

Unit FSC1 - Fire Safety

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Element 1 - Managing fire safety

Best Practice Guide to Fire Safety, Fire Industry Association

http://www.fia.uk.com/filemanager/root/site assets/news/fia best practice guide published oct 2011 nttp://www.fia.uk.com/filemanager/root/site assets/news/fia best practice guide published oct 2011 nttp://www.fia.uk.com/filemanager/root/site assets/news/fia best practice guide published oct 2011

British Standards for fire safety (for example, fire alarm systems, emergency lighting, fire signs, portable firefighting equipment, fire safety management and the code of practice for non-automatic firefighting systems in buildings, PAS 79 Fire Safety Risk Assessment)

Fire Code, 2012 Edition - NFPA 1

Fire protection documentation - CFPA-E Guideline No 13:2006 http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/Guideline No 13 2006.pdf

Fire Safety Guidance booklet 'Are you aware of your responsibilities?' - Scottish Executive (Safer Scotland). http://www.firelawscotland.org/files/Summary Guide Full.pdf

Guidance signs, emergency lighting and general lighting - CFPA-E Guideline No 5:2003 http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/Guideline No 5 2003.pdf

Health and safety made simple, INDG449, HSE Books http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/indg449.htm

HSE, 'Managing for health and safety' http://www.hse.gov.uk/managing/

HSE, The Health and Safety Toolbox: how to control risks at work http://www.hse.gov.uk/toolbox/

International Fire Code, International Code Council (ICC), ISBN: 978-1609-8304-65

Securing the operational readiness of fire control systems - CFPA-E Guideline No 23:2010 F http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA_E_Guideline_No_23_2010_F.pdf

UK Department for Communities and Local Government practical fire safety guidance, which can be found at http://www.gov.uk/workplace-fire-safety-your-responsibilities/fire-safetyadvice-documents



Element 2 – The principles of combustion, fire growth and fire spread

European Regulation (EC) No 1272/2008 on Classification, Labelling and Packaging of Substances and Mixtures (CLP Regulation), adopting in the EU the Globally Harmonised System (GHS) https://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/chemicals/classification-labelling_en

Fire protection on chemical manufacturing sites – CFPA Europe Guideline No 18:2008, http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA_E_Guideline_No_18_2013_F.pdf

Flammable and Combustible Liquids Code, 2012 Edition- NFPA 30 https://www.nfpa.org/codes-and-standards/detail?code=30

Guidelines for vapour cloud explosion, pressure vessel burst, BLEVE and flash fire hazards, Centre for Chemical Process Safety, Second edition 2010, ISBN: 978-0-4702-5147-8

International Fire Code, ICC, ISBN: 978-1609-8304-65, https://www.ci.independence.mo.us/userdocs/ComDev/2018%20INTL%20FIRE%20CODE.pdf

Safety in the Use of Chemicals at Work, International Labour Office (ILO) Code of Practice (CoP), ILO, 1993. ISBN: 92-2-108006-4, Section 6: Operational control measures and Section 7: Design and installation http://www.ilo.org/wcmsp5/groups/public/---ed_protect/---protrav/---safework/documents/normativeinstrument/wcms_107823.pdf

Utility LP Gas Plant Code - NFPA 59, https://www.nfpa.org/codes-and-standards/all-codes-and-standards/detail?code=59

Safe Handling of Combustible Dusts – precautions against explosions, HSG103, HSE Books ISBN: 978-0-7176-2726-4 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsg103.pdf

The Building Regulations 2010 Approved Document B - Fire Safety, Volume 2, Buildings other than dwelling houses https://www.planningportal.co.uk/info/200135/approved_documents/63/part_b_fire_safety/2

Dangerous Substances and Explosives Atmospheres Regulations 2002 (ACOP) (L138), HSE Books 978-0-7176-6616-4 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/l138.pdf

Safe use and handling of flammable liquids, HSG140, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-0967-3 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsg140.pdf



The storage of flammable liquids in containers, HSG51, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-1471-4 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsg51.pdf

The storage of flammable liquids in tanks, HSG176, first edition 1998, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-1470-7 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsg176.pdf



Element 3 – Fuel, oxygen and ignition sources and control measures

Fire protection on chemical manufacturing sites, CFPA-E Guideline No 18:2008 http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA-E-Guideline No 18 2013 F.pdf

National Electrical Code, NFPA 70:2014

Safety in the Use of Chemicals at Work, International Labour Office (ILO) Code of Practice (CoP), ILO, 1993. ISBN: 92-2-108006-4

Section 6: Operational control measures and

Section 7: Design and installation http://www.ilo.org/wcmsp5/groups/public/---ed_protect/---protrav/---safework/documents/normativeinstrument/wcms_107823.pdf

Utility LP Gas Plant Code, NFPA 59:2012

Risk Control, Arson Prevention, The protection of premises from deliberate fire raising, http://www.stoparsonuk.org/documents/resources/RC48ArsonPreventiontheprotectionofpremises[1].

