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As part of our ongoing Technical Support Program, we have listed the Manufacturers Recommended Fusible Links and Thermo-Bulbs. After performing a temperature study to determine the maximum ambient temperature at the fusible link location, the correct fusible link or Thermo-Bulb should be selected from the chart below;

Keep this page for future reference & training purposes.

| | Manufacturer | Amerex | Ansul | Buckeye | Kidde "XV" | Kidde "KRS-50" | Lehavot | Pyro Chem | Protex | Range Guard "UCH" | Range Guard "A+" |
|---|--------------|--------|-------|---------|---------------|-------------------|---------|--------------|--------|----------------------|---------------------|
| G | 360° "A" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| L | 450° "A" | | | | | | | | | | |
| O | 165° "K" | | ✓ | | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| B | 212° "K" | | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| E | 280° "K" | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| ® | 360° "K" | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| | 450° "K" | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| L | 165° "ML" | | ✓ | | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| I | 212° "ML" | | ✓ | | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| N | 280° "ML" | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| K | 360° "ML" | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| S | 450° "ML" | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | |
| | 500° "ML" | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | |
| T | 165° "STD" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| H | 212° "STD" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| E | 280° "STD" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| R | 360° "STD" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| M | 450° "STD" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| O | 500° "STD" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| | 165° "QR" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| B | 212° "QR" | | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| U | 280° "QR" | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| L | 360° "QR" | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| B | 450° "QR" | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |
| S | 500° "QR" | ✓ | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | | ✓ | ✓ |

NFPA 17, 17A & 96 as well as all manufacturers require "Fixed temperature sensing elements of the fusible metal alloy type shall be replaced at least semiannually from the date of installation or more frequency, if necessary and shall be destroyed when removed.



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