

End-of-Sale Announcement for the Aruba RAP-5 Remote Access Points

Aruba, a Hewlett Packard Enterprise company is announcing end-of-sale for the following products:

Aruba Part Number	Description
RAP-5	Aruba RAP-5 Multi-port Remote Access Point. 1x 100/1000Base-T & 4x 10/100Base-T, USB 2.0 port. Ships with Universal 12V AC power adapter
RAP-5-US	Aruba RAP-5 Multi-port Remote Access Point. 1x 100/1000Base-T & 4x 10/100Base-T, USB 2.0 port. Ships with NA 12V AC power adapter
RAP-5-MNT	Aruba RAP-5 Remote Access Point Wall Mount

The above product can be replaced with the following products, which are functionally equivalent:

Aruba Part Number	Description
RAP-5WN	Aruba RAP-5WN Multi-port Remote Access Point. Single radio 802.11a/b/g/n 3x3 MIMO operation, omni-direction integrated antennas, 1x 10/100/1000Base-T (RJ-45), 4x 10/100Base-T (RJ-45), USB 2.0 port. Ships with Universal 12V AC power adapter.
RAP-5WN-US	Aruba RAP-5WN Multi-port Remote Access Point. Single radio 802.11a/b/g/n 3x3 MIMO operation, omni-direction integrated antennas, 1x 10/100/1000Base-T (RJ-45), 4x 10/100Base-T (RJ-45), USB 2.0 port. Ships with NA 12V AC power adapter.
RAP-5WN-MNT	Aruba RAP-5WN Remote Access Point Wall Mount

In general, the Aruba RAP-5WN represents a superset from a functional and performance perspective. The specific replacement model will vary depending on the application.

We currently expect to be accepting final orders through January 31, 2012, however this final date will depend on the continued availability of stock and, at Aruba's discretion, the actual end of sale date may be earlier than January 31, 2012. End of support for the products is January 31, 2017. We strongly encourage you to transition all backlog and new business to the Aruba RAP-5WN as the recommended solution.

Notes on Accessories and related Products

The AC and DC powering accessories will continue to be offered, since these are compatible with the RAP-5WN model as well.

Definitions

- End-of-Sales Announcement (this document): Date of official end-of-sales notice.
- End-of-Sales Date: The last date to order the product through Aruba point-of-sale mechanisms. The product is no longer for sale.
- End-of-Support Date: The last date a product will be supported by Aruba.

End-of-Sale Milestones

- End-of-Sales Announcement: August 1, 2011
- End-of-Sales Date: January 31, 2012
- End-of-Support Date: January 31, 2017

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