



**OVERVIEW**

The ValveWorks USA M series consists of a lineup of gate valves with reliable, proven designs that are engineered and manufactured to meet the requirements of API 6A. This series of gate valves offers the user several options depending on the specific application including achieving a positive seal at wellbore/flowline pressures ranging from zero to 5,000 PSI.

M series gate valves are full-bore valves. This allows for downhole tools to be passed through the wellhead and reduces turbulent flow. M series valves are similar to each other in design with only slight variations across the lineup, offering a high percentage of parts interchangeability, giving you an efficiency-driven advantage in the management and maintenance of your gate valve fleet and providing optimal lifecycle management integrity.

This brochure provides an in-depth look at the details of this series of gate valves and explains the features, benefits, characteristics, dimensional & technical data and other valuable information needed to determine which valve suits your specific application.

**TABLE 1 - PRODUCT FEATURES**

	MODEL MDS	MODEL MSG	MODEL MRC DS	MODEL MRC SG
<b>FLOW DIRECTION</b>	UNIDIRECTIONAL <sup>a</sup>	BIDIRECTIONAL	UNIDIRECTIONAL <sup>a</sup>	BIDIRECTIONAL
<b>AVAILABLE BORE SIZES<sup>b</sup> &amp; RATED WORKING PRESSURES (psi)</b>	2 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 2 9/16" 2K,3K,5K 3 1/8" 2K,3K,5K 4 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 5 1/8" 2K,3K,5K	2 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 2 9/16" 2K,3K,5K 3 1/8" 2K,3K,5K 4 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 5 1/8" 2K,3K,5K	2 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 2 9/16" 2K,3K,5K 3 1/8" 2K,3K,5K 4 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 5 1/8" 2K,3K,5K	2 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 2 9/16" 2K,3K,5K 3 1/8" 2K,3K,5K 4 1/16" 2K,3K,5K 5 1/8" 2K,3K,5K
<b>AVAILABLE PSL<sup>c</sup></b>	1,2	1,2	1,2,3,3G	1,2,3,3G
<b>MATERIAL CLASSES</b>	AA,BB,CC,DD,EE,FF	AA,BB,CC,DD,EE,FF	AA,BB,CC,DD,EE,FF,HH	AA,BB,CC,DD,EE,FF,HH
<b>VALVE BODY</b>	CAST	CAST	FORGED	FORGED
<b>GATE TYPE</b>	EXPANDING <sup>d</sup>	SLAB	EXPANDING <sup>d</sup>	SLAB
<b>SEALING ACTION</b>	MECHANICAL	PRESSURE-ENERGIZED	MECHANICAL	PRESSURE-ENERGIZED
<b>OPERATION TYPE</b>	MANUAL <sup>e</sup>	MANUAL <sup>e</sup>	MANUAL <sup>e</sup>	MANUAL <sup>e</sup>
<b>BORE TYPE</b>	FULL-BORE	FULL-BORE	FULL-BORE	FULL-BORE
<b>GATE / SEAT SEAL</b>	METAL TO METAL	METAL TO METAL	METAL TO METAL	METAL TO METAL
<b>STEM TYPE</b>	NON-RISING	NON-RISING	NON-RISING	NON-RISING
<b>STEM PACKING TYPE</b>	CHEVRON-V	CHEVRON-V	CHEVRON-V	CHEVRON-V
<b>REPACKING</b>	YES <sup>f</sup>	YES <sup>f</sup>	YES <sup>f</sup>	YES <sup>f</sup>
<b>THRUST BEARINGS</b>	2 <sup>g</sup>	2 <sup>g</sup>	2 <sup>g</sup>	2 <sup>g</sup>
<b>BODY LUBRICATION FITTINGS</b>	2	2	2	2
<b>BODY / BONNET CONNECTION</b>	BOLTED	BOLTED	BOLTED	BOLTED
<b>END CONNECTIONS</b>	FLANGED (RTJ) OR THREADED	FLANGED (RTJ) OR THREADED	FLANGED (RTJ) OR THREADED	FLANGED (RTJ) OR THREADED
<b>TEMPERATURE RANGE</b>	-75°F (-60°C) THRU 250°F (121°C)	-75°F (-60°C) THRU 250°F (121°C)	-75°F (-60°C) THRU 250°F (121°C)	-75°F (-60°C) THRU 250°F (121°C)

a) Equipped with a non-sealing seat on the upstream side. See engineering note titled "Model MDS & Model MRC DS" for details.

