

Patch management software cuts the manual labor

| COMPANY | PRODUCT | INTERFACE | SCAN TYPE | OPERATING SYSTEM AND APPLICATION PATCHES | OTHER PATCHES | SECURITY FEATURES | REMOTE CAPABILITIES | CUSTOM REPORTS | EXPORT FORMATS | FREE TRIAL VERSION | PRICE |
|--|--|---|------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--|---------------------|----------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|--|
| Altiris Inc. Lindon, Utah 888-252-5551 www.altiris.com | Patch Management Solution | Web-based | Agent-based | Windows, Linux, Mac OS X | Nonsecurity, custom | Authenticated server connection | Yes | Yes | HTML, XML | Yes | \$25 per node |
| BigFix Inc. Emeryville, Calif. 510-652-6700 www.bigfix.com | BigFix Patch Manager | Standalone, Web-based | Agent-based | Windows, Linux, Solaris, HP-UX, AIX | Non-English, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, CSV | Yes | \$15 per seat, \$2,500 per server |
| BladeLogic Inc. Waltham, Mass. 781-907-6500 www.bladelogic.com | BladeLogic Operations Manager 5.3 | Web-based, Java console | Agent-based | Windows, Linux, Solaris, HP-UX, AIX | Nonsecurity, non-English, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, PDF, CSV | Yes | \$120,000 for 100 servers |
| Configuresoft Inc. Colorado Springs, Colo. 719-447-4600 www.configuresoft.com | Security Update Manager (part of Enterprise Configuration Manager) | Web-based | Agent-based | Windows, Linux, Solaris, HP-UX, AIX | Nonsecurity, custom | Encrypted server connection | Yes | Yes | HTML | Yes | \$904 per server, \$31 per workstation |
| Ecora Software Corp. Portsmouth, N.H. 877-923-2672 www.ecora.com | Patch Manager 3.1 | Standalone | Agentless | Windows, Solaris | Non-English | Checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, CSV | Yes | \$8,840 for 1,000 nodes for one year |
| Gravity Storm Software LLC San Diego 858-792-0162 www.securitybastion.com | Service Pack Manager 2000 6.9.8.0 | Standalone | Agentless | Windows | Nonsecurity, custom | Checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, CSV | Yes | \$890 for 30 seats for one year, \$7,695 for 1,000 seats, \$17,995 for 5,000 seats |
| Insystek Inc. Holton, Kan. 877-467-9783 www.insystek.com | Part of Network Services Management Console 3.0 | Standalone | Agentless | Windows | Nonsecurity, non-English, custom | Authenticated server connection | Yes | Yes | HTML, PDF, CSV, ODBC | Yes | \$895 plus \$12 per computer |
| Kaseya Inc. Milpitas, Calif. 877-281-1701 www.kaseya.com | Kaseya Patch Management | Web-based | Agent-based | Windows | Custom | Encrypted server connection, client-initiated communication | Yes | Yes | HTML, DOC, XLS | Yes | \$5 to \$16 per computer, based on number of computers |
| LANDesk Software Ltd. South Jordan, Utah 800-982-2130 www.landesk.com | Patch Manager 8 | Standalone | Agent-based | Windows, Solaris, Mac OS | Nonsecurity, non-English, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature, console authentication, console event logging, role-based administration | Yes | Yes | XML | Yes | \$12 per node per year |
| ManageSoft Corp. Boston 800-441-4330 www.managesoft.com | Security Patch Management 7.0 | Standalone, Web-based, command-line, script | Agent-based | Windows, Linux, HP-UX | Nonsecurity, non-English, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature, deployment through Secure Sockets Layer | Yes | Yes | HTML | No | \$25 per device |
| Microsoft Corp. Redmond, Wash. 800-426-9400 www.microsoft.com | Systems Management Server 2003 | Standalone, Web-based | Agent-based | Windows, Windows-based applications | Nonsecurity, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML | Yes | \$1,219 for 10 devices |
| OpsWare Inc. Sunnyvale, Calif. 408-212-5220 www.opsware.com | OpsWare System 4.0 Patch Management Subsystem | Web-based | Agent-based | Windows, Windows-based applications, Linux, Solaris, HP-UX, AIX | Nonsecurity, non-English, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, role-based access control | Yes | Yes | XLS, CSV | No | \$600 per server (Windows), \$1,200 per server (Unix) |
| PatchAdvisor Inc. Alexandria, Va. 703-684-4418 www.patchadvisor.com | PatchAdvisor Enterprise 1.2.2 | Web-based | Agentless | Windows, Windows-based applications, Linux, Solaris, HP-UX, AIX, others | Non-English | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, role-based authentication | Yes | Yes | HTML, CSV, XLS, DOC, MDB | Yes | \$10 per node per year |
| PatchLink Corp. Scottsdale, Ariz. 480-970-1025 www.patchlink.com | PatchLink Update 6 | Web-based, Control Panel applet | Agent-based | Microsoft Windows, Unix/Linux, Novell NetWare, Mac OS X | Nonsecurity, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, CSV, XML | Yes | \$1,498, plus \$18 (Windows) or \$75 (Unix, Linux, NetWare, Mac), per node |
| SecurityProfiling Inc. Lafayette, Ind. 888-645-3676 www.securityprofiling.com | SysUpdate PC&E | Standalone | Agent-based | Windows, Linux, Solaris | Nonsecurity | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature, public/private keys | Yes | Yes | HTML, XML, CSV, RTF, DOC, PDF, TXT | Yes | \$46 per node (300 nodes), \$30 per node (10,000 nodes) |
| Shavlik Technologies LLC St. Paul, Minn. 800-690-6911 www.shavlik.com | HFNetChkPro 4.0 | Standalone, command-line | Agentless | Windows | Nonsecurity, non-English | Checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, XML, CSV, PDF, XLS, TXT, TSV | Yes | \$21 per seat for 100 machines |
| St. Bernard Software Inc. San Diego 800-782-3762 www.stbernard.com | UpdateEXPERT | Standalone, command-line | Agent-based, agentless | Windows, HP-UX, AIX | Nonsecurity, non-English, custom | Encrypted server connection, authenticated server connection, checksum/signature | Yes | Yes | HTML, CSV | Yes | \$840 for 50 workstations for one year |