Dafo was the first company to pass the SPCR 183 stipulated fire tests. Many of the world’s leading vehicle manufacturers install Dafo Forrex Fire Suppression Systems as a standard. Dafo has until today sold more than 100,000 systems to leading manufacturers as Volvo, Hyster, Cargotec etc. We have installed systems for container handling machines in Sweden, Finland, Germany, England, Belgium, France, Djibouti, Australia, Dominican Republic, Romania for example.

Most vehicle fires start in engine compartments and surrounding areas. A tested and certified fire suppression system in combination with efficient fire detection, is the best first response in case of an emergency. Dafo Forrex Fire Suppression Systems respond rapidly to any increase in temperature. The Dafo system is developed to use worldwide in both cold and hot climates and designed after the International guidelines SPCR 183 and Swedish guidelines SBF 127, which requires 3L extinguishing agent for 1 m³ protected space. This means that we leave nothing to chance, safety first! The Dafo system is designed to perform even under severe conditions in harsh environments.

The liquid agent extinguishes fire and effectively prevents re-ignition. A low pressure system demanding but modest space and that operates down to -50°C.
As the owner of a machine equipped with a Dafo Forrex Fire Suppression System, you have taken an important step in facing the fire problem. This flexible, fully automatic system detects and extinguishes fire rapidly. Detection is achieved through a linear heat detector wire which detects the fire in an early stage. Means to manually release the system can be provided upon request. The agent is released through a pipe system with specially designed nozzles that effectively covers the protected areas.

**FORREX - MAKES THE DIFFERENCE**

The liquid (wet chem) Forrex is specially developed for use on fires in combustible engines. It is highly effective on fires in flammable liquids like petrol, diesel and hydraulic oils and in burning solids like wood, chips and peat. It smothers quickly fires from diesel oil flowing from a burst fuel pipe or hydraulic oil sprayed under pressure. The liquid agent will push away the oxygen, cool down the overheated engine parts, impregnate the burning material, stick to surfaces and effectively preventing re-ignition. Forrex is non corrosive and environmentally friendly.

**PERSONNEL SAFETY**

The harmless extinguishing liquid and pressureless containers presents no health risk to operators or staff.

**BENEFITS**

- Strong cooling effect
- Film forming effect to prevent re-ignition
- Pressure-less container (Personnel safety)
- Freeze protected down to -50°C
- Easy maintenance
- Easy to refill on site
- Easy to clean up after discharge
- Independent system
- Non corrosive
- Environment friendly

The Dafo Fire Suppression system is sprung from 40 years of experience in vehicle fire protection. It ensures maximum protection while being much more economical than previously available solutions like water sprinkler, dry chemical or CO₂-systems.

The effect of a fire on a construction machine could be severe not only to the machine itself and its operator. If the fire isn't contained and suppressed in time it could cause devastation to the surroundings. This is why Dafos fire suppression systems are designed to detect and suppress the fire as early as possible.

**FUNCTION**

Fire is detected by the line detector (8), which sends a signal through the control unit (4) the trigger (3), which releases the pressure from the nitrogen bottle (2). The nitrogen bottle pressurizes the agent tank (1), releasing the agent at a pressure of about 21 bar and distributing through the pipe system (9 and 11) and the nozzles (12). At the same time it activates the system, the optical alarm (6) and acoustic (7) are activated. These alarms are set to turn on the control panel (5), from which is also can activate the system manually.

**CERTIFICATE**

The system is certified by TÜV, SBF, FM, Russian Law of Fire Safety no. 123F3 and SPCR 183. Dafo Forrex extinguishing fluid is certified by the MPA, got the SP Environment certificate, Lloyds Register (ICAO Level B) and CCC (China). Dafo Forrex Fire Suppression System is tested for EMC, vibration, corrosion and temperature according to vehicle standards.