b) 2 1/16" x 1 13/16", 3 1/8" x 3 3/16", 4 1/16" x 4 1/8", and 4 1/16" x 4 1/4" available upon request.

c) Product Specification Level

d) See engineering note titled "Expanding Gate Assembly Operation Explained" for details.

e) Also referred to as "HANDWHEEL OPERATED"

f) Stuffing box can be repacked via injectable packing while the valve is in service up to the rated working pressure.

g) Valve bonnet equipped with grease port(s) and fitting(s) for bearing lubrication.



**ENGINEERING NOTES**

**Expanding Gate Assembly Operation Explained** – The expanding gate assembly consists of two main components: the gate (major) and the segment (minor). These components are assembled together using precision machined pins and high-quality precision formed and treated Nickel-Chromium alloy springs. When the valve is manually operated, the gate and segment act one against the other by means of a dual expanding wedge when the valve is either fully-opened or fully-closed. This expansion effect of the gate assembly against the valve seats through parallel faces of the gate assembly provides a strong and positive seal against pulsations and vibrations created by flow conditions.

**Model MDS & Model MRC DS** –These models are unidirectional gate valves equipped with an expanding gate assembly and a sealing seat in the downstream seat pocket. The upstream seat pocket is equipped with a non-sealing seat assembly. This allows pressure to bypass the upstream seat, equalize throughout the valve body, and only seal against the downstream seat assembly as the original Model M was intended. All model MDS valves are marked with a flow direction arrow for accurate installation.

NOTE: When bidirectional operation is required, a slab gate valve is necessary. M Series expanding gate valves (Model MDS and Model MRC DS) are not designed for bidirectional operation.

**Pressure Testing** – M series gate valves are not intended to be tested through the body lubrication fittings. These fittings are designed for lubrication purposes only. Shell tests and gate/seat tests shall be conducted from the end/outlet connection by qualified personnel.

**TABLE 2 - TEMPERATURE RATINGS**

TEMPERATURE CLASSIFICATION	OPERATING RANGE
K	-75°F (-60°C) TO 180°F (82°C)
L	-50°F (-46°C) TO 180°F (82°C)
N	-50°F (-46°C) TO 140°F (60°C)
P	-20°F (-29°C) TO 180°F (82°C)
S	0°F (-18°C) TO 140°F (60°C)
T	0°F (-18°C) TO 180°F (82°C)
U	0°F (-18°C) TO 250°F (121°C)
V	35°F (2°C) TO 250°F (121°C)

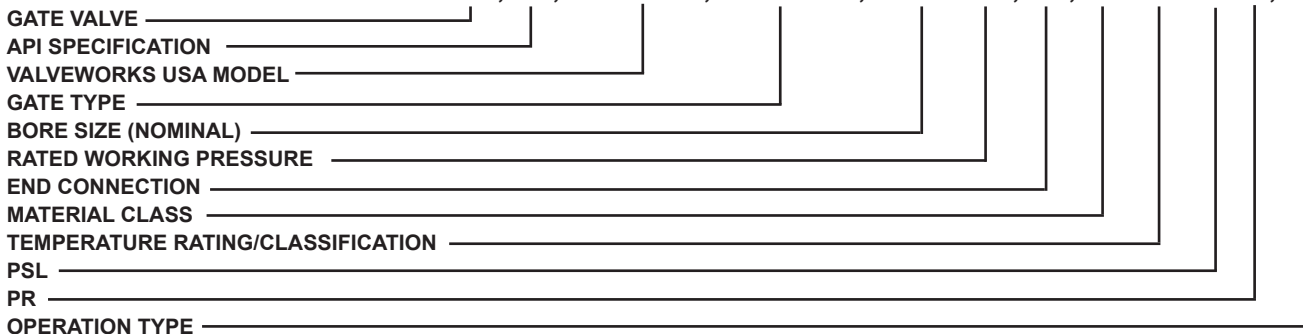
**TABLE 3 - MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS**

