

## Product Change Notification

Issue Date: 2018/3/27 TDK Corporation Magnetics Business Group

Subject: Lifecycle status change from production to NRND for the attached magnetics products list.

## Dear Distributor Partner,

Thank you for your business and continued interest in TDK's magnetics products.

This letter is to inform you of the production status change for the following attached list of products.

The products included in this document have been revised to Not Recommended for New Design or "NRND". NRND is a production status classification that indicates a part number is approaching the end of its product life cycle. It is not End of Life, rather NRND represents the period between Mass Production and End of Life (EOL). In most cases NRND addresses the natural decline in market sales/profitability, but may identify a consolidation of the product portfolio as well. NRND items are still supported by TDK in mass production; however, long term support is not guaranteed nor are these items recommended for new designs.

TDK will offer a suggested replacement alternative product, whenever possible. These alternative components however, may not 100% meet the exact same electrical performance or mechanical dimensions. The main objective is providing options nearest to fit, form, and functionality from the available TDK Magnetics product portfolio.

EOL and LTB Dates have not been established at this time; however, when this occurs, TDK will distribute separate EOL Notices. TDK is committed to working closely with you to minimize any impact this change may have.

Sincerely yours

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## **TDK Lifecycle Description**

Lifecycle Status and alternative solutions when available, can be further confirmed in the TDK website

- Inductors
   <u>https://product.tdk.com/en/search/inductor/inductor/lead/part\_no/</u>
- EMC Components
  - Ferrite Beads
  - o <a href="https://product.tdk.com/en/search/emc/emc/beads/part\_no/">https://product.tdk.com/en/search/emc/emc/beads/part\_no/</a>
  - Common Mode Filters
  - o <a href="https://product.tdk.com/en/search/emc/emc/cmf\_cmc/part\_no/">https://product.tdk.com/en/search/emc/emc/cmf\_cmc/part\_no/</a>

	÷	In Development	This product is in development.
Start Pre-Production	0	Preliminary	Currently being prepared for volume production.
Start Volume Production			
		Production	The product is in volume production.
		Production (NRND)	The product is in volume production but not recommended for use in new designs.
Discontinue Issue Date		EOL Announced	End of Life has already been announced and the last shipment date has been set. These products are still in production until the last shipment date. For orders issued after EOL announced products cannot be returned.
Last Shipment Date	A	Obsolete	The production has stopped and the final shipment has been completed.
			Build-To-Order This is a built-to-order product.