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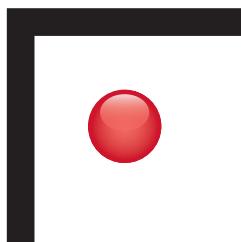
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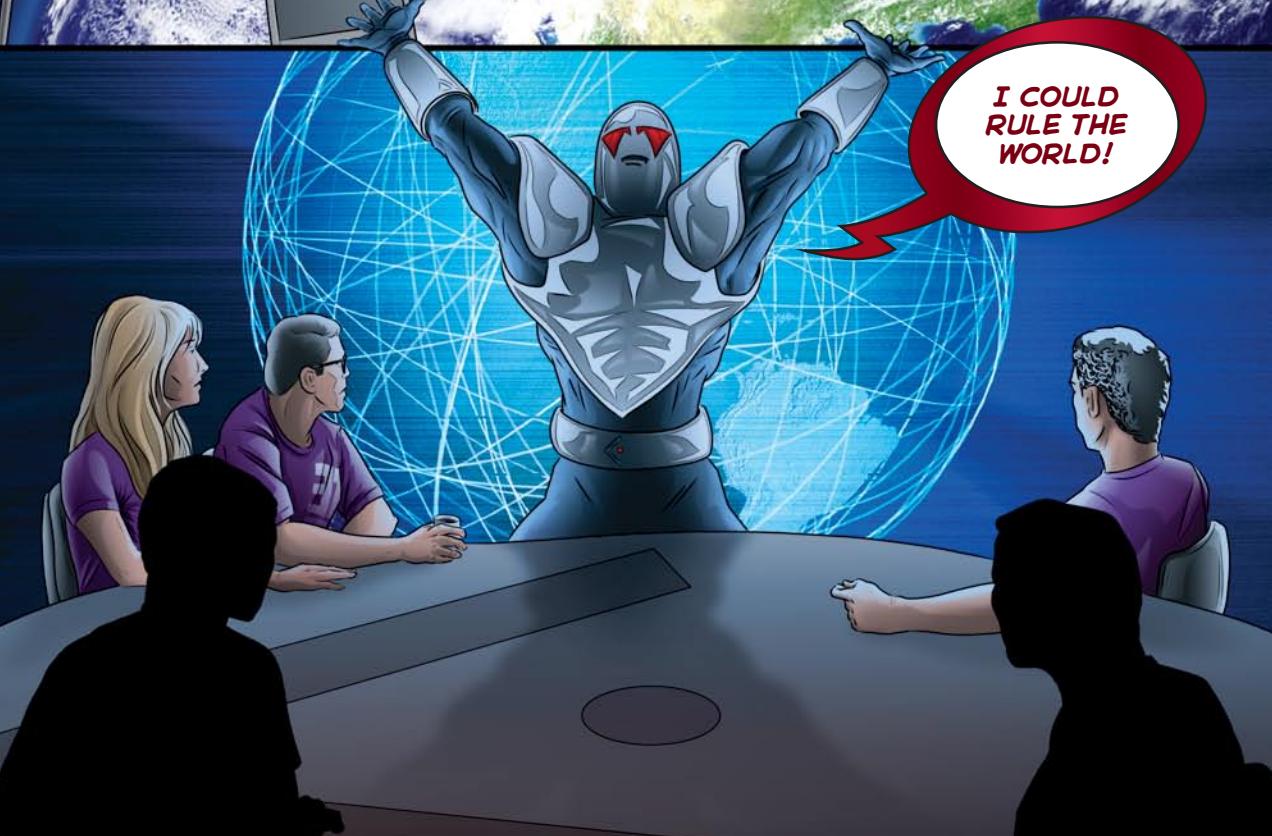
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WITH THAT DIAMOND, THE POWER OF THE
DEATH RAY WILL BE INCREASED 28%!

I COULD OBLITERATE THE WHITE HOUSE... THE KREMLIN...
THE CROWDS AT DISNEYLAND... AND ANYONE BIDDING
AGAINST ME ON EBAY!



I COULD
RULE THE
WORLD!

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ALL OTHER OPERATIONS ARE ON HOLD AS OF NOW.
I WANT THAT DIAMOND.

YOU HAVE FORTY-EIGHT HOURS.

F-F-FORTY-EIGHT HOURS?!

