



Product Change Notification

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Change Notification #:	110368 - 00
Change Title:	Intel RU82566DC/MC/MM Gigabit Network Connections (Nineveh Tray & T&R) PCN 110368-00 Product Discontinuance End of Life
Date of Publication:	February 7, 2011

Key Characteristics of the Change:

Product Discontinuance

Forecasted Key Milestones:

Last Product Discontinuance Order Date:	Feb 7, 2012
Orders are Non-Cancelable and Non-Returnable After:	Feb 7, 2012
Last Product Discontinuance Shipment Date:	Aug 7, 2012
Technical Support Service Ends:	Aug 7, 2013

Description of Change to the Customer:

The Intel RU82566DC/MC/MM Gigabit Network Connections, (Nineveh Tray & T&R), will End of Life.

Intel will be discontinuing these controllers due to the natural decline in demand for these products.

Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action:

Replacement Product Information:

The recommended replacements sku's will be the Intel RU82566DM, MM#878628 (Tray) and MM#879201 (T&R) (Nineveh), as noted within the affected products table within this PCN notice. The replacement products will continue to be available through at least June of 2013. The products being discontinued are fully pin compatible with the RU82566DM. The RU82566DM supports Receive Side Scaling, Jumbo Frames and vPRO.

More information about what each version supports (DM/DC/MC/MM) can be found here, <http://mark.intel.com/search.aspx?q=82566>
Customers can also locate RU82566 product information here, <http://www.intel.com/products/ethernet/resource.htm#s1=all&s2=82566DM/DC/MM/MC&s3=all>

Key Milestone Dates/Customer Instructions:

Last Order Date (LOD) is February 7th, 2012 giving customers 12 months to place last time orders. Please determine your remaining demand for the affected products, and place your order(s) with Intel or your authorized Intel distributor by February 7th, 2012 (LOD). Intel will not guarantee current prices to any customer for orders placed after the LOD.

Last Ship Date (LSD) is August 7th, 2012 giving customers 18 months to receive product from the February 7th, 2011 PCN publication date.

Non-Cancelable, Non-Returnable (NCNR) terms apply to all shipments after February 7th, 2012. Customers can change, cancel or modify their orders up until the LOD of February 7th, 2012.

Customers should review their legacy platform forecasts and requirements for the RU82566DC/MC/MM controllers, provide Intel with an End of Life (EOL) forecast, and notify Intel of any changes ASAP during the 1-year Last Time Order EOL window of February 7th, 2011 thru February 7th, 2012. Although Intel has planned to cover all demand placed through Purchase Orders until the Last Order Date, component stock may be limited at times. Once the supply is exhausted (based on orders placed by the firm LOD), Intel reserves the right not to support orders.

Intel may change the required MOQ (minimum order qty), order increment requirement, or qty of shipments to weekly or monthly buckets to streamline warehouse operations during the EOL period. Intel reserves the right to limit quantity (even if forecasted or purchased on a Purchase Order) if unforeseen material, manufacturing, yield or other supply issues constrain supply at any time thru the EOL period.

Intel will not guarantee current prices to any customers for orders placed after the LOD of February 7th, 2012.

Technical Support Service Ends August 7th, 2013. No new features, no new OS support, no new silicon support and no bug fixes.

Products Affected / Intel Ordering Codes:

Product Name	Product Code	MM#	Replacement Product Name	Replacement Product Code	Replacement MM#
Intel RU82566DC Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh Tray)	RU82566DC	879298	Intel RU82566DM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh Tray)	RU82566DM	878628
Intel RU82566DC Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh T&R)	RU82566DC	883492	Intel RU82566DM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh T&R)	RU82566DM	879201
Intel RU82566MM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh Tray)	RU82566MM	885396	Intel RU82566DM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh Tray)	RU82566DM	878628
Intel RU82566MM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh T&R)	RU82566MM	885897	Intel RU82566DM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh T&R)	RU82566DM	879201
Intel RU82566MC Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh Tray)	RU82566MC	885898	Intel RU82566DM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh Tray)	RU82566DM	878628
Intel RU82566MC Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh T&R)	RU82566MC	885899	Intel RU82566DM Gigabit Network Connection (Nineveh T&R)	RU82566DM	879201

Reference Documents / Attachments:

Document:	Location #:
RU82566 DM/DC/MC/MM product comparison	http://mark.intel.com/search.aspx?q=82566
RU82566 product information	http://www.intel.com/products/ethernet/resource.htm#s1=all&s2=82566DM/DC/MM/MC&s3=all

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