	7727-37-9	Not known :gas

### 3. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION

When in contact with out gushing fire extinguishing agent (powder) irritation may occur in open sores as well as eyes and throat. The fire extinguisher is at 15 bars super pressure. If subjected to high temperatures (over 60°C) the safety device might release (25 bar),

### 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

**Inhalation**

Move to fresh air

**Skin contact**

Wash off with plenty of water

**Eye contact**

Irrigate with fresh water for at least 10 minutes eyelids apart

**Ingestion**

Rinse mouth with water and give plenty of water to drink. If other symptoms persist seek medical advice and treat symptomatically.

### 5. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

The product is a fire-extinguisher. After use remove residual fire extinguishing agent from corrosion sensitive materials.

### 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASES MEASURES

Clear up spillage and transfer to a container for recycling or disposal. Vacuum cleaning is recommended to minimise dust formation.

### 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Storage dry and free from vibrations. Keep away from natriumhypochlorite (bleach).

### 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

For long term exposure of the powder suitable respiratory protection i.e. dust mask/respirator should be used.

### 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

**Description**

Fire extinguisher for ABE -fires (fibrous materials, liquids, andelectrical equipment).

**Density**

1,3 (fire extinguishing agent)

**Flame point**

Fire-extinguishing agent not flammable.

**Solubility**

Fire extinguishing agent is soluble in water but the silicon makes the process slow.

**PH**

4,5 in 5% water-based solution.

**Breaks down**

At 190°C in flame zone (fire extinguishing agent).

### 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

The fire extinguishing agent frees ammonium when reacting with alkalis. If the powder becomes damp or hard it is no longer suitable for fire fighting. Storage temperature from –30°C - +60°C. Corrosive with water.

### 11. TOXICOLOGICAL PROPERTIES

The following concerns the fire extinguishing agent:

Information on acute toxicity: Oral, rat, LD50 (lethal dose 50).

Ammonium sulphate: 3000 mg/kg

Monoammonium phosphate: Unknown toxicity. It is a general food additive.

Digestion: Virtually harmless

Skin contact: Can cause mild irritation

Inhalation: Inhalation of dust can under long periods of time deteriorate lung function.

Eye contact: The dust can cause discomfort or irritation.

### 12. ECOTOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

As the fire extinguishing agent is soluble in water it can cause a lowering of pH-value if released into the water ways. Contact the proper authorities when spillage of large quantities. Note: Ammonium salts and phosphates acts as fertilizers for plants.

### 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATION

Dispose of superfluous powder and used cans in accordance with local and regional regulations. Do not dispose with alkalis.

### 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

ADR RID	IMDG	DGR (flyg)
UN nr: 1044	UN no: 1044	Proper shipping name:
Class: 2	Class: 2.2	85%ABE Powder
Ämnesnr: 6A	EmS no: F-C,S-V	Extinguisher with
Etikettnr: 2/LQ	MFAG no: 620	compressed gas
	Packing group: N/A	

### 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

The powder is not classified as hazardous according to regulations for chemicals. (Information about hazards and packaging of wares, 1994). Control rules for working environment and hazardous elements in the working environment. This material safety sheet does not replace the user's own judgement of the size of the workplace and environment in accordance with the above mentioned rules. In some cases, depending on packaging size, the rules for manual handling of the product might apply.

### 16. OTHER INFORMATION

The information about the fire extinguishing agent in this document is based on the powder manufacturer's data. The information is based on the knowledge and regulations of today. It is a guide for health and environment concerns concerning to the product and should not be considered a guarantee of function. The product should never be used for anything but fire fighting, without first contacting the supplier. The user is responsible that valid laws and regulations are being followed. Additional information exists in the health and safety documents at the manufacturers'.