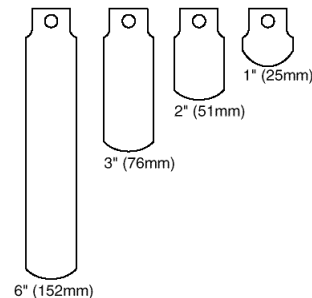


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Stainless Steel Paddles Are Now Standard On Series FS4 & Series FS8 Flow Switches

McDonnell & Miller is pleased to announce that all models of the Series FS4 and Series FS8 flow switches will now include reinforced stainless steel paddles. These paddles are thicker than the previous monel paddles and reduces the possibility of breakage when installed in an area of high turbulence They will also last longer in harsh water applications. This change is effective for products manufactured beginning in December 1999.

Each unit will include four paddles, which are 1", 2", 3" and 6" in length. The lengths are the same as the previous monel paddles and can be trimmed to fit a particular pipe size. Bulletin MM-620, which will be included with all units, has a chart showing which paddle to install for a given pipe size. A copy of the bulletin will be available for viewing and printing on the M&M website at www.mcdonnellmiller.com.



A replacement paddle kit is available which will include the four stainless steel paddles. This can be ordered as FS4-15SS (p/n 310451). We will continue to make available the replacement paddle kit, FS4-15 (p/n 336800) with the monel paddles for a period of time. However, we encourage everyone to take advantage of the stainless steel paddles when replacements are needed. They are less likely to break in turbulent water or deteriorate in harsh water conditions.

Guidelines and recommendations for selecting and installing flow switches have not changed. The change to stainless steel paddles is an improvement, which will extend paddle life in extreme environments.

Contact your local McDonnell & Miller distributor or Manufacturer's Representative if you have any questions about this or any other product.