

ACE MS450-12

ACE MS450-12-HW 12 Port 100G Aggregation Switch User Manual

Model: MS450-12

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the proper setup, operation, and maintenance of your ACE MS450-12-HW 12 Port 100G Aggregation Switch. Designed for high-demand network environments, this cloud-managed Layer 3 switch offers ultra-fast data transfer and advanced routing capabilities. Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and use to ensure optimal performance and longevity of the device.



Image: Front view of the ACE MS450-12-HW 12 Port 100G Aggregation Switch, showcasing its 12 QSFP+ ports and a 3-year warranty badge. The switch is a rack-mountable unit, indicating its suitability for data center and enterprise network installations.

SETUP

1. Unpacking and Inspection

Carefully remove the switch from its packaging. Inspect the device for any signs of physical damage. Ensure all included components, such as the MS450-12 unit and the ACE All-in-one Warranty SupportPlus documentation, are present.

2. Physical Installation

The MS450-12-HW is designed for rack-mounting. Secure the switch in a standard 19-inch equipment rack using appropriate mounting hardware (not included unless specified). Ensure adequate ventilation around the unit to prevent overheating.

3. Power Connection

Connect the power cord to the power input on the rear panel of the switch and then to a grounded electrical outlet. Verify that the power LED on the front panel illuminates, indicating the device is receiving power.

4. Network Connections

Connect your network devices to the switch's ports. The MS450-12-HW features 12 ports supporting 100G aggregation, utilizing SFP+, PoE+, and RJ45 interface types. Use appropriate cables for your connections (e.g., fiber optic for SFP+ ports, Ethernet for RJ45 ports).

5. Initial Configuration

This switch is cloud-managed. Refer to the ACE cloud platform documentation for initial setup and registration procedures. This typically involves connecting the switch to the internet and registering it with your cloud account for centralized control and monitoring.

OPERATING

Cloud Management

The ACE MS450-12-HW is primarily managed through a cloud platform. This platform provides a centralized interface for configuring network settings, monitoring performance, and managing connected devices. Access the cloud dashboard via a web browser to perform administrative tasks.

Layer 3 Functionality

Leverage the advanced Layer 3 capabilities of the switch, including static routing, OSPF (Open Shortest Path First), and dynamic routing. These features allow for optimized network performance and efficient data packet forwarding across different network segments. Consult the cloud platform's documentation for detailed configuration guides on routing protocols.

Monitoring and Diagnostics

The cloud platform offers various tools for real-time monitoring of port status, traffic statistics, and device health. Utilize these tools to identify potential network issues and ensure smooth operation. LED indicators on the switch provide a quick visual status of port activity and system health.

MAINTENANCE

General Care

Keep the switch in a clean, dry, and well-ventilated environment. Avoid exposing the device to extreme temperatures, humidity, or direct sunlight. Ensure all cables are securely connected and free from kinks or damage.

Firmware Updates

Regularly check for and apply firmware updates through the cloud management platform. Firmware updates often include performance enhancements, security patches, and new features, ensuring your switch operates with the latest capabilities and protections.

Cleaning

Periodically clean the exterior of the switch with a soft, dry cloth. Do not use liquid cleaners or aerosol sprays directly on the device. Ensure ventilation openings are free from dust and obstructions to maintain proper airflow.

TROUBLESHOOTING

No Power

If the power LED is off, ensure the power cord is securely connected to both the switch and a working electrical outlet. Verify the outlet is supplying power. If issues persist, try a different power cord or outlet.

No Network Connectivity

Check the cable connections to the switch ports. Ensure the link/activity LEDs for the connected ports are illuminated. Verify network settings through the cloud management platform. Confirm that connected devices are properly configured.

Performance Issues

If experiencing slow speeds or intermittent connectivity, check for excessive network traffic or potential cable issues. Review the switch's performance metrics and logs via the cloud platform for any error indications or bottlenecks. Ensure firmware is up to date.

Contacting Support

If you encounter issues that cannot be resolved using this guide, please refer to the ACE All-in-one Warranty SupportPlus documentation for information on how to contact customer support. Provide your product model number (MS450-12) and a detailed description of the problem.

SPECIFICATIONS

| Feature | Detail |
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| Brand | ACE |
| Model Number | MS450-12 |
| Number of Ports | 12 |
| Interface Type | SFP+, PoE+, RJ45 |
| Switch Type | Managed |
| Case Material | Metal |
| Compatible Devices | Desktop, Laptop, Printer, Server, Storage device |
| Included Components | MS450-12, ACE All-in-one Warranty SupportPlus |
| UPC | 850071423495 |
| ASIN | B0DTRKXS8S |
| Date First Available | August 21, 2024 |

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

The ACE MS450-12-HW comes with a **3-Year Warranty**. This warranty ensures your investment is safeguarded against manufacturing defects and provides peace of mind. For detailed terms and conditions, please refer to the included ACE All-in-one Warranty SupportPlus documentation.

To make a warranty claim or for technical assistance, please follow the instructions provided in your ACE All-in-one Warranty SupportPlus documentation. Ensure you have your product model number (MS450-12) and proof of purchase readily available when contacting support.

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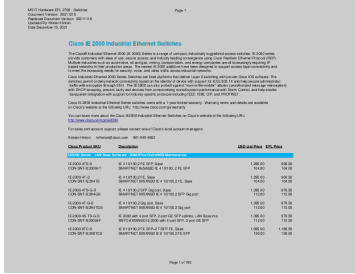
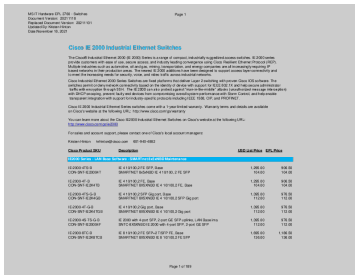
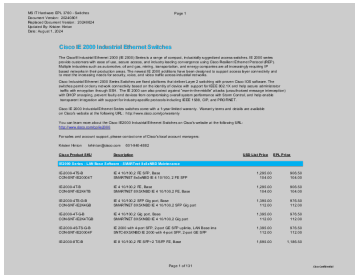
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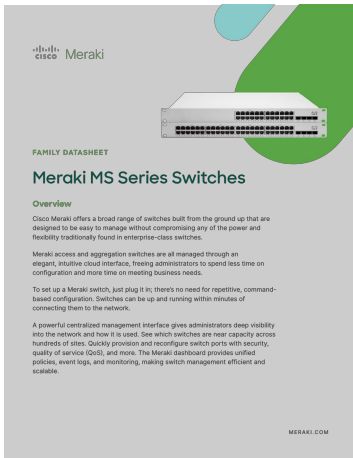
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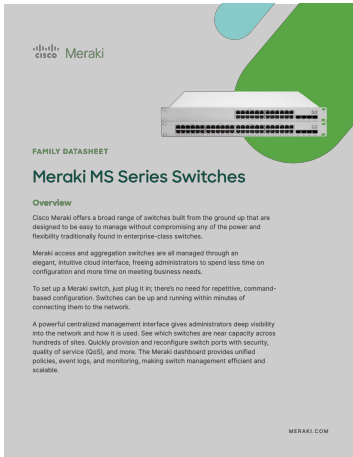
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