

VMware Product Name Changes (announced Sept 2008)

- **Objective of this document:**

- Summarize **changes** to existing product names.

- **Audience:**

- All

- Note that VMware product/technology names not in this document are unchanged. Also unless otherwise mentioned, changed names of existing products will be updated in various collateral/on the web by December 2, 2008.

	Old Name / Code Name	New Name	Description	Effective date
1		VMware vCenter	Brand name for all infrastructure and application management products from VMware	12/2/2008
1.1	VirtualCenter Server	VMware vCenter Server	The central management server for VMware Infrastructure	12/2/2008
1.2	VMware Lifecycle Manager	VMware vCenter Lifecycle Manager	Workflow automation product for creation, deployment and decommissioning of virtual machines	12/2/2008
1.3	VMware Converter	VMware vCenter Converter (for the version integrated into vCenter) VMware vCenter Converter Standalone (for the separately downloadable version)	Physical to virtual (P2V) conversion product available in 2 flavors: - Integrated into vCenter Server - Standalone version that is a separate download. Note that this standalone version currently comes in two flavors : Enterprise and Starter, these flavors will be merged into a single flavor (over 1H2009) which will be the	12/2/2008

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			equivalent of Enterprise	
1.4	VMware Lab Manager	VMware vCenter Lab Manager	Automation product for application development environments	12/2/2008
1.5	VMware Stage Manager	VMware vCenter Stage Manager	Automation product for application staging and deployment environments	12/2/2008
1.6	VMware Update Manager	VMware vCenter Update Manager	Host and virtual machine patch management product integrated with vCenter Server	12/2/2008
1.7	VMware Site Recovery Manager	VMware vCenter Site Recovery Manager	Disaster Recovery Orchestration product	12/2/2008
1.8	VirtualCenter Foundation	vCenter Server Foundation	Node limited version of vCenter Server	12/2/2008
2	VMFS	VMware vStorage VMFS	VMware's cluster file system	12/2/2008
3	VMware Virtual Desktop Infrastructure	VMware View	VMware's integrated desktop virtualization solution that delivers enterprise-class control and manageability	12/2/2008
3.1	Virtual Desktop Manager (VDM)	VMware View Manager	Enterprise class server which manages connections from end points to virtual desktops or hosted desktops while helping rapidly provision desktops.	12/2/2008
3.2	VMware Administrator Interface	VMware View Administrator	Administrator Interface for View Manager	12/2/2008
3.3	VDM Agent	VMware View Manager Agent	Agent for View Manager to talk to the virtual desktop	12/2/2008
3.4	VDM Web Access	VMware View Portal	Access to Virtual Desktop through web browser	12/2/2008
3.5	VDM Client for	VMware View	Client used to install on Win 32	12/2/2008

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	Windows	Client for Windows	PC or Win XP embedded thin client to connect to View Manager for virtual desktop access	
3.6	VDM Client for Linux	VMware View Client for Linux	Client used to install on Linux thin clients to connect to View Manager for virtual desktop access	12/2/2008

* Note: VirtualCenter for VMware Server is an EOL product, so this name will remain unchanged.