



WHY

CEASEFIRE?



TRUST



BEST IN CLASS PROCESS



TOTAL RELIABILITY



ZERO DOWNTIME TO YOUR SAFETY



EXTENDED WARRANTY



REFILLING



A fire extinguisher is an essential equipment for any premise to safeguard life and property against fire. There is absolutely no second chance when a fire extinguisher is required to fight fire.



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A FIRE EXTINGUISHER NEEDS REFILLING ON TWO ACCOUNTS:



First

If the fire extinguisher is used, even partially, it is useless in case of a subsequent fire scenario. Hence it is essential to get the fire extinguisher recharged immediately, without any delay. Each hour the premises is without a functional fire extinguisher, implies a serious risk to life & property.

Second

The statutory framework in the country makes it mandatory for the shell of the fire extinguisher to undergo Hydrostatic Pressure Test every 3 years, where approximately three times the service pressure is administered on the container body of an extinguisher to check its pressure bearing capacity (burst capacity)

This is because fire extinguishers are pressurised and their container body and other parts are constantly under stress. This continuous stress leads to slow and gradual deterioration of the extinguisher body and its components. Even a small leak can lead to a fatal explosion in a premise.



THE GRIM REALITY

Often when a new business or a private property becomes functional, the promoter(s) themselves get involved in every aspect of the building's safety & security. As a result of this we have seen that the best quality products find their way into the premises. Naturally, superior quality Ceasefire fire safety products

are chosen by the proprietors who have extremely high stakes in the property and its safety and well being.

However, a few years down the line when the focus shifts to running every day business, the concern for fire safety is delegated.



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Local vendors quote maintenance at a minimal upfront cost providing a perceived benefit initially. These vendors slowly graduate over to become the custodians of fire safety and handle maintenance and refilling as well.

These vendors resort to an annual refilling of the extinguishers making the total lifetime value of these services much higher than too with a service of an inferior quality. Ceasefire makes quality products that may

have a higher upfront cost, however our products do not require refilling unless used or expired. Each refilling process by Ceasefire adds an additional warranty of 3 years. This makes the total cost of ownership of Ceasefire products very competitive.

Sometimes, a premium quality Ceasefire fire extinguisher is sent for refilling to a local vendor. This completely compromises the superior quality of a Ceasefire product.

LOCAL VENDORS WITH UNSKILLED STAFF AND INADEQUATE INFRA COMPLETELY RUIN QUALITY CEASEFIRE PRODUCTS

Local vendors who take up fire extinguisher refilling jobs in India are seriously putting the safety of our customers at risk. These players are often nothing more than local shed operators who neither have the expertise, nor the required infrastructure to carry out a highly skilled job of refilling extinguishers. These players often do mere touch up jobs, overlooking the more serious aspects involved around extinguisher refilling process.



For a majority of such local players refilling process simply involves topping up the extinguishing agent (often spurious quality) and repressurising the extinguisher without any further checks. What's more worrying is that even in these two basic activities they falter, cut costs and eventually ruin the quality of a Ceasefire fire extinguisher.

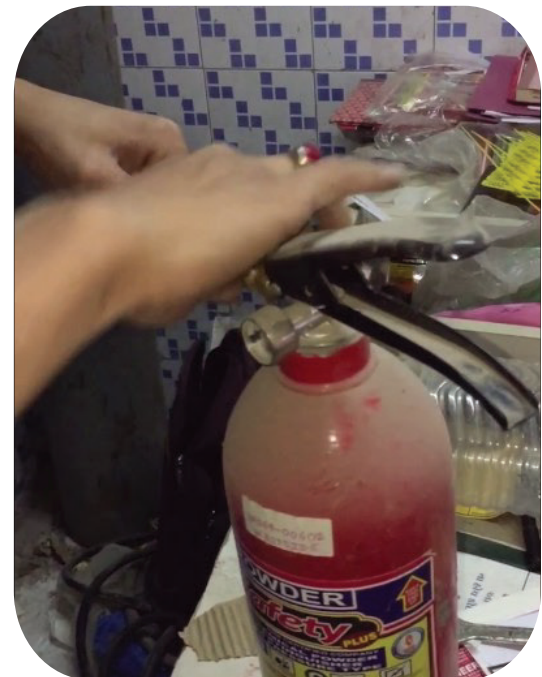


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INDUSTRY PRACTICE ON REFILLING

The refilling process adopted by local vendors in a highly compromised one. Where a proper refilling process calls for a step-by-step and comprehensive reconditioning of the product, the process adopted by the unauthorized vendors in the market place is nothing more than just a touch up job.

