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## Product withdrawal Single-ended aluminum electrolytic capacitors from Xiamen

The production of EPCOS single-ended aluminum electrolytic capacitors will be discontinued in Xiamen, China. The withdrawal affects all ordering codes of the following series:

Ordering code
B41002*
B41004*
B41022*
B41041*
B41042*
B41043*
B41044*
B41046*
B41048*
B41827*
B41828*
B42002*
B42003*
B42004*

Ordering code
B42021*
B42022*
B43004*
B43041*
B43044*
B43081*
B43082*
B43083*
B43084*
B43086*
B43088*
B43827*
B43828*

All affected capacitors are being withdrawn without substitute types. In some cases, alternatives are available from our plant in Gravataí, Brazil, but can sizes and electrical parameters may differ. The following overview shows series with comparable technical characteristics:

Withdrawn series	Series with comparable technical characteristics from
from Xiamen, China	Gravataí, Brazil
B41827	B41821
B43827	B43821
B41828	B41851
B43828	B43851
B41002	No equivalent
B43002	
B41004	No equivalent
B43004	
B41022	No equivalent
B41041	B41851
B43041	B43851
B41042	No equivalent

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Withdrawn series from Xiamen, China	Series with comparable technical characteristics from Gravataí, Brazil
B41043	No equivalent
B41044	B41858
B43044	B43858
B41046	B41859
B41048	No equivalent
B43081	B43858
B43082	B43858
B43084	B43888
B43086	B43888
B43088	B43890
B42002	No equivalent
B42003	No equivalent
B42004	No equivalent
B42021	No equivalent
B42022	No equivalent

Deadline for last orders: Last shipments by: September 30, 2013 March 31, 2014

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