



CISCO OFFERS VAM2+ SECURITY BUNDLES; RETIRES 7200 NPE-400 VAM AND VAM2 SECURITY BUNDLES

Cisco Systems offers the most up-to-date, high-performing, feature-rich, midrange router security bundles, with the Cisco® VPN Acceleration Module 2+ (VAM2+) router security bundles available on Cisco 7200 Series and Cisco 7301 routers.

Bundle part numbers are listed in Table 1. Bundles include Cisco IOS® Software with the IP Security (IPSec), firewall, and intrusion detection system (IDS) feature set.

Table 1. Cisco VAM2+ Router Security Bundle Part Numbers

VAM2+ Security Bundle Part Number	Product Description
7206VXR400/2+VPNK9	Cisco 7206VXR chassis, NPE-400 processor with 512 MB of system memory, I/O controller with dual 10/100 Fast Ethernet ports, VAM2+, AC power, and Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec Triple Data Encryption Standard (3DES) Software
7206VXRG1/2+VPNK9	Cisco 7206VXR chassis, NPE-G1 processor with 512 MB of system memory, 3 onboard 100/1000 Ethernet ports, VAM2+, AC power, and Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec 3DES Software
CISCO7301/2+VPNK9	Cisco 7301 chassis with 512 MB of system memory, 3 onboard 100/1000 Ethernet ports, VAM2+, AC power, and Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec 3DES Software

With the addition of the VAM2+ security bundles, Cisco is also announcing the end of life of two specific Cisco 7200 NPE-400 router security bundles. The last day to order these bundles is December 15, 2005. Customers will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) until otherwise specified by a component-specific end-of-life announcement. This announcement refers only to the bundling of the components. Table 2 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates associated with this announcement. Table 3 lists the product numbers affected by this announcement.

Customers are encouraged to migrate to any of the current Cisco 7200 Series security bundles, providing improved performance and scalability for security services. For information on the latest Cisco 7200 Series security bundles, visit:

<http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/routers/ps341/index.html>

Table 2. End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for Specific Cisco 7200 NPE-400 Security Bundles

Milestone	Definition	Date
End-of-Orderability Announcement Date	The date the official document announcing the end of sale and end of life of a bundle is distributed to the general public.	June 15, 2005
End-of Orderability Date	The last date to order the bundle through Cisco point-of-sale mechanisms. The product is no longer for sale after this date.	December 15, 2005
Last Shipment Date	The last-possible date that Cisco and/or its contract manufacturers will ship the affected bundle.	March 15, 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.	Support will continue as part of standard services-and-support contract for Cisco 7200 Series routers
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.	

Table 3. Cisco 7200 NPE-400 Security Bundle End-of-Sale Part Numbers

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Migration Part Numbers	Product Description
7206VXR400/VPNK9	Cisco 7206VXR chassis, NPE-400 processor with 256 MB of system memory, I/O controller with dual 10/100 Fast Ethernet ports, VAM, AC power, Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec 3DES Software	7206VXR400/2+VPNK9 or	Cisco 7206VXR chassis, NPE-400 processor with 512 MB of system memory, I/O controller with dual 10/100 Fast Ethernet ports, VAM2+, AC power, Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec 3DES Software
7206VXR400/2VPNK9	Cisco 7206VXR chassis, NPE-400 processor with 256 MB of system memory, I/O controller with dual 10/100 Fast Ethernet ports, VAM2, AC power, Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec 3DES Software	7206VXRG1/2+VPNK9	Cisco 7206VXR chassis, NPE-G1 processor with 512 MB of system memory, 3 onboard 100/1000 Ethernet ports, VAM2+, AC power, and Cisco IOS IP FW/IDS IPSec 3DES Software

PRODUCT MIGRATION OPTIONS

Any of the current Cisco 7200 Series or 7301 security bundles are recommended replacements for these two Cisco 7200 NPE-400 security bundles. For the latest bundle descriptions, visit:

http://www.cisco.com/en/US/netsol/ns340/ns394/ns171/ns142/networking_solutions_relevant_products.html

Customers can use the Cisco Technology Migration Plan (TMP) to trade in products and receive credit toward the purchase of new Cisco equipment.

The Cisco TMP application requires all users to have a Cisco.com user ID. For more information about Cisco TMP, visit:

<http://www.cisco.com/go/tradein/>

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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

For information about Cisco 7200 Series routers: http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/routers/ps341/products_data_sheets_list.html

For information about the Cisco end-of-life policy: http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/prod_end_of_life.html

To subscribe to receive Cisco EOL/EOS information: <http://www.cisco.com/cgi-bin/Support/FieldNoticeTool/field-notice>

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