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## **Key Port® Valve Installation, Operating and Maintenance Instructions**

Key Port® Valve ½"-4" Series 400 Bonnetless Eccentric Valves

<u>Description</u> – Key Port® valve eccentric action and resilient seating assure long lasting dead-tight shutoff. As the eccentric plug rotates 90 degrees from open to closed, it moves into a raised eccentric seat.

<u>Installation</u> – Install the valve with the seat on the downstream side. An arrow on the valve body identifies the seat end.

<u>Lubrication</u> – Key Port® valve does not require routine maintenance lubrication. If the valve is disassembled, lubricate the O-ring groove, the top bushing, the spring and the O-ring as follows:

Valves with RS:55 O-rings – Lubricate with Dow Corning #44 light grease.

Valves used in oxygen service – Lubricate with Hooker Fluorolube GR-362.

All other valves and applications – Use a flow media compatible light grease. Key Port® valves are lubricated at the factory with Keystone Nevastane 6 LT.

**Stop Adjustments** – The Key Port® Valve Series 400 Eccentric valve features built-in stops that stop plug travel at the fully open and fully closed positions. An optional adjustable stop can be ordered if a repeatable stop position other than those built-in is desired. To install the optional stop, follow these steps:

- 1. Insert the split stop ring in the top bore of the valve body.
- 2. Install the set screw.
- 3. Turn the split stop ring to the desired position, then tighten the set screw to lock in place.
- 4. Install the cap.

## **Valve Disassembly**

- 1. Discontinue pipeline flow and relieve pipeline pressure.
- 2. Push the plug into the seat using a C-clamp. This will make the snap ring accessible for removal.
- 3. Remove the snap ring from the valve.
- 4. Remove the C-clamp, then lift the wear washer, plug and spring from the body.
- 5. Remove the O-ring and top bushing.
- 6. Remove the lower bearing from the valve body.