

SALES RAMP-DOWN ANNOUNCEMENT

ACS255+B063

General purpose drive ACS255 +B063 – Indoor-rated UL Type 4X/IP66

The ABB life cycle management model is designed to manage an orderly transition to the new replacement products or to choose from various lifetime extending services. At the same time, the model ensures access to continuing support for our customers.



Life Cycle Status

ACS255+B068 (outdoor-rated) will replace ACS255+B063 (indoor-rated) as the standard UL Type 4X (IP66) version of the ACS255 micro drive.

ACS255+B063 product series is currently in Active phase according to the ABB life cycle model as shown in the previous diagram.

The ACS255+B063 will be transferred to the Classic life cycle phase on December 1, 2020.

The ACS255 is marketed only in North America.

Sales Ramp Down

The ramp-down of ACS255+B063 drives will begin September 2020 at the same time as the ramp-up of the B068 version begins. The ramping activities will end in November 2020 with inventory plan shifted to the B068 version. After that point we will no longer be ordering the B063 version for stock. It will be available for order until November 13, 2020 at full factory lead time. After which it will become obsolete and no longer available. This will include both variants of the ACS255 - with and without operator controls.

When the inventory of ACS255+B063 drives is exhausted, it will not be restocked.

Warranty replacement of ACS255+B063 drives will be made using ACS255+B068 drives once the inventory of B063 drives is exhausted. The form fit and function of the two drives are identical so no challenges should arise.

Further information

For more information on drives life cycle management and available services contact your local ABB organization or at www.abb.com/drives.