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Tritech Announces the Product Retirement Plan for the StarFish 450 Series Sidescan Products

This announcement is formal notification of Tritech International Ltd's retirement of the StarFish 450 Sidescan series of products. It should be noted that this does not affect the other StarFish products supplied and serviced through Tritech International. The following product numbers are encompassed by this announcement:

Part No.	Description
BP00017	StarFish 450F Towed System (Core Pack)
BP00018	StarFish 450F Sonar Head (20m fixed cable)
BP00066	StarFish 450H Hull Mount System (5m Cable)
BP00090	StarFish 450H Hull Mount System (20m Cable)
BP00082	450H Hull-Mount Transducer (5m Cable)
BP00092	450H Hull Mount Transducer (20m Cable)
BP00235 50M	50m cable including in-line Souriau connector

Reason for Retirement:

The 450 series of StarFish Sidescan products are obsolete and have been superseded, as a result Tritech are withdrawing the products from sale. Tritech will no longer maintain a stock of parts or finished units and as such future service and repair work will be subject to availability and lead time of component parts. The timeline for retirement of the product is detailed below.

Retirement Time Line:

Stage	Meaning	Date
Final Time of Sale	After this date, no further new orders for this product will be accepted.	Immediate
Final All Parts Availability	Up to this date all parts will continue to be available for internal and external spares, service and repair orders. After this date availability of service and common repair parts cannot be guaranteed.	
Limited Service Parts Availability	After this date items specific to these part numbers will no longer be manufactured or purchased. Service work will no longer be supported and any repairs will be subject to the availability of parts.	01 February 2022
Final Support	After this date, Tritech will no longer guarantee to offer technical support.	

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Replacement/Alternative Product:

The StarFish 450 Sidescan products have been superseded by the StarFish 452 and 992 series of products. Please contact your normal sales channel for details and availability of the replacement models.

If you have any questions regarding this announcement, please do not hesitate to contact Tritech International Ltd. at tritech-support@moog.com or through your normal sales channel.