BUT SIRE...
THE EXTRACTION TEAM IS AT A
BREAKING-AND-ENTERING
CONFERENCE IN VEGAS.

UNDERSTAFFED
AT A CRUCIAL
HOUR?

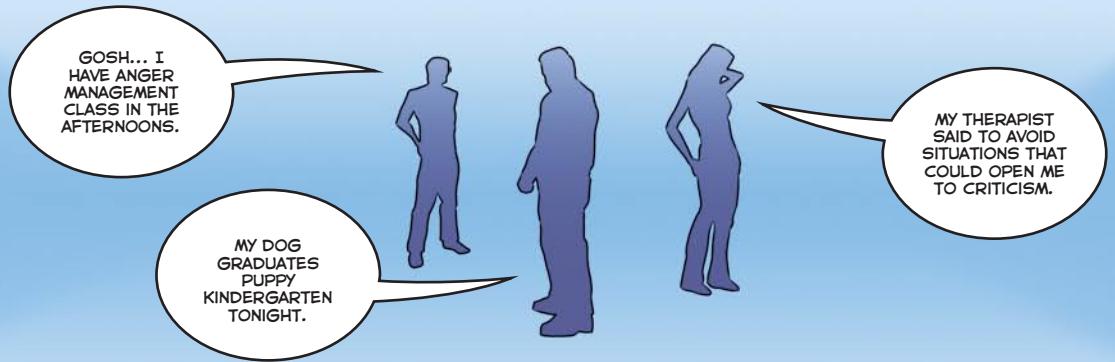
WE'RE THE
ONLY MINIONS
AVAILABLE!

I WILL NOT
TOLERATE THIS
LEVEL OF FAILURE
IN MY PROJECT
LEADERS...

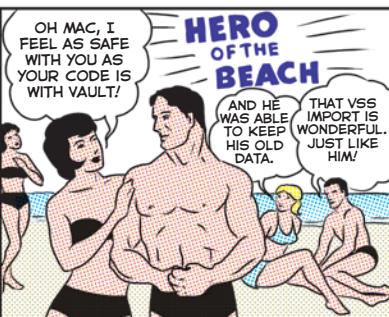
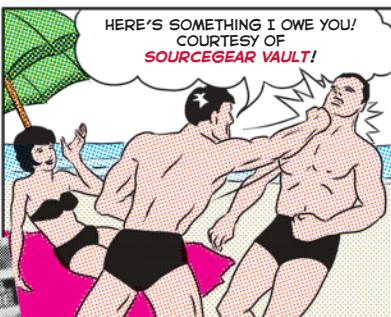
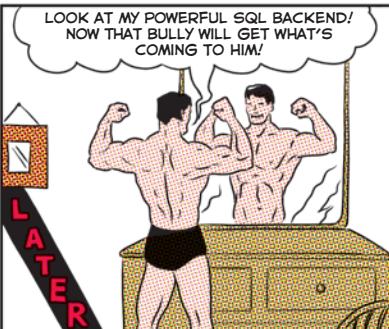
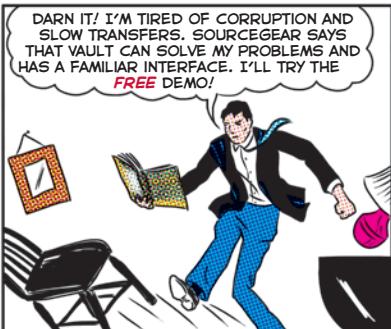
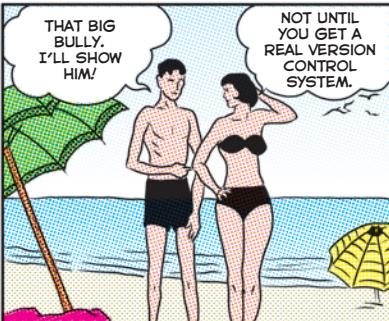
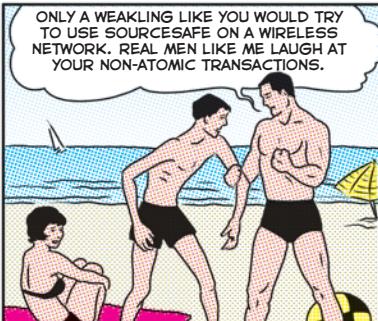
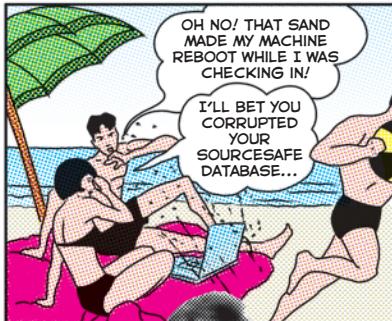
...MINION 60.