MATERIAL CLASS		MINIMUM MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS	
		BODY, BONNET, END & OUTLET CONNECTIONS	PRESSURE-CONTROLLING PARTS & STEMS
AA	GENERAL SERVICE	CARBON OR LOW-ALLOY STEEL	CARBON OR LOW-ALLOY STEEL
BB	GENERAL SERVICE	CARBON OR LOW-ALLOY STEEL	STAINLESS STEEL
CC	GENERAL SERVICE	STAINLESS STEEL	STAINLESS STEEL
DD	SOUR SERVICE <sup>a</sup>	CARBON OR LOW-ALLOY STEEL <sup>b</sup>	CARBON OR LOW-ALLOY STEEL <sup>b</sup>
EE	SOUR SERVICE <sup>a</sup>	CARBON OR LOW-ALLOY STEEL <sup>b</sup>	STAINLESS STEEL <sup>b</sup>
FF	SOUR SERVICE <sup>a</sup>	STAINLESS STEEL <sup>b</sup>	STAINLESS STEEL <sup>b</sup>
HH	SOUR SERVICE <sup>a</sup>	CRA <sup>acd</sup>	CRA <sup>acd</sup>

a) As defined by ISO 15156 (all parts) (NACE MR0175; See Clause 2).  
 b) In accordance with ISO 15156 (NACE MR0175; See Clause 2).  
 c) CRA required on retained-fluid wetted surfaces only.  
 d) CRA as defined in Clause 3; ISO 15156 (all parts) (NACE MR0175; See Clause 2) definition of CRA does not apply.

**VALVEWORKS USA DESCRIPTION KEY**

GV , 6A , MOD MDS , EXP GATE , 2 1/16" 5M , FE , DD - KU - 1 - 2 , HWO

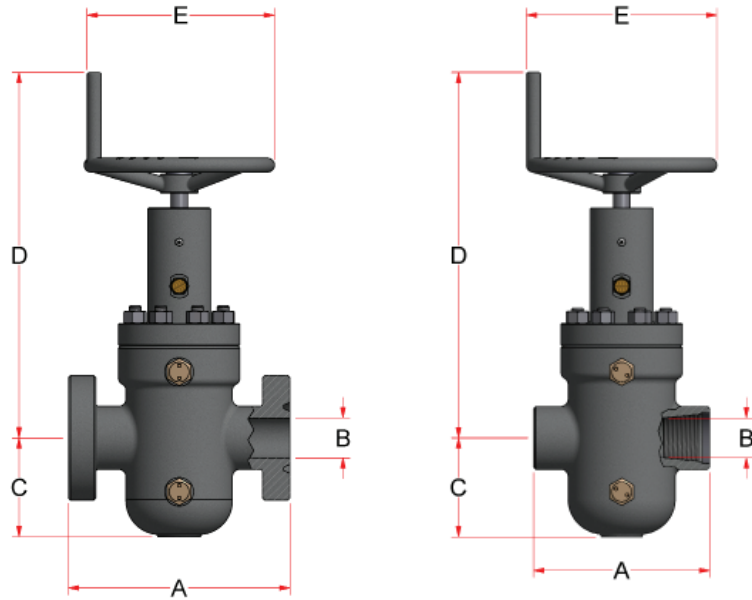


**ABBREVIATION KEY**

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|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| MSG = MODEL M SLAB GATE                        | SG = SLAB GATE                    | STC = CASING (SHORT THREAD)     |
| MDS = MODEL M DIRECTIONAL SEAL                 | FE = FLANGED END                  | LC = CASING (LONG THREAD)       |
| MRC SG = MODEL M ROUND CAVITY SLAB GATE        | RTJ = RING TYPE JOINT             | EU = TUBING, EXTERNAL UPSET     |
| MRC DS = MODEL M ROUND CAVITY DIRECTIONAL SEAL | PSL = PRODUCT SPECIFICATION LEVEL | CRA = CORROSION-RESISTANT ALLOY |
| HWO = HANDWHEEL OPERATED (MANUAL)              | PR = PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENT      | XYL = XYLAN®                    |
| EXP = EXPANDING                                | LP = LINE PIPE                    | HF = HARDFACED                  |

