Dry-chemical ABE Dry Powder
Fire Extinguisher Art.Nr. FP1021 1kg / FP1531 1.5kg / FP2545 2.5kg / FP4566 4.5kg / FP9018 9kg / FPA550
Car / Boat / Caravan / Workplace / House
5 YEAR WARRANTY

Altamonte Pty Ltd, distributor of Fire Pro® fire safety products, warrants that for a period of 5 years from the date of purchase this product will be free from defects in materials and workmanship. Altamonte Pty Ltd, at its discretion, will repair or replace this product or any component of the product found to be defective during the warranty period. Replacements will be made with a similar product of equal or greater value.

This warranty is valid for the original retail purchaser only from the date of purchase and is not transferable. Original sales receipt must be kept as proof of purchase to obtain warranty service.

Retail stores selling Altamonte Pty Ltd products do not have the right to alter, modify or in anyway change the terms and conditions of this warranty.

This warranty does not cover normal wear and tear of parts or damage resulting from any of the following; negligent use or misuse of the product; use with improper materials or conditions; use contrary to the operating instructions; disassembly, repair or alteration by anyone other than an Altamonte Pty Ltd authorised service contractor. Furthermore, this warranty does not cover damage due to acts of nature, such as fire, flood, hurricanes and cyclones.

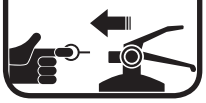
Our goods come with guarantees that cannot be excluded under the Australian Consumer Law. You are entitled to a replacement or refund for a major failure and for compensation for any other reasonably foreseeable loss or damage. You are also entitled to have the goods repaired or replaced if the goods fail to be of acceptable quality and the failure does not amount to a major failure.

Subject to those non-excluded rights and provisions and the above warranty, Altamonte Pty Ltd will not be liable for any injury to persons or damage to property or for any special direct or indirect or consequential loss or damage whatsoever, whether as a result of negligence or fault on the part of Altamonte Pty. Ltd. or its servants, agents, suppliers and contractors.

Warranty Service: Do not return the product to the retail store. In order to obtain warranty service contact Altamonte Customer Service by email at info@fireproaus.com

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

1. USE UPRIGHT. PULL PIN.



2. AIM AT BASE OF FIRE.

3. SQUEEZE LEVER. SWEEP FROM SIDE TO SIDE.

⚠ DANGER!

This extinguisher is designed for use against small fires that have just started and are small enough to fight safely. It is not designed to fight large fires that are burning out of control. If the fire is too hot or smoky for you to get within 2 metres of it, do not try to fight It yourself. Warn everyone, evacuate the premises, and have someone call your local Fire Brigade from outside the building. Trying to fight a large fire yourself can result in injury and death.

Do not puncture or burn any fire extinguisher. The contents are under pressure, and the extinguisher may explode. Never locate this extinguisher close to an engine, stove or other source of heat. It is pressurised and could rupture or explode if exposed to temperatures over 66°C.

⚠ CAUTION!

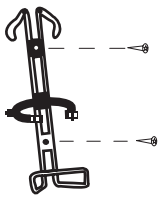
This extinguisher contains a dry powder extinguishing agent. The agent/powder is not toxic, but can irritate skin. When using this unit, avoid breathing the powder. Always ventilate the area after use.

HOW TO INSTALL THIS EXTINGUISHER

The fire extinguisher should be hug on the accompanying suspension bracket at a level best suited to the user. Portable fire extinguishers can weigh up to 20kg so it is important if it is to be mounted on a wall it is mounted properly and anchored firmly with the correct brackets and screws. The fire extinguisher label indicates its maximum weight

INSTALL THE WALL BRACKET

1. Install bracket on a solid surface (eg wall stud) that will support the weight of the extinguisher.
2. After installing the bracket, place the extinguisher on the bracket with the label facing outward so it can be read easily.



WHERE TO INSTALL THIS EXTINGUISHER

- Avoid direct contact between fire extinguisher and sunlight and/or heat source (such as ovens) as much as possible so that the temperature on the device is not exceeded.
- The instructions and pressure metre on the extinguisher must be easy to read.

EXTINGUISHER MOUNTING WALL BRACKET HEIGHTS

- Max – 1200mm from floor to top of extinguisher handle
- Min – 100mm from floor to bottom of extinguisher

CHECKING AND INSPECTING THE FIRE EXTINGUISHER

⚠ WARNING!

Pressure should not be checked or the fire extinguisher tested by operating it, even briefly. Once used the extinguisher will lose pressure and will not be fully charged for use in an emergency. When the pointer drops into the recharge area, the extinguisher may still be pressurised. Unit must discharged completely before disposing of it.

Inspect the extinguisher at least once a month.

1. Remove the extinguisher from the mounting bracket and inspect the gauge. If the pointer is in the GREEN area, the extinguisher is properly pressurised and ready to use. If the pointer has moved to the RECHARGE area, then the extinguisher has lost pressure and **MUST** be recharged or replaced. If the unit is new or still under warranty, return it to Altamonte Pty Ltd. (See warranty information in this manual). If the warranty has expired take the extinguisher outside and discharge its contents completely, discard the unit, and replace it with a new one immediately.
2. Check for signs of damage or misuse. Make sure you can still read all the text on the label.
3. Carefully examine the surface of the extinguisher for corrosion. You can help prevent corrosion by cleaning the extinguisher if it gets wet or dirty. If you notice corrosion during the warranty period, return the unit.
4. Make sure the tamper indicator ("safety seal") is still intact. Make sure the nozzle is clean and unobstructed.
5. When you finish inspecting the extinguisher, put it back securely into the mounting bracket.

BEFORE YOU FIGHT ANY FIRE:

- Make sure everyone is leaving or has left the building.
- Notify your local fire authority by dialing 000.
- Make sure the fire is confined to a small area and is not spreading.
- Make sure you have a clear, unobstructed escape route.
- Make sure you know how to properly use your fire extinguisher.
- If you are fighting the fire and the fire begins to spread or burn out of control GET OUT IMMEDIATELY! Don't fight the fire yourself.

EXTINGUISHER AUDIT

Here is a helpful audit to determine how many Fire Extinguishers you have and need to purchase.

You should have an extinguisher in these areas.

- Every level of your home
- Kitchen
- Near fireplaces and BBQs
- In a workshop or shed
- Garage
- Car, truck, van or caravan
- Basement

FIRE EXTINGUISHER RATING CLASSIFICATION - AUSTRALIAN STANDARDS AS/NZ1850

Fire extinguishers are classified by fire type. The Australian standards A, B and E rating system defines the kinds of burning materials each fire extinguisher is designed to fight. The numbers in front of the A, B or E indicate the rating for size of tile fire the unit can extinguish. Using the wrong type of fire extinguisher can do more harm than good. Make sure you understand which fire extinguisher to use on each class of fire.

Class A rating: The agent/powder is suitable for fighting small fires involving wood, paper, cloth, rubber, and some plastics.

Class B rating: The agent/powder is suitable for fighting small fires involving grease, oil, gasoline, kerosene, and other flammable liquids.

Class E rating: The agent/powder is suitable for fighting small fires in "live" electrical equipment.

NOTE: This manual is not designed as the service instructions referred to in AS/NZS 1841.1 Clause 9.7

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