Dear Subscriber,

We would like to share with you the latest news, upcoming events and what else is new in the SpagoWorld ecosystem. Several news concern the new SpagoBI 2.0 version and new planned events, such as the SpagoBI 2.0 Training Course in Latin America, the Red Hat Open Source Day in Rome and the LinuxTag 2009 in Berlin.

Best regards,
SpagoWorld Communications

News

**SpagoBI 2.0 Training Course in Sao Paulo, Brazil**
Engineering has organized a course on the new SpagoBI 2.0 version, which takes place in Sao Paulo, Brazil, from 25th to 29th May 2009. The 5-day intensive course provides the information included in the SpagoBI Fundamentals and SpagoBI Basic Engines standard courses.
For detailed information about the course contact: spagobi.international [at] eng [dot] it

**New support for SpagoBI commercial services**
Engineering has reorganized its commercial support for SpagoBI. In order to be nearer to the SpagoBI users' needs, the following new contacts in local language are now available:
- Spain: spagobi.spain@eng.it
- France: spagobi.france@eng.it
- Italy: spagobi.italy@eng.it
For the other countries, the address (in English language) is: spagobi.international@eng.it
For the other projects (Spagic, Spago4Q, Spago) the contact remains: oss-support@eng.it

**A new format for the SpagoBI 2.0 documentation**
Now the SpagoBI 2.0 documentation is available in a new format. It is not available in the forge project download area any more. You can find it now, as a wiki, entering the Project menu from the SpagoBI website www.spagobi.org.

**SpagoBI 2.1 Demo Now Available**
The new demo of SpagoBI 2.1 is now online! You can download it here.

**New Spagic Success Story**
Nuova Trend adopts Spagic for the ISVAP Insurance Cost Estimation System. Read the success story.

Events

**Red Hat Open Source Day**
Location: Rome (Italy)
Date: June 9, 2009

**LinuxTag 2009**
Location: Berlin (Germany)
Date: June 24-27, 2009
Engineering participates in the LinuxTag 2009 in Berlin. SpagoBI 2.0, the free Business Intelligence Platform, is illustrated within the OW2 Track. More details.

**OW2 Programming Contest 2009**
Location: China
Date: May to September 2009
Engineering takes part in the OW2 Programming Contest 2009, organized by OW2 and Scilab. The competition is organized for Chinese students and technicians, giving them the opportunity to improve their ability to study and manage OW2 middleware and to express a special talent in computer programming. Engineering provides two SpagoBI topics in the Programming Contest Topic List.

Ecosystem

**First SpagoBI Integrator Partner in North America**
SpagoBI has a new Integrator Partner: Savoir-faire Linux, a Canadian company headquartered in Montreal, with offices in Quebec City and Ottawa. More details.

**OW2 Webinars**
Engineering participates in the webinars organized by the OW2 Consortium, with a couple of appointments held by Stefano Scamuzzo:
- May 19th, 2009: SpagoBI 2.0 webinar;
- June 11th, 2009: OS Business Intelligence webinar.
For the complete programme and for registration click here.

They say about us

Have a look at the They Say area of SpagoWorld website! A particular attention to SpagoBI 2.0 in Spain and an interesting quotation on Open Source BI by Seth Grimes, analytics strategist on data management and analysis systems.

**OW2 BI Initiative Deliverables**
The OW2 BI Initiative is a joint effort of some members of the OW2 Community. Their aim is to improve the coordination effort in the OS BI context, to increase the use of OS BI solutions at enterprise level, to strengthen connections between integrators, vendors, users and the research communities and to attract more attention from the research activities to foster innovative BI solutions and practices.
Here you can find more information about the Initiative, led by Engineering.
First initiative deliverables are available here.

**SpagoBI and Spago4Q Downloads**
At the end of March SpagoBI and Spago4Q have confirmed their considerable growth, due to the new versions release. France, China, Italy and the USA continue to be the countries which most used SpagoWorld solutions in March, followed by Brazil and India. The country distribution of the overall downloads as at March 2009 is available here.