

Novell ZENworks Virtual Appliance

Automating and enforcing IT management processes in mixed physical and virtual IT environments can be challenging. Novell shifts the equation back in your favor with a “plug and play” virtual appliance that delivers a full suite of configuration, asset, patch and endpoint protection capabilities—without the usual software compatibility problems, hidden costs and time-intensive customization.



Novell ZENworks Virtual Appliance at a glance:

Deploy smarter client management and protection:

- Deploy ZENworks 11 SP3 faster and with less headaches.
- Avoid investing in more IT infrastructure, resources and software than you need.
- Relieve the pressure while increasing productivity. Just install the appliance, and let your people do more valuable things.

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Discover a Smarter Approach to Device Configuration Management

Your IT organization is expected to shoulder a wide range of configuration, asset, patch and endpoint security management tasks—from OS migrations and software deployment to inventory management and license compliance. But all too often, these ever-expanding responsibilities run headlong into shrinking IT budgets, increasingly diverse and complex IT environments and hidden software and installation costs.

The Novell® ZENworks® 11 SP3 Virtual Appliance addresses these challenges by providing a self-contained “plug and play” solution that eliminates software incompatibility issues, removes hidden software and installation costs and makes it possible to deploy a complete, integrated systems management system quickly across physical and virtual environments.

Lower Your Deployment Costs

Traditional change and configuration management systems often come with hefty operating

environment and infrastructure requirements and costs that include new operating systems, databases, middleware, web servers and client access licenses. The ZENworks 11 SP3 Virtual Appliance eliminates these costs by creating a complete virtual machine that wraps all the capabilities you need into an affordable, pre-configured and fully integrated package. And when we say complete, we mean it. This appliance includes the operating system, database, reporting server and other components you need to deploy your system right.

Decrease Your Implementation Time

How long would it normally take your IT staff to plan and implement a comprehensive change and configuration management system across your whole IT environment? With the ZENworks 11 SP3 Virtual Appliance, the answer can be minutes—rather than days or weeks. With a virtual appliance approach, you can deploy a completely functional set of automated and policy-based configuration tools quickly, painlessly and without the need for specialized IT skills or additional resources.

The Novell ZENworks Virtual Appliance provides a unified platform for all your change and configuration management needs without all the added IT infrastructure, resource and software costs.

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Improve Reliability and Reduce Support Costs

The ZENworks 11 SP3 Virtual Appliance provides a seamless, controlled environment where the operating system, database, reporting server and ZENworks software are always optimized and configured to work flawlessly together. This translates directly into a more reliable solution that consistently delivers the best possible end-user experience.

Tap into All the Advantages of Proven, Industry-Leading Technology

- All the capabilities of ZENworks Configuration Management, including policy-driven automation, user-based management, OS migration, software distribution and application management
- All the capabilities of Novell ZENworks Asset Management, including inventory management, software reporting, license management and reporting and contract management
- All the capabilities of Novell ZENworks Patch Management, including automated patch monitoring and deployment and patch compliance monitoring
- All the capabilities of Novell ZENworks Endpoint Security Management, including policy-based security management on all Windows devices, location awareness capabilities and automated enforcement of endpoint security policies
- All the capabilities of Novell ZENworks Full Disk Encryption, including automated

encryption and the ability to manage encrypted hardware and software devices remotely

- All the advantages of the ZENworks unified console, including the ability to bring configuration, asset, patch, endpoint security management and full disk encryption together through a unified web-based console and a single adaptive endpoint agent

The ZENworks 11 SP3 Virtual Appliance delivers all of these change and configuration management capabilities through a complete virtual machine built on equally capable, scalable and enterprise-ready technology. This includes:

- A proven JeOS (Just Enough Operating System), a subset of SUSE Linux Enterprise Server
- Support for both VMware ESX 3.5 update 4 and ESXi 4.0 as the virtualization platform
- Your choice of the embedded Sybase database included with ZENworks or any other database the product supports

These proven tools, together with industry-leading operating system and virtualization technologies, are uniquely capable of automating your IT management and business processes, eliminating IT requirements and optimizing the value of your IT assets across many different physical and virtual client and server platforms.



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