

Parallels Launches Software Certification Program

Helps ISVs Ensure Software Compatibility with Parallels Virtualization Products

RENTON, Wash., May 21, 2008 – Parallels announced today the Parallels Certification Program, which enables software vendors to test their products and certify their compatibility with Parallels virtualization software. Product certification provides assurance to end users that popular ISV applications are supported and compatible with Parallels virtualization solutions.

Certification is available for software vendors that want to assure compatibility with Parallels virtualization products, including Parallels Virtuozzo Containers, Parallels Desktop for Mac, Parallels Server and Parallels Workstation.

"Certification spans our entire desktop and server virtualization software portfolio, which is the broadest in the industry," said Serguei Belousov, CEO of Parallels. "Through this program, customers will have confidence that they can deploy a broad range of ISV applications with our award-winning server and desktop virtualization software."

"Through our certification with Parallels Desktop 3.0 for Mac desktop virtualization software, our MojoPac software product is now available to the Mac community," said Pete Foley, CEO of RingCube Technologies, Inc. "We're extending the reach of our Windows-based desktop solution to the fast-growing Mac market by taking advantage of Parallels virtualization software."

Software vendors can register for Certification at no charge by going to www.parallels.com/partners/become/tp/certification_program/certification_application. Certification benefits include Parallels software test licenses, access to testing documentation and Parallels support, as well as a listing in the online Parallels Certified Products catalog and usage rights to the exclusive Certified Product logo.

"Our support of Parallels Virtuozzo Containers provides customers with a flexible and comprehensive virtual environment solution for the enterprise," said Raj Atwal, Route1's director of business solutions. "Highly secure access is an integral part of a virtual infrastructure. MobiKEY with TruOFFICE matches perfectly with Parallels Virtuozzo Containers by creating a secure and robust platform capable of hosting thousands of virtual environments."

Today, the Parallels Certified Products catalog includes more than 100 solutions that span many application types and includes applications such as SugarCRM and IBM DB2. To access the Parallels Certified Products catalog, go to www.parallels.com/partners/become/tp/certification_products/catalog.

About Parallels – Optimized Computing

Parallels (formerly SWsoft) is a worldwide leader in virtualization and automation software that optimizes computing for consumers, businesses, and service providers across all major hardware, operating system, and virtualization platforms. Founded in 1999, Parallels is a fast-growing company with 900 employees in North America, Europe, and Asia. For more information, visit www.parallels.com.

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