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eScan Internet Security 11 Receives Certification & Award for Real-Time Virus Protection

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Top Certification from AV-Comparatives & VB100 Awarded for Excellent Scores in Malware Detection and Real-Time Virus Protection

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, a leading provider of real-time anti-virus and content security solutions, announced today that eScan Internet Security 11 received the top certification level from AV-Comparatives

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for its excellent ability to detect malware in infected PCs while providing impressive real-time virus protection.

VB100% certifications are amongst the most widely recognized certifications within the industry. First introduced in 1998, VB100 certification tests focus on virus detection rates, scanning speeds, as well as looking at how each product fares, when scanning set files that are known to be clean. In the October 2010 tests, eScan 11 was tested with a minimum of 1000 replicated samples, representing each variant of the total size from the Wild List set that reached over 14,000 samples—a record in recent years. eScan 11 became a proud winner of another VB100 award with Zero false positives and nothing missed in the Wild List.

The clean set underwent its usual expansion with large swathes of new items added to challenge eScan 11. This being a server test, the new items focused on business software with many packages from the business tools' section of popular download sites, as well as items from major software houses. The tests included 450,000 individual files and over 100 GB of data. The speed measurement sets remained unchanged from several previous tests. The RAP weekly sets averaged 18,000 samples per week, while the sets of Trojans, Worms, and Botnets were compiled.

"This is our 23rd VB100 award since 2003, the year we first participated in the VB100 tests. We won this award for the newly released eScan 11 which uses advanced technologies and is power packed to meet the challenges posed by not only the current generation of malware but also by the next generation ones," said Govind Rammurthy, CEO & Managing Director. "This award also showcases the fact that even after having strong detection rates, eScan uses very low resources and does not impact the system performance. The new and advanced eScan 11 is power packed with technologies that can counter the current threat scenario."

John Hawes, the Editor of Virus Bulletin commented in the report, "We've been quite enjoying working with eScan's latest version in recent tests. It installs quickly and simply, but does need a reboot, and the interface is colourful and fun-packed, with its shimmery Mac-style icon tray and windows that close with a swirling flourish. Under the stylish surface it continues to provide a wealth of fine-tuning controls, presented in a much more sober fashion, making it simple for the more demanding user to find the most detailed options." He concluded on eScan saying that, "Detection results were also highly impressive across the board, with no problems in the core certification sets, and eScan comfortably earns another VB100 award for its splendid performance."

eScan Internet Security 11 delivers advanced real-time protection against viruses, spyware, phishing attacks and identity theft, without slowing down a user's PC. Internet Security 11 also automatically scans flash drives by default and protects against the latest threats such as "drive-by" downloads.

For further details on the results of this test, please visit [AV-Comparatives.org](http://av-comparatives.org)

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(http://www.av-comparatives.org/images/stories/test/single/eScanReview10_2010en.pdf)

About eScan

eScan, the world's first real-time anti-virus and content security software for desktops and servers, is developed and marketed by MicroWorld. MicroWorld has offices in the U. S., India, Germany, Malaysia and South Africa, and is represented in more than 90 other countries by a worldwide network of partners. Since the company was founded in 1993, MicroWorld has redefined the information security landscape with the development of groundbreaking technologies and solutions. The company's flagship product, eScan is powered by today's most advanced security technologies and sophisticated anti-virus heuristic algorithms that not only protect against current threats, but also provide proactive protection. eScan has received certifications and awards from some of the security industry's most prestigious testing bodies, including Virus Bulletin, AV-Comparatives, West Coast Labs (Checkmark), ICSA, and PCSL labs.

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