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## Types of Fire Extinguishers

### Type A:



Ordinary  
Combustibles



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Is for Combustibles such as wood, cloth, paper

### Type B:



Flammable  
Liquids



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Is for Flammable Liquid fires including kitchen grease, oil or gasoline and diesel

### Type C:



Electrical  
Equipment



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Is for Energized Electrical equipment including electronics and tools

### Type ABC:

Is for ALL three types of fires listed

### Type D:



Combustible  
Metals

Is for use on flammable metals and are often specific for the type of metal in question.