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Subject: ICAO & FAA Airfield Rescue and Fire Fighting Categories for Airbus Aircraft

Objective:

The purpose of this document is to provide the FAA and ICAO categories of all Airbus aircraft based on overall length and maximum fuselage width.

*For any question, please contact airport operations department
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Reference:

ICAO Annex 14 – Categories Based on Aircraft overall length & maximum fuselage width

FAA Part 139.315 – Index Categories Based on Aircraft length

ICAO Annex 14

- Cat 1: $0\text{m} < L \leq 9\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 2\text{m}$
- Cat 2: $9\text{m} < L \leq 12\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 2\text{m}$
- Cat 3: $12\text{m} < L \leq 18\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 3\text{m}$
- Cat 4: $18\text{m} < L \leq 24\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 4\text{m}$
- Cat 5: $24\text{m} < L \leq 28\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 4\text{m}$
- Cat 6: $28\text{m} < L \leq 39\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 5\text{m}$
- Cat 7: $39\text{m} < L \leq 49\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 5\text{m}$
- Cat 8: $49\text{m} < L \leq 61\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 7\text{m}$
- Cat 9: $61\text{m} < L \leq 76\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 7\text{m}$
- Cat 10: $76\text{m} < L \leq 90\text{m}$, fuselage $\emptyset < 8\text{m}$

FAA Part 139.315

- Index A: Length $< 90\text{ft}$.
- Index B: $90\text{ft} \leq \text{Length} < 126\text{ft}$.
- Index C: $126\text{ft} \leq \text{Length} < 159\text{ft}$.
- Index D: $159\text{ft} \leq \text{Length} < 200\text{ft}$.
- Index E: Length $\geq 200\text{ft}$.

Type	ICAO Categories	FAA Categories
A318	6	B
A319	6	B
A320	6	B
A321	7	C
A310	8	C
A400M	8	C
A300	8	D
A300-600	8	D
A330-200	8	D
A330-200F	8	D
A340-200	8	D
A350-800	8	D
A330-300	9	E
A340-300	9	E
A340-500	9	E
A340-600	9	E
A350-900	9	E
A350-1000	9	E
A380-800	10	E