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vSphere 5.5 and vSAN 5.5 End of General Support Reminder

**End of General Support (EOGS) for VMware vSphere
® 5.5 and vSAN™ 5.5 is September 19, 2018.**

- To maintain your full level of Support and Subscription Services, HUB Tech and VMware recommend upgrading to vSphere 6.5 or vSphere 6.7. Note that by upgrading to vSphere 6.5/6.7 you not only get all the latest capabilities of vSphere but also the latest vSAN release and capabilities.

- VMware vCloud Suite® 5 and vSphere with Operations Management™ customers running vSphere 5.5 are also recommended to upgrade to vSphere 6.5/6.7.

If you are unable to upgrade from vSphere 5.5 before EOGS and are active on Support and Subscription Services, you may purchase Extended Support in one-year increments for up to two years beyond the EOGS date.

For more information on the benefits of upgrading and how to upgrade, [contact HUB Tech](#)

5 mobile threats you should shut down in 2018

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Mobile devices are now a staple of the workplace, as ubiquitous as open floor plans and videoconferencing. Enabling employees to work from their mobile devices can even boost satisfaction, productivity, creativity, loyalty, and engagement—that's quite a list of benefits.

However, embracing these upsides also requires paying attention to the downside: mobile threats. Given the sheer volume and value of sensitive data on employee devices, mobile security needs to be an IT priority. Every time an employee accesses corporate data from a smartphone, they put the entire network at risk—unless proper security measures are in place.



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Build your security immunity with an IT infrastructure checkup

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As a species, humans have a natural tendency to overcomplicate things. Take coffee, for example: It's gone from



simple, "good 'til the last drop" black coffee to iced, half-caff, ristretto, venti, four-pump, sugar-free, cinnamon, skinny latte. You'd be hard-pressed to buy a car without a full-blown home theater

experience built-in nowadays—and let's not even get started on those "it's complicated" social media relationships.

IT infrastructure and office security are no different. People tend to complicate security until they can barely keep track of all the tricks and tools meant to keep their network secure. But it doesn't have to take Herculean brain power and energy to make sure your environment is secure. Here's a quick rundown of some practical steps you can take right now to inject some anti-venom into your office's immune system.

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Aruba Introduces Integrated SD-WAN, LAN and Security Solution to Power the Software-Defined BranchCloud-Managed SD-Branch Solution Provides Simplicity

Markets - Business Insider 21-06-2018

LAS VEGAS, June 19, 2018 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Aruba, a Hewlett Packard Enterprise company (NYSE:HPE), today announced its Software-



Defined Branch (SD-Branch) solution, a new approach designed to help customers modernize branch networks for evolving cloud, IoT and mobility requirements. The integration of new cloud-managed SD-WAN, wired and wireless networking solutions, secured with context-based policy enforcement, significantly advances IT professionals' ability to deliver improved network availability and application performance, while dramatically reducing management time and operational and capital expenditures.

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What HUB Tech Clients Are Saying

"The process and communication with HUB Tech was very smooth and concise. They kept us informed about every step of the project from beginning to end."

- CEO, The Boys and Girls Club of Brockton

Just for Laughs...



Monthly Quote

"The common question that gets asked in business is, 'why?' That's a good question, but an equally valid question is, 'why not?'" -- **Jeff Bezos**

Business Continuity Tip

Sensitive Data on the Move

We live in a connected world where we must share sensitive, identifying information regularly in exchange for services. If you're accessing government or medical services, you'll be sharing your PII (Personally Identifying Information). If you're shopping, you're sharing your credit card number.

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