# SymphonyAl Summit Software Asset Management

#### Software Asset Management

Software licenses often constitute a large part of an organization's IT budget. If software is not licensed correctly, in terms of number and process, a company can face potential compliance or budgeting issues. Adoption of Software Asset Management can help avoid legal liability, fines and lawsuit related to improper or insufficient software licensing. Stated simply, it's about effective management and optimization of software applications, from purchase to disposal.

SymphonyAl Summit Software Asset Management is a comprehensive tool that can mitigate or even eliminate the software licensing issue and reduce financial risk for a company. The solution aids in tracking software licensing and creates compliance reports, thereby, saving licensing costs. Most importantly, it helps avoid the legal costs related to software licensing violations.

#### **Key features**

#### Software inventory

Knowing what's actually on an organization's network can be a big challenge in itself. With SymphonyAl Summit Software Asset Management, a comprehensive audit can be conducted to capture an accurate realtime inventory of each software application running on the hardware devices on the organization's network. It provides multiple modes of discovery of software, such as Active Directory Scanning, Agent-less IP Subnet scanning, and Agent-based scanning.

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### Software variance reporting

SymphonyAl Summit agent uses real-time reporting to display the variance on attributes of software assets done through Asset Discovery. The solution possesses capabilities to update the asset registry with a single click, along with an option to uninstall the unauthorized software discovered in the devices.

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#### Software license management

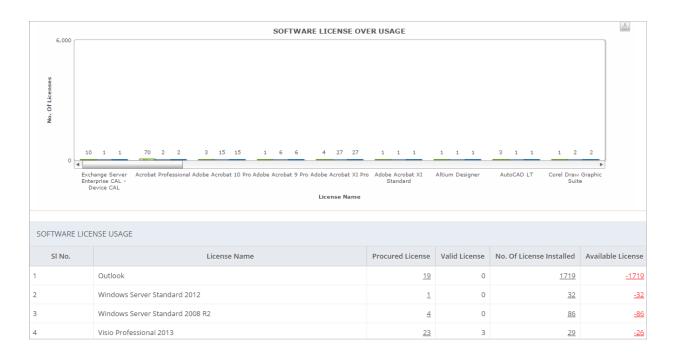
The SymphonyAl Summit Software Management solution provides an intelligent repository for license entitlements that can then be reconciled against data provided by software inventory tools. This provides the organization with an 'Effective License Position' or view of where the organization is under-licensed (at risk of a compliance audit) or over-licensed (wasting money on unnecessary software purchases).



#### Software license compliance

SymphonyAl Summit Software Management aids in maintaining license compliance, thereby, mitigating risks and saving on audit cost. It helps the enterprises to understand the usage of software license usage and unauthorized software in the organization.

It manages all license types like OEM, enterprise, free, named user, node, processor based, core based and trial software, among others.



# Software Usage

One of the key functions of most Software Usage or Application Metering programs is to keep track of the software usage statistics in an organization. SymphonyAl Summit Software Management monitors, in real-time, the utilization of software applications across endpoints on the network.

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# Software delivery (patch deployment)

SymphonyAl Summit Software Management enables the deployment of software (MSI Packages) to the Microsoft environment from a central console. It can also uninstall a set of software, or a stand-alone software, remotely from a centralized console with a click of a button!

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# **Application Control**

The Application Control effectively blocks the installation and execution of unauthorized software and applications on desktops and laptops (Microsoft Operating System\*). SymphonyAl Summit's centrally managed innovative solution ensures that only authorized software (whitelisted) are installed or executed on devices, both 'On' and 'Off' the network. With Application Control, organizations can selectively allow, block, or restrict access to software based on user entitlement, department, job function, or location.

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#### **Core benefits**

- Minimizes license consumption and reduces ongoing software expenditure on licenses and maintenance.
- Saves resources by reducing the time and effort in managing licenses and demonstrating compliance for software audits.
- Enforces compliance with corporate security policies.
- Minimizes, mitigates the risk and reduces the cos of software license non-compliance.
- Helps gain continuous control of the software with repeatable, automated best practice of software asset management processes.
- Enhances governance by controlling asset distribution across the network.
- Automates patch and license key management strategy; which means less time for organizations to audit systems and request updates.
- Streamlines the process to update installed software through software delivery management to maximize system performance and save time.
- Aids in making informed asset decisions by providing a single pane report to show the organization software portfolio: licenses owned, deployed, and available.

# **About SymphonyAl Summit**

SymphonyAl Summit's Al-driven platform provides enterprise-grade capabilities made easy, for the most cost-effective solution. The advanced, modular solution unifies service management, asset management, and service automation into a single, easy-to-use platform. Enterprises and service providers use Summit to dramatically reduce the cost and complexity of their IT management while improving efficiency, productivity, predictability, and control. Leading enterprises across financial services, healthcare, manufacturing, education, and many more verticals are delivering exceptional user experiences while lowering IT costs using SymphonyAl Summit. SymphonyAl Summit is a SymphonyAl business.

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