## DIMENSION TABLE KEY

- A** FACE TO FACE
- B** VALVE BORE SIZE (NOMINAL)
- C** BORE CENTERLINE TO BOTTOM
- D** BORE CENTERLINE TO TOP
- E** HANDWHEEL DIAMETER
- NT** NUMBER OF TURNS
- RJ** RING JOINT
- TS** THREAD SIZE
- BSS** BONNET STUD SIZE
- N** NUMBER OF STUDS
- WT** APPROXIMATE WEIGHT
- HT** HANDWHEEL OPERATING TORQUE



## FLANGED GATE VALVES

SIZE	WP (PSI)	A	B	C	D	E	NT	RJ	BSS	N	WT (LBS)	HT (FT-LBS)
2 1/16	2K	11 5/8	2 1/16	5 1/4	19 1/2	10	14	R-23	5/8	8	120	32
	3K	14 5/8	2 1/16	5 1/2	19 5/8	13	14	R-24	7/8	8	180	40
	5K	14 5/8	2 1/16	5 1/2	19 5/8	13	14	R-24	7/8	8	180	57
2 9/16	2K	13 1/8	2 9/16	6 3/8	20 1/2	13	16 1/2	R-26	5/8	8	180	37
	3K	16 5/8	2 9/16	6 5/8	20 7/8	16	16 1/2	R-27	7/8	8	220	49
	5K	16 5/8	2 9/16	6 5/8	20 7/8	16	16 1/2	R-27	7/8	8	220	66
3 1/8	2K	14 1/8	3 1/8	7 5/8	22 7/8	13	20 3/4	R-31	7/8	8	220	48
	3K	17 1/8	3 1/8	7 5/8	23	16	20 3/4	R-31	1	8	300	65
	5K	18 5/8	3 1/8	7 5/8	23	16	20 3/4	R-35	1	8	340	90
4 1/16	2K	17 1/8	4 1/16	9 5/8	26 1/2	16	24 3/4	R-37	1	8	360	81
	3K	20 1/8	4 1/16	9 5/8	26 5/8	20	24 3/4	R-37	1 3/8	8	520	67
	5K	21 5/8	4 1/16	9 5/8	26 5/8	20	24 3/4	R-39	1 3/8	8	560	130
5 1/8	2K	22 1/2	5 1/8	11 3/4	30	24	30 1/4	R-41	1 3/8	8	770	150
	3K	24 1/8	5 1/8	11 3/4	30	24	30 1/4	R-41	1 3/8	8	810	210
	5K	28 5/8	5 1/8	11 3/4	30	24	30 1/4	R-41	1 3/8	8	940	366

