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# Software 83, 85 and 87 for P543 and P545 End-of-Manufacturing Notice

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# Background

GE Grid Solutions is committed to customer care and the support of our products. As part of this commitment, GE strives to design high quality products, provide knowledge-based support, and to communicate the availability of new features or products as well as the pending discontinuation of manufacturing for older products or design variants.

On May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021, GE Grid Solutions announced the discontinuation of the manufacturing and sale of **Software 83, 85 and 87 for P543 and P545.** 

On January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022, the alternatives for **Software 85 and 87 for P543 and P545** were updated. On December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022, the alternatives were expanded to include P54 Software AA. This notice does not apply to any other model not explicitly listed.

#### **Last-Time Buy Window**

Please plan the purchase of any additional or spare devices that you feel you may need. Orders should be placed prior to the last order date shown. **Orders will be fulfilled based upon availability** and products typically ship within three months of the last order date. Requests for delayed shipments must be agreed with our factories prior to order acceptance.

PRODUCT	LAST ORDER DATE	ALTERNATIVE
P543 and P545 Software 83	30 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	P54 Software AA or P543, P545 Software 91 or P54C/E Software 91 (subcycle)
P543 and P545 Software 85	30 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	<b>P54 Software AA</b> or <b>P543, P545 Software 91</b> or <b>Software 92</b> (IEC61850 Ed 1/2)
P543 and P545 Software 87	30 <sup>th</sup> October 2022	<b>P54 Software AA</b> or <b>P543, P545 Software 91</b> or <b>Software 92</b> (IEC61850 Ed 1/2)

### Support

GE's warranty provision is unaffected by this End-of-Manufacturing Notification. After the published last order date elapses, a repair service follows for products no longer under warranty subject to material availability that includes repairing failed components or modules, but not to providing advanced replacements or a new product or module as a replacement or spare.

Customers should contact GE if they need further information concerning the level of service that is provided on a per product basis.

## **For Additional Information**

If we can provide assistance with migration to new products, please contact us for help. Advice and assistance are also available via: <u>http://www.gegridsolutions.com/contact.htm?loc=3</u> or <u>http://www.gegridsolutions.com/multilin</u>