WHAT?
I WAS JUST MADE
PROJECT LEADER
THIS MORNING!

Noooo!



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MONEY BACK GUARANTEE

WTF?!?



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TWO HOURS LATER...

ALRIGHT MINIONS.
MEET YOUR NEW
PROJECT LEADER,
ADA DEADLOCK.

DON'T
FORGET THAT
PARKING SPACE
YOU PROMISED
ME.

WE'LL TALK
LATER.

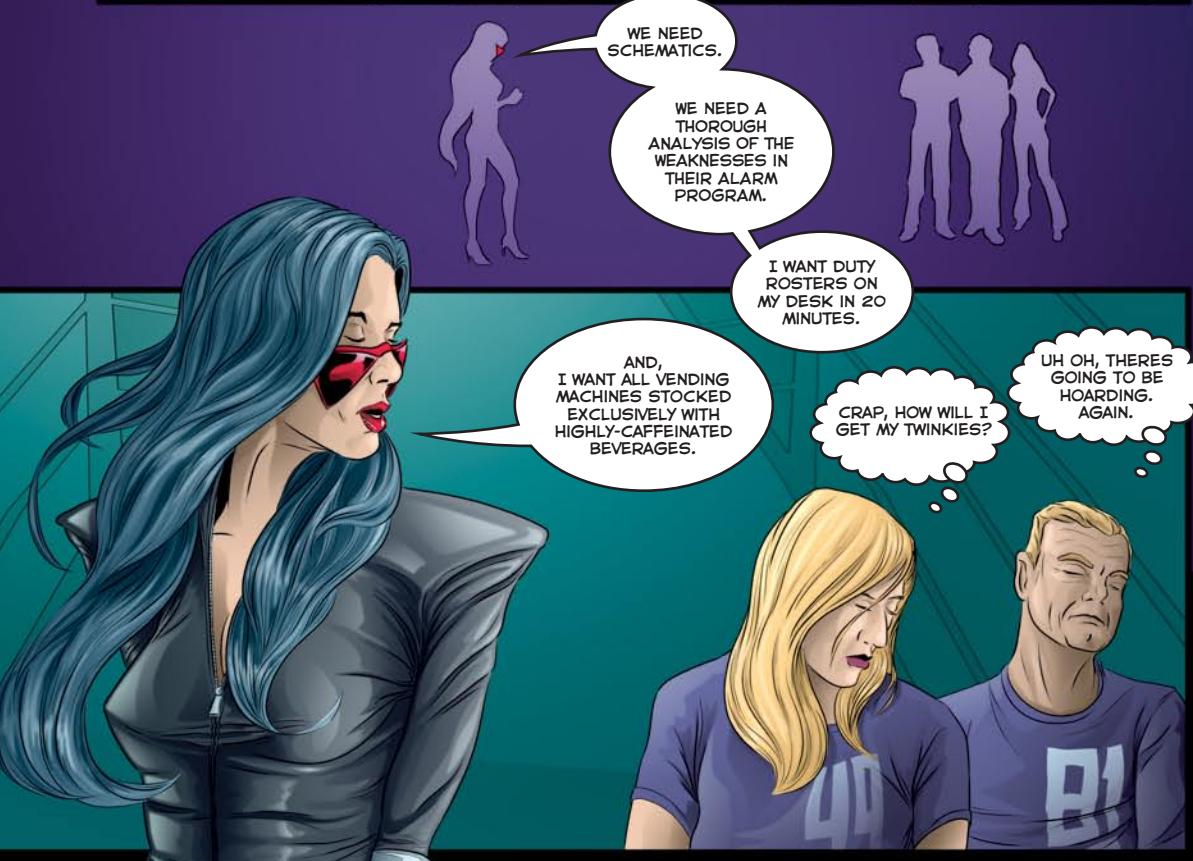
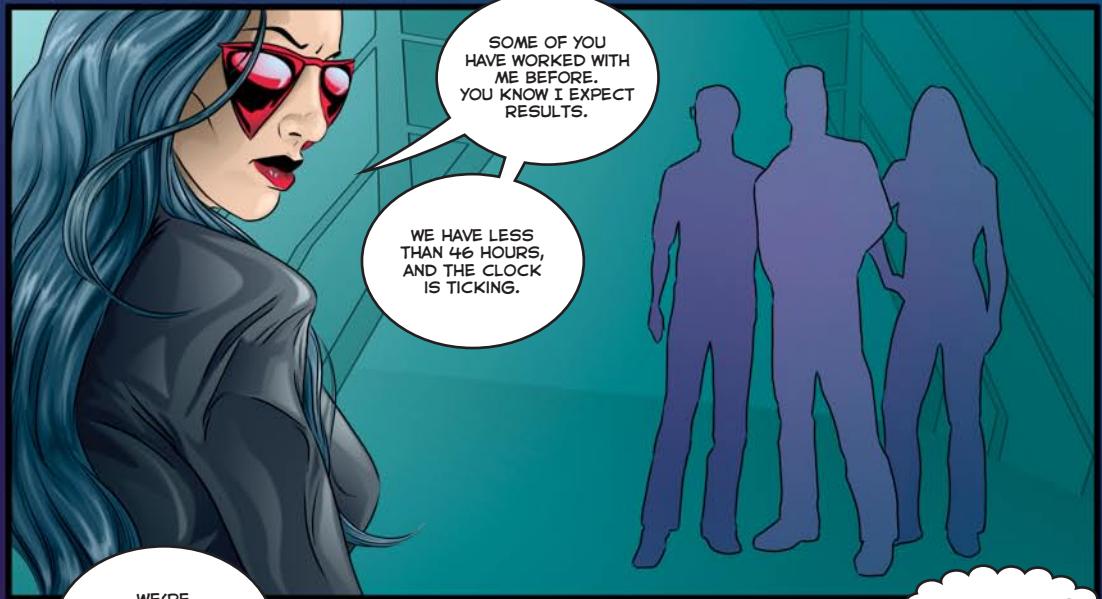
GOOD MORNING,
MINIONS.

