

Choosing the right Justrite Safety Cabinet

An informed choice is always the best choice.

Anyone who is responsible for safety in their workplace knows the Justrite name is synonymous with safety cabinets. As the industry leader and innovator, Justrite offers over 550 models from which to choose. Consider the following when making the selection that is just right for you:

1. Compliance and regulatory requirements
2. Convenience and protection factors
3. Chemical characteristics and capacity issues

Convenience and Protection Factors

Door style preference:

Whereas door style is usually chosen by preference, States which follow the Uniform Fire Code (UFC) mandate the use of self-closing cabinets. Cabinets with self-closing and self-latching doors provide an extra measure of protection.



Manual

Economical manual-close doors permit doors to open a full 180°. When pushed closed they will automatically self-latch.



Sliding

A single bi-fold, sliding door glides smoothly on a spring loaded track for easy, one handed access to cabinet contents. It self-latches and self-closes, and is equipped with a fusible link to hold the door open during use and melts at 165° F (74° C) to automatically close door under fire conditions.



Self-Close

This style self-indexes, self-latches and self-closes to automatically shut doors upon release. Mechanism is concealed in the top wall, maximizing available shelf space. Fusible links hold doors open during use. In the event of a fire, fusible links will melt at 165° F (74° C) to automatically close doors.

All Justrite cabinet doors feature a continuous piano hinge for smooth operation, a three-point closure with keyed lock and our exclusive self-latching mechanism on all door styles.

Door handle preference:



Sure-Grip™ Handle

Attractive, self-latching paddle style handle offers easy fingertip access to contents. Because it is flush mounted, it keeps aisles clear and eliminates accidental bangs or dangerous "catches" from passing traffic. Exclusive gripper pad provides secure hold. Two keys are included for security.



Lever Handle

Traditional self-latching, zinc plated handle provides sturdy, smooth handling and is equipped with a double key set to protect against unauthorized use.

Compliance and Regulatory Requirements

Agency approvals:

Third party testing is your assurance of performance.



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Code compliance:

Federal, state, and local regulations may apply. Contact your local Fire Marshall for guidance.

OSHA 29 CFR 1910.106 / NFPA Code 30 Section 4.3.3



Type of chemical to be stored:

Using color and labeling in your storage practices helps identify, organize and segregate liquids. It also helps fire department personnel recognize hazards when responding to fire situations.

Capacity needs:

A wide variety of code compliant Justrite cabinets are available in sizes ranging from 4-gallons (15 liters) to 120-gallons (454 liters). Smaller cabinets allow solvents to be stored at worksite locations saving costly trips to a central storage room. Undercounter, wall mount and piggyback style cabinets add to safe storage, even when space is at a premium. For high capacity storage, including storage of 55-gallon drums, larger sized cabinets designed specifically to house 30-gallon (114 liter) or 55-gallon (208 liter) drums are available.

Performance Testing:

Justrite cabinets are third party tested by Factory Mutual Research and/or Underwriters Laboratories and built to OSHA/NFPA standards.

A self-latching cabinet makes a difference!

A self-latching door and handle is critical as it does not require the user to manually rotate a handle to ensure the three-point latch is properly engaged. This is an important detail since an unlatched cabinet leaves the flammable contents exposed to a potential fire, where every single second of protection counts. A safety cabinet must be latched for it to perform according to code, providing maximum safety under fire conditions.

