

SURFCONTROL LAUNCHES NEW E-MAIL FILTERING SOFTWARE FOR SCHOOLS TO INCREASE NETWORK SECURITY AND PROTECT SENSITIVE INFORMATION

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SurfControl E-Mail Filter 4.0 With Optional "Virtual Learning Agent" Gives Educators An Intelligent Tool To Help Safeguard Networks and Students

CONGLETON (17 June 2002) - SurfControl, the world's number one Web and e-mail filtering company, today launched the most comprehensive e-mail content management software for schools, helping educational institutions protect sensitive information. SurfControl E-mail Filter 4.0 protects school networks against risks, including viruses and inappropriate content, and offers an intelligent, new tool that can prevent sensitive information from being inadvertently released.

The new e-mail software enhances SurfControl's total content security solution for schools, including the SurfControl Web Filter 4.0 and Adaptive Reasoning Technologies (ART), advanced tools that learn types of content that are important to organizations and help keep that content secure.

"SurfControl E-mail Filter 4.0 is a powerful tool that helps schools, colleges and universities protect confidential documents and safeguard networks against dangerous risks," said Steve Purdham, SurfControl's CEO. "It is part of the complete security solution offered by SurfControl. These institutions have a requirement to manage Web and e-mail access, provide safe Internet experiences for students and protect networks from disastrous viruses and inappropriate content."

SurfControl E-mail Filter comes with a unique RiskFilter that automatically stops the delivery of spam and other digital junk such as hoaxes, chain letters, jokes, and graphic file attachments that contain offensive material and open the school to potential liability or network vulnerability.

The latest version of the software also offers a new, add-on component called the Virtual Learning Agent (VLA). The VLA is an intelligent tool that learns an organisation's specific information and then keeps sensitive documents from being accidentally, or purposely, e-mailed to unintended or unauthorised recipients - a capability particularly important to schools that maintain personal student records.

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SurfControl's E-mail Filter 4.0 will be on exhibition at this year's Networks Telecom 2002. Interested parties are invited to visit the SurfControl stand (F80) where demonstrations of both SurfControl's Web & E-mail Filter products will be run throughout the show, illustrating the unparalleled levels of protection on offer to the UK's educational establishments.

Pricing and Availability

SurfControl E-mail Filter for education is priced at approximately £7.99 per user, based on an installation of 500 users. Pricing is available between 50 and 500,000 users. Special pricing is available for resellers and larger organizations, and when sold in combination with the SurfControl Web Filter. SurfControl E-mail Filter is available now. A free, fully functioning thirty-day evaluation copy of the product can be found at:

<http://www.surfcontrol.com/business/downloads>

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