## Panasonic Ventilation

DATE: August, 2016

TO: Panasonic Ventilation Field Sales FROM: Patricia Monks, Product Manager SUBJECT: NEW! PCRD05C5- FlexDamper™

Ceiling Radiation Damper for Combustible & Non-

**Combustible Assemblies** 



#### Introduction:

Panasonic is pleased to announce the launch of **FlexDamper™**, an all-in-one, flexible radiation damper for **Combustible & Non-Combustible UL assemblies**. Panasonic's next generation damper addresses the change in UL and Warnock-Hersey's standard testing protocol:

- UL555C, no longer automatically certifies both Combustible (Wood Joist/Wood Truss) and Non-Combustible (Steel Beams/Girders/Trusses) by meeting the 1 3 Hour 555C Rating.
- UL and Warnock-Hersey (UL/WH) now require a separate Fire Chamber Fire Test to verify the efficacy of the Ventilation Fan/Radiation Damper in a Wood Truss Assembly.

**ISSUE WITH CURRENT DAMPERS ON MARKET:** What this means to the Ventilation Industry is that most of the Ventilation Fan/Radiation Damper combinations that meet UL and Warnock Hersey(UL/WH) do *not* necessarily meet UL/WH for Combustible Fire Codes, *which are the predominant floor/ceiling assembly in Multi-Family projects!* 

PANASONIC'S SOLUTION: FlexDamper meets UL Combustible Assembly Ratings for 'Stick-Built' low or mid-rise Multi-Family or Hotel/Lodging projects, and offers the best option for Architect/Engineer projects due to the flexibility to be able to use any 10 ¼" fan for Fire-Rated projects. It allows for two-stage project installation to protect fan/motor during drywall/interiors construction phase and allows easy access or replacement of the fan/motor.

#### **Key Features:**

- Folded ceramic curtain style damper to meet both Combustible and Non-Combustible UL Assemblies
- Allows for two-stage construction; fan housing and damper sleeve during framing, fan/motor/damper installation after finishes
- Easy access to fan/motor/damper for maintenance
- Compatible with most Panasonic 10 1/4" 50 150 CFM fans, fan/lights and fans with motion sensor
- Galvanized steel frame with 165°F fusible link
- High temperature, non-asbestos, reinforced fiber thermal fabric damper
- 5 Year Warranty

#### **Target Audience:**

- Builders/Specifiers
- Designers
- Architects/Engineers

### **Target Markets:**

- Multi Family Low- and Mid-Rise Wood Frame Construction
- Multi-Family 'Gut-Rehab' Renovation
- Hotel/Lodging Low- and Mid-Rise Wood Frame Construction
- Hotel/Lodging 'Gut-Rehab' Renovation
- Light Commercial projects for Non-Combustible Project







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### **Description & Model Information:**

FlexDamper<sup>™</sup> is compatible with most Panasonic 10 1/4" 50 – 150 CFM fans, fan/lights and fans with motion sensors. It is UL/cUL listed for combustible and non-combustible assemblies and exceeds National Fire Protection Agency NFPA-90A. FlexDamper is also Warnock Hersey approved. *FlexDamper replaces PC-RD05C4*, *effective immediately*.

Model Number	UPC	Features	Suggested List Price			
FlexDamper™ Ceiling Radiation Damper - Combustible & Non-Combustible Assemblies						
PC-RD05C5 6 Units/Master Pack	8 6608 300020 3	NEW! AUGUST, 2016: Ceiling Radiation Damper - Approved for use with: FV-05-11VK1, FV-05-11VKL1, FV-05-11VKS1, FV-05-11VKSL1, FV-11-15VKL1, FV-11-15VKL1, FV-05VQ5, FV-08VQ5, FV-08VQL5, FV-08VQL6, FV-11VQ5, FV-11VQL5, FV-11VQL6, FV-15VQ5, FV-15VQL5, FV-15VQL6, FV-08VQC5, FV-08VQCL6,	\$538.20			
		11VQC5, FV-11VQCL5, FV-11VQCL6, FV-05VF2, FV-05VFL4, FV-05VFM2, FV-08-11VF5, FV-08-11VFL5, FV-08-11VFM5, FV-08VF2, FV-08VFL4, FV-08VFM2, FV-11VF2, FV-11VFL4, FV-05VS1, FV-05VS3, FV-08VS3, FV-08VSL3, FV-10VS1, FV-10VS3, FV-10VSL3, FV-10VS13E, FV-10VSL3E	(\$89.70 per unit)			

Sales Parts: The following parts are included in PC-RD05C5, but are available for sale in case they are lost/stolen:

Sales Part #	Features		Per Piece Price	
	Heat sensitivity Fusible Link holds damper curtain closed,			
M-12248	then melts and releases damper curtain at 165°F.	\$	2.93	
	Metal <b>Damper Sleeve</b> that attaches to ventilation fan			
	housing, secures the damper while allowing for phased			
M-54454	construction and maintenance access after installation.	\$	12.90	
	Metal <b>Drywall Support</b> , installed after installation of			
	drywall to support drywall during fire. Required to meet			
M-54457	UL Combustible Assemblies.	\$	9.60	

**Sales Support:** 

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Product Samples	Available Now, request through SalesForce/RSM
Inventory for Sale	Available Now
Packaging Specs & UPC Codes	Included as Excel.
Submittal Specification Sheet	Included as PDF, Available online August 18th
Sell Sheet	Included as PDF, stock available at literature fulfillment
	August 10 <sup>th</sup> , Item #: VF16266SS
Installation Manuals	Included as PDFs, Available online August 18th
Product Training	Included as PDF. It will also be added to SalesForce
_	and Panasonic University library on BlueVolt.

We thank you for your continued support. Please contact your Regional Sales Manager with questions.

Kind Regards, Patricia Monks, Product Manager