



## Upgraded Replacement Kits Include New Hardware

For added safety and optimal performance, Blacoh has upgraded replacement kits for dampener bladders, bellows and diaphragms to include hardware as part of the kit for all dampener models with bolted construction.

Effective immediately, bladder/bellows/diaphragm replacement parts will be available in complete replacement kits only, including hardware as needed, and bladders will not be sold separately.

## Replace fastener hardware at each re-assembly with nuts and bolts of equal grade and strength value.

When bolts are torqued, removed and re-torqued, they may lose strength and not provide a strong enough force to hold the components together. Blacoh is requiring that all replacement kits for bladders/bellows/diaphragms include new hardware to ensure that the installer has the correct size and hardware type to ensure the safest possible dampener performance.

- Replacement kits for all bolted construction dampener models now include hardware, regardless of pressure rating. Models include metal bolted models and plastic models with ring band fasteners.
- Replacement kits for dampener models that do not include bolts (e.g., Revolution threaded models, models with T-Handle fasteners, XP High Pressure models, CIP Flow Through models, etc.) are not affected.
- Replacement kits for 'high pressure' elastomeric bladders (generally used on models with pressure ratings greater than 300 psi up to 1,000 psi), include a current production high pressure bladder 'button' provided as standard, which comes pre-assembled at the factory to ensure proper fit and finish.

As always, read and observe all safety warnings and instructions in the Installation & Operation Manual before dampener installation, operation or repair.

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