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Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches are the next-generation of Layer 2 Catalyst Industrial Switches in Cisco's IoT DIN rail switching portfolio. The switches are the successor to Cisco Industrial Ethernet 2000 Series Switches but feature Cisco IOS XE software.

This switch provides a rugged and secure switching infrastructure for harsh environments. It is suitable for industrial Ethernet applications, including factory automation, intelligent transportation systems (ITSs), substations, oil and gas installations, and other deployments in harsh environments.

You can connect this switch to office networking devices such as Cisco IP phones, Cisco Wireless Access Points workstations, and other devices such as servers, routers, and other switches. In industrial environments, you can connect any Ethernet-enabled industrial communication devices, including programmable logic controllers (PLCs), human-machine interfaces (HMIs), drives, sensors, video devices, traffic signal controllers, and intelligent electronic devices (IEDs).

You can mount the switch on a DIN rail in an industrial enclosure. Its components are designed to withstand extremes in temperature, vibration, and shock common to industrial environments.

Switch Models

The following table lists Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches, their default license levels, and their distinguishing features.

Switch Model	Default License Level	Links	FPGA Data Path
IE-3100-4T2S-E	Network Essentials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uplinks: 2x 1000BASE-X SFP ports • Downlinks: 4x 1000BASE-T RJ-45 ports 	No
IE-3100-8T2C-E	Network Essentials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uplinks: 2x 1000BASE-T/1000BASE-X dual-media ports • 8x 1000BASE-T RJ-45 ports 	No
IE-3100-8T4S-E	Network Essentials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uplinks: 4x 1000BASE-X SFP ports • Downlinks: 8x 1000BASE-T RJ-45 ports 	No
IE-3100-18T2C-E	Network Essentials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uplinks: 2x 1000BASE-T/1000BASE-X dual-media ports • 8x 1000BASE-T RJ-45 ports 	Yes
IE-3105-8T2C-E	Network Essentials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uplinks: 2x 1000BASE-T/1000BASE-X dual-media ports • Downlinks: 18x 1000BASE-T RJ-45 ports 	Yes
IE-3105-18T2C-E	Network Essentials	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Uplinks: 2x 1000BASE-T/1000BASE-X dual-media ports • Downlinks: 18x 1000BASE-T RJ45 ports 	Yes

All Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches also have the following features:

- A system LED
- An Express Setup button
- An SD-card connector
- Two alarm inputs
- One alarm output
- Dual power connectors

- A micro-USB port

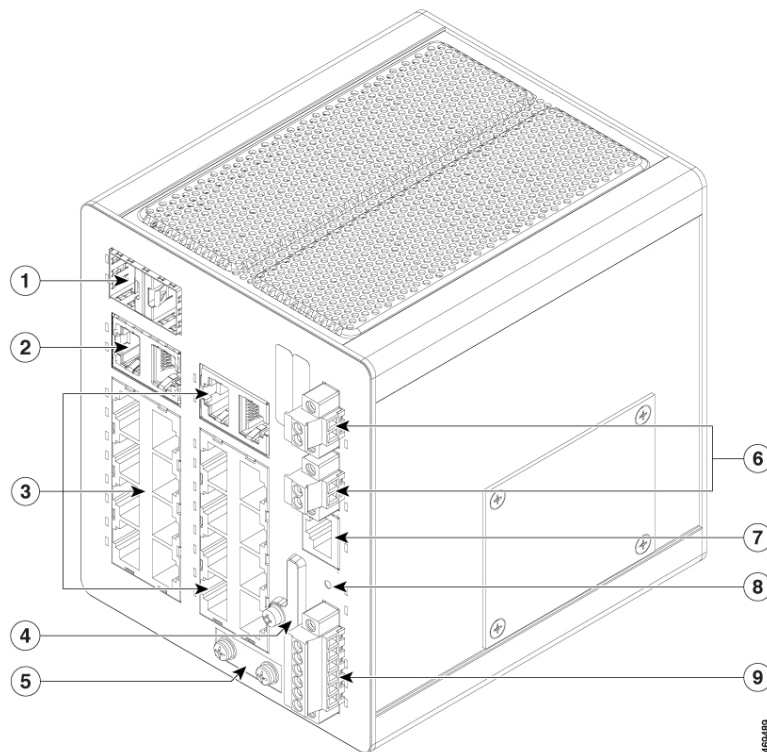
Front Panel

This section provides an overview of ports, connectors, and LEDs on front of Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches.



