

## April 2020

## Dear Valued Customer:

3M is seeing increased demand for multiple 3M products – including filtering facepiece respirators – during the pandemic related to the newly identified 2019 Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV). In response, 3M is increasing production of personal protective equipment products and working with current distributors to help ensure they have inventory to meet end-user demand.

During this outbreak, 3M is committed to supporting the urgent personal protective equipment needs of healthcare workers while also minimizing supply disruptions to our customer base. Thank you for your understanding and patience as we work to respond to all incoming requests. A 3M team member will respond to your request as quickly as possible.

During this time, to help maximize our ability to provide 3M S-Series Hoods we will be prioritizing the manufacturing of certain S-Series hoods, and significantly reducing the manufacturing of others. Actions shown on page 2 are being taken immediately.

Because of the prioritization of the manufacturing of certain S-Series hoods, the following information should be considered:

The S-403 and S-433 are both integrated suspension hoods made from the same polypropylene coated nonwoven polypropylene material and offer an assigned protection factor (APF) of 1000 when used in a NIOSH approved configuration. The S-403 has an inner-shroud where the S-433 has a chin seal.

The S-605 and S-607 are both premium suspension hoods made from the same polypropylene coated nonwoven polypropylene material and offer an assigned protection factor (APF) of 1000 when used in a NIOSH approved configuration. The S-605 has an inner collar where the S-607 has an inner shroud.

Should you have any questions, please contact your local Sales Representative or 3M Personal Safety Division Technical Service at 1-800-243-4630. In Canada, please contact Technical Service at 1-800-267-4414.

Sincerely,

3M Personal Safety Division



Product	ID	3M Action	Customer action
S-103 Large	7000127461	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-103 Small	7000127462	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-133 Large	7000127428	Increasing Capacity	Consider for future orders
S-133 Small	7000127429	Increasing Capacity	Consider for future orders
			Review current open orders. Determine acceptance of
			S-433 M/L. Shift current open orders. All future
			orders should consider S-433. Contact 3M directly for
S-403 Large	7000052786	Stop Manufacturing	urgent needs where S-433 is not acceptable
			Review current open orders. Determine acceptance of
			S-433 S/M. Shift current open orders. All future
		_	orders should consider S-433. Contact 3M directly for
S-403 Small	7000127463	Stop Manufacturing	urgent needs where S-433 is not acceptable
S-433 M/L	7000029981	Increasing Capacity	Consider for all future orders of S-403 Large
S-433 S/M	7000127431	Increasing Capacity	Consider for all future orders of S-403 Small
S-605	7000002345	Increasing Capacity	Consider for all future orders of S-607
S-655	7000002347	Increasing Capacity	Consider for all future orders of S-657
			Review current open orders. Determine acceptance of
			S-605. Shift current open orders. All future orders
			should consider S-605. Contact 3M directly for urgent
S-607	7000002346	Stop Manufacturing	needs where S-605 is not acceptable
			Review current open orders. Determine acceptance of
			S-655. Shift current open orders. All future orders
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S-657	7000002348	Stop Manufacturing	needs where S-655 is not acceptable
S-707	7100010619	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-757	7000052768	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-805	7000052769	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-855	7100077662	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-807	7000002349	Maintaining Capacity	None
S-857	7000002350	Maintaining Capacity	None