

Collaboration solutions and mobile connection software
To support your business objectives



Lotus software



For mobile workers, collaboration across time zones, locations and networks has never been easier—or faster.

Your workers are on the move. IBM Lotus® Sametime® software provides comprehensive communication capabilities that keep pace with your realtime work environment. You can immediately respond to customers and business partners using instant messaging (IM) and voice chat capabilities. Easily initiate, lead and manage Web conferences with global teams. Stay in closer touch with worldwide business contacts—with less travel. And do it all using software that's designed to help you keep business information confidential—while allowing collaboration with anyone inside or outside the company. The IBM Lotus Mobile Connect product is mobile connection software that adds additional capabilities to help further enhance productivity and security for mobile users using laptops or other mobile devices such as smartphones or personal digital assistants (PDAs).

Instant communications—across a more robust connection

Open up new lines of communication—and respond quickly to your customers and partners—using Lotus Sametime software's IM capabilities. Use presence awareness to instantly confirm the availability of your colleagues or business partners and get the information you need right away.

Now imagine your mobile worker is traveling between locations and is roaming between wireless networks. Or entering the office and connecting to a wired network after using a wireless network. IBM mobile connection software can maintain contact with the enterprise server, so that when connections are interrupted or changed, the network is detected again and instant communications can resume. It detects the fastest connection available. And the reconnection happens without requiring the mobile worker to sign on to the new network. This can save mobile workers time and effort—helping to improve productivity. And it makes them more available to collaborate with their teams—to help improve the business's responsiveness.

A mobile laptop user enjoys additional productivity benefits. For example, if the transmission of a large document sent via Lotus Sametime software is interrupted, Lotus Mobile Connect software can reestablish a connection so the download can be completed—rather than having to be restarted from scratch. This time-saving feature can be important when there's an urgent deadline to be met.



Fast and easy Web conferences

Easily schedule or attend Lotus Sametime Web conferences on the fly. With Lotus Sametime software, you can share documents and your desktop with your teammates wherever they are. For the mobile employee using his or her laptop to connect to these Web conferences, Lotus Mobile Connect software can help maintain a more robust connection—via the fastest available connection.

Security features

Keep sensitive information within the enterprise and trust that the people you communicate with are who they say they are. Lotus Sametime software includes the capability to encrypt all IM conversations. You can feel confident exchanging sensitive business information since Lotus Sametime software provides built-in user authentication which can work with virtually any Lightweight Directory Access Protocol (LDAP)-based corporate directory. Employees can communicate with outside business contacts using public IM services or other enterprise IM networks. Your IT department can more easily assign user access and privileges, making it easier to manage the environment. Lotus Sametime software delivers security features through HTTP over Secure Sockets Layer (HTTPS). And to protect data across networks, Lotus Mobile Connect software can extend the base-level security features on laptops and mobile devices by supporting authentication and encryption with RSA SecureID, Data Encryption Standard (DES)/Advanced Encryption Standard (AES) and other security and compliance features.

Marketplace leadership

Used by more companies worldwide than any other enterprise IM solution, Lotus Sametime software can provide the security features and industry-leading, award-winning technology that enterprises need to fully benefit from today's realtime work environment. And Lotus Mobile Connect software is designed to extend your Lotus Sametime environment by enabling faster, more robust connections. It also helps you comply with the highest security standards in the industry today.

For more information

To learn more about IBM Lotus Sametime software, please visit:

ibm.com/lotus/sametime

To learn more about IBM Lotus Mobile Connect software, please visit:

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