DigiCert Offers SHA-2 SSL Certificates
SHA-2 Encryption Now Available for All Certificates

DigiCert was among the first of the certificate authorities to offer unique features, such as unlimited free reissues and unlimited server licensing. DigiCert is continuing this tradition by pioneering SSL certificates signed with the SHA-2 hash algorithm.

SHA-2 is a cryptographic hash algorithm created by the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) and the National Security Agency (NSA). Due to its high security, SHA-2 will be the new required standard beginning in January 2011 for certain applications.

Federal and PCI compliance standards have been updated mandating the use of SHA-2 SSL certificates. Some organizations will need to upgrade their certificates to maintain compliance with these standards. DigiCert is proud to offer SHA-2 encryption with no additional cost to customers.

New customers can choose to purchase SHA-2 SSL certificates during the order process and existing customers can upgrade using the free reissue process through the DigiCert account interface.

For any questions regarding SHA-2 or any of DigiCert’s product offerings, please contact our support team by phone at 1-800-896-7973 or by email at support@digicert.com.

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Upcoming SSL Certificate Features
EV Certificate Bundles and UC EV Certificates

DigiCert is continually trying to add new features to its products and services. We are currently working on Extended Validation (EV) SSL certificate bundles and Unified Communications (UC) EV SSL certificates and would love your feedback on these new ideas we are looking into:

3V: All EV orders will include three certificates on the same domain with the same expiration date

EV Bundles: Looking for Wildcard EV certificates? CA/Browser Forum requirements do not allow them but we plan to offer bundles of either 10 or 25 EV SSL certificates on the same domain with the same expiration date

UC EV Certificates: Secure any public-facing domain on a single EV SSL Certificate

Look for more information to come on our website and our Facebook page and send your comments and feedback to newsletter@digicert.com.

DigiCert Night at the Movies
Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows Part 1

DigiCert is hosting its Night at the Movies event for Harry Potter on November 18th, before the public release date for most locations. If you are near one of these locations and would like to join us, please send an email with your name and the number of tickets you would like*. We’ll take care of the rest!

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Security Conference 2010

DigiCert will be attending the 11th annual Security Conference & Exhibition held at the Walter E. Washington Convention Center in Washington, DC on November 16th and 17th.

The Security Conference is an annual event that features keynote speakers and addresses to help cyber security professionals expand their industry knowledge and expertise. Attendees will also learn about dealing with current IT security threats and those to come in the future.

IT managers that secure government data, software, networks, or systems are encouraged to attend. Anyone interested in taking part in the event can register through the conference website.

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