# 3COM® OFFICECONNECT® FAST ETHERNET SWITCHES

10/100 Mbps switches for small and medium businesses needing basic connectivity



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# **OVERVIEW**

3Com® OfficeConnect® Fast Ethernet Switches are designed for small offices requiring high network performance to exchange large data files and images and access real-time information.

These reliable and dependable switches automatically find the fastest connection speed; all that is needed is to connect the power and Ethernet cables, as there is no software to configure. Easy to set up, these switches feature a fan-less design which delivers silent operation, and are backed by an outstanding three-year limited warranty. Advanced hardware replacement is also provided.

With a choice of five, eight or sixteen ports you can easily expand your network by adding more computers or devices with speeds up to 200 Mbps per port in full-duplex mode. As part of our GreenConnect initiative, this switch has been designed to have a very small form-factor, reducing the environmental impact from this product.

# **KEY BENEFITS**

## **OPTIMAL NETWORK CONNECTIVITY**

Auto-speed sensing 10/100/ Mbps connectivity. Enables connection at 10 and 100 Mbps, ensuring optimum throughput for applications and compatibility with legacy equipment.

**Full-duplex support of your network.** Allows full two-way data transfer, doubling the effective bandwidth.

**FCC Class B certified.** Certified for home and office use (more stringent than Class A certification).

## **EASY TO USE**

**Auto MDI/MDIX on every port.** Eliminates most common cabling problems, whether the port is connected to a server, PC, another switch or hub.

Front panel LEDs. Provides immediate notification of network use—port speed/activity—without requiring special technical knowledge.

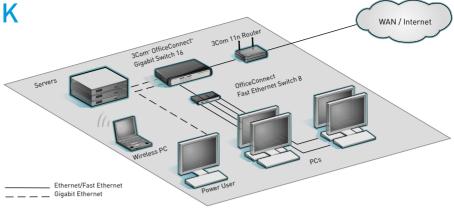
**Operating system independence.** Supports maximum integration of different operating systems within a network—no extra configuration of the network is required.

**Plug-and-Play convenience.** For hassle-free installation and simple set-up, no complicated configuration is required.

**Silent operation.** Self-cooling fanless design ensures there is no noise disturbance from the switches.







# **SPECIFICATIONS**

All information in this section is relevant to all members of the 3Com OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet family, unless otherwise stated.

#### CONNECTORS

All ports are auto MDI/MDIX, auto-negotiating RJ-45

#### OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet Switch 5

5 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX

## OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet Switch 8

8 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX

#### OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet Switch 16

16 10BASE-T/100BASE-TX

#### **REGULATORY AND AGENCY APPROVALS**

Safety: UL 60950-1, EN 60950-1, CSA 22.2 No. 60950-1, IEC 60950-1 Emissions: EN 55022 Class B, FCC Part 15 Subpart B Class B, ICES-003 Class B, AS/NZS CISPR 22 Class B

Immunity: EN 55024

## **ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS**

Operating temperature: 0° to 40°C (32° to 105°F) Operating humidity: 0% to 95% (non-condensing)

# **DIMENSIONS**

## Fast Ethernet Switch 5

Width: 108.0 mm (4.3 in) Height: 22.5 mm (0.9 in) Depth: 85.0 mm (3.3 in) Weight: 140.0 g (0.31 lb) Fast Ethernet Switch 8

# Width: 142.0 mm (5.6 in)

Height: 22.5 mm (0.9 in) Depth: 82.5 mm (3.2 in) Weight: 200.0 g (0.44 lb)

#### Fast Ethernet Switch 16

Width: 208.0 mm (8.2 in) Height: 40.0 mm (1.6 in) Depth: 160.0 mm (6.3 in) Weight: .64 Kg (1.4 lb)

#### **POWER SUPPLY**

External power adapter

Input voltage: 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz

Power consumption:

Fast Ethernet Switch 5 – 2.8W, max. Fast Ethernet Switch 8 – 3.2W, max. Fast Ethernet Switch 16 – 5.9W, max.

## STANDARDS COMPLIANCE

IEEE 802.3i 10BASE-T Ethernet

IEEE 802.3u 100BASE-TX Fast Ethernet

IEEE 802.3x Flow Control

#### **LED INDICATORS**

Port speed/activity

#### **PACKAGE CONTENTS**

Switch, power adapter, self-adhesive rubber pads, user guide and warranty flyer  $% \left( 1\right) =\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) \left( 1\right) +\left( 1\right) \left( 1\right)$ 

# **WARRANTY AND OTHER SERVICES**

Three year Limited Hardware Warranty

Advance Hardware Replacement with Next Business Day shipment in most regions

90 days of telephone technical support

Refer to www.3com.com/warranty for details.

# ORDERING INFORMATION

| PRODUCT DESCRIPTION                   | 3COM SKU |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet Switch 5  | 3C16790C |
| OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet Switch 8  | 3C16791C |
| OfficeConnect Fast Ethernet Switch 16 | 3C16792C |

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