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CHANGE IN COLOR & COATINGS ON FLUOROPOLYMER COATED VALVES

Effective immediately Midland will now be providing both ECTE coating and ECTFE coatings on all fluoropolymer coated valves. A list of valves is provided below. The biggest difference between the two coatings is the color with the ECTFE coating being a darker green than the ECTE coating historically used on these valves. There is no difference in the performance of these two coatings as they are used on our valves and Midland has made sure that the ECTFE coating is equivalent in terms of durability, chlorine permeation, and other qualities to ensure that the integrity of the product is maintained.

As seen below the 2 coatings are a little different, noting that the new ECTFE coating (on the left of Figure 1) is a little darker than the previous ECTE coating Midland has been supplying.



Figure 1: New ECTFE Coating (on left); Current ECTE Coating (on right).

Customers can expect to see the new coatings on the following product lines within the next few weeks.

- Angle Valves
 - A-713-ML
 - A-718C-ML
 - A-719-ML
 - A-725-ML

- Pressure Relief Valves
 - A-14377C-ML
 - A-14378-ML
 - A-14167-KY

Feel free to reach out with any questions, comments, or concerns.

Sincerely,

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