

October 2, 2007

Dear Brocade Partner,

Thank you for promoting and selling the Eclipse family of SAN Routers. As we transition to the next generation of SAN Extension and Routing products, we are initiating the End-of-Life process for the Brocade M1620 SAN Router (formerly known as the McDATA Eclipse 1620 SAN Router), Brocade M2640 (formerly known as the McDATA Eclipse 2640 SAN Router), and the associated management software called SANvergence Manager. The replacement products are listed below.

Pursuant to the terms of your agreement with Brocade, this letter serves as your formal written end-of-life notification, which will allow for appropriate planning and opportunity for last time purchases.

If you have an inventory of these EOL products, you may return all EOL products, purchased within 120 days prior to the EOL Notice (October 2, 2007). The EOL product returns must be returned within 30 days of EOL Notice (October 2, 2007).

Brocade will provide ongoing service for the installed base of M1620 and M2640 products for five years beginning on the last ship date (January 15, 2008).

The objective of the Brocade account management team is to smoothly transition opportunities to the replacement products by planning to the following milestones:

Brocade M1620

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| • EOL Notification | October 2nd, 2007 |
| • EOL Final, Non-cancelable, Non-returnable orders due | December 31 st , 2007 |
| • EOL Last Ship | January 15 th , 2008 |
| • End of Service/Support | January 15 th , 2013 |

Brocade M2640

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| • EOL Notification | October 2nd, 2007 |
| • EOL Final, Non-cancelable, Non-returnable orders due | December 31 st , 2007 |
| • EOL Last Ship | January 15 th , 2008 |
| • End of Service/Support | January 15 th , 2013 |

Brocade SANvergence

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| • EOL Notification | October 2nd, 2007 |
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The following product numbers will enter End of Life phase per the above dates:

Eclipse M1620	
Brocade Part Number	Description
IN-1620	Brocade M1620 Base Unit - Includes 4 active ports (2 FC /2 GE), 4 SFP optics 2 Power supplies, RS-232 9-pin console cable, Rack mount kit ordered separately, 12 iSCSI server connections. (**Includes 13-mth mail-in warranty) SANvergence Manager Standard with 1-yr Maintenance & Support
1601	iSCSI Enterprise Software Upgrade includes iSCSI up to maximum supported servers (50) per switch + E_Port
1602	iFCP Standard Software Upgrade includes iSCSI up to maximum supported servers (50) per switch + E_Port + iFCP without Fast Write and without Compression
1603	iFCP Enterprise Software Upgrade includes iSCSI up to maximum supported servers (50) per switch + E_Port + iFCP with Fast Write and with Compression
1604	Eclipse 1620 rack mount kit
1606	Tri-mode (1Gbps Ethernet, 1Gbps Fibre Channel, 2Gbps Fibre Channel) SFP module with LC connector for up to 550m over Multi-mode fiber (MMF)
1607	Copper 1Gbps Gigabit Ethernet SFP module with RJ-45 connector
1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069	Power Cords
IN1620-W247	1620 24x7 Warranty Upgrade for 13 months
1620 SPARES	
007-E00140-SP	1620 Spare Unit
803-E00080-000 SP	SPARE Copper 1Gbps Gigabit Ethernet SFP module with RJ-45 connector

Eclipse M2640	
Brocade Part Number	Description
IN-2640	Eclipse 2640 SAN Router, 16 active ports: 12 FC, 4 GE, short wave optics included, Base firmware with 2 R_Ports and iSCSI with max supported servers (200), Rail Kit ordered separately, (**Includes 13-mth mail-in warranty) SANvergence Mgranager Standard with 1-yr Maintenance aintenance & Supportupport
2602-MCD	Standard iFCP upgrade, without Compression and without Fast Write
2603-MCD	Enterprise iFCP upgrade, includes Compression and Fast Write
2604-MCD	mSAN Routing upgrade includes max supported R_Ports
2605-MCD	Standard iFCP and mSAN Routing upgrade includes iFCP without Fast Write and without Compression and max supported R_Ports
2606-MCD	Comprehensive Upgrade includes iFCP with Fast Write and Compression and max supported R_Ports
2601	Eclipse 2640 rack mount kit
IN2640-W247	2640 24x7 Warranty Upgrade for 13 months
2640 SPARES	
007-E00010-SP	2640 Spare Unit
721-E00091-200 SP	SPARE 2640 Power Supply
806-E00001-203 SP	SPARE 2640 Power Cord
803-E00080-000 SP	SPARE Copper 1Gbps Gigabit Ethernet SFP module with RJ-45 connector
Management Software	9550, 9551, 9952 (SANvergence Manager)
9550	SANvergence Manager Standard Edition
9551	SANvergence Manager Enterprise Edition (older revision 4.x)
9552	SANvergence Manager Enterprise Edition
Services	PSI-ROUT-STD, PSI-ROUT-COMP, PSI-UPG-BASE (IMPLEMENTATION SERVICES)
PSI-ROUT-STD	Standard Router Installation Service
PSI-ROUT-COMP	Comprehensive Router Installation Service
NMS-ECP-SIL-1, NMS-ECP-SIL-2, NMS-ECP-SIL-3	Network Monitoring Services for Eclipse (NMS)

Replacement Products:

EOL Product	Replacement Product
Extension	
Eclipse M1620	Brocade 7500
Eclipse M2640	Brocade 7500/FR4-18i
iSCSI Gateway	
Eclipse M1620	Brocade iSCSI Gateway
Eclipse M2640	Brocade FC4-16IP iSCSI blade for the 48000 Director
Management Application	
SANvergence Manager	Enterprise Fabric Configuration Manager (EFCM)

Please contact your account manager for any questions or concerns that you may have.

Sincerely,

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