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Novell Product Announcement

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Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition

Novell is pleased to announce the availability of Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition to all customers worldwide.

Product Information

Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition is a Linux-based desktop-to-server solution specifically designed to meet the needs of small business organizations with up to 200 users. It provides end-users and IT with the tools they need to be productive - All at a fraction of the cost of a Microsoft Windows-centric alternative.

A new, integrated installation process cuts both deployment time and costs and the whole solution comes on one single DVD. It also features a straightforward management interface making it easy to perform basic tasks such as adding users, changing passwords or installing applications. While being deployed on Linux servers in the back-end, the solution supports both Windows and Linux desktops as clients.

Novell products in the suite

The following Novell products are included in the Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition:

- Novell Open Enterprise Server 1
 A powerful and flexible Linux-based server platform to host workgroup services and applications
- GroupWise 7 for server deployment on Linux
 A secure and reliable collaboration solution that provides e-mail and calendaring
 capabilities
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Desktop 10
 A business-ready Linux desktop that can replace Windows for most users
- **OpenOffice.org Novell Edition** The leading open source productivity suite that runs on Windows and Linux

Included open source components

In addition to the above Novell products, the following essential open source components are included and supported by Novell to further help customers drive down cost and improve security:

- **Amanda** A backup system that allows a single master backup server to back up multiple hosts over network to tape drives/changers, disks or optical media
- **HylaFAX** A system for sending and receiving facsimiles as well as for sending alpha-numeric pages from any client in the network
- **MailScanner** One of the most widely used anti-spam filters that help reduce the load of spam in your e-mail system
- **ClamAV** An anti-virus toolkit designed for scanning email on a mail server, providing a fast and multi-threaded daemon
- **iptables** A stateful firewall to protect all computers and servers on the network (using the built-in capabilities of SUSE Linux Enterprise)
- **OpenVPN** A full-featured Secure Socket Layers (SSL) Virtual Private Network (VPN) that can accommodate a range of configurations
- **TightVNC** A remote control software package that enables the control, monitoring and interaction of any client computer on a network

Other important capabilities

To meet the needs of small businesses and the partners serving them, the Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition also features:

- Integrated installation process— A process that cuts both deployment time and costs while making it easy to set up and configure all the needed services
- **Simple management interface** An interface that makes it easy for anyone to perform administrative tasks such as adding users and changing passwords
- **Remote management tools** Allows for remote management of both desktops and servers in the environment
- **Help desk system** An easy to use help desk tool to provide end-users with the support they need to be productive

Licensing

The Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition is licensed per user or device and allows for a maximum of 200 users/devices. The suite can be deployed on up to 5 servers and allows for application deployment in addition to deployment of the workgroup services included with the suite. Refer to the product EULA for more details.

Pricing

5 user/device pack: € **329** 5 user/device Maintenance: € **118** per year

Maintenance provides the following added benefits:

- Future versions of Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition
- The right to deploy and use GroupWise Mobile Server
- Entitlement to SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 10
- Updates for SUSE Linux Enterprise Server and SUSE Linux Enterprise Desktop
- Support from Novell

There is no upgrade or competitive upgrade SKU available as the Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition is already aggressively priced for all audiences.

Upgrade Details

Customers with current upgrade protection on Novell Small Business Suite 6.6 or Novell Linux Small Business Suite 9 are entitled to an equal amount of Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition licenses.

Product	Entitlement	Maintenance
Novell Small Business Suite 6.x with current upgrade protection	Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition for no additional charge	Maintenance on Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition will be an additional fee of \$125 per 5 users
Novell Linux Small Business Suite 9 with current upgrade protection	Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition for no additional charge	Maintenance on Novell Open Workgroup Suite Small Business Edition will be an additional fee of \$125 per 5 users

For further information

Please visit <u>http://www.novell.com/smallbiz</u> for more information about this product.

Please see the accompanying spreadsheet for a complete list of part numbers and pricing.

Customers May Order:	September 21, 2007
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