3M Fall Protection September 2021

Stop Use and Recall IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED

3M[™] DBI-SALA® ExoFit[™] XP Arc Flash Cross-Over Harness CSA Versions only

As part of 3M Fall Protection's continued commitment to producing high quality safety and personal protective equipment, we conduct periodic testing of our products. Recent testing of specific CSA versions of DBI-SALA® ExoFit™ XP Arc Flash Cross-Over Harnesses have returned negative test results on some units. The Arc Flash Standard (ASTM F887) requires that all arc flash rated harnesses be subjected to an Arc Flash followed by a successful dynamic drop test. It should be noted that there is variability in Arc Flash testing of webbing-based products, which can stem from several contributing factors including positioning, webbing gap to the test torso, environmental elements, arc path, input energy and other possible sources.

Because of the recent inconsistent performance results, we are issuing a Stop Use and Recall notice to all customers that have these harnesses. The affected arc flash harnesses are shown in the table below:

Product	Date of Manufacture	Part/Model Numbers
3M™ DBI-SALA® ExoFit™ XP Arc Flash Cross-Over Harness	Between January 1 st , 2005 – July 1 st , 2021	1110870C
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We are not aware of any accidents, injuries or customer complaints related to this notice, but have identified it through an internal review.

Users/Owners: For arc flash harnesses with the part numbers in the table above, immediately stop using the product and use the following information to determine if your product is included in the affected time range for the recall.

Step 1: Please inspect your DBI-SALA® ExoFit™ XP Arc Flash Cross-Over Harness label (see photograph below) to confirm that it is one of the affected part numbers and has been manufactured during the affected dates (see table above).



Step 2: Once you have confirmed the part number and affected date, remove the unit from service immediately and contact 3M Fall Protection Customer Service Team at 3mcafpserviceaction@mmm.com or call 1-833-998-2243. We will arrange to have your product returned to 3M Fall Protection. As soon as a product solution is available, 3M will replace your device and ship it to you at 3M's expense pending the returned product passes pre-use inspection. If it does not pass the pre-use inspection, we will dispose of the harness and contact you. If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact the 3M Fall Protection Customer Service Team at 3mcafpserviceaction@mmm.com or call 1-833-998-2243.

<u>Distributors</u>: Please contact our Customer Service department to obtain a summary of all affected parts sold to you at <u>3mcafpserviceaction@mmm.com</u> or call 1-833-998-2243. Please forward this "Stop Use & Recall" notice to any of your customers/users who have purchased the harnesses listed above from you. If you have any inventory of the affected models, please contact our Customer Service department to have them returned.

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