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Catalyst 9000 Series Switching Family

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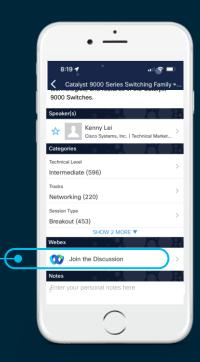
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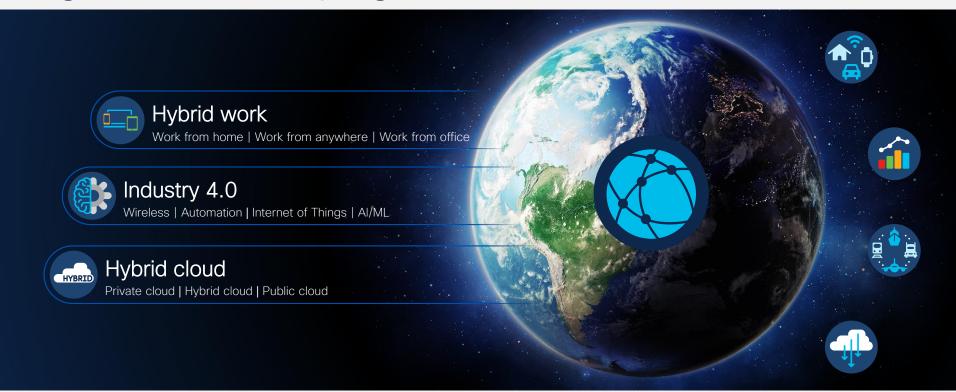


Agenda

- Digital trends
- Cisco ASICs
- Catalyst 9500X / 9500
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- Features and Scales
- Summary



Digital trends shaping the future of business



and the network is the core engine of hybrid work

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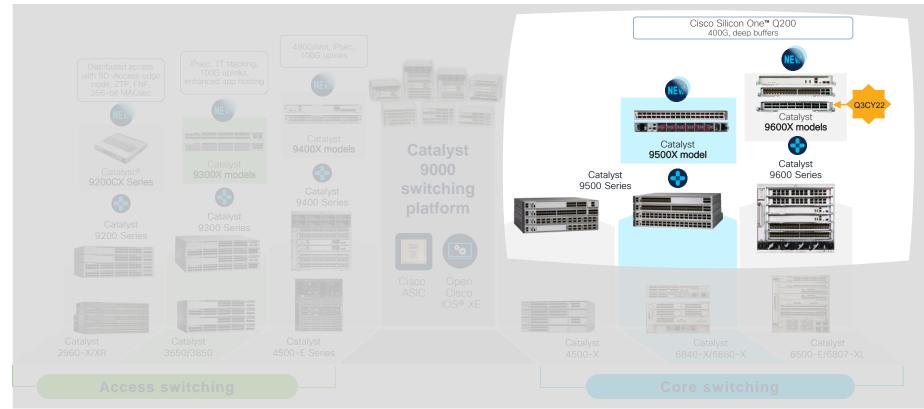
New Access requirements for Future Campus

Higher Speeds, Scale, Buffer, etc. Distribution/Core/Edge Higher and Flexible Uplink Bandwidth Higher UPOE+ Port Density Higher 10G Port Density



Catalyst 9000X - Expanding industry leadership

Adding the "X factor" to the industry's leading switching family





Cisco ASICs Cisco UADPs and Silicon One



Catalyst 9000 Series - Common Building Blocks



Programmable x86 Multi-Core CPU

Open IOS XE® Polaris



Cisco ASICs UADPs and Q200

Application Hosting Secure Containers

Model-Driven APIs Modular Patching

Programmable Pipeline Flexible Tables

Same binary image for both UADP and Silicon One C9K platforms*



UADP 3.0



~20B transistors
16-nm technology



Customizable ASIC templates



Double-width tables



Up to 1.6 TB bandwidth



Up to 1000Mpps throughput



36-MB unified buffer



3x more FIB scale



1G, 10G, 25G, 40G, and 100G speeds



Up to 1.6Tbps ASIC Interconnect



UADP 2.0XL and 3.0 ASIC comparison

Capabilities (per ASIC)	UADP 2.0XL	UADP 3.0
Switching and forwarding capacity	240 Gbps/360 Mpps	1.6 Tbps/1 Bpps
Stack bandwidth	2x 360 Gbps	2x 400 Gbps
Buffer capability	2x 16 MB	36 MB shared buffer
Switch Database Management (SDM) template	Fixed templates	Customizable templates
NetFlow capabilities	Dedicated NetFlow table	Shared NetFlow table
v4 FIB scale	Total 228,000*	Total 412,000*
v4 and v6 scale	v6 reduced by half	v4 and v6 same scale

^{*} Maximum ASIC capability.



