

Technical Bulletin

Transition to Metric Brackets

Product: Reader Head Bracket Kits

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We are pleased to announce that more Newall bracket kits are transitioning to 100% metric parts.

Background – Why a new version?

Most of our kits contained a mixture of metric and imperial parts. Transitioning the rest of our kits to 100% metric will simplify the installation process. All scale tube bracket kits transitioned to 100% metric in 2014. Reader head kits are transitioning in 2015.

What kits are changing?

| <u>Description</u> | <u>Current Part #</u> | <u>New Part #</u> |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| Universal Bracket Kit 1 | UBK01 | UBK01-M |
| Universal Bracket Kit 2 | UBK02 | UBK02-M |
| Universal Bracket Kit 3 | UBK03 | UBK03-M |
| Lathe Bracket Kit 1 | LBK01 | LBK01-M |
| Lathe Bracket Kit 2 | LBK02 | LBK02-M |
| Lathe Bracket Kit 3 | LBK03 | LBK03-M |
| Knee/Turret Mill Kit | BPK01 | BPK01-M |
| Knee Bracket Kit | KBK01 | KBK01-M |

When will the changes occur?

After April 1st the new kits will gradually be rolled out. The metric kits will have a brightly colored sticker stating “Kit Components Now 100% Metric”.

How will this affect installations?

Installers should examine the kits received before starting the installation. The documentation inside the kit provides specific details about the parts inside.

Will part numbers for encoder assemblies or complete DRO systems change?

No.

Website Update

Documentation will be updated on the website as changes occur. Customers requiring additional information can contact our Technical Support Department.