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**3M™ Mini Serial Attached SCSI (miniSAS) Connector Cage Accessories
Discontinuation**

To Our 3M Authorized Distributors,

Due to low recent demand in combination with manufacturing tooling that is no longer capable of producing an acceptable product offering, 3M is discontinuing the Cage accessory offerings associated with the 3M™ Mini Serial Attached SCSI (miniSAS) Connector.

This discontinuation does not impact the 3M™ Mini Serial Attached SCSI (miniSAS) Connector and is only limited to the Cage accessory offerings.

What is being discontinued?

1. The following family of products are being discontinued. There will not be a Last Time Buy due to the tooling is no longer capable of producing an acceptable product offering.

3M Family of Products Discontinued include:

3M™ Mini Serial Attached SCSI (miniSAS) Connector Cage, 8C26-1XX00
3M™ Mini Serial Attached SCSI (miniSAS) Connector Cage, 8C26-2XX00
Specification Drawing: TS-2211

2. The following SKUs will be deactivated immediately.

3M SKU	SAP ID	3M Product Number
XE004226181		8C26-14000
XE004227213		8C26-1A000
XE004227221		8C26-1B000
XA007000590		8C26-1B000
XA007002836		8C26-1C000
XA007002869		8C26-1D000
XE004226215	7000009295	8C26-24400
XA007001234		8C26-2EE00

What actions and impact will this change have on purchase orders?

Immediately upon this notification, no orders will be accepted for any of the Deactivated SKUs or configurable offerings from the 3M™ Mini Serial Attached SCSI (miniSAS) Connector Cage 8C26-1XX00 and 8C26-2XX00 family of products.

What do I need to do?

Please update your listing of 3M products by removing all of the Deactivated SKUs.

Please act now to:

- Advise your sales and technical staff
- Update your website and systems as appropriate by removing the deactivated SKUs.

If you have questions relating to this notice please contact your 3M representative who will be pleased to help you; or visit our website at [3M.com/Interconnect](https://www.3m.com/Interconnect).

Thank you for your understanding and continued partnership with 3M.

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