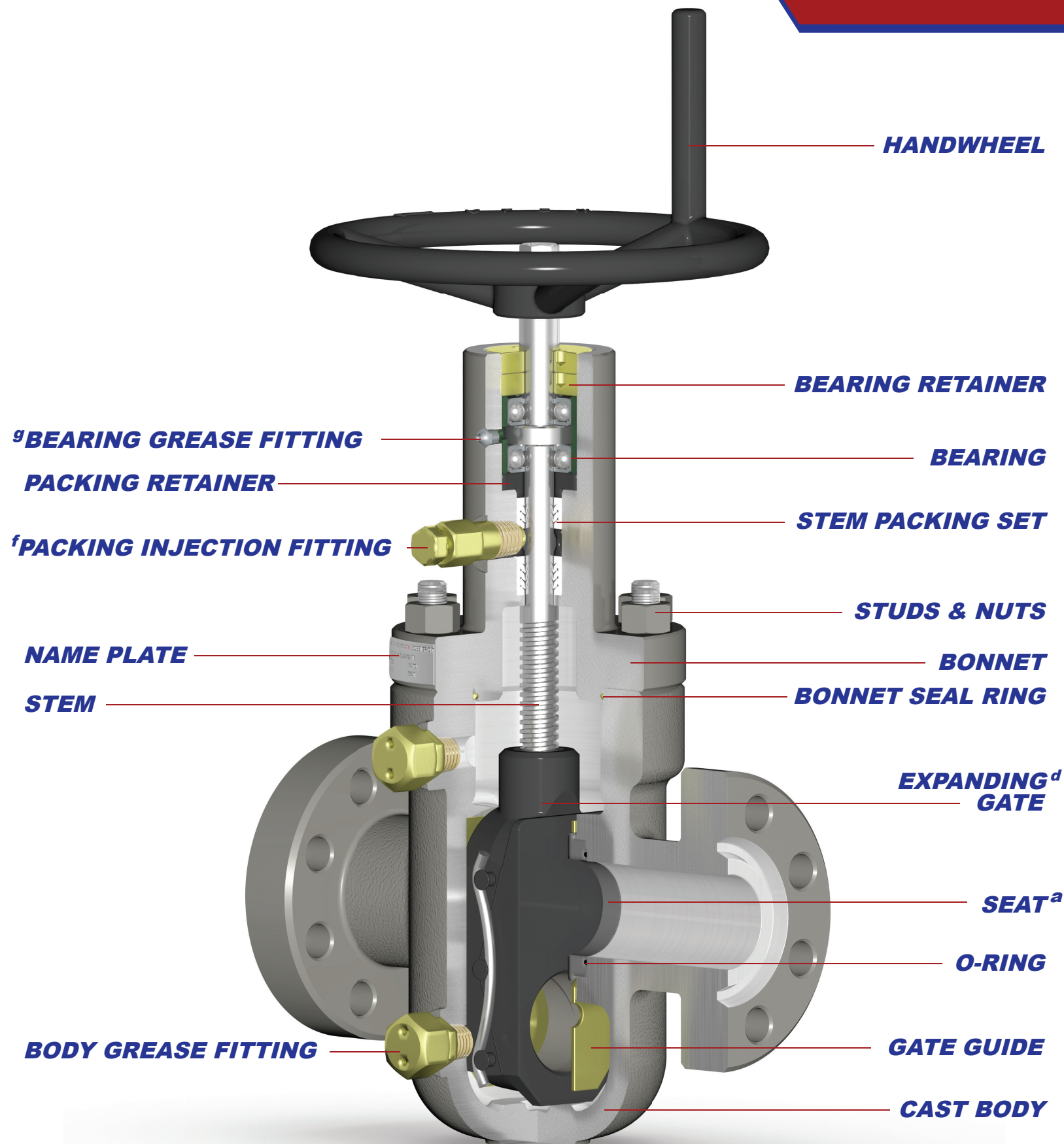
## THREADED GATE VALVES

SIZE	WP (PSI)	A	B	C	D	E	NT	TS	BSS	N	WT (LBS)	HT (FT-LBS)
2 1/16	5K	9 5/8	2 1/16	5 1/2	19 5/8	13	14	2 LP 2 3/8 EU	7/8	8	125	57
2 9/16	3K	10 1/4	2 9/16	6 5/8	20 7/8	16	16 1/2	2 1/2 LP	7/8	8	160	49
	5K	10 1/4	2 9/16	6 5/8	20 7/8	16	16 1/2	2 7/8 EU	7/8	8	160	66
3 1/8	3K	11 3/8	3 1/8	7 5/8	23	16	20 3/4	3 LP	1	8	230	65
	5K	11 3/8	3 1/8	7 5/8	23	16	20 3/4	3 1/2 EU	1	8	230	90
4 1/16	3K	13	4 1/16	9 5/8	26 5/8	20	24 3/4	4 LP	1 3/8	8	420	67
	5K	13	4 1/16	9 5/8	26 5/8	20	24 3/4	4 1/2 EU 4 1/2 LC	1 3/8	8	420	130

\*ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES

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# MODEL MDS - UNIDIRECTIONAL, EXPANDING GATE, CAST BODY



a) Equipped with a non-sealing seat on the upstream side. See engineering note titled "Model MDS (Model M Directional Seal)" for details.

d) See engineering note titled "Expanding Gate Assembly Operation Explained" for details.

