

CHANGE NOTIFICATION



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Dear Sir/Madam:

PCN# 093013

Subject: Notification of Top Mark Improvement for QFN (6X6) package from Ink Mark to Laser Mark

Please be advised that as a part of our continuous quality improvement program we will be converting the top mark for QFN (6X6) package from ink top mark to laser top mark. Please see attached an example of the ink top mark and laser top mark. Laser mark is more uniform, consistent and has better through put in assembly as compare to ink mark. Besides this change, no functional, parametric, mechanical, or datasheet specifications are affected and the component bill of materials remains unchanged. Similarly, there are no changes associated with the package footprint, PCB layout or product top marking layout, so the customer applications will be unaffected. The effective datecode of the products with laser top mark will be 1340.

Please note that the customer may receive products with either ink mark or laser mark until the products with ink mark are depleted.

Should you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at 408-432-1900 ext. 2077, or by e-mail at JASON.HU@linear.com.

Sincerely,

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Current marking(Ink mark)



New marking (Laser mark)

