



# Uponor

PLUMBING SYSTEMS

**PROPEX® LEAD-FREE  
BRASS DROP EAR ELBOW**

## TECHNICAL BULLETIN

### Affected Product

ProPEX® Lead-free Brass Drop Ear Elbow (LF4235050)

### How to Identify

Two lot numbers are affected: P09090007 and P09090298. Find the lot numbers on the bottom of the label on 25-pack bags or boxes of 100.

### Symptom

The part does not properly seal at the threads and will leak upon initial test (air or water). When installing a shower arm, check to see if it threads into the drop ear further than normal. If this happens, do not install the drop ear.

### Issue

For lot numbers P09090007 and P09090298 only, the product was manufactured with oversized 1/2" female FPT threads that will leak upon initial test.

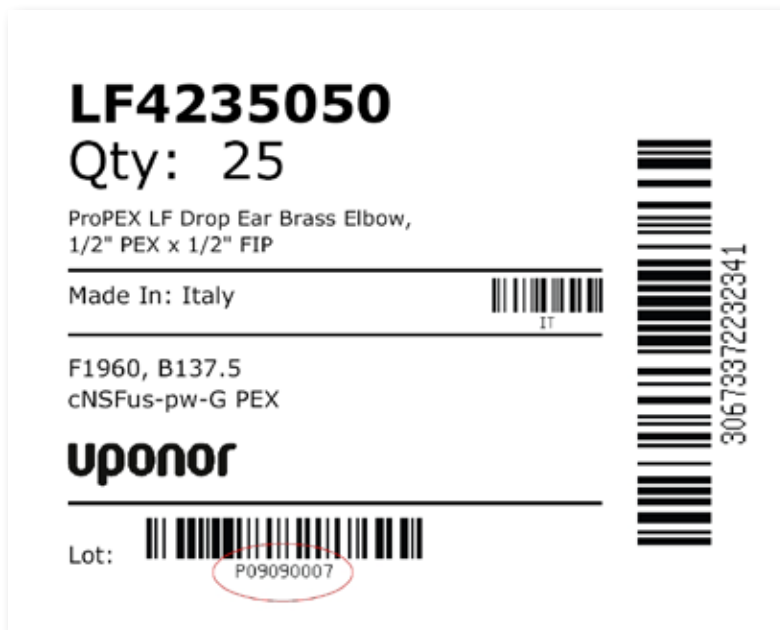
### Resolution

**For Contractors:** Check your inventory of full or opened bags for the affected lots and return all affected product (full bags or loose fittings) to your distributor. The distributor will replace the product.

**For Distributors:** Check your inventory for affected product and return through Uponor's RMA process for replacement. Note that loose product (loose parts with no bag to identify lot numbers) should also be returned through the RMA process for replacement.

**Important:** Do not use excessive Teflon tape or pipe dope to assist the seal as this will not resolve the issue.

Contact your local Uponor representative or distributor for further information.



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