

Product End of Life Notice

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EB-GT-8ES-1EP, ET-5ES-IP67, ET-5RS-IP67 Products



Introduction

The EB-GT-8ES-1EP, ET-5ES-IP67 and ET-5RS-IP67 product lines were designed for rugged applications. Despite their continued value, given the availability of critical parts, it is necessary to discontinue these products.

This document describes the alternatives available and provides information on how their features compare with one another.

Timing

Red Lion Controls intends to honor the standard warranty obligation for this product when ordered and delivered in accordance with the following transition schedule:

September 2017

- Announcement to customers

Effective Immediately

- General availability of EB-GT-8ES, ET-5ES-IP67 and ET-5RS-IP67 switches ceases

Why is this transition taking place?

Availability of parts critical to the manufacture of the EB-GT-8ES, ET-5ES and ET-5RS are no longer available.

What happens to my current investment in EB-GT-8ES, ET-5ES and ET-5RS switches?

Maintaining excellent compatibility for easy and cost-effective transition is an important design criterion when designing next generation products. Red Lion Controls' broad portfolio of rugged Ethernet switches offers customers many options when considering a replacement - for MIL rated switches, the ET-8ES-MIL or ET-8EG-MIL, or for non-MIL IP-67 rated alternatives, our 100M12 unmanaged or our 700M12 managed product families.

However, in the case of the EB-GT-8ES-1EP, there is no recommended replacement, as Red Lion will no longer offer potted switches.

Please see **Appendix A** for a more detailed comparison of the recommended products.

When considering a suggested replacement, it's important to remember that feature sets and port count can vary between models. See datasheets and product manuals for detailed specifications.

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Appendix A

Comparison of Alternative Switch Options



Part Number	ET-8ES-MIL	ET-8EG-MIL	105M12	108M12	708M12	716M12
Managed/Unmanaged	Unmanaged	Unmanaged	Unmanaged	Unmanaged	Unmanaged	Unmanaged
Total Ports	8	8	5	8	8	16
10/100	8	0	5	8	8	16
10/100/1000	0	8	0	0	0	0
100 Fiber	0	0	0	0	0	0
Connector	D38999	D38999	M12 RJ-45	M12 RJ-45	M12 RJ-45	M12 RJ-45
Operating Temp (degC)	-40 to 75	-40 to 75	-40 to 80	-40 to 80	-40 to 80	-40 to 80
Power Input	10-30 VDC	18-30 VDC	10-30 VDC	10-30 VDC	10-30 VDC	10-30 VDC
IP Rating	IP67	IP67	IP67	IP67	IP67	IP67
MIL Standards	MIL-STD-810F, MIL-STD-461E MIL-STD-1275B	MIL-STD-810F, MIL-STD-461E MIL-STD-1275B				
Mounting-Case	Bulkhead-Aluminum	Bulkhead-Aluminum	Bulkhead-Metal	Bulkhead-Metal	Bulkhead-Metal	Bulkhead-Metal