TWN3 MINI READER MIFARE NFC

PRODUCT DISCONTINUATION NOTIFICATION

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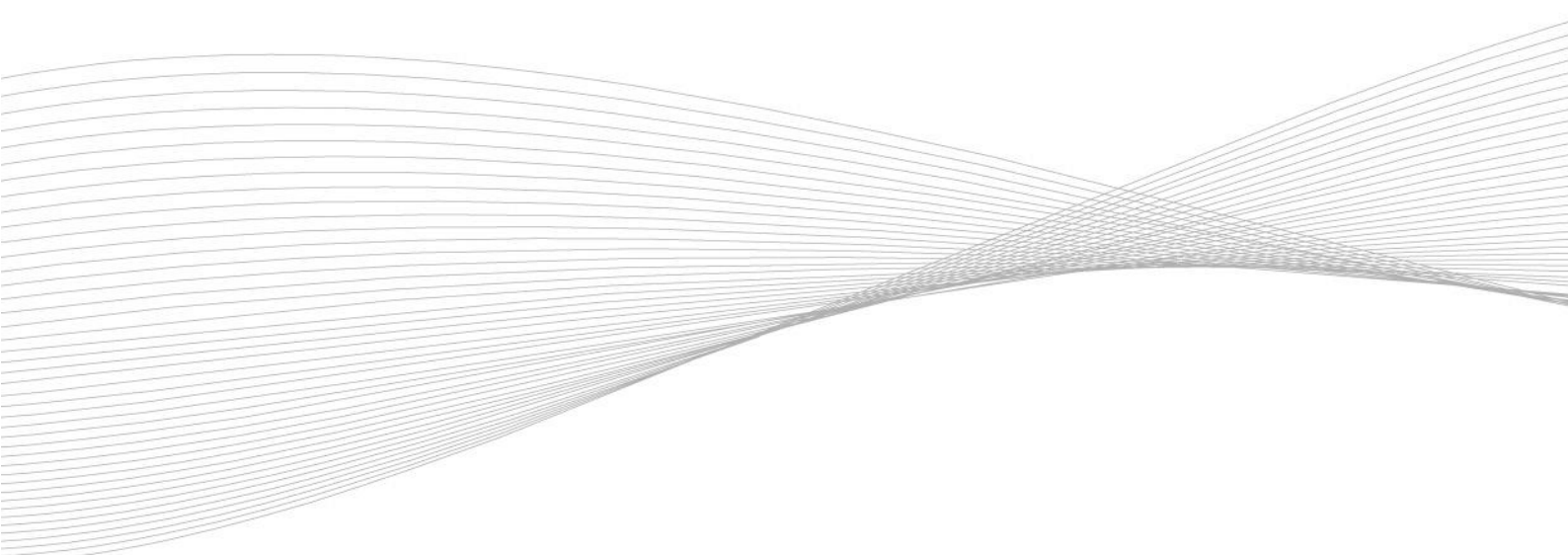DocRev: 1

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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1   DISCONTINUATION INFORMATION

This discontinuation notice informs, that ELATEC is discontinuing the manufacture of a number of products. All affected products and associated part numbers are listed in this document.

This notification is intended to inform our customers and partners, so they have the opportunity to respond and modify their product portfolio accordingly. Should you have any further questions regarding this product discontinuation, we stand ready to assist you at any stage, in order to minimize the impact of this product discontinuation on your business.

1.2   REVISION HISTORY

VERSION	CHANGE DESCRIPTION	EDITION
01	First edition	02/2022

2 PARTS AND PRODUCTS AFFECTED

The PDN comprises the entire family of TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC products. All product variants and derivates are affected, including customer-specific derivates. The common product name is TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC, with optional amendments to this name.

PART NUMBER	PRODUCT	FIRMWARE
T3MR-FC1	TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC C1	D/1.07
T3MR-FC2	TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC C2	D/1.07
T3MK-F	Development Kit Mini Reader MIFARE NFC	-

3 SUCCESSOR

The TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC series will be replaced with the successor TWN4 MINI READER MIFARE NFC.

Compared to its predecessor products in the TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC series, the successor TWN4 MINI READER MIFARE NFC firmware is based on the versatile TWN4 technology. The TWN4 MINI READER MIFARE NFC is pin compatible to its predecessor products in the TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC series, making the switch to the successor product easy. Furthermore, the form factor remains the same, the Powerful SDK can be used to develop apps that run directly on the reader.

In addition, the TWN4 MINI READER MIFARE NFC covers more technologies in the 13.56 MHz spectrum such as ISO15693. The optional -I option with an external Secure Access Module (SAM), can also be used to enable HID iCLASS technologies.

Below you will find the detailed view with the indication of the replacement product for your device:

PRODUCT	PART NUMBER	FIRMWARE	SUCCESSOR	PART NUMBER	FIRMWARE
TWN3 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC C1	T3MR-FC1	D/1.07	TWN4 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC	T4MR-F	D/B1.50/MCE4.07/ PRS1.04
Development Kit Mini Reader MIFARE NFC	T3MK-F	-	Development Kit TWN4 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC	T4MK-F	C/B1.06/MCF1.64/ PRS1.04
			TWN4 Mini Reader MIFARE NFC	T4MR-F-I	D/B1.50/MCE4.07/ PRS1.04

For more product information, availability and alternatives please contact your local sales team.

4 TIMELINE

Last time buy date

This date represents the last opportunity to place an order with ELATEC. All orders placed before and including the specified date will be accepted. All orders placed after this date will not be accepted, you will have to switch directly to the substitute product.

Last time delivery date

After this date, the specified discontinued products will no longer be shipped.

End of maintenance

Any maintenance or repair of the product no matter HW or SW will not be performed anymore after this date. Maintenance includes, but is not limited to the following operations:

- Fixing of small errors "bugs" in the SW (Non-Breaking Bugs)
- Implementation of new features and functions (mostly SW)
- Development / customization of SW and HW to maximize performance, stability and security

End of support

At the end of support date, all support of the product is no longer available. This includes, but is not limited to, immediate support to the partner or customer for technical issues in the field. Furthermore, support including technical assistance for existing or new installations. SLAs (Service Level Agreement) contracts are of course observed by ELATEC as long as they apply and until they expire.

DESCRIPTION	DATE
LAST TIME BUY DATE	30th of November 2022
LAST TIME DELIVERY DATE	Due to current chip allocation the last delivery date must be aligned individually
END OF MAINTENANCE	31st of July 2023
END OF SUPPORT	31st of July 2024

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