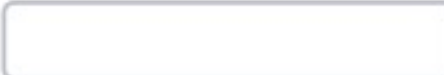


MPK → LVLUP BELT CONVERSION

MIDWEST PROFESSIONAL KARATE → LVLUP MARTIAL ARTS (ATA SONGAHM)

MPK — CURRENT		LVLUP — NEW
BEGINNER		
 White	→	 White
 White + Black Stripe	→	 White
 Gold	→	 Orange · Rec
 Gold + White Stripe	→	 Orange · Rec
 Gold + Black Stripe	→	 Orange · Dec
 Orange	→	 Yellow · Rec
 Orange + White Stripe	→	 Yellow · Rec
 Orange + Black Stripe	→	 Yellow · Dec
INTERMEDIATE		
no MPK equivalent	→	 Camo · Rec earned in LVLUP progression
no MPK equivalent	→	 Camo · Dec earned in LVLUP progression
 Green	→	 Green · Rec
 Green + White Stripe	→	 Green · Rec
 Green + Black Stripe	→	 Green · Dec
 Purple	→	 Purple · Rec
 Purple + Black Stripe	→	 Purple · Dec
ADVANCED		
 Blue	→	 Blue · Rec
 Blue + Black Stripe	→	 Blue · Dec
 Red	→	 Brown · Rec
 Red + Black Stripe	→	 Brown · Dec
 Brown	→	 Red · Rec
 Brown + Black Stripe	→	 Red · Dec
BLACK BELT		
no MPK equivalent	→	 Recommended Black earned in LVLUP progression
 Black	→	 1st Degree Black

KEY RULE

Solid & white-stripe belts convert to the LVLUP **Recommended** rank; black-stripe belts convert to the **Decided** rank.
New DeForest students test White → Orange → Yellow (solids only). The Rec/Dec beginner ranks shown apply to converting students.

NOTES

- 1. Color names shift between systems (Gold→Orange, Orange→Yellow; Red→Brown, Brown→Red) but rank is preserved — no student is demoted.
- 2. MPK Red is a mid-rank; LVLUP Red is near-black — MPK Red converts to LVLUP BROWN, MPK Brown converts to LVLUP RED.
- 3. Grey rows = LVLUP ranks earned in progression; no MPK belt converts into them.
- 4. Black belts transfer to ATA 1st Degree; ATA registration + Songahm form catch-up to follow.