

Sunset Notice for the 2800 Network Switching Equipment

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Due to the production release of the new 2810 Diameter FEP, Cyclone Microsystems is commencing an orderly sunset of our older 2800 Diameter FEP. The new 2810 will supersede the older 2800 in Diameter deployments.

Since all new Telcordia programs are transitioning to the newer Cyclone 2810, demand for the 2800 and related Field Replaceable Units (FRUs) is anticipated to diminish to minor sparing quantities. Consequently, Cyclone is commencing an orderly sunset of the 2800 Series FEP and associated FRUs.

The goal of our product sunset is to define a reasonably ample time period where all customers can assess and act on their last buy requirements to support their installed base.

Products Involved: This Sunset Notice affects the 2800 Diameter FEP and associated FRUs:

FEP Part Numbers:

2800-D8G-A0/D0	1U Rack Mount /Dual Core XEON/8 Gbyte/AC or DC
2800-D24-A0/D0	1U Rack Mount /Dual Core XEON/24 Gbyte/AC or DC

FRU Part Numbers:

370-1401	2800 Series AC Power Supply
370-1402	2800 Series DC Power Supply

Time Frame

Our Sunset Program is based upon four dates: a Last Purchase Date, a Last Ship Date, a Last Warranty Repair Date and a Planned Last Out-of-Warranty Repair Date. The Last Purchase Date defines the last date that a purchase order will be accepted for the above sunset products. The Last Ship Date is the last date for scheduled product deliveries. The Last Warranty Repair Date reflects the warranty period from the last ship date.

Finally, the Planned Last Out-of-Warranty Repair Date is the last date Cyclone will issue RMAs for sunset products. Our out-of-warranty support date is provided here for planning purposes only and is subject to revision yearly based on availability of parts and materials. The actual end date of out-of-warranty support will be announced no less than one year in advance.

Last Purchase Date: December 31, 2012

Last Ship Date: June 30, 2013

Last Warranty Repair Date: December 31, 2014

Planned Last Out-of-Warranty Repair Date: June 30, 2016

Nothing in this announcement affects Cyclone's in-warranty or out-of-warranty RMA procedures as posted on our web site www.cyclone.com.

The key to a successful product sunset is planning and communication. In order to assist with your program needs related to this product obsolescence, we need to learn of your requirements and work within the established time frames.

I look forward to working with you on any further 2800 Series FEP or FRU requirements. I can be reached by phone at 203-786-5536 or by email at peter.zackin@cyclone.com

Sincerely,

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