





## **Pressrelease**

## Virtual Data Federation Server SAGA.M31 - Galaxy - Version 1.4 released

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SAGA D.C. GmbH today released Version 1.4 of the Virtual Data Federation Server, SAGA.M31 - Galaxy -.

#### New Features implemented are:

### - Complex Container Requests

which implements a requests chain where output fields of one requests can be used as input fields of another requests inside of a single Container. This enables the user to build more complex requests against data sources of different media like SQL, Directory Services or 3270 Transactions.

#### Deployment Tool

this new feature enables Developers or Administrators of SAGA.M31 – Galaxy – to deploy tested and approved Containers to the production Server(s). This will reduce the risk of errors in creating new Containers or Requests after a new application is ready for production.

All Enhancements are only available in the commercial Version of SAGA.M31 – Galaxy – the "Professional Edition". Customers with an existing Maintenance contract will receive Version 1.4 automatically via the established distribution channel either as a Download or a CD Image.

The Virtual Data Federation Server SAGA.M31 – Galaxy – is a Middleware Solution that enables organizations to process data from different sources, like SQL, Directory Servers or 3270 Transactions, by using a simple XML or Web Service. Virtualization is done by a container that provides a single view for the calling application. Below this view, requests are separated depending on the underlying service. A main benefit is the simplification of data access and the combination of different data sources. In terms of SOA, SAGA.M31 – Galaxy – provides a Data Service. To implement this into existing application a Plugin for the Eclipse IDE is part of the product. To integrate a data Web Service takes only minutes. Current customers say that they like the simple, secure and reliable implementation of SAGA.M31 – Galaxy –. The commercial version "Professional Edition" provides a ROI already after few months, depending on the number of Services that are done through SAGA.M31 – Galaxy –.

There is also a free version named "Limited Edition" or "Developer Edition" that allows a risk free implementation of XML or Web Service based Data processing. Limitation is only done on the number of concurrent container and Features.







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**SAGA.M31 – Galaxy –** is used as an application under any J2EE compliant Container like Apache Jakarta Tomcat or IBM WebSphere AS.

Downloads of the free Developer Edition can be done from the product Website http://galaxy.sagadc.com. A valid Email-Address is the only requirement to send a time limited download-link.

A complete (german) Documentation can be found under the URL <a href="http://galaxy.sagadc.com/GalaxyDoc/">http://galaxy.sagadc.com/GalaxyDoc/</a>.

More information, also in English, are available on the Product-Website under <a href="http://galaxy.sagadc.com">http://galaxy.sagadc.com</a> which is also the central place for information around the whole product.

Questions and more information can also be requested by Email under mailto:galaxy@sagadc.com.

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