



# Product Change Notification

**Change Notification #:** 117064 - 02  
**Change Title:** Intel® RAID Controller RS3GC008,  
Intel® Integrated RAID Module  
RMS3VC160 ,  
PCN 117064-02,  
Product Discontinuance, End Of Life,  
**Reason for Revision: Add missing  
recommended replacements**  
**Date of Publication:** February 12, 2020

## Key Characteristics of the Change:

Product Discontinuance

## Forecasted Key Milestones:

<b>Product Discontinuance Program Support Begins:</b>	July 16, 2019
<b>Last Product Discontinuance Order Date:</b>	July 1, 2020
<b>Orders are Non-Cancelable and Non-Returnable After:</b>	April 1, 2020
<b>Last Product Discontinuance Shipment Date:</b>	October 1, 2020

## Description of Change to the Customer:

### **Reason for Revision: Add missing recommended replacement MM numbers to Products Affected table**

Intel is announcing the discontinuance of the following RAID products:  
Intel® RAID Controller RS3GC008 and Intel® Integrated RAID Module RMS3VC160.

Intel will make best efforts to support all orders placed between the Non-Cancelable and Non-Returnable (NCNR) and the Last Product Discontinuance Order (LPDO) dates. Intel will discontinue builds on the LPDO date. After the LPDO date existing inventory is still orderable, under NCNR terms, and will be filled on a first come first served basis. Deliveries must be accepted within 90 days from the LPDO date.

Final purchase orders are non-cancelable and non-returnable, notwithstanding any conflicting terms in our quotes, purchase order acknowledgement or Distributor agreements.

Intel reserves the right to change the products because of material source restriction.

### Engineering and Support Guidance for Discontinued Products:

1. No new OS, peripheral or adaptor validation is planned during the extended life period. The THOL, supported processor and tested memory lists are frozen at PDA.
2. No new features enhancements should be expected, however ECOs may be required during the extended life period to maintain supply lines (e.g. to qualify new vendor due to a component EOL).
3. Intel will provide reasonable commercial efforts in debugging issues during the warranty period for the product after the PDA date has passed. Fixes cannot be committed, but Intel will endeavor to provide reasonable workarounds for the product.

### Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action:

Determine your remaining demand for this product and order accordingly.

Lead-times on products with announced product discontinuance can typically stretch to 12 weeks and volumes are not buffered during the PDA period. Please work with your Intel representative on your quarterly demand forecast in order to reduce lead-times to 2 - 4 Weeks.

Please contact your local Intel Sales Office or Distributor if you require more information or need assistance in selecting a replacement product.

Milestone dates are estimates and subject to change based on business and operational conditions.

### Products Affected / Intel Ordering Codes:

Product Name	Product Code	MM#	Recommended Replacement Product Code	Recommended Replacement MM#
Intel® RAID Controller RS3GC008	RS3GC008	928220	RSP3GD016J	954492
Intel® Integrated RAID Module RMS3VC160	RMS3VC160	953057	RMSP3JD160J	954490

### PCN Revision History:

Date of Revision:	Revision Number:	Reason:
July 16, 2019	00	Originally Published PCN
November 20, 2019	01	Remove RS3UC080 from Product Discontinuance
February 12, 2020	02	Add missing recommended replacements



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