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## ESET PROTECT Virtual Appliance (CentOS 7 End of Life)

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### ESET PROTECT Virtual Appliance

**CentOS 7, the underlying operating system of ESET PROTECT Virtual Appliance is approaching End of Life**

CentOS 7 will reach its **End of Life on June 30, 2024** and will stop receiving updates afterwards. This means that ESET PROTECT Virtual Appliance will continue running on an unsupported platform, therefore opening security risks to its users.

#### What does this mean?

You need to make a choice. We want you to continue to benefit from our digital security solutions with as little disruption to your business as possible and there are several options available to you.



#### What's best for you?

**We strongly recommend that you move to the cloud version of ESET PROTECT** to keep your organization protected. Take this unique opportunity to migrate now with a **30% discount** for current non-cloud subscribers.

- All you need is an ESET Business Account and eligible subscription to activate the cloud console.
- Over the longer term, you'll enjoy greater flexibility and scalability while your organization saves money on the purchase and maintenance of server hardware.
- ESET specialists will provide automatic upgrades of infrastructure with minimal downtime and will be able to provide more effective support.
- On top of that, you will be able to benefit from additional features such as Vulnerability & Patch Management.

#### Checking or obtaining your license:

#### How can I find out if my current subscription or license includes cloud console?

Check whether your subscription is listed [here](#).

#### How can I find out what subscription or license I have?

You can either go to ESET Business Account and click Licenses or check directly in your ESET PROTECT—in the left-side menu, select **More > License Management**.

#### How can I upgrade my subscription to cloud with the 30% discount?

Contact your ESET reseller [here](#).

## Migration options

We recommend migration to ESET PROTECT Cloud. If an on-premises console is required, you can choose from several migration scenarios including free ESET solutions.

[Migrate to ESET PROTECT Cloud \(recommended\)](#)

[Migrate to ESET PROTECT on a Windows Server](#)

[Migrate to ESET PROTECT on a Linux Server \(instructions to be added later\)](#)

[Migrate to the new ESET PROTECT Virtual Appliance \(available mid-March 2024\)](#)

## Not sure what operating system you're running?

Affected systems include ESET PROTECT installed on CentOS 7 and ESET PROTECT Virtual Appliance.

Determine if you run ESET PROTECT on CentOS 7 by clicking **Help** > **About** in your ESET PROTECT Web Console:

