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Dear valued customer:

Discontinuation Notice of the controller VISTAC-IIC with the MEIKI HOT PRESS MACHINE

We regret to inform you that we have decided to discontinue production of the panel computer of our hot press machine control unit (VISTAC-IIC), which has been used for many years, due to the end of Windows OS support, which will make it difficult to provide after-sales service in the future.

We apologize for any inconvenience and appreciate your understanding.

The VISTAC-IIC hot press machine control unit consists of three units: a panel computer, PLC, and AHC. (Figure 1: Example of controller configuration)

The panel computer performs HMI control such as setting conditions and checking actual measurements.

We have decided to discontinue production of those panel computers because Windows-OS will no longer be supplied to panel computer manufacturers.

The discontinuation applies to all models mounted on VISTAC-II C.

Please refer to the list of discontinued models in Table 1.

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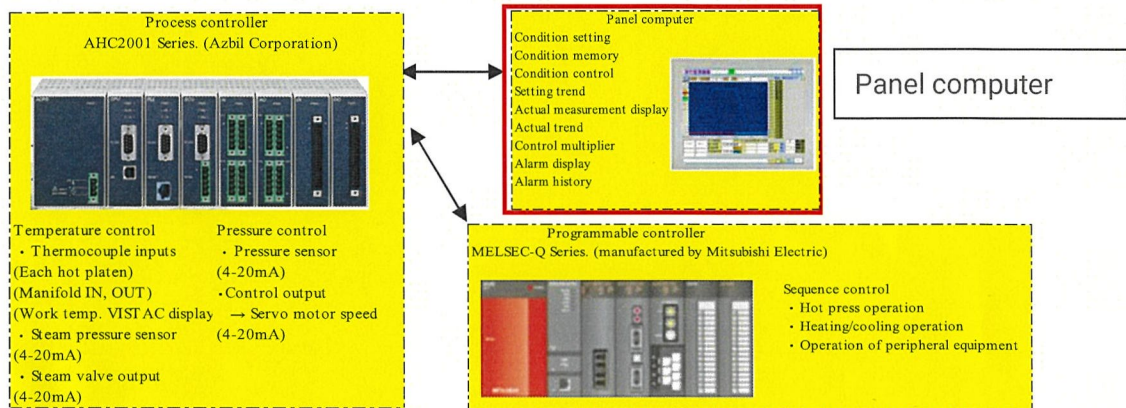
Maker	Model	Note
Pro-face (Former Digital)	PL692 *-T4 *	* vary depending on specifications
	PL693 *-T4 *	* vary depending on specifications
	APL3600- * *	* vary depending on specifications
	PS-4600	MODEL: PFXPP160DD21L00N00
JTEKT (Former Koyo)	NX-G11	
	NX-G20	
	NX-G20-B	NX-G20 without Bezel

When purchased as spare parts, the model number is either NX-G20 or NX-G20-B.

After the end of June 2023, depending on the nature of the failure, we may not be able to repair or supply parts, and may ask you to replace the entire set with a new control unit (VISTAC-IID).

We apologize for the inconvenience, but if you wish to purchase spare parts before the discontinuation, please contact us by June 29, 2023 for the required quantity.

Figure 1: Example of controller configuration



Please contact your nearest NIPPLA office for information on spare parts, new control unit modifications, etc. as described above.

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