

# PowerChute<sup>™</sup> Network Shutdown v5.0

## Graceful shutdown for hyperconverged and virtual infrastructure

Virtualization has changed the IT landscape making the need for power protection and management more crucial than ever. The ability to remotely shut down hyperconverged infrastructure (HCI) during a power outage is critical to prevent data loss and improve recovery time.

### Power protection and peace of mind

PowerChute is an uninterruptible power supply (UPS) management software from Schneider Electric that offers:

- 1. Unattended, graceful shutdown of virtual machines (VMs) followed by the cluster and hosts, which helps prevent data corruption.
- 2. Pre-configured start-up sequence to ensure PowerChute powers on VMs to minimize downtime after critical events have passed.
- 3. Fully tested and validated with latest HCI and Virtualization platforms for ease of deployment and certainty in setups.





Unattended, graceful shutdown

Automated start-up minimizes downtime



Ease-of-use

### What's changed as of May 1, 2023

Customers with PowerChute v5.0 will require a license for certain features:

- HCI and virtualization support is only available with PowerChute licensing which includes:
  - Full integration with leading HCI platforms
  - Unattended start-up
  - Automated workload migrations

#### Impact:

- No impact to existing customers as their current version will continue to work
- Customers will need to purchase a license for future upgrades
- Graceful shutdown for Windows and Linux will remain available without a license

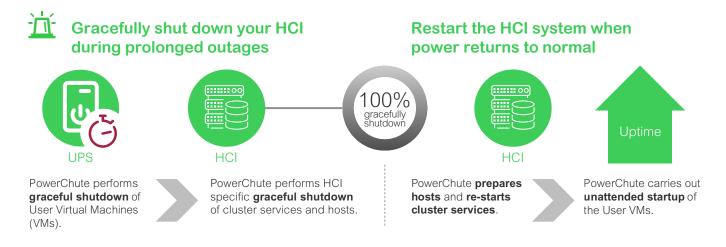
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### How does PowerChute work?

How PowerChute protects your hyperconverged and virtual infrastructure



#### Creating peace of mind for IT professionals

PowerChute Network Shutdown benefits	
Protect Data	PowerChute provides data security and resiliency during prolonged power disturbances
Configurable action on critical events	Automated workload migration or cluster shutdown in response to critical events
- Minimize downtime	Unattended start-up minimizes downtime when power conditions are restored

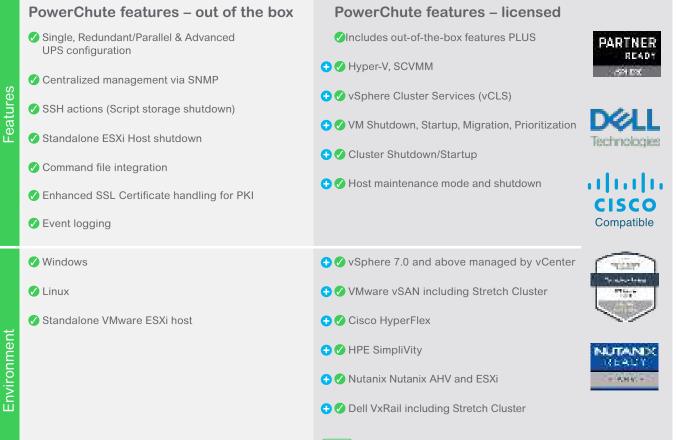
#### Additional Features

- vSphere Cluster Services (vCLS) support
- Ongoing software updates
- Access to latest security updates
- Up-to-date certifications and reference
  designs
- Enhanced PKI Certificate Handling for added security
- User Interface refresh for better usability
- Collaboration with leading HCI vendors for fully integrated solutions



### PowerChute licensing options

#### Out-of-the-box vs. licensed features





HCl and virtualization support is only available with PowerChute license.



### How to order

#### Download and license part numbers

Download Part #	PowerChute Network Shutdown download
SFPCNS50	PowerChute Network Shutdown software download
License Part #	PowerChute Network Shutdown License
SWPCNS1Y-DIGI	PowerChute Network Shutdown for Virtualization and HCI, 1-Year
SWPCNS3Y-DIGI	PowerChute Network Shutdown for Virtualization and HCI, 3-Year
SWPCNS5Y-DIGI	PowerChute Network Shutdown for Virtualization and HCI, 5-Year

#### Getting started is EASY



#### Order PowerChute Network Shutdown License

Licenses can be purchased from your trusted Schneider Electric partner, reseller or via Schneider Exchange.



#### **Download and install**

PowerChute Network Shutdown v5.0 can be downloaded directly from the APC website.

#### **Activate license**

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After installation, run the PowerChute configuration wizard and enter the "Activation ID" on the licensing page. The Activation ID is received via email after you purchase the license.

For step-by-step details on license activation and additional questions on licensing of PowerChute Network Shutdown v5.0, please refer to the Licensing FAQ.

#### Learn more or get started with **PowerChute options**. Click the link below.



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