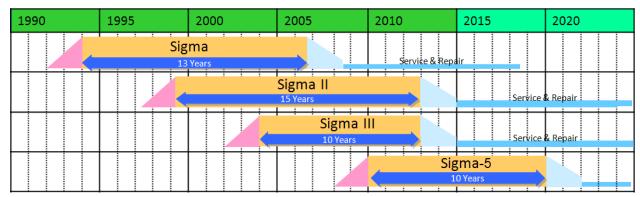


Motion Product Discontinuation

To: Yaskawa Motion Customers

Cc: Motion Channel Partners, Manufacturer Representatives, Yaskawa Field Sales and Associates

Since the introduction of the first Sigma servo product series in the early 1990's, Yaskawa has strived to provide a consistent product life cycle so that our customers can plan accordingly. The timeline below illustrates the life cycle of each product generation in the Sigma series. The typical life of a Yaskawa product consists of 10 years of active promotion followed by 10 years of service and repair. Due to the popularity of the Sigma series, some of the previous product generations have extended well beyond this 20 year model.



In March of 2012, the Sigma II and Sigma III product families were transitioned to legacy status. In 2014, these products will be discontinued. Yaskawa will accept orders for Sigma II and Sigma III products through May 31, 2014 with delivery not to exceed November 30, 2014. As of June 1, 2014, new orders for these products will only be accepted if the requested products are in stock. Our remaining inventory will be made available while supplies last and will be distributed on a first come, first serve basis. When this inventory is depleted, support of Sigma II and Sigma III will be limited to repair only or replacement with Sigma-5. Yaskawa will continue to provide repair and service for these products for 7 years or as long as components are available.

A full list of the products being discontinued is shown in the table below. Sigma II SGMPH rotary motors, Sigma II linear motors, and Sigma III SGMCS direct drive motors will not be discontinued.

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Product Family	Product Type	Part Numbering Details	Stock Status
Sigma-II	Motors	SGMAH, SGMGH, SGMSH, SGMBH, SGMIH, SGMUH, SGMDH, SGMAJ, SGMMJ, Gearmotors	Discontinued as of June 1, 2014
	Amplifiers	SGDH, SGDM, SGDP, SGDJ, SGDT	
	Cables	power, feedback, brake	
	Accessories	mating connectors, regen & dynamic braking resistors, digital operators, accessory cables, terminal block kits, ring terminal kits	
FSP	Amplifiers	FSP	
	Cables	feedback	
Sigma-Mini	Motors	SGMM	
	Amplifiers	SGDF	
	Cables	power, feedback	
	Accessories	mating connectors, digital operator, accessory cables, noise filter	
Legend	Amplifiers	SGDG	
Sigma-III	Motors	SGMAS, SGMPS, SGMSS, SGMKS	
	Amplifiers	SGDS, SGDK	
	Cables	power, feedback	
	Accessories	mating connectors, accessory cables	
SMC Controls	Option Modules	SMC3010, SMC4020, SMC4040	
	Accessories	mating connectors, accessory cables	
NS & Other Option Cards	Option Modules	JUSP-NS100, JUSP-NS115, JUSP-NS210, JUSP-NS300, JUSP-NS310, JUSP-NS500, JUSP-NS600, JUSP-NS610, JUSP-NP115, JUSP-FC100, JASP-NT001UP, JASP- PC104ISA	
	Accessories	mating connectors, accessory cables, terminal block kits	

Interested in upgrading your machine with Yaskawa's latest products? Email our support team

Please direct any questions regarding this notification to your local Yaskawa field sales representative.

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