

Dear Customer,

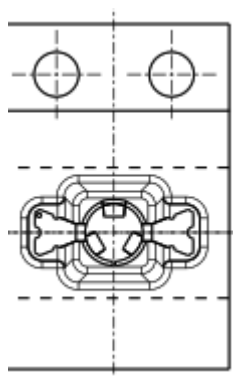
Re: Product change notification for Harwin product.

There has been a change to the tape pocket design on the following products:

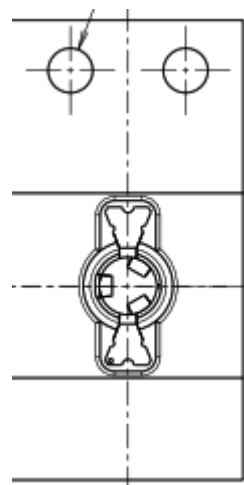
Part Number	Tape Width change	Technical Drawing
S9111-45R	From 12mm to 16mm	https://content.harwin.com/m/2d62dc5e5c4be546/original/DRG-02694-Technical-Drawing-Datasheet-S9111R-pdf.pdf
S9121-45R	From 12mm to 16mm	https://content.harwin.com/m/70cd4d27f5204ee1/original/DRG-02704-Technical-Drawing-Datasheet-S9121R-pdf.pdf
S9131-45R	From 12mm to 16mm	https://content.harwin.com/m/270d1f232a7b6264/original/DRG-02703-Technical-Drawing-Datasheet-S9131R-pdf.pdf
S9141-45R	From 12mm to 16mm	https://content.harwin.com/m/2aea749f5b91459c/original/DRG-02705-Technical-Drawing-Datasheet-S9141R-pdf.pdf

Please see the latest Technical Drawing following the links above.

The contacts have changed orientation in the tape:



Old pocket orientation



New pocket orientation

This revised packaging method has been tested and continues to meet the EIA-481 requirements. The Sycamore Contact sockets are not affected and remain unchanged.

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This packaging improvement minimises the risk of these miniature low-profile contacts turning or twisting within the pocket - increasing assembly efficiency.

All new and existing orders at Harwin for S9111-45R product will be supplied in the new tape and reel packaging. Reels with the new orientation pockets will be clearly labelled for a minimum of 12 months. Using the new orientation will require a change to your Pick/Place machine setup.

Harwin are keen to enable a smooth transition from the existing pocket design to the new design. As a precautionary measure, we will be contacting our Distribution partners to remove and replace current stock.

In the remote chance that you experience an issue with component orientation on the previous pocket design, please contact the Distributor where the product was purchased. You will be able to request a replacement for your existing stock.

Tape on the other 3 sockets will be changed in due course, with the same labelling and stock return conditions.

If you have any further questions regarding this letter, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully,

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