ADA... SHE'S THE
ONE WHO FOOLED
WARREN BUFFETT
WITH A NIGERIAN
INVESTMENT
SCAM!

SHE PROGRAMMED
THE SANJAYA-BOT
THAT NEARLY WON
AMERICAN IDOL!

WOW. SHE REALLY
KNOWS HOW TO
ACCESSORIZE.





HOUR FIVE...

I CAN FAKE OUT THE
CAMERA SYSTEM...
JUST LIKE IN
OCEAN'S ELEVEN.

HOUR FOURTEEN...

I CAN USE A
DEFIBRILLATOR TO
HELP STAY AWAKE...
JUST LIKE CASINO
ROYALE.

HOUR TWENTY-SEVEN...

I CAN HACK THE CIA
MAINFRAME...
JUST LIKE MISSION
IMPOSSIBLE!

HOUR THIRTY-TWO...

DARN, I ALWAYS
FORGET THAT A
FLUSH BEATS A
STRAIGHT!

HOUR FORTY-SEVEN AND A HALF...

WE ARE
GO
FOR EXTRACTION.

THE PLAN IS
SIMPLE...

PHASE ONE:
USE GOOGLE MAPS TO
FIGURE OUT WHERE THE
HAMPTON ESTATE IS.

PHASE TWO:
HACK INTO THEIR
SOPHISTICATED HOME
SECURITY SYSTEM,
AND TELL IT WE'RE
PLUMBERS.

PHASE THREE: USE
LAPTOPS TO DISABLE
THE SEPARATE ALARM
ON THE DIAMOND.

PHASE FOUR:
MAIL THE DIAMOND TO
OURSELVES USING
A NETFLIX RETURN
ENVELOPE.

JUST REMEMBER...
IF YOU'RE CAUGHT,
WE WILL DISAVOW
ALL KNOWLEDGE OF
YOUR EXISTENCE!

THE ESTATE
IS ONLY EIGHT
MINUTES AWAY...
LET'S MOVE!

