

SUBJECT: Discontinuation of select Rotary and Linear Potentiometers

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EFFECTIVE DATE: September 3, 2008

LAST TIME ORDER DATE: See table below.

SUGGESTED REPLACEMENT: No direct replacement. Please consider our active Potentiometer and Encoder products.

OTHER DETAILS: Based on the need to optimize production efficiency and consolidate product offering, as well as the market demand shift toward digital/encoder products.

Affected part numbers highlighted in yellow:

Products	Type	Style	Part number	Discontinuation?	Last Time Buy	
Rotary Pot.	7mm Thumb Wheel		EVLHFA	No		
	9mm Square, Plastic shaft		EVU-E/F	No		
	9mm Square long life		EVW-BC/BD	Yes	Dec-1-2008	
	10mm Thumb Wheel		EVU-TU/TX	Yes	Dec-1-2008	
	12mm Square, Plastic shaft		EVJ-01/02	No		
	12mm Square, Plastic shaft, 2 in 1 type		EVJ-C/Y	No		
	14mm Square, Plastic shaft, 2 in 1 type		EWC-C/E	Yes	Dec-1-2008	
	14mm Square, Plastic shaft		EVCY	No		
	16mm Square High torque type		EWVYC	No		
	18mm Square High torque type		EVCX	No		
	Center Space		EWV-YE/YF/YG	No		
			15 / 30mm	EWA-K/N	Yes	Dec-1-2008
	Standard type slide		20 / 45 / 60mm	EWA-M/P/Q	No	
Slide Pot.	Standard Faders		EWA-P1/P3/Q1/Q3	No		
	Thin Faders	Single/Dual	EVA-BJQ/NA/NB	No		
	Mono Faders		EVANF	No		
	Mono-rail Faders	Single	EVA-NH/NJ/NK	Yes	Dec-1-2008	
	Mono-rail Faders	Dual	EVB-NH/NJ/NK	Yes	Dec-1-2008	
Trimmer	6mm Carbon trimmer pot.	Bulk	EVN-D8/D2	No		
		Radial taping	EVN-DJ/DX/DC	No		
		Composition	EVN-CYA	No		
Position Sensors	10mm GS sensors		EVWAE	No		
		Slim type	EVA-J/WA/WM	Yes	Dec-1-2008	
	Linear position sensors	Head light sensors	EVA-W7/JG	No		
	Valve position sensors		EVWBE	No		

Data sheets of Potentiometers:

http://panasonic.com/industrial/components/electromechanical/elec_pot.htm