- Persistent Security
 - Developer of SafeGuard LM since 2009
 - SafeGuard LM 5.6 released April 2016
 - SafeGuard LM Product Activation Server

- License Models
 - Node-locked (external license file)
 - Node-locked (internal license file)
 - Floating/Concurrent
 - Product Activation Server

Node-locked

 Locked to a single computer attribute such as MAC address, Hostname, IP Address, Username, Country code, Volume Serial Number, UNIX Host id, Macintosh Serial Number, "any" host id, Vendor defined host id, others...

- Floating/Concurrent
 - License Server locked to MAC address
 - Licenses are counted
 - License server defaults to 256 concurrent users (but can easily be increased to your needs)
 - Serves licenses for a single machine, LAN,
 WAN or over the Internet

- Node-locked (External vs Internal)
 - External licenses store licensed components in a text file stored on disk. Human readable by anyone having read access to the file
 - Internal licenses are stored inside the application(s) executable file. Encrypted, unreadable except through the application interface. Functionally identical to external license files

- License File Components
 - Component name
 - Component version
 - Component ID
 - Component ID type
 - Component count (floating only)
 - Component expiration date
 - Component certificate

- Component Name
 - The name of the licensed component or feature
 - Referencing the application, a feature or extension of the application you wish to control access

- Component Version
 - The version of the application or extension being licensed
 - Version must be numeric. 1, 1.0, 1.2, etc.

Component ID

- The machine specific ID the component or license server is locked to.
- Not all architectures support the same ID's
- Some are more secure than others
- ID's are not necessarily locked to hardware or software. For example an ID could be an ISO 3166-1 country code

- Component ID Type
 - Denotes the type of ID in which to secure the component or license server
 - ID Type of "any" is not locked to anything.
 However, other fields of the component line are observed
 - ID Type of "vendor" allows you to provide your own ID Type. It can be anything including a hardware key or dongle.

- Component Count (Floating licenses only)
 - The total number of licenses
 - The License Server will only allow this many instances for a particular component to be checked out at one time.

- Component Expiration Date
 - The last date the component is valid
 - An expiration date of "never" does not timeout

- Component Certificate
 - The license certificate which is used to validate all other elements of the component line

- License Server
 - Manages up to 64 licensed components
 - Defaults to 256 concurrent client connections but can be changed when starting the server
 - Built-in logging of license activity for statistical purposes
 - Automatic / Manual restart
 - Installed as a Windows Service if desired
 - Uses secure encrypted TCP/IP communication

- License Creation and Tracking
 - SafeGuard LM (Manager)
 - Customer License generation
 - Customer and Contact generation
 - Customer license retrieval / update
 - Customer and Contact retrieval / update

- Product Activation Server
 - Automatic license fulfillment over the web
 - Enable demo and paid licenses
 - Total control over all fulfillment attributes
 - Your software can "phone home" all the time or just the first time
 - Remote deactivation of product returns
 - Multi threaded for performance

- Supported Languages
 - C / C++ / C#
 - Java
 - Python
 - Objective C (Cocoa)
 - VB.NET
 - PHP 5
 - AHK (AutoHotKey)
 - MT5 (MetaTrader 5)

- Localization of Developer Kit
 - English
 - French
 - German
 - Italian
 - Spanish
 - Turkish
 - Korean
 - Portuguese
 - Many more

- Supported Operating Systems
 - Windows XP (SP3), Vista, Win 7 / 8 / 10
 - Mac OS X 10.6.8, 10.7, 10.8, 10.9, 10.10...
 - Linux Raspbian (ARMv6+)
 - Linux (Ubuntu, Centos, see full list on website)

- Supported Processors
 - Windows (x86_32)
 - Windows (x64)
 - Mac OS X (x86_32)
 - Mac OS X (x86_64)
 - Linux (x86 32)
 - Linux (x86_64)
 - Linux (ARMv6+)

- C/C++ Development
 - Windows (Visual Studio Express 2010 or equivalent)
 - Mac OS X (gcc 4.2.1+)
 - Linux (gcc 4.6.3+)

- Java Development
 - Windows (JRE 1.6+/1.7+, JDK 1.6+/1.7+)
 - Mac OS X (JRE 1.6+/1.7+, JDK 1.6+/1.7+)
 - Linux (JRE 1.6+/1.7+, JDK 1.6+/1.7+)

- Python Development
 - Windows (Python 2.7.3)
 - Mac OS X (Python 2.7.3)
 - Linux (Python 2.7.3)

- PHP Development
 - Windows (Not available)
 - Mac OS X (PHP 5.6.17)
 - Linux (PHP 5.6.17)

- FORTRAN Development
 - Windows (gfortran 4.x / 5.x)
 - Mac OS X (gfortran 4.x / 5.x)
 - Linux (gfortran 4.x / 5.x)

- Installation Format and Size
 - Windows (zip, 14MiB)
 - Mac OS X (zip, 10MiB)
 - Linux (zip, 10MiB)