

Secure Bearer of Secrets: Utimaco's SafeGuard RemovableMedia Encrypts all Exchangeable Memory Devices

- **SafeGuard RemovableMedia enables flexible and easy-to-use encryption of all types of removable media**
- **Central and flexible implementation of security policies with individual settings for users allow controlled and secure data exchange with third parties**
- **Seamless integration in the operating system with automated authentication**

Oberursel, January 25, 2007. Utimaco – The Data Security Company has expanded its solution portfolio with SafeGuard RemovableMedia, enabling companies and organizations to encrypt their confidential data flexibly and transparently on all exchangeable memory devices. The SafeGuard RemovableMedia solution secures data on USB memory sticks, memory cards, external hard disks, diskettes or optical CD/DVD media against unauthorized access at all times, even when the removable media is removed or lost. With SafeGuard RemovableMedia, plain text data can be mixed with encrypted files, provided the company's security policies permit it. No additional login is required due to its seamless integration in the operating system. Authentication is performed automatically and supports all login mechanisms.

The new SafeGuard RemovableMedia version 1.0 can be quickly installed and distributed throughout the company. The Microsoft Management Console makes administration easy and flexible. In addition, user rights can be set on demand, enabling central implementation of both restrictive and flexible security policies.

"With SafeGuard RemovableMedia we are meeting the demands of our corporate customers for a highly flexible encryption software solution that can be used for all types of removable medium or drive. Its use of a file filter has made earlier restrictions on use a thing of the past," explained Rieke Bönisch, spokesperson for Utimaco. The file filter is a special driver for the file system that is registered over the operating system's default file system driver. All file operations such as write and read access are then automatically channeled over this special driver.

This process runs transparently so the solution is extremely user-friendly. SafeGuard RemovableMedia is seamlessly integrated in the operating system so no additional login is required, and there is no disruption to users' normal working habits. SafeGuard RemovableMedia supports Windows XP, 2000 and 2003, and can be

implemented as a stand-alone solution or as a supplement to Utimaco's SafeGuard Easy. Depending on customers' requirements, SafeGuard RemovableMedia can either be used as a single station solution or in a company-wide license package.

Price and Availability

SafeGuard RemovableMedia 1.0 is available now. 100-user licenses are available at a price of around Euros 49 per seat. There are special bundle offers with SafeGuard Easy, and also SafeGuard Advanced Security Plug & Play bundles.

During CeBIT, interested trade fair visitors can get more detailed information about the software at Utimaco's stand in Hall 7 / Stand A 28.

Utimaco Solution Portfolio

Product lines:

SafeGuard Shield protects data on end devices or on networks (data at rest)

SafeGuard Transit protects data during transmission (data in motion)

SafeGuard Process protects data during processing (data in use)

For additional information, please go to [http:// www.utimaco.com/products](http://www.utimaco.com/products)

Utimaco Safeware AG – The Data Security Company.

Utimaco is the leading provider for data security solutions. The Data Security Company enables mid-sized to large organizations to safeguard their data assets against attacks and to comply with privacy laws by protecting their confidentiality and integrity. In response to twenty-first century threats – the new world of data security 2.0 – Utimaco's complete range of solutions provide full 360 degree protection unlike free, end-point or integrated encryption solutions which only cover specific security needs. Only SafeGuard solutions protect and manage data both during storage (data at rest), during transmission (data in motion) and during processing (data in use). Utimaco offers its customers comprehensive on site support via a worldwide network of partners and subsidiaries in Europe, the USA and Asia. Utimaco Safeware AG, with headquarters in Oberursel, near Frankfurt, Germany, is listed on the Frankfurt Stock Exchange (ISIN DE0007572406).

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