Note This section uses the Cisco Catalyst IE-3105-18T2C-E as an example. Other switches in the series may not have all the same features. See [Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches, on page 1](#) in this guide for details of each switch model's features.

Figure 1: IE-3105-18T2C-E Front Panel

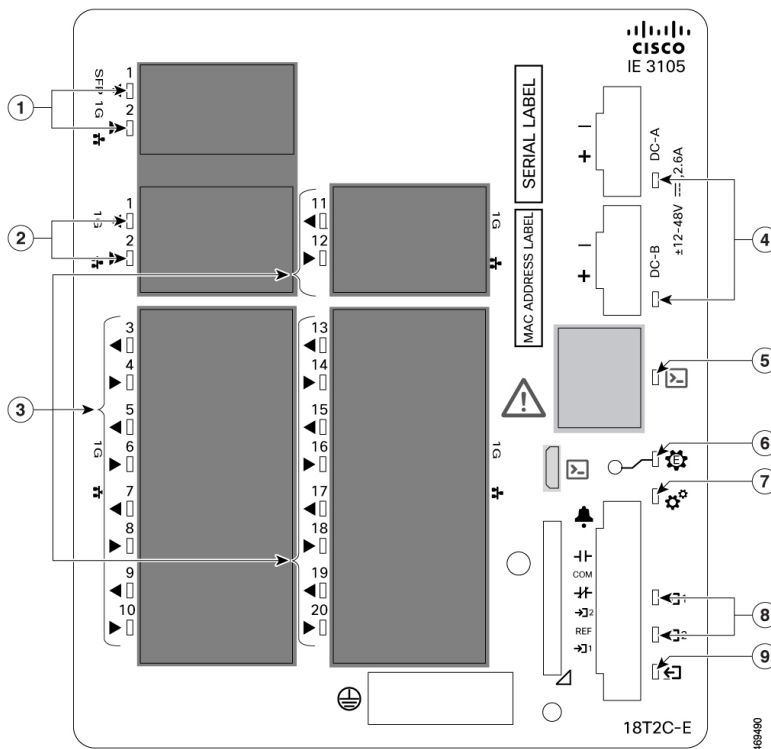


Number	Feature	Number	Feature
1	Dual-media SFP ports (uplinks)	6	Power connectors A and B
2	Dual-media copper ports (uplinks)	7	RJ-45 console connector
3	1000BASE-T ports (downlinks)	8	Express Setup button
4	SD card slot and USB micro port cover	9	Alarm connector
5	Protective ground connection		



Note In the preceding table, No. 2, dual-media copper ports (uplinks), refer to all models of Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches except for IE-3100-8T4S-E switches. For IE-3100-8T4S-E switches, the No. 2 ports refer to SFP ports 3 and 4.

Figure 2: IE-3105-18T2C-E LEDs



Number	Feature	Number	Feature
1	Dual-media SFP port LEDs	6	Express Setup LED
2	Dual-media copper port LEDs	7	System LED
3	1000BASE-T port LEDs	8	Alarm input LEDs
4	Power connector LED	9	Alarm output LED
5	Management console LED		



Note In the preceding table, No. 2, dual-media copper LEDs, refer to all models of Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches except for IE-3100-8T4S-E switches. For IE-3100-8T4S-E switches, the No. 2 LEDs refer to the LEDs for SFP ports 3 and 4.

