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# End-of-Sale and End-of-Life Announcement for the Cisco SPS224G4 24-Port 10/100 + 4-Port Gigabit SP Switch

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Cisco announces the end-of-sale and end-of-life dates for the Cisco SPS224G4 24-Port 10/100 + 4-Port Gigabit SP Switch. The last day to order the affected product(s) is March 2, 2013. Customers will continue to receive phone support from the Cisco Small Business Support Center (SBSC) as shown in Table 1 of the EoL bulletin. Table 1 describes the end-of-life milestones, definitions, and dates for the affected product(s). Table 2 lists the product part numbers affected by this announcement. For customers with active product warranties, support will be available as stated in the product warranty terms and conditions, even if this date exceeds the Last Date of Support shown in Table 1.

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.	December 1, 2012
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.	March 2, 2013
End of Phone Support Date: HW	The last date to receive phone support as part of the product warranty. After this date, all phone support services for the product are available with additional charges or support fees. In some cases, support may not be available.	March 2, 2014
Last Ship Date: HW	The last-possible ship date that can be requested of Cisco and/or its contract manufacturers. Actual ship date is dependent on lead time.	May 31, 2013
Last Date of Support: HW	<b>Date of Support:</b> The last date to receive applicable service and support for the product as entitled by active service contracts or by warranty terms and conditions. After this date, all support services for the product are unavailable, and the product becomes obsolete <sup>•</sup> . Warranty duration is based on product ship dates; refer to warranty terms and conditions for details.	

#### Table 1. End-of-Life Milestones and Dates for the Cisco SPS224G4 24-Port 10/100 + 4-Port Gigabit SP Switch

HW = Hardware OS SW = Operating System Software App. SW = Application Software

Table 2.	Product Part Numbers Affected by This Announcement

End-of-Sale Product Part Number	Product Description	Replacement Product Part Number	Replacement Product Description	Additional Information
SPS224G4	24 port 10/100 SP switch with 4 gigabit uplink	There is currently no replacement product available for this product.		
SPS224G4-G5	24-port 10/100 + 4-Port Gigabit SP Switch	SRW224G4-K9-EU	SF300-24 24-port 10/100 Managed Switch with Gigabit Uplinks	-

# **Product Migration Options**

Customers are encouraged to migrate to the Cisco SF300-24 24-Port 10/100 Managed Switch with Gigabit Uplinks (SRW224G4-K9-EU). Information about this product can be found at:

http://www.cisco.com/cisco/web/solutions/small\_business/products/routers\_switches/300\_series\_switches/index.ht ml.

Service prices for Cisco products are subject to change after the product End-of-Sale date.

The Cisco Takeback and Recycle program helps businesses dispose properly of surplus products that have reached their end of useful life. The program is open to all business users of Cisco equipment and its associated brands and subsidiaries. For more information, go to:

http://www.cisco.com/web/about/ac227/ac228/ac231/about\_cisco\_takeback\_recycling.html.

### For More Information

For more information about the Cisco SF300-24 24-Port 10/100 Managed Switch with Gigabit Uplinks, visit <a href="http://www.cisco.com/cisco/web/solutions/small\_business/products/routers\_switches/300\_series\_switches/index.html">http://www.cisco.com/cisco/web/solutions/small\_business/products/routers\_switches/300\_series\_switches/index.html</a>, or contact your local account representative.

For more information about the Cisco End-of-Life Policy, go to: <u>http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/products\_end-of-life\_policy.html</u>.

<sup>\*\*</sup> For more information about the Cisco Product Warranties, go to: <u>http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/prod\_warranties\_listing.html</u>.

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