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for the ProCurve Switch fl Modules

The following fl Modules are supported in ProCurve Series 8100fl switches:

- ProCurve 8108fl Redundant Switch Fabric Module (J8729A)
- ProCurve 8116fl Redundant Switch Fabric Module (J8730A)
- ProCurve Switch fl Redundant Management Module (J8731A)
- ProCurve Switch fl 1-Port 10-GbE LR Interface Module (J8733A)*
- ProCurve Switch fl 10-Port 100/1000-T Interface Module (J8734A)
- ProCurve Switch fl 10-Port Mini-GBIC Interface Module (J8735A)
- ProCurve Switch fl 1-Port X2 10GbE Module (J8736A)**

* End-of-life in Summer 2006. The 1-Port X2 10GbE Module (J8736A), provides functionally-equivalent LR connectivity (with separate purchase of LR transceivers) in an X2, media-flexible package.

** Requires software version CY.02.03.0000 or greater.

Note

To avoid damaging modules and the backplane, be sure that you insert the right type of module into the appropriate slot. If you attempt to install a module in the wrong slot, physical keying prevents the module from fully entering into the slot. For more information refer to the *ProCurve Switch fl Modules Installation Guide* (5991-3819), that came with your module.

Software Updates Are *Free*!



ProCurve Networking provides free software updates* on the ProCurve Web site for your Series 8100fl Switch. To access the software updates, go to the ProCurve Web site at <http://www.procurve.com>, then click on **Software updates** to go to the “ProCurve Networking software updates” page. Under **Latest software** click on **Switches** to go to the page that has the free download for your switch.

* Feature upgrades may require a separate purchase.

Register for Automatic Notification of Updates.

From the “ProCurve Networking software updates” page, you can also register yourself to automatically receive email notice of new updates for your managed ProCurve networking products.

To determine whether you have the latest software, you can compare the software version that is available on the web site with the version that is currently installed on your switch. Follow the instructions below to determine the current software version on your switch.

To Determine the Current Software Version in Your Switch. For the Series 8100fl Switches, from the CLI enter the **show version** command. The resulting display lists the current software version.

For more information on using the CLI to configure and manage your switch, refer to the *Management and Configuration Guide* on the *Documentation CD-ROM* included with your switch.

For the latest version of this documentation, visit <http://www.procurve.com>. (Click on **Technical support**, then **Product manuals**, then **ProCurve 8100fl Series**.) Under Current Manuals, click on one of the following links:

Release Notes: Version CY.02.02.3000 or greater for the ProCurve Series 8100fl Switches

- or -

ProCurve Series 8100fl Switches Management and Configuration Guide