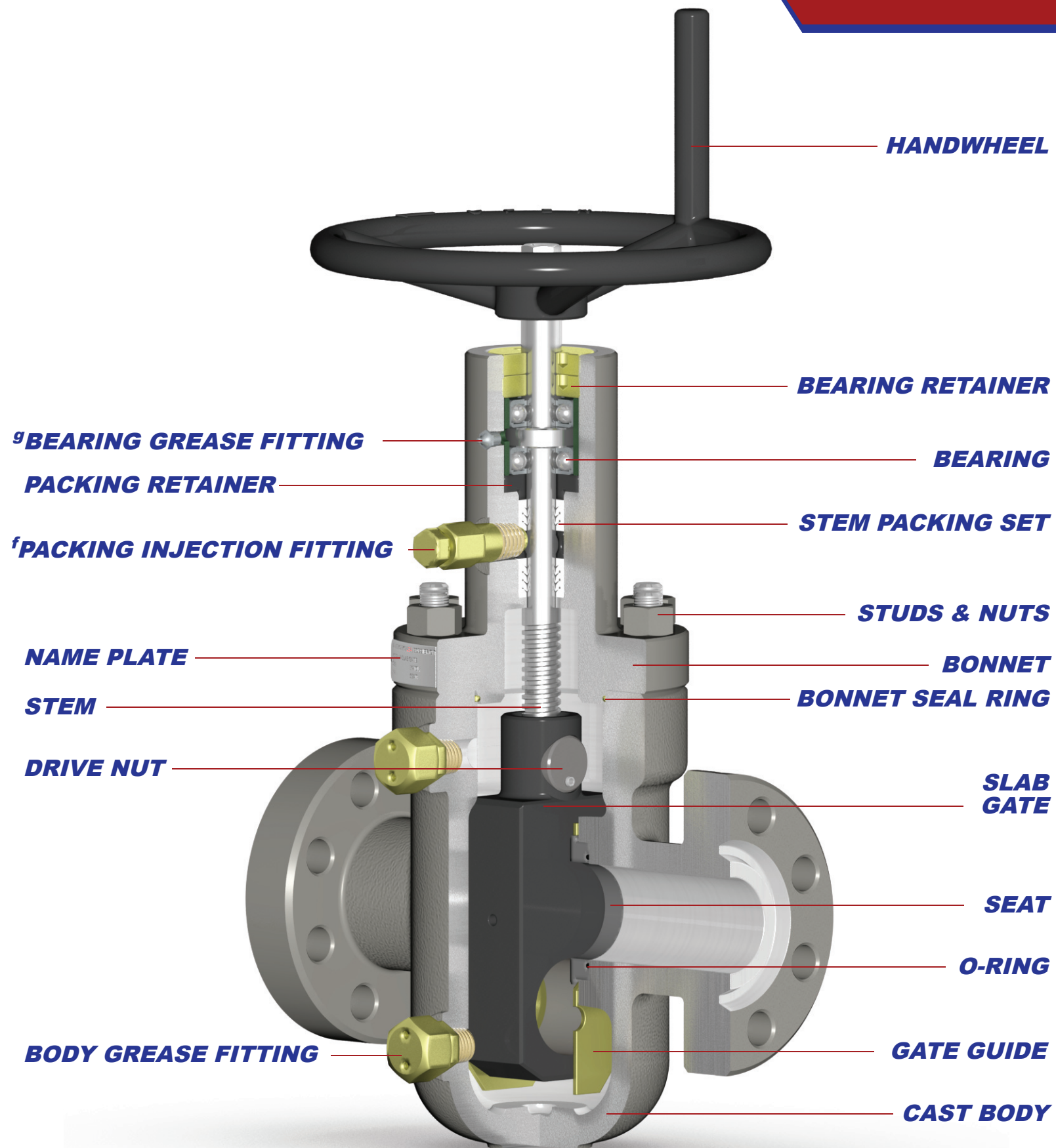
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g) Valve bonnet equipped with grease port(s) and fitting(s) for bearing lubrication.

