

Perforce Software Delivers Improved Performance to Its Fast Software Configuration Management System

Performance improves concurrent development for large projects

ALAMEDA, Calif., July 9, 2007 -- Perforce Software announced today the release of version 2007.2 of its Fast Software Configuration Management (SCM) system. Perforce 2007.2 includes dramatic performance improvements to its already fast SCM system, which versions and manages source code and digital assets for enterprises large and small.

The latest Perforce Server improves performance when creating branches with large numbers of files, helping teams of developers to collaborate more effectively on large projects.

"Performance tests demonstrate this version of the server can create a codeline branch of 100,000 files up to 30% faster than a previous version. More importantly locks are only held for a fraction of the time, allowing for significant improved concurrency," said Mark Mears, server manager of Perforce Software.

"Continually improving performance is central to our ongoing strategy," said Christopher Seiwald, founder and CTO of Perforce Software. "We are committed to creating an SCM system that enables seamless collaboration for thousands of users regardless of their location."

Perforce version 2007.2 also offers new client capabilities to:

- The Perforce Visual Client, which provides quick and easy access to versioned files through a graphical interface consistent across Windows, Solaris, FreeBSD, Mac OS X and Linux.
- The Perforce Web Client, which provides access to versioned files through popular web browsers.

Availability & Pricing

Perforce version 2007.2 is available now. Interested developers are invited to download and evaluate Perforce free from the Perforce Web site without obligation for a 45-day trial. This offer includes free technical support during the evaluation period. A free, fully functional, two-user version is also available from the Web site. End-user licenses, including one year of support and maintenance, start at \$800 per seat; volume discounts are available. For additional price and license information, visit www.perforce.com.

About the Perforce SCM System

Perforce, the Fast Software Configuration Management System, is an award-winning tool that versions and manages source code and digital assets for

enterprises large and small. Perforce is easy to install, learn and administer; seamlessly handles distributed development; and supports developers across a wide variety of platforms. Perforce ensures development integrity by grouping multi-file updates into atomic changes, enables concurrent development, and intelligently manages multiple software releases using its Inter-File Branching system.

About Perforce Software

Founded in 1995, Perforce Software Inc. develops, markets, and supports Perforce, the Fast Software Configuration Management System. Perforce Software is headquartered in Alameda, California, and sells worldwide. The company has international operations in Europe, Japan, India and Australia. In addition to application software companies, Perforce customers represent a broad range of industries including the game development, electronics, pharmaceutical and financial services markets.

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