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Motor Business Division

[Important]

Notice of production discontinuation of Brushless Motors of B1 Series G Type, B2 Series G Type, B3 Series G Type, and B4 Series G Type

Due to the discontinuation of major components used in the products mentioned above, it has become difficult for us to continue supplying these products. After several consultations and discussions with our component suppliers, we have decided to discontinue the production of the models mentioned below. We hope for your understanding and cooperation.

■ Target Models

Control Types	Series/Types	Target Products	Model Numbers	Remarks
Speed Control	B1 Series G Type	Brushless Motors	All models that start with MBMC	Internal drive type
	B2 Series G Type	Brushless Motors	All models that start with MBME	Separate drive type
		Brushless Inverters	All models that start with MBDE	
Position Control	B3 Series G Type	Brushless Motors	All models that start with MBMP	Internal drive type
	B4 Series G Type	Brushless Motors	All models that start with MBME	Separate drive type
		Brushless Inverters	All models that start with MBDP	

The production of optional products will also be discontinued excluding models that have common components with other series.

Applicable gear heads are still compatible with alternative models.

■ Reason of discontinuation: Due to discontinuation of major components supply.

■ Date of Final Order and Last Production:

Final Order: by the end of March 2014

Last Production: by the end of September 2014

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■ About Repair Services:

Repair services will be finished by the end of September 2021. However, depending on the damage situation, stock condition and contents of repair, consultations may be required in advance.

■ Alternative Models for Replacement:

B1 series G type and B2 series G type can be replaced by the MINAS-BL GV series.

For B3 series G type and B4 series G type, we recommend MINAS-BL GP series.

Recommended model, MINAS-BL, is a separate drive type, which has different specifications, such as dimensions, installation sizes, and wiring.

For further information, please check the catalog and visit our website.

Website: http://industrial.panasonic.com/ww/e/25000/motor_fa_e/motor_fa_e.html

Discontinued Models		Recommended Alternative Models MINAS-BL	
B1 series G type	Internal drive type	GV series	Motor: MBMU****
	All models that start with MBMC		Amplifiers: MBEG***BCV
B2 series G type	Motor: All models that start with MBME	GV series	Motor: MBMU****
	Inverters: All models that start with MBDE		Amplifiers: MBEG***BCV
B3 series G type	Internal drive type	GP series	Motor: MBMU****B
	All models that start with MBMP		Amplifiers: MBEG***BCP
B4 series G type	Motor: All models that start with MBME	GP series	Motor: MBMU****B
	Inverters: All models that start with MBDP		Amplifiers: MBEG***BCP