

# 6-Series Discontinuation Schedule

## YSI PLAN FOR 6-SERIES PHASE OUT AND FUTURE SUPPORT






During the early 1990's, YSI introduced what became our most significant product line to date - the 6-Series environmental monitoring sondes. Over the past two decades what started as a single sonde product evolved into something far greater - over 28 varieties of 6-Series instrumentation to meet the needs of customers across the globe.

Ultimately, the success of our legacy sondes pushed us to take our instrumentation to a new level. In 2012, YSI's EXO sonde platform launched, incorporating new technology and twenty years of user feedback into the next leap forward in water quality monitoring. Much like the 6-Series platform, EXO will grow and evolve to meet the needs of our customers for years to come.

Looking to the future, our team understands the challenges of transitioning to a new sonde platform. YSI will continue to sell, and more importantly, support 6-Series instrumentation for as long as possible in order to ease this transition. However, certain components used to manufacture 6-Series are no longer available. As a result we must plan to discontinue certain products over the next few years.

PRODUCT								
YEAR	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	
600 XL-V2	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	
600 XLM-V2	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	
600 QS	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	
6500	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support	Support	Support	
6600 EDS	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	
6820	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	
6920	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	
600 XLM	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
600 XL	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
600 R	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
6600	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
6820V2	Support	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
6600V2	Support	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
600 LS	Support	Support	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
600 OMS	Support	Support	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
650 Handheld	Support	Support	Support	Discontinued	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support
6920V2	Support	Support	Support	Support	Discontinued	Support	Support	Support

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Discontinued	Support	Support (If components can still be sourced.)

# FAQ's: 6-Series Discontinuation

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## **Q: How long will you be providing support for 6-series products?**

A: YSI is committed to supporting 6-series products through 2020, this includes technical support, replacement parts, warranty and non-warranty service and repair.

## **Q: When is my last chance to purchase a discontinued product?**

A: During the discontinuation year, customers will have January through July to purchase last time buys of the model of sonde affected. After July of the discontinuation year no new orders will be accepted, however the product will continue to be supported.

## **Q: Are there any special cases where I can purchase a discontinued product?**

A: If you wish to purchase a model that has been discontinued, special case production runs may be authorized if the quantities are 10 or more, please contact your local distributor with more details: <http://www.ysi.com/find-a-distributor.php>

## **Q: How long will support last on discontinued products?**

YSI authorized service centers can continue to support equipment minimum of 2 years after discontinuation, and we will make every effort to support for 4 -5 years after discontinuation so long as we can still source components that may have gone obsolete.

