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## CommandSoft launches its fifth generation FibreJet® SAN Management Software

64-bit compatible cross-platform, shared code-base supporting the latest OS offerings OS X Maverick and Windows 8

Santa Barbara, California – Wednesday, November 27, 2013: CommandSoft, Inc., a leading developer for shared storage solutions, today announced their latest version of their popular FibreJet® SAN management representing the fourth generation of the FibreJet product line.

**FibreJet**® 5.0 now shares a common code base between platforms bringing Mac OS X style user interface to its cross platform Windows offering. This next generation also includes advanced Meta-data management with built in file system repair, powerful data migration, and a totally new command line interface allowing automation of important maintenance and operation functions to free up administrators and editors for more productive use of their time.

## New to FibreJet 5.0 X-Platform

Version 5.0 incorporates all features present in FibreJet version 4.x plus some major additions:

- Multiple-writer capable with XSan integration (requires MetaData OS X Server computer).
- Option to run without a SAN database (but limits features, such as will lose ability to group projects / users and permissions). This is intended for SANs that do not mind each workstation accessing all reachable SAN volumes
- SAN Health-check automation (record of user scheduled file systems checks, can email you when problem discovered)
- General speed-ups, faster discovery launching, GUI improvements
- Support for Latest OS, latest drivers and adapters (iSCSI, Thunderbolt, etc.)
- Single-Volume Volume Maintenance Mode
- Option to pre-check file system each time mounted. This will immediately alert users if they need to perform Volume Maintenance (repair a volume).
- Integration of FibreJet System Preferences into application, special "startup-mode" to enter "admin" tool functions and by-pass normal startup

- Dynamic drive letter management (windows)
- · Improvements to Windows GUI
- Plus many more to come!!!

The new generation of FibreJet offers users an ever-increasing list of exciting new features. Administrators can now expand existing file systems\* that need more space right within FibreJet. A new Data Migration engine allows SAN administrators block-copy or file-copy capabilities for data duplication, backup, and storage retirement. SAN Support Tools include event log auditing and SAN Health support in the form of built-in diagnostics reporting, file system checking, and advanced repair.

A new tool provides an unprecedented view into the virtualization of SAN structure including the relationships between a file system volume and its underlying physical disk, partition structures and software RAID structure. This tool also includes utilities for archiving the partition maps, useful not only for support purposes, but also recovering from certain catastrophic data-loss scenarios.

FibreJet 5.0 for Mac OS X 10.9 Maverick / Windows 8 Cross-Platform is available for immediate download for a charge of just \$899.00 for the upgrade as long as all seats on the site have a valid support contract. This cost also adds an additional year of support to your existing contract. You can download the latest version at: http://commandsoft.com/support.jsp

Users of FibreJet SANs not covered by active CommandSoft support agreements can order FibreJet 5.0 upgrades for \$1199/seat which includes a one year support contract per seat from all authorized FibreJet resellers or directly from CommandSoft at: (805) 730-7772.

http://www.commandsoft.com/support.jsp

## About CommandSoft - www.commandsoft.com

CommandSoft, Inc. is the developer of FibreJet, a next-generation, shared-storage solution for Storage Area Networks (SANs). FibreJet enables file systems to be dynamically shared in a multiple-reader / single writer environment. CommandSoft was founded by the original developers of FibreNet™, StudioBOSS™, FC Net Director RAID™, SAN Manager™ and other storage software systems. They were among the first Fibre Channel innovators through their development of HBA drivers for Windows™, Solaris™, Macintosh™ OS and IRIX Fibre Channel chip sets from QLogic™, Emulex™, and Agilent™. For more information on the company, its products and its mission, visit the CommandSoft website at: www.commandsoft.com or call 800-447-0144.

\*Support for expansion of file systems requires certain criteria to be met in relation to the configuration of partitions on the storage.

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