Optimize software usage and spending across the enterprise on technical, engineering and industrial applications

Now you can:

• Optimize spending on expensive technical applications

• Report usage data for better forecasting and vendor negotiation

• Simplify and centralize license server administration

• Efficiently share licenses across the enterprise

• Improve engineering and design professionals’ productivity

What you get

Save money and time through software license optimization on technical, engineering and industrial applications across the enterprise. Identifying and analyzing usage trends, patterns, denials and anomalies can improve and tune concurrent license performance and usage, and even reduce software expenditure. But when not used properly, concurrent licensing carries significant risks and challenges. That’s when Flexnet Manager for Engineering Applications can make a big difference.

Engineering, technical and industrial applications

The applications below are expensive and used by highly skilled engineering and design professionals. These are typically used in manufacturing, engineering, energy, technology, finance and government.

- Computer Aided Design (CAD)

- Electronic Design Automation (EDA)

- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)

- Exploration & Production (E&P)

- Product Lifecycle Management (PLM)

- Software Development
Enhance productivity, cut costs

A proactive system for managing concurrent licenses helps avoid costly downtime and lost productivity caused by denial of service. It can help in other ways, too.

Reduce high administrative overhead – The use of multiple engineering, technical and industrial application along with teams in different geographic locations often requires the administration of several license servers, which can consume significant time and effort.

Avoid unnecessary spending – Eliminate overspending on software licenses, which is often done to prevent denials of service.

Ease budgeting challenges – Gain the ability to forecast the appropriate number of licenses to purchase at contract renewal.

Support IT decisions – Track and report actual software license usage across multiple licensing systems, license agreements, teams and geographic locations.

Accurately cost projects – With accurate tracking of software licenses, organizations can better estimate current and future project costs.

Centralize license server administration

FlexNet Manager for Engineering Applications centralizes license server administration for thousands of FlexEnabled® (FlexNet Publisher, FLEXlm) and other concurrently licensed applications, including AutoCAD®, MATLAB®, IBM® Rational®, CATIA® and Petrel. Automatic reporting on software usage and license denials help maximize utilization of assets.

Powerful reporting capabilities help organizations gain unprecedented insight into application usage trends and efficiently share licenses across the enterprise.

“FlexNet Manager for Engineering Applications helped us to gain a better understanding of the actual usage on our concurrent licenses in so we have been able to reduce our spend by $1.7 million a year.”

US Military Agency
**Actionable insights**

FlexNet Manager for Engineering Applications includes Flexera Analytics that enable customers to analyze usage across business units, locations, projects and contracts. So organizations can understand usage patterns, properly track project-based spending and chargeback for consumption of licenses.

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