Cisco Silicon One™



Switching Silicon

- High Throughput
 extremely fast hardware-based L2-L4 forwarding
 and services (measured in Terabits per second)
- Optimized Scale
 optimized for Campus LAN environments with
 moderate IP & MAC scale (10s-100s of thousands)
- Low Latency
 extremely low hardware-based system latency
 (measured in Nanoseconds & Microseconds)
- Streamlined Buffering shallow buffering systems to reduce latency, with very high throughput





Routing Silicon

- Flexible Features
 complex, stateful L3-L7 forwarding and services
 (measured in Gigabits per second)
- Massive Scale
 optimized for WAN/SP environments with very high IP scale (100s of thousands millions)
- Mixed Interfaces
 support for Ethernet, Serial, Cellular and other types and speeds in a single system
- Deeper Buffering
 deep buffers to accommodate different speeds,
 bursts and different flow patterns

Cisco Silicon One Bringing Switching and Routing convergence



Cisco Silicon One™ Q200

Industry leading Switching and Routing Silicon





12.8T BW

8.1 Bpps



2M IPv4

or 1M IPv6

route scale

8G HBM for deep buffers



Fully P4
Programmable
Pipeline

50G PAM4 Serdes





First 7nm ASIC providing lowest watts/GE power consumption



Fully P4 programmable enabling feature velocity



Multi slice architecture for flexibility and scale

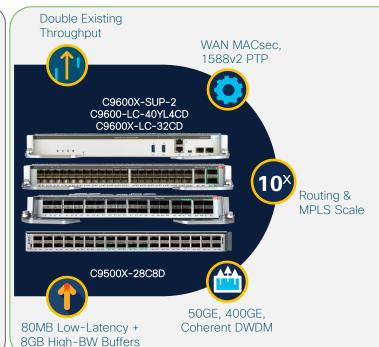
Extending Cisco Catalyst 9500 & 9600 Series Powered by Cisco Silicon One[™] Q200 ASIC



C9500 & C9600-SUP1 (w/ UADP 3.0)

Optimized for Features

- ✓ Speed
- 1/10 & 25G SFP
- 40 & 100G QSFP
- ✓ Scale
- Upto 128K MACs
- Upto 256K Routes
- 108MB Buffers (3x 36MB)
- √ Services
- L2/L3 Routing, MPLS
- LAN MACsec, Netflow, NAT
- Custom ASIC Templates
- Campus Fabric (SDA & EVPN)





C9500X & C9600X-SUP2 (w/ S1 Q200)

Optimized for Scale

- ✓ Speed
- 10/25G & 50G* SFP
- 40/100G & 200*/400G QSFP
- ✓ Scale
- Upto 256K MACs
- Upto 2M Routes
- 80MB + 8GB Buffers
- Services
- L2/L3 Routing, MPLS/TE
- LAN & WAN-MACSec, Netflow, NAT*
- Custom ASIC Templates
- Campus Fabric (SDA & EVPN*)

Maximum Investment Protection

400G Leadership in Campus

Unmatched Flexibility



* Hardware capable

Catalyst 9500X/9500



Cisco Catalyst 9500 Series Purpose-built fixed core/aggregation switches

UADP 2.0XL



UADP 3.0



Silicon One Q200

- · 40G at the price of 10G
- Industry's first 40G enterprise switch
- Optimized 10G switch for midsize backbone



- Up-to 48x 25 GE Ports
- Industry's first 100G enterprise switch
- · Flexible templates



- Reversible Bi-directional Airflow
- Ultra Deep 8GB Buffers
- High route scale (2M) and Mac scale (256K)



Modular fans



Modular uplinks



power supplies



Storage for application hosting

Catalyst® 9500X - Extending Cisco® Catalyst® 4500-X and 6800 Series leadership in fixed core

Up to 6 Tbps

Up to 8 Bpps

No oversubscription

8x 400GE Density

Pluggable SSD storage

USB 3.0

8x memory and 4x flash

8 core CPU

Customizable templates

Cisco StackWise® Virtual*



Catalyst 9500 Series

Extending the Catalyst 9500 High-Performance Fixed Core

Non-XL Scale

Catalyst 9500 High Perf.

(UADP 3.0)





C9500-32C / C9500-32QC



C9500-48Y4C / C9500-24Y4C

Total Capacity

3.2 Tbps

32 x 100G or 48 x 25G + 4 x 100G



XL Scale



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Catalyst 9500X (S1 Q200)



