

Oracle Java ELP and Optimization Report

Find it. Document it. Understand it

When it comes to Oracle Java, if you don't know and understand it, how can you manage it?

Certero's Oracle Java Effective License Position and Optimization Report service provides a complete package to understand your new obligations, license position and costs with Java. Drawing on the most thorough Certero discovery technology, our in-house Oracle SAM team provide unparalleled expertise to decipher, analyze and report on your license position.

With Certero, it's full end-to-end visibility, efficiently delivered directly, by a trusted SAM Partner.

What Are the Oracle Java Licensing Changes?

Users of Java SE (Standard Edition) have previously been able to download Java for free under a variety of licenses. However, for releases and updates post April 2019, Java is subject to subscription licensing with very few exceptions.

How Does This Affect Organizations?

Oracle are expected to begin auditing Java estates this year and the associated costs can quickly start to add up for larger organizations. With an Oracle price banding model, the higher the volume, the lower the unit pricing so Oracle can entice customers to bulk-buy Java subscriptions as an alternative to documenting their estate. As a strategy, if you commit to buying licenses to support your Oracle Java estate, then you are tied into a subscription model in order to continue using the Java software that you've built your business upon.

While the costs do not appear to be significant, they can quickly add up. Let us look at Example Inc., with a moderate estate containing 6,000 desktops. The Volume band they would be in is 3,000-9,999, with a monthly cost of \$1.75 per desktop. Based on this information, the total annual cost is calculated as:

If Example Inc. do not take steps to quantify their exposure, they will be unaware of the costs they are liable for. Now, imagine two years later Oracle perform an audit of their IT estate? Example Inc. could now be liable for \$252,000 in back maintenance, just for Java desktop licenses. This does not include servers or other aspects of the Oracle estate.

Total Desktops	X	x1 Desktop (Annual Subscription Cost)	=	Total Annual Cost
6,000		\$21		\$126,000

Java SE Platform Products	Monthly Subscription	Subscription Metric	Volume
Java SE Desktop Subscription	\$2.50	Named User Plus	1-999
	\$2.00	Named User Plus	1,000-2,999
	\$1.75	Named User Plus	3,000-9,999
	\$1.50	Named User Plus	10,000-19,999
	\$1.25	Named User Plus	20,000-49,999
	POA	Contact for Details	50,000+
Java SE Subscription	\$25.00	Processor	1-99
	\$23.75	Processor	100-249
	\$22.50	Processor	250-499
	\$20.00	Processor	500-999
	\$17.50	Processor	1,000-2,999
	\$15.00	Processor	3,000-9,999
	\$12.50	Processor	10,000-19,999
	POA	Contact for Details	20,000+

Certero's Java Position Report Service

This is why Certero are offering an end-to-end Service to not only perform the complex discovery of Java components in your estate across Windows, Linux and Unix, but also to provide the business intelligence and expertise to help you with the critical elements:

- Finding Java versions and updates
- Identifying:
 - 3rd party Java (IBM, SAP)
 - Java included with other Oracle products
 - The end-of-life legacy deployments
 - Your potential Java security risks
- Applying monetary values to your existing estate, including costs to upgrade end of life deployments

Certero's comprehensive approach empowers you to be able to make safer, more informed decisions on how to tackle Oracle Java. Using techniques such as identifying full Middleware products that already contain Java, Certero can cross-reference datasets to prevent duplicate licensing that if not thoroughly understood, would lead to over-spending.

Seizing Control

At the end of the exercise, Certero customers feel confident in their Java understanding; their feedback tells us they have moved from feeling "helpless" to knowing they're now in control and fully prepared for their next Oracle audit. Now they have the knowledge to pinpoint the Java deployments they need to investigate further, develop their Java strategy now and into the future and, if using Certero's SAM solution, create real-time monitoring dashboards to continue to ring-fence and handle their Java estates.

Service Benefits

- Identify all JDK, SDK and Run-Time
- Identify and plan Oracle Java expenditure
- Prevent duplicate Java licensing in Middleware
- Improve governance of Oracle Java across Windows, Linux and Unix
- Prepare for future Oracle Java audits

With Oracle now including Java in their already challenging audits, why accept any risk or uncertainty?

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