



## End-of-Sale and End-of-Life Announcement for Cisco Conference Connection

Cisco Systems® announces the end-of-sale and end-of life dates for Cisco® Conference Connection. The last day to order the affected product is August 28, 2006. Customers with active service contracts will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) until August 27, 2009.

Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the affected product. Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement.

Customers are encouraged to migrate to Cisco MeetingPlace® Express, an integrated voice and Web conferencing solution that provides simple, powerful conferencing functions that are easy to deploy and manage. Information about the replacement product can be found at <http://www.cisco.com/go/meetingplaceexpress>. Table 3 provides relevant information for migrating to the replacement product.

**Table 1.** End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for Cisco Conference Connection

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.	February 27, 2006
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.	August 28, 2006
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.	November 26, 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.	August 28, 2007
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.	August 28, 2007
End of Service Contract Renewal Date	The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product.	November 23, 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.	August 27, 2009

**Table 2.** Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description
SW-CCC-V11	Cisco Conference Connection v1.1 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-MED	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Medium Bundle—25 voice (V), 6 web (W) concurrent user license (CUL) (~300 seats)
SW-CCC-V11	Cisco Conference Connection v1.1 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SMALL	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Small Bundle—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V11	Cisco Conference Connection v1.1 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SW-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Software Upgrade—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V11=	Cisco Conference Connection v1.1 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-MED	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Medium Bundle—25V, 6W CUL (~300seats)
SW-CCC-V11=	Cisco Conference Connection v1.1 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SMALL	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Small Bundle—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V11=	Cisco Conference Connection v1.1 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SW-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Software Upgrade—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V12	Cisco Conference Connection v1.2 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-MED	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Medium Bundle—25V, 6W CUL (~300seats)
SW-CCC-V12	Cisco Conference Connection v1.2 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SMALL	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Small Bundle—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V12	Cisco Conference Connection v1.2 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SW-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Software Upgrade—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V12=	Cisco Conference Connection v1.2 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-MED	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Medium Bundle—25V, 6W CUL (~300seats)
SW-CCC-V12=	Cisco Conference Connection v1.2 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SMALL	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Small Bundle—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-CCC-V12=	Cisco Conference Connection v1.2 software, 20-user license	MPE-1.1-SW-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express 1.1 Software Upgrade—20V, 6W CUL (~200 seats)
SW-KEY-CCC-PLUS10=	10-port increment license key	MPE-PLUS10-V-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express Voice License Pack Upgrade, 10 CUL (~200 seats)
SW-KEY-CCC-PLUS40=	40-port increment	MPE-PLUS40-V-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express Voice License Pack Upgrade, 40 CUL (~800 seats)
SW-KEY-CCC20-100=	Cisco Conference Connection user license upgrade from 20 to 100 ports	MPE-PLUS80-V-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express Voice License Pack Upgrade—80 CUL (~1600 seats)
SW-KEY-CCC20-60=	Cisco Conference Connection user license upgrade from 20 to 60 ports	MPE-PLUS40-V-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express Voice License Pack Upgrade, 40 CUL (~800 seats)
SW-KEY-CCC60-100=	Cisco Conference Connection user license upgrade from 60 to 100 ports	MPE-PLUS40-V-UPG=	Cisco MeetingPlace Express Voice License Pack Upgrade, 40 CUL (~800 seats)

## PRODUCT MIGRATION OPTIONS

The recommended replacement for Cisco Conference Connection is Cisco MeetingPlace Express. Cisco Conference Connection customers with systems that have more than 120 concurrent user licenses (ports) should consider migrating to a Cisco MeetingPlace solution.

Customers who had Cisco Conference Connection and Software Application Support plus Upgrades (SASU) prior to December 30, 2005, can upgrade to Cisco MeetingPlace Express with the Product Upgrade Tool (PUT). This upgrade, which will be available through July 29, 2006, provides the Cisco MeetingPlace Express software and equivalent voice conferencing licenses at no additional charge.

Customers can also use the Cisco Technology Migration Plan (TMP) to trade in products and receive credit toward the purchase of Cisco MeetingPlace Express or Cisco MeetingPlace through July 29, 2006. For more information about Cisco TMP, go to <http://www.cisco.com/go/tradein/>. The Cisco TMP application requires all users to have a Cisco.com user ID.

**Table 3.** Product Comparisons

Feature	Cisco Conference Connection	Cisco MeetingPlace Express
Single-Server Deployment	Software deployed on a Cisco media convergence server (MCS)	Software deployed on a Cisco MCS
Telephony Environments	Cisco CallManager 3.1 to 4.0	Cisco CallManager, Cisco CallManager Express, H.323, and Session Initiation Protocol (SIP)
Maximum Concurrent Conferencing Capacity	180 voice conferencing participants	120 voice conferencing participants and 120 Web conferencing participants
Voice Conferencing	Basic voice conferencing capabilities, including automatic meeting extension and entry and exit notification	Advanced voice conferencing capabilities, including roll call, breakout sessions, and voice recording
Web Conferencing	–	Simple Web conferencing features, including screen sharing (no ability to pass control), chat, and notes
Meeting Management	–	Meeting management from a Web browser, phone, or IP phone application
Meeting Setup	Schedule meetings from a Web browser	Schedule meetings from a Web browser; and initiate reservationless meetings from a phone, Web browser, or IP phone application
Meeting Attendance	Attend meetings using the telephone	Attend meetings using the telephone, an e-mail notification, a Web browser, or an IP phone application

## FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information about Cisco Conference Connection, visit <http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/sw/voicesw/ps752/index.html> or contact your local Cisco account representative.

For more information about the Cisco End-of-Life Policy, go to: [http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/prod\\_end\\_of\\_life.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/prod_end_of_life.html)

To subscribe to receive end-of-life/end-of-sale information, go to: <http://www.cisco.com/cgi-bin/Support/FieldNoticeTool/field-notice>

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