BIG EVIL CORP

TWENTY-TWO MINUTES LATER
AT THE HAMPTON ESTATE.

WHERE THE
HECK DID THAT
SUBDIVISION COME
FROM?

STUPID
GOOGLE
MAPS!

ALL CLEAR...
MOVE OUT.

CONNECTING...

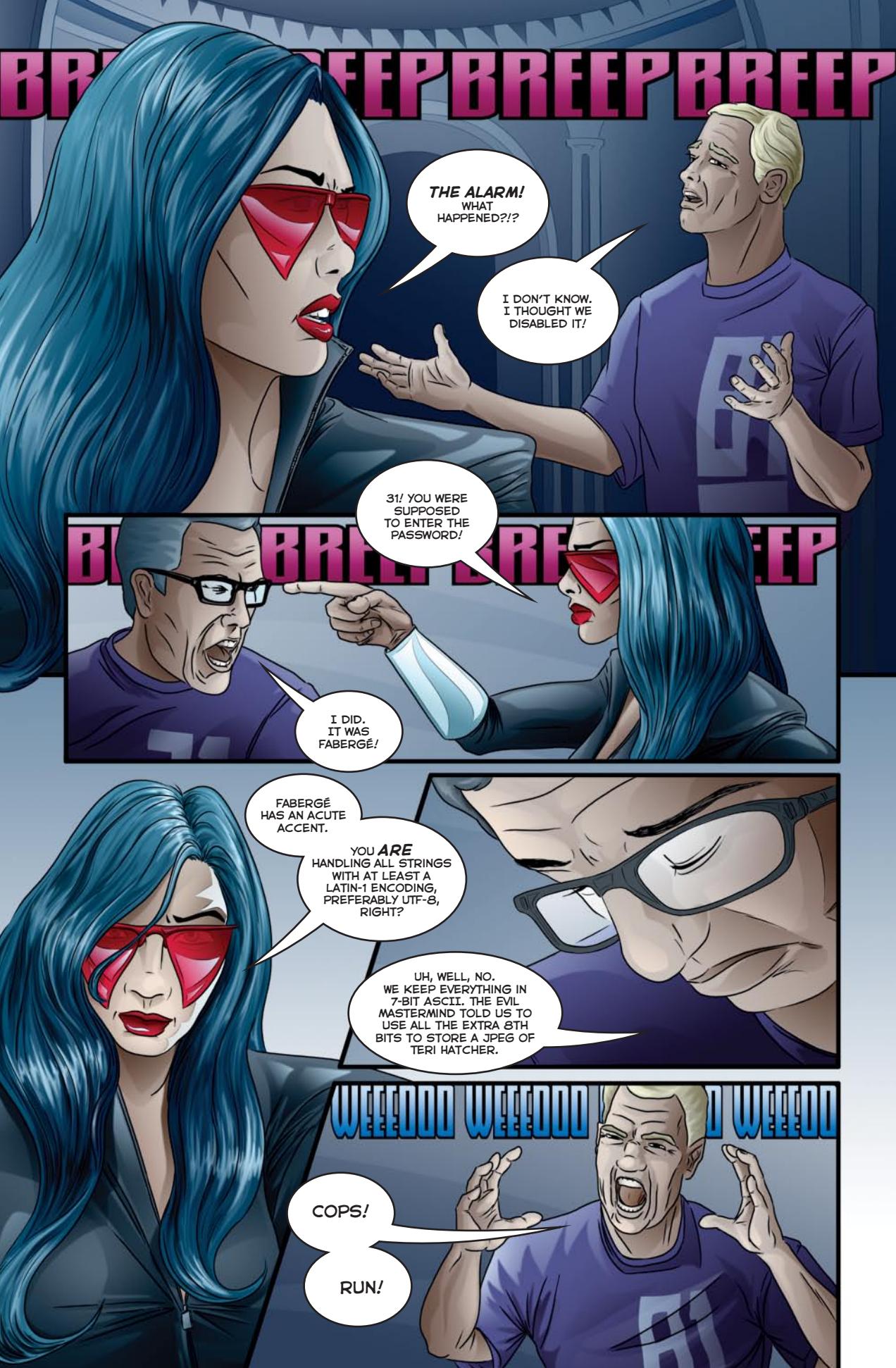
INTERFACING
WITH THE PRIMARY
SECURITY SYSTEMS
NOW...

