• Full port design - same I.D. as Sch 80 pipe minimizes turbulence at high flow rates.

• PVC with EPDM O-rings and PTFE or POM seats.

• Alternative to brass or bronze gate valves for irrigation uses.

• Thermoplastic construction eliminates process and atmospheric corrosion.

• True Union End Connectors allow for easy and quick removal from line.

• Dual Stem o-rings for extra protection against leaks.

• End connections meet ASTM requirement: PVC D 2467. Valves are supplied with socket and FIPT connectors

• Repairable: A complete inventory of repair parts is readily available.

• Assembled in USA.

• 3 – Year Limited Warranty

• Handle features a cross to accept standard sprinkler key wrench (or Lasco plastic key Valve Key-1) for buried service actuation.

Designed for turf irrigation, and many other applications. Patented gear drive thermoplastic handle mechanism allows for a 360° rotation of the handle to achieve a 90° turn of the ball. This gradual open/close actuation greatly reduces the opportunity for shock or hammer experienced by the sudden open/closure of a standard quarter-turn ball valve.

R-Series also available with purple operating-nut / handle for use with Reclaimed Water (see part numbers on opposite page)

Part Number: Valve Key-1

Available through:

LASCO Fittings, Inc.

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INSTALLATION PRECAUTIONS:

- Colonial recommends a minimum installation distance of 10 x the pipe diameter from a pump or other source of turbulence.
- Slo-Close Valves are designed for use in the Open or Closed position. Moderate throttling has been successful in systems with LOW flow rates (< 3 ft per second) such as in geoechange systems. Throttling is not recommended for Heavy-turf irrigation or other systems with high flow rates.
- The maximum recommended flow rate for any Colonial Valve product is 5 feet per second.
- Follow published guidelines to re-rate pressure for elevated process temperature. Avoid prolonged exposure to direct sunlight during and after installation.
- Proper pipe alignment must be maintained. Union nuts should be hand-tightened for proper O-ring sealing.
- In buried applications, valves should be installed such that the centerline of the pipe is a minimum of 18” below grade. We recommend a double valve box allowing access to the union nuts to facilitate simple future maintenance or repair.

Do not use with compressed air or gas.

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