

# PartnerWorld for Software 2003:

Richer benefits with greater ease

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# PartnerWorld for Software Why Change?





BP said they needed:



- ✓ more skills development opportunities and funding
- ease of doing business with IBM

### PartnerWorld for Software Actions

In 2003, we'll:

- ✓ simplify membership criteria
- ✓ move to company (w/i country) membership
- ✓ enhance benefits for skilled Business Partners

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# **Changes to PWSW Criteria in 2003**

Red text -- Criteria removed Blue text -- New

Criteria Category	Advanced	Premier	
<u>Sponsorship</u>	Sponsorship by IBM Sales Management		
Business Relationship	<ul> <li>Approved Business and Marketing Plan</li> <li>Monthly Forecasts and Quarterly Business Reviews</li> </ul>		
Contribution	<ul> <li>\$300K (USD) of Enterprise         plus Midmarket Revenue         OR     </li> <li>\$100K (USD) of Midmarket</li> <li>Revenue - Resellers Only</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>\$450K (USD) of Enterprise plus Midmarket Revenue OR</li> <li>\$150K (USD) of Midmarket Revenue - Resellers Only</li> </ul>	
Competency	<ul> <li>3 Skilled Individuals</li> <li>2 Technical Certifications</li> <li>1 Sales Skill / Certification</li> <li>Capability to demonstrate at least one Power Brand</li> </ul>	8 Skilled Individuals Resellers  • 5 Technical Certifications (at least 2 Power Brands)  • 3 Sales Skills / Certifications  Influencers • 6 Technical Certifications (at least 2 Power Brands) • 2 Sales Skills / Certifications  Capability to demonstrate at least one Power Brand	
Customer Satisfaction	<ul><li>3 Customer References</li><li>NSI Score</li></ul>	<ul><li>5 Customer References</li><li>Target NSI Score (TBD)</li></ul>	

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# **PWSW 2003 Criteria**



## for Business Partner Country Enterprise

### 2003 Criteria for PartnerWorld for Software Membership

Criteria Category	Advanced	Premier	
<u>Competency</u>	<ul> <li>3 Skilled Individuals</li> <li>2 Technical Certifications</li> <li>1 Sales Skill / Certification</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>8 Skilled Individuals</li> <li>5 Technical Certifications</li> <li>3 Sales Skills / Certifications</li> </ul>	

### Criteria for PartnerWorld for Software Membership - Under development for 2003

Criteria Category	Advanced	Premier	
Customer Satisfaction	Survey Participation	Survey Participation and Minimum Score (minimum score TBD)	
Contribution (Resellers only)	\$100K (USD) of workstation software revenue tracked via Passport Advantage	\$150K (USD) of workstation software revenue tracked via Passport Advantage	

#### **PartnerWorld**

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### **Solution Assurance Assistance\***

Voice technical support for complex solutions and product installations

### **IBM Executive Briefing Centres**

Access to IBM's 7 Worldwide Software Centers



# **Onsite Critical** <u>Implementation</u> **Support\***

Assistance at the customer location

New / Significant Advanced & **Premier Benefits** 



### **Education\***

"We Pay" Offering Reimbursements: Advanced 15K (USD) Premier: 50K (USD)

PR Support

Support for joint announcements

# **Onsite Technical**

**Mentoring\*** 

Assistance in solution design and development for a significant sales opportunity

#### **PartnerWorld**

# Value Package Benefits For 2003

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Rolling 12 Months from Date of Purchase





Increased We Pay Education
Reimbursements

6K for Skilled Member 15K for Advanced 50K for Premier (no change) **Existing Value Package Benefits** 

Demo & Evaluation Software
Technical Sales Support
On-site Technical Mentoring
Solution & Integration Support

**On-site Critical Implementation Support** 



#### **Run Your Business Software**

More selection for Skilled Member Greater Selection for Advanced (no change)

Comprehensive Selection for Premier (no change)

**Country Enterprise** 

NEW.

