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## Windows 8 Tablets will open up the market for Enterprise Tablet deployments

The iOS and android tablet phenomenon took the enterprise by storm, or so it seemed. Almost every Fortune 500 is showing off Tablet based programs. However, scratching beyond the surface reveals that few large scale deployments of tablets exist in regulated industries like healthcare or finance, despite end users raving feedback.

The primary reason for this dearth of deployments lies in the data security aspect of these tablets. Current MDM systems only allow encryption and password complexity controls. No solution allows for granular control of data, of the type possible in Windows 7 laptops.

Having a tablet form factor on the one hand running a full-fledged Microsoft OS will allow enterprise IT departments to make large scale investments in tablets and convertibles, without cutting corners on security.

Wave will support this deployment scenario with keyboard-less pre boot authentication, strong 2 factor authentication options, and Data Protection Suite Windows 8 readiness, so that Windows 8 tablets can get the same level of security as a Windows 7 or Windows 8 laptop, therefor unleashing enterprise deployment.

Microsoft is planning to release Windows 8 on October 26. Its hardware partners have a lineup of tablets and convertibles running full Windows 8. Convertibles are full laptops that can be used as a tablet either by detaching the keyboard or rotating the screen.

Some major announcements include:

HP Envy X2

Dell XPS 12 Duo

Lenovo X230

Acer W700

Samsung Series 5

Asus Vivo Tab & Taichi

Sony Vaio Duo 11

Panasonic CI and Toughbook

Wave will help you achieve full value from this hardware.



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### About Wave

Wave Systems Corp. (NASDAQ: WAVX) reduces the complexity, cost and uncertainty of data protection by starting with the device. Wave leverages the hardware security capabilities built directly into endpoint computing platforms themselves. Wave has been among the foremost experts on this growing trend, leading the way with first-to-market solutions and helping shape standards through its work as a board member of the Trusted Computing Group.

When it comes to SEDs, Wave has been among the earliest pioneers, promoting, managing and supporting SEDs from major storage vendors for more than six years.

Wave offers a complete suite of products to support the transition and migration to an embedded security model, starting with existing devices, including Wave EMBASSY® Remote Administration Server for managing self-encrypting drives, and Wave Cloud for the cloud-based management of SEDs. For more information, visit [www.wave.com](http://www.wave.com).

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