

Product Lifecycle Management

Nothing lasts for ever, especially technology. Whilst we replace IT technology every two or three years, we are rarely as diligent over our BeMS hardware and software.

Did you know?

SIEMENS

Designo Insight Software has been superseded by Designo CC.

TREND

IQ1, 2 & 3 series controllers, TONN 3 & 6 (Running Niagara AX) are now all obsolete.

963 Head End Software has been superseded by the IQVision platform.

TRIDIUM

Niagara AX will become obsolete on 31 July 2021. This will affect JACE 3 & 6 series hardware.



Windows 7

Windows 7 PC's are no longer supported.

Why should I upgrade?

Cybersecurity

New cyber threats are appearing all the time. Upgrading to the latest technology will prevent your site from falling behind in terms of service patches and security updates.

Energy efficiency

Heating, ventilation, and air conditioning plant as well as other building systems, such as lighting and shading, can be controlled and monitored flexibly and based on demand. Intelligent applications – tested under practical conditions – prevent unnecessary energy usage.

Financing options

Flexible energy performance contracting can help to spread the cost of upgrading to allow users to take advantage of the new technology, and make energy savings, sooner, rather than later.

Multi-discipline support

In addition to controlling HVAC, recent technology provides support for other systems such as fire safety, power management, lighting, and physical security; all from the same system.

Obsolete controllers

Technology constantly moves on. By upgrading to take advantage of newer features, you avoid the risk of having unsupported products on-site, which can't be repaired or easily replaced.

Risk of failure

The longer you operate old technology, the higher the risk of it failing, and with a lower chance of obtaining spares or replacements.

The operational cost of downtime needs to also be factored-in.

Wellbeing

With appropriate sensors (such as CO₂, particulates, VOCs, and relative humidity), the upgrade can include strategies to enhance the wellbeing of the building occupants, in terms of personal comfort, effectiveness, and in preventing the spread of pathogens such as the coronavirus.

Let us advise you on support life and obsolescence dates for your technology.

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