



## Fire Hosetech Door Jammers and Wedges

As all firefighters are very aware, one of the most dangerous aspects of fighting any building fire can be if doors are closed behind the crew, obstructing an exit. Obviously the maintenance of clearly marked ingress and egress routes is essential to a firefighters safety.

Fire Hosetech can offer a couple of different options to ensure that if you want a door to remain open, it will remain open.

### FOXTAIL WEDGES

This is a heavy duty door wedge designed to fit into the hinged door jamb and hold a door fully open.

Manufactured in 3mm section, grade 316 stainless steel, the wedge is designed to easily slot over the hinge, holding the door fully open with little or no risk of accidental removal - see 1.

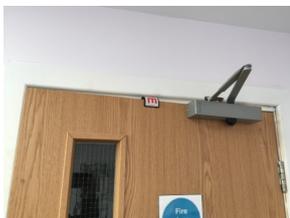
If the door is required to be left ajar then the wedge can be positioned horizontally at floor level like a conventional door wedge - see 2.



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### DOOR JAMMERS

This brilliantly simple, no maintenance, piece of equipment features a flexible design allowing it to securely grip doors with a thickness between 36 and 50mm.

In Europe there is a specific communication role for the jammers with the position indicating the status of the area beyond the door.

On a more simplistic level, positioning the jammer on the top of the door (see 3) allows control of the degree of door opening whilst position 4 gives the maximum possible opening whilst positioning the jammer off the walking line. Position 5 offers the minimum door opening to be maintained whilst keeping the highly reflective jammer firmly in the line of sight even in reduced visibility.

All of these positions of course ensure that, whatever else, the door will not close and lock behind a firefighter while he is facing the fire.



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Special holders are available to mount 3 of the jammers to a firefighter's belt but most simply mount them on the shaft of their BA torches.