

Product Change Notification

<u>PowerDsine 9000 non-managed Models</u> End Of Manufacture (EOM) Notification

March 5th, 2013

Dear valued Customer,

This letter is to inform you that Microsemi will discontinue manufacturing operations for the PowerDsine 9000 unManaged Midspan products. Those products will be removed from the Pricelist effective March 1. However, product support for these products will continue through the original warranty period.

EOM Benefits for our partners and customers:

- 1) As the market is moving into higher function 802.3at End-terminal devices, the demand for higher management functionality has become critical.
- 2) By reducing the number of part numbers, we will be able to better support changing demand and offer better lead time.
- 3.) By reducing the number of part numbers, we will enable our channel partners to offer the highest value products and ensure Best-in-Class PoE technology for end-user upgrades.

Please refer to **Table A** for detailed list of EOM products and information on the alternative products that are fully backwards compatible.

Table A:

P/N	Description	Replacement
PD-9012G/AC	802.3at PoE Midspan, 10/100/1000	PD-9012G/ACDC/M
PD-9024G/AC	mbps midspans, unmanaged	PD-9024G/ACDC/M
PD-9024G/AC/F		PD-9024G/ACDC/M/F

We value your feedback and we appreciate early communication for any questions or concerns you have regarding this product discontinuance.

Please contact Microsemi Customer care: +972-9-7755123, in the USA: + 1-877-480-2323 and we will do our best to help you with your transition.

Best Regards,

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