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## End of Life Notification (EOL) EOL-008\_2020-0 LTS & LTSR LEM series

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To our Valued Customers and Partners,

As part of our continued focus toward providing our customers and partners the highest level of service, quality and security, LEM International announces the End of Life ("EOL") of the below mentioned current transducers on 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021.

This is concerning the following models:

LTSR 6-NP, LTSR 15-NP, LTSR 25-NP, LTSR 25-NP/SP1 LTS 6-NP, LTS 6-NP/SP2, LTS 6-NP/SP3, LTS 6-NP/SP4, LTS 6-NP/SP14, LTS 6-NP BLISTER 3P LTS 15-NP, LTS 15-NP/SP1, LTS 15-NP/SP5, LTS 15-NP/SP7 LTS 25-NP, LTS 25-NP/SP4, LTS 25-NP/SP6, LTS 25-NP/SP7, LTS 25-NP/SP10

## Reason:

LTS and LTSR LEM part numbers use a specific ASIC. The manufacturer of this ASIC recently informed LEM about the obsolescence of this specific ASIC in 2021.

The ASIC producer justified this decision due to the ASIC manufacturing techniques evolution. Indeed, they will not be able to support the current manufacturing process for this ASIC (800nm process) anymore (subcontractor currently moving to more modern equipment's as most of the ASIC manufacturers).

LEM found no alternate cost-effective supplier who can operate in behalf of this subcontractor and mostly at the equivalent technology and process know-how. This technology is now obsolete and not any worldwide reputation supplier will support it anymore unfortunately.

We therefore ask for your kind cooperation in phasing out this product.





To make the termination as convenient as possible for you, we are pleased to offer the following conditions:

## Hereafter the deadlines:

Maintenance: from today Last call orders: 26<sup>th</sup> February 2021 Obsolescence and last deliveries: 31<sup>st</sup> December 2021

To support you in this approach, we propose you some alternative LEM models to LTS and LTSR models:

- CAS models: LTS compatible (pinout and performances) without aperture
- CASR models: LTSR compatible (pinout and performances) without aperture
- LES models: LTS compatible (pinout and performances) without aperture
- LESR models: LTSR compatible (pinout and performances) without aperture
- LXS models: LTS compatible (pinout and performances) with aperture
- LXSR models: LTSR compatible (pinout and performances) with aperture

Do not hesitate to contact your local LEM sales contact to get more information on these possible already available alternatives.

With this proposition LEM hopes to make the termination of the LTS and LTSR series as convenient as possible for you.

Sincerely yours,

Stéphane ROLLIER Product Manager

