

# Service withdrawal: IBM Select Support for xCAT from IBM Configurator for e-Business - Replacements available

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## Overview

Extreme Cloud Administrative Toolkit (xCAT), the open source cluster management tool available from [github](#), is no longer shipped with the IBM Elastic Storage<sup>(R)</sup> System (ESS). Therefore, the xCAT support offering available in eConfig is being withdrawn. xCAT Select Support is still available to order from Passport Advantage<sup>(R)</sup> for clients who want continued support.

## Withdrawn parts, features, or programs

### Build-to-order program number and feature number withdrawal

Effective September 15, 2022, the following program numbers and features will be withdrawn:

Program number	Program and feature name	VRM	Feature number
5641-CT1	1-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Enhanced	1.1.0	2238
5641-CT2	2-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Enhanced	1.1.0	2678
5641-CT3	3-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Enhanced	1.1.0	2240
5641-CT4	4-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Enhanced	1.1.0	2680
5641-CT5	5-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Enhanced	1.1.0	2276
5641-CT2	2-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Elite	1.1.0	2677
5641-CT4	4-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Elite	1.1.0	2679
5641-CT5	5-Year IBM Select Support for xCAT - Elite	1.1.0	2275

Not all feature numbers may have been available.

## Replacement information

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## Build-to-order

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xCAT Select Support remains available from Passport Advantage:

Program number	Program name	Part number
5724-V73	IBM Enhanced Support for xCAT	D04X5LL

Not all program numbers or part numbers may be available.

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## Order processing

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Orders received on or after the effective date of withdrawal will not be filled. Client requested arrival dates (CRADs), if any, must be prior to the effective date of withdrawal.

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## Technical support

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### Licensed program technical support

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Technical support continues to be available for the programs in this announcement. The discontinuance of support for these offerings will be announced a minimum of 12 month before the termination date.

See the [IBM<sup>\(R\)</sup> Support](#) website for product support information.

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