Solution Assurance
Assistance

Voice technical support for complex solutions and product installations for Premier

Price subject to change without notice Benefits dependent on membership level \$2,000 USD

**Estimated ROI on Purchase of Value Package** 

- Member \$100,000 USD

- Advanced \$300,000 USD

- Premier \$400,000 USD

# PartnerWorld Software IBM Executive Briefing Centers ISM

- Access to IBM's 7 Worldwide Software Executive Briefing Centers for qualifying Premier Partners
  - ✓ Use <u>customized briefings</u> from subject matter experts for significant opportunities
  - ✓ Close the sale, <u>accelerate</u> the sales cycle, increase the sale





### PartnerWorld Software

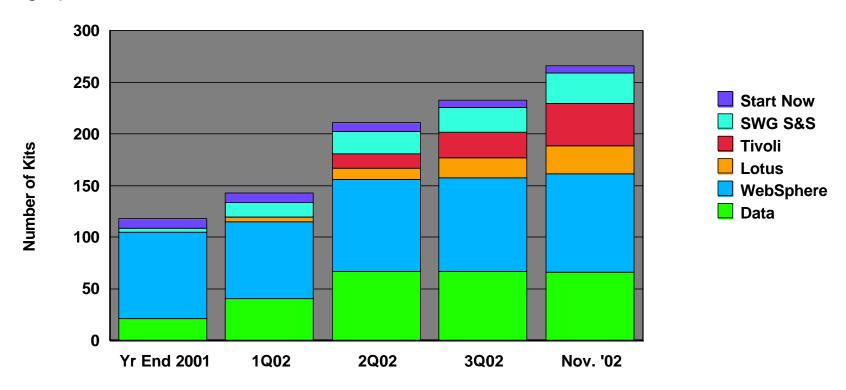
# **Software Sales and Marketing Kits**

### **Consistent Across All Brands**



### What are they?

- For over 250 of SWG's top middleware: why sell, why buy, presentations, demos, competition, success stories, awards, descriptions, announcement letters, press releases and articles
- Customer-ready materials like brochures, spec sheets, white papers, copy, graphics and more



**Access To The Same Information As IBM Sales Reps** 

### **SMI Feedback**



"In Sales and Marketing Kits, I find everything in one place presented in a consistent format.

Sometimes the "simple" questions are the hardest to get an answer to -- "What It Is / How It Works" answers many of these questions.

The most valuable part for me is the Usable Copy -- it saves a huge amount of time in creating documents for customers.

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### **2003 Benefits Overview**

#### **PartnerWorld**

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for Business Partner Company within Country



	Member	Advanced	Premier
Software			
Demo & Evaluation Software	Unlimited downloads	Unlimited downloads	Unlimited downloads
Run Your Business Software	Limited selection*	Greater selection	Comprehensive selection
	(Ex: 25 Lotus Clients,	(Ex: 50 Lotus Clients,	(Ex: 100 Lotus Clients,
	1 Lotus Domino Server)	2 Lotus Domino Servers)	3 Lotus Domino Servers)
Education			
We Pay Offerings	\$6,000 Cap*	\$15,000 Cap	\$50,000 Cap
Technical Support			
Pre-sales Support	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited
<ul> <li>Web-based Q &amp; A - Solution Support</li> </ul>	Yes*	Yes	Yes (private dialogue)
Onsite Technical Mentoring		Yes (2 instances)	Yes (4 instances)
Solution Assurance Assistance			Yes (3 instances)
Onsite Critical Implementation			Yes (2 instances)
Marketing and Sales Support			
Signature Sales Resource	Yes	Yes	Yes
Marketing Tools and Kits	Yes	Yes	Yes
• IBM Software Brand Marks**	Yes	Yes	Yes
Listings in Partner- and	Yes*	Yes (listed second)	Yes (listed first)
Customer-facing Publications		l v	Man factority
Major Events     Description Appendix Descriptions		Yes	Yes (priority)
Beacon Awards Participation     TOL Doubling at least and the second secon		Yes	Yes
TCI Participation     IBM Business Partner Lags		Yes	Yes
IBM Business Partner Logo     IBM Executive Printing Contart		Yes	Yes Yes
IBM Executive Briefing Centers     DR Support			Yes
PR Support			165

Estimated Value Package ROI

\$100,000

\$300,000

\$400,000