ROC Maestro™

Job Scheduling Solutions

ROC Software provides an easy to use, yet powerful job scheduling solution with ROC Maestro. For environments that involve UNIX®, Linux®, or Windows,® ROC Maestro dramatically simplifies job scheduling administration while expanding your operational reach.

With ROC Maestro, resource constraints are not an issue. Its lightweight, small footprint means you don't need a separate server or large external database to run your cross platform job scheduling. What's more, the system's sophisticated GUI makes it easy to use. You'll protect your existing IT investments, ensure smooth automated batch processing, and save valuable administrative time and resources.

Power, visibility and centralized control

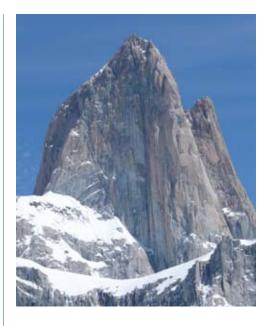
The ability to automate and monitor processes based on reusable calendars, events, cross-platform dependencies, and reporting is so easy with ROC Maestro. It's all about getting the centralized control and visibility you need without constantly dealing with the subtle differences between platforms and applications.

ROC Maestro consolidates job scheduling across UNIX, Linux, and Windows systems within a very powerful, yet simple interface. This enables IT to easily track and manage schedules, tasks, job status, and job history while speeding resolution of problems with flexible error detection and recovery. IT personnel can easily track their schedules of jobs and tasks with ROC Maestro. Job status can be immediately recognized by the display color, while quick views reveal jobs that are inactive, active, running, held, or that require assistance. Additionally, notification can be delivered via e-mail or any other facility available on the system. Remote administration, comprehensive logging and reporting, and secure designation of users and groups further enhance the administrator's level of control. It's all built-in to lighten the load on IT, improve response times, and increase service levels.

The systems recovery facility in ROC Maestro ensures that aborted jobs are addressed automatically. After detecting failed jobs, ROC Maestro puts dependent jobs on hold while it intiates any combination of the following recovery actions: alert the operator, run a recovery job, stop processing, rerun the original job, or continue with the next job(s) in the queue. Maestro also easily incorporates and controls jobs it did not schedule to prevent overloading and conflicts.

Move beyond the limitations of built-in schedulers

Built-in schedulers provided within operating systems, databases, or applications do not offer the centralized control and flexibility required to manage even the small enterprise efficiently. For example, it's expensive to maintain CRON on each and every server. It's a drain for IT to log into machine after machine, sifting through log files and scripts to track tasks that have no centralized scheduling, state, or result information.

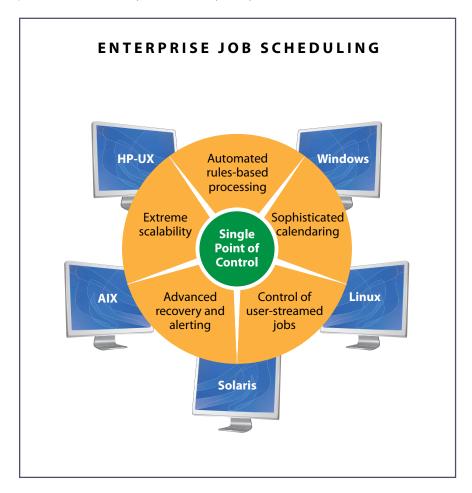


ROC Maestro Overview

- · Advanced, cross-platform scheduling
- Centralized process control
- The standard for ease of use
- Automatic real-time alerts
- Seamless workload recovery
- · Lightweight, small footprint
- Granular security
- Highest quality, total product life-cycle support
- Migration expertise



With limited security, no dependencies, no prerequisites, no recovery from system failure, no auditing or reporting, built-in job schedulers simply do not pass the cost versus benefit analysis. Do you need to integrate processes as well as monitor and react to events in real time? Built-in schedulers simply do not provide the power you need. With ROC Maestro, your automated batch support processing will run with fewer interruptions, reducing the negative impact of downtime on your staff and your systems.



About ROC Software

ROC Software develops enterprise output management and job scheduling solutions to help IT organizations save valuable time and money in managing their business-critical operations. ROC solutions are easy to install on most major platforms including UNIX®, Linux®, Windows® and HP e3000. More than 4,000 customers worldwide depend upon ROC Software for innovative enterprise solutions, rock-solid reliability and award-winning support. ROC Software is headquartered in Austin, Texas.



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