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**PRODUCT BULLETIN**  
**2005-02**

**PRODUCT IMPACT:**

2.5 oz. (70.85 g) average insertion force PGA Sockets

**DATE:**

August 26, 2005

**PART NUMBER SERIES:**

KS (in PGA configurations only), FS, CS, and HCS Series

**TYPE:**

Discontinuation

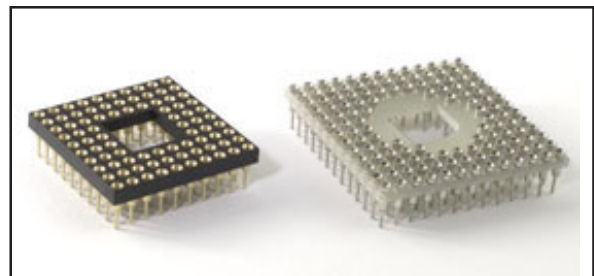
In an effort to consolidate our product offerings where direct replacements already exist, all 2.5 oz. (70.85 g) average insertion force PGA Sockets will be phased out over the next few months.

This product change affects:

Peel-A-Way® KS Series (PGA only, not KS  
DIP Sockets)

FR-4 FS Series

Molded CS and HCS Series



Examples of molded and FR-4 2.5 oz.  
ave. insertion force PGA Sockets.

Customers will be instructed to use our standard 1 oz. (28.34 g) average insertion force PGA Sockets as a direct replacement (Peel-A-Way KIS Series, FR-4 FIS Series, and the new RIS Series featuring our high temperature molded LCP insulators). All three insulators have been approved for use in the higher temperature profiles, required by new lead-free (RoHS) processing. For RoHS (lead-free) applications, select non-lead terminal and contact plating options - see product data sheets and our web site for complete plating option specifications.

Any existing stock of 2.5 oz. (70.85 g) average insertion force PGA Sockets is still valid and usable in any non-RoHS Compliant application.

In certain applications, where higher insertion forces are required, custom part numbers may be assigned.



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