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Support Ends for Windows Server 2000 and Windows 2000 Professional

Microsoft has announced that as of July 13, 2010, the Extended Support for Windows Server 2000 and Windows 2000 Professional will end. This means that aside from online self-help, these products will no longer be supported through Microsoft channels.



Windows Server 2003 R1 & R2 Recommended Upgrades



Microsoft Windows Server 2003 R1 & R2 will be transitioning from Mainstream Support to Extended Support in July 2010. Therefore, as of July 13th, 2010, Microsoft Windows Server 2003 Service Pack 1 will no longer be supported. Microsoft is encouraging any clients who are currently running Windows Server 2003 Service Pack 1 to upgrade to Service Pack 2.

Microsoft Exchange 2000 Support

In addition, Microsoft has also announced that the extended support for Microsoft Exchange 2000 Standard Edition will end January 1st, 2011.



Security Risks

Once the support ends for these Microsoft products, security updates and patches will no longer be available. In order to keep your business from becoming vulnerable, it is important to ensure that your software is up to date and that you have active support for your licenses.

If you have any questions about expiring support for Microsoft products and how it may affect you, or if you are unsure what version of the software you are running, please contact us – we can help.

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