Where you are Positioned in McAfee Survey 2011 by Neha

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McAfee, a leading security software developer came with an alarming report after its worldwide survey across 24 countries in the year 2011. Some of the findings are quite alarming that translate the vulnerability of computer data and Internet based communication across home and business PCs. The report says that one in every six personal computers have zero protection. 17% of those scanned either had disabled or nonexistent anti-virus software. Singapore appeared on the bottom with the highest 21.75% of consumers unprotected, even in the United States 19.32% of consumers dwell without basic security. Finland stood first with just 9.7% of consumer PCs unprotected.

In the United States worth $55, 000 of the â€œdigital assetsâ€• are stored across various digital devices. Underscoring the growing dependencies on the computer and technology and simultaneously emerging e-threats McAfee strive to come with better security solution. Popular McAfee security software in the home segment includes McAfee All Access, McAfee Total Protection 2012, McAfee Internet Security 2012, and more. Total Protection has been certified by AV-test in the recently published report for Mar/April 2012. In a test that was performed on a Windows 7-based system the software bagged 4.0, 3.0 and 5.0 points in the categories including protection, repair and usability. Though, it lagged behind several others, the overall result is satisfying. All-Access software, the Winner of the PC Magazineâ€™s Editorsâ€™ Best Choice award for 2012 is worth to install to garner all-round protection across several operating system platforms including Windows, Mac and Android. Being a beginner, go with the trial version of software to conclude whether it will work or not.

However, the software may not be able to work up to its potential if it has not been updated or configured properly. Occasionally, errors may come up with the installation and activation of the software, and it may confront with the browsing, surfing, downloading, and sharing the Internet, printers, send/receiving email, etc. across the network. Sometimes, error may explain the nature or origin of the problem; otherwise, it can be quite deceptive to sort out the root cause or background issues. But nothing to worry, as experts sitting at McAfee Support portal can diagnose and fix errors remotely. Technicians can take a dip into the system resources like Windows Event Viewer, Registry Settings, Action Center/Security Center in Windows and .plists and System Preferences in the Mac operating system to unravel the causes. If your computer or laptop is under warranty, then you can call your manufacturer as well.

Third-party customer service operatives have also started taking interest in the McAfee Help topic. Nowadays, there are n numbers of such vendors working online to ease your computing. Their independent nature can be a boon, as you are entitled to collect complete PC repair and maintenance solution. No matter, which PC make or model you own, or which is the operating system or software version running, experts can deal with all. However, before going for such services, you must take a note of their terms and conditions and privacy policy.

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