

Y2K Updates, digitalme, and More

Y2K Updates

Novell recently posted Y2K updates about Novell products on its Year 2000 web site (<http://www.novell.com/year2000>). This web site also provides the following tools, which you can use to ensure that your company's network is year-2000 ready:

- **Novell's Y2K Information Ferret.** Novell's free Y2K Information Ferret utility identifies all of the Novell products running on your company's servers and gathers information about these products. You then submit this information to Novell, and Novell returns a detailed report about the year-2000 status of your company's servers.
- **Y2K E-mail Subscription List.** You can subscribe to Novell's Y2K list server to be notified by e-mail when Y2K information is posted on Novell's web site.
- **Greenwich Mean Time's Check 2000.** Novell also offers Greenwich Mean Time's Check 2000, which can help you identify and repair potential Y2K problems on Windows desktops. A five-user version of Check 2000 is available free with Novell's ZENworks. Additional licenses can be purchased for U.S. \$20 per ZENworks user. As a standalone product, Check 2000 is available for U.S. \$44 per user.

Note: Novell Technical Support will be open 24 hours a day worldwide from Friday, December 31, through Monday, January 3. In the United States and Canada, you can call Novell Technical Support at 1-800-858-4000. For worldwide technical support phone numbers, visit Novell's web site (<http://support.novell.com/additional/telephone.htm>).

digitalme Debut

Novell recently released digitalme, which allows you to control and protect the distribution of your personal information on the Internet. digitalme is available for free at <http://www.digitalme.com>. (For more information about digitalme, see "The Human Face of NDS," *NetWare*

Connection, Aug. 1999, pp. 22-31. You can download this article from <http://www.nwconnection.com/past>.)

LogicSource Library Additions

Novell has announced three additions to the LogicSource Library: LogicSource for ZENworks, LogicSource for GroupWise, and LogicSource for ManageWise. The LogicSource Library is a comprehensive resource designed to help customers manage and support Novell products.

LogicSource for ZENworks, LogicSource for GroupWise, and LogicSource for ManageWise are available now for U.S. \$199 each for a single-user license and U.S. \$1,999 each for a corporate license. For more information about the LogicSource Library, visit <http://support.novell.com/logicsource>.

Novell FireWALL for NT

Novell recently announced Novell FireWALL for NT, a directory-enabled firewall that runs on Windows NT servers. Designed for small- and medium-sized companies, Novell FireWALL for NT integrates Internet security features with bandwidth-management tools. As a result, Novell FireWALL for NT ensures that critical traffic receives priority handling during peak network traffic times.

Novell FireWALL for NT runs on Windows NT servers and supports Novell Directory Services (NDS), Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP), and Windows NT domains. Novell FireWALL for NT will be available later this year. For more information about Novell FireWALL for NT, visit <http://www.novell.com/products/ntfirewall>.

ScheMax 1.1

Novell recently released ScheMax 1.1, a directory-based solution that enables you to customize the NDS schema on your company's network. With ScheMax 1.1, you can use the NetWare Administrator

(NWADMIN) utility to assign users rights to view and configure directory data. You can also grant users rights to update their own information in NDS.

Using Extensible Markup Language (XML), ScheMax 1.1 also enables you to view or edit NDS data and export it to another application, such as a spreadsheet. In addition, ScheMax 1.1 allows you to extend your company's NDS schema to include information such as security clearance, pager numbers, and photographs.

You can download a free, 60-day trial version of ScheMax 1.1 from Novell's web site at <http://www.novell.com/download/#NDS>. For more information about ScheMax 1.1, visit <http://www.novell.com/products/schemax>.

Also in the News

- Novell Certificate Server 2.0 is now available in open beta. You can download the beta version from <http://support.novell.com/beta/public>.
- Novell recently announced that it will offer products from NetVision Inc.'s Synchronicity product line, including Synchronicity for Windows NT and Synchronicity for NetWare. For more information, visit <http://www.novell.com/products/synchronicity>.
- Novell has announced the winners of the Novell Developers' Contest. The grand prize winners are Enterprise Security Manager (ESM), a security management application from AXENT Technologies, and Collaborative Learning Environment, a set of single sign-on network resources from Clemson University. For more information, visit <http://developer.novell.com/contest>.
- Novell recently released NetWare Cluster Services for NetWare 5, a clustering solution that ensures access to network resources even when a server fails. For more information, visit <http://www.novell.com/products/clusters>, or see "Uptime in Real Time With NetWare Cluster Services for NetWare 5," *NetWare Connection*, Sept. 1999, pp. 6-18. You can download this article from <http://www.nwconnection.com/past>. ●