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Secure Chain Product Suite

Executive Brief

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POWERING YOUR VIRTUAL ENTERPRISE

Creole Secure Chain Introduction

As your business faces the challenges of a changing economy and the pressures of conducting business online, it is imperative that you increase efficiency and accuracy, while maintaining privacy and control. To meet this need **Creole** offers one of the broadest, most powerful platforms on the market for trusted e-business transaction and distributed knowledge management. **Creole's** products have also been extended to comply with many industry and government requirements. The **Creole** product suite covers all areas of the transaction and knowledge management lifecycle.

Secure e-business

Creole's Secure Chain product suite extend the benefits of Public Key Encryption and distributed networks to provides organizations in traditional eBusiness markets the only peer-to-peer “Secure eBusiness” products and services to eliminate “at risk” manual processes and to secure any type of business content.

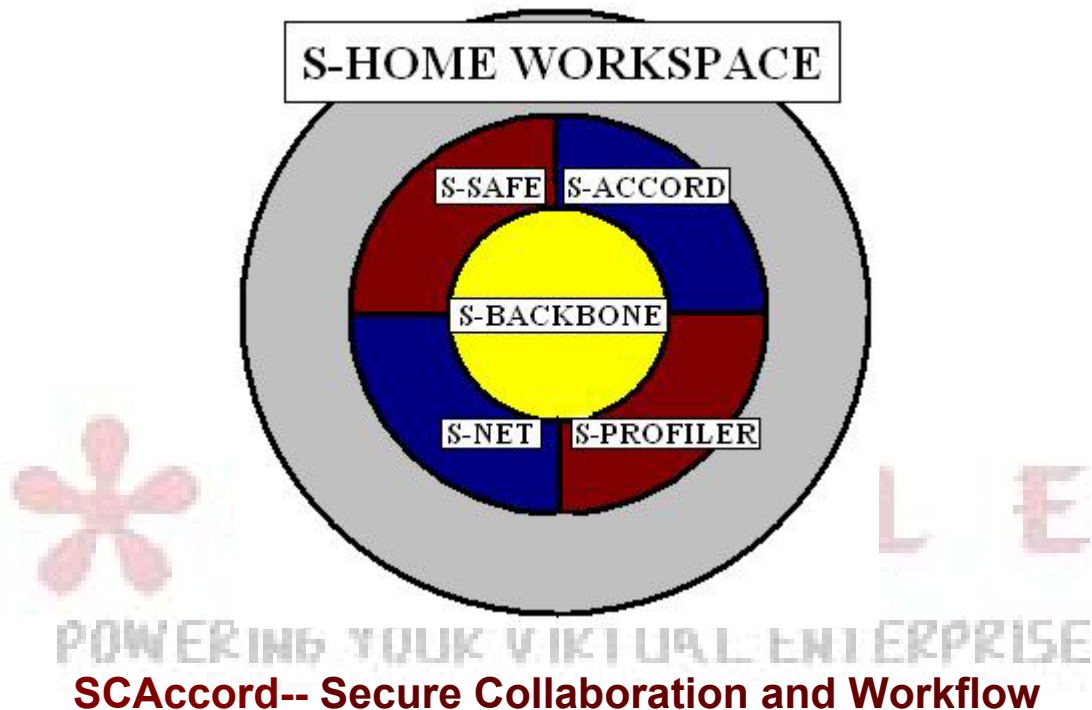
Power of Collaboration

Creole solutions extend the benefits of direct collaboration beyond the corporate firewall, speeding time-to-market for products and services, and turning business problems into opportunities for doing business.

Rich, Flexible Development Platform

With the **Creole** Development Kit, custom solutions can be developed within a few weeks. Creole technology is built upon a standards-based, open-architecture platform, that offers support for standard data formats, protocols, and development tools.

Products Overview



The over abundance of today's paper-intensive processes provides companies a wealth of opportunity to:

1. Reduce costs of manual processes
2. Automate transaction management
3. Meet privacy and control demands
4. Create legally binding digital content.

To meet these challenges **Creole** offers **SCAccord**, the first product that enables users to manage business processes, electronic transactions, and distributed document and media management from a single web-based console. **SCAccord's** collaboration features can be integrated into a financial firm's existing applications, workflow and business processes within any type of networking environment (web, extranet, private network, peer-to-peer). From the **SCAccord** browser console users can:

- Automate business by creating electronic workflows that map to specific business processes and electronic transactions. **SCAccord's** Workflow wizard enables users to create custom workflows that map to existing business processes.
- Create electronic forms that map to existing paper documents. **SCAccord's** Form Generator enables users to quickly create forms from existing documents. All that is needed is an available Fax Machine. Since all new forms live in the 'electronic world', new processes can be associated with specific form actions. For instance, form data can be populated from legacy data stores and new processes can be spawned when users complete specific areas of the form document.
- Instantiate transaction rooms where users can login and complete forms and electronic transactions.
- Publish documents, processes, forms, and transaction rooms, to the any **SCAccord** and **S-Backbone** user.
- Assign Digital Rights on published forms and documents.
- Store documents in the **Creole SCSafe**. Send completed forms and documents to the **Creole SCSafe**.
- Search the **Creole S-Backbone** and **Creole SCSafe** for specific documents, forms, and transaction rooms.
- View, import, and export documents and forms to the **Creole S-Backbone** and **Creole SCSafe**.
- Send **SCAccord** documents to any **SCNet** user.
- **SCAccord** Development Kit provides a simple API to extend **SCAccord** to meet any business's messaging need.

