

F5 NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner Program Guide



All approved F5 NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner (“**Program**”) businesses in good standing are eligible (“**Eligible Partners**”) for the program benefit portfolio (“**Benefit**”). The Benefit is designed to reward Eligible Partners whose organizations continue to meet the Partner Eligibility requirements.

Partner Eligibility

To be eligible for the F5 NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner Benefit, partner must:

1. Have fully executed the [F5 NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner Program Agreement](#)
2. Meet all current NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner Program requirements and obligations outlined in the Program Agreement and this Program Guide (“**Program Terms**”).
3. Maintain a minimum of two (2) registered F5 NGINX Authorized Consultants that have taken the F5 NGINX Certification Exams and earned the F5 NGINX Certification
4. Participate in a four-hour deployment review and partnership roadmap meeting every six months (including Eligible Partners’ registered F5 NGINX Authorized Consultants).

Compliance.

Eligible Partner must at all times comply with all F5 NGINX Consulting Partner Program Terms. Eligible Partners may not be the subject of any legal investigation, regulatory or enforcement action involving a violation of ethics, bribery and corruption, and must remain compliant with all requests related to F5 due diligence concerning Eligible Partner’s membership of the Unity+ Partner Program.

Fee

Eligible Partners are currently charged a fee of Zero Dollars (\$0.00) annually to remain in good standing in the NGINX Authorized Partner Program.

Benefit

- NFR Licenses for NGINX Solutions to use in training and demonstration environments
- Right to display the official F5 NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner logo on your website
- Right for registered NGINX Authorized Consultants on staff to use the NGINX Authorized Consultant Credly badge on their business card and customer facing profiles
- Competitive differentiation with expanded visibility as an F5 NGINX Authorized Consultant on the F5 NGINX Partner Locator
- Opportunity for public marketing success stories about successful NGINX Solution adoption in partnership
- Eligibility for referrals and F5 Co-Pilot Subcontracting opportunities, when available
- Program is stackable with other F5 Programs

Benefit Access

NFR Licenses. Eligible Partners will receive two Not For Resale (“NFR”) licenses for NGINX software products for each registered F5 NGINX Authorized Consultant to support ongoing training and demonstration purposes. Authorized Consultants may request licenses by send requests to nginx-authorized-consulting-partners@f5.com

Certification & Education Vouchers. Eligible Partners will receive vouchers for each named candidate provided for registration as an F5 NGINX Authorized Consultant to prepare for and take the NGINX certification. Candidate vouchers can be obtained by sending requests to nginx-authorized-consulting-partners@f5.com

Logos. Links will be provided to download Eligible Partners’ official F5 NGINX Authorized Consulting Partner logo to use on their website and in promotional materials once all Program Terms have been met. Eligible Partners’ registered F5 NGINX Authorized Consultants will be provided access to a Credly badge for use on their business cards, professional profiles and client facing materials.



Co-Pilot & Referral. Eligible Partners will be granted first right of refusal for in region opportunities to a.) Sub-contract for F5 NGINX Professional Services to help ensure successful customer adoption of NGINX solutions and produce joint success together b.) Receive referrals for projects that primarily involve adjacent technologies to NGINX solutions. Notice of such opportunities will be sent only as available.

Changes or Termination of Benefit

F5 reserves the right to vary the terms of this Benefit or to cancel the Benefit upon publishing notice of such amendment or cancellation at [F5 Partner Central](#). The effective date of termination shall be the date on which notice of such cancellation or termination is posted on [F5 Partner Central](#).

About F5

At F5 (NASDAQ: FFIV) our mission is based on the fact that businesses depend on apps. Whether it's apps that help connect businesses to their customers or apps that help employees do their jobs—we make sure apps are always available, and secure, anywhere. Founded in 1996, the world's largest enterprises, service providers, financial and educational institutions, government entities, and consumer brands rely on F5 to stay ahead of security, cloud, and mobility trends. The company's more than 5,000 employees reside in more than 38 countries. F5 solutions are deployed in forty-nine of the Fortune 50 companies. To learn more, go to www.f5.com.

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