

# Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence

IT teams are tasked to proactively manage software sprawl, keep security risks in check and look for ways to optimize spend. The number of software titles is growing rapidly, with remote work further accelerating software self-service and SaaS usage. IT teams that aren't tracking their software assets effectively might end up spending more than they need to and putting their security at risk.

Ivanti® Neurons for Spend Intelligence provides instant insights into your organization's software landscape and application spend for on-premises, cloud and edge environments to help improve operational speed, asset visibility and utilization. Potential underspend and overspend issues and opportunities for reclamation are also highlighted, optimizing cost and reducing risk.

## Get the Software Insights You Need — Fast

In an average month, organizations may spend 40 hours or more managing software and SaaS application vendors, usage, overall spend and contract renewals. A Microsoft Enterprise Agreement true-up preparation, for instance, can take two months and consume up to 120 hours of productive time. A full contract renewal may take 300 or more hours to complete. Many Software Asset Management (SAM) solutions in the market require extensive knowledge, managed services, licensing expertise and tool-administration training.

Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence is designed for busy IT teams who need to make software license-related decisions quickly. Unlike complex software licensing tools, Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence is easy and intuitive to use, with faster time-to-value.

Within minutes, a detailed analysis of usage, license types, purchases, subscriptions, renewals and instances are presented in engaging dashboards to help you effectively track usage, purchase history, upcoming renewals, contract expirations and ongoing overall spend. No prior SAM knowledge or technical asset management background is required. Ivanti eliminates the need to scramble to find information in spreadsheets or devote weeks preparing for contract renewals. Interactive mini-tour guides make it easy for even the novice to start managing the software estate.

Visibility

Renewals

Spend

Risks

Savings

## Uncover the Full Potential of Your Software

Ivanti Neurons for Software Intelligence significantly reduces the time and effort required to manage your software efficiently. It aggregates installed software information with purchase information and provides insights about software and subscriptions purchased and used, as well as money spent.

With Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence:

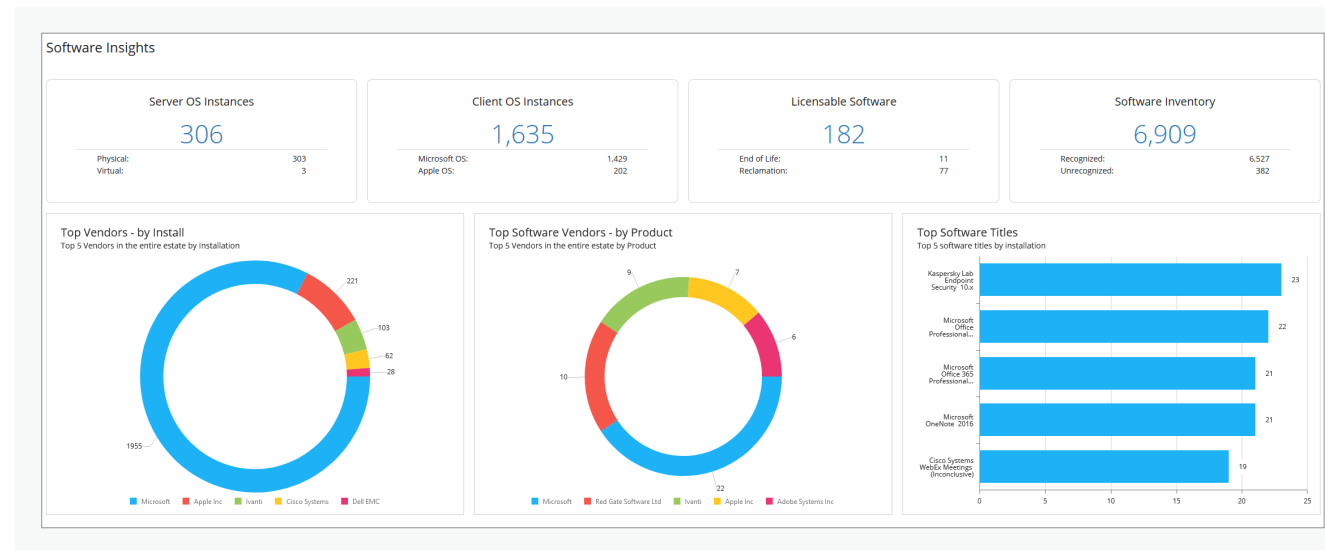
- Gain instant visibility across your on-premises and SaaS software
- Track your software-application spend easily
- Manage your license subscriptions and contract renewals effectively
- Pinpoint potential areas of security and compliance risk
- Identify savings opportunities and optimize your overall costs

## Instant Visibility into Your Software Estate

Clear visibility of your software assets leads to better IT insights — and better business outcomes. It lays the foundation to properly manage, secure and optimize your software estate. With complete visibility of your on-premises and SaaS software, you'll understand what you have, be able to act more decisively to improve the experience of your employees and enable your IT team to be even more productive and efficient.

Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence provides a quick overview of your installed software estate and makes it easy to identify your strategic vendors and product titles. It also helps you to understand the device split between your servers and clients, different platforms, Windows and Mac devices, and more.

The content-rich Software Library supports more than 82,000 products, over 8,000 operating systems and 7,500 vendors. The SKU Library has over 200,000 SKU records to help you to recognize your installed software titles as well as identify software programs that require a license.



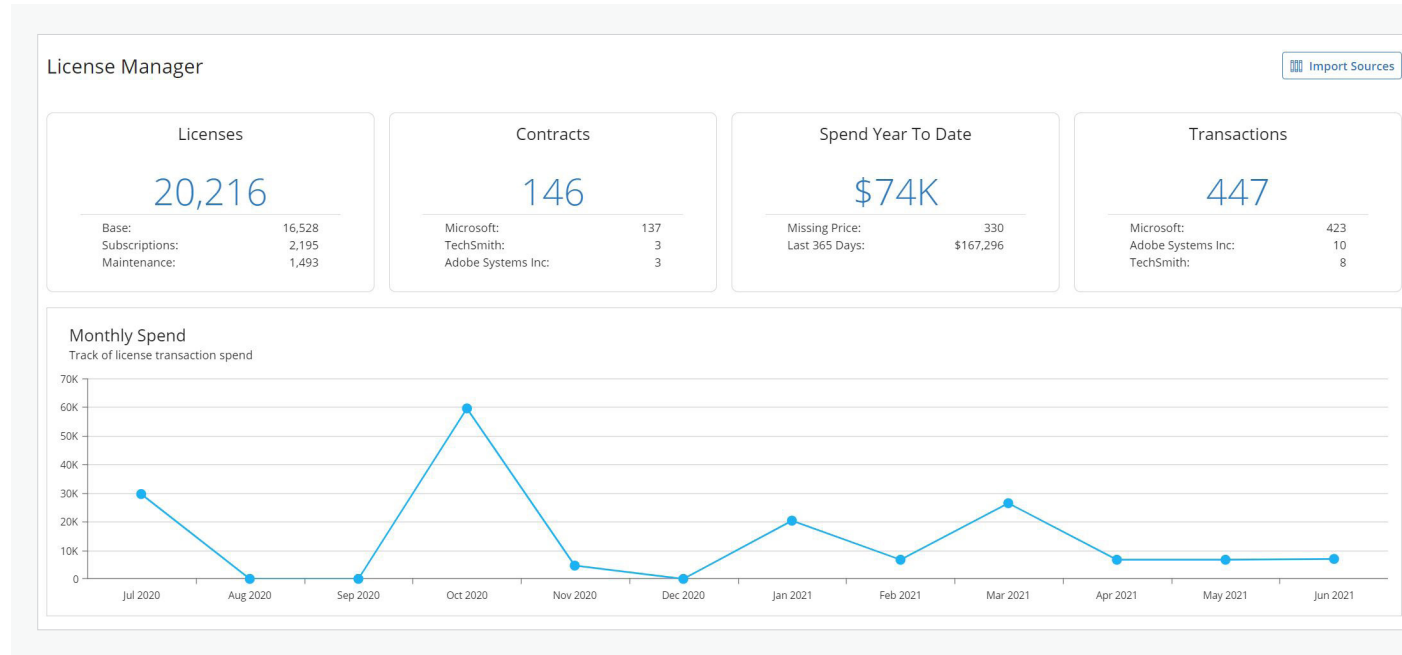
## Track Your Software Application Spend

Without tracking your software effectively, chances are you're overspending. Software on average makes up 22% of an organization's annual IT Budget.

Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence offers a quick overview of what your software is costing you. It supports three different cost types:

- Retail Recommended Price (RRP), which is stored in the SKU library for top vendors like Microsoft and Adobe to name a few.
- Customer-specific pricelist, designed to address scenarios where customers have a fixed pricelist for specific vendor products.
- Customer-specific cost per individual transaction helps to address spend variations for the same products that might have been purchased through different resellers or on different dates.

Due to lack of oversight, many organizations are overspending on their SaaS solutions by up to 70%. Cloud subscriptions may not be used as productively or as often as expected. Access to SaaS applications is rarely, if ever, reviewed on a regular basis. With Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence, you can easily identify waste from unused or inactive SaaS subscriptions and make necessary adjustments based on actual consumption.



Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence displays the rolling spend within 365 days so you can make informed decisions about your software and SaaS applications.

Role-based access control helps to govern who can see and modify the sensitive cost data.

## Right-size Your Contracts Based on Usage

It is critical to track contract timelines to ensure that contracts don't renew by default, thereby missing a renegotiation or termination possibility and to ensure seamless continuity of service.

