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**Paragon Software announces Black Friday 80% off deal for the most essential PC data management solution – Paragon Hard Disk Manager 15 Professional**

*The discount starts Black Friday, November 28, 8:00 p.m. until November 28, 8:20 p.m. at <http://www.paragon-software.com/promos/20years/index.html> – no coupon needed!*

**FREIBURG, Germany — November 25, 2014 —** [Paragon Software Group \(PSG\)](#), a leader in data protection, backup and disaster recovery solutions for home and business, announces a Black Friday deal of 80% off on the most popular essential, all-in-one data management solution for Windows PC users working in physical or virtual environments, [Paragon Hard Disk Manager 15 Professional](#). The software tool will be available at only 20\$ starting November 28, 2014, at 8:00 p.m. until November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2014, until 8:20 p.m. EST, with no coupon code required.

Updated recently with the newest features, Paragon Hard Disk Manager 15 Professional offers everything you need for system and hard disk management. The most advanced data safety and disaster recovery software with powerful partition features, it comes with a full spectrum of virtual and physical migration operations, agentless MS Hyper-V backup, secure data wiping (even on SSDs) and includes a free update for Windows 10 support.

The typical **usage scenarios** for Paragon Hard Disk Manager 15 Professional include:

**System & data backup** The entire system, individual partitions or just selected files can be backed up manually or on a schedule. The incremental and differential backup technologies make continuous system backups exceptionally efficient. A one-time full backup of the entire computer followed by regular incremental backups keep the latest status of the PC safe. Backup containers in the pVHD (Paragon Virtual Hard Disk) format speed up backups to network storage up to 10 times.

User-friendly software wizards guide users through critical operations. Experienced users will benefit from the scripting capabilities to automate frequently used operations. A variety of virtual backup containers are available, including the space-saving pVHD format as well as Hyper-V (VHDX) and other containers that can be used as base for virtual systems. The full selection of backup options (sector and file-based, differential or incremental backups or special file complements) are available in all cases. Password protection keeps sensitive data safe, and BitLocker encrypted volumes are supported.

**Partitioning & optimization** Whether preparing a hard disk for use with multiple operating systems or redistributing storage space among several partitions, **automatic partition alignment** maximizes the performance of SSDs and hard disks with 4K sectors, and RAID volumes.

Paragon **ConnectVD** (Virtual Disk) makes it easy to manage virtual drives – anything from partitioning or MFT defragmentation to data exchange. The advanced mode provides precise analysis and repair tools useful when fixing booting problems or analyzing the hard drive's status.

**Recovery** In case of a disaster, backups can be restored to **different hardware**. The **Universal Image Mounter** (UIM) gives full access to archived files at all times. The user simply maps a backup archive as a network drive and the contained files will be accessible, just like a physical hard disk. HDM 15 lets the user restore the entire system, specific partitions or individual files. **Dependable data wiping** HDM's wiping function helps free up storage space and permanently deletes sensitive data using Paragon's efficient wiping algorithms or user-developed algorithms. **SSDs** can be wiped without shortening their service life.

**Hyper-V backup** HDM 15 backs up Hyper-V guest systems without requiring installation on the virtual system in question (agentless backup). This allows the protection of multiple Hyper-V systems from a central location, whether or not they are running.

### **Supported OS:**

Windows 8.1/8/7/Vista/XP.

**Availability:** Paragon Hard Disk Manager 15 Professional is available for 20\$ (regularly priced at 99.95\$) at <http://www.paragon-software.com/promos/20years/index.html> on November 28th, 2014, 8:00-8:20 p.m. EST. Windows 10 users get a free update with the release of the new platform.

### **About the Paragon Software Group**

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