



# HP Expands IT Performance Software Suite

New management and social collaboration solutions ensure IT and organizational alignment

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PALO ALTO, Calif., March 20, 2012 – HP today announced new management and social collaboration solutions that enhance visibility across an enterprise, improving management of IT processes and ensuring alignment with business needs.

Enterprises are experiencing a shift in the way people consume IT and are challenged with delivering consumer-style applications on new platforms, such as mobile devices – all while maintaining IT governance of these applications and devices. This mobile trend also is changing the way individuals collaborate on application development and project workflows.

[HP Anywhere](#) and [HP Enterprise Collaboration](#) solutions – part of the [HP IT Performance Suite](#) – simplify IT management of mobile application consumption on iOS and Android smartphones as well as tablet PCs. These solutions create a social collaboration environment that enables real-time, context-based conversations, enabling organizations to make decisions faster.

“Clients expect their IT management tools to be available on mobile devices with enhanced collaboration capabilities and simplistic user interfaces,” said Shane Pearson, vice president, Product Marketing, Software, HP. “HP Enterprise Collaboration and HP Anywhere expand the effectiveness of the HP IT Performance Suite by extending it to mobile devices, allowing IT executives to collaborate, manage and take action on the go – anytime, anywhere.”

## Managing IT from anywhere, anytime

[HP Anywhere](#) provides a platform for rapid distribution and consumption of, as well as response to IT management information on smartphones and tablet PCs. With HP Anywhere, clients are given secure access through a single-sign-on process that ensures authorization definitions are carried over to mobile devices.

HP Anywhere currently offers mobile applications for a broad range of

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HP IT Performance Suite solutions and persona-based IT management tasks, including [HP IT Executive Scorecard](#), [HP Application Lifecycle Management](#), [HP Business Service Management](#) and [HP Project and Portfolio Management](#).

As part of its overall IT Performance Suite offering, with today's news, HP further extends its existing comprehensive mobile application development, monitoring and management offerings – to developers and IT operations to improve functionality and performance. Clients can now rapidly build web applications or native mobile applications supporting various mobile devices, networks and operating systems. Clients also can emulate and test user experience, gaining greater visibility into the real-time health of mobile applications.

#### **Getting more done with context-based, social collaboration**

IT executives need a social collaboration platform that facilitates organized, context rich conversations around IT processes. Effective collaboration among operations, application development and delivery resources improves response time to IT requests, ensures higher-quality application development and promotes knowledge sharing.

[HP Enterprise Collaboration](#) integrates HP and third-party IT applications with social communication tools to deliver real-time collaboration around designated IT actions and artifacts.

As a result, IT professionals can start a conversation from within the management application, view suggestions for additional participants, and manage the resulting knowledge base through multiple access points. The integrated people-finder capability suggests relevant experts to be added to the conversation and assigns priority levels.

HP Enterprise Collaboration offers out-of-the-box integration with a broad range of HP IT Performance Suite solutions, including [HP Service Manager](#), [HP Application Lifecycle Management](#), [HP Business Service Management](#), [Universal Configuration Management Database Configuration Manager](#) and [HP Closed Loop Incident Process](#).

HP Anywhere and HP Enterprise Collaboration are key components of the HP IT Performance Suite, the next-generation enterprise performance software platform that enables IT management to improve performance with operational intelligence.



### **Pricing and availability**

HP Anywhere and HP Enterprise Collaboration are available worldwide with pricing based on implementation.

HP Anywhere is available for devices running iOS and Android mobile operating systems through iTunes App Store, Android Market and internal IT resources.

HP's premier client event, [HP Discover](#), takes place June 4 -7 in Las Vegas.

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