

CASI announces JES²Mail / JES²FTP 5.1 - PDF Direct Print, AES hardware encryption and improved transport reliability headline latest release

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Fountain Valley, CA. CASI Software, innovators in the development of IBM z/OS information transformation and delivery technologies, today announced the release of JES²Mail /JES²FTP version 5.1.

JES²Mail and JES²FTP transform JES and sequential file report content into PDF, XML, HTML and other formats; enhance the output with advanced PDF Overlays (forms), encryption and password-protection; and automatically deliver the results via email, to network servers, or using RSS web feeds. Release 5.1 is both a roll-up of all software maintenance since v5.0 and includes several significant product enhancements.

Major JES²Mail /JES²FTP 5.1 enhancements include: PDF Direct Print support; System z AES hardware encryption; and improved transport reliability.

The PDF Direct Print support allow one to utilize this feature, implemented in printer firmware, to send PDF files straight to a TCP-IP attached printer, without printing via an application or using a printer driver. This new capability may allow an organization to reduce or eliminate the need for expensive 3rd party z/OS print management software.

AES hardware encryption support uses configuration statements to instruct JES²Mail/JES²FTP to utilize native IBM System z cryptographic *hardware* for PDF compression and encryption to significantly reduce CPU processing cycles.

Improved transport reliability allows JES²Mail's built-in, highly efficient SMTP services to use an optional two-stage process using either IBM's CSSMTP or CASI's QMail facility.

JES²Mail/JES²FTP 5.1 is generally available March 1 to all current maintenance customers and can be downloaded directly from the CASI Software web site (www.casisoft.com). CASI continues to offer free, no obligation trials of the full JES²Mail/JES²FTP product suite and provides proof-of-concept technical support during the trial period.

Visit www.casisoft.com for more information or contact CASI Software by email at info@casisoft.com or telephone at 714-378-1109.

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About CASI Software

CASI is a provider of System z information delivery solutions. From the creation of EMS, one of the first mainframe-based email and forms management products, to its JES²Mail/JES²FTP suite for modernizing, securing and delivering mainframe report content, CASI has over 20 years' experience providing z/OS innovations that provide both hard dollar cost savings and productivity improvements. CASI is located in Fountain Valley, CA. More information on CASI and all its products can be found at www.casisoft.com.