

Who is Digium?

Bringing VoIP Telephony Solutions to Business



Digium® is the creator, sponsor, and innovative force behind Asterisk®, the world's most popular open source telephony software.

Additionally, we provide a variety of VoIP communication solutions that fit the needs of small, medium and large businesses. Our product lines include commercial business phone systems as well as software, hardware, and other components needed to create powerful custom telephony solutions.

Business Phone Systems

Digium's line of award winning Switchvox® IP PBX phone systems are built on a strong foundation of our open source Asterisk software. Switchvox solutions are designed to be extraordinarily easy to use and provide features that most small and medium businesses had previously considered out of their reach.

Switchvox's web-aware unified communications capabilities are unique in an industry cluttered with old technology. Integration with web and back office applications turns your phone system into a powerful platform for employees' productivity and efficiency. Its web-based Switchboard provides an intuitive control panel to assist with call management in real time while unifying phone calls, faxes, e-mails, instant messaging, Google Maps, CRM systems and other web tools from an easy-to-use, centralized control panel.

We're able to offer these PBX systems with superior capabilities for a fraction of the cost of traditional vendors' products because the shift to an open source software foundation represents a dramatic leap forward in telephony technology.

Custom Telephony Solutions

Digium empowers users, developers and integrators to build custom telephony solutions by offering a variety of software, hardware, and third-party components. From a simple phone system, to a sophisticated telephony application, Digium makes it possible for the world to communicate in an infinite number of ways at a fraction of the cost of proprietary solutions.

At the heart of these offerings is Asterisk, the powerful open source telephony development toolkit. Asterisk is free software that turns an ordinary computer into a feature-rich voice communications platform. Its flexible architecture lets you configure it as an IP PBX, a voicemail server, IVR server, VoIP gateway, call recorder, automatic call distributor and virtually any other voice-enabled application you can imagine.

To support Asterisk-based solutions, Digium offers a full line of high quality analog and digital interface cards to connect your solution to the public telephone network. In addition, Digium offers add-on software components like Skype® For Asterisk, Fax For Asterisk, G.729 codec, and high performance echo cancellation (HPEC) to enhance your solution.

And to make it easier to find "all things Asterisk", Digium hosts the official Asterisk Marketplace, an ecosystem of technology partners who provide complimentary products and services to extend the functionality of your Asterisk-based solutions.

To visit the Asterisk Marketplace, go to www.digium.com/ecosystem

Digium's products are available worldwide through a network of Authorized Distributors and Resellers. For information, go to www.digium.com/wheretobuy



Switchvox is available in 3 models:

- Switchvox 65 for up to 30 users
- Switchvox 305 for up to 150 users
- Switchvox 355 for up to 400 users



What is Asterisk®?

The World's Most Popular Open Source Telephony Project



Open source phone systems comprise 18% of the North American PBX market.*

Asterisk® is the world's most popular open source telephony project.

Under development since 1999, Asterisk is free, open source software that turns an ordinary computer into a feature-rich voice communications server. Asterisk makes it simple to create and deploy a wide range of telephony applications and services. Growing at a lightning pace, installations of open source telephony solutions are now outpacing traditional industry players like Nortel, Avaya and Cisco.

*Eastern Management Group, 2008

Why Open Source?

By harnessing the power of collaboration, open source projects like Asterisk tap the creative skills of a global pool of developers, testers, and users. The result is software that truly fits end user requirements, can be customized to a degree impossible with proprietary systems, and offers a drastically lower total cost of ownership.

What Can Asterisk Do?

Created as a flexible toolkit, Asterisk can be configured to serve a wide variety of telephony applications including:

- IP PBX
- Call Recording
- IVR
- ACD
- Automated Attendant
- VoIP Gateway
- Voicemail
- Speech Applications
- Unified Messaging
- Unified Communication
- Call Conferencing

Who Uses Asterisk?

Asterisk readily scales from very small deployments to massive multi-server clusters. This unmatched flexibility has propelled it into virtually every business size, segment and industry. Asterisk is particularly appealing in cost-conscious environments including education, government agencies and not-for-profit organizations.

Join the Asterisk revolution.

Sign up today at www.asterisk.org

What Is the Asterisk Community?

The Asterisk Community is made up of thousands of users, developers and integrators who have discovered the power of Asterisk and share in the success of the project. Community members from around the globe are constantly collaborating, sharing solutions, code and ideas that drive the continuous enhancement of Asterisk.

Today the Asterisk community includes more than 60,000 registered members including over 1000 code contributors—far more than a typical proprietary software company can dedicate to a project or product. In 2008 there were more than 1.5 million downloads of Asterisk.

In addition to numerous community contributors, Digium has dedicated a significant portion of engineering resources to the open source project. Digium maintains the code for the project and ensures that it meets the highest quality in engineering standards.

What Is The Asterisk Ecosystem?

Digium ecosystem partners are an important part of the overall Asterisk community. Ecosystem partners add value to the community by crafting solutions based on Asterisk, creating add-on solutions for use with Asterisk, or by offering services to other Asterisk users. For more information, go to www.digium.com/ecosystem

How Do I Get Started?

Get started today with AsteriskNOW®, Digium's quick-start installer. AsteriskNOW includes everything you need to get started. Download the AsteriskNOW disk image and burn it to a CD. Drop the CD into your target computer, boot and answer a few simple questions. In less than 30 minutes your Asterisk system will be up and running. To download, go to www.asterisknow.org

2008 Asterisk Statistics

More than...
1.5 million downloads of Asterisk
60,000 users on the Asterisk Forums
27,000 topics and 83,000 forum posts
4800 updates and enhancements to Asterisk code

