

Kantech KT-300 Controller End of Manufacture (EoM) Notification

Notification Date: February 21, 2022

Dear Customer,

This letter serves as an official notification that, Johnson Controls is ceasing the manufacturing of the Kantech KT-300EU Access controller range at the beginning of April 2022. After that time inventory will be available until stock is depleted (service stock will be maintained separately).

KT-300EU Lifecycle Milestones	Effective Date
End of Manufacture – date when the last new unit will be produced at our manufacturing facilities	April 5, 2022
End of Sale – date that new stock will no longer be available. Service stock will continue.	Estimated to be August 1, 2022 but is dependent on stock availability
End of Support – last formal day of technical support, critical firmware patches, and repair services. After this date we will make best efforts to provide support and repair services.	April 5, 2027

We don't leave customers behind,

In September 2021, Kantech announced the availability of the KT-2 Two Door Controller which not only support the same KT-300 functionality but provides many more additional security advantages.

KT-2 Ethernet two-door controller supports four readers (EP8.50) and can be configured in two user friendly operational modes. The KT-2 Standalone Mode offers basic two-door/two reader security using a simple web browser without the need to connect to a host system. Alternatively, KT-2 can be used with the powerful EntraPass Security Management Software (v8.40 and higher) to provide more advanced and fully integrated access control features such as Wi-Fi connection.

To support an easy migration from KT-300 to the KT-2 controller, Kantech provides a retroactive conversion plate to easily replace KT-300 PCB but keep cabinet and cables in place. Entrapass provides an easy migration tool to convert the KT-300 configuration into a KT-2 configuration so that there is no need to reconfigure the new controllers.

Below is the list of full model numbers being phased out with the recommended replacement models. Service parts, such as replacement power supplies and connector kits, will be available for the duration of the support period, subject to availability.

Part numbers affected	Replacement
KT-300EU-8K	KT-2-EU-MET
KT-300EU-56K	KT-2-EU-MET
KT-300PCB128	KT-2-PCB-EU
KT-300PCB512	KT-2-PCB-EU
KT-300-ACC	N/A
TYCO-A-ACCESS	KT-2-CAB-PSU
KT-LOCK	N/A
KT-TAMPER	N/A
KT-300FLASH	N.A

KT-300 Migration mounting plate

Part numbers	Replacement
KT-2-MP	Metal mounting plate for migration of KT-300 and KT-200 with KT-2 Controller

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you; however, we are confident that the Kantech KT- controller portfolio will more than satisfy your needs. Kantech teams are prepared to assist you to ensure a smooth transition. If you would like to discuss any of the above, please do not hesitate to contact your Kantech Area Sales Manager.

Yours Sincerely,

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