

December 21, 1994

Dear Customer:

In 1995 Altera will phase-out selected military PLDs previously acquired from Intel. Only those devices shown in Table 1 will be phased-out. ***All other existing Altera military devices -- members of the Classic, MAX 5000, MAX 7000, and FLEX 8000 families -- will continue to be supported.***

Functional equivalent options for these phased-out devices may exist from Altera or other PLD suppliers (also shown in Table 1). Additionally, Altera is investigating extended life suppliers from whom these devices could be purchased in 1996. The schedule for phase-out is:

Date for last order acceptance: June 30, 1995
Date for last Altera shipments: December 31, 1995

Table 1
Selected Former Intel Military Products to be Phased-Out

Intel Part (Altera Part)	Functional Equivalent Option	<u>Alternative Supplier</u>
MDPLD610 (EP610IDM883B)	EP610DM883B	Altera
MD5C090 (EP900IDM883B)	EP910DM-40	Altera
MDPLD910 (EP910IDM883B)	EP910DM-40	Altera
MD85C220 (EP220DM883B)	16V8	Most GAL suppliers (Lattice, AMD)

MD85C224 (EP224DM883B)	20V8	Most GAL suppliers (Lattice, AMD)
MDPLD22V10 (EP22V10DM883B)	22V10	Most GAL suppliers (Lattice, AMD, Cypress)
MD5AC312 (EP312DM883B)	Contact Altera	

Production capacity for the products being phased-out will be allocated based upon 1994 consumption. Please contact Altera by January 31, 1995 if you expect your final requirements to exceed your 1994 consumption. Please contact your local Altera Sales Representative if you require additional information regarding the changes described in this PDN.

Sincerely,

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