

Ivanti License Optimizer for Servers

Ivanti® License Optimizer for Servers takes Software Asset Management (SAM) into the data center. It sees through layers of virtualization and clustering, enabling you to reconcile properly and optimize your software spend. The solution automates data center discovery, reducing the risk of human error inherent in using manual scripts. Now you can optimize your software license position and ensure you stay up to date for ongoing compliance.



Discover Your Data Center Assets

Increasingly complex data center environments compound your spending on software assets.* But limited visibility into those assets could expose your most valued business-critical applications to significant risk/cost. Ivanti® License Optimizer for Servers automates the discovery of on-premise hybrid cloud virtualization environments, including VMware, Hyper-V, Oracle VM, and IBM Power Virtualization.

The solution captures a wide range of data, including edition, version, service pack, and build number. It also aggregates insight on installed software, running processes, services running, and user configuration. Now you can realize a genuine, focused discovery of your software assets.

Achieve Vendor-Specific Visibility

Ivanti License Optimizer for Servers helps you uncover high-value infrastructure software assets from vendors like Oracle, Microsoft, and IBM. Save time and simplify with an automated process for generating your Oracle Server Worksheet.

Data Center Discovery technology performs deep, agentless scans of Microsoft products, including SQL server instances, Active Directory, and SharePoint Servers. The solution also scans for IBM products like DB2, DataStage, and WebSphere, among others, without impacting network performance or overhead.

Realize Your Asset Dependencies

Gain a deep understanding of your assets, and achieve insight into relationships between applications, databases, virtualization, clusters, and storage. The solution helps you understand the relationship between processes running on servers, and processes using ports. This knowledge ultimately helps you identify where problems among your assets are generated from, reducing fix-and-recovery times. License Optimizer for Servers also includes cause and effect analysis. This means that any change-impact analysis conducted before implementation can remediate negative impacts prior to rollout.

Simplify Data with Connectors and Normalization

License Optimizer for Servers features a global software library with tons of titles to normalize information into a single source of truth. This is then matched against a powerful licensing entitlement engine. The solution connects you to any data source through extensible APIs, a wizard-driven connector builder, or a range of existing pre-configured connectors.

License Optimizer for Servers also has data-transformation features built into the platform natively that allow you to verify data quality and perform remediation and cleansing activities. You can merge data sources or perform lookups from master lists and value replacements.

Identify License-Usage Information for IBM, Oracle, Microsoft, and Other Vendors

Many organizations struggle to match purchased software with those licenses being used. As a result, businesses may under-purchase licenses, which leaves them non-compliant and vulnerable to audits. Or they may over-purchase, which wastes resources. License Optimizer for Servers employs comprehensive algorithms to identify license-usage information for vendors like IBM, Oracle, and Microsoft. Not only do you see where you're under- or over-licensed, you gain optimization guidance to reduce costs proactively.

Optimize Your Complex Software Assets

Making the most of your software assets is challenging, especially when dealing with complex licensing structures that are being changed and updated constantly. Now you can maximize your software spend and avoid the financial risk of non-compliance by matching your usage data against license entitlements with support for the most advanced licensing regimes. This includes complex data center environments where clustering and virtualization are widely deployed.

Craft "What if" Modeling and Analysis

Ever ask the question "What if?" License Optimizer for Servers lets you create scenarios for initiatives like cloud migration and then see the effect before spending all the

time and resources. You can identify areas for potential savings and quantify the effects of technology investments, then monitor progress against budget. You can also map software costs to service usage and build into the models detailed factors such as asset depreciation. Leverage genuine user data and asset pricing, as well as specific pricing calculations for various cloud providers and deployment models.

Mitigate Risk with Vendor Audits

Stop guessing at what assets are in your environment and take a proactive approach to SAM. Mitigate the risk of vendor audits that end frequently in huge penalties, sometimes draining millions from IT budgets and damaging brands and reputations.



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