



# cnMatrix

## Cloud Managed Access

**Policy Based Automation**

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# Agenda

- Introduction to Cambium Switching Portfolio – cnMatrix
  - HW & SW Overview
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- Summary

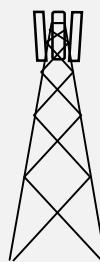
# cnMatrix - Purpose Built for Target Deployment Use Cases



**Enterprise Indoor Access  
Switch**



**Video Surveillance &  
Smart City Deployments**



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**WISP Tower**



## HW & SW Overview

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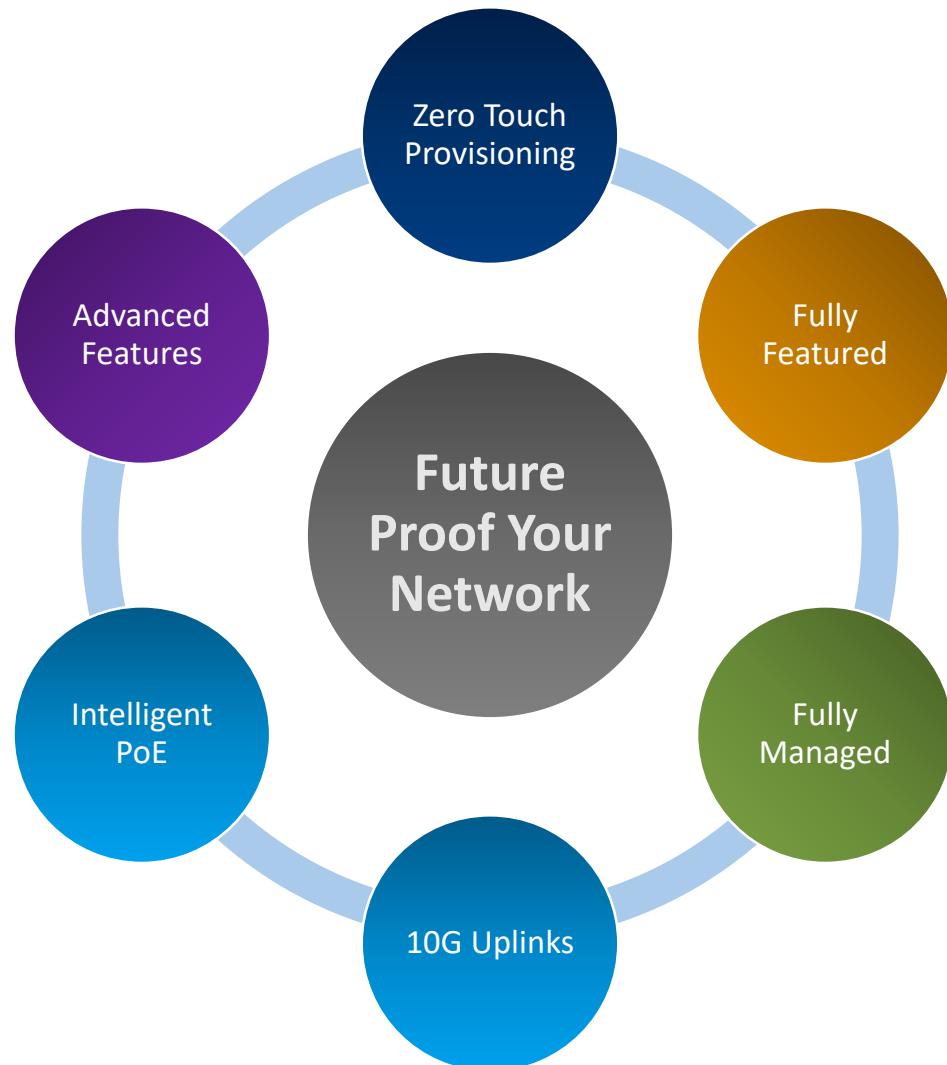
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# cnMatrix – Enterprise Switches (EX 2K) – HW Overview

- HW Overview
  - Cambium designed switch - NOT an OEM switch
  - Silicon based Switching Solution
    - Dedicated HW data plane- L2 & L3 line rate processing
    - Rich L2 & L3 functionality - Extensive QoS, ACL, & Filtering
- 4 Models Available
  - 8 Port & 24 port models with and without PoE+
    - 24 Port – 4 SFP+(10GE) Uplinks
    - 8 Port – 2 SFP(1GE) Uplinks
  - USB, OOB/MGMT, & RJ45 console port
  - Fan-less: All models except the 24 port PoE SKU



