



PM981a EOL Notification

Samsung has decided to announce the "EOL" of PM981a products in order to streamline our product portfolio and to concentrate on more advanced products. PM9A1 (PCIe Gen 4) will be replacement for high performance SSD. Our EOL execution schedule is as follows:

1. 31st MAR 2021*: *Revised as JEDEC Standards (6 months in between LBO ↔ LTS), formerly 3 months.
Samsung requests Non-Cancelable Last-time Buy Orders (LBO).

2. 30th SEP 2021:
Samsung will complete Last-Time Shipments of all PM981a products (LTS).

EOL Devices – PM981a Products

Capacity	End Item	Replacement
2TB	MZVLB2T0HALB-00*	MZVL22T0HBLB-00*
1TB	MZVLB1T0HBLR-00*	MZVL21T0HCLR-00*
512GB	MZVLB512HBJQ-00*	MZVL2512HCJQ-00*
256GB	MZVLB256HBHQ-00*	MZVL2256HCHQ-00*

Samsung would like to thank customers that used the PM981a over its long lifetime. We understand that the EOL could cause some problems due to redesign requirements and other issues. We hope that this timely notification allows you to complete most existing projects using your current designs and that a minimum of inconvenience is caused. Should you have special requirements, feel free to speak with your Samsung representative.

Thanks for your understanding and we look forward to working with you on other alternatives of Samsung's memory products.

Sincerely,
Memory Marketing Group / NAND Marketing
Samsung Electronics Co., LTD

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