

In case of fire!

Keep calm and take action

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Call the fire brigade

Tel. 118

Where ist the fire? What is on fire?



Correct use of fire extinguishers

Be sure that a safe retreat can be made at any time.



Fight the fire with the wind at your back.



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Save lives!

Do not use the elevator!



Extinguish the fire from front to back and from bottom to top, at a minimum distance of 1 meter.



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Close doors

Remain calm!



With large fires use multiple fire extinguishers, not one after the other.



After extinguishing keep an eye on the source of the fire.



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Fight the fire With fire blankets, fire

With fire blankets, fire extinguishers of a firehose



Used fire extinguishers must be for refilling.







Raise the alarm - Save lives - Extinguish fire

- Are all emergency exits and access routes clear?
- Where is the nearest fire alarm call-point?
- What are the most important emergency numbers?
- Where ist the nearest fire extinguisher, fire blanket and fire-hose cabinet located?
- How do I use the available fire fighting equipment?

Correct use of the fire extinguisher points

- 1. Turn the fire-hose water fully on the top left as far as it will go.
- 2. Take the fire-hose and pull towards the fire.
- 3. Set the fire-hose nozzle.
- 4. Fight the fire from bottom to top with a fullor spray jet of water.
- 5. Turn the water tap off to avoid water damage. Never leave the hose under pressure!

Fighting fire

Before attempting to fight the fire, raise the alarm: Fire brigade, Tel. 118! Remain calm - act quickly.

Until the arrival of the fire brigade, use the time for selfhelp measures, only fight the fire if there is no risk of your own life (remember, too much ambition is dangerous). An easy and safe retreat must be possible at any time. Turn off any electrical appliances and gas supplies. Doors to neighbouring rooms and apartments must be closed. Do not use the elevator!

Correct use of the fire extinguisher

- 1. Remove the fire extinguisher from its holder.
- 2. Remove the safety pin on the fire extinguisher.
- 3. Hit the red button (the fire extinguisher needs approx. 3 seconds to completely pressurise).
- 4. Take the fire extinguisher to the fire and use it at a minimum distance of 1 meter.
- 5. Hold the hose firmly in your hand.
- 6. Extinguish the fire in a crouched position, the lower the position the better the air is to breathe.
- 7. By triggering the hose pistol the extinguishing agent shoots out. Use intermittently the extinguishing agent is limited!

Correct use of fire blankets

- 1. Remove the fire blanket from the packaging using the cords and spread it out.
- 2. Prepare the blanket so that the hands are covered and that there is no risk of tripping.
- 3. When approaching the fire, hold the blanket as a shield for protection with outstretched arms.
- 4. Place the fire blanket calmly over the fire completely covering it to suffocate the flames.
- 5. Turn off any possible sources of energy or heat (for example cooker switches).
- 6. Leave the blanket on the fire to avoid flashback.

When cloths are on fire - act quickly!

- Stop-Drop-Roll, do not walk, run or wave your arms. Movement will fan the flames and cause more burns. Drop to the floor and roll to suffocate the flames.
- 2. Wrap a fire blanket or something similar around oneself to suffocate the flames.
- 3. Do not think twice about using a foam or powder fire extinguisher to extinguish a burning person, these extinguishing agents are safe. However do not aim them directly into the eyes or mouth. When using CO2 extinguishers, there is a risk of frostbite or suffocation.