

Infoblox is announcing the Last Order Date (LOD) and End-of-Life (EOL) for the WinConnect product line. This includes the following part numbers:

IB-250-A-WCON-2K IB-250-A-WCON-UPG	IB-550-A-WCON-5K IB-550-WCON-UPG	IB-1050-A-WCON-30K IB-1050-WCON-UPG
IB-1550-A-WCON-100K IB-1550-WCON-UPG	IB-1552-A-WCON-100K IB-1552-WCON-UPG	

Effective October 31, 2010 WinConnect hardware and licenses for the product will no longer be available for order or shipment. This is the Last-order-Date (LOD) for all Infoblox customers.

Infoblox will continue to sell or renew WinConnect support/maintenance contracts only where the support/maintenance contract termination date is not past the EOL date.

WinConnect Migration Options

The WinConnect product line has been replaced by the Microsoft Management Module for NIOS which allows the administrator management of their Microsoft DNS and DHCP infrastructure from within the Infoblox Grid.

- Option #1 License conversion from WinConnect to NS1 with Grid IB-CONV-WCON-NS1GRID
- Option #2 License conversion from WinConnect to Microsoft Management Module for NIOS with Grid IB-CONV-WCON-MSGRID

WinConnect Support and Maintenance Policy

Infoblox will continue to support hardware running NIOS 4.3 with WinConnect until October 31, 2013. Hardware that is converted to either a NS1 or MS Management license will be supported based on the EOL dates associated with the hardware platform and new software license.

Note: The last NIOS release that includes the WinConnect feature set is 4.3r7. Infoblox will provide critical bug fixes for the duration of the 4.3 support period. Infoblox will not be making any feature improvements or enhancements to WinConnect.

For more Information

For release dates and milestones on all currently supported Infoblox software releases, please refer to the "Infoblox Software Release Dates and Milestones" which is available with other notices regarding Infoblox End of Product Life Cycle on the Web.