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HCL BigFix Software Asset Management

Modern organizations rely on software to run efficiently, but limited visibility can lead to hidden costs from unused licenses, overlaps, and missed renewals.

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Software costs add up fast, but most organizations don't realize how much is being wasted. From underutilized SaaS licenses to overpurchased datacenter software, unmanaged software assets quietly drain IT budgets. HCL BigFix Software Asset Management (SAM) helps you take control, reduce spend, and maximize ROI across all your software environments.

Software Spend Annually

SaaS software

\$1K - \$3K / User

Desktop software

\$400 - \$1K / User

Datacenter software

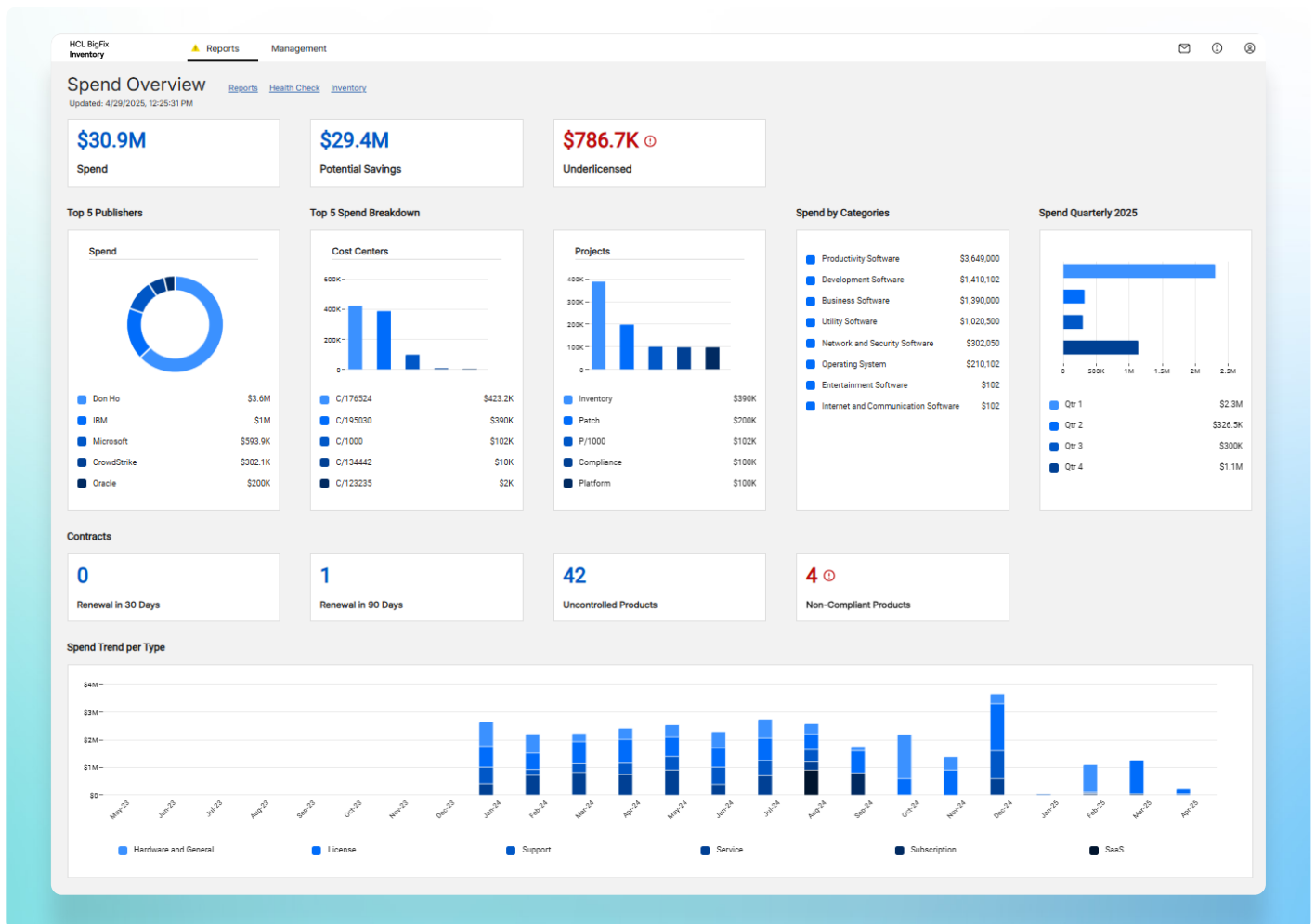
\$10K - \$100K / Server

HCL BigFix Software Asset Management delivers full-spectrum software governance by managing the complete lifecycle of on-premises and SaaS applications—from deployment to retirement. You can seamlessly deploy and patch applications, track usage and entitlements in real time, and ensure continuous compliance. The platform helps you stay ahead of renewals with proactive alerts, optimize software spend by eliminating redundancies, and adapt entitlements based on actual usage. With built-in automation, policy enforcement, and one-click uninstall capabilities, HCL BigFix SAM empowers IT, pro-curement, and compliance teams with unified control across every software touchpoint—**maximizing value while minimizing risk.**



Overview HCL BigFix® Software Asset Management

HCL BigFix® Software Asset Management delivers deep visibility and control across SaaS, desktop, and datacenter software. Built for modern IT environments, it helps organizations monitor usage, eliminate waste, reduce software spend, and maintain continuous compliance across the entire software portfolio. Powered by AI-driven insights, **a library of over 1 million discovered software versions, and more than 500 dedicated SaaS connectors**, BigFix is a leading solution in the Software Asset Management space.



Extend SAM to the Cloud with HCL BigFix SaaS Management

- SaaS optimization through 500+ direct API integrations
- In-depth usage visibility on product, component, and feature levels
- Detection of Shadow SaaS, including emerging AI tools like DeepSeek
