

Microsemi Corporation

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Product/Process Change Notification: PCN17031

Change Classification: Minor

Subject: Libero Design Suite Software—Discontinuation of support for Linux RHEL 5.0 through RHEL 6.5 and CentOS 5.0 through CentOS 6.5 operating systems

Description of Change:

Microsemi SoC will discontinue support for Linux RHEL 5.0 through RHEL 6.5 and CentOS 5.0 through CentOS 6.5 OS for Libero SoC and Libero SoC PolarFire software, for all releases after December 2017.

Reason for Change:

Microsemi continuously monitors the operating system (OS) versions and computer architectures in demand by our customers. We are updating the support platforms of Libero SoC to align with the timelines of Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) versions being offered by hardware vendors. The support for RHEL 5.0 through RHEL 6.5 and CentOS 5.0 through CentOS 6.5 OS will be discontinued effective January 1, 2018, and RHEL 6.6 will become the baseline OS for all new Libero SoC releases.

Application Impact:

No impact on the Libero SoC software releases until end December 2017. Releases beginning January 1, 2018 will not support these platforms, and users will need to move their affected Linux PC or server OS to the following:

- RHEL 6.6 or above versions
- RHEL 7
- CentOS 6.6 or above versions
- CentOS 7

Method of Identifying Changed Product: The Libero SoC PolarFire or Libero SoC software versions released after January 1, 2018.

Products Affected by this Change:

Effective January 1, 2018, the Linux platform support for the following license part numbers will be affected across all Libero SoC and Libero SoC PolarFire software.

LIB-G-F-1YR	LIB-WIN-F-1YR
LIB-G-F-R-1YR	LIB-WIN-F-R-1YR
LIB-G-INCR-F-1YR	LIB-WIN-SA-F
LIB-INCR-F-WIN	LIB-WIN-SA-F-INCR
LIB-PL-F-10YR	LIB-WIN-SA-F-R

Production Shipment Schedule:

N/A

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Regards,

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