



IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security 2.5.1 delivers end-user accessibility and anti-spam efficacy improvements

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Overview

IBM® Lotus® Protector for Mail Security 2.5.1 is proven to be out-of-the-box 99% or better effective against spam and malware (as verified by independent ICSA Labs) and provides enhanced rich content filtering capabilities.

Enhancements

- Higher frequency updates - You can download and apply cached database updates faster for enhanced detection of short-lived spam waves.
- Scalability - With a new operating system kernel, you get support of up to 64 GB of RAM, allowing for larger physical and virtual deployments than previously supported.
- Security - You get high quality protection against Internet threats, optimized for Lotus customers, in a way that extends the legendary security of the Lotus Notes® and Lotus Domino® platforms.

Lotus Protector for Mail Security is the only product fully integrated into the Lotus Notes client, as well as the only product that supports tight integration into Domino Directory and Router. Additionally, Lotus Protector for Mail Security delivers a layer of filtering for unwanted content, before optionally passing mail to Lotus Protector for Mail Encryption for secure delivery of your content to anyone on the Internet.

Lotus Protector for Mail Security continues to be the best choice for Lotus Domino customers. With 2.5.1, you get high quality protection against Internet threats, optimized for Lotus customers, in a way that extends the legendary security of the Notes® and Domino platform.

IBM Proventia® Network Mail Security System is no longer sold. However, Lotus Protector for Mail Security 2.5.1 supports migration of IBM Proventia customers. Migrate your Proventia Network Mail Security System to Lotus Protector for continued support and enhancements.

Key prerequisites

Refer to the [Hardware requirements](#) section for details.

Planned availability date

December 14, 2010: Electronic availability

January 14, 2011: Media availability

Availability of programs with encryption algorithm in France is subject to French government approval.

Cryptography in this product is limited to password encryption, authentication or digital signature.

Refer to the complete letter for national language availability.

Availability of national languages

Product description	Language	GA date
Protector for Mail Security v2.5.1	Multilingual (Trad. Chinese - (Hong Kong), Portuguese, French, Danish, Russian, Thai, Korean, Chinese - Simplified, Spanish, Portuguese-Brazilian, German, Swedish, Japanese, Chinese - Traditional, Hungarian, Norwegian Nynorsk, English, Slovenian, Greek, Turkish, Dutch, Czech, Slovakian, Italian, Finnish, Polish)	January 14, 2011

Program number

Program number	VRM	Program name
5724-U72	2.5.1	IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security

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IBM Software Services for Lotus Education provides education to support many Lotus offerings. For a complete list of offerings visit the website at

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Offering Information

Product information is available via the Offering Information website

<http://www.ibm.com/common/ssi>

Also, visit the Passport Advantage® website

<http://www.ibm.com/software/passportadvantage>

Publications

No publications are shipped with this product.

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Technical information

Specified operating environment

Hardware requirements

Refer to

<http://www-01.ibm.com/software/lotus/products/protector/mailsecurity/systemrequirements.html>

Software requirements

None.

The program's specifications and specified operating environment information may be found in documentation accompanying the program, if available, such as a README file, or other information published by IBM, such as an announcement letter. Documentation and other program content may be supplied only in the English language.

Planning information

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IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security will be distributed via a media package and electronic software distribution (ESD).

IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security media package is distributed in one package with the following:

- IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security for VMware- product DVD.
- IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security hardware image - product DVD.
- Soft copy Quick Start Guide is included on the product DVD.

The License Information form number for IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security is L-GHUS-88MPGM.

Security, auditability, and control

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Product information

Licensed function title	Product group	Product category
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security	IBM Lotus Protector	IBM Lotus Protector
Program name	PID number	Charge unit description
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security	5724-U72	PA Per Authorized User

Charge metrics definitions

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IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security

Part description	Part number
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security	
Lotus Protector for Mail Security Authorized User(s) Annual SW S&S Renewal	E057DLL
Lotus Protector for Mail Security Authorized User(s) License + SW S&S 12 Mo	D04QYLL
Lotus Protector for Mail Security Authorized User(s) SW S&S Reinstate 12 Mo	D04QZLL

Passport Advantage trade-up licenses

IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security

Precursor product	Trade-up product	Part number
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security Competitor	Lotus Protector for Mail Security Authorized User(s) License + SW S&S 12 Mo	D04R0LL

Passport Advantage supply

Program name/description	Part number
Protector for Mail Security V2.5.1	
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security V2.5.1 DVD Multilingual Media Pack	AH14WML

Passport Advantage customer: Media pack entitlement details

Customers with active maintenance or subscription for the products listed are entitled to receive the corresponding media pack.

Protector for Mail Security V2.5.1

Entitled maintenance offerings description	Media packs description	Part number
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security Authorized User	IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security V2.5.1 DVD Multilingual Media Pack	AH14WML

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License Information form number

Program name	Program number	Form number
IBM Lotus Protector for Mail Security	5724-U72	L-GHUS-88MPGM

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No

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