These local vendors who take up extinguisher refilling jobs are often small players without any organized setup. They are far from being a manufacturing facility but can simply put under the local shed operator category.





These local vendors provide a sub-standardized service, at higher costs (calculated over the lifetime of the service):

- X** The extinguisher refilling activity is often carried out by unskilled and untrained people.
- X** In most cases refilling by the local players means only re-pressurizing of the cylinder.
- X** No component of the extinguisher is actually changed as a process. Only broken / dis functional parts are changed with local spares.
- X** In most cases the extinguishing agent (ABC Powder) is recycled. The top up is done many times with the local/ sub-standard ABC powder.
- X** These days rampant use of marble dust being added as extinguishing agent by local players are being reported.



X No mandatory Hydrostatic Pressure Test is carried out by such players. More because they lack the required infra to do this test.

X No new discharge fitments are put including the hose pipe, O rings, etc. Only broken / dysfunctional parts are replaced with local spares.

X An extremely worn out extinguisher is at times spray painted to give it a new look.

X Needless to say, the standard manufacturing process (in compliance with Ceasefire's EN certifications standards) that was followed at the Ceasefire production facility now gets completely compromised.



BEING MANUFACTURER OF OUR EXTINGUISHERS WE KNOW BEST HOW TO RECHARGE THEM FOR YOU

THE CEASEFIRE REFILLING PROCESS



1.

The Fire Extinguisher is manually discharged / fired and emptied.



2.

The extinguisher is then dismantled completely; cylinder is de-stressed.

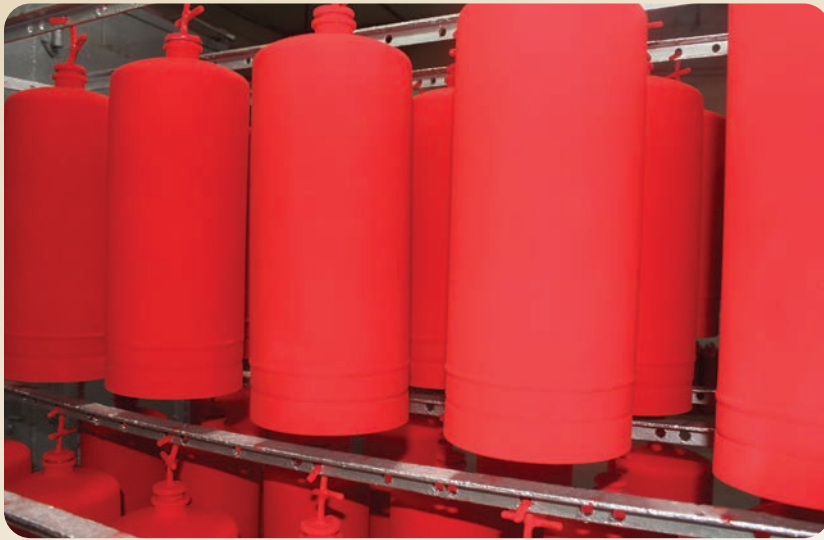


3.

The cylinder then is made to undergo a Hydrostatic Pressure Test at 30kgf cm sq for 2 minutes to check for leaks and the burst capacity.



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4.

The cylinder undergoes the fresh painting process by first Static Charge Powder coating and then baking in Oven at 180 degrees for 15 minutes. This results into a super fine quality and durable new paint surface on the cylinder.



5.

New extinguishing agent (powder, gas, water or foam) is filled in the cylinder through a vacuum based process that fills the cylinder with exact quantity of extinguishing agent.



