

3Com® Baseline Switch 2824-SFP Plus and Baseline Switch 2816-SFP Plus

DATA SHEET



- Cost-optimized "smart" Layer 2 10/100/1000 switch for desktop and workgroup aggregation**
- Web-based browser interface for easy set up, installation, and configuration**
- Wirespeed, non-blocking performance to help eliminate traffic bottlenecks**
- Advanced switching features for network control and flexibility of operation**
- An enterprise-class switch for small-to-medium businesses**

Key Benefits

Overview

The 3Com® Baseline Switch 2824-SFP Plus and 2816-SFP Plus are two "smart", cost-effective, Layer 2 10/100 and 10/100/1000 Ethernet switches. The revolutionary switches provide a user-friendly web browser for switch configuration and administration. With a low entry cost, the switches offer advanced features such as 802.3ad link aggregation, 802.1p class of service (CoS) traffic prioritization, and VLANs for greater scalability and support for business-critical applications—such as customer relation management (CRM), supply chain management (SCM), video conferencing, and Voice over IP (VoIP).

traffic bottlenecks. Link aggregation allows administrators to group any number of copper or fiber ports together to form an ultra-high bandwidth pipe that greatly expands bandwidth capacity to the network backbone. The switch also supports 802.1p for traffic prioritization and priority queuing, and VLANs, which segment the network by grouping users based on data or traffic exchange requirements. These switching features ensure optimal use of available bandwidth as traffic flow is directed according to the needs of the business.

Enterprise-Class Quality and Reliability Without Complexity

These Baseline switches are operational straight out of the box; as long as basic settings are acceptable, there is no need to configure the switch. For networks that require more control, the user-friendly web-based interface provides easy-to-use tools to design a network for optimal use. All 3Com networking products go through vigorous testing to ensure optimum reliability. And a proven reputation for quality is backed by an industry-leading support package with a Limited Lifetime Warranty and Advance Hardware Replacement service. For more detail, visit www.3com.com/warranty.

Smart Browser-Based User Interface
The easy-to-use web-based interface allows even novice users to quickly and confidently configure the switch during initial setup or normal operation. In addition, the web interface features individual port-traffic monitoring (port mirroring) and unique, quick-glance switch status monitoring. A new cable diagnostic tool lets users troubleshoot basic connectivity cabling problems via the web management interface further simplifying network installation.

Wirespeed Switching

Both switches come with non-blocking performance—all ports perform at wire speed which helps to eliminate network

Product Data

| | 10/100/1000 Autosensing Ports | SFP Ports | Switching Capacity | VLANs | Link Aggregation | 802.1p Prioritization (Max queues per port) | Auto MDI/MDIX | Non-blocking Performance | Limited Lifetime and Hardware Replacement |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------|-------|---|--|------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| 3Com Baseline Switch 2816-SFP Plus | 16 | 4 | 32 Gbps | 64 | Up to 4 trunks, up to 8 ports per trunk | 4 | All ports | 3 | Yes |
| 3Com Baseline Switch 2824-SFP Plus | 24 | 4 | 48 Gbps | 64 | Up to 4 trunks, up to 8 ports per trunk | 4 | All ports | 3 | Yes |

