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- Code42/Crashplan is a user-friendly backup solution available for all MIT community members, and replaces Tivoli Storage Manager (TSM) as the recommended backup solution for individual users.
- For individual users who have not yet migrated to Code42 and for administrators of server machines using IS&T's enterprise service level
  agreement, read below for TSM's Java Runtime Environment requirements.

### **TSM on Windows**

- Upgrade to the latest Java 7 version.
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### TSM on Mac OS 10.7 and higher

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- Download and install the latest Java 7 version..
- [Download and install TSM 7 for Macintosh

#### TSM on Mac OS 10.6

### Awareness: Java 6 is no longer receiving security updates from Apple.

- For Mac OS 10.6 and lower, Java 6 is packaged with the Macintosh operating system. Java 7 is available only for Mac OS 10.7 and higher.
- Use Apple's Software Update to upgrade to Java 6 update 45. (Apple >> Software Update)
- Apple has not released security fixes for Java 6 update 45 and known security issues exist.
- Apple's recommendation is to upgrade your operating system, then install Java 7.

### Need assistance?

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