

Property definitions (Venue)

Special definitions for all property sections

Amount insured

The most **we** will pay as shown in the schedule. Unless **we** say otherwise, the amounts apply to each incident of loss and will be automatically restored to the full amount after **we** pay a loss provided **you** carry out **our** recommendations to prevent further loss or damage.

Breakdown

- Breaking, failure, distortion or burning out of any part of equipment or a computer whilst in ordinary use, arising from defects in the equipment or computers causing its sudden stoppage and necessitating repair or replacement before it can resume work; or
- fracturing of any part of equipment or a computer by frost which renders such equipment or computers inoperative; or
- 3. the actual and complete severance of a rope, but not breakage or abrasion of wires or strands even though replacement may be necessary.

Buildings

The buildings, which belong to **you** or for which **you** are legally responsible, at the premises shown in the schedule, including:

- 1. outbuildings and annexes;
- 2. landlord's fixtures and fittings, fixed fuel tanks;
- walls, gates, fences, car parks, yards, private roads, pavements and paths at the premises;
- 4. pipes, ducting, cables, wires and associated control equipment at the premises and up to the public mains.

The land at the premises is not included within this definition.

Business premises

The space **you** occupy at the premises shown in the schedule located in a building of **standard construction** unless otherwise notified to **us** and to which **we** have confirmed **our** agreement. This includes any outbuildings **you** occupy on the same premises.

Computers

Computers and ancillary equipment, which belong to **you** or for which **you** are legally responsible, including **software** and data carrying media but excluding data or information entered by **you** or on **your** behalf.

Damage

Accidental physical loss or physical damage.

Earth movement

Any natural or man-made earth movement including, but not limited to earthquake, seaquake, volcanic eruption or **subsidence** and any ensuing tsunami.

Equipment

Equipment, which belongs to you or for which you are legally responsible:

- 1. built to operate under vacuum or pressure, other than the weight of contents; or
- 2. used for the generation, transmission or utilisation of energy.

Computers are not included in this definition.

Explosion or collapse

- Sudden and violent rending by force of internal steam or other fluid pressure causing bodily displacement of any part of the insured **equipment** together with forcible ejection of the contents: or
- sudden and dangerous distortion of any part of the insured equipment caused by crushing stress by force of steam or other fluid pressure.

Pressure of chemical action or ignited flue gases or ignition of the contents is not included within this definition.

Failure

Damage caused by:

- electrical or mechanical breakdown, including rupture or bursting caused by centrifugal force: or
- artificially generated electrical current, including electric arcing, that disturbs electrical devices, appliances or wires; or



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- explosion or collapse of equipment owned or leased by you or under your control and operating under steam or other fluid pressure; or
- any condition or event, not otherwise excluded by this section, occurring inside equipment operating under steam or other fluid pressure; or
- any condition or event, not otherwise excluded by this section, occurring inside hot water boilers or other water heating equipment; or
- 6. operator error.

Flood Rising surface or tidal water, or the overflow of water from any natural or artificial watercourse

(other than water tanks, apparatus or pipes), whether driven by storm or not.

Identity fraud Someone, or a group of people, knowingly using a means of identification belonging to **you**

without your knowledge or authorisation and with the intention of committing or helping

someone else to commit an illegal act.

Property Tangible property.

Reconstitution of data Reconstitution of the data you need to continue your business, if your electronic business

records and electronic data have been lost or distorted.

Software Programmes which run your computers, including both your own operating programmes and

application programmes used in the course of your business.

Standard construction Built of brick, stone or concrete and roofed with slate, tiles, concrete, metal, asbestos or any

other non-combustible material.

Storm High winds of a destructive nature, rainstorm, hailstorm or snowstorm.

Subsidence Subsidence, landslip or heave.

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