



Simplex 4100ES End-of-Life Announcement

As the Senior Manager of Product Marketing and Fire Detection at Johnson Controls, I would like to provide some insight into why Simplex is stopping production of the 4100ES fire alarm control panel and introducing the new Foundation Series (MX) series of fire alarm panels, with voice evac capability coming soon.

At Johnson Controls, we understand that safety is paramount in any building, and fire detection and alarm systems are critical components of ensuring safety. We also understand that technology and industry standards are constantly evolving, and it is our responsibility to stay at the forefront of innovation and provide our customers with the latest and most advanced solutions to meet their needs.

The MX series is the result of years of research and development, and it is designed to meet the changing needs and requirements of our customers. This series is based on a new platform that is scalable, modular, and can be easily integrated with other building systems. The MX series features advanced detection algorithms that can quickly and accurately identify potential fire hazards, and it supports up to 10,000 addressable points, making it suitable for even the largest and most complex buildings.

In addition, the MX series includes a user-friendly interface and intuitive controls that make it easy to install, operate, and maintain. And, with voice evac capability coming soon, the MX series will provide even greater safety and protection by enabling clear and effective communication during emergencies.

While we understand that the discontinuation of the 4100ES may be difficult for some of our customers, we are committed to ensuring a smooth and seamless transition to the new MX series. Our technical support team will be available to assist with the transition and provide any necessary training and support.

We believe that the MX series, with voice evac capability coming soon, will continue to set the standard for excellence in fire alarm technology, and we look forward to working with our customers to ensure their continued safety and protection.

Sincerely,

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