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# MODEL MSG - BIDIRECTIONAL, SLAB GATE, CAST BODY



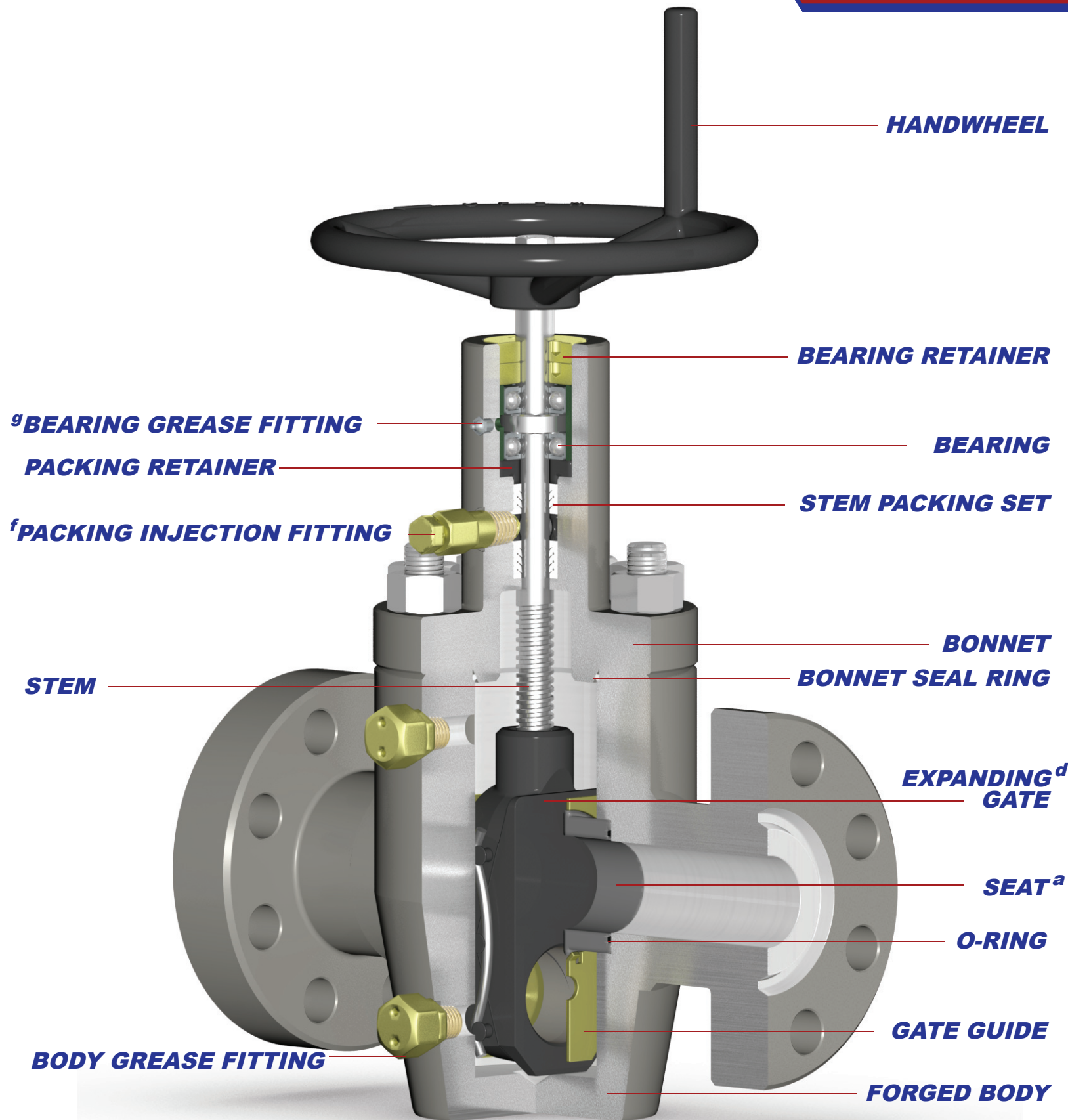
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# MODEL MRC DS - UNIDIRECTIONAL, EXPANDING GATE, FORGED BODY



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d) See engineering note titled "Expanding Gate Assembly Operation Explained" for details.

