

SONUS PRODUCT AND SERVICES BULLETIN

External Announcement



ISSUED : 07/20/2014

Product End of Product Sale (EOPS) Notice

Key Takeaway

Sonus Networks announces the End of Life of IBM DS 3524 RAID storage platform. The products affected include ADS, DSI, EMS, NetScore and PSX. The replacement platform for the DS 3524 will be the IBM V3700 array. Please consult with your Sonus Sales Representative for availability dates of the replacement platform.

Product Codes No Longer Available:

EOPS Product Code	Replacement Product Code
ADS-RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC	The replacement platform is the IBM V3700 RAID Array. Please consult the Sonus Sales Team for the replacement product codes and pricing.
ADS-RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC	
AS-ADS-RAID-3524AC	
AS-ADS-RAID-3524DC	
DSIL01-RAID-3524-5D-AC-FC	
DSIL01-RAID-3524-5D-DC-FC	
DSIL2-RAID-3524-5D-AC-FC	
DSIL2-RAID-3524-5D-DC-FC	
EMS-RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC	
EMS-RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC	
NSC-RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC	
NSC-RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC	
POL-PSX-RAID-3524AC	
POL-PSX-RAID-3524DC	
PSX-RAID-3524-5D-AC-FC	
PSX-RAID-3524-5D-DC-FC	
RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC	
RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC	
SYM-EMS-RAID-3524AC	
SYM-EMS-RAID-3524DC	
TRK-DSIL01-RAID-3524AC	

TRK-DSIL01-RAID-3524DC	
TRK-DSIL2-RAID-3524AC	
TRK-DSIL2-RAID-3524DC	

Sonus Product Life Cycle Dates:

Milestone	Date
End of Product Sale Announcement: Date on which Sonus has announced EOPS	July 20, 2014
Last Order Date: Date on which the affected products are no longer orderable	Dec 31, 2014
Last Ship Date/Manufacturer's Discontinuance: Date on which the products can no longer be shipped from Sonus	June 30, 2015
End of Support Life: Date in which the product can no longer be supported by Sonus—calls to Sonus level 1 no longer supported, no RMA.	June 30, 2019

Major System	IBM RAID DS3524
Sub System	
Hardware	Y
Firmware	N
Software	N
Plug-in	N
NEW PRODUCT CODE	Will be provided later
NEW FIRMWARE CODE	N/A
OLD PRODUCT CODE	ADS-RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC ADS-RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC AS-ADS-RAID-3524AC AS-ADS-RAID-3524DC DSIL01-RAID-3524-5D-AC-FC DSIL01-RAID-3524-5D-DC-FC DSIL2-RAID-3524-5D-AC-FC DSIL2-RAID-3524-5D-DC-FC EMS-RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC EMS-RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC NSC-RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC NSC-RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC POL-PSX-RAID-3524AC POL-PSX-RAID-3524DC PSX-RAID-3524-5D-AC-FC PSX-RAID-3524-5D-DC-FC RAID-3524-9D-AC-FC RAID-3524-9D-DC-FC SYM-EMS-RAID-3524AC SYM-EMS-RAID-3524DC TRK-DSIL01-RAID-3524AC TRK-DSIL01-RAID-3524DC TRK-DSIL2-RAID-3524AC TRK-DSIL2-RAID-3524DC
OLD FIRMWARE CODE	N/A
NEW CLEI CODE	N/A
OLD CLEI CODE	GCMRT10GRA GCMRS10GRA
ASSOCIATED PRODUCTS	ADS, DSI, EMS, NetScore and PSX
DRAWING NUMBER	N/A
REFERENCE DRAWINGS	N/A
CHANGE CLASSIFICATION	D
REASON FOR CLASS	EOPS Notice
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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)	Hardware
MATERIAL AFFECTED	N/A
DOCUMENTATION AFFECTED (*72 CHAR)	N/A
VENDOR IMPLEMENTATION DATE MM/DD/YYYY (10 CHAR)	07/20/2014
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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