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# Company



#### Company

- Technology
- Research & Development
- Products
- Applications



# **Company – FOGTEC Services**







- Private German company with headquarter in Cologne
- Water mist system component development and manufacturing
- Application fire testing, component testing and system approval
- International market presence by own offices or system partners
- System design and planning
- Installation (direct or via local partners)
- After sales service and maintenance



# **Company – FOGTEC Set Up**



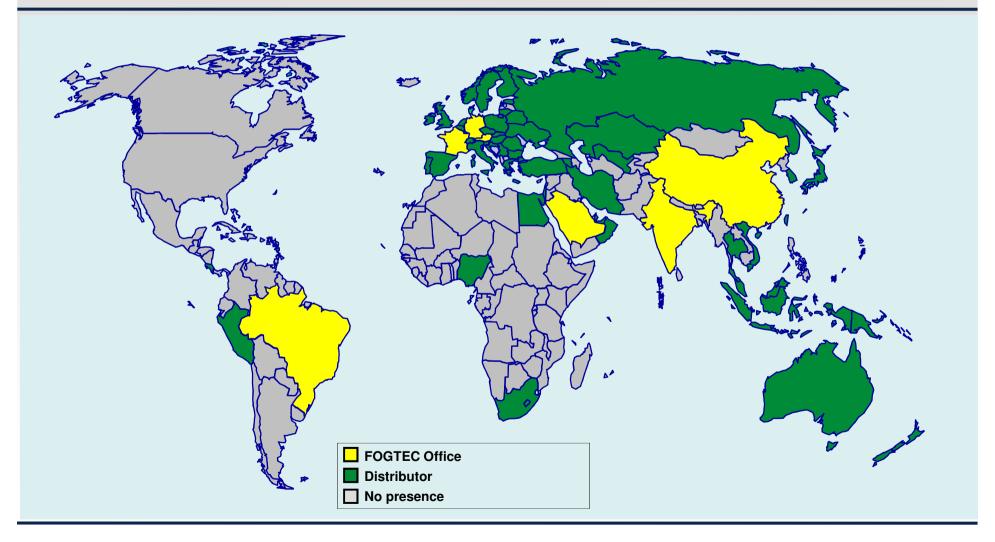


- Head Office in Cologne, Germany
- R+D Office (IFAB) in Berlin, Germany
- Office France in Paris, France
- Office Middle East in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia
- Office South East Asia in Mumbai, India
- Office China in Shanghai, China
- Office South America in Sao Paolo, Brasil

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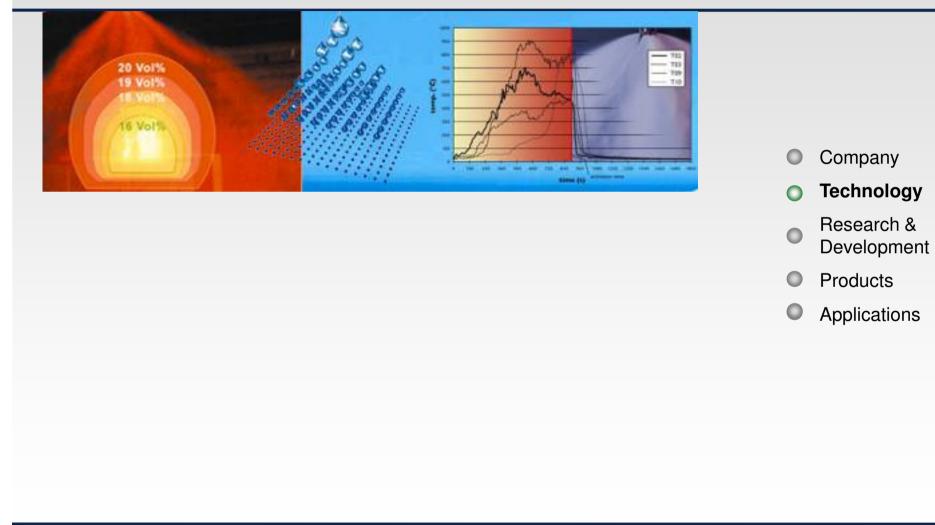
# **Company – Market Presence**



