



END-OF-SALE AND END-OF-LIFE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE CISCO 7304 COMPACT FLASH MEMORY, 64 MB

Cisco Systems® announces the end-of-sale and end-of-life dates for the Cisco® 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 64 MB. The last day to order the affected product is December 15, 2005. Customers with active service contracts will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) until December 15, 2010.

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 the Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 256 MB, which provides 256 MB of memory. Information about the replacement product can be found at <http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/routers/ps352/ps353/index.html>. Table 3 provides relevant information for migrating to the replacement product.

Table 1. End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for the Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 64 MB

| 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. | June 15, 2005 |
| 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. | December 15, 2005 |
| 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. | 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. | December 15, 2006 |
| End of Routine Failure Analysis Date | The last-possible date a routine failure analysis may be performed to determine the cause of product failure or defect. | December 15, 2006 |
| 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. | December 15, 2006 |
| End of Service Contract Renewal Date | The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product. | June 15, 2010 |
| 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. | December 15, 2010 |

Table 2. Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

| End-of-Sale Product Part Number | Product Description | Replacement Product Part Number | Replacement Product Description |
|---------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|---|
| 7300-I/O-CFM-64M | Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 64 MB | 7304-I/O-CFM-256M | Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 256 MB |
| 7300-I/O-CFM-64M= | Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 64 MB | 7304-I/O-CFM-256M= | Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 256 MB |

PRODUCT MIGRATION OPTIONS

The recommended replacement for the Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 64 MB is the Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 256 MB (Table 3). The Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 256 MB offers 256 MB of memory.

Table 3. Product Comparisons

| Feature | Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 64 MB | Cisco 7304 Compact Flash Memory, 256 MB |
|----------------------|--|---|
| Compact Flash Memory | 64 MB | 256 MB |

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

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the Cisco 7304 Series Router, visit <http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/routers/ps352/ps353/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

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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