- AI-powered contract extraction and license lifecycle automation
- Renewal orchestration with automated alerts and benchmark-driven procurement
- License harvesting and zero-touch onboarding/offboarding workflows

HCL BigFix for Software Asset Management Encompasses HCL BigFix Inventory

- Discover, inventory, and reconcile over 1 million software versions on-premises across Windows, Linux, macOS, AIX, Solaris, IBM i, cloud, and containers
 - Calculate license usage, evaluate licensing models, and optimize your software portfolio with precision
 - Identify and remove unauthorized or unused software titles with out-of-the-box automation
 - Alert HCL BigFix Lifecycle users to deploy purchased software that has yet to be installed
 - Automate license compliance reports and streamline audits for all major software vendors
 - Enrich CMDB and ITSM systems with advanced asset intelligence—no more manual input
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Business Benefits Delivered by HCL BigFix

Alight's Software Asset Management (SAM) team successfully made a department profitable through HCL BigFix Inventory License Optimization capabilities: **"We were able to claw back enough software to change it from a \$4.3M cost center to a \$5M profit center."**

License optimization had a significant impact, not just on the department's budget but on the entire company's bottom line: **"Your SAM department can compete with your top sales silos on how much revenue they are bringing back to the company."**

See the full recording @ Brighttalk: <https://www.brighttalk.com/webcast/17964/437838>

More information

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HCL Software is a global leader in software innovation, dedicated to powering the Digital+ Economy. We develop, market, sell, and support transformative solutions across business and industry, intelligent operations, total experience, data and analytics, and cybersecurity. Built on a rich heritage of pioneering spirit and unwavering commitment to customer success, we deliver best-in-class software products that empower organizations to achieve their goals. Our core values of integrity, inclusion, value creation, people centricity, and social responsibility guide everything we do. HCL Software serves more than 20,000 organizations, including a majority of the Fortune 100 and almost half of the Fortune 500. 02FEB2026.