

Q1 2017 COMPONENT LEAD-TIME AND PRICING TRENDS UPDATE

GROUP	TYPE	CURRENT LEAD TIME	LEAD TIME TREN D	PRICING TREND	NOTES
Opto	LED's	8-14 weeks	↔	↑	Some allocation but generally good. Pricing stable.
Passives	Commodity Chip	8-10 weeks	↑	↔	Resistor lead times increase rapidly this quarter.
Passives	Tantalum and Elec	10-12 weeks	↑	↗	Capacitor saw somelead time decreases at the end of last year but sharp rises in Q1.
Passives	High Capacitance	6-8 weeks	↑	↔	Stable lead times and suppliers keep prices high.
Crystals		8-10 weeks	↗	↑	Price increases remain. Lead times on the rise.
Memory	Commodity	8-15 weeks	↑	↑	Further price increases and lead time rises.
Micro Controllers		12-24 weeks	↑	↗	Microchip price increases continuing. Lead times across the board have seen a rise.
Analogue/ Power	Commodity	8-20 weeks	↑	↑	Price increases seen. Increased lead time expected for most analogue product groups.
Power Discrete	Mosfets	10-18 weeks	↗	↔	Lead times increasing due to constraints in all areas.
Discrete	Zeners & Diodes	10-19 weeks	↑	↑	Strong market pushing out lead times.
Discrete	Small Signal	5-8 weeks	↔	↑	Prices stable but expected to rise further. Lead times increased.
Logic	Logic	6-16 weeks	↑	↔	Some constraints leading to lead time increases.
Power	Rectifiers	7-13weeks	↔	↔	Some constraints but generally stable.
Interfaces	Interface	12-20 weeks	↑	↔	Pricing stabilising but lead times increasing
Batteries	Rechargeable	12-14 weeks	↑	↑	Pricing increases as the exchange rates see changes.

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