


Dual-Port Fast Ethernet Port Adapter (PA-2FE-TX, PA-2FE-FX) Now Available for Cisco 7200 and 7500 Series Routers



Cisco introduces the Dual-Port single-wide Fast Ethernet Port Adapter (PA-2FE-TX, PA-2FE-FX) for Cisco 7200 and 7500 Series routers. The PA-2FE provides the highest packet throughput available from Cisco 7x00 Fast Ethernet interfaces, and is the preferred choice for Fast Ethernet connectivity for Cisco 7x00 Routers. The PA-2FE is ideal for campus/enterprise backbones, data centers, high-performance routing between multiple Ethernet VLANs, and other deployments requiring line-rate Fast Ethernet connectivity.

The PA-2FE-TX port adapter supports either 10- or 100-Mbps configurations and auto-negotiation, which enables auto-selection of the appropriate network speed and duplex mode, providing additional flexibility in deployment options. The PA-2FE-FX supports 100-Mbps.

The PA-2FE may be used in an open port-adapter slot on Cisco 7200 Series routers or in an open bay within Cisco second- and fourth-generation Versatile Interface Processors (VIP2 and VIP4) on Cisco 7500 Series routers. Portability between these systems simplifies ordering and minimizes overall support and sparing costs.

Ordering Information

Part Number	Description
PA-2FE-TX	Dual-port Fast Ethernet port adapter with copper connectors
PA-2FE-FX	Dual-port Fast Ethernet port adapter with fiber connectors

Orderability

This product is available now.

First Shipment

With Cisco IOS® 12.1(5)E and after	Available now
With Cisco IOS 12.1.(6) and after	Available now
With Cisco IOS 12.2.(2) and after	July 2001
With Cisco IOS 12.2.(2)T and after	September 2001
With Cisco IOS 12.0(14)S and after	Available now

For More Information

Cisco 7x00 Fast Ethernet Port Adapters

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