

June 29, 2017

Product Discontinuance Notification (PDN) No: ESC-2171001

Subject: End of Life Notice for Series 6/6E/7/7E Products

Description:

Microsemi is announcing the discontinuance of all Series 6 and Series 7 products. The last order date is September 29, 2017. The last shipment date is December 29, 2017.

No further software or firmware maintenance releases are planned for any of the Series 6 or Series 7 products. However, Microsemi may choose to release software or firmware maintenance releases to address specific issues reported, depending on severity.

Please use this time to prepare for the migration from Series 6 and Series 7 products to Series 8 & Series 8E products. These products offer a number of advantages over the older Series 6 and Series 7 products, including support for the latest 12Gbps SAS and PCle Gen 3 standards (also compatible with older 6Gbps/3Gbps SAS/SATA and PCle standards), providing superior performance in all applications for which the Series 6 and Series 7 were applicable. The Series 8/8E family utilizes the same OS drivers and offers the same broad ecosystem compatibility as the prior generations. In addition, they leverage the same maxView management tools that users are familiar with.

Reason for Discontinuance:

Production cycle change.

Customer Impact:

These devices are being removed from Microsemi's product offering and will no longer be available for order after September 29, 2017.

Product may be limited in availability. Orders will be supported on a first-come-first-serve basis. Effective immediately, orders for these products will be non-cancelable and non-returnable.

Please contact your local Microsemi Sales Office for information regarding conversion to alternate parts.

IMPORTANT NOTICE: PMC-Sierra was acquired by Microsemi on Jan. 15th 2016. Please ensure that you update your system for the product(s) listed below under the vendor name of Microsemi Solutions Malaysia Sdn. Bhd and or Wintegra Ltd.

Replacement Parts:



Microsemi recommends customers to migrate to Series 8/8E products. Please visit the Series 8/8E website for product details and specifications http://www.microsemi.com/products/storage/raid-adapters/raid-adapters

Part Number	Description
2281600-R	ASR-81605ZQ Single
2277100-R	ASR-8885Q Single
2287101-R	ASR-81605Z v2 Single
2277000-R	ASR-8885 Single
2277500-R	ASR-8805 Single
2277600-R	ASR-8405 Single
2294001-R	ASR-8805E V2 Single
2293901-R	ASR-8405E V2 Single

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Last Shipment Date (Preliminary): December 29, 2017

Products Affected by this Discontinuance:

Part Number	Description
2231400-R	ACK-E-mSASx4-mSASx4-1M R
2231700-R	ACK-I-mSASx4-SASx4-0.5M R
2232000-R	ACK-I-mSASx4-SAS4x1-FO-1M R
2246800-R	ACK-I-mSASx4-mSASx4-0.5m R
2247100-R	ACK-I-mSASx4-4SATAx1-SB-1m R
2269700-R	AFM-600 SUPERCAP KIT
2270000-R	ASR-6405 SINGLE
2270100-R	ASR-6805 SINGLE
2270200-R	ASR-6445 SINGLE
2270800-R	ASR-6405E SINGLE
2270900-R	ASR-6805E SINGLE
2271100-R	ASR-6405 KIT
2271200-R	ASR-6805 KIT
2271700-R	ASR-6405E KIT
2271800-R	ASR-6805E KIT
2272300-R	ACK-I-mSASx4-4SATAx1-SB-0.7m
2274100-R	ASR-7805 SINGLE
2274200-R	ASR-7805 KIT
2274300-R	ASR-7805Q SINGLE
2274400-R	ASR-71605 SINGLE
2274500-R	ASR-71605E SINGLE
2274600-R	ASR-71605Q SINGLE
2274700-R	ASR-71685 SINGLE
2274900-R	ASR-72405 SINGLE
2275100-R	ACC-6xx5 FAN KIT

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2275200-R	ACK-I-MSASX4-MSASX4-1M
2275300-R	ACK-I-mSASx4-4SASx1-SB-0.7m
2275500-R	ASR-71685 w/AFM-700 DELL BULK
2275600-R	ASR-6805E R5 BULK
2280500-R	ASR-71605 WITH AFM-700 BULK
2280900-R	ASR-78165 SINGLE
2281100-R	ASR-78165 w/AFM-700 BULK

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Regards,

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