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End-of-Sale and End-of-Life Announcement for the Sheer 3.1, Sheer 3.2, Sheer 3.3, Sheer 3.4

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Cisco Systems[®] announces the end-of-sale and end-of life dates for the Sheer 3.1, Sheer 3.2, Sheer 3.3, Sheer 3.4. The last day to order the Sheer 3.1, Sheer 3.2, Sheer 3.3, Sheer 3.4 is April 1, 2007. 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 Sheer 3.1, Sheer 3.2, Sheer 3.3, Sheer 3.4. Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement.

Definition	Date
The date the document that announces the end of sale and end of life of a product is distributed to the general public.	November 6, 2006
The last date to order the product through Cisco point-of-sale mechanisms. The product is no longer for sale after this date.	April 1, 2007
The last-possible ship date that can be requested of Cisco and/or its contract manufacturers. Actual ship date is dependent on lead time.	April 1, 2007
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.	April 1, 2007
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.	April 1, 2007
The last date to extend or renew a service contract for the product.	April 1, 2007
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.	April 1, 2007
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 Table 1.
 End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for the Sheer 3.1, Sheer 3.2, Sheer 3.3, Sheer 3.4.

 Table 2.
 Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description
SHEER-TRANSF-C1	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C10	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C11	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C12	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C13	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C14	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C15	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C2	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C3	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco

SHEER-TRANSF-C4	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C5	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C6	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C7	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C8	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco
SHEER-TRANSF-C9	CA USE ONLY. SHEER Services Contract transfer to Cisco

PRODUCT MIGRATION OPTIONS

Customers are encouraged to migrate to the Cisco Active Network Abstraction 3.5 Information about this product can be found at:

http://www.cisco.com/en/US/prod/collateral/netmgtsw/ps6504/ps8203/ps6776/product_data_sheet 0900aecd80455385.html.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information about the Cisco Active Network Abstraction 3.5, visit, 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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