

Collaboration software: Choosing the right tool for every purpose

COMPANY	PRODUCT	KEY FEATURES	SUPPORTED APPLICATIONS, DATA SOURCES, PORTALS AND STANDARDS (PARTIAL LIST)	REQUIRED DATABASES OR E-MAIL SERVERS	PLATFORMS	PRICE
Documentum (division of EMC Corp.) Pleasanton, Calif. 800-607-9546 www.documentum.com	eRoom 7.2	Project-management tools, discussion groups, document management, offline use alerts, portfolio view, locked communities, optional Windows plug-in, prebuilt industry apps	Microsoft Office 2003, SMTP, SQL Server 2000	Microsoft SQL Server 2000	Windows	\$200 per seat plus \$75 per seat for Collaboration server
	eRoom Enterprise 7.2	Standard eRoom features plus Documentum ECM platform integration, Content Server support, optional free workflow extensions, developer kit	Office 2003, SMTP, SQL Server 2000	SQL Server 2000	Windows	\$400 per seat plus \$150 per seat for Enterprise Server
	eRoom.net 7	Hosted, application service provider (ASP) version of eRoom	Office 2003, SMTP, SQL Server 2000	None	Web browser	\$30 per user per month
Ezenia Inc. Burlington, Mass. 800-966-2301 www.ezenia.com	InfoWorkSpace 2.5.1	Integrated IM client, virtual buildings and rooms, document briefcase, file cabinet, whiteboard, federated servers	iPlanet Web Server, LDAP, Lotus Sametime, Microsoft Exchange Conference Server, Exchange, Outlook, PlaceWare	Oracle 8i	Solaris, Windows	\$5,471 GSA per server plus \$685 per user per year GSA
Groove Networks Inc. Beverly, Mass. 978-720-2000 www.groove.net	Groove Workspace Professional Edition 3.0	Offline use, peer-based authentication, firewall traversal, real-time interaction, customizable workspaces, presence awareness, IM	Office and Microsoft SharePoint; FIPS and NIAP security, Defense Collaboration Tool Suite (DCTS), Section 508, Lotus Notes	None (Windows 2000 Server or Advanced Server optional)	Windows	\$179
	Groove Workspace Project Edition 3.0	Professional Edition features plus timeline, aggregated project and task view, progress reporting, alerts, resource assignments	Microsoft Office, SharePoint and Project; FIPS and NIAP security, DCTS, Section 508, Lotus Notes	None (Windows 2000 Server or Advanced Server optional)	Windows	\$229
IBM Corp. Armonk, N.Y. 800-426-4968 www.ibm.com	Lotus Team Workplace 6.5.1 (formerly Quick Place)	MyPlaces workspace list, multiworkspace search, shared Notes or Outlook calendars; is customizable	Lotus Instant Message and Web Conferencing (Sametime), Lotus Notes, Outlook	Lotus Notes or Domino	AIX, iSeries, Linux, Solaris, Windows, zSeries	\$12,735 plus \$48 per user per year
	Lotus Workplace Documents 2.0	Open-standards platform, offline use, search across libraries, document management, browser access, automated rich-client install	IBM DB2 Content Manager, JDK 1.4, LDAP, IBM Lotus Workplace Team Collaboration, WebSphere Portal	DB2	AIX, Linux, Windows	\$29 per user per year
	Lotus Workplace Messaging	Open-standards platform, offline use, browser access, automated rich-client install, presence awareness (requires Team Collaboration), calendaring and scheduling workflow	JDK 1.4, LDAP, SMTP, IBM Lotus Workplace Team Collaboration, Tivoli Access Manager, WebSphere Portal	DB2	AIX, Linux, Windows	\$29 per user per year
IsoSpace Inc. New York 866-476-7722 www.isospace.net	IsoSpace 4.6	IM, chat, discussion groups, online presence detection, virtual rooms, e-learning support, voice and video conferencing, project management, document management, archiving	DCTS, J2EE, LDAP	DB2, Informix, My-SQL or Oracle	Linux, Solaris, NT, ASP version available; Web browser client	\$45 per user per month; \$50 per user per month for ASP version; \$75,000 for annual site license version
Kubi Software Inc. Lexington, Mass. 866-582-4669 http://kubisoftware.com	Kubi Client 1.2	Notes or Outlook user interface, file-folder storage, document management, discussion groups, aggregated task view, contact list, project milestones, optional repository server	Lotus Notes, Microsoft Outlook, SMTP, Triple DES encryption	Lotus Domino or Microsoft Exchange	Windows (Advanced Server for optional Kubi Server)	\$5,000 per year for 15 users; \$10,000 for optional Kubi Server
Microsoft Corp. Redmond, Wash. 425-882-8080 www.microsoft.com	Windows SharePoint Services	Microsoft Office integration, document check-in, check-out, presence integration alerts	ASP.Net, SharePoint Portal Server, WebParts	SQL Server 2000	Windows Server 2003	Free with Windows Server 2003
Open Text Corp. Waterloo, Ontario 800-499-6544 www.opentext.com	LiveLink Enterprise Suite 9.2	Collaboration, knowledge management, Web publishing, workflow, document management, offline use, records management, portal, Windows client integration	DCTS, Java, LDAP, Section 508, SMTP, CORBA, SAP, Lotus Notes, Microsoft Office	Most relational databases	n/a	\$100,000 per year for 100 users
SiteScape Inc. Wilmington, N.C. 910-256-5038 www.sitescape.com	SiteScape Enterprise Forum 7.1	AltaVista search, workflow, optional Solution Modules (HR, program management, others), threaded discussions, HTML chat, IM	RealityWave and Tailor Made CAD viewers; Citrix Nfuse Elite, Oracle E-Business, Plumtree Corporate, Viador E-Portal Suite portals; LDAP, ODBC Section 508	Included FrontBase SQL, SQL Server 2000, Oracle 8i	Linux, Solaris, Windows	\$99 per seat for perpetual license, \$5,000 to \$25,000 per server