

Title (en)

Method and apparatus using a water mist for fighting fire and/or toxicants in tunnels

Title (de)

Verfahren und Vorrichtung mit Wassernebel zum Feuerlöschen und/oder zum Einsatz gegen Gifte in Verkehrstunnels

Title (fr)

Procédé et dispositif utilisant du brouillard d'eau pour la lutte anti-incendie et/ou contres les toxiques dans un tunnel

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Abstract (en)

[origin: EP1221328A1] System includes main pipelines extending along length of tunnel, secondary pipelines, derived from main pipelines, electrovalves, manual valves, and water nozzles placed along secondary pipelines, at around 2 meters from ground. When alarm is triggered, nozzles produce water mist that traps smoke in upper half of tunnel, allowing people to move freely under water screen. System is triggered by manual fire alarms in tunnel, or by remote operator using thermocouple, smoke and IR sensors.

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