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### Example for Combining Standalone Switches into a CSS

Guidelines Before combining two standalone switches into a CSS, ensure that the hardware and software of the two switches meet CSS requirements. CSS cards and cluster cables have been

### Typical CSS and Stack Deployment

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### Typical CSS Configuration of Modular Switches

A Cluster Switch System (CSS), also called a cluster, is a logical switch consisting of two clustering-capable switches. It provides high forwarding performance and high network reliability and scalability,



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Cluster Switch System Generation 2 (CSS2) It sets up a CSS by connecting CSS cards on switch fabric units (SFUs). In addition to sharing CSS features with traditional CSS, CSS2 supports 1+N backup of

### FortiSwitchOS Large Campus Switching Deployment Guide

If either switch fails, the MCLAG continues to function without any interruption, increasing network resiliency and eliminating the delays associated with the Spanning Tree Protocol (STP). This



### (PDF) S12700 Agile Switches CSS2 Introduction

Preface With the gradual increase of the amount of data access and network reliability requirements for enterprise campus networks and datacenter network, a



### Core layer , FortiSwitch 7.6.0 , Fortinet Document Library

Point-to-point links are used between each element, and Fortinet recommends using the MLAG and dual ICLs between the core switches. The following figure shows the fully distributed set of links

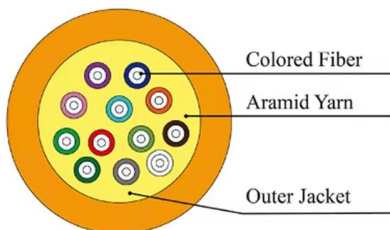


### CSS2 (Cluster Switch System Generation2) Test Guide

If CSS cards have different numbers of cluster cables connected, the cluster bandwidth will decrease connecting Cluster Cables CSS2 Software configuration Configuring CSS

### Combining Standalone Switches into a CSS

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### What Is Cluster Switch System (CSS)?

To solve these problems, CSS technology is used to virtualize two physical switches into one logical switch, simplifying network deployment and reducing network maintenance costs.



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### What Is Cluster Switch System (CSS)? , FS Community

A Cluster Switch System (CSS) is a popular horizontal virtualization technology that consolidates two switches with clustering capabilities into a cohesive logical switch.



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### S12704, S12708, and S12712 Clustering Using CSS Cards

The S12704& S12708& S12712 switches support clustering using Cluster Switching System (CSS) cards. Two types of CSS cards are available: independent CSS cards and CSS cards integrated on the





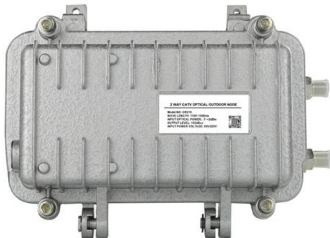
## Huawei S12700 Series Switches Product Datasheet

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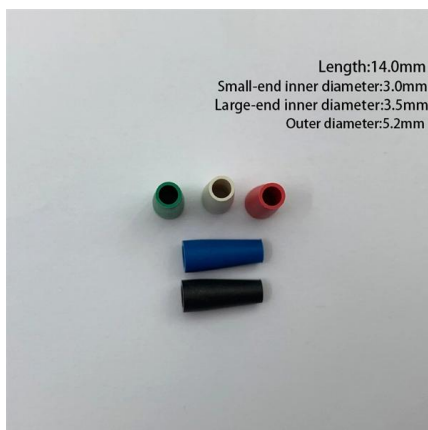
### S12700 Agile Switches CSS2 Introduction

With the gradual increase of the amount of data access and network reliability requirements for enterprise campus networks and datacenter network, a single switch has been unable to meet the



### FortiSwitchOS Switching Reference Architecture Guide

Core--This layer supplies connectivity to security resources such as hardware-accelerated Secure Sockets Layer (SSL) inspection, filtering of communications between segments, access to the



### Huawei S12700 Agile Switches CSS2 User Manual , Manualzz

This user manual provides comprehensive instructions for setting up, configuring, and managing Huawei S12700 Agile Switches with CSS2. It details the features, applications, and best practices for utilizing



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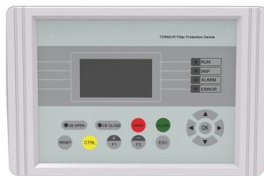
Design concept and considerations In the core level of the reference architecture, two FortiGate units form a high availability (HA) cluster. They manage a pair of FortiSwitch units that form an MCLAG



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### CSS

The development of CSS technology has progressed through two stages: Traditional CSS: This stage involves two CSS connection modes: clustering utilizing CSS cards on Main Processing Units



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The aggregation switches in the two buildings can be connected using cluster cables to set up a CSS. The two aggregation switches then work as if they were one aggregation switch, simplifying the





## Overview of CSS

It consists of two CSS connection modes: clustering through CSS cards on MPUs and clustering through service ports. Cluster Switch System Generation 2 (CSS2) It sets up a CSS by connecting CSS



## FortiSwitchOS Switching Reference Architecture Guide

With the use of a core layer, each aggregation switch only needs 2x100-GbE links, and the core layer is the only place where you need large numbers of 100-GbE ports.

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## Example for Setting Up a CSS of Two Member Switches Using CSS

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