C9500X-28C8D



Total Capacity

6.0 Tbps

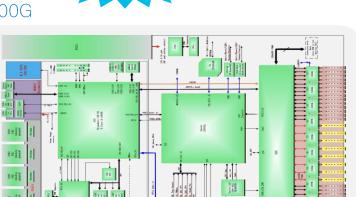
36 x 100G or 28 x 100G + 8 x 400G



C9500X-28C8D

Gen2 Fixed 1RU QSFP Switch - 36x 100G / 28x 100G + 8x 400G

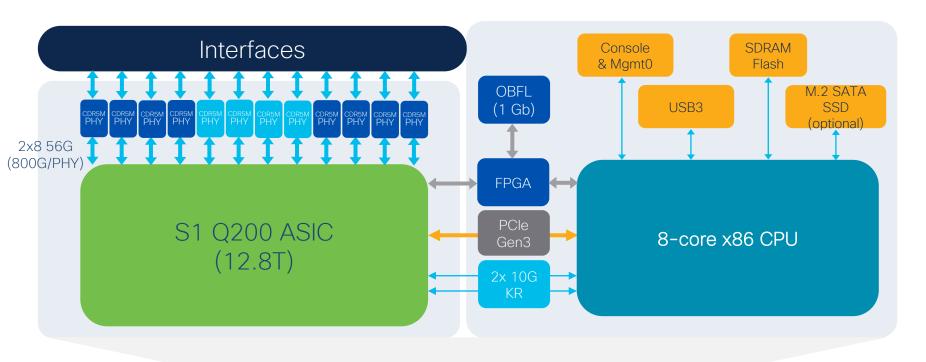
- 1x Cisco SiliconOne Q200 ASIC
 - **6.0 Tbps** System Throughput
 - 28x QSFP28 ports 40/100GE
 - 8x QSFPDD ports 100/200*/400GE
- 1x 8C 2.4GHz x86 CPU with 2x 16GB (32GB) DDR4 DRAM
- 16GB Flash; Optional SSD (Up to 960G)
- 12x CDR5M PHYs
 - MACSec, WAN-MACSec, ClearTag v3.4
 - IEEE 1588 & PTPv2*
- Various SFP Breakout & QSA support*







C9500X-28C8D Block Diagram

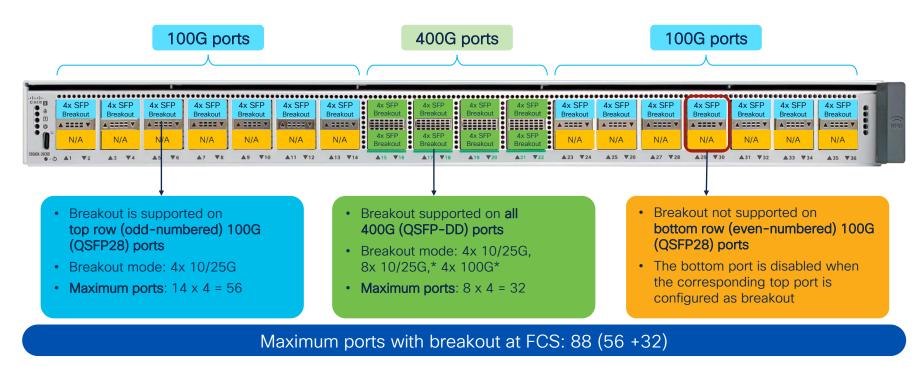






C9500X-28C8D

SFP breakout and QSA* support



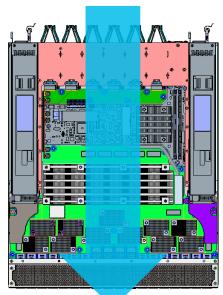
^{*} Hardware capable. System can support up to 120x 10/25G.



C9500X - Reversible Airflow



Back to Front
Port-side Exhaust



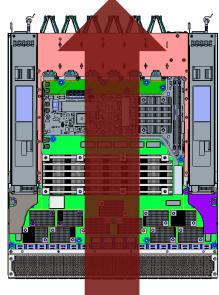
- Color of Fan Unit handle/latch represents direction of airflow
- Different Fan PIDs for different airflow directions
 - Royal Blue Back to Front
 - Burgundy Front to Back
- All Fans must be the same color (direction) to work correctly



