

# Discontinuance S64.2 DN160-400 with Pressure Controller PM-4 and PM-5

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## **Announcement of Discontinuance**

VAT officially announces the discontinuance of our gate valve control system S64.2 DN160-400 with stepper motor and pressure controllers PM-4 and PM-5. VAT acknowledges the obligation to promptly inform our customers of the intent to exit products to enable our customers the ability to prepare for alternatives and/or assist in their product portfolio renewal process. Our intent is to support these products for a limited time in order to allow for future planning by all of our customers, therefore we will offer last time buy opportunities to support their needs.



#### **Reason for Discontinuance**

After a long successful story since 1988, our gate valve control system with stepper motor gate valve S64.2 and the pressure controllers PM-4 and PM-5 has reached it's end of life. Optimization of VAT's product portfolio and the discontinuance of electrical components in controller make this decision necessary.

#### **Last Time Buy**

VAT grants a last time period for all customers to buy complete products and spares until the end of March 2017. After the 8 months period VAT will maintain the delivery of spare parts as long as parts are available.



### Successor Product Gate Valve Control System S64.2IC

The S64.2 gate valve itself does not change mechanically. Only the stepper motor actuator and the controller will be replaced by a new state-of-the-art device. The new control unit is mounted upon the valve body and provides a big variety of interfaces including a much faster reaction time. An encoder for position detection and an integrated maintenance warning are just a few improvements compared with the discontinued PM-4 and PM-5 controllers.

The possibility to place the control unit externally and connect by an up to 5 m cable allows fully compatibility with the old system.

For further information please contact our local sales organization.

