

Inverter – FR-E500

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EOL (End of Life) announcement for FR-E500 products

Dear all,

After a long and very successful sales period of almost nine years, we will officially replace the FR-E500 series by the already introduced and future-proof FR-E700 Inverter series.

This is caused by two reasons:

- The new products have already been available since the beginning (E720) or the end (E740) of last year.
- It is more and more difficult to get hardware components for the old E-series on the market

Mitsubishi Electric will phase-out the products FR-E520 (3~200V) and FR-E540 (3~400V) as follows:

EOL Product	Order no.	Suggested replacement articles	Replacement Order no.
		(not necessarily 100% compatible)	
FR-E 540-0,4 K EC	69197	FR-E740-016-EC	211955
FR-E 540-0,75 K EC	69198	FR-E740-026-EC	211956
FR-E 540-1,5 K EC	69200	FR-E740-040-EC	211957
FR-E 540-2,2 K EC	69201	FR-E740-060-EC	211958
FR-E 540-3,7 K EC	69204	FR-E740-095-EC	211959
FR-E 540-5,5 K EC	102942	FR-E740-120-EC	211960
FR-E 540-7,5 K EC	102943	FR-E740-170-EC	211961
FR-E520-0,2K	103871	FR-E720-0.2K	202361
FR-E520-0,4K	69684	FR-E720-0.4K	202362
FR-E520-0,75K	69682	FR-E720-0.75K	202363
FR-E520-1,5K	70552	FR-E720-1.5K	202364
FR-E520-2,2K	70553	FR-E720-2.2K	202365
FR-E520-3,7K	70554	FR-E720-3.7K	202366
FR-E520-5,5K	103931	FR-E720-5.5K	202367
FR-E520-7,5K	103952	FR-E720-7.5K	202368

FR-E520 (3~200V) and FR-E540 (3~400V) Phase out schedule:

End of Life notification	End of July 2008
Last date to place orders (LTB, last time buy)	End of July 2009
Last date for delivery to customer (LTD, last time delivery)	End of October 2009

End Of Repair (EOR)	End of July 2013
End of repair and maintenance of the units. No longer an internal demand to keep components etc. If we can we will of course repair the unit but it will not be for sure.	
End Of Service (EOS)	End of July 2015
End of all services on the unit and the know-how will be limited. No longer an internal demand that we should be able to provide After-sales services.	

Customer Action Requested:

Mitsubishi Electric will accept purchase orders for the above mentioned EOL products through LTB. They cannot be cancelled. Purchase orders after the LTB date will not be accepted.

The purchase order can be scheduled with different delivery dates through the LTD date.

No deliveries will be done after the LTD date.

Thank you for your immediate attention to this End Of Life notification. If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact your Mitsubishi Electric representative.

