



Ice Cream Sandwich Not So Tasty For PPTP



The Ice Cream Sandwich (ICS) OS update for Android, which began to hit phones in October 2011, has caused trouble for some of those using their device's to support a PPTP connection. These PPTP (or Point-to-Point Tunneling Protocol) connections are important because they provide the foreground for VPN networks.

The ICS update didn't exactly have a smooth transition when it came to sustaining VPN capabilities. Before the ICS update, trouble connecting to PPTP channels did not arise as an issue. However, soon after the release of the ICS OS, users started having trouble using their 3G & 4G networks to sustain a VPN network.



signal to connect.

Though a formal statement hasn't been made, chatter in tech and computer forums suggests that the ICS OS contains some kind of software bug that interferes between a user's data network and a PPTP connection.

FeatVPN Offers Solution To the Ice Cream Sandwich Bug

FeatVPN has released a beta version that not only works around the Ice Cream Sandwich OS bugs but actually helps detect them. StrongVPN will be recommending the third beta version of FeatVPN for Android 4.0 in order to ensure that customers can support their VPN connection on their ICS powered devices.

What FeatVPN does is it connects a device to the FeatVPN app using your OpenVPN settings. The app then becomes an intermediary between a user's device and server, translating and passing information between the Android device and the remote server. Ultimately, the FeatVPN app controls the VPN connection, making it so that a user bypasses the ICS bugs through third party software.

Please see <http://www.featvpn.com/third-beta-version-android-40>



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