Single 1500W AC/DC PSU with Cisco Grey latch for both airflow directions





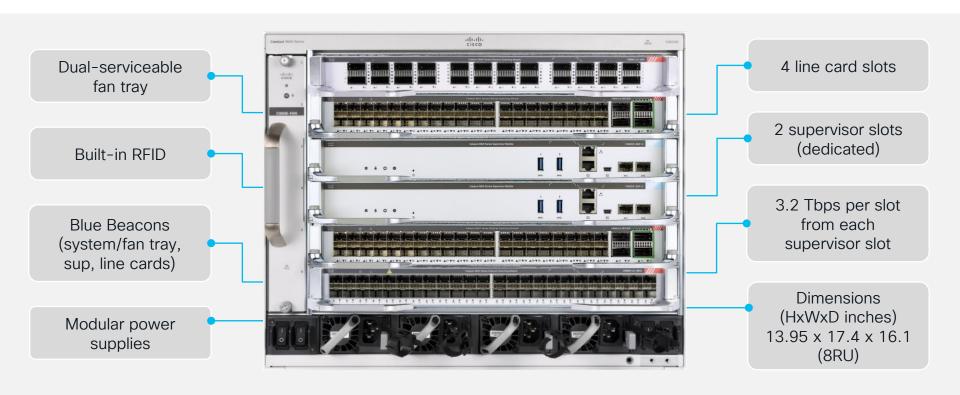




Catalyst 9600X/9600



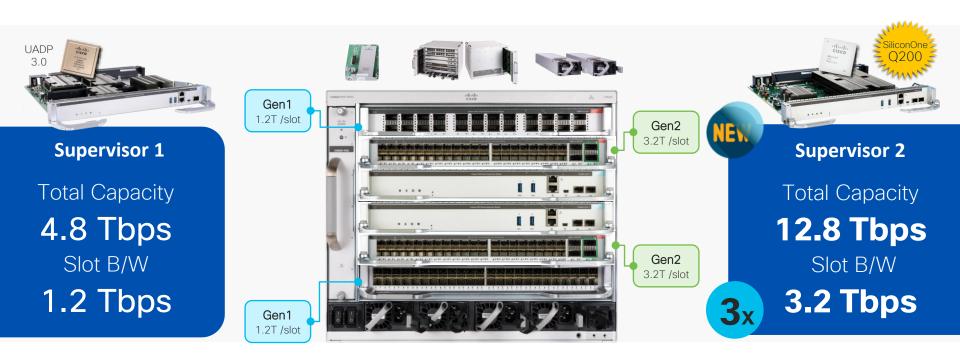
Cisco Catalyst 9600 Series





Catalyst 9600 Series

Extending Modular Core with a Performance-Optimized Supervisor 2





Cisco Catalyst 9600 Series Supervisor 1



4.8 Tbps (full duplex)

1.2 Tbps per slot

3x UADP 3.0 ASIC

8 core X86 CPU @2.0 Ghz

M.2 SATA SSD (optional: up to 960G)

16G DDR4 memory

Built-in RFID

Mgmt ports: copper and fiber

Blue Beacon

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2x USB3 1x mini-B USB console

Cisco Catalyst 9600 Series Supervisor 2



12.8 Tbps (full duplex)

3.2 Tbps per slot

1x Silicon One™ Q200 ASIC 8 core X86 CPU @2.7 Ghz

M.2 SATA SSD (optional: up to 960G)

32G DDR4 memory

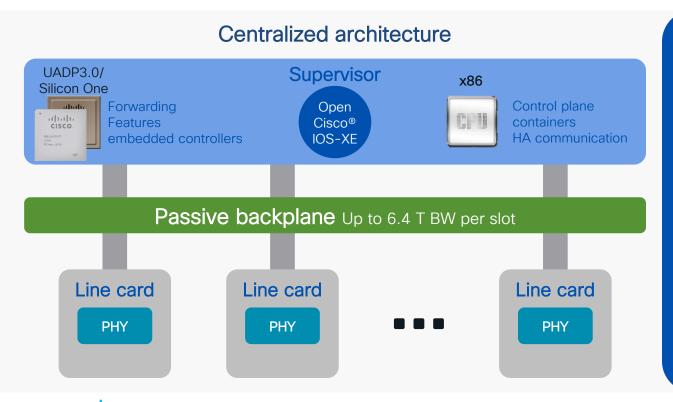
Built-in RFID

Mgmt ports: copper and 2x10G fiber

Blue Beacon

2x USB3 1x mini-B USB console

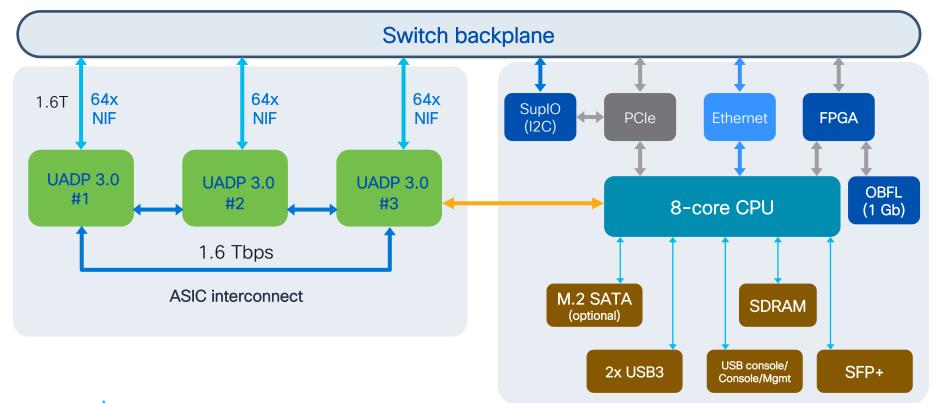
Architecture



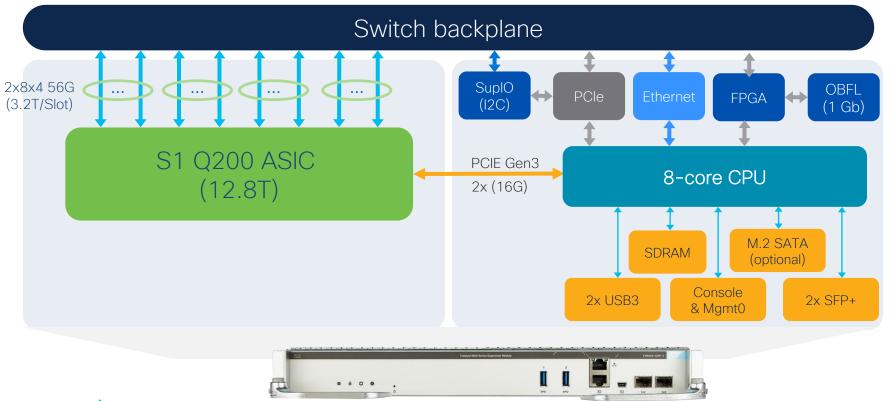
- Centralized architecture => Uninterrupted supervisor switchover
- Centralized architecture (Forwarding, queuing, and security are done on the supervisor) => Unlock new capability with a supervisor upgrade
- Transparent line cards =>
 Compatible with new sup
- Passive backplane => High MTBF
- x86 CPU + storage => App hosting



Supervisor engine 1 – Block diagram



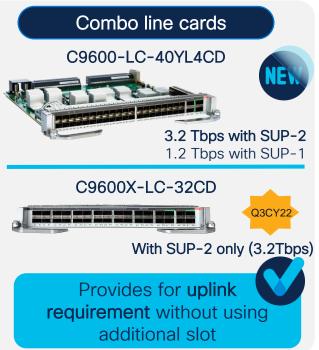
C9600X-SUP-2 Block Diagram



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Catalyst 9600/X: Introducing the first 400G line cards in campus













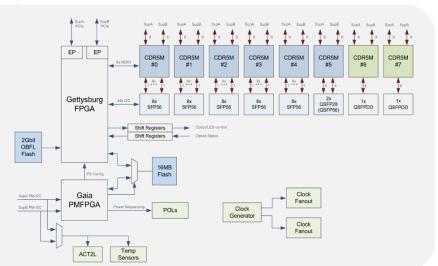


C9600-LC-40YL4CD

Gen2 Combo Line-Card - 40xSFP56 + 2xQSFP56 + 2xQSFPDD



- 40x SFP56 ports 10/25/50*GE
- 2x QSFP56 ports 40/100/200*GE
- 2x QSFPDD ports 40/100/200*/400GE
- 1.2 Tbps With Gen1 Sup
 - 40x SFP28 ports 1/10/25GE
 - 2x QSFP28 ports 40/100GE
- 8x CDR5M PHYs
 - MACSec, WAN-MACSec, ClearTag v3.4
 - IEEE 1588 & PTPv2*
 - Hitless MUX (HMUX)
- Various Breakout & QSA support (QSFP ports)*



3.2 Tbps





C9600-LC-40YL4CD Ports and Speeds Support

with Sup2: 3.2Tbps

40x 10/25/50*GE + **2**x 40/100/200*GE + **2**x 40/100/200*/400GE

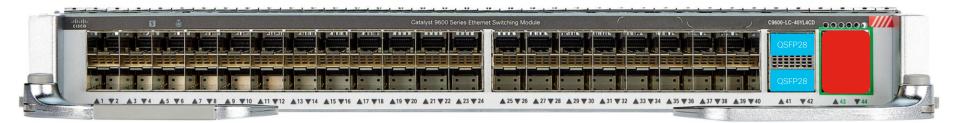
IOS-XE 17.7.1



with Sup1: 1.2Tbps

40x 1/10/25GE + **2**x 40/100GE

IOS-XE 17.8.1



* Hardware capable



Target: CYQ3 2022

C9600X-LC-32CD

Gen2 Module - 30 x QSFP28 + 2 x QSFP-DD

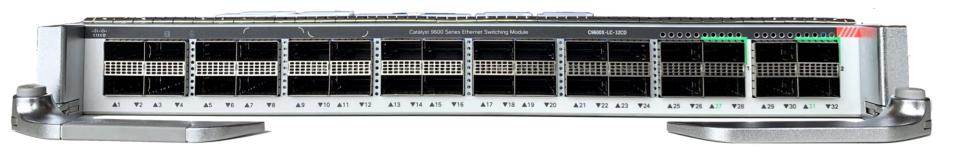


- 30 x QSFP28 ports, 40/100GE
- 2 x QSFP-DD ports, 40/100/200*/400GE
- NOT supported with Supervisor 1
- 8 x CDR5M + 2 x CDR5L PHYs
 - MACSec, WAN-MACSec, ClearTag v3.4
 - IEEE 1588 & PTPv2 (Precision Time Protocol)
 - Hitless MUX (HMUX)







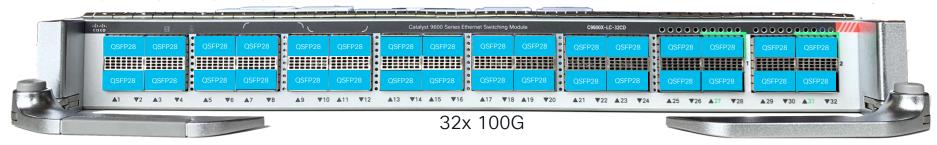




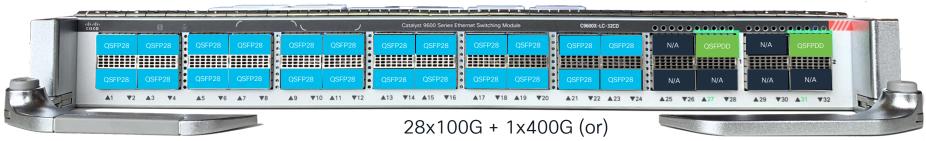
C9600X-LC-32CD

100G / 400G Port Modes

All 100G (QSFP28) Mode (Default):



Two 400G (QSFP-DD) Mode:



24x100G + 2x400G



Gen1 Line-Cards Support with SUP2

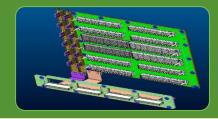
Centralized Architecture

- Gen1 Line-Cards supported*
- Only PHYs on the Line-Cards
- All forwarding on the Supervisor (ASIC)



Additional Bandwidth ©

- C9606 backplane traces support up to 56G PAM4
- Gen1 Line Cards now support up to 2.4T per Slot
 - 24 x 100G QSFP on LC-24C
 - 48 x 50G** SFP on LC-48YL



No MACsec support ⊗

- Q200 does not have onboard Crypto engine
 - Gen2 LCs use newer CDR5M PHY for MACsec
- UADP has onboard MACsec engine
 - Gen1 LCs use older CDR4 PHY (not MACsec capable)

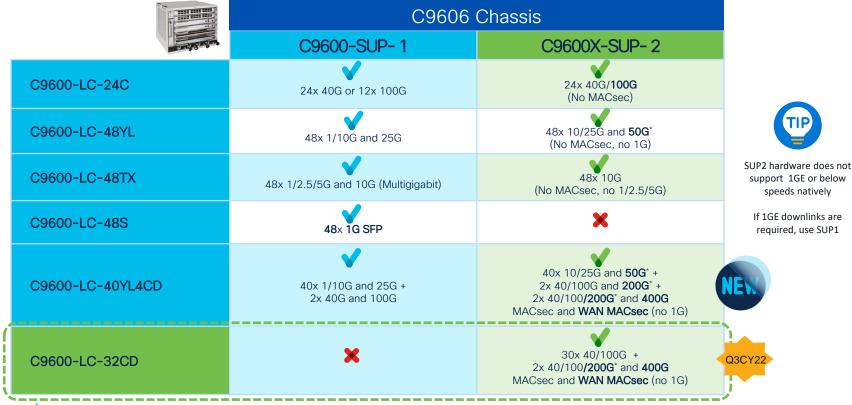


^{*} C9600-LC-48S is not supported with Sup2

^{**} Hardware capable

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Catalyst 9600 Line Card Support Matrix



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Features and Scales



Features and Scales

Silicon One O200	cisco	UADP 3.0	

	Default	Maximum (Custom)	Default	Maximum (Custom)
MAC Addresses	128K	256K	80K	128K
IP Host Routes	128K	256K	80K	128K
Multicast L2 groups	16K	64K*	16K	48K
Multicast L3 routes	32K	64K*	32K	48K
IP LPM Routes	2M	2M	212K	256K
MPLS Labels	256K	512K	32K	64K
SGT/OG Labels	32K	64K	32K	64K
NAT* Sessions	16K*	128K*	3K	16K
Sec ACL Entries	8K	10K*	12K	27K
QoS ACL Entries	8K	10K*	8K	21K
PBR* ACL Entries	8K*	10K*	3K	16K



Catalyst 9500X & 9600X - Things to know Next Generation Core + Edge Switching with Silicon One™ Q200



C9600X-SUP-2 + LC-40YL4CD



C9500X-28C8D



	Technology	Brief Description	Diffs from UADP 3.0	
V	Large LPM Table	Up to 2M IPv4 or 1M IPv6 (hash efficiency is about 80%) Dedicated Memory for LPM	Up to 256K IPv4/IPv6 with Custom SDM template LPM and other features share 416K ASIC memory	
V	Large MAC Table	 Up to 256K MAC entries Custom SDM template. Shared with other features 	Up to 128K MAC entries with Custom SDM template MAC shared with LPM, etc. in same 416K ASIC memory	
V	VoQ QoS + HBM	 Q200 has 80MB local (low-latency) + 8GB HBM (High Bandwidth Memory) buffer memory. Q200 uses a Virtual Output Queue (VoQ) architecture. All queuing and policing policies applied on Ingress. 	Max 36MB unified buffer memory per ASIC Supports both Ingress/Egress queuing & policing	
V	OGACL & SGACL	 8K IPv4, 4K IPv6 ACL TCAM entries. Object-Group & Security-Group ACLs use CEM to map IP-to-Group label, TCAM only uses L4 ACEs. (OG/SG ACL design is optimal for layer 3 environment). 	64K ACL TCAM entries per ASIC Object-group expand into the TCAM space	
V	LAN & WAN-MACsec	 Q200 does not have built-in crypto engine. C9500X & C9600X-LC uses new CDR5M PHY (400Gbps Full-Duplex). CDR5M provides linerate (8x 400G = 3.2T) 802.1ae (LAN) MACsec and WAN-MACsec. 	UADP3 has built-in MACsec crypto (speed of ASIC) UADP3 only supports LAN MACsec (no WAN-MACsec)	
W	Flexible NetFlow*	 Q200 does not have built-in Flow Cache memory (no hardware-based Netflow). C9500X & C9600X uses new Software-based FNF (≤ 2M entries), with a dedicated CPU core (~2Mpps). FNF sampler rate 1:1000, ~10Tbps of 512-Byte packets = ~2Mpps. 	UADP3 has built-in (HW) FNF, max 64K entries per ASIC FNF shared with LPM, etc. in same 416K ASIC memory	



