

Subject: Change of spring material used in indicator fuses

In order to secure a stable supply of the spring used in our indicator fuses, we would like to announce that the material composition of the spring will change.

1. Products affected:

- 60FHS**, 70FHS** and ASF** series fuses
- Products in the following classification
Product numbers ending in: S, S-F, SUL, SUL-F, SULTC, SULTC-F, ST, SB, S-S3B
(Exception: **SRF**S, **SPF**S)

2. Description of the change

The spring installed here will be changed



<Previous>

Material : Piano wire
(Tin-plated)

<New>

Material : Stainless wire



3. Reason for the change

To secure a stable supply of the material

4. Effect on products as a result of the change

Fuse characteristics: No effect on fuse performance

Dimensions/appearance: No change

- No effect on product specifications and reliability data that has already been provided.
- Material composition survey will be revised. The revision will be available upon request.

5. Schedule for change

This change will come into effect for deliveries from January 2016 onward.

6. Method of discriminating between previous and new models

The difference cannot be seen in product appearance.

Previous models and new models will be recognizable by the lot number that is displayed on the product label and the packing box label.

Lower numerals than (Lot number) F1512** or 1512**: Previous model

Higher numerals than (Lot number) F1601** or 1601**: New model

If you have any concerns regarding this change, please contact our office by May 29, 2015. Non-contact will be understood as acceptance of the change.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter.