

## Product/Process Change Notifications



# PCN - 20 012 R1

Amphenol Information Communication and Commercial Products Group

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<b>Product Name:</b>	Metral High Speed and Metral		
	Metral High Speed and Metral - All Versions		
<b>Product Manager:</b>	Jibu Babu		
<b>Subject:</b>	Notification of Change with Immediate Effectivity		
<b>Distribution:</b>	All Customers		
<b>Type of Change:</b>	Materials Change		
<b>Change Description:</b>	As notified vide our PCN 20012 dtd March 11, 2020, GXT + is approved plating material for Metral High Speed and Metral all versions, meeting the product performance specifications. PCN20012 R1 revision is to notify that we will assign <b>"new Part numbers for GXT + plating products"</b> .		
<b>Reason for Change:</b>	<p><b>Reason for GXT+ plating introduction:</b> Palladium prices have increased significantly over the last several years causing drastic increase in cost of production. We are reviewing the current product pricing. To reduce the impact of palladium metal price spiral on the cost of production, we are implementing GXT+ plating in our process. Your approval for supplies with GXT+ plating will help to limit the product price increase.</p> <p><b>Reason for new Part numbers for GXT+ plating:</b> New Part numbers are assigned for GXT+ plating to ensure traceability in supply chain. See PCN20012R1 Affected parts.xls file , "Alternative Parts" column for new Part numbers.</p>		
<b>Affected Parts:</b>	See attached PCN20012 R1 Affected Parts.xls file		
<b>Effective Date of Change:</b>	May 31, 2020	<i>Note: PCN20012 R1 is revision to previous version PCN20012 dated March 11, 2020 for following changes.</i> 1. PCN20012R1 Affected parts.xls file - Removed 41 part numbers from previous release PCN20012 Affected Parts.xls file. 2. PCN20012R1 Affected parts.xls file - added Alternative Parts for GXT+ plating specification Parts.	
<b>Last Time Buy Date:</b>	NA		
<b>Last Disty Return Date:</b>	NA		
<b>Last Time Shipment Date</b>	NA		
<b>Datasheet Attached?</b>	Select		
<b>Qual/Test Data Attached?</b>	NA		
<b>Samples Availability Date:</b>	March	10	2020
<b>Available Alternatives?</b>	Select		
<b>Questions?</b>	<i>Contact your local AICC Representative, or Product Manager</i>		
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Note:

Customers should contact Product Manager (or their local AICC Representative) directly regarding any concern on the PCN. Lack of any such customer feedback within three weeks of PCN release date will be interpreted as non-objection .