**PRODUCT CHANGE NOTIFICATION** 

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Ethernet improvements for Septentrio AsteRx-m3 and AsteRx-i3 product line.

# **Product Change Notification**

ECN type	Permanent change
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Content of changes	Ethernet improvements for Septentrio OEM AsteRx-m3 and AsteRx-i3
	product's line
End Date	
For Distribution to	All OEM Boards customers
Product Affected	All OEM Boards variants
Supplier	Septentrio
Urgency	URGENT
Additional information	

Dear Customer,

Septentrio announces improvements on the Ethernet stability at low temperature. The change is applicable to the OEM boards AsteRx-m3 and AsteRx-i3 product family.

This is a rolling change that will be implemented starting from May 27<sup>th</sup> 2024.

For additional information on Septentrio products and latest firmware, please contact your local sales representative (sales@septentrio.com) or the Customer Support Portal at https://www.septentrio.com/en/support.

Best Regards François Freulon Head of Product Management

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# **1** Reasons and explanation for the engineering change

#### **1.1 Description:**

The change addresses corner cases of suboptimal communication over the Ethernet interface, e.g. minimizing packet losses at low temperatures or in specific setups.

The change is related to a component's change on the AsteRx-m3 and AsteRx-i3 OEM boards.

The component change will be integrated in the next production of the AsteRx-m3 and AsteRx-i3 OEM boards.

For the stock units, the component change will be done manually and the traceability of this change will be mentioned by adding a white label on the OEM boards' shield as describe below:



For the next production of the AsteRx-m3 and AsteRx-i3 OEM boards, the HW revision of the OEM boards will be increased to identify this BOM change.

### **1.2** Impacted products.

Short Description	
All AsteRx-m3 Boards	
All AsteRx-i3 Boards	

#### 1.3 Validity

This is a rolling change that will be implemented starting from May 27<sup>th</sup> 2024.