Production Discontinuance Bulletin

Select GPS-4000S Global Positioning System Sensors

Summary

Effective January 19, 2018, Rockwell Collins will discontinue production deliveries of some versions of the GPS-4000S due to obsolescence of key hardware components. The GPS-4000S part number 822-2189-100 is being introduced as a replacement and will be available starting May 15, 2017.

Am I affected?

The following parts will discontinue production starting on January 19, 2018.

Product	Part number	Replacement Type	Replacement P/N
GPS-4000S	822-2189-001	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-002	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-003	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-004	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-005	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-006	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-007	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-010	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100
GPS-4000S	822-2189-011	GPS-4000S	822-2189-100

Rockwell Collins will maintain a suitable balance of the obsolete non-procurable parts to continue to provide field support of the existing GPS-4000S units. Rockwell Collins will continue to provide the service and support you have come to expect, however, Rockwell Collins reserves the right to decline a request for service and/or a request for quote to repair the affected product when parts become unavailable. In addition, while Rockwell Collins may agree to attempt to repair a product, it does not guarantee the repair can be completed. In the event it is determined the product is beyond Rockwell Collins' repair capabilities the product will be returned in 'as-is' condition.

What are my options?

Orders for the existing GPS-4000S (-0XX) must be placed by January 6, 2017. Deliveries of the existing GPS-4000S will be made as parts are available. Due to the large number of customers using the existing GPS-4000S, Rockwell Collins will evaluate each order for impact on the ability to deliver product for forward fit application at aircraft OEMs. Rockwell Collins is committed to working with all customers to identify an efficient transition to the new GPS-4000S.

Upgrade to the GPS-4000S (-100), A Plug and Play Replacement

New purchase orders created after January 6, 2017 should be converted to the Rockwell Collins GPS-4000S (822-2189-100).

The GPS-4000S (-100) is a direct plug and play replacement for the existing GPS-4000S, alleviating the need to replace existing connectors, cables or antennas. Platform specific retrofit certifications from OEMs are required to undertake this path.

Upgrade existing GPS-4000S (-0XX) units to GPS-4000S (-100) via Service Bulletin

At this time, Rockwell Collins does not support intermixing -0XX units with -100 units. For dual GPS-4000S installations the operator must install two -100 units. To support this requirement, a service bulletin will be available to upgrade -0XX units to -100 units.

Contact Intertrade for used equipment

Rockwell Collins Intertrade, a buyer and seller of used equipment, may have used product available should any LRU be deemed un-repairable. For more information contact Rockwell Collins Intertrade at 1.319.378.3500, intertradesales@rockwellcollins.com, or on the web at http://www.rockwellcollins.com/intertrade/index.asp.



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