

Up To Date

U.S. News #1 Ranking

Carrier is once again rated as the Best HVAC Company according to U.S. News and World Report. Carrier is their 2024 top choice because of the "wide range of reliable systems that are both quiet and energy efficient." They also indicated that "Carrier products are known for their quality construction and have long lifespans if properly maintained." For more details, check out <https://bit.ly/3RoHW2X>.

38MURA/40MUAA Spiff

The \$200 spiff on qualifying 38MUAA with 40MUAA systems has been extended to November 30, 2024. Claim your spiffs online at CarrierIncentives.com.

Independence Day

All Sigler Wholesale Distributors locations will be closed on Thursday, July 4. All locations will be open again on Friday.



What's New on *SiglerTV*

Infinity Service & Install (1 video)

Ultra Low NOx (5 videos)

R454B (1 video)

Julio Hernandez applying a "Puron Advance" label on a new FJ5 fan coil in Concord

Transitioning to Puron Advance Refrigerant

The Environmental Protection Agency is phasing-out high global warming potential (GWP) refrigerants, like R410A. Manufacturers may no longer produce products with R410A at the end of this year and installations will no longer be permitted after 12/31/2025. Carrier's solution is Puron Advance, or R454B.

With a GWP that is 75% less than R410A, there are a lot of benefits to this new refrigerant. The properties are similar to R410A, but Puron Advance is classified as "mildly flammable." Be sure to take all necessary precautions that were described in our recent training classes and detailed in the installation instructions provided with the equipment. Additional training videos about the refrigerant and equipment are available at My Learning Center on www.HVACpartners.com.

Here is the current timeline for when current equipment is expected to run out and your installations will need to move to the new equipment:

Heat Pump Systems

- Single Stage (half sizes) = August

- Single Stage (2, 5 tons) = November
- Single Stage (3, 4 tons) = February
- Two Stage (all sizes) = December
- Infinity (all sizes) = December
- 38MURA (standard heat) = February
- 38MURA (high heat) = November

Air Conditioning Systems

- Single Stage (half sizes) = October
- Single Stage (full sizes) = December
- Two Stage (all sizes) = January
- Infinity (all sizes) = December

Minisplit Systems

- 1:1 Heat Pumps = December
- Multi-Zone Heat Pumps = December
- Single Phase VRF = April, 2025

Small Packaged Products

- Single Stage HP = October
- Single Stage Gas = October
- Two Stage HP = May, 2025
- Two Stage Gas = July, 2025

New Price pages will be available a couple of months before the dates outlined above. All of the old equipment must be sold before the Puron Advance equipment is available.

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Featured Products



ZoomLock MAX fittings give contractors a secure and leak-free connection in seconds. It means less time for an installation and no torches at the job. Some of the many advantages include:

- Refrigerant-grade copper fittings
- Proven three-point press technology
- High quality HNBR O-ring
- Compact tools for tight spaces
- Jaws available for most tool brands
- Leak proof connections up to 700 psi
- No need to purge nitrogen
- UL recognized for A2L refrigerants
- 15-year limited warranty
- Millions of fittings sold worldwide



With so many different IAQ products on the market, how do you know that you're providing your customers with something that works?



Not only does the technology in PuriFi clean the air and surfaces in a home, it monitors the air by measuring particulates down to 0.3 micron and responds to changes in real-time. When the sensor detects that particle levels are too high, the ion generator is activated and the system operates until the sensor verifies that the air has been purified. In the month of July, offer proven IAQ results for 50% off the normal price on a PuriFi Smart Air Purification System, model IAI-7000.

Technical Tips

Q: Do I really need to buy all new tools for R454B?

With the phase out of R410A and launch of products using R454B, this is an important question. Hand tools are obviously safe, but any tool that has the potential to create a spark should be replaced. Drills need to be brushless, while vacuum pumps, recovery machines and leak detectors need to be A2L compatible. But what about those electronic gauges that most of us use everyday?

An experienced service tech will carry multiple gauges for the different refrigerants encountered on a job, but not everyone can afford the cost of doing so. If you have one set of electronic gauges, be sure to update

them to the new refrigerant software.

To update your software, you have two options. Sending them back to the manufacturer is one option, but that will leave you without gauges for a week or two. Alternatively, you can upgrade them yourself with a computer and the proper cable. Go to the manufacturer's website and search for firmware updates specific to your set of gauges.

If you have Fieldpiece SMAN360, SMAN440, SMAN460, or JL2, we can help you get them updated. Please send a text to 415.330.6666 and we can schedule a time to help you with the update.