

# Upgrade to a Multitude of New Features and Enhancements

See—at-a-glance—the tools your enterprise can be using to increase efficiency and more as you proactively see, manage, update and protect your IT systems with LANDesk® Management Suite 8.7.

LANDesk® Management Suite Version

Feature	6.X	7	8	8.1	8.5	8.6	8.7
<b>Enterprise efficiency and scalability</b>							■
Central task management from a rollup core server							■
Replication of public queries, packages and delivery methods across servers							■
Grouping capabilities within scheduled tasks and packages							■
Location-aware enterprise package distribution with functional load balancing and fault tolerance							■
Oracle 10g and Microsoft SQL support							■
Agent watcher to restart downed agents and more							■
<b>LANDesk® Management Gateway</b> for secure, anytime, anywhere systems management over the Internet						■	■
<b>Report designer tool</b> with integration of active reports							■
<b>Local accounts management</b> for centralized management of local users and groups without Windows Active Directory and in mixed environments						■	■
<b>Intel vPro technology support</b> to discover, heal and protect Intel AMT-based hardware and software assets						■	■
Intel vPro technology Agent Presence and System Defense support						■	■
<b>Remote control</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Role-based administration granularity for central console-based control of permissions							■
Keyboard mapping, remote screen blanking and remote control to older agents from the Web console						■	■
Application layer (ring 3), view only and screen draw					■	■	■
Enhanced logging and third mouse button wheel movement				■	■	■	■
<b>Inventory</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Extended device discovery for real-time subnet level tracking of unmanaged devices							■
Multithreaded inventory capabilities for faster inventory performance than previous versions							■
Greater detail and support for SMBIOS 2.1+					■	■	■
Enhanced; launch an inventory scan from network view				■	■	■	■
Collect OS language				■	■	■	■
<b>Delta scanning</b>		■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Software distribution</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Dynamic Preferred Server for location-aware package distribution with functional load balancing and fault tolerance							■
LANDesk® Targeted Multicast™ technology	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
LANDesk® Peer Download™ technology			■	■	■	■	■
Run from source option with native support for deploying Microsoft Office							■
Prerequisite package definition capabilities						■	■
Bandwidth throttling			■	■	■	■	■
Bandwidth detection	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Byte-level checkpoint restart			■	■	■	■	■
Multifile multicast			■	■	■	■	■

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Improved support for Linux RPM, improved targeting, automatic resolution of duplicates						■	■
InstallShield AdminStudio integration					■	■	■
Redesigned user interface and package chaining for dependencies and prerequisites					■	■	■
Expanded status reporting with greater insight into successes and failures					■	■	■
<b>Application policy management</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Checked for IP address change				■	■	■	■
<b>Software license monitoring</b>		■	■	■	■	■	■
Enhanced, predefined application list by group, department and operational unit					■	■	■
<b>OS deployment</b>	Add-on	■	■	■	■	■	■
Enhanced OS deployment tool							■
Windows PE and LANDesk Linux PE support for 3x faster performance							■
Support for the Windows Vista's XIMage deployment tool							■
<b>Profile migration</b>		■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Unmanaged device discovery</b>			■	■	■	■	■
Extended device discovery for real-time subnet level tracking of unmanaged devices							■
SNMP support						■	■
Enhanced reports, rediscover managed clients				■	■	■	■
<b>Macintosh OS support</b>		■	■	■	■	■	■
Full inventory of Bluetooth devices							■
OV, MP3, M4P and medial file detection							■
OS deployment						■	■
Shell script as application and Apple Automator task deployment capabilities							■
Software license monitoring			■	■	■	■	■
Software distribution, application policy			■	■	■	■	■
<b>Web console</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Executive dashboard						■	■
Role-based administration						■	■
Improved client configuration, software license monitoring				■	■	■	■
<b>Role-based administration</b>			■	■	■	■	■
Additional granular rights						■	■
<b>Reporting</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Report publishing: schedule and generate reports in HTML, PDF, DOC, RTF and XLS					■	■	■
Expanded business reports			■	■	■	■	■
<b>Scheduled tasks</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
Global scheduler to distribute tasks to each system's local core							■
Multiple logins for scheduler service				■	■	■	■
Custom local scheduler tasks				■	■	■	■
<b>Custom data forms</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>System requirements checker</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Wake-On-LAN support</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>MSDE default database</b>	■	■	■	■	■	■	■
<b>Enhanced security:</b> Secure SSL certificates			■	■	■	■	■
<b>Online Self-Service Portal access</b>					■	■	■
<b>Oracle 10g and Microsoft SQL 2005 support</b>							■

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Available Add Ons	6.X	7	8	8.1	8.5	8.6	8.7
<b>LANDesk® Antivirus</b> for enterprise-ready virus protection and rootkit detection							■
<b>LANDesk® Updates</b> database of patches, security threats and more					■	■	■
<b>LANDesk® Patch Manager</b> for automated vulnerability assessment and patch management across heterogeneous IT environments			■	■	■	■	■
<b>LANDesk® Security Suite</b> with antispyware, application blocking, security threats and more					■	■	■
LANDesk® Trusted Access™ technology for hardware-independent network access control capabilities						■	■
Enhanced LANDesk® Security Suite and LANDesk® Patch Manager: real-time spyware detection/removal, frequent security scanning, antivirus enforcement and more						■	■
Connection Control Manager (CCM) to let you monitor and restrict access to managed devices with granular control of USB devices and support for Bluetooth					■	■	■
<b>LANDesk® Asset Manager</b> for tracking computer and non-computer assets				■	■	■	■

### One More Reason to Upgrade

Upgrade to LANDesk® Management Suite 8.7 and access all its added functionality, such as access to the LANDesk® Antivirus add-on, LANDesk® Management Gateway, Intel vPro technology support and everything else noted here, and all for the same cost as LANDesk Management Suite 8.5 and 8.6.

With a deal like that, why not upgrade now?

For per-node pricing for LANDesk® Management Suite, contact LANDesk or your LANDesk solution provider.



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