

Announcement

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To: All Kidde Fire Systems Distributors
From: Rakesh Patel, Technical Support Engineer-II
Subject: New Sales and Design Tools

Kidde Fire Systems is pleased to announce the availability of several new software tool including a Bill of Material Generator, Agent Quantity Estimators and Battery Size Calculators. We encourage you to share these tools with your design, sales and service personnel as we are confident that these tools will save you considerable time and effort.

- The **Bill of Material** Generator will assist you in generating part lists and quotes for Kidde Fire Systems products. This tool incorporates 2008 pricing.
- The **Agent Quantity Estimating** Tool for Argonite®, CO2, FM-200® and 3M™ Novec™ 1230 Fire Suppression Systems will calculate the agent quantity and number of cylinders. Also, these tools will allow you to generate reports and export them into Microsoft Excel.
- The **Battery Size Calculation** tool for the ARIES™ and AEGIS™ Control Panels will calculate battery size, total stand-by and total alarm current for each system. These tools incorporate stand-by and alarm current for all Kidde notification devices and releasing devices. This tool will allow you to generate reports and export them into Microsoft Excel.

All these tools are available for immediate download from our website <http://www.kiddefiresystems.com>. You can access these tools from the distributor extranet page.

For technical matters or assistance with the software tools, please call Technical Support at (866) 287-2531. Also, feel free to call your Kidde Regional Sales Manager or the Marketing Department in Ashland with any comments or feedback.

As always, we thank you for your continued business with Kidde Fire Systems.