

PANEL ANNOUNCEMENT

After 20 years of supplying Firenet panels to the market, the manufacturer has announced to Incite Fire that they would be ceasing future supply due to the restricted availability of components and changes to Australian Standards.

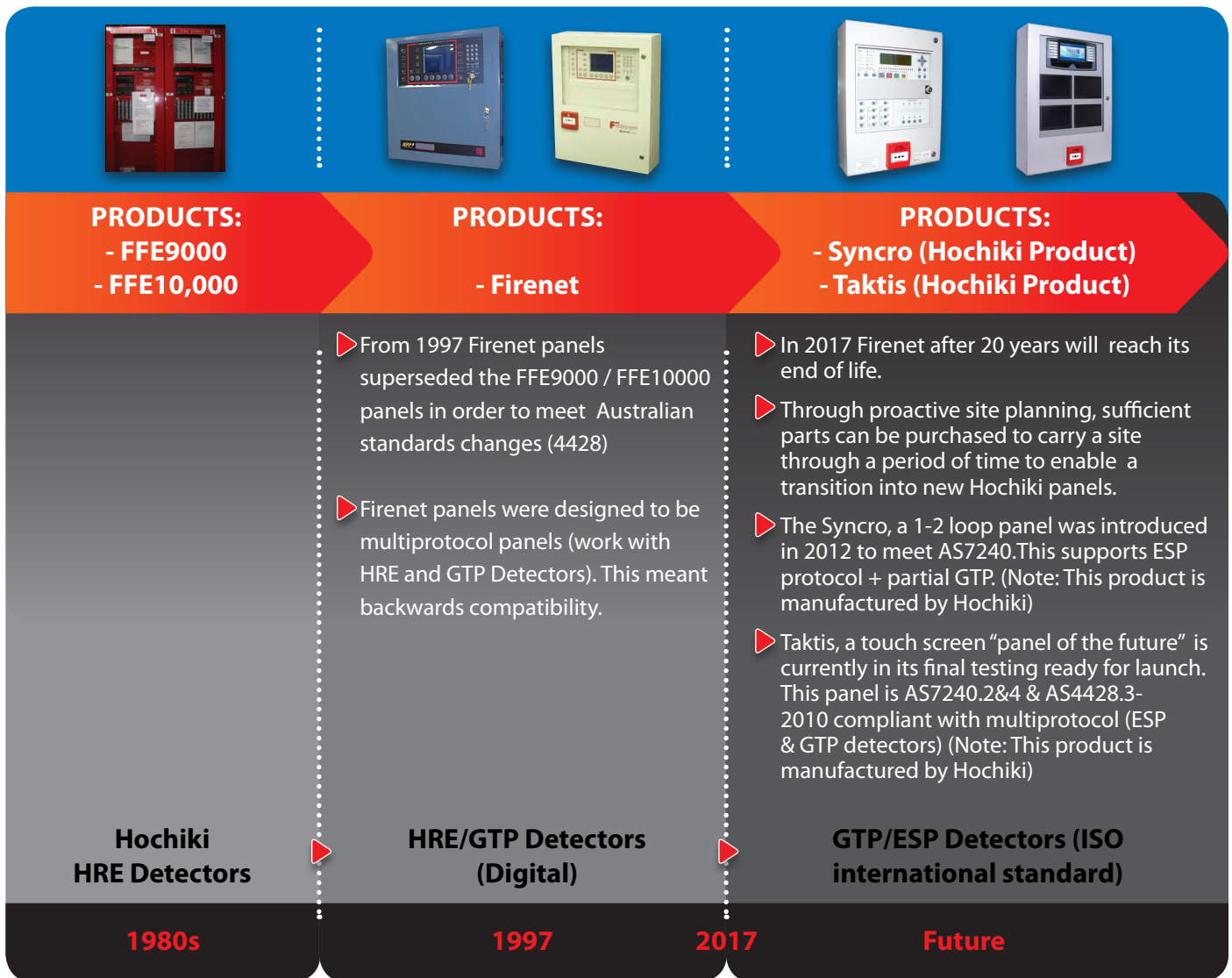
Incite Fire have been given the opportunity to buy spare parts up to July 2018, however manufacturer pricing is likely to increase as the product draws closer to its end of life. With the time frame and potential rising prices in mind, we strongly recommend each site is reviewed for spare parts future requirements and the necessary purchases are made to plan for the servicing of each site and enabling time to subsequently phase-in new Hochiki detectors and panels. The below diagram shows the progression of panels and the future of the Hochiki panels and detectors.

Hochiki and Incite Fire

Hochiki have been supplying products to the Australian market for over 30 years and in association with Incite Fire for almost 20 years.

Up until 2012 Hochiki were focused on providing high quality detectors and devices. However in 2013 this was expanded to include high quality panel products through the acquisition of Kentec.

Incite Fire have distributed the Hochiki range of products for almost 20 years and the panels supplied to the market now include a Sigma conventional panel Sigma extinguishing panel, Syncro analogue panel and the Taktis analogue panel.



What should I do next ?

Use the table on the following page to help determine the next steps. If you need assistance feel free to call our Firenet support team who will be happy to help on 02 9644 7144 – PRESS 2.

SITE SOLUTIONS


The below chart shows each panel and its corresponding detectors, along with a recommended solution for each site. Where a site has a FFE9000 or FFE10000 panel and only HRE detectors, (Red column below) the only solution is to change the entire fire system. If a site has Firenet panels there may be an option to update the system by changing only the panels.

PRODUCTS:
- FFE9000
- FFE10000



Solution
(1) Replace Fire system

PRODUCTS:
- FIRENET





























Solution
(1) Possibility to upgrade loop card to link to HRE detectors (to be confirmed with Incite Fire)
(2) Continue to maintain system with available parts
(3) Upgrade system with Syncro / Taktis panels

PRODUCTS:
- Syncro (Hochiki Product)
- Taktis (Hochiki Product)



Solution
(1) Continue as is for the future

ANALOGUE SENSORS	HRE DETECTORS	HRE DETECTORS	GTP DETECTORS		GTP DETECTORS		ESP DETECTORS
PHOTO	 ALB-E	 ALB-E	 ALG-AS	 ALK-AS	 ALG-AS	 ALK-AS	 ALK-ASN
ION	 AIA-E	 AIA-E	 AIE-AS		 AIE-AS		
HEAT	 ATA-E	 ATA-E	 ATG-AS	 ACB-AS	 ATG-AS	 ACB-AS(*)	 ACB-ASN
HEAT WATER-PROOF				 ACB-ASW		 ACB-ASW	 ACB-ASNW
MULTI			 AAM	 ACA-E	 AAF	 ACA-E	 ACA-ASN
COLOUR	IVORY	IVORY	IVORY		IVORY		WHITE
BASE	YBF-RL/2NBF	YBF-RL/2NBF	YBN-R/2NA		YBN-R/2NA		YBN-R/3(WHT)

All Hochiki GTP loop protocol devices will work with Syncro and Taktis
(* Operates in fixed temperature mode only as per ATG-AS)

Need Advice?

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