

SONUS PRODUCT AND SERVICES BULLETIN

External Announcement



ISSUED: 09/21/2017

VX900C 5.0 software SKUs End of Product Sale (EoPS) Notification

Sonus Networks is announcing the End of Product Sale (EOPS) and End of Service milestone dates for VX900C 5.0 SKUs. This announcement will effectively remove the impacted SKUs from the Sonus catalog and will no longer be available for purchase. Sonus recommends that customers using 5.0 application release upgrade to 5.2 application release.

Please contact your Sonus sales representative or Sonus Channel Account Manager for any further queries.

Table 1: VX900C 5.0 based affected Product Codes (SKUs):

EoPS Product Code	Description	Replacement Product Codes	Description
SIPSW-BASE-W-500	VX, R5.0 SW, BSP ONLY, WINDOWS 7	SIPSW-BASE-W-520	VX, R5.2 SW, BSP ONLY, WINDOWS 7
SIPSW-EXT-W-500	VX, R5.0 SW, BSP, H.323, AND SIP, WINDOWS 7	SIPSW-EXT-W-520	VX, R5.2 SW, BSP ONLY, WINDOWS 7

Table 2: VX900C 5.0 End of Service Milestones

Milestone	Date
End of Product Sale Announcement: Date on which Sonus has announced EoPS	September 21, 2017
Last Order Date: Date on which the affected products are no longer orderable	September 21, 2017
Last Ship Date/Manufacturer's Discontinuance: Date on which the products can no longer be shipped from Sonus	October 31, 2017
End of Support Life: Date in which the software can no longer be supported by Sonus	October 31, 2022

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

Frequently Asked Questions	Answer
Are the 5.2 SKUs mentioned in this notice are JITC certified?	Yes, the latest version of 5.2 SKU has recently been JITC certified and has replaced the previously certified 5.0 SKU
Are the replacement 5.2 application software SKUs priced higher than the 5.0 SKUs?	No. Both 5.2 and 5.0 SKUs are priced the same.
Does the migration from 5.0 application software SKUs to 5.2 SKUs offer parity of features?	Yes, the 5.2 SKUs are a superset of the 5.0 SKUs. So, in addition to the existing features in 5.0 SKUs, there many more enhancements in the newer 5.2 SKUs

Major System	VX900C
Sub System	5.0 SKUs
Hardware	N
Firmware	N
Software	Y
Plug-in	N
NEW PRODUCT CODE	N/A
NEW FIRMWARE CODE	N/A
OLD PRODUCT CODE	SIPSW-BASE-W-500 SIPSW-EXT-W-500
OLD FIRMWARE CODE	N/A
NEW CLEI CODE	N/A
OLD CLEI CODE	N/A
ASSOCIATED PRODUCTS	N/A
DRAWING NUMBER	N/A
REFERENCE DRAWINGS	N/A
CHANGE CLASSIFICATION	D
REASON FOR CLASS	EoPS Notice
Vacant	
REASON FOR CHANGE	End of Product Sale
DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE	End of Product Sale (EoPS) Notice
CHANGE VERIFICATION PROCEDURES	
SAFETY Y/N	N
FIRE NOTICE Y/N	N
SERVICE AFFECTING Y/N	N
TRANSMISSION AFFECTING Y/N	N
MAINTENANCE AFFECTING Y/N	Y
RELIABILITY AFFECTING Y/N	N

POWER AFFECTING Y/N	N
TRAFFIC AFFECTING Y/N	N
EFFECT OF CHANGE (*72 CHAR)	Software
MATERIAL AFFECTED	N/A
DOCUMENTATION AFFECTED (*72 CHAR)	N/A
VENDOR IMPLEMENTATION DATE MM/DD/YYYY (10 CHAR)	09/21/2017
MODIFICATION COMPLETION DATE MM/DD/YYYY (10 CHAR)	N/A
MODIFICATION LOCATION (*72 CHAR)	N/A
TRIALED (F)IELD/(L)AB/(N)A (1 CHAR)	N/A

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This bulletin is subject to the existing customer purchase agreement between the parties which shall control in the event of conflict.

The above dates are for planning purposes only and Sonus reserves the right to change with notice.