

September 8, 2006

Dear SGI Customer:

I am writing to advise you that production of new SGI® Altix® 3700 Bx2 Servers and SGI® Altix® 350 Servers will cease as of December 31, 2006 for these servers. Effective this date, the associated marketing codes will be removed from the SGI Price Book. Please refer to the attachment, which lists the systems and marketing codes that will be affected by this announcement. The intent of this communication is to inform you of changes to production, availability of product and how this will affect the service and support you currently receive for these listed products.

Once production terminates, SGI cannot guarantee the availability of new material. You may have the option of purchasing these products through our Remanufactured Products Division. These systems will be offered on an "as available" basis, and may be wholly or partly comprised of used or refurbished components. Please contact your local sales representative for more information.

SGI is committed to protecting your investment. While our baseline policy is to support our products for five years after end-of-production [EOP], our goal is to support products as long as customers desire such support and as long as it's economically viable. To that end, SGI Technology Solutions has implemented a comprehensive process for establishing end-of-support [EOS] for our products. The projected end-of-support date for SGI Altix 3700 Bx2 Servers and SGI Altix 350 Servers is currently December 31, 2011. SGI service capabilities for end-of-production products are reviewed annually and every effort is made to extend support whenever possible beyond our baseline policy. This process has enabled us to extend our support time well beyond industry expectations.

SGI's current end-of-support dates for all products are made available to contract customers and can be viewed through your SGI Supportfolio account at <https://support.sgi.com>. Please reference this website for updates to EOS dates pertaining to your products.

SGI will comply with the European Union [EU] directive on the Restriction on use of Hazardous Substances in Electronic Equipment [RoHS]. New SGI® Altix® 4700 servers and SGI® Altix® 450 servers systems shipping into the EU after 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2006 are compliant with the RoHS directive. Certain of SGI's older products are not certified under the new regulations and therefore are not available for shipment into the EU after 1<sup>st</sup> of July 2006. The provision of spare parts is exempted under the RoHS Directive and thus maintenance and support arrangements for older products are not affected. For more information, visit [http://www.sgi.com/company\\_info/environment/rohs.html](http://www.sgi.com/company_info/environment/rohs.html).

For more information about SGI hardware upgrades, trade-ins, and our newest line of system products, please contact your local sales office or visit our Corporate Web site, [www.sgi.com](http://www.sgi.com), for more details.

Thank you for your business, and we look forward to supporting you through this product transition.

Sincerely,

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Terry Oberdank  
Vice President, SGI Technology Solutions



## ALTIX 3700 BX2

**End of Production Date**  
**12/31/06**

LSB-BX2-32P-MB  
 LSB-BX2-64P-MB  
 LS37B-CRBK-8-95  
 LS37B-CRBK-8-96  
 LS37B-CRBK-8-97  
 LSB-3700  
 LSB-BX2-32P  
 LSB-BX2-64P  
 LSB-DOOR-AC  
 LSB-DOOR-WC  
 LSB-EXP-RACK  
 LSB-IXBRICK-IO9  
 LSB-PABRICK  
 LSB-PXBRICK  
 LSB-3700-OPT  
 LSB-PWRBAY-3PS  
 LSB-PWRBAY-6PS  
 LSB-MBRICK1.2  
 LS-MEM-16G-B  
 LS-MEM-4G-B  
 LS-MEM-8G-B  
 LS-NL4R-DC

## ALTIX 350

**End of Production Date**  
**12/31/06**

LS-BASE-A350-C  
 LS-NUMA-A350-D  
 LS-NUMA-A350-S  
 LS-SYS-A350  
 LS-EXP-CMPX-C  
 LS-EXP-CPU-C  
 LS-OPT-A350  
 LS-OPT-NUMA-A350-D  
 LS-OPT-NUMA-A350-S  
 UPG-CPU-BASE-SATA  
 UPG-CPU-BASE-SCSI  
 UPG-CPUFAN  
 LS-CPU-A350-95  
 LS-CPU-A350-96  
 LS-CPU-A350-97  
 LS-BASEIO-SATA  
 LS-BASEIO-SCSI  
 LS-MEM-A350-2G  
 LS-MEM-A350-4G  
 LS-MEM-A350-8G  
 LS-SATADRV-250GB  
 LS-SCSIDRV-146GB  
 LS-SCSIDRV-300GB  
 LS-SCSIDRV-36GB  
 S-RACK-A350  
 T-RACK-A350  
 RPS-A350  
 DVD-2U-INT  
 LS-NL4R-AC  
 LS-EXP-PA-IO  
 RM-KIT-2U  
 RM-KIT-2U-I  
 RM-KIT-2U-3P  
 RM-KIT-ROUTER  
 RM-KIT-ROUTER-I  
 RM-KIT-SHELVES  
 RM-KIT-SHELVES-I  
 RM-KIT-PE-3P  
 RAKPWRAUS  
 RAKPWREURO  
 RAKPWR220V  
 RAKPWR115V  
 UPG-RAKPWR220V  
 UPG-RAKPWRAUS  
 UPG-RAKPWREURO  
 CBL-SATA-SERIAL  
 HU-RAKPWR

