

NEW EN 7010 SAFETY SIGN SYMBOLS

Hazard Symbols



CAUT 1
General hazard



CAUT 4
Beware corrosive



CAUT 12
Overhead fixed obstruction



CAUT 32
Beware falling objects



CAUT 2
Beware electricity



CAUT 5
Beware flammable material



CAUT 13
Beware fork lift trucks

Mandatory Symbols



MAND 1
General Mandatory



MAND 3
Wear Eye protection



MAND 7
Wear face shield



MAND 16
Wash hands



MAND 2
Wear ear protection



MAND 4
Wear head protection



MAND 14
Pedestrian route

Prohibition Symbols



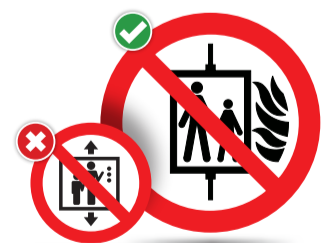
PROH 1
General prohibition



PROH 3
No naked flames



PROH 5
No fork lift trucks



PROH 12
Do not use



PROH 2
No smoking



PROH 4
No access for pedestrians



PROH 11
Not drinking water



SAFETY SIGNS ARE CHANGING...

ISO 7010 soon to become EN 7010

Understanding Safety Signs

The Health & Safety (Safety Signs & Signals) Regulations 1996 and conform to ISO7010 where applicable



Prohibition

Shape & Colour: Red circle with diagonal line

Meaning:
You must not/Do not do/Stop

- Black symbols are added inside the circle and these are recognised in all EC countries
- Supplementary text may be added if necessary to convey a clearer message

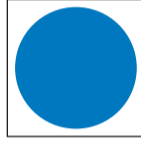


Mandatory

Shape & Colour: Solid blue circle

Meaning:
You must do/Carry out the action given by the sign

- White symbols are added inside the circle and these are recognised in all EC countries
- Supplementary text may be added if necessary to convey a clearer message

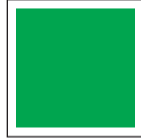


Safe Condition

Shape & Colour: Green rectangle or square

Meaning:
The safe way/Where to go in an emergency

- White symbols are added inside the shape and these are recognised in all EC countries
- Supplementary text may be added if necessary to convey a clearer message
- "Text Only" signs no longer comply, they MUST contain a symbol



Fire Signs

Shape & Colour: Red rectangle or square

Meaning:
Locates fire equipment or personnel

- White text and symbols on a red background
- Complies to Health & Safety (Safety Sign and Signals) Regulations 1996
- Supplementary text may be added if necessary to convey a clearer message



Hazard Identification

Shape & Colour: Yellow triangle with black border

Meaning:
Potential hazard within a designated area. Caution/Risk of Danger/Hazard ahead

- Black symbols are added inside the circle and these are recognised in all EC countries
- Supplementary text may be added if necessary to convey a clearer message



Danger
To indicate an immediately hazardous situation, which if not avoided will result in death or serious injury. To be limited to the most extreme situations

Warning
To indicate an immediately hazardous situation, which if not avoided could result in death or serious injury

Caution
To indicate an immediately hazardous situation, which if not avoided could result in minor or moderate injury

Guide to Materials

Our signs are available in 9 materials. If we haven't got what you're looking for, please call us on 0800 585501



Self-Adhesive Vinyl

Main benefits:
A Low cost, gloss finish adhesive material suitable for indoor use, no fixings required



1.2mm Polypropylene Rigid Plastic

Main benefits:
Durable plastic with a self-adhesive backing, suitable for indoor and outdoor use



Vandal-Resistant

Main benefits:
3mm rigid Aluminium, resists attack from graffiti, sharp objects and weathering. Can be easily cleaned



Photoluminescent

Main benefits:
Provides effective escape route illumination in the event of power loss



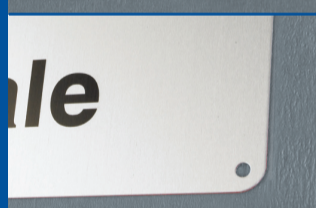
Window Signs

Main benefits:
Ideal for areas where windows are the only area to display a safety message. Window Cling is also reusable



Deluxe High Gloss Rigid Plastic

Main benefits:
1mm high grade material, under-surface printed with a self-adhesive backing. Scratch-free finish



Premium Quality Brass & Aluminium

Main benefits:
Both materials are colour infilled with a clear vinyl overlay to produce a top quality, prestige finish



2mm Polycarbonate

Main benefits:
Under-surface printed Impact- and abrasion- resistant material. Suitable for indoor and outdoor use



6mm Green Edge Acrylic

Main benefits:
Reverse printed on clear or satin acrylic providing a stunning effect

Know your Viewing Distances

Use this checklist to help calculate the letter sizes, distances and sign height on how you need to place safety signs within your workplace area to conform to BS 5499.10 Safety Sign Regulations.



Recommended viewing distance	7m	9m	14m	21m	28m	57m
Minimum height of sign size	60mm	80mm	120mm	180mm	240mm	480mm
Minimum height of supplementary text letters	5mm	6.6mm	10mm	15mm	20mm	40mm