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How to Install SMC Rotary Air Union (Part # 736305)

- 1. Remove power and air to equipment. Lock out according to Lock Out/ Tag Out procedures.
- 2. Remove the center cover of the turntable by removing the two 3/8" Flat Head Cap Screws. Pressing on one side of the union should tip it up so that it can be grasped.



- 3. Remove existing air union taking note of how colored air lines line up. This is done by removing two 10/24 Socket Head Cap Screws.
- 4. Align colors on old union.
- 5. Match colored ends on new union. This may entail removing colored ends off of push connect fittings and matching to old union.



- 6. Fit new union over center shaft.
- 7. Replace colored hoses into matching colored push connect fittings.

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- 8. Replace two center capture bolts. Prior to placement place one drop blue Loctite onto last 4 threads of bolt.
- 9. Run bolts in **just until they touch the plastic of the rotary union. No further.** Loctite should be expected to maintain bolt integrity as the union is not being held down. The bolts are there only to keep the inside of the union from rotating.
- 10. Replace center cover on turntable.
- 11. Remove locks and restore power and air to machine.
- 12. Using manual functions on touchscreen, work through cycle on film clamp. At each position of clamp, listen for air leaks. If leaks are present shut equipment down and investigate.
- 13. After manual check is clear for no leaks, Check machine in automatic mode. If all is well return machine to service.