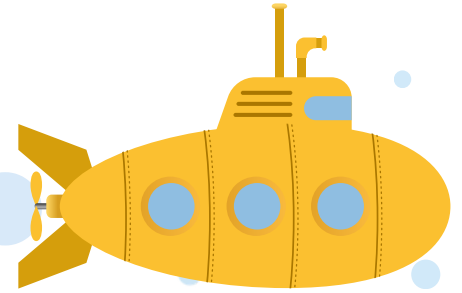


# 4 Ways to Run a More **Efficient** MSP



# Why does efficiency matter?

It's not just about doing more with less. **It's about doing more of the right things.**



## Avoid the Productivity Trap

Just like factories didn't become more productive overnight when switching from steam to electricity, **MSPs don't become more efficient just by adding tools**. True efficiency comes from optimizing how all your people, tools, and processes work together.

When your operations are efficient:

- You and your team have time to **solve new, strategic challenges**.
- Your **value** inside the organization increases.
- Your company becomes **more agile** and better equipped to handle change.
- Your **customers benefit** from better service.



**Automate routine, rule-based, and repetitive tasks.**

**Focus on areas like:**



**Reporting**



**Ticketing**



**User  
onboarding**

*Pro tip: Automation works best with a human in the loop to monitor and adjust.*

**Find automation tools here!**

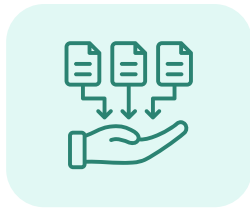
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**Automate**



# Integrate tools & systems to stop wasting time with manual workarounds and app-switching.

**Look for places to:**



**Connect tools  
that handle the  
same data**



**Streamline  
workflows across  
distributed teams**



**Feed  
security/compliance  
data into your  
SIEM/logging tools**

*Pro tip: Use APIs or middleware to minimize manual touchpoints.*

**Find tools to integrate here!**

**Automate**

**2**

**Integrate**

# Upgrade outdated or underperforming tools to get rid of bottlenecks.

## Upgrade when:



**Tools cause frequent support tickets**



**Tools don't meet compliance needs**

*Pro tip: Prioritize upgrades that reduce complexity or support workload.*

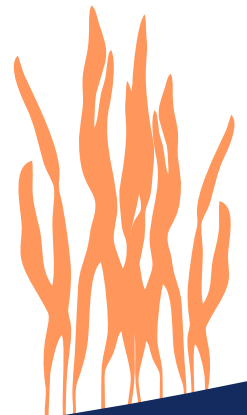
**Find tools to upgrade here!**

**Automate**

**Integrate**

**3**

**Upgrade**



# Outsource what you aren't an expert in.

Outsourcing can make sense for:



**Business  
infrastructure  
(HR, finance, etc.)**



**Specialized  
IT/security  
expertise**



**After-hours  
support or  
overflow services**

*Pro tip: Free your team to focus on what they're best at.*

**Find tasks to outsource here!**

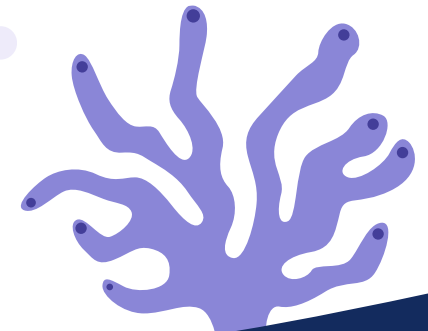
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**Outsource**



# TL;DR

When completing a task or using a tool, think — can and should this be automated, integrated, upgraded, or outsourced?

## Automate

- Reporting
- Ticket tracking
- Onboarding
- Rule-based alerts
- Repetitive tasks

## Integrate

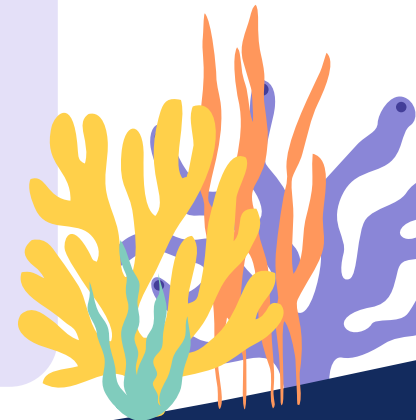
- SIEM
- PSA
- RMM
- Ticketing
- Billing

## Upgrade

- Legacy tools with frequent bugs
- Security apps that don't meet new standards

## Outsource

- Overnight support
- Complex or labor-intensive cybersecurity
- HR and/or payroll services



Efficiency isn't about cutting corners.  
It's about making room to do higher-value work.

You know your MSP best — and that makes you  
the best person to engineer meaningful change.

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