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## NOTICE OF FASTENER NUT CHANGE - 1/4"

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### SUBJECT:

Change of a heavy hex jam nut to a hex jam nut .

### EFFECTIVE:

June 1st, 2026: This will be a rolling change based on incoming stock.

### AFFECTED PARTS:

- 77025 Series - Small Base Power Post
- 73883 Series - Dual 4 Point Busbars
- 77225 Series - Pass Thru Power Post
- TTB Series - Tab Type Busbars
- 77325 Series - Low Profile Power Post
- 77825 Series - 8 Point Power Distribution Post
- 71225 Series - 12 Point Terminal Strips

### AFFECTED PARTIES:

Customers intending to purchase the above.

### REASON FOR COMPONENT CHANGE:

Due to availability issues, the heavy hex jam nut has been a weak point in VTE's sourcing process, similar to the recent 5/16" changes. Longer lead times and lesser quantities available have extended our lead time on Electro- Mechanical items utilizing the stainless-steel fastening nut.

In response to this difficulty, VTE has decided to change the 1/4" heavy hex jam nut to a hex jam nut. This fastening nut is not in a conductive position, and the torque required is more than adequate for the application.

### PHYSICAL CHANGES:

OLD OD across flats: .492" (12.5mm) – 1/2" socket/wrench

NEW OD across flats: .4375" (11.11mm) – 7/16" socket/wrench

Drawings are available by contacting VTE Australia.

### CHANGES TO CUSTOMER PROCESS:

The nut being replaced uses 1/2" socket to fasten. The replacement nut uses 7/16" socket to fasten.

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