Requirements for Electrical Installations, IET Wiring Regulations (17th Edition incorporating amendment No.1), BS 7671:2008 Incorporating Amendment No 1: 2011

Safe use and handling of flammable liquids, HSG140, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-0967-3 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsq140.pdf

Storage of Full and Empty LPG Cylinders and Cartridges (March 2004) - UK LPG, Code of Practice 7

The storage of flammable liquids in containers, HSG51, second edition 1998, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-1471-4 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsg51.pdf

The storage of flammable liquids in tanks, HSG176, first edition 1998, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-1470-7 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/hsg176.pdf

Atex Directive 99/92/EC http://www.hse.gov.uk/fireandexplosion/atex.htm

A guide to the Control of Major Accident Hazards Regulations 1999 (as amended), guidance on regulations, L111, second edition 2006, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-3175-X-http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/books/l111.htm



Dangerous substances and explosive atmospheres,

Dangerous Substances and Explosive Atmospheres Regulations 2002, ACoP and guidance, L138, first edition 2003, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-2203-0 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/books/l138.htm



Element 4 - Fire protection of buildings

Directive 89/391/EEC - OSH Framework Directive https://osha.europa.eu/en/legislation/directives/the-osh-framework-directive/1

Emergency Plan (section 3.3) - CFPA-Europe Guideline No 25:2010 F http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA E Guideline No 25 2010 F.pdf

Fire detection and alarm systems - ISO 7240 series

Fire protection, portable and wheeled fire extinguishers:

Part 1: Selection and installation - ISO/TS 11602-1:2010

Part 2: Inspection and maintenance - ISO/TS 11602-2:2010

Fire protection documentation - CFPA-Europe Guideline No 13:2006 http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/Guideline No 13 2006.pdf

Graphical symbols - safety colours and safety signs. Safety signs used in workplaces and public areas – ISO 7010:2011 (last amendment 5:2014)

International Building Code, ICC 2012, ISBN:978-1-6098-3044-1

International Existing Building Code, ICC 2012, ISBN:978-1-6098-3044-1

International Fire Code, ICC, ISBN: 978-1-6098-3046-5

National Fire Alarm and Signalling Code (NFPA 72), 2013 Edition

BS5839-1:2013 - Fire detection and fire alarm systems for buildings, code of practice for design, installation, commissioning and maintenance of systems in don-domestic premises

BS9999:2008 - Code of practice for fire safety in the design, management and use of buildings

The Building Regulations 2010 Approved Document B - Fire Safety, Volume 2, Buildings other than dwelling houses https://www.planningportal.co.uk/info/200135/approved_documents/63/part_b_-fire_safety/2

The Building Regulations 2010, Approved Document M - Access to and use of buildings https://www.planningportal.co.uk/info/200135/approved_documents/80/part_m - access_to_and_use_of_buildings/3



Securing the operational readiness of fire control systems - CFPA-Europe Guideline No 23:2010 F http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA_E_Guideline_No_23_2010_F.pdf

Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers (NFPA 10), 2013 Edition

Safety signs and signals, The Health and Safety (Safety Signs and Signals) Guidance on Regulations, L64, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-7176-6359-0 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/l64.pdf

Fire detection and fire alarm systems for buildings - BS5839, Parts 1 and 6

Guide to Building Fire Protection - Fire Protection Association (FPA)



Element 5 - Safety of people in the event of fire

Guidelines for assessing the fire threat to people – BS ISO 19706:2011

Emergency plan, CFPA-Europe Guideline No 25:2010 F http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA_E_Guideline_No_25_2010_F.pdf

Fire protection documentation, CFPA-Europe Guideline No 13:2006

http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/Guideline_No_13_2006.pdf

Fire protection in offices, CFPA-Europe Guideline No 16:2008

http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/quidelines/CFPA_E_Guideline_No_16_2008.pdf

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HSE, 'Managing for health and safety' http://www.hse.gov.uk/managing/

HSE, The Health and Safety Toolbox: how to control risks at work http://www.hse.gov.uk/toolbox/



Element 6 - Fire safety risk assessment

Dangerous Substances and Explosive Atmospheres Regulations 2002, (ACOP) L138, HSE Books, ISBN: 978-0-717622-03-0 http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/priced/l138.pdf

Fire Risk Assessment, guidance and a recommended methodology, PAS 79:2020

Guidelines for assessing the fire threat to people – BS ISO 19706:2011

Emergency plan, CFPA-Europe Guideline No 25:2010 F, http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/quidelines/CFPA E Guideline No 25 2010 F.pdf

Fire protection documentation, CFPA-Europe Guideline No 13:2006, http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/Guideline_No_13_2006.pdf

Fire protection in offices, CFPA-Europe Guideline No 16:2008, http://www.cfpa-e.eu/wp-content/uploads/files/guidelines/CFPA_E_Guideline_No_16_2008.pdf

HSE, 'Managing for health and safety' http://www.hse.gov.uk/managing/HSE, The Health and Safety Toolbox: how to control risks at work http://www.hse.gov.uk/toolbox/

Health and safety made simple, INDG449, HSE Books http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/indg449.htm International Fire Code, ICC, ISBN: 978-1-6098-3046-5

Plan, Do, Check, Act - An introduction to managing for health and safety, INDG275 (rev 1), HSE books http://www.hse.gov.uk/pubns/indg275.htm