

Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1EB

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Description of the Release	Cisco IOS® Software Release 12.1EB is a new specific technology early deployment (STED) release vehicle optimized for the continued shipment and support of the 8540/8510/LS1010 platforms. This release is based upon Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1E and supports these specific platforms as the Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1E train has closed to new feature commits to start its own GD process at Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1(14)E.												
Product and Feature Support	<p>Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1EB will support the following platforms:</p> <table border="1" data-bbox="440 699 1447 1115"><thead><tr><th data-bbox="440 699 903 779">Product/Feature</th><th data-bbox="903 699 1193 779">Image Name</th><th data-bbox="1193 699 1447 779">Memory Requirements</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td data-bbox="440 779 903 890">8540</td><td data-bbox="903 779 1193 890"><ul style="list-style-type: none">• cat8540m-wp-mz• cat8540m-wpk2-mz</td><td data-bbox="1193 779 1447 890">See Release Notes</td></tr><tr><td data-bbox="440 890 903 1001">8510</td><td data-bbox="903 890 1193 1001"><ul style="list-style-type: none">• cat8510m-wp-mz• cat8510m-wpk2-mz</td><td data-bbox="1193 890 1447 1001">See Release Notes</td></tr><tr><td data-bbox="440 1001 903 1115">LS1010</td><td data-bbox="903 1001 1193 1115"><ul style="list-style-type: none">• ls1010-wp-mz• ls1010-wpk2-mz</td><td data-bbox="1193 1001 1447 1115">See Release Notes</td></tr></tbody></table> <p>Note: Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1EB features will not get incorporated into any Cisco IOS 12.1E software releases. All features committed to Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1EB will stay on the EB train until a migration path to next generation (Cisco IOS Software Release 12.2 or later) train is defined. No decision has been made at this time.</p>	Product/Feature	Image Name	Memory Requirements	8540	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• cat8540m-wp-mz• cat8540m-wpk2-mz	See Release Notes	8510	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• cat8510m-wp-mz• cat8510m-wpk2-mz	See Release Notes	LS1010	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ls1010-wp-mz• ls1010-wpk2-mz	See Release Notes
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Support Pages	<p>For more information, consult the following web pages:</p> <p>Release Documentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 12.1EB Product Bulletin• 12.1EB Release Notes <p>Parent Release Documentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cisco 12.1 Release Notes <p>Other Links</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cisco IOS General Information• Cisco IOS Software Release Field Notices• Cisco IOS Software Release Reference Guide												

	• Projected Release Dates		
Target Market	Cisco Systems, Inc. released Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1EB as a long-lived ED release for the Cisco 8510, 8540, and LS1010 platforms. It is targeted for the Enterprise market.		
Lifecycle of Release	Cisco IOS Software Release Reference Guide		
	Milestones	Y2K Compliance	Release Designation
	CCO FCS: January 13, 2002 MFG FCS: January 21, 2002 EOS: EOE: EOL:	Yes	XED Release
Maintenance Releases	It is highly recommended that Release Notes are used to determine if a maintenance release should be used. Release Notes provide announcements of new features and a summary of known caveats at the time of the renumber.		
	Maintenance Cycle	Download Image	
	12.1EB – No maintenance plans for an X release.		
	Important Notes: N/A		

Interim Builds

Short-lived X releases do not provide interim builds.

Recommended Customer Migration Path

To view the projected release date of the Cisco IOS Software Release 12.1EB, see the Projected Release Dates for Cisco IOS Software Release Product Bulletin.