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1 Introduction

1.1 About this document

The netVESPA Release Report is designed to replace both the Release Notes and the Tariff News, and is intended to briefly summarise both tariff and technical information concerning a release. If more detailed information is required, please email support@magenta-netlogic.com with your request.

1.2 About this Release

netVESPA Pricing Tools release version 8.5.3.0 is classified as a Maintenance Release (see Appendix B).

1.3 Advice for Data Administrators

8530: If you have not previously installed 8500, please do so before installing this release, taking special care to follow the supplementary instructions that were provided with 8500. If you do not have a copy of these instructions, or have not previously installed any version of netVESPA, please contact Magenta Support

8530: There have been no updates to the site gazetteer with this release; no relocation of PoPs is required.

Tariff availability may need to be adjusted to take into account new tariffs with this release (see Section 2.1)

Please note that Windows Vista is not currently supported for netVESPA Solo/netIPT.

2 New in this Release

2.1 Tariff updates

The following carriers have updates in this release:

- OTE (Greece) Wholesale tariffs have been added; these are set by regulator to be no more than (retail – 15%). Tariffs are effective from February 2007.
- BT WES/WEES Wholesale Ethernet services have been added; please note there are a number of prerequisites for sites using these tariffs:
 - Fibre must exist at both ends
 - For the Local Access tariffs, the carrier must be present at the serving exchange under the BT Locate scheme
 - Circuit length can be no more than 25km except for 1Gb Extended Reach which sets the limit at 35km
 - All tariffs are based on the prices effective from 14/06/2007

Availability will need to be adjusted if these tariffs are not required

- France Telecom: the following retail tariffs have been updated with rental increase by 1% to 9% with effect from 01 June 2007 (the highest increase applying to the short distance circuits):
 - 128K and 256K Transfix
 - 128K, 256K, 512K and 1024K Transfix 2.0
 - 9.6K is not longer available for sale and thus the related tariffs have been removed.

2.2 Site Gazetteer

There have been no changes to the site gazetteer in this release

2.3 Feature enhancements

There are no functional enhancements over the previous version.

2.4 Bugs fixed

Issues concerning filters in Management Reports have been fixed (Administrator-level users only).

Outstanding & Completed Requests screens (workflow versions only) now display the correct circuit count

Threading performance on Batch Import (workflow versions only) has been improved

2.5 Other information

Exchange Rates from FT.com as of 28th June 2007 have been included.

Please note that Windows Vista is not currently supported for netVESPA Solo/netIPT.

3 Installation Instructions

3.1 Installation from disk

This distribution consists of:

- netSys.exe - Launcher from which netVESPA installation may be started. Release documentation is also accessible.
- SETUP.EXE - This installs the netVESPA Suite program files and databases.

This update will require 8GB minimum free disk space for installation. For more detailed System Requirements, please see ‘System Overview Requirements & Compliance.pdf’ in the Documentation folder on your CD.

Compatibility with previous release(s)

- netVESPA version 8.5.3.0 should not be installed over versions prior to **8.5.2.0**. If you require an installation over a version prior to this, please contact Support.
- Operating systems supported are Win2000 SP4, XP Professional SP2, Windows server 2003 SP1; Win9x is not supported. There are no plans at present to support Windows Vista for netVESPA Solo.
- **Full Administrator rights are required for all installations.**

Installation (all products)

1. **Server: Stop the netVESPA Web server from the netVESPA Control Panel, and close applet.
Solo: Close netIPT2000 and netVESPA Solo**
2. Insert the CD - The netVESPA installation menu is displayed. If this does not happen, please double-click the CD-ROM icon in My Computer, or netvespa.exe in the CD root directory.
3. Follow the installation wizard. If third-party required software (ASP.NET 1.1/MSDE/Sun Java Plug-in) is not present, it will be installed automatically.
4. Installation will take 15-30 minutes depending on version and machine specification.
5. On first restart, please allow time for database upgrades to run; depending on version and machine specification, these may take between 15 minutes and 1 hour.

If you have user-defined data, you should first run netIPT2000 and allow the Tariff Update to proceed. We advise choosing “Yes” when asked if you wish to delete the databases after update, otherwise you will be prompted to run Tariff Update when you next start netIPT2000.

3.2 Known Issues

netVESPA Client/netVESPA Solo

- Under certain circumstances the Sun Java Plug-in may not install fully unless the installation is performed with full administrator rights. The install will not report this error.
- XP SP2 contains a Pop-up blocker that may affect report functionality for netVESPA client users; please see your IT team for resolution.
- Windows Vista is not currently supported for netVESPA Solo/netIPT.

netVESPA Web Server

- In the User Manager interface, the Save and Delete buttons may not be visible at lower screen resolutions without scrolling down.

4 Magenta netLogic Support Service

Support is available to users with active maintenance agreements for questions on netVESPA operation and application.

Support is available from 9.00 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. (UK time) Monday to Friday except for designated UK national holidays.

Contact:

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Alternatively you could try visiting the Frequently Asked Questions page of our website any time at www.magenta-netlogic.com. You can find the FAQ option in the Information menu.

Appendix B: Glossary of Terms

DA Release – a release containing client-specific data only.

Major Release – a code release containing changes in the underlying database structure or of underlying components used for server-side or client-side scripting, third-party APIs or GUIs, or significant feature enhancements.

Maintenance Release – a release containing data updates and minor bug fixes only.

Service Release – a release containing essential bug fixes only.

Site Gazetteer – country-specific database used to determine site locations in netVESPA