Switch Ports

Uplink Ports

This section describes the uplink ports on Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches. The ports vary depending on the switch model.

1000BASE-T/1000BASE-X Dual-Media Ports

Dual-media ports include SFP and copper uplink ports. The SFP ports support 1-Gb and 100-Mb modules. The copper ports support 1000BASE-T, 100BASE-TX, and 10BASE-T, with autonegotiation, auto-MDIX, and cable diagnostics on an RJ-45 connector.

By default, the SFP interface has the higher priority if both the RJ-45 and the SFP interfaces are active. You can override the default priority with the CLI command **media-type SFP / RJ45**.

IE-3100-8T2C-E, IE-3100-18T2C-E, IE-3105-8T2C-E, and IE-3105-18T2C-E switches support dual-media ports.

Gigabit Ethernet SFP Only Ports

Gigabit SFP uplink ports support 1-Gb SFP and 100-Mb SFP modules. SFPs installed in these ports can draw up to 825mW each.

IE-3100-4T2S-E is the only switch model that has gigabit SFP only ports.



Note

- Refer to the [Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Data Sheet](#) and the [Cisco Optics-to-Device Compatibility Matrix](#) for details about the supported SFP Modules.
 - For installation instructions, see your SFP module documentation and the section [Installing and Removing SFP Modules](#).
- For cable specifications, see the section [SFP Module Cables](#).

Downlink Ports

All Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches have gigabit 1000BASE-T ports that support 1000BASE-T, 100BASE-TX, and 10BASE-T with autonegotiation, auto-MDIX, and cable diagnostics on an RJ-45 connector.

The number of downlink ports varies depending on the switch model. See [Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches, on page 1](#) for more information.

Port Status LEDs

Each Ethernet port has a port LED that displays information about the individual port. The dual-media ports have two LEDs, one by the SFP connector and the second by the RJ-45 connector.

Table 1: Port Status LED States

LED State	Port Status
Off	No link, or the port is administratively shut down.

LED State	Port Status
Green	Link present, but no activity.
Blinking green	Activity: Port is sending or receiving data.
Alternating green and amber	Link fault. Error frames can affect connectivity, and errors such as excessive collisions, CRC errors, and alignment and jabber errors are monitored for a link-fault indication.
Amber	Port is blocked by Spanning Tree Protocol (STP) and is not forwarding data. After a port is reconfigured, the port LED can remain amber for up to 30 seconds as STP checks the switch for possible loops.

Management Ports

You can connect the switch to a computer running Microsoft Windows or to a terminal server through either of the two console ports on the front panel. One is an RS-232 port with an RJ-45 connector and the other is a USB micro-Type B port. The USB port is behind a door that also covers the SD card slot.

The RS-232 console port uses an RJ-45-to-DB9 female cable. The USB console port uses a USB Type B-to-5-pin micro-Type B cable. The USB-micro console interface speeds are the same as the RJ-45 console interface speeds.

By default, the USB console is the active input whenever the USB console is connected, and the RJ-45 console is active when the USB console is not plugged in.

To use the USB-micro console port, you must install the Cisco Windows USB device driver on the device that is connected to the USB-micro console port and that is running Microsoft Windows.

With the Cisco Windows USB device driver, connecting and disconnecting the USB cable from the console port does not affect Windows HyperTerminal operations. Mac OS X or Linux requires no special drivers.

Management Port LED

The two management ports share a console LED, which shows which console port is in use. If both RS-232 and USB ports are connected, the USB port has priority, unless you have disabled the USB console.

Table 2: Management Port LED States

LED State	Port Status
Off	The USB port is not active; the RJ-45 port is active.
Green	The RJ-45 port is active; the USB port is not active.