SCAccord +Med, **SCAccord +Gov**, and **SCAccord +Health** provide specific implementations focused on the medical, government, and health markets.

SCNet -- Secure Instant Messaging and E-mail

Creole SCNet gives corporate message-mates unparalleled speed for non-verbal communications. It also saves you money by using very little bandwidth. Its simple and intuitive user interface that lets you check user status quickly and send an instant message easily, even with large files attached.

SCNet is a secure instant messaging system for enterprise communications that has the added benefits of:

- Send standard or secure e-mail through SCNet's Integration with SMTP and POP3 e-mail systems

- SCNet's 1024-bit message encryption removes the possibility of third party "listening" in on sensitive business communications and file transfer.
- Send and receive messages from all major public IM systems
- Messages can be archived for future retrieval.
- Central administration allows companies to manage IM systems through one simple interface.
- Collaborative viewing of standard documents, web pages, and other external resources.
- Integrates with **SCAccord**, **SCSafe**, **S-Backbone**, and **SCProfiler**.
- **SCNet** Development Kit provides a simple API to extend **SCNet** to meet any business's messaging need.

SCProfiler -- Knowledge Management and Content Filtering

SCProfiler is a centralized data storage platform for corporate Instant Messaging systems. **SCProfiler** turns Instant Messaging into a permanent knowledge asset

- Enables "self managed" storage of instant messages with seamless, automatic migration to secondary storage
- Captures user and session information and ensures both content and context of IM "conversation" are retained
- Enables business information transmitted via IM for use as a retrievable knowledge asset.
- Real-time capture of instant messages and associated files
- Gathers record-keeping copies into a centralized location
- Checks all messages and transmitted file content against business rules
- Captures user and session information, so that specific "conversations" can be reassembled
- Integrates with **SCNet** and other major IM systems.
- **SCProfiler** Development Kit provides a simple API to extend **SCProfiler** to meet any business's messaging need.

SCSafe -- Secure Long-term Storage and Document Management

As data continues to move from paper to electronic form, organizations have the opportunity to:

1. Automate manual storage and retrieval processes

2. Dramatically reduce storage costs
3. Meet privacy demands
4. Increase control for at-risk content
5. Ensure long-term content security.

Creole SCSafe provides companies the most dynamic solution for long-term, secure storage of electronic data (documents and media). All documents stored in the **SCSafe** are digitally sealed to remove in chance of tampering. The **SCSafe** application provides users:

- An intuitive browser-based management application for individual users and administrators to manage their **SCSafes**.
- The ability to manage stored data through the management application.
- The ability to define data permissions and digital rights on documents stored in the **SCSafe**. Data permissions define what other Creole users can do with your data (ex. Print, copy, export, etc.)
- Import documents into an **SCSafe** from file system, e-mail, fax, **Creole SCAccord**, and **Creole Backbone** network.
- Export documents via e-mail, fax, and to the file systems.
- Support publish/subscribe functionality of the **Creole Backbone**.
- Record all document actions in Audit Log.
- Provide reports of Audit Logs and document history.
- Search **SCSafe** for information based on meta-data, assigned key words, and full-indexed data parsed from documents during import.
- Integrates with **SCNet** and **SCProfiler**.
- **SCSafe** Development Kit provides a simple API to extend **SCSafe** to meet any business's storage need.

Secure Workplace and Web Portal

SCHome provides web-enabled, secure access to shared workspaces. **SCHome** is built upon the current suite of Creole products which provides secure messaging, secure workflow management, and secure file storage.

- **SCHome** Workspaces leverages public key encryption (PKI) certificate-based security access and authorization and provides 128-bit encryption of all communications
- **SCHome** Provides real-time access to project and business documents.

- Leverages **SCNet** secure communication platform for instant messaging and secure e-mail
- Provides storage of shared documents in a central location or any location dictated by authorized users. All files stored outside of the **SCHome** central storage are encrypted.
- Users can create custom collaboration workflow by leveraging **SCAccord** workflow functionality.
- **SCHome** Development Kit provides a simple API to extend **SCHome** to meet any business's workspace need.



Creole Company Overview

Found in June 1999, our aim is to work with organizations in true business partnership, providing innovative high quality solutions that maximize clients' capabilities and enhance their competitive advantages. This is achieved through the strategic use of software, security, and technical expertise. Our business is software engineering. We have fully embraced the software engineering philosophy and have evolved our software product and implementation development process to an engineering discipline that is managed and supported by technology. **Creole's** current levels of technical and service readiness are among the highest in the software community.

Creole's Product Value

Creole provides software and services that enable organizations to securely extend their critical business processes and knowledge universe.

Creole provides the only comprehensive suite of integrated "Secure Collaboration" technologies necessary to eliminate "at risk" manual processes and to secure content. **Creole's** comprehensive offerings are uniquely positioned to solve the current limitations of eBusiness and collaboration, through PKI and XML enabled applications.

Creole's open technology platform allow customers to easily automate manual processes, dramatically reduce costs, increase privacy and control, and rapidly create new business opportunities

Creole's Core Values

Creole embodies six core values, which represent the fundamental beliefs of our organization.

- **Customer Value:** is the essence of ongoing and mutually rewarding business relationships.
- **Drive:** we thrive on competition and challenge
- **Better Tomorrow:** we aim to continually improve our performance through initiative, creativity, innovation and openness to new ideas.
- **Responsiveness:** we take responsibility for reacting quickly to make decisions, resolve issues and address customer needs.
- **Team Support:** we rely on teamwork across all areas of the company and in our business relationships.
- **Personal Integrity:** we take pride in respecting and encouraging the views and achievements of others.

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