

# JungleMUX™ OC-12 Upgrade Program

GE is pleased to offer our **optical card upgrade program** for OC-12 customers. For organizations using OC-12 Intermediate, Long-Range or Extended Long-Range units (B86417-01, -02 or -03 respectively), special pricing and buyback incentives are in place to upgrade to OC-48 or to GE's JunglePAX hybrid TDM & Packet platform.



## **Program Options**

GE understands the impact discontinuance has on your operations. A forklift replacement of this technology is costly and if not managed, can have serious service level implication to your critical communications networks. For this reason, we're **introducing two full-service programs** designed to make this transition as painless as possible.

- 1. Trade-UP to OC-48 units
- 2. Trade-UP to JunglePAX Hybrid TDM & Packet Platform

In both cases, associated field and factory services are included herein to facilitate the seamless migration away from OC-12 technologies.

### **Trade-UP to OC-48**

#### **Proposal QC10279-AN**

Receive exceptional pricing on typical OC-48 node additions like Ether-1000, Cyber Secured Service Units (Secured mode) and 30W Power Supplies.

Customers who currently have OC-12 units can upgrade to OC-48 units at a discounted price in our one-to-one buyback program.

This option provides expanded bandwidth, simplicity of traffic migration, exceptionally high reliability, and utility-grade performance for critical and time-sensitive applications like Teleprotection. Furthermore, this option reuses all of the existing JungleMUX equipment, further simplifying deployment.

These incentives are in place for orders received through the remainder of 2021.

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## Trade-UP to JunglePAX Hybrid TDM & MPLS Platform

#### **Proposal QC10280-AN**

JungleMUX customers can receive exceptional pricing on GE's Evolution Module (B86900-01) used to optically connect JungleMUX nodes to newly inserted JunglePAX nodes or rings.

Additionally, GE Lentronics is offering a two-for-one trade-up incentive for OC-12 customers: for every two OC-12 units returned, customers can receive a discount on the purchse of one Evolution Module. These incentives are in place for orders received through the remainder of 2021.

This option also provides expanded bandwidth, simplicity of traffic migration, reuse of your channel buses and interoperability JMUXes 64kb/s, TDM and Ethernet traffic, while continuing to assure high reliability and utility-grade performance for critical and time sensitive applications like Teleprotection.

### **Our Future Together**

The JungleMUX platform will continue to be fully supported after the discontinuance of the OC-12 modules and there are no plans to end direct manufacturing and production of these products. Nor have plans to end technical support or end service support (including repair-and-return of these active products) been announced.

As we've stated during our recent technical conference, <u>sustaining efforts</u> to maintain the security and availability of the JungleMUX platform are being fully supported. However, GE has <u>shifted the majority of our resources towards our JunglePAX platform</u>, with a strong emphasis on strengthening interoperability with JMUX/TN1U, with partner solutions, and to simplify the network management of mixed MUX / PAX networks.

To learn more about the JungleMUX Optical Card upgrade program, contact your local GE sales representative.

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