

# **PRODUCT ANNOUNCEMENT**

## **TIREMAAX® / Elbow Fittings**

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To support the release of our new TIREMAAX® CP tire inflation system, Hendrickson Trailer Controls Business Unit designed new tee / elbow fittings. Because TIREMAAX CP supplies constant pressure, these new fittings include internal check valves. The check valves prevent airflow when a tire hose is removed from the tee or elbow during routine tire pressure checks or maintenance.

The new checked tee / elbow fittings are the same for both TIREMAAX EC and CP. Although not a requirement, Hendrickson is also upgrading the TIREMAAX EC fittings to utilize internal check valves. This will provide several benefits for users of the electronically controlled model, including eliminating the need to stock multiple replacement part numbers. Using a checked tee / elbow with TIREMAAX EC will allow the system to continue to protect all of the remaining tires on a trailer, if there is a tire failure at one or more location.

All new TIREMAAX systems, both EC and CP, include fittings with check valves. The non-checked parts have been obsoleted, and the checked version should be used as a replacement when necessary.

Old Part Number	New Part Number
TM 8001	TM 8008
TM 8002	TM 8007
TM 8003	TM 8009
TM 8004	TM 8010
TM 8005	TM 8011
TM 8006	TM 8012
VS-8001TM	VS-8008TM
VS-8002TM	VS-8007TM
VS-8003TM	VS-8009TM
VS-8004TM	VS-8010TM
VS-8005TM	VS-8011TM
VS-8006TM	VS-8012TM
VS-27933-1	VS-29003-1
VS-27933-2	VS-29003-2
VS-27934-1	VS-29004-1
VS-27934-2	VS-29004-2
VS-28764	VS-30002
VS-28111	VS-30002
VS-27935	VS-29854

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