

SpagoWorld Newsletter N°5 - March 2009

Dear Subscriber,

Please find herewith below the latest news, upcoming events and what else is new in the SpagoWorld ecosystem. New interesting events are coming in April: Solutions Linux Paris, OW2 Annual Conference and the second edition of the Decideo Forum (Open Source edition), as well as two fresh success stories on SpagoBI and new partnerships and contributions.

Best regards,

SpagoWorld Communications

News

SpagoBI 2.1 Is Now Available

The 2.1 version of SpagoBI has been released. You can download it from [here](#). Besides the SpagoBI Server, the SpagoBI SDK and SpagoBI Application are now available. The new demo will be on-line in a few days, along with the new wiki for the on-line documentation.

Spago4Q 2.0 Released

The new version of the platform oriented to the management of software quality is available [here](#). Spago4Q 2.0 (SpagoBI for Quality) offers important improvements with respect to the previous version, both in terms of data extraction and data warehouse loading process and of computation and visualization of the KPIs. A wiki for the documentation, supporting the users community, will be available soon.

Events

Solutions Linux 2009

Location: Paris (France)
Date: Mar 31, 2009 Apr 2, 2009

Engineering participates in the 10th edition of [Solutions Linux](#) both in the exhibition area and in the conference program. The open source solutions SpagoBI and Spagic are presented at Engineering's booth in the OW2 Village. The complete program of the conference is available [here](#).

Engineering Sponsors the OW2 Annual Conference - Paris

Location: Paris (France)
Date: April 1-2, 2009

Engineering sponsors the OW2 Annual Conference 2009, co-located with Solutions Linux Paris. Spago4Q and the BI Initiative are in the Conference program ([see details](#)).

In his speech Stefano Scamuzzo will also present a success story about the combined and integrated adoption of two OW2 solutions, SpagoBI and Talend Open Studio, in the context of the development of a cockpit for the management of provisioning and traffic events of an important Italian telecommunications company.

Engineering Sponsors the Decideo Forum (Paris)

Location: Paris (France)
Date: April 9, 2009

Engineering sponsors the second edition of the [Decideo Forum](#), the Open Source edition, held at Grande Arche de la Défense in Paris on April 9th, 9a.m. - 4p.m. The 2.0 version of SpagoBI, the free business intelligence platform, will be illustrated in a dedicated workshop with a presentation and a demo. Moreover, at Engineering stand, the participants will have the chance to meet the SpagoBI team members for discussions and business opportunities.

Ecosystem

New SpagoBI Contribution

Altic, French partner of SpagoBI, contributed the integration between SpagoBI 2.0 and eXo Portal 2.5, the OW2 reference platform for portal environments. The contribution is now under certification.

SpagoBI for the Decision-Making Process of G.E.I. (Tunisia)

SpagoBI has been employed for the support of the decision-making process of G.E.I, an important Tunisian company operating in the wholesale trade of household electrical appliances. The project realized by BIForDecide, the first Tunisian open source BI integrator in North Africa, offers the managers of G.E.I. a set of supporting tools to be used in the decision-making process, such as dashboards, reports and OLAP cubes. [More details](#).

SpagoBI for the Premium Services on Telephone Platforms

SpagoBI has been adopted by Xaltia, an Engineering Group company specialized in value-added services for telephone operators, for the analysis and reporting of services supplied on SMS, WAP and MMS channels by the mobile operators. SpagoBI allows analyzing the data of an Enterprise Data warehouse fed through an ETL process, which also takes charge of the normalization of the data, developed with the open source solution Talend. [More details](#).

New Partnership Engineering-Ingres

Engineering Group and Ingres Corporation, a leading provider of open source database management software and support services, announced a new business partnership designed to strengthen their joint open source database and business intelligence offering in Italy. [More details](#).

Engineering Joined the Silicon Sentier

Engineering is officially member and supporter of [Silicon Sentier](#), the association promoting innovative and young enterprises in the Paris region.

SpagoBI and Spago4Q Downloads

SpagoBI and Spago4Q have been in the top 5 downloads of OW2 this last month. In March (as at 24th), as a consequence of the 2.0 version release, SpagoBI doubled the downloads number, while Spago4Q increased its downloads twenty times its average! (the downloads information is taken from the OW2 Forge, that hosts the projects)

The country distribution of the 2009 downloads so far is as follows:

SpagoBI: France 38.0%, China 15.0%, Italy 12.6%, Brazil 4.2%, India 4.2%, USA 3.8%, other 22.1%.
Spago4Q: France 86.5%, Italy 3.1%, Iran 2.5%, China 2.5%, Brazil 0.8%, Germany 0.6%, other 4.0%.

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