

# Announcing

# N1KV Freemium Pricing Model

External Announcement: Oct 1st



# Nexus 1000V now available in 2 editions to drive market adoption

Current GTM Model

License: \$695/  
CPU

TAC Support:  
\$174/CPU/YR

New GTM Model

**Advanced Edition**

License: \$695/  
CPU

TAC Support:  
\$174/CPU/YR

**Essential Edition**

License:  
Free

TAC Support:  
NTE: \$39/CPU/YR

**Free Online Community Support:**  
Available to all N1KV customers. [Link](#)

# Essential and Advanced Edition Definitions

Available v2.1 Release  
Beta: October 2012  
FCS: Q4 CY12

## Essential Edition (\$0)

- VLAN, ACL, QoS
- VXLAN, vPath
- LACP
- Multicast
- Netflow, ERSPAN
- Management
- vTracker
- vCenter Plug-in

## Advanced Edition (\$695 LIST)

- Cisco TrustSec support
- CISF: DHCP snooping, IP Source Guard, ARP Inspection
- **VSG (previously \$495 List)**

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# Existing customers – Option 1

## Free upgrade to Advanced Edition

1.x Release

2.1 Release

N1KV License  
bought @ \$695/  
CPU LIST



**Option 1:**  
Free upgrade to  
v2.1 Advanced

N1KV – Advanced  
Edition:  
**No Upgrade Cost**  
use existing licenses

TAC Support remains same: \$174/CPU/YR  
(Now includes VSG support)



VSG License\*:  
**No Cost**

Note: \* BU will issue VSG licenses to existing N1KV customers upon request from Account team. To order FREE VSG licenses – click [here](#)

# Existing customers – Option 2

## Option to Downgrade to Essential Edition

1.x Release

2.1 Release

N1KV License  
bought @  
\$695/CPU  
LIST



**Option 2:**  
Go to  
Essential

N1KV –  
Essential  
Edition:  
**No Cost**

TAC Support  
\$39/CPU/YR

Some existing customers might choose to downgrade to Essential edition to save annual support cost.