

#### **FyreDAMPER** Intumescent Ceiling Dampers

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#### **KEY FEATURES**

- Steel or timber framing
- Meets the RISF criteria for ceilings
- Testing to AS1530.4-2014
- Approved for Fire Rated Plasterboard Ceilings
- FRL's up to-/120/120 with 60 min. RISF
- Australian made quality

#### APPLICATIONS

- Bathroom fan exhausts
- Small return air grilles
- Connection to flexi duct
- Ceiling mounted speakers and other openings
- Downlights



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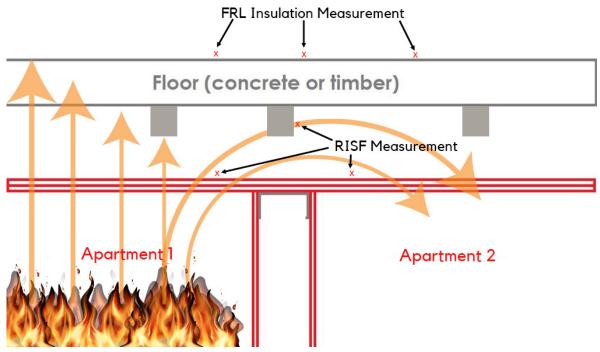




#### FyreDAMPER Intumescent Ceiling Dampers

#### What are Ceiling Mounted Dampers?

Fire rated ceilings are an integral part of buildings in order to restrict the spread of fire from one compartment to another where walls are not extended to the floor above, whether it be through a floorceiling or a roof-ceiling cavity. The NCC calls up ceilings with the resistance to incipient spread of fire (RISF) in many applications.



It is important to note that the RISF is an additional requirement to the FRL for ceiling applications.

Ceiling dampers are critical in buildings to allow the movement of air whilst maintaining the required fire separation required by the NCC. Fire rated ceilings consist of very thin plasterboard barriers that are quite difficult to penetrate whilst maintaining the fire rating. To combat this issue, our ceiling damper systems are mounted inside of a lightweight FyreBOARD Maxilite enclosure that is mounted into the ceiling framing, that can sit on top of any ceiling mounted fan/lighting unit. When exposed to fire, the damper cell will close off and prevent the spread of fire and restoring the FRL of a building element in which a penetration has been made to permit ventilation air.

Fire rated plasterboards have traditionally been used as a fire barrier for ceilings and Trafalgar are proud to have tested ceiling mounted dampers to AS1530.4: 2014, providing compliant solutions for up to 2 hour fire ratings.

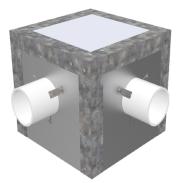


## **PRODUCT BENEFITS**

#### **FyreDAMPER:** Ceiling Plenum Box and Ceiling Spigot

The Ceiling Plenum Box and Ceiling Spigot damper systems are constructed from FyreBOARD Maxilite. The Ceiling Plenum Box being manufactured with an open air grille for cushion box installation and the Ceiling Spigot produced with a spigot to connect to flexi duct exhaust. A key advantage of this configuration is that Maxilite is a lightweight, high performance fire rated board which will minimise weight in comparison to other fire ceiling damper systems. Maxilite is stable under high temperature stress and remains strong and crack free, even when exposed to fully developed fires. This is another key characteristic to ensure the damper remains in place within the Maxilite board which is critical to allow unimpeded function of the damper.

The FyreDAMPER configurations are approved for use in fire rated plasterboard ceilings providing up to -/120/120 FRL, including up to 60 minute RISF..





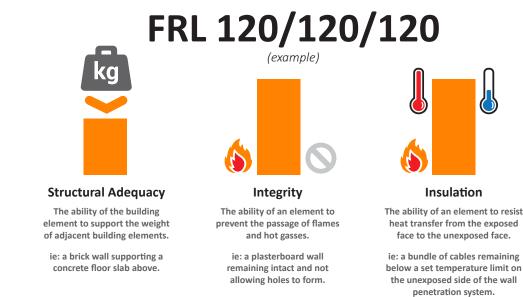
FyreDAMPER Ceiling Spigot

FyreDAMPER Ceiling Plenum Box

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#### Fire Rating – How is fire performance measured?

An FRL (fire resistance level) is a handy way of summarising the performance of a building element. It consists of 3 numbers, all given in minutes:



Note: Service penetrations such as ceiling mounted dampers are not required to have a Structural Adequacy rating and is therefore usually expressed as a dash. For example, a ceiling mounted damper installed in a 2-hour fire rated ceiling would be written as -/120/120

#### Integrity

The Ceiling Plenum Box and Ceiling Spigot mounted damper can achieve integrity performance of up to 2 hours, physically stopping the direct spread of fire depending on the ceiling system.

