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## Waukesha gas engines advisory

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## **CFR Parts Discontinuance**

In the next 14 months, GE Energy's Waukesha gas engines will conduct a phased discontinuance of several product options and service parts for its F1/F2 Octane Rating Units because certain components used in their manufacture are no longer available. Following is a list of discontinued products and service parts, together with their recommended replacements:

- F1/F1 Analog Control Panel (CODE 8202) will no longer be available on new octane rating units. The XCP Digital Octane Panel is now standard on new F1/F2 octane rating units.
- Service Part Numbers G-802-26 (Panel & Instrumentation F1/F2, 50 Hz) and G-802-30 (Panel & Instrumentation F1/F2, 60 Hz) are discontinued. The recommended replacement for the G-802-26 and G-802-30 is the XCP Digital Octane Retrofit Kit (Part Number G-802-51) and the XCP Digital Octane Analyzer Retrofit Kit (Part Number G-802-53).
- The current Octane Analyzer and service part (G-802-50) is discontinued.
   The recommended replacement for new octane units is CODE 8201 and for service parts the XCP Digital Octane Analyzer Retrofit Kit (Part Number G-802-53).

The new XCP Digital Control Panel, which replaces the Analog Control Panel, is available in the following configurations:

- Basic XCP Digital Octane Panel This is the standard offering on all new
  Octane Rating Units for 2012. All new units will come with new Falling Level
  Carburetors, allowing customers to operate Compression Ratio, Falling Level
  and Equilibrium ASTM method procedures.
- All new Octane Units will also have the option to be upgraded with the XCP Octane Analyzer (CODE 8201).
- Basic XCP Digital Retrofit Kit (Part Number G-802-51) Enables customers to upgrade existing legacy units with basic XCP functionality. G-



802-51 Retrofit kit does not include Falling Level Carburetors which must be purchased separately.

- XCP Digital Octane Analyzer / Panel Retrofit Kit (Part Number G-802-53)
   Enables customers to upgrade existing legacy units to basic XCP functionality and additional Octane analyzer automation, if desired. The G-802-53 Retrofit kit does not include Falling Level Carburetors. To utilize all the ASTM method procedures the XCP Octane panel offers, customers will need to install or have installed Falling Level Carburetors (Part Number G-814-35) on their existing units.
- XCP Digital Octane Analyzer Upgrade Kit (Part Number G-802-54) This
  upgrade kit will allow customers to upgrade existing Basic XCP panels that do
  not have Octane Analyzer functionality.

## PRODUCT AND SERVICE PARTS AVAILABLITY (CODE 8202 / G-802-26 / G-802-30) AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2011.

After December 31, 2011, GE Energy's Waukesha gas engines will continue to offer repair and replacement services for these products and parts for one year. This maintenance phase provides an extended period of support to enable your organization to satisfy the F1/F2 Control Panel service parts requirements of your customers. After December 31, 2012, availability of these discontinued service parts will be based on component parts availability.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause you or your customers. We are confident you will find the XCP Digital Octane Panel to be a superior replacement product. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Alan Piller at: alan.piller@ge.com or 262-650-5737.

Best Regards, Allan Piller

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