

# Schneider Electric Recalls Square D-Brand F and K Frame Circuit Breakers

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FA/FH – 1, 2 & 3 Pole



FI – 2 & 3 Poles and FY – 1 Pole

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KI – 2 & 3 Poles I-Line and KI - 2 & 3 Poles

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Name of Product:

Square D<strong> </strong>branded, molded case F and K frame circuit breakers

Hazard:

The circuit breaker can fail to trip when an overload occurs, posing the risk of fire, burn and electric shock.

Remedy:

Replace

Recall Date:

March 18, 2014

Units:

About 28,400

Consumer Contact

Schneider Electric USA at (800) 634-8730 anytime. Consumers can also visit the firm's website at [www.schneider-electric.us](http://www.schneider-electric.us) and click on "customer notification" under the popular links category for more information.

## Recall Details

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Description:

This recall involves Square D brand models FA, FH, FI and FY one-, two- and three-pole circuit breakers rated 15 to 100 amps, and model KI two- and three-pole circuit breakers rated 110 to 250 amps. The F model breakers were manufactured May 8, 2013 through June 10, 2013 and have date codes 13193 through 13241. The K models were manufactured May 2, 2013 through June 21, 2013 and have date codes 13184 through 13255. The date codes are YYWWD format (example: 13184 = year 2013, week 18, day of the work week 4/Thursday). The circuit breakers have a yellow label with the words "Square D" or the Square D logo. Model information can be found on the faceplate.

Remedy:

Consumers should immediately check to see if they have the recalled circuit breakers. Consumers with uninstalled products will receive a replacement. Installed products will be replaced at no charge to the customer with an allowance of up to \$300 per site to cover labor costs.

Incidents/Injuries:

None reported.

Sold Through:

Authorized Schneider Electric distributors nationwide such as Border States Electric Supply, Crescent Electric Supply Co., Dealers Electric Supply Co., Graybar Electric Co., Rexel, W.W. Grainger from May 2013 to June 2013 for between \$200 and \$9,260.

Importer:

Schneider Electric USA Inc., of Palatine, Ill.

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Manufactured In:

Mexico

Recall number:

14-134

Note: Individual Commissioners may have statements related to this topic. Please visit [www.cpsc.gov/commissioners](http://www.cpsc.gov/commissioners) to search for statements related to this or other topics.

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## **Related Recalls**

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[ECR International Recalls Gas-Fired Hot Water Residential Boilers Due to Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Hazard](#)

The recalled residential boilers can be missing the flue inspection cover plate, posing a risk of exposure to combustion flue gasses and a carbon monoxide poisoning hazard.



### Electrolux Group Recalls Frigidaire Gas Laundry Centers Due to Fire Hazard

The felt seal on the dryer drum can be folded inward which can lead to lint accumulation, creating a fire hazard.



### Research Products Recalls Steam Humidifiers Due to Fire Hazard

The recalled steam humidifiers containing a specific type of electrode wire with a “D” shaped connector can loosen causing arcing and/or overheating, posing a fire hazard to consumers.



Allied Air Enterprises Recalls Armstrong Air and Air Ease Gas Furnaces Due to Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Hazard

A component inside the furnace was improperly assembled, causing the furnace to produce high levels of carbon monoxide (CO) under certain operating conditions, which poses a risk of CO poisoning to the consumer.



ODL Recalls Severe Weather Doorglass Inserts Due to Hurricane Zone Wind-Borne Debris Injury Hazards

Under severe weather conditions, such as hurricanes, the adhesive bond holding the doorglass inserts can become separated from the door causing a risk of injury and property damage from windborne debris.





## Vornado Recalls Steamfast and Brookstone Travel Steam Irons Due to Fire, Burn and Shock Hazards

The power cord can become damaged near the cord bushing, which can lead to overheating of the cord, posing fire and burn hazards. In addition, cord damage near the bushing can result in exposed copper wires, posing a shock hazard.

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