#### **Insulation (Temperature Rise)**

To prevent the spread of fire via heat transfer, the unexposed face of the floor-ceiling system must remain under a maximum temperature rise of 180°C, and under an average temperature rise of 140°C.

#### **Resistance to the Incipient Spread of Fire (RISF)**

To measure performance inside the floor-ceiling cavity space, the test method in AS1530.4 specifies thermocouples to be placed within the ceiling cavity. The temperatures of the ceiling mounted damper and cavity must remain below 250°C.

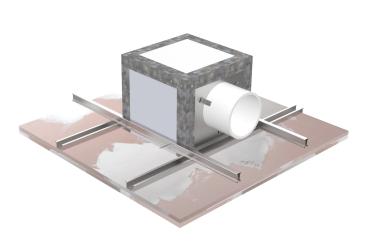


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#### **FRL** -Fire Rated Plasterboard Ceiling

**CEILING SPIGOT FIRE DAMPER IN PLASTERBOARD CEILING** 



Ceiling construction	Max. damper box sizes (mm)	FRL
Min. 1x layer of 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system	Max internal dimensions: 1200 long x 600 wide Max external height: 600mm high	-/30/30 + 30 RISF
Min. 1x layer of 13mm and 1x layer 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system		-/60/60 + 60 RISF
Min. 2x layers of 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system*		-/90/90 + 60 RISF
Min. 3x layers of 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system*		-/120/120 + 60 RISF

\*Timber framing must be lined with 13mm FR Plasterboard for 90 and 120 minute applications

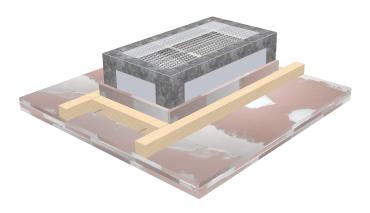


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#### **FRL** -Fire Rated Plasterboard Ceiling

**CEILING PLENUM FIRE DAMPER IN PLASTERBOARD CEILING** 



Ceiling construction	Max. damper box sizes (mm)	FRL
Min. 1x layer of 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system	Max internal dimensions: 1180 long x 580 wide Max external height: 600mm high	-/30/30 + 30 RISF
Min. 1x layer of 13mm and 1x layer 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system		-/60/60 + 60 RISF
Min. 2x layers of 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system*		-/90/90 + 60 RISF
Min. 3x layers of 16mm fire grade plasterboard, with timber or steel framing system*		-/120/120 + 60 RISF

\*Timber framing must be lined with 13mm FR Plasterboard for 90 and 120 minute applications



#### INSTALLATION FyreDAMPER



Cut a hole in the ceiling equal to or smaller than the inside dimensions of the FyreDAMPER

If access is needed to the top side of the ceiling,

refer to FyreSHIELD PLUS for ceilings technical manual



Install additional ceiling furring channel on the top side of the ceiling along all 4x sides of the damper box, tied back to the existing ceiling support frame (so that the weight of the assembly is not loading the plasterboard)

If the framing doesn't line up with the damper box, additional maxilite board can be placed where screw fixings are to be installed. Refer to page 12-13



Bed the base of the damper box or top of ceiling with a gasket of FyreFLEX sealant, and place the damper box on top of the ceiling



Fix damper box to the supports with min.  $10g \times 100mm$  plasterboard screws at each corner with max. 150mm centers between. Refer to drawings on Page 13.



INSTALLATION - - FyreDAMPER

## INSTALLATION

FyreDAMPER Ceiling Spigot



Screw fit screws through the plasterboard into the walls of the damper box at 200mm centres.



If required, connect the spigot supplied to ducting work with appropriate breakaway/slip joints (Ceiling Spigot only).

For cable pentrations refer to drawings in page 12-13

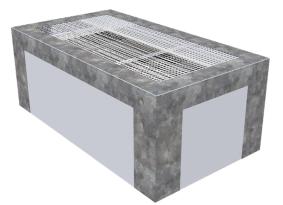


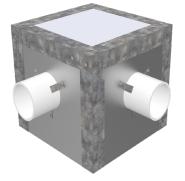
Install ceiling cover grille into the ceiling from below if required.



