

# PRODUCT CHANGE NOTIFICATION

## MAGNETICS

### Bourns® Model RLB1008-270M and RLB1008-270M3 Radial Lead Inductors

#### *Marking Method Change*

Riverside, California – July 30, 2021 – Effective December 5, 2021, Bourns will change the marking method for the Model RLB1008-270M and RLB1008-270M3 Radial Lead Inductors from ink printing to embossed molding. The new process will eliminate the use of ink material to facilitate compliance with the mandatory national standards of the People’s Republic of China which limits the use of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in printing ink.

#### Affected Part Numbers

RLB1008-270M

RLB1008-270M3

**Current Ink Printing**



**New Embossed Molding**



The fit and function of the inductor remain unchanged. The form of the component will change due to the adoption of the embossed molding process. The quality and reliability of the marking on the inductor will be improved. The quality and reliability of the inductor itself should not change as a result of the adoption of the embossed molding process.

**Implementation dates are as follows:**

Date that manufacturing of ink printing products will cease: ***December 4, 2021***

Date that deliveries of embossed molding products will begin: ***December 5, 2021***

First date code using the above changes: ***2149***

*If you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to [contact Customer Service/Inside Sales](#).*

*Users should verify that the described changes will not impact the performance of the product in their specific applications.*

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