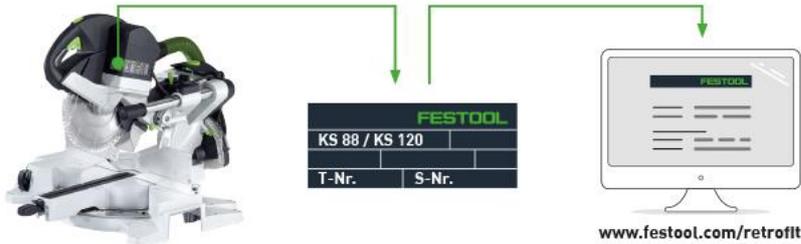


# Product Safety Recall

The plug should never be left connected to the mains! Affected products must be retrofitted as a matter of urgency!

**Affected products:** Mitre saws FESTOOL Kapex KS 88 & Kapex KS 120, production period 2007 to 02/2010



**Defect:** If left connected to the mains for an extended period, the saw may become hot in places and begin to smoulder.

**Hazard:** In a small number of cases the saw became hot in places and started to smoulder, bursting into flames in some instances, while the saw was connected to the mains. A fire could develop in unfavourable circumstances, which could also jump to other objects and spread.

Within the scope of preventive consumer protection and in order to **avoid possible damage and injuries up to a risk to life and limb**, we urgently ask for your assistance.

**What to do:** Please check whether your saw is one of the affected products. Should this be the case, you must, for your own personal safety and the safety of third parties, take the following urgent safety measures **with immediate effect**:

1. **Pull the plug out: Disconnect the plug from the socket after each use of the saw.**
2. **Don't leave the saw unattended at any time during use.**

It is only if these two measures are taken that the Kapex can be used temporarily until the required retrofit has been carried out.

3. **Free retrofit: From mid March 2021 onwards we will be retrofitting all the aforesaid saws free of charge and will also carry out a safety check. Please refer to our Festool website so that we can agree a suitable date for repairing the saw with you.**
4. **Should persons other than yourself also use one of the aforesaid saws, you must ensure that this information is passed on to all other users of the saw immediately and you must take further appropriate measures to ensure your personal safety and to protect all persons involved and those who might be at risk.**
5. **Should this not be possible, or should you no longer be in possession of the saw, please contact us immediately and let us have the details of the person currently in possession of the saw so that we can also contact him or her immediately.**

**Contact Details:** If you have any questions or require further information, please visit [www.festool.com/retrofit](http://www.festool.com/retrofit) – you can also contact us directly here.

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To check if your product is affected enter the part number (T-No.) and serial number (S-No.) of your KAPEX on our website ([www.festool.com/retrofit](http://www.festool.com/retrofit))

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