

SERVICE LETTER

SUBJECT: CHANGE TO THE GREASE TYPE FOR SAUTER BACHMANN FLAP ACTUATORS

To all Customers, Operators and Maintenance Units:

Date: Jul 21/04

This Service Letter is issued to draw attention to the following vendor information:

SAUTER BACHMANN FLAP ACTUATORS - CHANGE TO THE GREASE TYPE

The grease currently used in the flap actuators (made by Sauter-Bachmann), Pilatus P/Ns 978.73.20.307 and 978.73.20.308, is NCA 51 (Material No. P04-032 - Pilatus P/N 908.21.42.115).

To get better results in cold temperatures, this grease must be replaced with Aeroshell 33 (Material No. P04-028 - Pilatus P/N 908.20.02.065),

This Service Letter is issued to advise all Customers, Operators and Maintenance Units of the change in the type of grease used to lubricate the flap actuators. The AMM procedure (Ref. 27-50-00, Page Block 301), for the lubrication of the flap actuators, will be amended to show the change in the type of grease.

The latest flap actuator (made by Sauter-Bachmann), Pilatus P/N 978.73.20.309, has the new type grease incorporated during manufacture and must not be lubricated with the older type grease (Material No. P04-032 - Pilatus P/N 908.21.42.115).

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