

## Competitive Analysis: Smart Gig Switches

Positioning Statement: Best in class. Ideal for conference rooms and small office.

Competitive Advantage: **Enhanced traffic management, security, manageability.**



Updated: 8-04-08		NETGEAR	HP	Linksys	Linksys
Product	ProSafe GS108T	ProCurve 1800-8G	SRW2008	SLM2008	SRW2008
Price (CDW)	\$109.99	\$146.99	\$239.99	\$116.99	\$239.99
Copper Gig ports	8	8	8	8	8
VLANs	256	64	256	16	256
Guest VLAN	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes
Port Trunking	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
SNMP	v1, v2c	No	v1, v2c, v3	No	v1, v2c, v3
QoS	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
QoS Hardware Queues	4	4	4	4	4
Prioritization	802.1p, DSCP, TOS	802.1p	802.1p, DSCP, TOS	802.1p, DSCP	802.1p, DSCP, TOS
Spanning Tree	802.1d, 1w	802.1d	802.1d	802.1d	802.1d, 1s, 1w
802.1x	Yes, Guest Vlan	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Rate Limiting	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
IGMP	v1, v2	No	v1, v2	v1, v2	v1, v2
ACL	MAC	No	MAC/IP	No	MAC/IP
Storm Control	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Web Based Management	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Jumbo Frames	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
PoE Powered Device	No	No	No	Yes	No
Warranty	Lifetime	Lifetime	5-Year	5-Year	5-Year

Green highlights the clear competitive advantages over one or more of the vendors.

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