



Product Bulletin

MetroCluster Customers with Brocade 3xxx Switches and Affected by ESH2 Inventory Shortage

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1. Summary

This product bulletin advises the field to encourage their MetroCluster customers to upgrade their Brocade 3xxx switches to take advantage of ESH4 shelves and modules. Due to the recent announcement of limited supply of ESH2 shelves and modules, NetApp recommends that MetroCluster customers upgrade to the Brocade 200E or 5000 switch, both of which support ESH4 shelves and modules.

2. What's New?

N/A

3. Sales Tools (Sales Guides, Training Presentations, SE Presentations)

N/A

4. Customer-Ready Tools (Customer Presentations, Data Sheets)

N/A

5. System Requirements

Applicable to the 9xx, 3xxx, and 6xxx platforms.

6. Product Information

Downloading

N/A

Product Availability

The Brocade 200E switch (X1610-R5-C and X1611A-R5-C) is already available for quoting in the Quote Tool; the Brocade 5000 switch will be available in June 2008.

7. Regulatory Compliance

Products need to be validated against the NetApp Safety/EMI Regulatory Compliance List prior to order submission. This is required to ensure that products are being sold only in the countries in which NetApp has received regulatory compliance certification.

8. Warranty and Service

N/A

9. Additional Information

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