>
>
>initiating
>password
>attack...

IT'S DONE!
WE HAVE THE
PASSWORD.

bling

COME TO
PAPA.





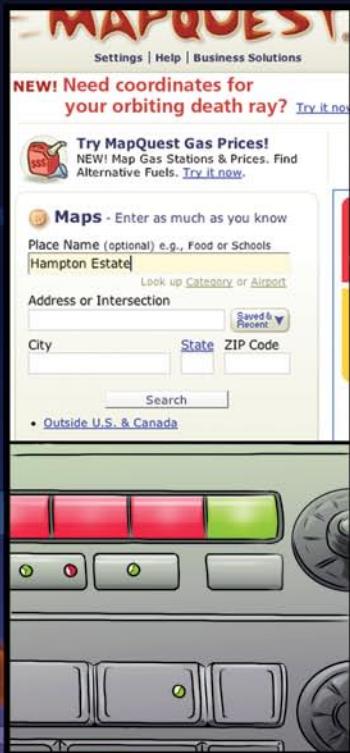
BREEP BREEP BREEP BREEP



FREEZE!!









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**THANKS FOR READING THE FIRST
FULL-LENGTH ADVENTURE OF
THE EVIL MASTERMIND AND HIS
HAPLESS TEAM OF MINIONS!**



**THE FOLLOWING PAGES CONTAIN
INFORMATION ON OUR CROSS-PLATFORM
TOOLS FOR SMALL AND MEDIUM-SIZED
TEAMS, INCLUDING VAULT, OUR POPULAR
VERSION CONTROL SYSTEM, AND FORTRESS,
OUR NEW ALM SOLUTION.**

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VAULT

The Version Control Tool
For Professional Development Teams

Reliability

Vault was designed with reliability as its top priority. Your source code is a critical asset. Under the hood, Vault stores all repository data in SQL Server.

Remote access

Vault was built to work over any Internet connection. The communication between client and server uses compression and deltas for performance as well as SSL for security.

Visual Studio integration

Vault has supported integration with Visual Studio since its 1.0 release. With Vault 4.0, this feature is being greatly improved.

Eclipse integration

Our Eclipse plugin allows access to a Vault repository from within Eclipse 3.2 or any IDE based on same.

Cross-platform

With the Eclipse plugin and command-line client, Vault supports most platforms where Java is supported, including Linux, Solaris and Mac OS X.

Seamless transition

Vault was designed to be a painless transition for SourceSafe users. The user interface is familiar and friendly. Vault can import all your SourceSafe data, including history. All major features of SourceSafe are present, including Share and Pin.

Atomic checkin transactions

When you checkin a set of changes together, the entire change set will either succeed or fail as a unit. You never get a change set which is half committed to the repository, so your repository never ends up in a half-baked state.

Affordability

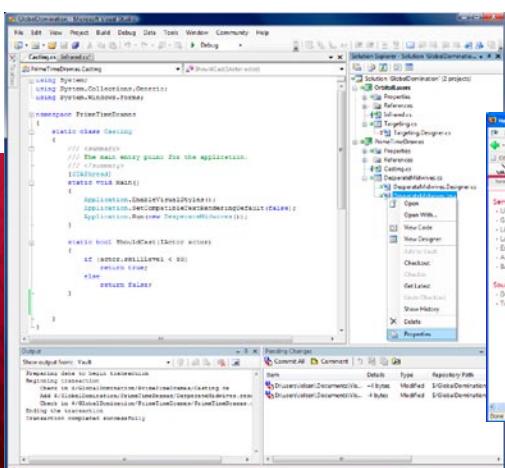
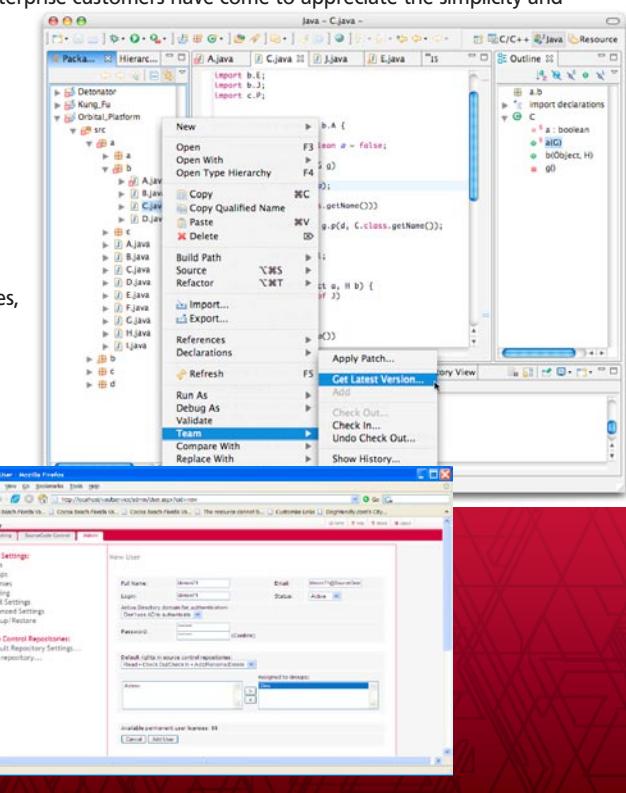
At \$249 per user, we have priced Vault at a level where it makes good financial sense for most any company doing software development. As we have continued to improve the scalability and performance of our product, an increasing number of enterprise customers have come to appreciate the simplicity and value of Vault as well.

