Replacing Buna-N Diaphragm with Santoprene Diaphragm

Any Bosworth motorized GE-040x, GE-050x, G2-050x pump that is currently using the black Buna-N diaphragm (SKU G4/5 DIAP.-FDA) can be converted to use the new white Santoprene diaphragm (SKU G4/5 DIAP-SANTO-FS). The conversion kit G4/5 SANT-CONV-KIT is used to make this conversion.

When converting from the black to the white diaphragm, users must ensure that the white Santoprene diaphragm is installed with the 1/4" diaphragm button. If your pump has either the 3/8" or the 1/2" sized button (see below), it should be replaced with the 1/4" button when installing the Santoprene diaphragm.



Use 1/4" button with Santoprene diaphragm

Do not use with Santoprene diaphragm

Additionally, while pumps equipped with the black Buna-N diaphragm use only one stainless steel washer, two stainless steel washers should be installed into the recessed button cavity when converting to the Santoprene diaphragm.

The diaphragm conversion kit G4/5 SANT-CONV-KIT contains (1) Santoprene diaphragm, (1) 1/4" button and (1) stainless steel washer. When converting from the black Buna-N diaphragm to the white Santoprene diaphragm ...

- 1) Remove the diaphragm screw securing the stainless steel washer, pump button and diaphragm to the clevis-button structure above the diaphragm.
- 2) Replace the black Buna-N diaphragm with the white Santoprene diaphragm.
- 3) If the pump was equipped with a 3/8" or 1/2" button, replace it with the 1/4" button provided in the Santoprene diaphragm conversion kit.
- 4) Secure the diaphragm, button and <u>two</u> stainless steel washers (combining the stainless steel washer that was already on the old button with the additional stainless steel washer from the conversion kit) to the clevis-button structure using the diaphragm screw. (Note: Apply blue Loctite to the threads of the diaphragm screw to ensure that it does not loosen during pump operation.) Tighten the diaphragm screw to 15 in-lbs of torque.