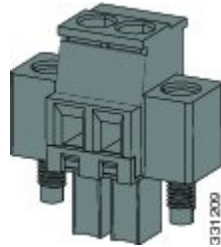
Power Connectors

Each Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switch supports 9.6–60V DC DIN rail power inputs, which provide active-standby redundancy. The input with the higher voltage supplies all the power to the switch.

You connect power to the switch through the front panel connectors. The switch has a dual-feed DC power supply: Two connectors provide primary and secondary DC power (DC-A and DC-B). Each input has an independent screw terminal and an LED status indicator.

The DC power connectors are near the top right of the front panel. The power connector labeling is on the panel. The positive DC power connection is labeled “+”, and the return connection is labeled “-”.

Figure 3: Power Connector



The switch can operate with a single power source or with dual power sources. When both power sources are working, the switch draws power from the DC source with the higher voltage. If one of the two power sources fail, the other continues to power the switch.

In systems configured with the redundant power option, connect each of the two power supplies to separate independent power sources. If you fail to do this, your system might be susceptible to total power failure due to a fault in the external wiring or a tripped circuit breaker.

The following table shows the power connector LED states and what they mean.

Table 3: Power Connector LED States

LED State	Power Status
Off	Power is not present on the associated circuit.
Green	Power is present on the associated circuit.
Red	Power is not present on the associated circuit, and the switch configured for dual-input power.

System LED

The System LED shows whether the system is receiving power and is working properly.

Table 4: System LED States

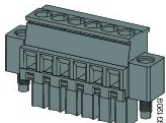
LED State	System Status
Off	System is not powered on.
Blinking green	Power-on self-test (POST) is in progress.
Green	System is operating normally.
Red	System is receiving power but is not functioning properly.

Alarms

You connect the alarm signals to the Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switch through the alarm connector. The switch has two dry-contact alarm inputs and one dry-contact Form-C relay alarm output.

The alarm connector attached to the bottom right of the front panel with provided captive screws. It provides six alarm wire connections.

Figure 4: Alarm Connector



The alarm inputs are electrically isolated from system ground to prevent ground loops, but the inputs are not isolated from each other. The alarm output is isolated from system ground and from the alarm inputs. The alarm output supports signal levels of up to 48 VDC.

Both alarm input circuits can sense if the alarm input is open or closed. The alarm inputs can be activated for environmental, power supply, and port status alarm conditions. From the CLI, you can configure each alarm input as an open or closed contact.

The alarm output circuit is a relay with a normally open and a normally closed contact. The switch is configured to detect faults that are used to energize the relay coil and change the state on both of the relay contacts: normally open contacts close, and normally closed contacts open. The alarm output relay can be used to control an external alarm device, such as a bell or a light.

There is a separate LED for each of the two inputs and for the output.

Table 5: Alarm LED States

LED State	Alarm Status
Alarm Input A and B	
Off	Alarm not configured.
Green	Alarm configured but no alarm detected.
Red	Minor alarm present.
Blinking red	Major alarm present.
Alarm output	
Off	Alarm not configured.
Green	Alarm not present.
Red	Minor alarm condition present.
Blinking red	Major alarm condition present.

Express Setup Button

Express Setup is a web-based procedure to configure initial IP address information to the new switch. It provides a simple way to manage the switch and connect it to an existing network of local routers and the internet.

The Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switch front panel has an Express Setup button and a setup LED. The button is recessed to prevent accidental activation; you need a paper clip or similar object to press it. You trigger different Express Setup features by varying the amount of time that you press the button.

Table 6: Express Setup Modes

Mode	Seconds Required to Trigger Mode	Description
Short Press	1 to 5	Places the switch into Express Setup mode.
Medium Press	6 to 10	Causes the switch to start DHCP discovery phase on the VLAN1 interface.
Long Press	16 to 20	Causes the switch to erase its startup configuration and reload. This in turn causes the switch to revert to its Day 1 default configuration.

When you first set up the switch, we recommend that you use Express Setup to enter the initial IP information. This process enables the switch to connect to local routers and the Internet. You can then access the switch through the IP address for more configuration.

