

## NOVELL CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL

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# Novell eDirectory Facts and Resources

**N**ovell eDirectory extends your reach across all leading operating systems, including NetWare, Windows 2000, Windows NT, Solaris, Linux, Tru64 UNIX, and IBM AIX. eDirectory also allows you to traverse the borders between enterprise networks, intranets, extranets, and the Internet. With more than 1,700 applications developed for use on eDirectory, it is the ideal platform from which to stage your company's e-business solutions.

This article lists resources you can use to get more information about using and managing eDirectory. This article also lists the awards it has earned from 1997 to the present. (For more information about eDirectory, visit [www.novell.com/products/nds](http://www.novell.com/products/nds).)

## COOL SOLUTIONS

Novell Cool Solutions ([www.novell.com/cool-solutions/nds](http://www.novell.com/cool-solutions/nds)) features information you can use to fine-tune and troubleshoot eDirectory. Cool Solutions is a valuable forum whether you are new to eDirectory or simply need the latest information about new versions of eDirectory. For example, you can read articles that explain how to upgrade servers to eDirectory 8.5 or how to avoid common pitfalls when adding a second domain controller.

Cool Solutions also features sections where you can read answers to eDirectory questions, find the latest Technical Information Documents (TIDs), access information about available downloads, and read eDirectory documentation online. In addition, you can submit feedback about the advice you received on Cool Solutions.

## DEVELOPERS GET IT FREE

Novell is now offering application developers a 250,000-user License Agreement for the unlimited use of eDirectory in testing and developing. This new license enables developers to download and redistribute eDirectory with their applications. For more information, visit <http://developer.novell.com/edirectory>.

## APPNOTES

*AppNotes* is another good resource for learning the ins and outs of developing applications to eDirectory or of managing an eDirectory tree. For example, the article "What It Really Means To Be Integrated With NDS eDirectory" is a must-read for anyone implementing solutions on eDirectory. For more information about *AppNotes*, visit <http://developer.novell.com/research>.

## ELEARNING ONLINE SEMINARS

If you need a little bit more structured eDirectory training, check out the eLearning Online Seminars. You can access these seminars by visiting [www.novell.com/products/nds](http://www.novell.com/products/nds) and clicking eLearning Online Seminar in the left column. The eDirectory seminar covers topics such as productivity and information management, enabling e-business, cost-effectiveness, and security.

## EVALUATION SOFTWARE

You can download an evaluation copy of eDirectory 8.5 from [www.novell.com/products/nds/evaluation.html](http://www.novell.com/products/nds/evaluation.html). You can download eDirectory 8.5 for NetWare, Linux, Windows NT, Solaris, and Tru64 UNIX. If you would prefer to receive an evaluation copy of eDirectory 8.5 on CD, you can place an order online or via telephone (1-800-395-7135). The cost of this CD is U.S. \$10 plus shipping.

## FIRST DIRECTORY TO ACHIEVE SUNTONE CERTIFICATION

eDirectory 8.5 is the first directory to complete SunTone Program Certification. To earn this certification, eDirectory passed rigorous evaluations and met scalability, availability, security, and management requirements. As the only directory to run across all leading operating systems, eDirectory is ideal for e-business solutions. Achieving the SunTone Program Certification also shows that eDirectory is ideal for the Solaris environment. ●