# Future proof the network with cnMatrix



- Fully Featured Switches
  - Layer 2, Layer 3
  - Extensive ACL's, Filters, & QoS support
  - Security
- Fully Managed
  - Web GUI, CLI, & SNMP
  - NMS - cnMaestro Cloud/On-Prem
- Uplinks
  - 10G uplinks as compared to 1G
- Intelligent PoE
  - 8/24-Port PoE+
  - Healthy Power Budget
  - Complete Control – Enable, disable, monitor, prioritize, automate
- Advanced Features
  - Layer 3 – Static and Dynamic Routing
  - Automatic Device Profiling
  - Policy Based Automation
- A true Zero Touch Experience
  - Initial Deployment
  - Day to day operations with Automation

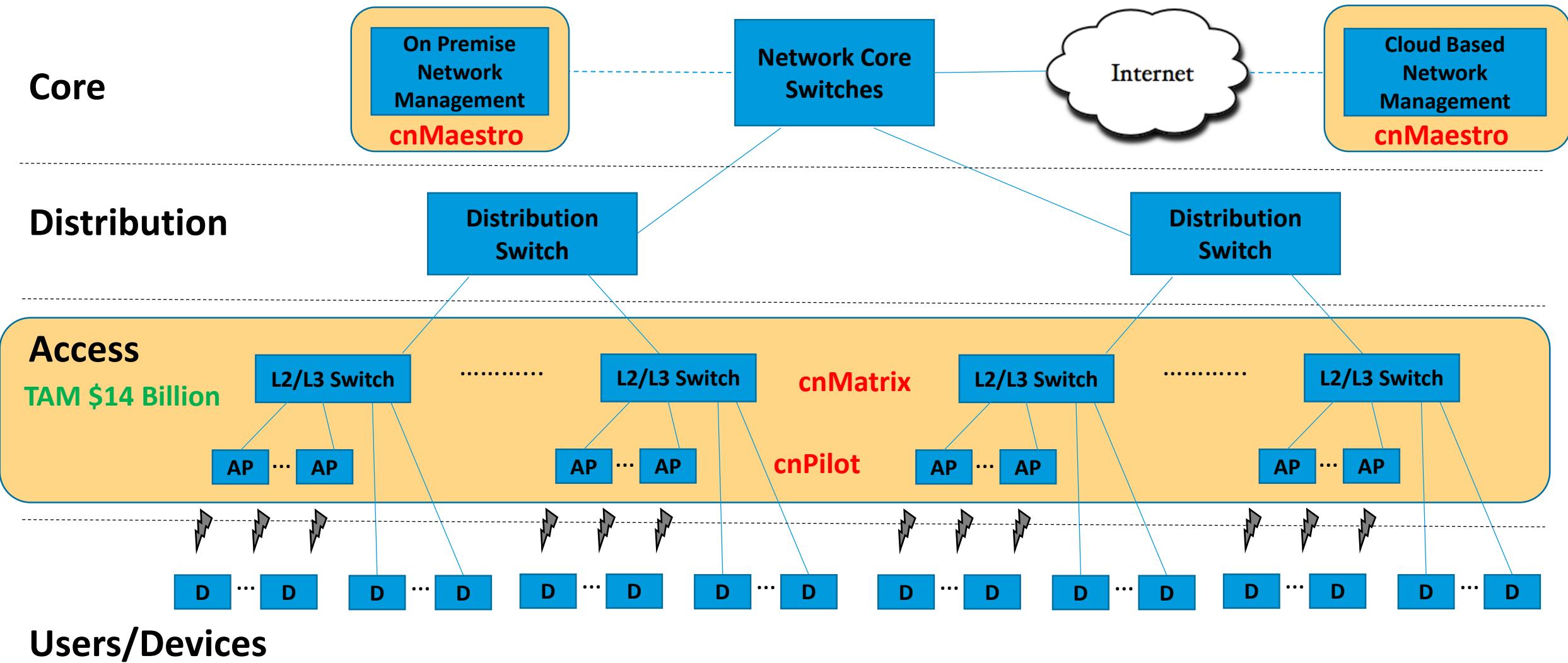
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# Market Positioning



