



END-OF-SALE AND END-OF-LIFE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE CISCO CATALYST SWITCH MANAGER 3.1

Cisco Systems® announces the end of life of the Cisco® Catalyst® Switch Manager 3.1. The last day to order the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager 3.1 is November 18, 2005. Customers will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) until November 18, 2008.

Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager Release 3.1. Table 2 provides a listing of product part numbers affected by this announcement.

Customers are encouraged to migrate to the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager Release 3.2, which provides all the features and benefits of the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager Release 3.1.

Table 1. EOL Milestones and Dates for the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager Release 3.1

Milestone	Definition	Date
End-of-Life Announcement Date	The date the document that announces the end of sale and end of life of a product is distributed to the general public.	August 18, 2005
End-of-Sale Date	The last date to order the product through Cisco point-of-sale mechanisms. The product is no longer for sale after this date.	November 18, 2005
Last Shipment Date	The last-possible ship date that can be requested of Cisco and/or its contract manufacturers. Actual ship date is dependent on lead-time.	February 18, 2006
End of Software Maintenance Releases Date	The last date that Cisco Engineering may release any final software maintenance releases or bug fixes. After this date, Cisco Engineering will no longer develop, repair, maintain, or test the product software.	November 18, 2006
End of New Service Attachment Date	For equipment and software that is not covered by a service-and-support contract, this is the last date to order a new service-and-support contract or add the equipment and/or software to an existing service-and-support contract.	November 18, 2006
End of Service Contract Renewal Date	The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product. The extension or renewal period cannot extend beyond the last date of support.	May 18, 2008
Last Date of Support	The last date to receive service and support for the product. After this date, all support services for the product are unavailable, and the product becomes obsolete.	November 18, 2008

Table 2. Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description
EMS-CCSM-KIT-3.1-D	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1 Demo Media Kit
EMS-CCSM-KIT-3.1	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1 Media Kit
EMS-CCSM-6x00-3.1U	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1 Upgrade-6000/6500 Right-to-Use (RTU)
EMS-CCSM-6X00-3.1=	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-6000/6500 RTU
EMS-CCSM-6X00-3.1	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-6000/6500 RTU
EMS-CCSM-4X00-3.1=	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-4000/4500 RTU
EMS-CCSM-4X00-3.1	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-4000/4500 RTU

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description
EMS-CCSM-3550-3.1=	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-3550 RTU
EMS-CCSM-3550-3.1	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-3550 RTU
EMS-CCSM-2950-3.1=	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-2950 RTU
EMS-CCSM-2950-3.1	Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager v3.1-2950 RTU

PRODUCT MIGRATION OPTIONS

The recommended replacement for the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager 3.1 is the Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager 3.2. Cisco Catalyst Switch Manager Release 3.2 provides all the features and benefits of Release 3.1.

Table 3. Migration Product Part Numbers

Part Number	Cisco LAN Management Solution
EMS-CCSM-KIT-3.2	CCSM Media Kit—Contains installable software and documentation
EMS-CCSM-3.2U	CCSM Upgrade license (RTU) from Version 3.1—Still requires purchase of Version 3.2 Media kit
EMS-CCSM-3.2D	CCSM Demo License and software—Allows user to install and run CCSM for 30 days.
EMS-CCSM-3.2	CCSM Right To Use (RTU) license—1 Required for every 6x00 Chassis managed, or 1 for every 5 other Catalyst Switches managed.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

For more information about Cisco products, please contact your Cisco account manager and/or Cisco Channel Partner.

For more information about the Cisco End-of-Life Policy, go to: http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/prod_end_of_life.html

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