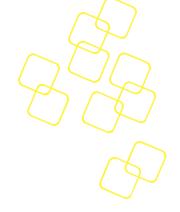


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Product Change Notification

Key Characteristics of the Change

Intel® Pentium® N4200, Celeron®N3350 CPU stepping conversion to F-1 stepping.

Description of Change to the Customer

Intel transite the **D-0** stepping of the Intel® Atom® Processor E3900 Series to **F-1**. Intel transite the **B-1** stepping of the Intel® Celeron® N4200 and Celeron® N3350 Processors to **F-1**. The new F-1 stepping will be physically and electrically drop in compatible, but suggest to revise CPU microcode. For more detail, please refer to **Intel PCN-117143-00/ PCN116716-01**.

Due to this change, Advantech Embedded SBC products MIO-2360/ PCM-9563/MIO-5350 will revise adopted CPU to new stepping with necessary changes and sufficient tests.

Customer Impact of Change and Recommended Action

Impact on hardware design: No

Impact on BIOS changes: Yes*, require BIOS version change (microcode update)

Impact on software design: No

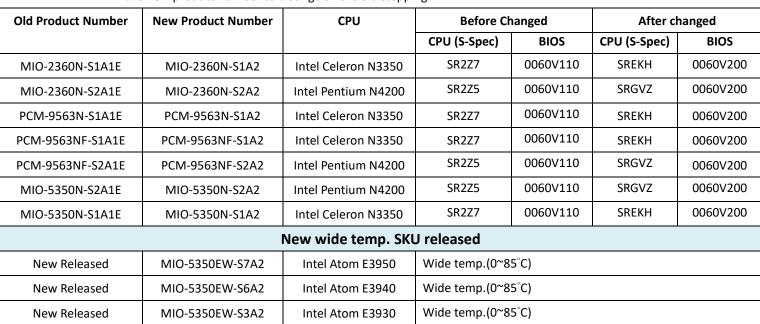
Impact on mechanical & thermal: No



Impact on ordering part number: Yes



Will have new product number to distinguish the old stepping.



^{*}As Intel PCN-116009-00 mentions, the original BIOS with C-0/D-0 stepping microcode may also work with F-1 stepping processors but this combination has not been validated and Intel recommends user to update microcode.

For standard part number user:

Suggest customer test new board with F-1 stepping CPU and updated BIOS version.

For T-part number user:

Suggest customer test new board with F-1 stepping CPU and updated BIOS version. If your T-P/N contain a customized BIOS, please issue the request to sales/FAE to get a new customized BIOS based on new BIOS version (microcode updated).

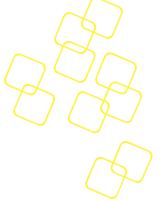
Once customer confirm the changes, please send a confirmation email to sales and we would apply a new T-P/N to distinguish with stepping change.

If customer need more time to validate new version, please place order before effective date with necessary quantities.

Effective Date

Part Number Type	Effective Date	Cut-in type	Last-Time-Buy
Standard Part Number	now	Running change	Not available
T-Part Number	30 th , Nov.,2020	Start from new order	Not available*1

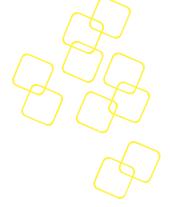
^{*1} Please contact Advantech sales for alternative and do the last time buy plan.





Last-Time-Buy and Last-Shipment

No LTB and LS available





Reference

Intel PCN116716-01/ PCN117143-00



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