# cnMatrix EX 2K - Enterprise Campus – 3 Tier Network Architecture



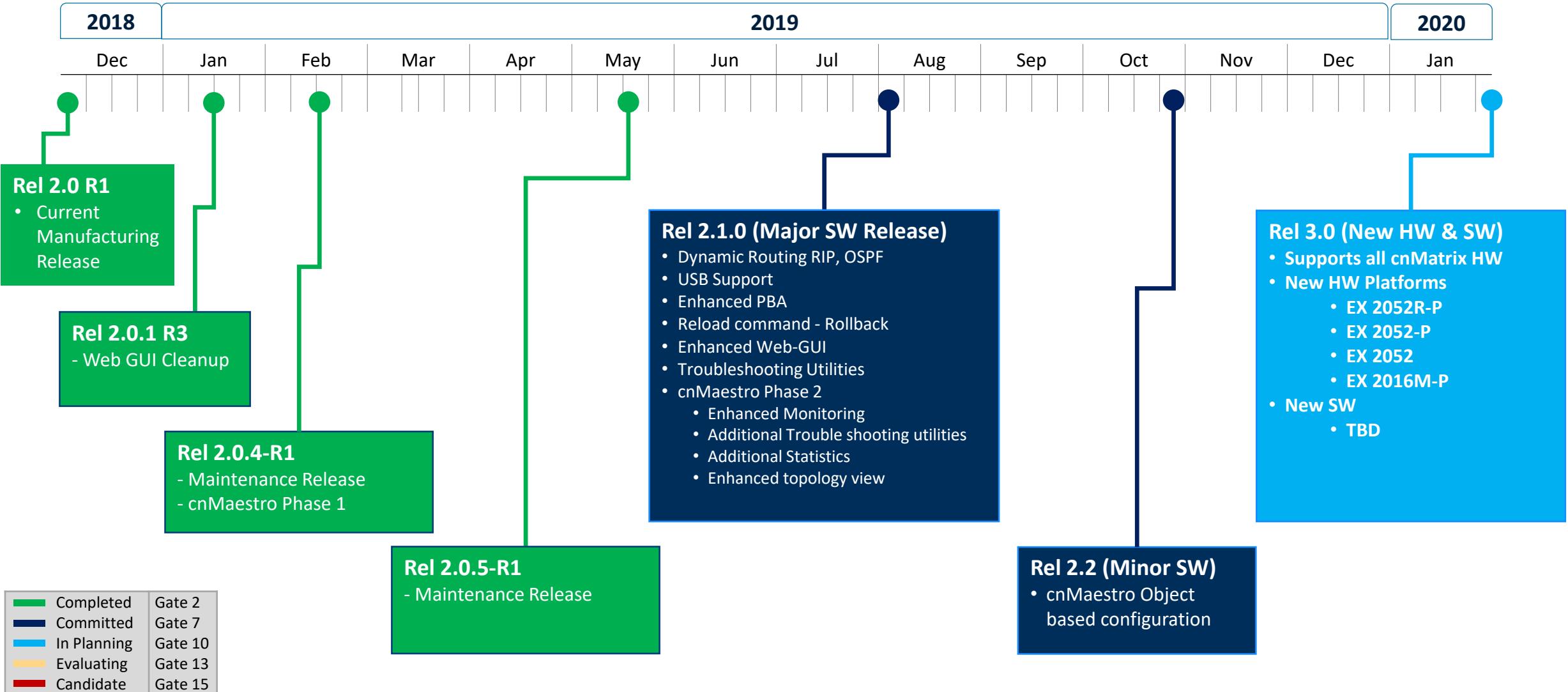


# Roadmap



# cnMatrix Roadmap

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SUBJECT TO CHANGE  
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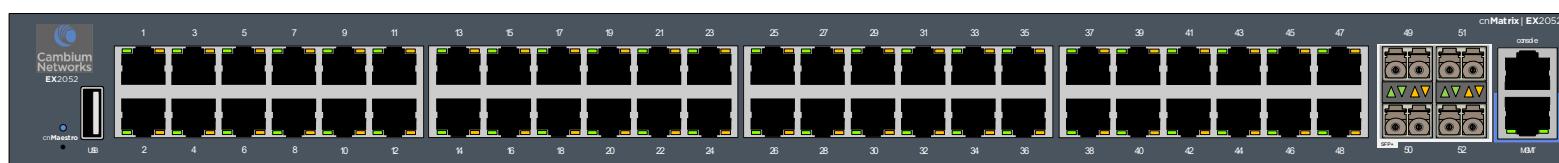
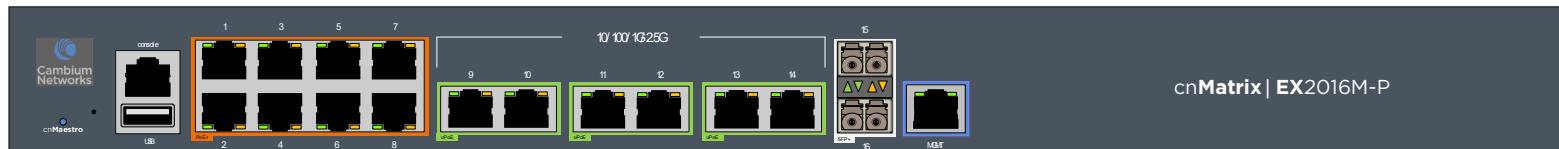
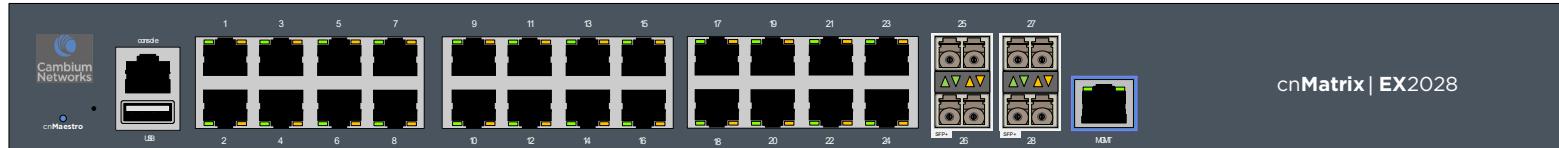
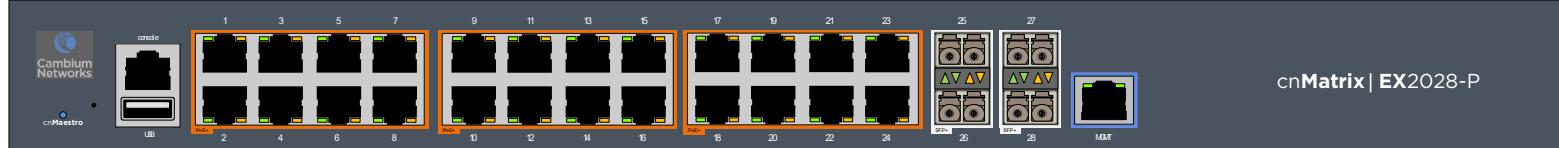
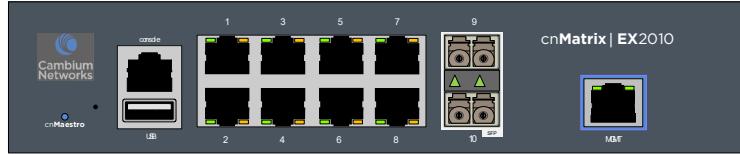
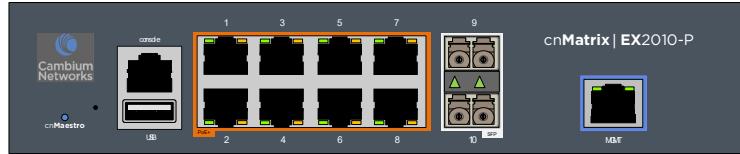




## New Enterprise SKUs



# Enterprise Switching Portfolio – cnMatrix EX 2k





**Policy Based Automation**  
**A True Zero Touch Experience**



## ‘Zero Touch’ Automating Configuration

### Examples

- Static VLANs
- Uplink Ports
- Link Aggregation
- IP address
- Static Routes
- QoS, ACLs
- Radius Server
- 802.1x
- etc

Configuration  
for Initial  
Deployment

Solution:  
cnMatrix

Configuration  
required for  
ongoing  
Network  
changes

Solution:  
Policy Based  
Automation

### Examples

- Connecting APs
- Connecting Cameras
- Connecting Printers
- Connecting IoT devices
- Removing devices
- Moving devices

# cnMatrix – Policy Based Automation (PBA)

- User created Policies that will automate switch and port configuration
- Policies can be created via any Management interface
  - cnMaestro configures all switches simultaneously
- Policies have 2 components
  1. Match Criteria
    - LLDP information
    - MAC information
  2. Actions
    - VLANs, QoS, ACLs, Security, PoE Priority, Port Labeling
- Configuration as a result of policies is dynamic – Auto cleaned upon:
  - Link down, Device disconnects
  - Match criteria is no longer valid
  - Policy is disabled

