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Adhesives NEWSLETTER:

CMR-Phase Out 2027

Dear valued customer,

During the last 12 months we have introduced a range of reformulated ARALDITE® epoxy adhesives designed to replace older legacy formulations that have become CMR (carcinogenic, mutagenic, reprotoxic).

Our commitment throughout these activities has been to provide you with the highest level of protection for your workers and operators while delivering the proven performance, reliability, and quality you have known from ARALDITE® adhesives for years.

As we have progressed during 2025 and 2026 to switch to the new CMR-free formulations, we are now offering a last opportunity for ordering the legacy formulations, in case there is still need for extending the qualification timelines to switch to the new formulations.

Below, please find a list of impacted ARALDITE® adhesives and the timing for placing a last order – either directly with us – or with one of our trusted local distribution partners that have been working closely with us on this transition towards CMR-free chemistries.

Affected ARALDITE® Products:

Legacy ARALDITE® Product	Date for last order	Replacement ARALDITE® Product (CMR free)
2012 / AW 2104	31.01.2027	2012-1 / AW 2104-1
2013-1 / AV 144-2	31.01.2027	2013-2 / AV 144-3
2014-2 / AW 139-1	31.01.2027	2014-3 / AW 139-2
2015-1 / AV 5308	31.01.2027	2015-2 / AV 5308-1
2020 / XW 396 / XW 397	31.01.2027	2020-1 / XW 396-1 / XW 397-1
AV 138 M-1	31.01.2027	AV 138 M-2

Once all interested customers have provided their order volumes, we will consolidate the demand and confirm internally whether the required volumes align with our production batch sizes. If necessary, available quantities will be allocated based on customer orders received by **January 31, 2027**. All confirmed orders will be delivered within a maximum lead time of **five months**.



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For customers requiring support to confirm that the new CMR-free formulations are technically equivalent to the legacy formulations, we have developed comprehensive test reports comparing both versions, which are available upon request.

In addition, for all the above products, sampling is available. Please contact your sales representative to help you coordinate the sample shipment.

Thank you for your continued trust and partnership. Should you have any questions or require further support, our team is always available to assist you.

Yours sincerely,

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ATTACHMENTS :

- List of affected Sales items and replacement Sales items
- 2026 Ancillaries (Dispensers-CMR free range)

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