

## **Portuguese Software finds security flaws**

The Portuguese company Dognædis launches today a new offer on the market, that promises to help companies that buy customized software and those who develop it to put to the test their developments.

CodeV is the result of two years of investigation and is launched with focus on the Portuguese and Brazilian market, where the company is already present, but also with intention of reaching other geographies.

Francisco Rente, researcher of the University of Coimbra and executive director of Dognædis, explains to the TeK that the main assets of the product are on the way it discovers the security problems on software and the fact that it has been designed to support the product since its beginning. Besides the distinctive characteristics of the inference motor, CodeV was designed from ground up to interact with development phases during all the process: “CodeV is developed to integrate the product cycle and accompany the evolution of software from day zero”, explains Francisco Rente.

Regarding the launch of the new offer, Dognædis announced that the CodeV found 28 vulnerabilities of zero-day on the “40 largest free software existent in the market”. The vulnerabilities have meanwhile been communicated to the entities that may solve them. More information about these flaws that CodeV was able to identify will be disclosed after the deadline accorded with the involved entities to find a solution to the security issues in matter.

Dognædis has been on the market for less than two years. Besides Portugal and Spain it has at the time business on some African countries. CodeV is promoted by Dognædis as

an “intelligent inspector-professor” that detects problems, fire alerts, produces reports and gives correction instructions. The product, which will attribute a seal of quality to the companies that develop software, will also have a free version.

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