



# Read Me First - Important Notes for VSP Operating System Software

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**\* Note:**

This product might contain an updated Real Time Clock (RTC) component, which is different from the one used in previous hardware revisions of the product. There is no change in the product functionality, however, due to the updated RTC component, there is a minimum software requirement for the proper functioning of the product.

The hardware revision number of the affected products has been updated to reflect this change. For each product in the affected product families the following hardware revisions and higher contain the updated RTC component:

Model	Minimum Hardware Revision
VSP4450GSX	11
VSP4450GTX-HT	11
VSP7254XSQ/VSP7254XTQ	13
VSP8284XSQ	12
VSP8404	10
VSP8404c	12

To determine the version of your product, check the label on the box or use the CLI command `show sys-info` to check the H/W Revision field.

The minimum versions of software required for proper functioning of the product with the new RTC component are as follows:

- 6.x software baseline – 6.1.6.0
- 7.x or later software baseline – 7.1.0.1

All other older software versions do not support the new RTC component.

Products with the new RTC component are already pre-installed with a software version (7.1.0.1) that supports both the old and new RTC component versions. The factory-installed software on products with the new RTC component automatically prevents activation of any unsupported version of the software. It is recommended that you upgrade the product with the new RTC component to the current latest version of software published on the Extreme Networks support portal.