

## Product Change Notice (PCN)

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Date: 12/31/2025

Subject: End of Life GEN 1 ZM3's

Model(s) Affected:

D1577 Models	D1567 Models	D1548 Models	D1527
ZM3-C7332-XDC-567	ZM3-C7316-ZDC-523	ZM3-C7316-ZDC-542	ZM3-V7316-WDC-564
ZM3-C7316-XDC-577		ZM3-C7308-ZDC-571	
ZM3-V7316-XDC-559			

Component(s) Affected: COMX Module/CPU

Dear Valued Customer,

This notice serves to inform you that the Gen1 ZM3 models incorporating the Intel D1500 series boards are being discontinued and will no longer be available for future production obsolescence. ZMicro is actively evaluating alternative components to maintain compatibility with products affected above. Initial recommendations include:

*Transition to next gen ZM3. Please contact your sales representative for more information.*

We recommend you consider one of the following actions:

### Recommended Actions

#### 1. Do Nothing

- If no action is taken, any Gen1 ZM3 models will be rendered obsolete after **4/1/2026**. Future upgrades or support may not be available for these models.

#### 2. Initiate a Last-Time Buy

- If you wish to continue building Gen1 ZM3 models, we encourage you to initiate a last-time buy while supplies last. Please contact your sales representative as soon as possible to secure remaining inventory.

#### 3. Upgrade to the Suggested Replacement

- To ensure continued compatibility and access to advanced features, we recommend transitioning to the Next Gen ZM3 utilizing Intel 1700 series modules as the replacement for 1500 series modules. Contact our sales team to update your ZM3 model specifications and incorporate the next gen 1700 series modules into your systems. Our engineering team can support customers in testing these alternatives to ensure minimal disruption.

### Next Steps

Please contact your account representative or our sales department to discuss your preferred course of action.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. We are committed to supporting your business needs and ensuring a smooth transition.

## Key Dates

- End of Life: **1/6/2026**
- Last Time Buy: **4/1/2026**

## Warranty Statement

ZMicro will fulfill warranty replacement requests in accordance with existing coverage, contingent on inventory availability. Last time buy orders resulting from this notification include their standard warranty, contingent on inventory availability.

In instances where unforeseen circumstances hinder our ability to follow the standard notification or service process, warranty claims will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. ZMicro remains dedicated to delivering consistent and fair service throughout the warranty lifecycle.

If a direct replacement is not available, a functionally equivalent item may be substituted, or a prorated credit may be issued at ZMicro's discretion.