For more information, see the "Running Express Setup" chapter in this guide.

Express Setup LED

The Express Setup LED on the front of the switch displays the express setup mode for the initial configuration. The following table shows the LED states and what they mean.

Table 7: Express Setup LED States

LED State	Switch Status
Off	Switch is configured as a managed switch.
Solid green	Switch is operating normally.
Blinking green	Switch is in initial setup, in recovery, or initial setup is incomplete.
Red	Switch failed to start initial setup or recovery because there is no available switch port to which to connect the management station. Disconnect a device from a switch port, and then press the Express Setup button.

SD Card Connector

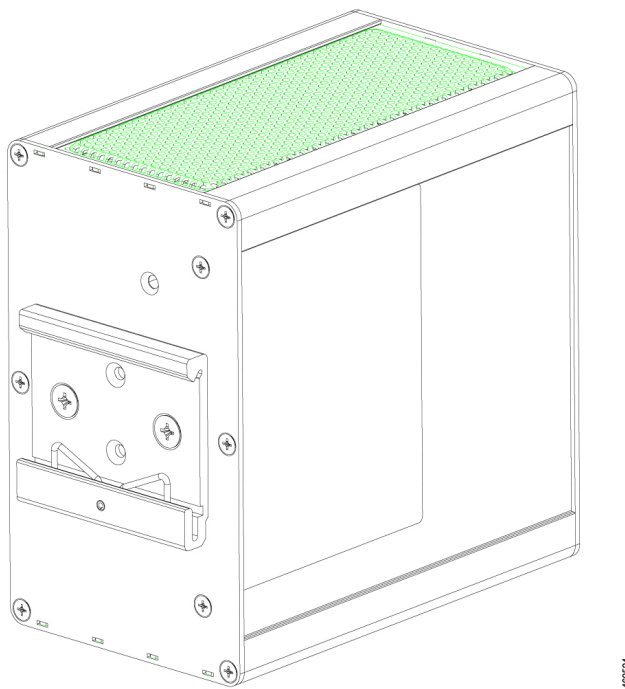
The switch supports an SD card that makes it possible to replace a failed switch without configuring the replacement switch. You can also use the SD card to copy files on and off the system.

The connector is on the front of the switch, behind a cover that protects the SD card and holds it in place. The cover also protects the USB console port.

Rear Panel

The rear panel of the switch has a latch for installation on a DIN rail. The latch is spring-loaded to move down to position the switch over a DIN rail and return to the original position to secure the switch to a DIN rail.

Figure 5: Rear of Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches



Management Options

The switch supports these management options:

- Web UI

You can use Web UI, which is in the switch memory, to manage individual and standalone switches. This web interface offers quick configuration and monitoring. You can access Web UI from anywhere in your network through a web browser. For more information, see the Web UI online help.

- Cisco IOS XE CLI

The switch CLI is based on Cisco IOS XE software and is enhanced to support desktop-switching features. You can fully configure and monitor the switch. You can access the CLI either by connecting your management station directly to the switch management port, or a console port, or by using Telnet from a remote management station. See the switch command reference on Cisco.com for more information.

- SNMP network management

You can manage switches from a SNMP-compatible management station that is running platforms such as HP OpenView or SunNet Manager. The switch supports a comprehensive set of Management Information Base (MIB) extensions and four Remote Monitoring (RMON) groups. See the switch software configuration guide on Cisco.com and the documentation that came with your SNMP application for more information.

- Common Industrial Protocol

The Common Industrial Protocol (CIP) management objects are supported. Cisco Catalyst IE3100 Rugged Series Switches can be managed by CIP-based management tools, allowing the user to manage an entire industrial automation system with one tool.

- PROFINET

- TCP/IP and RT

This switch supports PROFINET TCP/IP and RT and can be managed by Siemens' automation software such as STEP 7 and TIA Portal.

