



## END OF LIFE NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE

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| EOL Notification Procedure # | LCR-000869   |
| EOL Title                    | EOL notice for specific OPNs of NVIDIA ConnectX-5 VPI adapter cards & Auxiliary card |
| Customer                     | All  |
| Notice Date                  | Jan 02, 2021   |

Dear Customer,  
Effective immediately, NVIDIA Networking is announcing the manufacture discontinue and End of Life (EoL) of the products listed in Table 1.

Table 1: EoL'd Product Ordering Part Numbers (OPNs) and Replacement Product OPNs

| Discontinued Part Numbers | Marketing Description   | Last Supported Firmware Version |
|---------------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| MCX553Q-ECAS              | ConnectX-5 VPI adapter card with Multi-Host, EDR IB (100Gb/s) and 100GbE, Single-port QSFP28, PCIe3.0 x4 on board, external connectors to 3x auxiliary cards?, Short bracket              | fw-ConnectX5-rel-16_29_1016     |
| MCX553Q-ECAS-AK70         | ConnectX-5 VPI adapter card kit with Multi-Host, EDR IB (100Gb/s) and 100GbE, Single-port QSFP28, PCIe3.0 x4 on board, with 3x auxiliary cards, with 3x 70 CM PCIe cables, Short brackets | NA                              |
| MTMA4350-S                | Auxiliary card PCIe 3.0 x4 For Multi Host platforms, active re-timers, MINISAS-HD External Connector short bracket  | NA                              |

### Reason for Termination

Low market interest.

### Milestones

Table 2 lists the end-of-life milestones: last time buy date and last time ship date.

Table 2: End of Life Milestones

| Milestone                 | Definition   | Date         |
|---------------------------|--|--------------|
| Last Time Buy (LTB)* Date | The last date to order the product through an NVIDIA point-of-sale mechanism. The product is no longer for sale after this date. | Jun 30, 2022 |
| Last Ship Date            | The last possible ship date that can be requested of NVIDIA and/or its distributors. Actual ship date is dependent on lead time. | Dec 31, 2022 |

For more information, please contact your local account representative.

Regards,

NVIDIA Networking

\*Manufacture Discontinue and Last Time Buy Definition - As part of NVIDIA's EOL notification program, this notice serves as a formal communication of NVIDIA's intent to perform a Manufacture Discontinue (MD) of the products listed above and propose a Last Time Buy (LTB) date for each product. For the time between LTB, MD and EOL, emergency recovery and/or upgrades may be performed in accordance with customer-specific service plans or upgrade agreements, as negotiated prior to LTB.