

July 18, 2013

Dear Valued Customer,

## Date of Manufacture & Shelf Life of PTFE Granular and PTFE Micropowders

The date of manufacture of Fluon® PTFE Granular (G) and PTFE Micropowders can typically be determined from the lot number itself:

Example: YMM#### YMM = three digits provide year and month of manufacturing where: Y = one-digit year of manufacture MM = two-digit month of manufacture Note: ##### = others numbers pertaining to grade, process or lot sequence

Therefore, for example, Lot number "303J389K" would have been produced in March, 2013.

These materials can take a week or longer to be produced after the initial polymerization, so there is no exact "date" and only the month and year can be provided.

As for the Shelf Life Limit of these products, basically it is "Indefinite" (none) under normal storage conditions. This is because they are a unique and high end type of plastic.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at (610) 423-8112. Thank you for your business, and we look forward to continue working with you as one of our important customers.

Sincerely,

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Jonathan C. Clapp Fluoropolymers Business Manager

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