#### SYSTEM RANGE







Item Number	Description	Min Order Qty
FD-C-Plenum - Custom	Return air (open grille)	1
FD-C-Spigot - Custom	Connection to exhaust/ flexi duct	1

SYSTEM RANGE RELATED SERVICES		<b>Fyref</b>	LEX
CLICKABLE CODES Item Number	Description	Min Order Qty	Pallet QTY
FyreFLEX 300W FyreFLEX 300G	FyreFLEX Sealant Cartridge 300ml White or Grey	1	1920
FyreFLEX 600W FyreFLEX 600G	FyreFLEX Sealant Sausage 600ml White or Grey	1	1040
FyreFLEX 10W FyreFLEX 10G	FyreFLEX <sup>®</sup> Sealant Pail 10L White	1	64



## FAQ - FyreDAMPER

## FAQ?

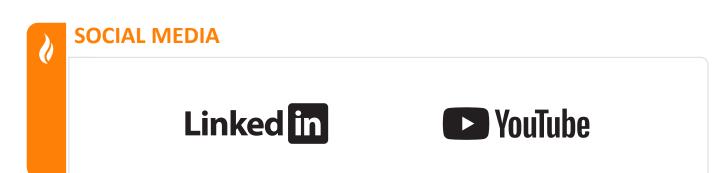
**Q** Can the ceiling be constructed with 2 or 3 layers of 13mm fire rated plasterboard?

A FyreDAMPERs can be installed in ceilings constructed to achieve the required FRL.

Q Can the ceiling damper be mounted over a combined fan/light unit?A Yes, as long as the cutout does not exceed approved sizes.

Q Can I get a custom size made for my application?A Yes, we can manufacture boxes to suit your needs.

Q Can I cut out parts of the ceiling box to fit over ceiling frame?A No, the ceiling damper must be installed in the same manner as it was tested.