Most cloud resources are priced by consumption, so negotiating with the business to reduce waste and overconsumption is typically the most effective way to contain cloud costs.

With Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence, you can manage your on-premises and SaaS renewals proactively.

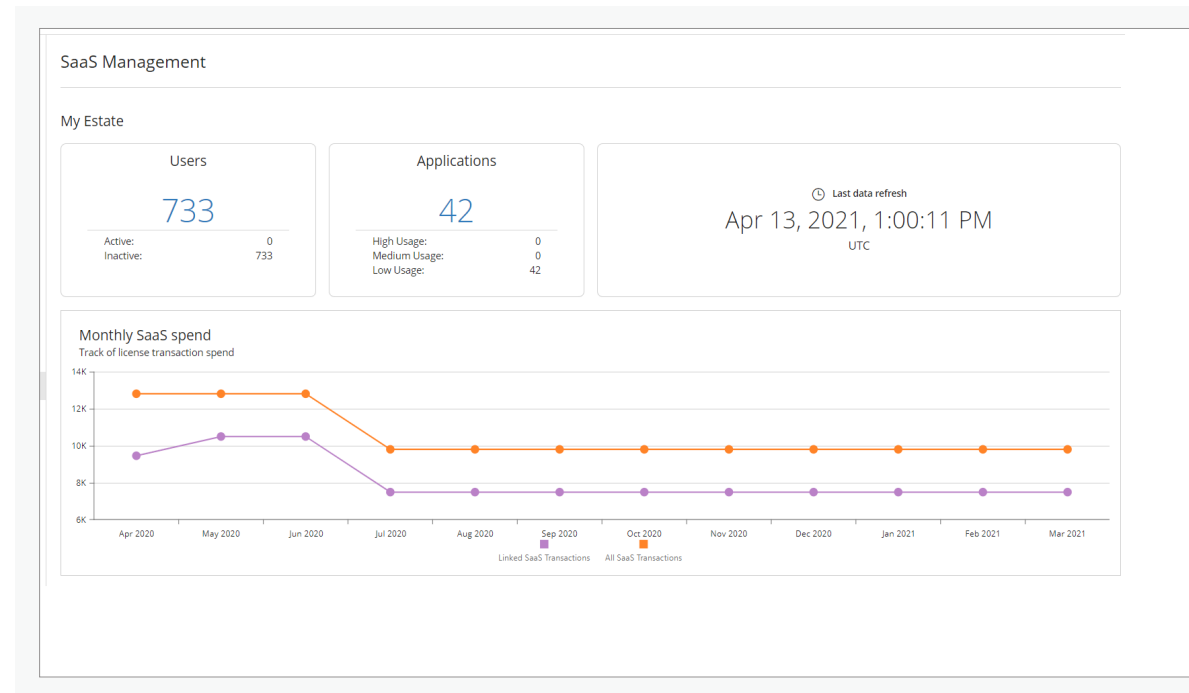
Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence comes with multiple, easy-to-use license management capabilities. Your license and contract information can be sliced in different views and presented in informative widgets that let you start preparing for your renewals ahead of time and ensure the contracts align to your business needs.

## Understand Your Security and Compliance Risks

Many SAM managers aim to build granular-level Effective License Positions (ELPs) for multiple vendors; however, this is a very time-consuming and costly process. Often ELP reports are not refreshed in a timely manner or are only built to include the top vendors, leaving various blind spots across the software estate. IT teams often end up making their best guesstimate when rapid decisions must be made.

Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence lets you highlight and track unsupported and unauthorized software that impacts security and compliance risk. The solution provides you with quick insights into software owned versus what software you've deployed. You can easily align your license and maintenance purchases to match the installed software versions by performing simple upgrade and downgrade adjustments.

Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence highlights installed software programs that have reached their end-of-life. These carry potential security risks for your business if not managed properly.



## Identify Savings Opportunities

With the constant imperative to reduce costs, your IT team shouldn't overlook opportunities to optimize your software spend to ensure you only pay for the applications and services your organization needs.

So how big is the savings potential? According to IAITAM, an effective IT asset management program can cut software costs by as much as 25% to 50%. It isn't mandatory to have the latest and granular ELP in place. Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence gives you valuable insights to identify your savings opportunities.

For on-premises installed software, Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence summarizes the usage data and provides you with the list of candidates where software can be reclaimed, and licenses retrieved back to the pool. You can also identify multiple savings for SaaS applications like Office 365, Adobe, Salesforce and many more.

Once the data flows are set, you'll start building the usage history. Ivanti Neurons for Spend Intelligence has built-in logic that analyzes your SaaS data and provides multiple out-of-the-box stats and insights about your SaaS applications and users, identifying inactive users, low-usage applications, external users and more.

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