Why OGACL/SGACL in Campus Core?

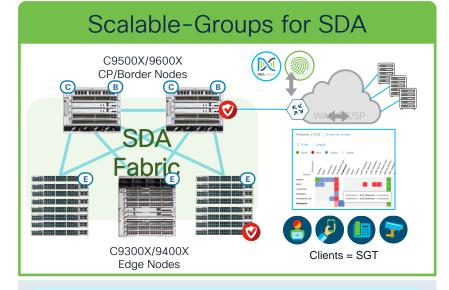
C9500X/9600X Core Switches C9500X/9600X Core Switches Network Network Clients = OGID C9300X/9400X Access Switches

Object-Groups map IP/mask to Labels in CEM

- User defines IP/masks to simple OG name
- OGID labels are stored in Exact Match table

OGACL ACEs take minimal space in ACL TCAM

- Only the Permit/Deny ACEs in TCAM
- OGACLs with same ACEs can reuse entries



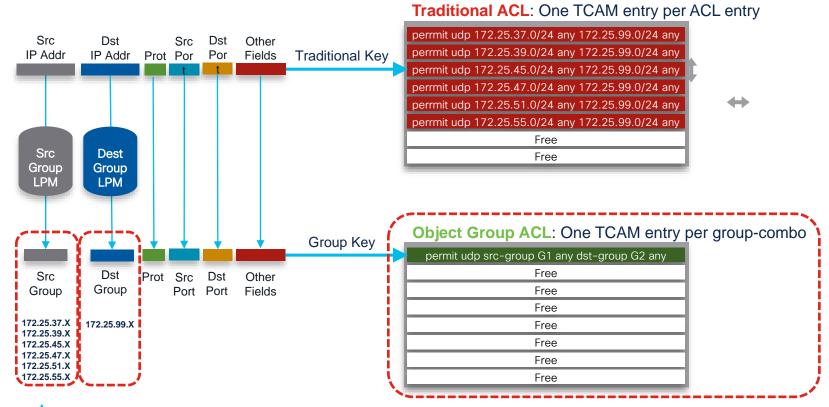
Scalable-Groups map IP/mask to Labels in CEM

- ISE/DNAC defines IP/masks to simple SG name
- SGT labels are stored in Exact Match table

SGACL ACEs take minimal space in ACL TCAM

- Only the Permit/Deny ACEs in TCAM
- SGACLs with same ACEs can reuse entries

Traditional ACL vs Group-Based ACL



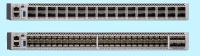


Catalyst 9500/X & 9600/X Series Core Positioning

Next Generation Core + Edge Switching with Silicon One™ Q200

Feature Optimized C9500 & C9600-SUP-1





C9600-SUP-1

C9500

- ✓ Best-in-class Enterprise Core feature set
- ✓ Low speeds (1G 40G) and port density
- ✓ Comprehensive MPLS, EVPN and SDA
- ✓ Ideal for Campus Core, Collapsed Core + Agg

Ideal for **C6K non-XL** deployment migration

Performance Optimized C9500X & C9600X-SUP-2





C9600X-SUP-2

C9500X

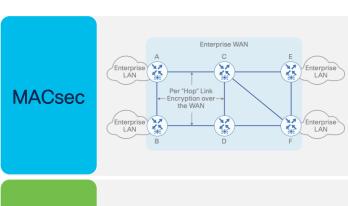
- ✓ Unmatched forwarding scale and performance
- ✓ High speeds (10G 400G) and port density
- ✓ Scaled MPLS and SDA, WAN-MACsec
- ✓ Ideal for Campus Core + Edge, or Centralized WLC

Ideal for **C6K XL** deployment migration



WAN MACsec overview and use cases

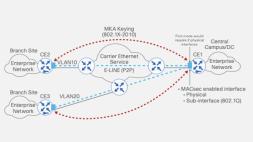
Enabled in hardware on Catalyst 9000 Switches



- Hop-by-hop encryption
- · Directly connected Layer 2 links only
- Secure any direct link in campus/ WAN, including DWDM
- 256/128-bit AES encryption



WAN MACsec



- End-to-end encryption across Layer
 2 Ethernet WAN service
 - EoMPLS/VPLS, Q-in-Q
 - Point-to-point or point-tomultipoint
- Applications include secure site interconnect, DCI, storage replication
- 256/128-bit AES encryption



Supported on **Silicon One™** platforms*
All ports/speeds (up to 400G) simultaneously

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App Hosting on C9K Switches

Existing Hardware

Managed via CLI or Cisco DNA Center

Real Time Processing

Lower Latency

Save Bandwidth



IT Operations and Monitoring Tools

Consolidate Physical Infrastructure



kibana WIRESHARK

perfS

powered



Security Agents and Functions

Enhance Visibility & Security
Enforcement



TRAPX SECURITY



Cloud Gateways with Serverless Edge Compute

Reduce App Latency & Optimize App Traffic

Cybervision



NS1.





