



Product Change Notification

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Change Notification #: 113257- 00
Change Title: Intel RAID Controller RS2VB040 and RS2VB080, PCN 113257-00
Product Discontinuance, End of Life
Date of Publication: September 19, 2014

Key Characteristics of the Change:

Product Discontinuance

Forecasted Key Milestones:

Product Discontinuance Program Support Begins:	September 22, 2014
Last Product Discontinuance Order Date*:	December 19, 2014
Orders are Non-Cancelable and Non-Returnable After:	September 22, 2014
Last Product Discontinuance Shipment Date:	July 17, 2015

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Description of Change to the Customer:

Intel announces the product discontinuance of the Intel RAID Controllers RS2VB040 and RS2VB080 on September 22, 2014.

Customers have six (3) months to place final orders and ten (10) months to take the final delivery of product.

Summary:

1. Product discontinuance notification is effective September 22, 2014.
2. Final purchase orders of the affected product must be placed by December 19, 2014.
3. Final quantity to be shipped must specify a customer request date (CRD) no later than July 17, 2015.

Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action:

Please determine your remaining demand for these products and order accordingly.
The suggested replacement for the RS2VB040 is RMS25PB040 or RS3DC040.
The suggested replacement for the RS2VB080 is RMS25PB080 or RS3DC080.

Products Affected / Intel Ordering Codes:

Product Name	Product Code	Pre Change Affected MM#	Recommended Replacement Product Code	Recommended Replacement MM#
Intel® RAID Controller RS2VB080	RS2VB080	911120	RS3DC080 Or RMS25PB080	928221 Or 924868
Intel® RAID Controller RS2VB040	RS2VB040	911498	RS3DC040 Or RMS25PB040	928222 Or 924869

PCN Revision History:

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Sept. 19, 2014

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