#### The Smarter Way of Fire Fighting



# **Fire Fighting with Water Mist**



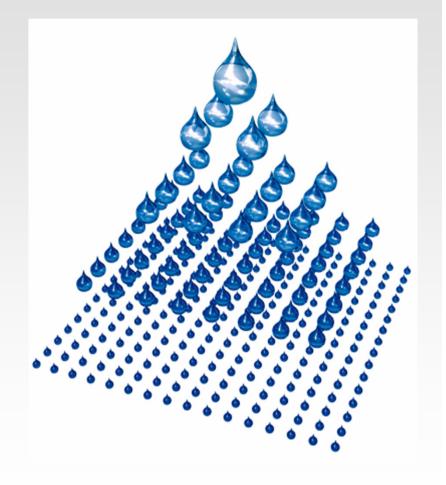


# **Technology – Small Droplets - Big Effect**

- Cooling by heat absorbtion via large surface
- Inerting by local oxygen displacement

Droplet Diameter	Reaction surface per litre of water

- 1mm  $\Rightarrow$  2m<sup>2</sup> (Convent. Technologies)
- $0,1mm \Rightarrow 20m^2$
- 0,01 mm  $\Rightarrow$  200m<sup>2</sup> (FOGTEC Water Mist)



temp. (°C)



# **Technology – Cooling / Radiant Heat Attenuation**

- Safe environment for people •
- Protection of nearby objects from radiant heat

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time (s)

Prevention from flash over 



Energy binding potential of 1 l of water:

- 335 kJ heating from 20 °C to 100 °C
- 2257 kJ by transition from liquid to gas



FOGTEC<sup>®</sup> activation time



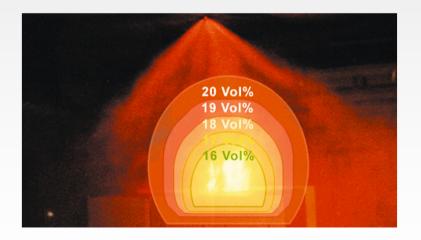
# **Technology – Inerting by Local Oxygen Displacement**

"Suffocation" of the fire by displacement of oxygen at the fire source

Volume enlargement of 1 litre of water by evaporation: 1 l, liquid  $\Rightarrow$  1650 l, gaseous



Oxygen reduction only at the source of the fire







# **Technology – Absorption of Smoke**

- Binding of smoke particles by small droplets
- Washing out of gases (e.g. HCL) via huge reaction surface
- Less contamination by smoke



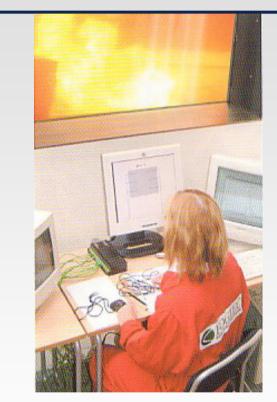


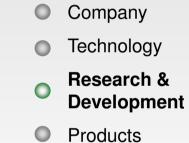
# **Technology – System Benefits**

- Safe for personnel / No pre-warning time required
- Effective fire fighting / Reach of hidden fires
- Rapid and uniform cooling of hot surfaces and surrounding areas / No re-ignitions
- Negligible effect on electronic and electrical components
- Minimal water consumption
- Minimal business interruption
- Easy installation / Retrofit with small bore pipes as room protection



