

# Electromechanical Automation Product Discontinuance



**Bulletin #** SD1023  
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**To:** All Master Price List Holders  
**Product:** ZETA Drives and Drive/Controllers  
**Subject:** Select ZETA Drives and Drive/Controllers Obsolescence

## Obsolescence of Select ZETA Drives and Drive/Controllers

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Parker Hannifin, EMN – Rohnert Park is discontinuing the sale of the following power levels of the ZETA Drive and Drive/Controller Family:

*ZETA4-240*

*ZETA6104-240*

*ZETA6112*

*ZETA12*

Due to low sales and difficulty in sourcing key components, EMN can no longer support the production of these drives and drive/controllers.



## Last Time Buy Period and Date of Obsolescence

We are offering a last-time buy period until October 31, 2013, or until we have depleted our inventory, whichever comes first.

The ZETA4, ZETA6104, ZETA8, and ZETA6108 will still be available.

## Suggested Replacements

There are no direct replacements for these products.

Current Product	Suggested Replacement
ZETA4-240	No direct replacement
ZETA6104-240	No direct replacement
ZETA6112	No direct replacement
ZETA12	No direct replacement

Due to the fact that larger current stepper drives and motors are becoming less common in the market, a servo solution could be considered. Servos can offer the following:

- Higher speeds
- Higher efficiency
- Closed-loop accuracy with a full range of feedback options, including absolute encoders
- Reduced audible noise
- Increased dynamic load handling capabilities

If you have any questions about upgrading to a different Parker stepper drive, drive/controller or a servo solution, please contact:

- Technical Assistance, Applications Engineering Department (e-mail: [emn\\_support@parker.com](mailto:emn_support@parker.com) or call 800-358-9070 North America, 707-584-7558 International)

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