The ONLY way to create actual coloured smoke!

- Coloured smoke available in white, red, orange, yellow, green, blue, violet and black/grey.
- A small report is followed by a thick plume of very dense smoke.
- Available in 7 and 30 second duration cartridges for use with a metal ‘flash pod’ holder for secure detonation, as well as 15 and 90 second duration cartridges with fly leads (no ‘flash pod’ needed).

Our coloured smoke cartridges are very popular with photographers and film makers and have been used for music videos and for special effects in films and TV.

The 7 or 30 second duration cartridges have two connector pins on the base (see left) which allow the cartridge to be easily inserted into a metal ‘flash pod’ (shown right). This ‘flash pod’ holds the effect in place and allows for quick swap-outs for rapid change of spent cartridges for new ones. The flash pod connects to a 1, 2 or 6 channel battery-powered firing controller (available from Pea Soup, see below) using conventional two-core cable available either directly from us or from most DIY shops.

To fire 1 to 8 cartridges simultaneously, just press the ‘FIRE’ button on the firing controller and after a ‘snap’ of the igniter inside each cartridge, thick coloured smoke is produced for the duration of the cartridge.

The 15 second and new 90 second duration cartridges are fired in the same way but do not require mounting in a flash pod. They come with two core cable already connected for you to connect to an extension of a longer length of standard two-core cable and connect directly to the firing controller.

Prop makers / SFX crew / Experienced pyro users: The smoke cartridge can be fired using a simple circuit comprising a readily available PP3 9v battery or even with a simple ‘push-to-make’ button for incorporation into props, costumes, scenery, etc. without the bulk of a firing controller. Connection to the pins of the 7 or 30 second cartridge can be made via crocodile clips, thereby negating the need for a flash pod if space is limited inside a prop. Great care must be taken with all pyrotechnic effects and are used at the operator’s own risk.

PLEASE NOTE
The use of pyrotechnics, indoors and outdoors, is at the sole discretion of the operator who will have taken full note of the prevailing situation. No liability of any sort will be entertained by Pea Soup where pyrotechnics are used without an approved firing system. If you are in any doubt whatsoever as to the firing of a pyrotechnic effect, please contact us directly for detailed advice and instructions. HSE CAD documentation is available for each pyrotechnic effect. Coloured smokes contain dye which can stain fabrics and surfaces so care must be taken when positioning the effect near scenery, props, clothing, etc. Avoid inhalation of smoke. Delivery is usually next-day. Same-day delivery to London and surrounding counties is also available.