# Example: Required Switch Configuration when connecting an AP

**Example:** Needed Switch Configuration - VLANs, 40, 50, 60: PVID 40: port 5 – Hybrid Mode

```
cnMatrix(config)# interface gigabitethernet 0/5
cnMatrix(config-if)# switchport mode hybrid
cnMatrix(config-if)# switchport acceptable-frame-type all
cnMatrix(config-vlan)# exit
cnMatrix(config)# vlan 50
cnMatrix(config-vlan)# port add gigabitethernet 0/5
cnMatrix(config-vlan)# exit
cnMatrix(config)# auto-attach policy E430 match LLDP-ANY 430 set vlan 40,50,60 pvid 40
cnMatrix(config)# vlan 60
cnMatrix(config-vlan)#port add gigabitethernet 0/5
cnMatrix(config-vlan)#exit
cnMatrix(config)# vlan 40
cnMatrix(config-vlan)# port add gigabitethernet 0/5
cnMatrix(config-vlan)#exit
cnMatrix(config)# interface gigabitethernet 0/5
cnMatrix(config-if)# switchport pvid 40
cnMatrix(config-if)# end
```

# cnMatrix – Policy Based Automation – Key Take Aways

- Automates ‘Adds’, ‘Moves’, and ‘Changes’
- Eliminates error prone manual configuration
  - Simplifies and reduces trouble-shooting
- Every port is treated equally
- Enhances security by auto segmenting devices
- Little or no IT needed for deploying new devices
- Reduce expenses required to deploy and manage





# Policy Based Automation

## On Boarding with cnMaestro



# cnMatrix Live Demo - Zero Touch with cnMaestro and PBA

- Cambium's 'Cloud Managed Access'
  - cnMaestro – cloud based Network Management Solution
  - cnMatrix – Access layer switching (1 EX2010-P)
  - cnPilot – Access layer WiFi (2 E430s)
- A True Zero touch experience
  - Covers Initial Deployment
  - Covers Day to Day operations
- 3 Simple Steps
  1. Create Configuration file (cnMaestro)
  2. Claim Device(s) (cnMaestro)
  3. Connect devices to network
  4. Finished!!

# cnMatrix – Demo details

- Step 1 – Create Configuration File/Template
  - Configuration can be as large or as small as you want
  - My example template – ‘cnMatrix – Johns Demo’
    - Create VLAN 10, All ports a member of VLAN 10
    - Create Policy for Cambium WiFi APs
- Step 2 – Claim Devices
  - Open up your cnMaestro account
  - Claim devices of purchased Cambium equipment
    - You do not need to have received the equipment
  - Claim devices by entering serial #s
  - Select configuration template and then approve device
- Step 3 – Connect devices to network
  - When ready – days, weeks, or months after Step 2
  - Power on Switch(es)
  - Connect switch to network – in default state – NO NEED TO PRE-CONFIGURE
  - Connect devices to switch
  - Switch(es) will be auto discovered and auto configured.
  - As devices (that are covered by policies) are added, switch will be auto configured

# cnMatrix – cnMaestro Configuration Template

```
### begin script
### Create VLAN 10
### Add all ports as tagged to vlan 10
config terminal
  vlan 10
  port add gigabitethernet 0/1-8
end
### Now set up a PBA Policy
configure terminal
# set port description
auto-attach update-port-desc llpd-sys-name
# Create Rule
auto-attach rule Pilot430-rule LLDP-ANY Pilot
# Create Action
auto-attach action Pilot430-action vlan 20,30,40 poe-
  priority critical uplink Gi0/8
# Create Policy
auto-attach policy Pilot430-policy match rule Pilot430-rule
  set action Pilot430-action
end
```

The diagram illustrates the mapping of specific configuration snippets from the provided script to their intended actions in the cnMaestro configuration template. The snippets are highlighted with blue ovals, and arrows point from each oval to its corresponding descriptive box.

- Creates VLAN 10 and makes ports 1-8 a member of VLAN 10**  
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- Auto labels port with LLDP sys name**  
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- Creates a rule that uses LLDP to detect Cambium cnPilot APs**  
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- Creates an action that:**
  - 1) Makes port a member of VLANS 20,30,40
  - 2) Sets the PoE priority of port to 'Critical'
  - 3) Sets uplink port to port 8
- Creates policy using Action and Rule**  
Creates policy using Action and Rule

# cnMatrix – Go To Demo

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# cnMatrix – Summary

- Enterprise Grade Layer 2 & Layer 3 Functionality
- Cloud Management with cnMaestro
- Ease of Use – Zero Touch Provisioning
  - Initial Deployment – On boarding with cnMaestro
  - Policy Based Automation – Automation of device dependent configuration
- Enhanced Security – Device profiling and segmentation
- Complete Access Layer – cnMatrix+cnPilot+cnMaestro
- Limited Lifetime Warranty & Best in Class Support
- Best in Class TCO



# Cambium Networks

## cnMaestro + cnPilot + cnMatrix





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