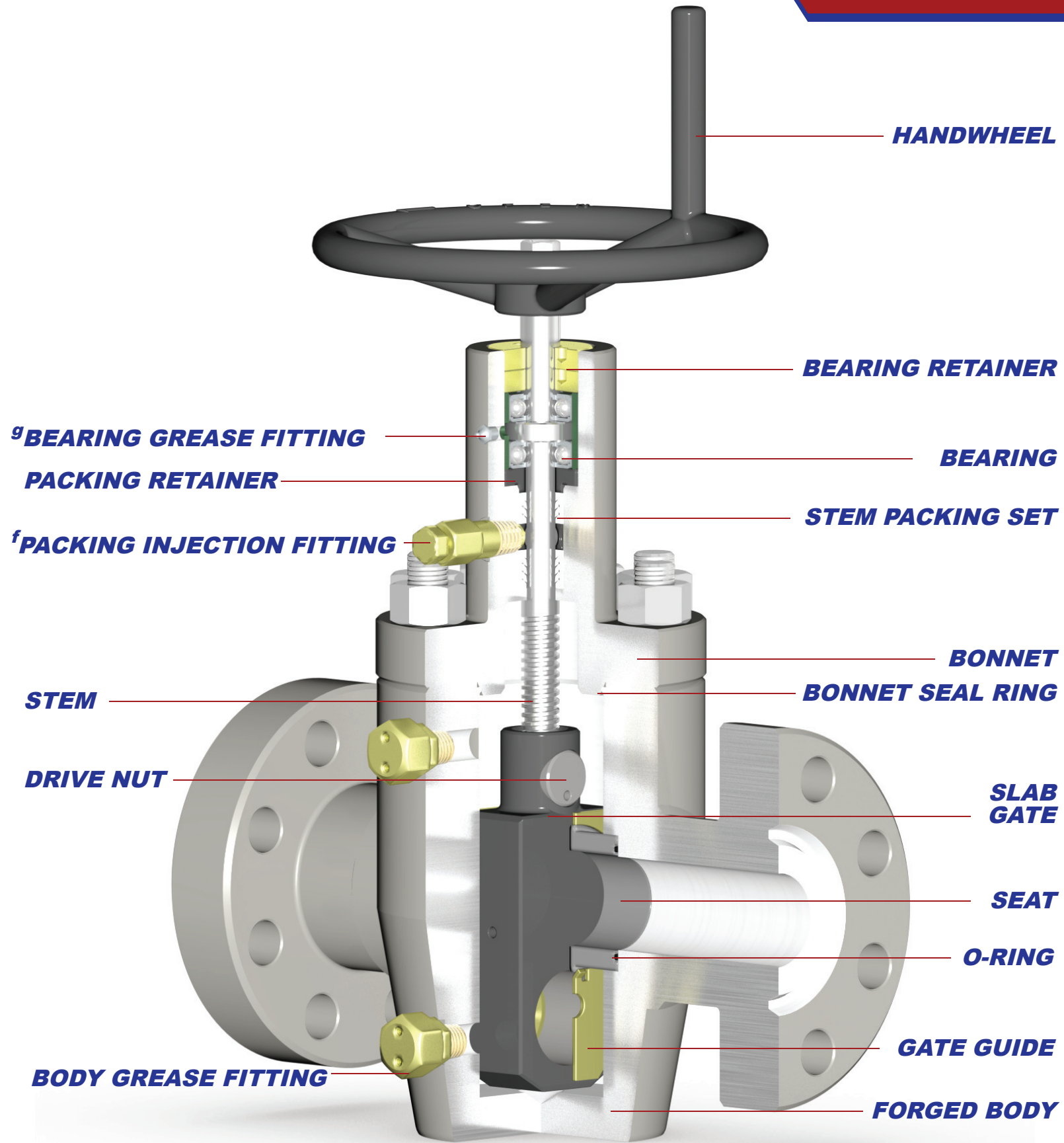
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# MODEL MRC SG - BIDIRECTIONAL, SLAB GATE, FORGED BODY



f) Stuffing box can be repacked via injectable packing while the valve is in service up to the rated working pressure.

g) Valve bonnet equipped with grease port(s) and fitting(s) for bearing lubrication.

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