Customer Specific Applications

3rd Party App Hosting

Rich ecosystem partnership with 25+ certified apps and 200+ active customer



App Hosting

	Resource type	Catalyst 9500 High Perf	Catalyst 9500-X	Catalyst 9600	Catalyst 9600-X
Networking	AppGig Port	Mgmt Port*	2x10G	Mgmt Port*	Mgmt Port* (2x10G CPU ports)
	Memory	8GB	8GB	8GB	8GB
Resources	CPU	1 core	1 core	1 core	1 core
	Storage	Up to 960GB (SATA)	Up to 960GB (SATA)	Up to 960GB (SATA)	Up to 960GB (SATA)

* Using loopback with any external ports





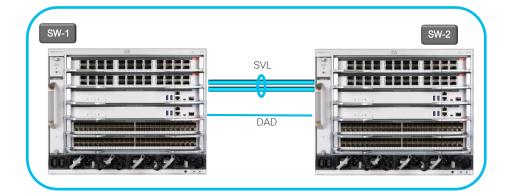






StackWise Virtual



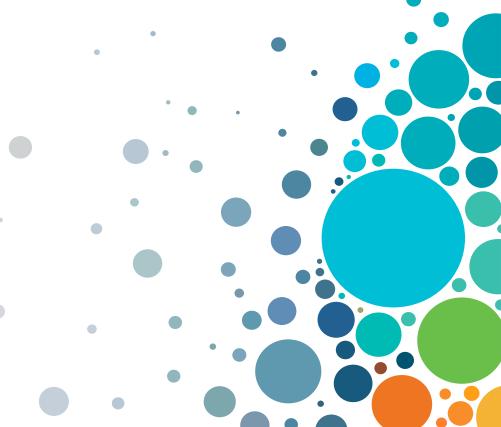


- Supported on all the UADP base platform today
- Roadmap for the Silicon One ASIC platforms

- Simplify Operations by Eliminating STP, FHRP and Multiple Touch-Points
- Double Bandwidth & Reduce Latency with Active-Active Multi-chassis EtherChannel (MEC)
- Minimizes Convergence with Sub-second Stateful and Graceful Recovery (SSO/NSF)



Summary



The Catalyst 9000 Core and Dist Switches

Powering the cloud scale world





Catalyst 9600 / 9600X Supervisor-1 Supervisor-2 Powered by UADP 3.0 Powered by S1 Q200 6.4Tbps per Slot 2.4Tbps Per Slot Fiber line cards 400G/100G/200G/50G/25G/10G/1G Combo line cards 40 x 50G/25G/10G/1G + 2 x $200G/100G + 2 \times 400G$ 32x 100G: or 28x 100G + 400G: or 24x 100G + 2x 400G • 24 x 100G / 40G • 48 x 50G/25G/10G/1G • 48 x 1G

Extending Core Leadership with Catalyst X Series

2.6x Bandwidth

WAN MacSec Support

400G Uplinks

2M Route Scale

Deep Buffers

Cisco Catalyst 9000 Core Series leadership

SD-Access

MACsec-256 link encryption

High Availability (SSO/ISSU)

Application Hosting

Model-driven programmability

Patching and GIR

Streaming telemetry



Backward compatible for investment protection

Copper line card

• 48 x Mgig (Non-PoE)



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- These points help you get on the leaderboard and increase your chances of winning daily and grand prizes.



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Subscription-based product, technology, and certification training

Cisco Modeling Labs

Network simulation platform for design, testing, and troubleshooting

Cisco Learning Network

Resource community portal for certifications and learning



Cisco Training Bootcamps

Intensive team & individual automation and technology training programs

Cisco Learning Partner Program

Authorized training partners supporting Cisco technology and career certifications

Cisco Instructor-led and Virtual Instructor-led training

Accelerated curriculum of product, technology, and certification courses



Cisco Certifications and Specialist Certifications

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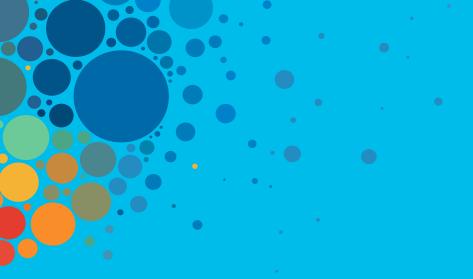
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