



PRODUCT NOTICE # PCN-1013-01 rev A1

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Products Affected DuraMAR 5915 1X Series Router/Switch

Dates for Last Time Buy & Last Shipment

Potential Product Migration Plan

This product notice serves as notification of the planned End of Life (EOL) for a standard product and all custom derivatives and is announced prior to final production in order to allow customers time to order sufficient product to maintain long-term program requirements or to allow for a managed product migration to a new product.

### SUMMARY

Curtiss-Wright announces the planned End of Life (EOL) for the **Parvus DuraMAR 5915 "1X"** series router/switch variants (MAR-5195-1X). This does not impact other variants of the DuraMAR 5915.

The last day to order the affected products is June 17, 2018. New orders are non-cancellable and non-returnable. All products must be shipped by Dec 31, 2018. Customers may also consider purchasing extended warranty and service contracts that extend support for the affected products up through 2023 and bundle Cisco SmartNET software updates and Technical Assistance Center (TAC) support. Product migration options are detailed in this announcement.

# **AFFECTED PRODUCTS**

Ordering Code	<u>Description</u>		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
MAR-5915-10	15x GigE Switched), BaselOS		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
MAR-5915-11	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
MAR-5915-12	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS, CME-5		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
MAR-5915-13	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS, CME-25		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
MAR-5915-14	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS, CME-50		
	Breakout Cable Set for MAR-5915-10/-11/-12/-13/-14 (Mating MIL-38999 to RJ-		
CBL-5915-01	45, DB-9, Power)		
SRV-5915-BX	Cisco SmartNET 5 Year Contract for MAR-5915-11		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
MAR-5915-11-1	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS with Dust Caps		



	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS, Tin-Whisker Mitigation (Cadmium plated		
	connectors, full conformal coating, J-STD-001 Class 3 soldering, extended ESS		
MAR-5915-11-2	testing)		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
	15x GigE Switched), Cisco Advanced Enteprise IOS, Tin-Whisker Mitigation		
	(Cadmium plated connectors, full conformal coating, J-STD-001 Class 3		
MAR-5915-11B-2	soldering, extended ESS testing), CME-5		
	DuraMAR 5915 Mobile Router/GigE Switch (2x FE Routed, 2x FE Switched,		
	15x GigE Switched), AdvIOS, Tin-Whisker Mitigation (Cadmium plated		
	connectors, full conformal coating, J-STD-001 Class 3 soldering, extended ESS		
MAR-5915-12-2	testing), CME-5		

#### **KEY DATE SUMMARY**

End of Sale Announcement	Issued 17 January 2018
<b>Last Time Buy Date</b>	17 June 2018
<b>Last Time Ship Date</b>	31 Dec 2018
End of Service/Support Date	31 Dec 2023 (if a multi-year service
(with multi-year extended service contract)	contract that bundle Cisco SmartNet is
	also purchased)

### **REASON FOR EOL**

Key interconnect components from 3M for the COM-1268 Ethernet switches integrated inside the DuraMAR 5915 "1X" products are end of life (EOL) without any replacement or migration path options. CW recently received an EOL notification from 3M for the backplane connectors used for Ethernet signals (3M HM-HSHM and UHM-Series) on the COM-1268 cards inside the DuraMAR 5915 1X system and was given limited time for last time buys (LTBs). With the 3M announcement, Curtiss-Wright anticipates purchasing components to support 2018 forecasted sales, but does not plan to continue building the 1X variant of the DuraMAR 5915 system after the LTB date. Note that in 2015, Curtiss-Wright issued an EOL notice for the standalone COM-1268 switch board because of other obsolete components but has managed inventory of EOL components to enable the DuraMAR 5915 1X systems to continue to be built. With the 3M announcement, this is no longer a sustainable option, given limited customer demand and the high cost for acquiring these components.

# POTENTIAL PRODUCT MIGRATION

Curtiss-Wright offers two newer variants of the DuraMAR 5915 system that integrate Ethernet switches, namely the DuraMAR 5915 "2X" and "3X" variants. These MIL-STD qualified systems



feature the same Cisco-based 5915 ESR router as in the "1X", but with newer and higher port count switch options that are lower power and with much more comprehensive software management capabilities. The 2X and 3X variants are pin-for-pin compatible on the router ports, but have different pinouts for the switch ports. The 2X variant is a Cisco IOS-based switch based on the ESS 2020 switch card, while the 3X variant is a Microsemi-Vitesse-based switch design based on Curtiss-Wright's SWI-22-10 switch card.

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