Bridges and Routers: Summary of Features
Products listed in ascending price order

	Eicon Router for NetWare	POWERbridge
List price (tested version)	$2090	$2340
GENERAL FEATURES		
Type of network interface device	Router	NetBIOS router
Works without Novell's BRGEN/ROUTEGEN	n	y
Processor on communications adapter	16-MHz 68000	16-MHz 68000
On-board RAM	1MB	1MB
Data compression	Up to 64 Kbps	Up to 64 Kbps
On-board processor for data compression	n	n
PROTOCOLS SUPPORTED		
IPX	y	n
NetBIOS	n	y
IP	n	n
OSI	n	n
XNS	n	n
LINKS SUPPORTED		
Frame relay	y	n
Switched 56	y	n
ISDN	n	n
T1	n	n
Fractional T1	y	n
X.25	y	y
Number of virtual circuits supported through the PDN	254	254
Maximum connection rate	384 Kbps	384 Kbps
Maximum number of packets per second	200	200
NETWORK SUPPORT		
Network operating systems supported	NetWare	Any NetBIOS
LAN adapter included	n	n

N/A—Not applicable: The product does not have this feature.

Novell Link/X.25 $3395	G/X25 Gateway & Bridge 64 $3495	Microcom LAN Bridge 6500 $3999	Microcom LAN Bridge 6000 $4499	Novell Link/T1 $5490	LAN2LAN/ Mega Router $6790
Router	Router/X.25	Bridge	Bridge gateway	Router	Router
n	n	y	y	n	n
16-MHz 68000	10-MHz 80186	16-MHz 68000	16-MHz 68000	10-MHz V51	10-MHz V51
1MB	512K	576K	576K	512K	512K
Up to 64 Kbps	Up to 64 Kbps	Up to 64 Kbps	Up to 64 Kbps	Up to 64 Kbps	Up to 128 Kbps
n	n	n	n (16-MHz 68000)	n	n (20-MHz 80286)
y	y	y	y	y	y
n	y	y	y	n	n
n	n	y	y	n	n
n	n	y	y	n	n
n	y	y	y	n	n
n	n	n	y	n	n
n	y	y	y	n	y
n	n	y	y	n	y
n	n	n	y	y	y
n	y	y	y	y	y
y	y	y	y	n	y
12	16	15	15	N/A	64
64 Kbps	64 Kbps	64 Kbps	2.048 Mbps	2.048 Mbps	2.048 Mbps
35	60	500	4000	813	2315
NetWare	NetWare	Any network	Any network	NetWare	NetWare
n	n	n (Ethernet)	n (Ethernet)	n	n