



PERFORMANCE BULLETIN

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The New 1" Stainless Steel Bypass

We are excited to announce the new 1" NPT stainless steel bypass is now available for order. The 1" bypasses are investment cast in corrosion-resistant 316 Stainless Steel. The design is based on our popular brass bypass. The 1" NPT brass and nickel-plated brass bypasses will no longer be available as of December 15, 2002.

316 Stainless Steel provides enhanced strength and durability, a smooth surface finish and improved appearance, and reduced porosity. When installing threaded connection to the Stainless Steel bypass, copper and brass fittings are acceptable. The stainless steel bypass should be electrically insulated from steel, galvanized steel and cast iron attachments to avoid corrosion (dielectric unions similar to brass).¹

The part numbers are as follow:

60041SS Bypass Valve, 5600, 1" NPT, Stainless Steel
*60040SS Bypass Valve, 5600, 3/4" NPT, Stainless Steel

* 3/4" stainless steel bypasses will be available 1st Quarter 2003.



As always, thank you for using Fleck controls.

Sincerely,
Pentair Water Treatment, Inc.

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¹ Stainless Steel Plumbing, Nickel Development Institute, Publication 11019