



END-OF-SALE AND END-OF-LIFE ANNOUNCEMENT FOR THE CISCO CNS ACCESS REGISTRAR 1.3

Cisco Systems® announces the end-of-sale and end-of-life dates for the Cisco® CNS Access Registrar® 1.3. The last day to order the Cisco CNS Access Registrar 1.3 is May 1, 2000. Customers with active service contracts will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) until May 1, 2003.

Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the Cisco CNS Access Registrar 1.3. Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement. Customers are encouraged to migrate to the Cisco CNS Access Registrar 3.5, which delivers carrier-class performance and scalability as well as the extensibility required for integration with the latest evolving service-management systems for service providers. Information about the replacement product can be found at: <http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/sw/netmgtsw/ps411/index.html>

Table 1. End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for Cisco CNS Access Registrar 1.3

Milestone	Definition	Date
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.	May 1, 2000
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.	May 1, 2001
End of Service Contract Renewal Date	The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product. The extension or renewal period cannot extend beyond the last date of support.	May 1, 2002
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.	May 1, 2003

Table 2. Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description
AR-BASE-1.3	Cisco CNS Access Registrar First Server License
AR-ADDSRV-1.3	Cisco CNS Access Registrar Additional Server License

PRODUCT MIGRATION OPTIONS

The recommended replacement for the Cisco CNS Access Registrar 1.3 is the Cisco CNS Access Registrar 3.5. Cisco CNS Access Registrar 3.5 is a fast, available, and extensible RADIUS platform that provides intelligent authentication, authorization, and accounting services across all subscriber access technologies, including mobile wireless, the public wireless LAN (WLAN), broadband, and voice over IP (VoIP).

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the Cisco CNS Access Registrar, visit <http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/sw/netmgtsw/ps411/index.html> or contact your local Cisco account representative or Cisco channel partner.

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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