



Product Change Notification

Date: August 21, 2013 (Correct December 2014: X=2014)
To: Eaton Electronics PowerStor Supercapacitor Customers
Subject: All Products Lot Code/Date Code Change

Eaton Electronics is changing its current lot and date code process to improve tracking on its Powerstor line of supercapacitors. The code structure being replaced utilizes the build date of the electrode inside the cells as the primary tracking number and is structured as **yyddd-n**, where **yy** = the year, **ddd** = three digit day of the year and **n** = daily lot number.

This code has been placed on all product packaging and, where space allows, printed on the part.

Additionally, a work week code was placed on the product packaging that corresponded to the time the product testing took place. The week code structure was **yww**, where **y** = a letter code for the year and **ww** = the work week.

This old lot and date code structure is being replaced with one that combines the electrode lot code and test date code into one "serial number" structure represented by **ywweddd-n**, where:

y = Year part is tested (e.g., W = 2013, X = 2014, etc)
ww = Work week the part is tested (1-52)
e = Year electrode is manufactured (e.g., V = 2012, W = 2013, etc.)
ddd = Serial day the electrode is manufactured (1-366)
n = Serial lot electrode lot number in the day

The new serial number lot and date code will be printed on all product packaging and, where space allows, the product.

The XV and XB Series parts will continue to have individual serial numbers as well as the lot/date code.

Smaller products may require the new lot and date code to be split into two lines. Where this occurs, the split will place **yww** on one line and **eddd-n** on the second.

Any inventory that may be in stock with the old lot and date code structure is still saleable and should not be returned.

The table on the next page details the specific PowerStor supercapacitor Series and the effective dates of this lot and date code change.

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Affected Products and Timing:

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| A Series, B Series, HB Series, HV Series, PA Series, PB Series, PHB Series, PHV Series, KR Series, KW Series (packing labels only) Custom Packs | Work week 36, Approximately Sep.1, 2013. |
| XB Series XV Series | Work week 40, Approximately October 1, 2013 |

Regards,

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