Business Value Highlights

416%
five-year ROI

6 months
payback period

28%
reduced total cost of operations

56%
more efficient patching

78%
faster deployment of new virtual machines

56%
more efficient IT infrastructure

18%
more servers virtualized

14%
more efficient IT security teams

12%
more applications released

23%
more productive compliance teams

Red Hat Satellite Helps Enterprise Organizations Optimize Infrastructure with Automation Tools

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Digital applications and digital transformation are driving IT infrastructure and operations teams to deliver business-critical services for customers and end users with "consumer-grade performance" and a reliable user experience. Supporting the challenges of digital business, cloud-based applications, and core business services requires secure infrastructure that operates with speed, reliability, and high availability. Achieving outstanding service quality in today's dynamic environments depends on safe, reliable, and well-managed infrastructure.

Red Hat Satellite is a system management solution designed to help Red Hat customers deploy and manage their Red Hat infrastructure deployed in all environments including physical, virtual, and cloud. The solution manages patches and securely automates configuration processes and updates to comply with relevant standards.

To validate the benefits of the Red Hat Satellite platform, IDC interviewed seven organizations running enterprise workloads that were supported by the platform. The survey data obtained from these organizations and applied to IDC's Business Value model showed that study participants realized significant value with Red Hat Satellite. IDC calculates that study participants will achieve a five-year return on investment (ROI) of 416%, by:

- Fostering more efficient IT infrastructure management by automating routine tasks such as patching and compliance updates

- Virtualizing more servers and being able to deploy virtual machines (VMs) faster and with greater agility

- Making security and compliance teams more efficient in the fulfillment of routine tasks and procedures

- Translating IT operational benefits into improved application performance and better business results

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