



Anti-Malware 5.0 Beta: Emsisoft introduces a new file guard and a simplified user interface

Anti-Malware 5.0 is almost ready for release. A public beta version of the security suite is now available for testing. In addition to the behavior analysis, version 5.0 offers a completely new file guard that scans files when they are downloaded or accessed. The user interface of the scanner has also been drastically simplified, making it easier for PC beginners to use. Version 5.0 also has optimized self-protection and full support for 64-bit systems, including Windows 7.

In brief:

- Anti-Malware 5.0 is available as a beta version
- Security software against all the dangers of the Internet
- Completely new file guard
- Greatly simplified user interface
- Full support for Windows 7 (including 64 Bit)
- Link: <http://www.emsisoft.com/>



Salzburg, February 2010 - The Anti-Malware security suite protects Windows computers from all types of Malware attacks. Whether from Viruses, Trojans, Keyloggers, Spyware or Rootkits: Two perfectly matched engines raise an alert as soon as damaging software attempts to hide itself in your computer. The scan currently uses 3.6 million signatures and is also supported by a behavior analysis system.

The outstanding detection rates achieved by Anti-Malware have resulted in the software repeatedly winning international comparison tests performed by the independent Malware Research Group and the PC Security Labs (<http://www.anti-malware-reviews.com>) - relegating the competition to the lower places.

After many months of development, Anti-Malware 5 is now waiting in the starting blocks with many new features and changes asked for by over 5 million registered users:

- **New file guard:** To ease the load on the system, the Anti-Malware background guard previously only started when files in the system were opened or executed. The new file guard in version 5 has been written anew from scratch and now offers the optional ability to scan files immediately after downloading and when they are copied or moved. Extra care has been taken to optimize performance and minimize the load on the system during the scan. In contrast to similar programs, Anti-Malware 5 provides many configuration options for the file guard.
- **Simplified user interface:** The user interface of Anti-Malware 5 has been completely reworked to make it easier for PC beginners to use. It has been drastically simplified without omitting anything important. Another frequent user request: The scanner has been directly integrated into the main window and can now be started more quickly. This is only one of dozens of features created as a direct result of suggestions from the user community.



- **Full support for Windows 7:** Anti-Malware 5 fully supports Windows 7, working equally well in 32 and 64 systems. This makes Anti-Malware 5 one of the first "complete" behavior-blockers for x64 systems.
- **Improved self-protection:** The self-protection in Anti-Malware 5 has been greatly optimized. This prevents Malware programs from changing or disabling the protection program.
- **Improved cleaning:** The cleaning routines in the software have been improved. This means that all Malware found by the program can also be reliably deleted.
- **Conservation of resources:** In normal guard operation, Anti-Malware only requires about 20 MB of RAM.

Christian Mairoll, the General Manager of Emsisoft, says: "We assume that Anti-Malware 5 will be released sometime in February. However, all of our users can already switch to the beta version. To do this, you just need to switch on the 'Update - Install Beta Updates' option. After the update the software then identifies itself as Version 5.0 Beta. This works with both the registered and test versions."

Anti-Malware 5.0 will cost 40 US\$ - with free updates for one year.

Homepage: <http://www.emsisoft.com/>

Beta-Version information: <http://support.emsisoft.com/topic/1432-a-squared-anti-malware-5-0-public-beta-has-arrived/>

a-squared Anti-Malware: <http://www.emsisoft.com/en/software/antimalware/>

a-squared Free: <http://www.emsisoft.com/en/software/free/>

Downloads: <http://www.emsisoft.com/en/software/download/>

Emsisoft test reports: <http://www.anti-malware-reviews.com/>

ABOUT EMSISOFT

Emsisoft is a private company based in Austria. The rapidly growing company is a leading European supplier of behavioral analysis technology for analysis of software, especially Malware.

The company was founded in 2003 by Christian Mairoll, realizing his vision of a virtual company: The 15 company employees are distributed all over the world but work together as if they are sitting together in a real office. Emsisoft was commended with the Austrian "Constantinus" IT prize in 2005 for this innovative business management concept.

The Emsisoft product range comprises the security programs a-squared Anti-Malware, a-squared Free, a-squared HiJackFree, a-squared Anti-Dialer, Mamutu and, since the start of 2009, the Online Armor Personal Firewall.



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