Excellent customer support

SourceGear is ten years old, stable and profitable, but our company is still small enough to deliver outstanding service. We take pleasure in doing whatever it takes to help our customers be successful with our products.

Popular

Vault is being used at over 10,000 companies, large and small, all over the world.





FORTRESS

The ALM Solution
For Professional Development Teams

Version control

The version control features of Fortress are built on the technology from SourceGear Vault, a product which has been shipping since 2003 and is used by over 10,000 organizations around the world.

Work item tracking

Fortress work item tracking features are seamlessly integrated with version control.

Remote access

Fortress was built to work over any Internet connection. The communication between client and server uses compression and deltas for performance as well as SSL for security.

Visual Studio and Eclipse integration

Fortress provides excellent integration into Visual Studio 2005 and Eclipse 3.2. Developers can enjoy the benefits of version control and bug-tracking conveniently located in the IDE where they do the rest of their work.

Cross-platform

With the Eclipse plugin and command-line client, Fortress supports most platforms where Java is supported, including Linux, Solaris and Mac OS X.

Builds

Fortress supports excellent integration with NAnt and CruiseControl.NET.

Affordability

We believe that large enterprise companies are not the only ones who can benefit from a seamlessly integrated ALM solution. At \$499 per user, we have priced Fortress where it makes good financial sense for companies both large and small.

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This screenshot shows the Microsoft Visual Studio interface with the Fortress extension. The main window displays a bug tracking form for an item titled 'External Add test'. The form includes fields for Status (Open), Description (External Add test), Type (Bug), Priority (Unknown), Milestone ((None)), Category (Content), Platform (Windows), Time Estimate (Unknown), Assignee ((None)), Resolver ((None)), Reporter (external-user), Version (2.15.6), Custom 1, and Custom 2. Below the form is an 'Attachments' section with a 'Browse...' button. To the right of the main window is a 'Fortress' tool window containing a tree view of projects and a context menu with options like 'GoTo Item', 'Add Item', and 'Query'. The bottom of the screen shows the Windows taskbar with icons for Fortress, Solution Explorer, and Class View.

This screenshot shows the Fortress application's 'Corporate Web Solutions - Query' interface. It features a search bar at the top with fields for 'Search Area' (Description, Details, Comments) and 'Data Fields' (checkboxes for Type, Status, Assignee, Resolver, Category, Milestone, Priority, Time Estimate, Reporter, Version, Custom 1, and Custom 2). Below the search bar are sections for 'Dates' (From: Thursday, October 26, 2006; To: Thursday, October 26, 2006), 'Search Area' (Added, Commented, Updated), and 'Sort' (Primary, Secondary). A 'Run' button is at the bottom. To the right of the search interface is a 'Fortress' sidebar with a tree view of projects: Corporate Web Solutions, Enterprise Business Tools, Starbase Commando Game, and Superior Financial Software. Each project has sub-folders for Queries, Open, My Open, Recent, Summaries, At-A-Glance, and By User. The 'Corporate Web Solutions' node is expanded, showing its sub-folders.



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