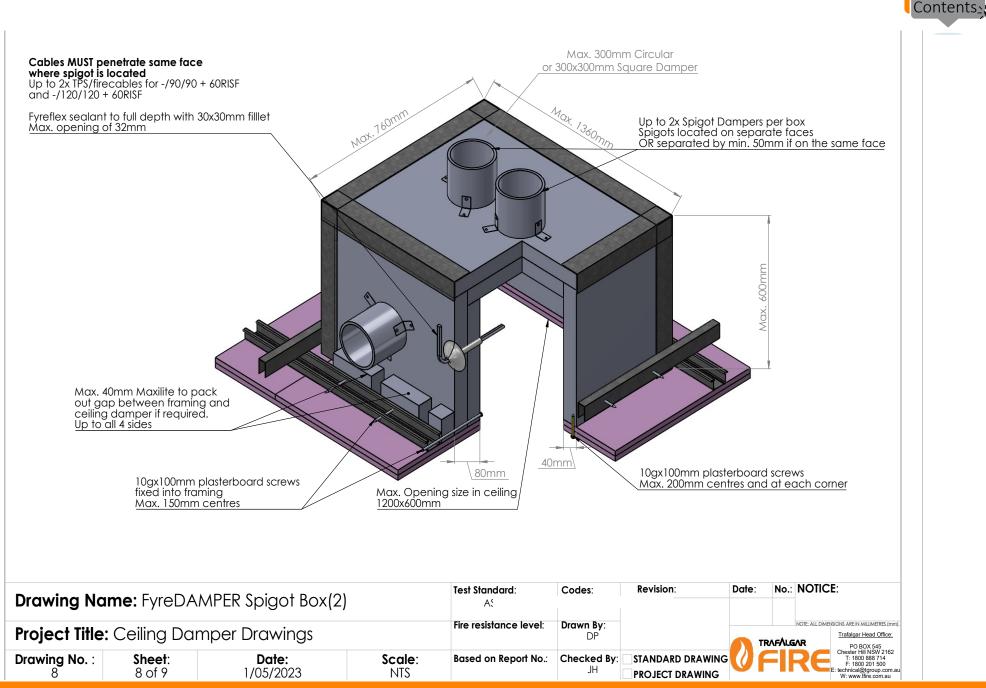




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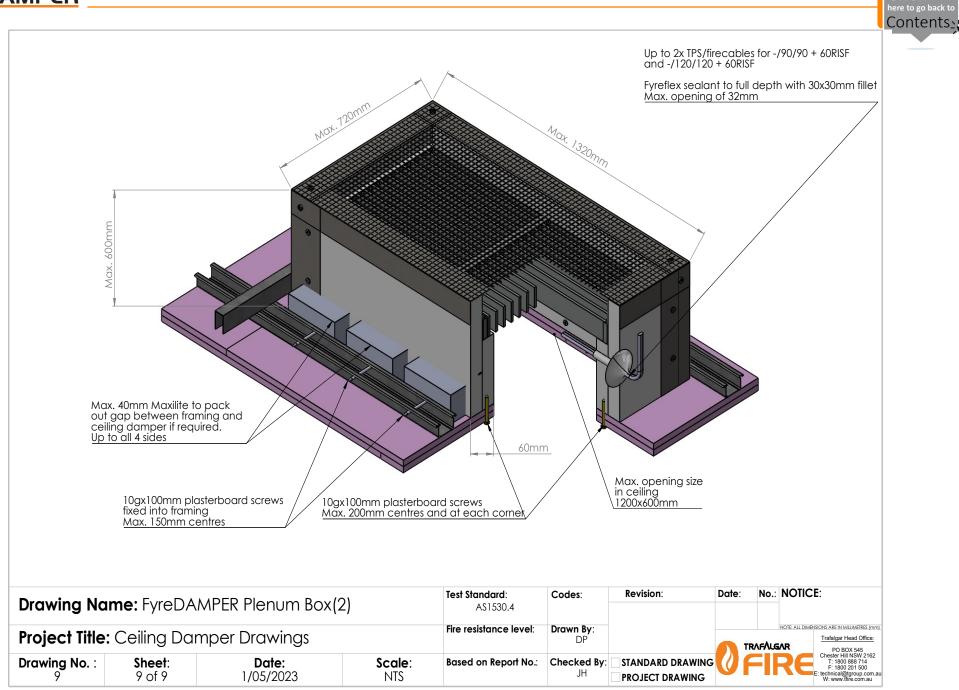




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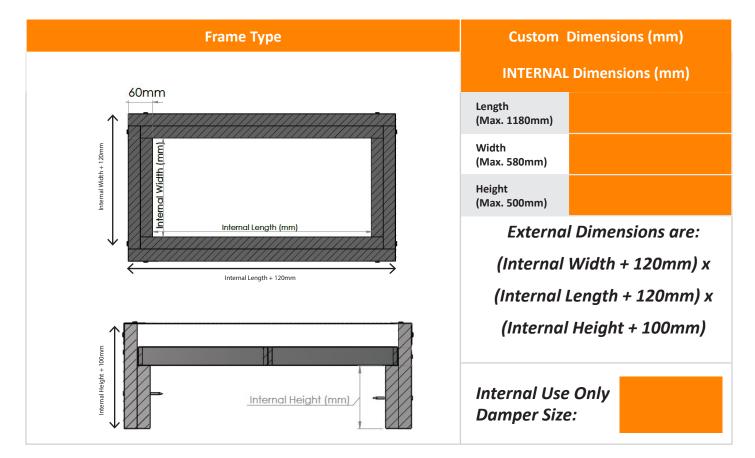




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#### FyreDAMPER CEILING PLENUM BOX ORDER CONFIRMATION

Customer to complete for each size Ceiling Plenum Box required. All dampers will be manufactured based on internal dimensions supplied by the customer within a tolerance of +/-2mm.

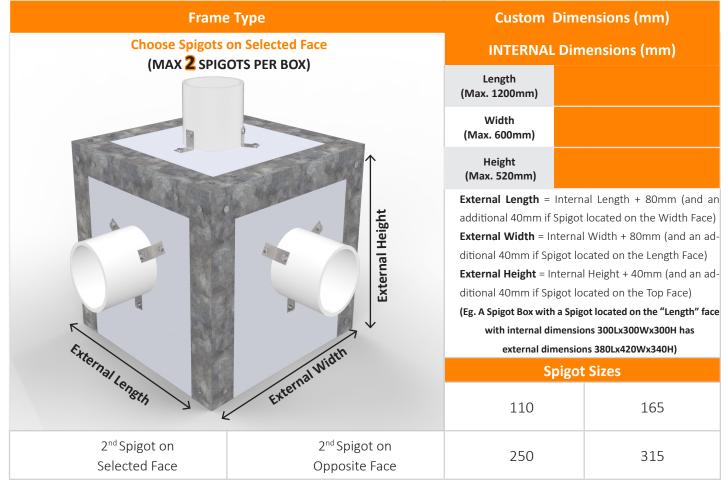


FyreFLEX Sealant required for bedding the Plenum box to the ceiling and for sealing cable penetrations. If the above does not meet your requirements, please contact our Sales Team on 1800 888 714.



#### FyreDAMPER CEILING SPIGOT ORDER CONFIRMATION

Customer to complete for each size Ceiling Spigot Box required. All dampers will be manufactured based on internal dimensions supplied by the customer within a tolerance of +/- 2mm.



*FyreFLEX Sealant required for bedding the Spigot box to the ceiling and for sealing cable penetrations.* 

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