

## Features and Benefits

### Direct-to-Expert Multivendor Technical Support

- 100% team of industry-experts
- End-to-end problem ownership and resolution
- Non-tiered support model

### Asset Manager

- Upload, share and manage all of your IT assets in real-time

### Lifetime Support for all Networking Equipment

- Including OEM End-of-Life and End-of-Support products

### CanvasGuard™ Unified Service Contract

- One service contract number for your entire organization
- One single contract renewal date
- Infinite assets
- Flexible invoicing

### Global Multi-Vendor Support

- Fully distributed 24x7 TAC
- Multi-vendor support options
- Comprehensive infrastructure management

### Tools & Processes

- Fully integrated web 2.0 delivery platform
- Intelligent IT asset management
- Mobile applications for increased real-time support

## Why Choose CanvasGuard™?

- Extend the lifespan of invested network capital
- Reduce repair time with unlimited access to Direct-to-Expert service
- Eliminate unnecessary hardware and software upgrades and thus minimize capital expenditure
- Reduce operational expenditure and better utilize scarce in-house resources
- Increase return on network investment (ROI)
- Improve employee productivity through knowledge transfer sessions
- Reduce the time-to-deployment of new IP technologies
- Achieve extreme network availability and performance without over-engineering
- Objective vendor-neutral consulting solely focused on customer needs
- Reduce the total-cost-of-network-ownership by up to 30%.

Features	CanvasGuard™	OEM Offerings
Direct-to-Expert TAC	Yes	No
Multivendor Support	Yes	No
Support for End-of-Life Equipment	Yes	No
Support for Pre-Owned Equipment	Yes	No
Collaborative Asset Manager	Yes	No
Software Bug Fixes	Yes	Yes
Software Support	Yes	Yes
Advanced Hardware Replacement	Yes	Yes
24x7x365 Availability	Yes	Yes
Online Tasks Management Tools	Yes	Yes

### Covered Vendors

Cisco	Brocade
Juniper	F5
Extreme	Redback
Force10	Ericsson
Foundry	

### Hardware SLAs

8x5xNBD  
 24x7x4  
 24x7x2  
 24x7xCPS (Customer Premise Sparring)  
 On-Site Optional for all SLAs  
 Available in 130 Countries

### Covered Technologies

Routing Protocols	VPN
Unified Messaging	Wireless
Security	IBM Networking
Storage Networking	Content Networking
LAN Switching	Optical Networking
NMS	Cable
QOS	WAN
Access-Dial	ATM
DSL	IPTV
WAN Switching	Software
Conferencing	Desktop Protocols
RFID	Contact Center
Mobile Wireless	AON
VoIP	IP Telephony
Hardware Architecture	

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