

End-of-Sale and End-of-Life Announcement for the Cisco Aironet 40-bit WEP Products Base Station and Jump Start Kit

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Cisco Systems® announces the end-of-sale and end-of life dates for the Cisco Aironet 40-bit WEP Products Base Station and Jump Start Kit. The last day to order the Cisco Aironet 40-bit WEP Products Base Station and Jump Start Kit is September 3, 2001. Customers with active service contracts will continue to receive support from the Cisco Technical Assistance Center (TAC) as shown in Table 1 of the EoL bulletin. Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the Cisco Aironet 40-bit WEP Products Base Station and Jump Start Kit. Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement.

Cisco Systems is committed to providing customers with the highest level of security available. Consistent with this, we are discontinuing all 40-bit encrypted products. Because our products are classified by the United States Department of Commerce as being "retail" products, Cisco does not differentiate between 40- and 128-bit encrypted products. Therefore, Cisco holds no export limitations on 128-bit encrypted products that are not equally applicable to 40-bit encrypted products.

Table 1. End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for the Cisco Aironet 40-bit WEP Products Base Station and Jump Start Kit

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.	September 3, 2001
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.	September 3, 2001
Last Date of Support: HW	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.	September 3, 2006

Table 2. Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description
AIR-BSM342	340 Base Station w/ WEP; Captured Antenna; modem	AIR-BSE342	340 Base Station w/ WEP; Captured Antenna
AIR-KT342-01-AM	Jump Start Kit; 1 Access Point, 2 PC Cards	There is currently no replacement product available for this product.	NA
AIR-KT342-01-EU	Jump Start Kit; 1 Access Point, 2 PC Cards	There is currently no replacement product available for this product.	NA

AIR-KT342-01-JP	Jump Start Kit; 1 Access Point, 2 PC Cards	There is currently no replacement product available for this product.	NA
AIR-KT342-01-SN	Jump Start Kit; 1 Access Point, 2 PC Cards	There is currently no replacement product available for this product.	NA

Product Migration Options

Cisco Aironet 340 Series Products

In most cases the Cisco Aironet® 350 Series represents a superset of hardware and software functionality relative to the Cisco Aironet 340 Series. To simplify ordering and decrease the SKU count supported by both Cisco and its distribution and reseller partners, Cisco is discontinuing many products in the Cisco Aironet 340 Series family. In most countries, these discontinued products have direct replacements in the Cisco Aironet 350 Series family. However, in the countries Argentina, Chile, China, Cyprus, Mexico, Peru, Poland, Romania, Russian Federation, Slovenia, Taiwan and Thailand, direct replacement 350 series products have not yet been certified. There is no impact on the functionality of the Cisco Aironet product family that results from this discontinuation. Products specifically excluded from this discontinuation are the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Bridge (AIR-BR342), Cisco Aironet 340 Series Access Points (AIR-AP342E2C and AIR-AP342E2R) and the Cisco Aironet 340 Series Ethernet Uplink Base Station (AIR-BSE342).

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.

Customers may be able to continue to purchase the end-of-sale product through Cisco's Authorized Refurbished Equipment program. Refurbished units of the end-of-sale product are available in limited supply for sale in certain countries on a first-come, first-served basis. For information about the refurbished equipment program, go to: http://www.cisco.com/en/US/ordering/or6/or17/order_refurbished_equipment_program_description.html

For More Information

For more information about the Cisco Aironet 40-bit WEP Products, visit <http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/hw/wireless/ps441/index.html>**Error! Hyperlink reference not valid.**, or contact your local account representative, or send an e-mail to .

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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