# **Fire Fighting with Water Mist**

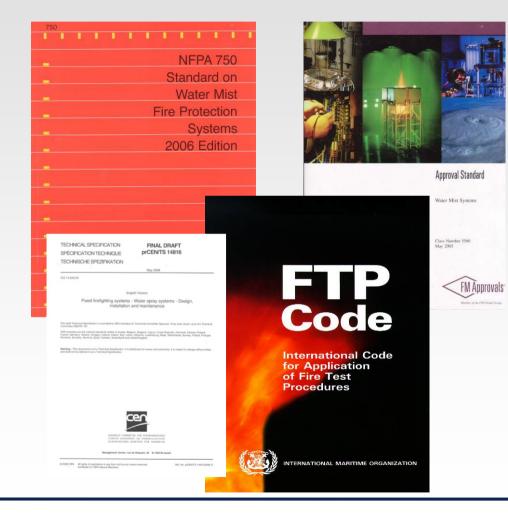




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# **R&D – Guidelines and Standards**



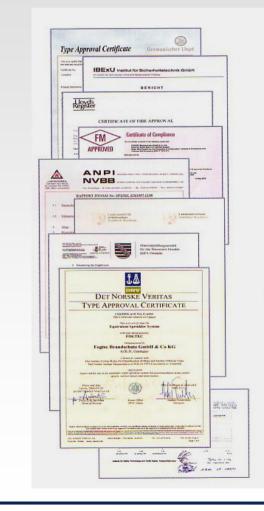
# Systems are tested and installed in accordance with

- NFPA 750
- FM 5560
- CEN TS 14972 (VdS, CNPP,...)
- IMO

standards



# **R&D – Approvals / Independent Fire Tests**



#### **Approvals**

- Machinery spaces (IMO MSC 668/728)
- Local Applications (IMO MSC 913)
- Accommodation Areas (IMO A 800)
- Gas Turbines (FM)
- Deep Fat Fryers (NVBB and GL)
- CNC Machines (VdS)
- Flammable liquid areas (VdS)
- Transformers (VdS)
- OH1, OH3 (VdS)

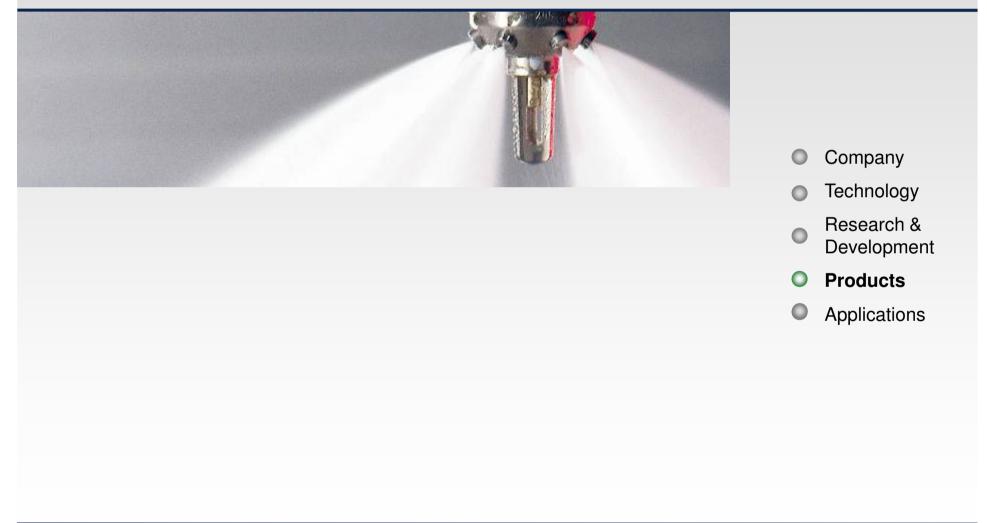
#### **Independent Tests**

- Archives (ISV, CSTB)
- Engine Test Cells (TÜV)
- Industrial Ovens (ISV)
- Cable Tunnels (TÜV)
- Flammable Liquid Stores (ISV)
- Diesel Generators (ISV)

- Raised Floor / IT Rooms (ISV, TÜV)
- High Voltage Areas (IBEXU)
- Wind Turbines (AGM)
- Filters (HP)
- Paint Cabinets (ISV)
- Escalators (Chiltern Fire)



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# **Products – Nozzles**



- Nozzle spray pattern adapted to the risk
- Open nozzles in dry pipe systems
- Glass bulb operated nozzles in wet pipe systems
- Caps for each micro nozzle possible
- Easy mounting and maintenance





