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Discontinuation Notice: 3M™ XLR8™ Hard Hat

Dear 3M Customer:

As part of our continuing efforts to offer a full yet streamlined product portfolio, we are discontinuing the XLR8 hard hat series. This change is effective immediately; however the XLR8 hard hat series will remain available while supplies last. Please note, product returns will no longer be accepted.

This notice does not include 3M™ XLR8™ High-Heat, 3M™ XLR8™ Full Brim, 3M™ Realtree™ Hardwoods HD™ Hard Hat or Orange County Choppers® XLR8™ Models.

The newly released 3M™ Hard Hats H-700 Series is the replacement product for the XLR8 hard hat. Below is the list of products affected by this notification.

Discontinue Part #	UPC Code	3M ID	Discontinue Product Description	Replacement Part #	Note
45987-00001	10078371459878	70-0715-1318-1	XLR8 Hard Hat Yellow 4PT Pinlock	H-702P	
45988-00001	10078371459885	70-0715-1319-9	XLR8 Hard Hat White 4PT Pinlock	H-701P	
45989-00001	10078371459892	70-0715-1320-7	XLR8 Hard Hat Blue 4PT Pinlock	H-703P	
45991-00001	10078371459915	70-0715-1321-5	XLR8 Hard Hat Hi-Viz Orange 4PT Pinlock	H-707P	
45992-00001	10078371459922	70-0715-2173-9	XLR8 Hard Hat Yellow 4PT Ratchet	H-702R	
45993-00001	10078371459939	70-0715-2174-7	XLR8 Hard Hat White 4PT Ratchet	H-701R	
45963-00001	10078371459632	70-0715-1305-8	XLR8 Hard Hat Yellow 6PT Pinlock	H-702P	*
45964-00001	10078371459649	70-0715-1306-6	XLR8 Hard Hat White 6PT Pinlock	H-701P	*
45965-00001	10078371459656	70-0715-1307-4	XLR8 Hard Hat Blue 6PT Pinlock	H-703P	*
45966-00001	10078371459663	70-0715-1308-2	XLR8 Hard Hat Green 6PT Pinlock	H-704P	*
45967-00001	10078371459670	70-0715-1309-0	XLR8 Hard Hat Red 6PT Pinlock	H-705P	*
45968-00001	10078371459687	70-0715-1310-8	XLR8 Hard Hat Hi-Viz Orange 6PT Pinlock	H-707P	*
45969-00001	10078371459694	70-0715-1311-6	XLR8 Hard Hat Yellow 6PT Ratchet	H-702R	*
45971-00001	10078371459717	70-0715-1312-4	XLR8 Hard Hat Blue 6PT Ratchet	H-703R	*
45972-00001	10078371459724	70-0715-1313-2	XLR8 Hard Hat Green 6PT Ratchet	H-704R	*
45973-00001	10078371459731	70-0715-1314-0	XLR8 Hard Hat Red 6PT Ratchet	H-705R	*
45974-00001	10078371459748	70-0715-1315-7	XLR8 Hard Hat Hi-Viz Orange 6PT Ratchet	H-707R	*
45995-00001	10078371459953	70-0715-1322-3	XLR8 Hard Hat White 6PT Ratchet	H-701R	*
45998-00001	10078371459984	70-0715-2327-1	XLR8 Hard Hat Orange 6PT Ratchet	H-706R	*

- The H-700 Series is offered in a 4- Point Suspension

If you have any questions, please contact Customer Service at 1-800-328-1667. Thank you for your understanding. We appreciate your ongoing support through this process.

Regards,

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