

IS IT UL CERTIFIED?

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Using UL's Online Certification Directory

UL often receives questions from clients, authorities having jurisdiction (AHJs), consumers and others wanting to know how to find out if a product is UL Certified. To help the public determine if a product does carry a UL Mark, UL developed a database where anyone can verify this information.

Where can I find the UL Certification Directory? Go to UL's Online Certification Directory at www.ul.com/.

The database is designed to allow you to search in various ways. You can search by a company's name, their location, UL Cateogry Code (also known as a UL CCN), UL File Number or a Keyword (for example, Toaster).

What if I want to know if a specific company makes UL Certified products?

On the Online Certifications Directory page, type in either the full name of the company or a portion of the company's name. If you type in only a portion of the name, be sure to put an asterisk (*) before and after your entry. The asterisk is what tells the directory to retrieve all entries with just a portion of the name entered. Then click the 'Search' button.

How do I determine if the product I have is UL Certified?

For products such as a household appliance, you will see the UL Mark on the product. You should also see the letter "E" followed by four or five digits. This is the UL File number for that product. On the Online Certifications Directory page, enter the E plus the four or five digits into the 'UL File Number' field and select 'Search'. Once you click 'Search', it will return a page that shows the UL File Number on the right side of the page, highlighted in blue. The name of the company associated with the file will show on the left and the Category Name will be in the center of the page. If you click on the UL File Number, it will take you to anotherpage that will show you a complete list of all products

covered under that UL File Number. This page will list out all the model numbers and may include additional information such as ratings or the environments in which the product is effectively used (such as outdoors, wet conditions, etc.).

Some products, like Fire Fighter Helmets, have a UL File Number that begins with a "MH" instead of an "E".

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Free Firestop Performance Video

UL and the International FireStop Council (IFC) have collaborated to develop an educational video on the performance of properly tested UL Listed firestop products and the importance of following a precise combination of components and conditions that have been assembled and tested as a system. Emphasizing that optimized fire protection includes detection, suppression and compartmentation, the video features real life scenarios, created in UL's facilities, designed to simulate realistic room configurations and fire progression.

These scenarios include matched sets of penetrations and joints; comparing the performance of a properly installed UL Listed firestop design to an improperly installed and unrated design.

To view the video, please go to www.ul.com/ firestop

To learn more, contact the International FireStop Council at www.firstop.org or Richard.N.Walke@ul.com

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