



Microsoft end-of-life products



Microsoft SQL Server 2008 reached end-of-life on 9th July 2019 and several additional Microsoft products are end-of-life on 14th January 2020. This means they will no longer be supported. The 2020 end-of-life products are:

- Windows Server 2008 & 2008 R2
- Windows Small Business Server 2008 & 2011
- Windows 7



If you choose to run on unsupported products, your business could face a host of issues, including decreased productivity, increased maintenance costs, incompatibility and non-compliance.



More importantly, not having the most up-to-date products could significantly compromise your security.

Products outside of the support lifecycle do not receive the necessary security patches needed to prevent vulnerabilities in your systems, leaving your business open to potential cyberattacks.



Depending on which of these products you are running and your specific business requirements, there are multiple upgrade paths available.

Our experts are best placed to help you decide which course of action suits your business.



If your business is running one or more of these products, the next step is to get in touch with TSG to discuss your options.

You can do this by visiting tsg.com/get-in-touch or by calling 0333 220 0777