



Solaris™ 7 Operating System End-of-Service Life Announcement

If you are currently running the Solaris™ 7 Operating System, Sun highly recommends you consider upgrading your operating system prior to Solaris 7 OS's End-of-Service Life (EOSL) on or before August 16, 2008.

Upon reaching its EOSL on August 16, 2008, all support for the Solaris 7 OS will terminate with the exception of custom support contracts. SunSpectrumSM service plans, Solaris Subscriptions, and all other standard Solaris support services contracts will no longer include Solaris 7 support. As a result, support calls regarding the Solaris 7 OS will no longer be accepted and all patch access for the Solaris 7 OS will be terminated under standard Solaris support services contracts.

Sun offers services to assist customers during operating system upgrades. The Solaris 10 OS Upgrade Service can ease the transition to the Solaris 10 OS by helping customers quickly and cost-effectively deploy the Solaris 10 OS into an existing SPARC® and/or x86 processor-based platform running a previous version of the Solaris OS. For more information visit:

sun.com/service/migration/index.jsp

To learn more about the Solaris EOSL process visit:

sun.com/service/eosl/solaris/solaris_vintage_eol_5.2005.html

As of August 16, 2008, Sun Services will only support Solaris 7 OS-related requests under a custom Solaris 7 vintage support contract. For more information on custom Solaris 7 vintage support contracts, contact your Sun sales representative or Sun authorized partner.

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