



3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom BRS Headsets versus 3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom FRS Headsets

Background

The LiteCom BRS Headsets are being discontinued as of May 31st, 2020 and will be replaced by the LiteCom FRS Headsets.

Q: What is the difference between the BRS and FRS headsets?

A: The only difference are the pre-programmed two-way radio frequencies/channels. The BRS headset has 8 BRS frequencies, while the FRS headset has 22 FRS frequencies. BRS and FRS are two different sets of UHF frequencies. With the FRS headset there is now 22 channels versus 8 channels with the BRS headset. All other features of the two headsets are identical.

Q: Are the FRS headsets backwards compatible with the BRS headsets?

A: No. The FRS headsets will not communicate with the BRS headsets as they use different two-way radio frequencies.

Q: I have an existing customer who uses BRS headsets and they want to buy more. What options do they have?

A: The customer should first consider the 3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom Plus Headset. The LiteCom Plus headset contains the 8 BRS frequencies in channels 23-30 and therefore is backwards compatible. The LiteCom Plus headset is slightly more expensive, but also includes the Environmental Listening Technology.

The customer can also consider the 3M™ PELTOR™ WS™ LiteCom Pro III Headset as it can be programmed to operate on the 8 BRS frequencies.

Q: If I have a new opportunity for an entry level LiteCom solution, which model should I suggest?

A: The 3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom FRS Headsets.

Product Name	Product No.	3M ID	SAP ID
3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom FRS Headset, Headband	MT53H7A4602-NA	7100204442	UU010265773
3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom FRS Headset, Neckband	MT53H7B4602-NA	7100204441	UU010265781
3M™ PELTOR™ LiteCom FRS Headset, Hard Hat Attached	MT53H7P3E4602-NA	7100204440	UU010265799

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