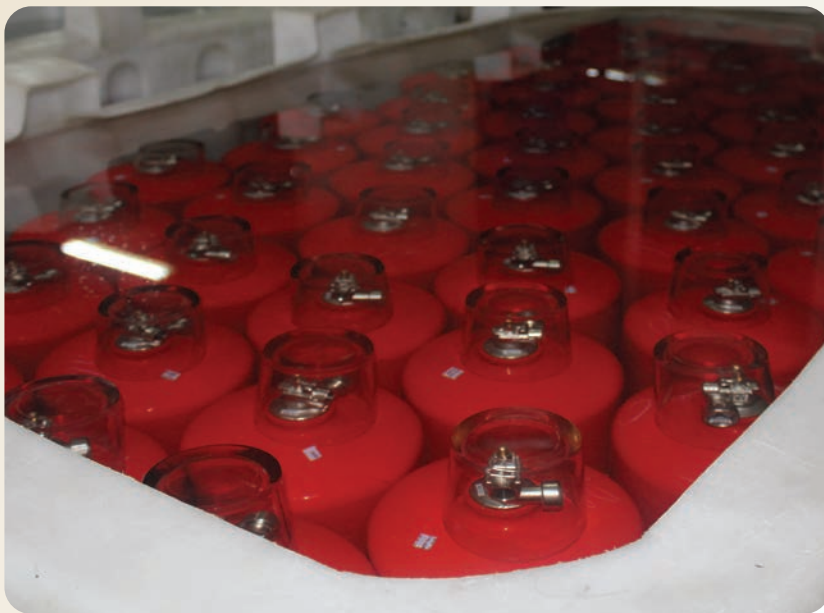
6.

New Discharge fitment mechanism including all new rubber seals, O rings, and hose pipe (EPDM with 50 kg burst capacity) are attached.



7.

Fire extinguisher is charged (pressurized) with 99.99% pure nitrogen mixed with helium



8.

The Fire Extinguisher is then made to go through Leak tests. The first is an inverted beaker test in water. The extinguishers also undergo a Mass Spectro Meter Helium Leak Detection Test which is the most advanced leak detection technology available currently in the world.



AT CEASEFIRE WE ENSURE ZERO DOWNTIME TO YOUR SAFETY:

INSTANT REPLACEMENT WITH A READY EXTINGUISHER AGAINST YOUR REFILL REQUESTS:

A key benefit of availing Ceasefire Refilling service comes in the fact that we never add to the downtime of you having to stay without a functional extinguisher once you have called us for a refill. For us Extinguisher Refill requires specialized skills and necessary infrastructure. Therefore we send all extinguishers to be refilled back to our manufacturing facility in Dehradun, India.

However, at Ceasefire we have a dedicated inventory of Refilled extinguishers at all our locations. On receiving a refilling request from a client's premises, we simply replace the extinguisher(s) at the site with our ready inventory of refilled extinguishers. This ensures you do not have to stay without a functional extinguisher even for an hour once we have reached your premises to fulfill your extinguisher refill request.





A FRESH WARRANTY OF 3 YEARS ON CEASEFIRE REFILLING:

Every refilled extinguisher that we provide comes with a fresh warranty of 3 years. Thus, ensures that you get the priceless peace of mind, time and again.



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PAN-INDIA FOOTPRINTS

Ceasefire a name synonymous with fire safety has its footprints throughout the country. We have around 100 branches throughout the country. This enables us to sell & service Ceasefire product in any part of the country. This has to conspicuous advantages for the customer:



Pan India Presence

Ceasefire's branches double up as technical stations that have skilled team of engineers, supervisors & technicians who are adept to provide quality service to the quality products. This means no matter which part of the country you are in, you get the same quality service that Ceasefire has standardized

STANDARDISED PRICING



Because of its pan-India presence Ceasefire can provide quality and standardized refilling across the length & breadth of the country. This means same service at same price across the country



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NEVER OPT FOR UN AUTHORISED REFILL OF YOUR FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

Every Ceasefire Extinguisher is manufactured to perfection at Ceasefire's state-of-the-art manufacturing facility and confirms to highest National & International Standards including EN3, EN 1866, LPCB, BSI, PED, ISO and OHSAS.

Each Ceasefire Extinguisher must necessarily be refilled only by Ceasefire.

Any Extinguisher that is refilled outside ceases to be a Ceasefire Product and is stripped of all quality standards.



THE CEASEFIRE REFILLING ADVANTAGE



Trust



Superior Quality



Best-in-class Refilling Process



Instant Replacement



Extended 3 Years warranty



Priceless Peace of Mind



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Inverted beaker leakage test:
an essential part of Ceasefire refilling process



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