

Saurus Software Assurance

What Is Software Assurance?

Software Assurance grants the holder the right to download and install all available products updates within the assurance period.

With Software Assurance you can download the freshest versions of Saurus CMS instantly as they are released. You will get most up-to-date features, security enhancements, performance improvements etc.



Do You Need A Software Assurance?

No, you do not need a Software Assurance, if you plan to forget the fact that you have a web site installed somewhere. All other webmasters know that a living web site is constantly evolving and needs good care to make it a profitable one. So do we. Every year we release approximately ten version upgrades to make our software better for our users and web visitors. These upgrades include:

- New features for content editors
- Tools for web administrators and site developers
- Security and performance enhancements
- Compatibility with new browsers and server-side technologies.

Software Assurance is the most cost-effective option to keep your web site's heart, Saurus Content Management Software, updated and fresh.

Quick Links

- Software Assurance details <http://www.saurus.info/softwareassurance>
- Saurus CMS downloads <http://www.saurus.info/downloads>
- Information about releases <http://www.saurus.info/releases>
- Saurus CMS timeline <http://www.saurus.info/timeline>

The Cost

Software Assurance costs **20% of the respective product's current price** per one year. It is suggested to buy Software Assurance in the same time as you buy a main license since joining later will cost you more.

Example 1

Saurus CMS license was bought on January 1st with a price of 2400 EUR. The customer is interested of buying Software Assurance on July 1st. The price of the Software Assurance will then be:

1,2 * 0,5 * 2 400 * 0,2	The period passed from the initial purchase multiplied with a coefficient 1,2
+ 2 400 * 0,2	Plus the Software Assurance fee for coming year.
= 768 EUR	

Example 2

Saurus CMS SE license was bough on January 1st with a special price of 650 EUR. The customer is interested of buying software upgrade to the current version exactly two years later. The current price of Saurus CMS SE is now 800 EUR. The customer is not interested in buying Software Assurance for coming year. The price of the upgrade will then be:

2 * 800 * 0,2	The Software Assurance fee for the period passed from the initial purchase according to the current price of the product.
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= 384 EUR	

FAQ

Q: Can I buy software updates without buying Software Assurance?

A: Yes. If you are interested in buying one-time version upgrade package, it will cost you Software Assurance fee of the period passed from the initial purchase multiplied with a coefficient 1,2.

Q: Does Software Assurance guarantee the version upgrade to Saurus CMS 4?

A: Yes. Saurus CMS 4 will continue current licensing and upgrading policy.

Q: What is the difference between warranty and Software Assurance?

A: During the period of warranty Saurus is obliged to repair all bugs and errors found in our software for free. We will send you a custom patch file suitable for a specific product version. This patch file does not upgrade your software to a new version. Only Software Assurance allows you to update the product to the newest official version.

Q: What happens if we do not want to continue to pay for Software Assurance for a while and join again later?

A: When Software Assurance has been cancelled for a limited period you need to pay full amount of the uncovered period multiplied with a coefficient 1,2 to continue Software Assurance later.

Q: How to install software upgrades and who can do it?

A: You can download the upgrades from our download site www.saurus.info/downloads and install them on your own using our installation guides or you can ask our partners to do that.

Q: How do I know when new version has been released?

A: Version upgrades are announced through our web site. You can join our mailing list to be the first to know about new releases.

Q: I have found a bug in Saurus CMS, but the warranty period is expired. How can I get the patch to the bug?

A: In this case we offer service-based patches according to a current price list. Please contact us for more details.

Q: What is the difference between beta- and official versions?

A: We do not provide any support, patches or warranty to beta-versions.

Q: Where can I see the version history of Saurus CMS?

A: You can find a version history here www.saurus.info/timeline.

For More Information

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