

Outdoor Festival Requirements

- **Tent Structures** shall conform to CAN/ULC-S109 Flame Resistance of "CC-ICT" Reinforced Material (Have a FlameSpread Rating)
- **Portable fire extinguishers;**
 - Be located within the area occupied by each tent structure.
 - Be mounted in a visible location, not on the floor or obstructed, have a current service tag,
 - Be full and functioning with no leaks, damage, corrosion, or clogged nozzles,
 - Have a minimum rating 2A-10BC.
 - Maintenance report must be provided to determine any deficiencies.
 - Maximum travel distance (actual walking distance) for class A extinguisher is 75'.
- **K-Class Extinguishers;**
 - Shall have a current service tag,
 - Be within 75' (25 meters) of all kitchen areas,
 - Tents with more than one deep fryer or large wok shall have their own K-Class extinguisher
- **Propane cylinders;**
 - Milk crate crates or an equivalent shall be used to hold 201b portable propane cylinders,
 - 60-100lb cylinders shall be secured by chain to a secure object (tent post) to help prevent accidental tipping,
 - Compressed gas lines shall be free of splits, cracks or other wear and utilize only approved connecting hardware i.e. crimped connections. NO Vise Grips or other unprofessional adaptations will be allowed.
 - Cylinders shall be less than 10 years old from the original qualification date,
 - Any extra cylinders shall be stored in a well-ventilated, secure area safe from vandals inside a metal cage with ventilation above and beneath,
 - Shall be a minimum of 3' meters from any structure, and no standing grass or combustible should impinge cylinder
- **Hot water Tanks/heaters venting** shall be installed a safe distance from the temporary tent structures,
- **Portable Generators** shall have no obvious disrepair and all stock fittings shall remain intact,
- **Portable gasoline Gerry cans** shall have no obvious disrepair and stock fittings shall remain intact,
- **Surge Protectors, power bars or extension cords** are generally used on a temporary basis only.
- **Storage items** shall not impede exiting.
- **Electrical boxes** must be covered with approved cover.

Propane Cylinder Markings



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Propane cylinders have a range of identifying marks on the cylinder collar. Understanding them assists all propane users.

Manufacture Date

The manufacture date will show the month and year of manufacture, sometimes separated by an inspector's symbol. Ten years after the date of manufacture, the cylinder will need to be requalified or replaced.

Example: 04 10 or 04Δ10

How to read this manufacture stamp:

- 04 – Month of manufacture (i.e. April)
- 05 – Year of manufacture (i.e. 2010)

Requalification (Retest) Stamp

As propane cylinders need to be requalified or replaced every ten years, this mark will show when that requalification happened. The easiest way to locate the requalification date on a cylinder is to find a sequence of numbers and letters that end in 'E'.

Example: 05 PD3 13 E

How to read this requalification stamp:

- 05 – Month of requalification (i.e. May)
- PD3 – Requalifiers registered mark (this is an identifier that Transport Canada assigns all requalifiers)
- 13 – Year of requalification (i.e. 2013)
- E – Procedure Symbol E (stands for External Visual Inspection)

Requalification may occur multiple times over the life of the cylinder, so there may be more than one requalification date stamped on the collar.

Other Marks

Transport Canada Design Specification

Shows that the cylinder has been designed to Transport Canada specifications and can be used and filled in Canada. Will include the letters TC.

Manufacturer's Name, Symbol or Serial Number

Shows who manufactured the cylinder.

Water Capacity

The total water capacity of the cylinder in litres.

Tare Weight

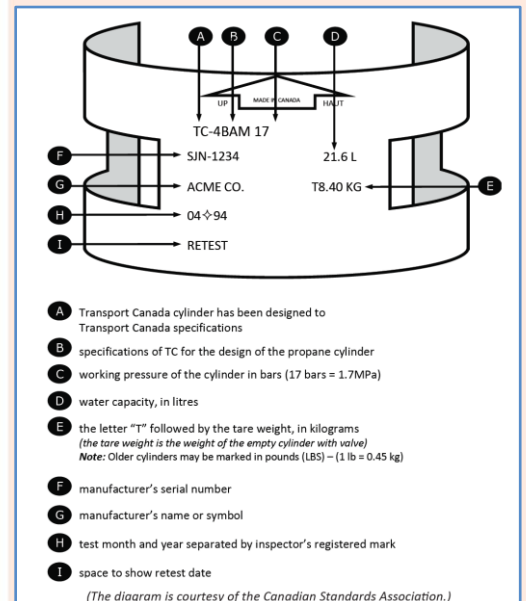
The weight of the empty cylinder in kilograms.

Requalification

It's against the law for an expired or damaged cylinder to be filled.

To find a registered cylinder requalifier in your area, there is a searchable listing of requalifiers available on the Transport Canada website - www.tc.gc.ca - under *Safety > Transportation of Dangerous Goods > Containers > Cylinder Requalifiers*. Select the "External Visual" cylinder requalification method for propane cylinders.

Cylinder Marking Example



Note: Cylinder markings may be laid out differently on the collar than shown above.

For further information on cylinder markings: <http://www.tc.gc.ca/eng/tdg/moc-cylinder-menu-363.html>