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The old Internet is running out!

FireBrick to the rescue helping ISPs rise to the challenge of IPv6

FireBrick, a totally UK based company, are taking on the big boys with the launch of their ISP grade network routers designed to help ISPs take on the challenge of the IPv6 Internet.

The FireBrick team have created a completely new product range which, unlike its rivals, has IPv6 built in from the start.

The FB6202 ISP network router provides outstanding performance for the power, putting other manufacturers equipment to shame. With a simple configuration the FB6202 LNS can be connected to BT or BE wholesale broadband services in minutes. It provides a giga-bit of throughput to handle many thousands of customers, yet uses around 20W of power. This not only helps the environment but helps reduce ISPs operating costs.

One of the unique features of the new FB6202 is the incredible level of detailed monitoring carried out on every broadband line. This Constant Quality Monitoring gives ISPs an instant insight into any faults, whether on individual lines or in the core networks of the broadband carriers. The reduction in support calls and engineer visits is invaluable in keeping ISP costs down and maintaining quality of service for customers.

Now that the old Internet has finally run out, IPv6 is crucial to UK businesses. If you do not have IPv6 then you cannot access the whole of the Internet any more. FireBrick are already trialling their new IPv6 business firewalls (FB2700) helping UK businesses to be IPv6 Ready.

For home users, new broadband routers are finally coming on to the market with IPv6 support, and the FireBrick works seamlessly with them to provide IPv6 configuration automatically from the ISP. IPv6 has never been easier to deploy.

Designed and made in the UK, with UK-based engineers, FireBrick offer support without language or time zone issues, and software updates are completely free.

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