



# THE OPEN GROUP Open Trusted Technology Forum QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER WINTER 2022



The Open Trusted Technology Provider<sup>™</sup> Standard (O-TTPS) Certification added the following certifications in the fourth quarter of 2022, reaching a total of 119 active Self-Assessed Certifications and 13 active Third-Party Assessed Certifications at the end of 2022.

### **New Self-Assessed Certification**

Ace Computers, Inc dba J.C. Technologies	Ace Computers Organization
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The full registry of O-TTPS Certifications is available at: <u>https://certification.opengroup.org/register/ottps-certification</u>

# PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES UPDATES

# **O-TTPS Update Project**

The Open Trusted Technology Provider<sup>™</sup> Standard (O-TTPS) Update Project made progress on its planned goals and deliverables.

- The Project Team continued coordinating with The Open Group staff on updates to the O-TTPS Certification Program, closing the survey for O-TTPS Certified Organizations to solicit feedback on the current Certification Program. The Project Team also completed a series of follow-up conversations with O-TTPS Certified Organizations to learn more about understanding of the current Certification Program, identifying strengths and areas for improvement or clarification. The Project Team began considering how to implement this additional feedback.
- The Project Team began considering new/current trends around supply chain security, including business continuity management and cyber supply chain concerns.

# **Quantitative Supply Chain Risk Management Project**

The Quantitative Supply Chain Risk Management Project is formally hosted by The Open Group Open Trusted Technology Forum (OTTF) but with participation entitlements extended to members of the Security Forum. The project aims to demonstrate that supply chain risk management can and should be done quantitatively, leaning on Open FAIR and the Open Trusted Technology Provider™ Standard (O-TTPS) to do so. The Project Team identified a sample scenario for analysis and initiated analysis scoping activities.

Assuring customers of the integrity of commercial off-the-shelf (COTS) information and ICT products worldwide and safeguarding global supply chains against increasingly sophisticated security attacks.

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### About The Open Group

# Leading the development of open, vendor-neutral technology standards and certifications

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Boundaryless Information Flow<sup>™</sup> achieved through global interoperability in a secure, reliable, and timely manner.

#### Mission

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- Working with customers to capture, understand, and address current and emerging requirements, establish policies, and share best practices
- Working with suppliers, consortia, and standards bodies to develop consensus and facilitate interoperability, to evolve and integrate specifications and open source technologies
- Offering a comprehensive set of services to enhance the operational efficiency of consortia
- Developing and operating the industry's premier certification service and encouraging procurement of certified products

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- Over 880 Member organizations
- Our Platinum Members are DXC Technology, Fujitsu, HCL, Huawei, IBM, Intel and Micro Focus
- Developing and operating the industry's premier certification service and encouraging procurement of certified products
- Services provided include strategy, management, innovation and research, standards, certification, and test development
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