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New Surface-Marked Single Wall Heat Shrink Tubing

TE Appliances introduces its new surface-marked single wall, flame retardant (SWFR) heat shrink tubing products. These halogen-free single wall heat shrink tubing products meet the UL VW-1 flammability test specified by the UL 224 standard. New surface markings now provide for easy identification in the manufacturing process. Previously, cost-effective SWFR tubing was only available unmarked. SWFR products offer an optimum solution for insulating and mechanically protecting components, connections and terminations across many applications – from industrial controls to home appliances and mass transit vehicles. As halogen-free products, they are particularly suited for use in confined spaces where the presence of noxious fumes or gases would be unacceptable.

SWFR tubing products are offered in thin wall (X2) or very thin wall (X4) versions. The products shrink at a 2:1 ratio and install quickly, due to their relatively low full-recovery temperature of 90°C. Both X2 and X4 versions are very flexible and can be used across operating temperatures ranging from minus 30°C to 125°C.