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Subject: Super Blue Ribbon® V-Belt and Super Vee-Band® Part Number Change

Some Carlisle® belt nomenclature was unique to the industry and created confusion. Our Super Blue Ribbon® classical v-belts and the banded version previously known as Super Vee-Band® have new part numbers effective October 1, 2021 in conjunction with changing our brand to Timken Belts. The Super Vee-Band name is also changing to Super Blue Ribbon® Band.



To assure that you get the right belt for the job, we have moved to the industry standard nomenclature by removing the letter “P” from the part numbers.

Please note that the belt itself **is not changing**. The part number no longer contains the letter “P.” For example, Super Blue Ribbon v-belt part number BP36 will now be **B36** and Super Vee-Band (now Super Blue Ribbon Band) RBP36 will now be **RB36**. For further clarification please refer to the table below.

Important Ordering Details:

- Beginning October 1, 2021 all Super Blue Ribbon or Super Vee-Band (now Super Blue Ribbon Band) belt orders should use the new part numbers per the table below
- Beginning October 1, 2021 orders entered on PTplace will automatically re-direct the old part number to the new part number
- PPIF files will be provided upon request
- **This is a running change.** For a period of time, the belt you receive may still be branded to show the old part number, i.e. BP36 or RBP36 on both the belt and/or the sleeve as we work through inventory
- Be assured, the Super Blue Ribbon V-Belt and banded belt construction, UPC code, etc. will remain the same.
- Belts with the old part number and new part number **will match**



	Legacy Carlisle Brand Name and Cross-Section	New Timken® Belts Brand Name and Cross-Section	Existing Part # Example Pre-10/01/21	New! Part # Example Effective 10/01/21	Part # Explanation
	Super Blue Ribbon® V-Belt (AP, BP, CP, DP, EP)	Super Blue Ribbon® V-Belt (A, B, C, D, E)	BP36	B36	B = cross section 36 = inside circumference in inches
	Super Vee-Band® (RBP, RCP, RDP)	Super Blue Ribbon® Band (RB, RC, RD)	RBP36	RB36	R = banded belt construction B = cross section 36 = inside circumference in inches

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