Product Discontinuation Notice: 3MTM Pak 50 Stacking Compression Connector, 38X Series

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Effective immediately, 3M is discontinuing the Pak 50 Stacking Compression Connector, 38X Series, also known as the Multibus Interface eXtension (MIX) Stacking Connector. The market for Multibus single board computers has steadily contracted as newer technologies and form factors have overtaken it for improved price and performance. As the platform has declined, so too have sales of MIX connectors, to the point we have received no orders in the last 18 months. For this reason, there will be no last time buy. This affects the products on tech sheets TS0421, TS0422 and TS0798.

Part Number	Stock Number	Part Number	Stock Number
3893-0000	80610184436	3884-000A	80610670384
3893-0050	80610576847	3887-100A	80610670392
3882-100A	80610670376		

Alternate Solution

There is no 3M alternative to the Pak 50 Stacking Compression Connector or MIX Stacking Connector.

Actions Required

- 1. Identify the parts on your database and revising the product status as obsolete;
- 2. Contact past users of the Stacking Connector and advising them of this end-of-line announcement.

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