

Product End of Life (EOL) Notice (Notification of Termination of Tau Product)



To whom it may concern,

In order to focus on developing future products, Teledyne FLIR is announcing the end of life (EOL) for all **Tau** Longwave Infrared (LWIR) imaging cameras products. All **Tau** part numbers starting with 46, 47 and 48 are affected.

Teledyne FLIR released **Tau** in early 2009 to wide acceptance while setting a new industry standard. In 2016, Teledyne FLIR introduced **Boson** product family, once again setting the standard for low-risk, high-performance. SWaP optimized thermal cores. A significant number of Teledyne FLIR customers have successfully migrated to **Boson**.

The EOL will be tiered by detector type and lens. **Tau 2 336** will be terminated prior to **Tau 2 640**. Cameras with lenses will be terminated prior to the lens-less cores in both cases. For specific lenses, please reference Table 1. It is anticipated that all cores will be shipped within one year of order.

Teledyne FLIR has not seen significant demand for **Tau 2+** and has not been taking orders for the last year. This will also serve as the official notice that Teledyne FLIR will accept no further orders for **Tau 2+** as of today.

Teledyne FLIR understands that local laws, market conditions, and support requirements differ around the world and differ by industry sector. Therefore, Teledyne FLIR may offer custom support relationships that go beyond the End of Support Date. Existing customers can contact their Teledyne FLIR sales representative or support team for more information, and customers under contract will continue to receive support as agreed.

Table 1: End of Life Products

Product	End of Sales Announcement	Last Order Date	Last Ship Date	End of Support Date
Tau 2 Narrow Lens <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All part numbers starting with 46, 47 and 48 25mm, 35mm, 60mm, 65mm, 100mm 	February 16, 2024	August 1, 2024	December 31, 2024	December 30, 2026
Tau 2 Wide Lens <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All part numbers starting with 46, 47 and 48 7mm, 9mm, 13mm, 19mm 	February 16, 2024	December 30, 2024	December 30, 2025	December 30, 2026
Tau 2 336 lens-less (0901 based) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All part numbers starting with 46336001, 47336001 and 48336001 	February 16, 2024	December 30, 2024	December 30, 2025	December 30, 2026
Tau 2 640 lens-less (0801 based) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All part numbers starting with 46640001, 47640001 and 48640001 	February 16, 2024	June 30, 2025	June 30, 2026	December 30, 2026

Definitions:

- End of Sales Announcement: Date of official end of sales notice.
- Last Order Date: The last date to order indicated products from Teledyne FLIR.
- Last Ship Date: The last date deliveries will be made unless otherwise negotiated.
- End of Support Date: The last date that indicated products will be supported by Teledyne FLIR.

For more information, please contact your Teledyne FLIR sales representative or support team.