# **Products – Wall Cabinet**





- Combination of fixed and mobile water mist systems
- Effective fire suppression at strategic places ready to use
- Easy handling
- Unlimited operation time



# **Products – Pipework and Section Valves**





- Diameters from 12 mm 50 mm
- Stainless steel AISI 316
- High durability
- No contaminated water when discharged
- Low maitenance requirements
- Solenoid or pneumatically operated section valves



# **Products – Cylinder Systems**



- Filled with demineralised water
- Nitrogen as propellant at 200 bar
- Cylinders with internal lining
- 20 / 50 / 80 I cylinders
- Automatic and electric actuation
- Stand alone system
- Low refilling costs



# **Products – Pump Systems**

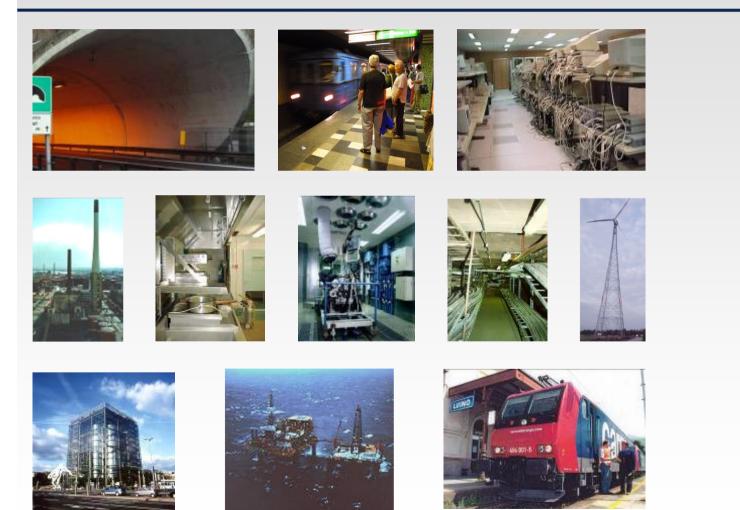


- Compact design
- 120 / 140 bar pressure
- 50 / 98 / 120 l/min pumps
- Immediate re-operation
  after actuation
- High reliability
- Small break tank sizes

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# **Applications**



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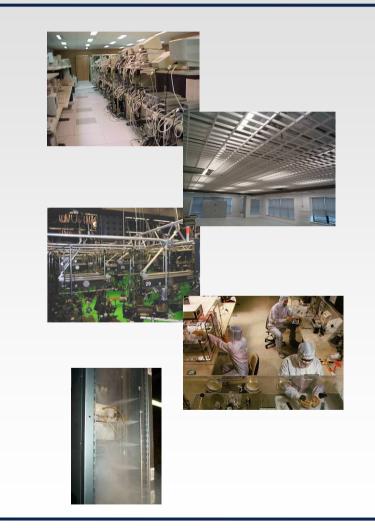




## **Offices / Archives / Museums**

- Minimal water damage
- Safe environment / High cooling effect
- Easy retrofit No water storage requirements





#### **IT Areas / Telecommunication**

- No area restrictions
- Smoke washing effect
- No constructural measures required Easy retrofit
- Optional in-cabitet protection





# **Industrial Applications**

- Rapid extinguishment / Cooling
- Safe for operators
- Short business interruption
- Typical risk areas
  - Generators
  - Engine test cells
  - CNC machines
  - Turbines
  - Transformers





#### **Cable Tunnels**

- High cooling / Smoke washing effect
- Minimal water damage
- Short business interruption
- Easy installation at ceiling level





## **Underground Stations**

- High cooling effect
- Partial smoke washing effect
- Short business interruptions
- Easy retrofit Small water storage requirements
- Typical risk areas
  - Cable tunnels
  - Escalators
  - Platforms
  - Machinery Rooms





#### **Mobile Systems**

- Industrial or fire brigade use
- Rapid intervention units
- Effective for small fires
- Various options









