



# Press Release

## SONNET® Suites Professional™ Release 12 now available to customers

Syracuse, NY, April 3, 2009: Sonnet Software, Inc. a leading provider of High Frequency Electromagnetic (EM) Simulation software, announces the availability of the SONNET® Suites Professional™ Release 12 to customers. All Sonnet customers with current software maintenance agreements may download, install and license this powerful new release for the Sonnet Professional Suite, Level3 Gold, Level2 Silver or Level2 Basic Suite. The software is available by download from Sonnet's web site, and customers are invited to contact their Sonnet Technical Sales Representative for details for accessing the release download.

Two new versions of Sonnet's EM analysis engine, **em**™ are introduced in Release 12. The Sonnet Desktop Solver engine is aimed at typical engineering desktop PCs, and utilizes 2 cores in parallel for analysis time reduction. The Sonnet High Performance Solver engine is aimed at high-end workstations with dual quad-core CPUs, and uses up to 8 cores for 8-way parallel processing on a single frequency. Combined with an improved meshing algorithm, the new Sonnet analysis engines provide analyses as much as 30x faster than the previous release. For a summary of the new features in the Sonnet Suites Release 12, please visit: [www.sonnetsoftware.com/new-features](http://www.sonnetsoftware.com/new-features).

Current customers with Sonnet EM analysis engine, **em**™ for Windows and Linux platforms in Version 11 will receive the Desktop Solver engine free of charge. Customers with **em**™ for UNIX in Version 11 will receive the High Performance Solver engine as a cost-free upgrade. Also starting with Release 12, there will be no platform dependence for licenses--any Sonnet Professional Suite license component in Release 12 can run on any supported operating system (Windows, Linux or UNIX).

For more information on SONNET® Suites Professional™ Release 12, please visit [www.sonnetsoftware.com](http://www.sonnetsoftware.com) or call Sonnet Software at +1(315)453-3096. A free evaluation package is available by request.

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### About Sonnet Software, Inc.

Founded in 1983, Sonnet Software, Inc. is a worldwide leader in developing High Frequency Electromagnetic (EM) Simulation Software for microwave and millimeter-wave design engineers. The company offers a wide range of EM simulation packages as well as interfaces with major design frameworks well suited for engineers across all levels and platforms. Its core product, SONNET® Suites Professional™ is the industry-standard planar EM simulation software for S-parameter and full-wave SPICE extraction of high frequency circuit components. For more information, please, contact:

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