

CN Information

Change Notice Information Announcement

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RED Flag Notice Time to End of Commercialization: 10 Months

Note: The red flag notification signals an **obsolescence**, withdrawal or discontinuation of a product.

Product Name(s): MiniBreak™

Product Line Description: MiniBreak™ Switch – 5.5 KV, 200 A and associated accessories

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Description of Change:

End of commercialization for MiniBreak Switch Offer with below part numbers:

HVMB305200: Load break switch, MiniBreak, 200A, Type E, 5kV, outdoor and indoor

HVMB305200U: Load break switch, MiniBreak, 200A, 5kV, outdoor and indoor

HVMO30502UL: MiniBreak OEM Switch, 5KV, 200A (UL)

Accessories

HVMX1 : HVL AUX SWITCH KIT 1-N. O+1-N.C. CONTACT

HVMK1 : HVL ADAPTER KIT FOR PRVSNS.FOR LOCK OPEN ONLY

HVMH1 : MINIBREAK STRIP HEATER KIT 100 W @ 120V

HVMH2: MINIBREAK STRIP HEATER KIT WITH THERMOSTAT 100 W @ 120 V

HVMSA3: MINI BREAK LIGHTNING ARRESTOR KIT 3KV DIST CLASS (SET of 3)

HVMSA6: MINI BREAK LIGHTNING ARRESTER KIT 6 kV

HVMOB1: OEM BARRIER KIT MINIBREAK, UNFUSED

HVMOB2: OEM BARRIER KIT MINIBREAK, UNFUSED

HVMOFK52: MINIBREAK OEM FUSE KIT 5KV CS-3 & EJO-1

HVMOK1: KEY INTERLOCK PROV W/OUT KEY

HVMOX1: AUXILIARY SWITCH 1 N/O 1 N/C

Inventory Disposition and Return Policy:

Obsolete MiniBreak Switches and accessories will be sold through the end of commercialization. At that time SE may scrap or negotiate sale of any existing inventory at their discretion. No returns will be accepted beyond Last-Buy date. Standard warranty will apply on all products sold, and SE may provide replacement product to satisfy any valid warranty claims beyond end of commercialization date.



MiniBreak Switch
Enclosure with Door
(Class 6042)



MiniBreak Switch
Interior Showing Fuses
(Class 6042)

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Critical Dates

Last Buy:	Product Support Ends:	Availability Date of New Product:	End of Commercialization
03/31/2026	09/30/2031	NA	09/30/2026

Transition Tools:

Sales Team is responsible for notifying customers of this product withdrawal. This will be the only notice.

Online Tools – Product Selection & Order:

The possibility to select/ order MiniBreak Switch and its accessories is available in the tools until Last-Buy date.

[MiniBreak Load Break Switch | Schneider Electric USA](#)

[HVL Switchgear | Schneider Electric USA](#)

Definition of Dates:

- Last buy** shall be the last date that we will accept a PO. This date shall take into account the lead time to build the product as well as current inventory levels.
- Product support** shall be 1-5 yr beyond end of commercialization or last buy whichever the latter.
- Availability date of new product** is when the new products are expected to be orderable.
- End of commercialization (EOC)** if made to stock; this date will be before the last buy date (taking into account the build / shipping lead time as well as current inventory levels). If made to order; this date will equal the last buy date.

Note: Our factories have limited capacities for products going obsolete. Product availability will be set on a first come first serve basis.

Obsolescence Overview

Effective 31st March 2026, Schneider Electric will discontinue the Minibreak switch offering. This decision is part of our ongoing commitment to streamline our product portfolio and align with evolving market needs and technological advancements.

The Minibreak switch, known for its compact design and reliable performance in 5 kV applications, will no longer be available for new orders. Support for existing installations will continue through Schneider Electric Services beyond September 2026.

To ensure continuity and enhanced performance, we recommend transitioning to the HVL Switchgear Offer as a potential alternative. The HVL Switch offers:

- Broader voltage and current ratings (up to 38 kV and 1200 A)
- Enhanced protection features with integrated power fuses
- Robust design suitable for demanding indoor and outdoor applications
- Compliance with latest ANSI and IEEE standards

Note: HVL (5kV, 600 A) is not a direct replacement in terms of features, pricing, lead time etc.

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We encourage you to begin evaluating your current installations and future projects to ensure a smooth migration and appreciate your understanding and continued partnership. Schneider Electric remains committed to delivering safe, reliable, and innovative solutions for your medium-voltage needs.

Our Services team is available for support.

Contact:

Questions about obsolete product and technical assistance or transition planning should be directed to your local Schneider Electric Field Sales Office.

MiniBreak™