#### Training Building of Heidelberger Druckmaschinen AG (Germany)

- Protection of the entire office building including the 44 m high atrium
- The water mist system compensates missing constructural fire protection measures
- 2800 nozzles









#### Clock Tower in Mekka (Saudi Arabia)

- Protection of the 2nd tallest building in the world (600 m)
- Protected areas are an astonomical museum, prayer areas and technical areas
- 2700 nozzles, 83 high pressure wall hydrants





#### **Castle Museum in Moers (Germany)**

- Protection of the entire museum and the integrated theatre
- Integration of the pipes and nozzles into the heritage structure of the building
- 200 nozzles





#### La Fenice Theatre in Venice (Italy)

- Protection of the attic above the theatre hall
- Minimal water usage to protect the ancient ceiling of the theatre hall
- 220 nozzles







Town Hall Cibeles in Madrid (Spain)

- Protection of the entire heritage building
- 1300 nozzles

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# **Applications – Reference Projects**





#### Elbphilharmony in Hamburg (Germany)

- Protection of the concert hall
- Special fire protection concept with floor mounted nozzles
- 400 nozzles







#### Library in Trier (Germany)

- Protection of the entire library building
- 750.000 books from the last 1200 years with a total value of ca. 250 Mio. Euro
- 600 nozzles, 4 section valves, 12 high pressure wall cabinets

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# **Applications – Reference Projects**



#### Library in Bilbao (Spain)

- Protection of the entire library building
- Integration of the pipes and nozzles into the heritage structure of the building
- 1200 nozzles, 10 high pressure wall cabinets









#### **Technical Library in Prague (Czech Rep.)**

- Protection of the entire library building
- Special nozzle arrangement for atrium protection
- 4200 nozzles





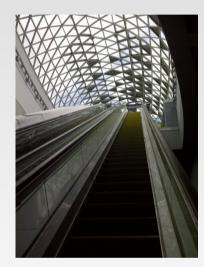


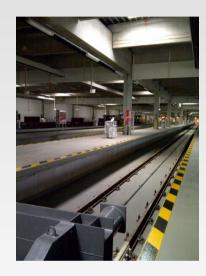
#### **EMOC** National Archive in Paris (France)

- Protection of 200 archioves of each 200 m<sup>2</sup> and the adjacent office building
- Specific archive fire tests have proven the efficiency of the system
- 5500 nozzles





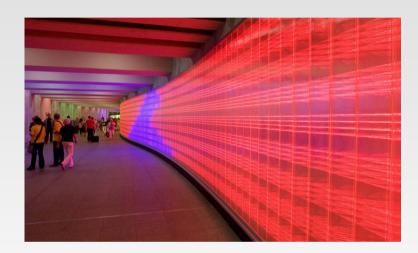




#### Metro Linie M2 and M4 in Budapest (Hungary)

- Protection of 18 underground metro stations, the train depot and the main control tower
- In each station the platforms, escalators, cable tunnels and technical rooms have been protected
- 6200 nozzles, 230 section valves, 80 high pressure wall hydrants







#### Main Station in Essen (Germany)

- Protection of all underground sales areas and technical rooms
- 900 nozzles







#### **Telecity in Frankfurt (Germany)**

- Protection of a 6.000 m2 data center
- 750 nozzles, 12 section valves







#### **Votteler in Stuttgart (Germany)**

- Protection of a production and storage facility in a paint factory
- 3 % AFFF additive
- 700 nozzles, 33 section valves









#### **Bayer Factory in Krefeld (Germany)**

- Protection of the entire power distribution network of the factory
- 550 nozzles, 17 section valves







#### Main Train Station in Cologne (Germany)

- Protection of the entire cable tunnel network under the train station
- 400 nozzles, 20 section valves







#### **Chongming Cable Tunnel in Shanghai (China)**

- Protection of 15 km long power supply cable tunnel to the Chongming island
- 5300 nozzles, 460 section valves

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# The smarter way of Fire Fighting