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Open-E's DSS V7 and JovianDSS Products Achieve VMware Ready™ Status

Atlanta, Georgia; Munich, Germany; May 19, 2015: — Open-E, a leading developer of innovative data storage software used for building and managing centralized storage servers, today announced that its DSS V7 and JovianDSS products have achieved VMware Ready™ status. This designation indicates that the DSS V7 and JovianDSS products have undergone detailed test procedures and are supported on VMware vSphere® 5.5 and 6.0 for production environments.

"Open-E is committed to provide affordable storage solutions that deliver superior performance and reliability. The certification of Open-E DSS V7 and JovianDSS continues our partnership with VMware and proves the effectiveness of our products," says Krzysztof Franek, CEO and president of Open-E. "By using Open-E's DSS V7 and JovianDSS with vSphere 5.5 and 6.0 enterprises can implement a high availability virtualization infrastructure. Open-E DSS V7 and JovianDSS are VMware Ready and fully support VMware vMotion – a solution that uses live migration to move running virtual machines between hosts with no downtimes."

"We are pleased that Open-E's DSS V7 and JovianDSS products qualify for the VMware Ready™ logo, signifying to customers that they work effectively with VMware vSphere®, and can be deployed in production with confidence," said Howard Hall, senior director, Alliances, VMware.

The VMware Ready program is a co-branding benefit of the [Technology Alliance Partner \(TAP\) program](#) that makes it easy for customers to identify partner products certified to work with VMware cloud infrastructure. Customers can use these products and solutions to lower project risks and realize cost savings over custom built solutions. With thousands of members worldwide, the VMware TAP program includes best-of-breed technology partners with the shared commitment to bring the best expertise and business solution for each unique customer need.

Open-E's DSS V7 and JovianDSS can be found within the online VMware Solution Exchange (VSX) at the links <https://solutionexchange.vmware.com/store/products/open-e-dss-v7-data-storage-software#.VTpt4iFVhBc> and <https://solutionexchange.vmware.com/store/products/open-e-joviandss#.VTpt4CFVhBc> respectively.

About Open-E

Open-E is a well-established developer of IP-based storage management software. Open-E JovianDSS and Open-E DSS V7 are robust, award-winning enterprise storage applications which offer excellent compatibility with industry standards, and are the easiest to use and

manage. Additionally, they are some of the most stable solutions on the market and undisputed price performance leaders.

Open-E accounts for over 27,000 installations world-wide and has received numerous industry awards and recognition. Thanks to its reputation, experience and business reliability, Open-E has become the technology partner of choice for industry-leading IT companies such as Citrix, Intel®, LSI, VMware, and Adaptec.

For further information about Open-E, its products and partners, visit <http://www.open-e.com/>

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