Reasons why Diskeeper is superior to the built-in defragmenter:

- "We do believe that Diskeeper plays a vital role in maintaining our desktops. We encourage our employee owners to run their Outlook client in cache mode and to also use the auto-archive feature. As you know, **the built-in defrag does not handle defragging cached mail all that well.** So it is important that we keep our desktops defragmented." - Edwin D. Stufflebean, Manager IT Support Services, Burns & McDonnell

- When we purchased Diskeeper the server's main drive was in a serious state of fragmentation and had **no space available for the built-in defrag to run. Within hours of the Diskeeper installation, the drive had very little fragmentation and within a day all fragmentation had virtually disappeared.** Access to server based files is now noticeably faster and best of all the program requires <u>no</u> interaction on the part of the administrator. It just works! We are firm in our commitment to migrating Diskeeper to any new platform. - Al Hill, Network Administrator, Des Moines Flying Service, Inc.

- Our software vendor recommended that we defragment the computers when we started having file corruption problems. **Using the built-in defrag, you have to be an administrator to defragment the systems. Diskeeper allows me to resolve those problems without the user having to remember to defragment.** I can do the all the setup from one computer, this saves my time from having to check each computer. - Philip Knott**,** Senior Engineering Technician**,** Reliance Fire Protection, Inc.

- **My own work is much better because I don't have to log in after hours just to run the built-in defrag and then wait because it doesn't play nicely with open files.** The speed of our virtual guests and hosts and increased dramatically as well as our biggest file server that serves 170 users.
  - Chris Gahlsdorf, Northwest Human Services

- **The built-in defragmenter is not even close in performance, ease of use, and is not an "always on" defragmenter.** Utilizing the Diskeeper advanced tools really speeds up performance. You can get some really fast boot times/restart times with some system configuration especially coupled with the Diskeeper Pro Premier tools. I found on older machines especially, **many hours are saved compared to using the built-in defrag.** Significant speed increases can be gained. - Gerald Fougner, Technical Supervisor, Valley Sleep Center

- Suffice to say that **the XP built-in defrag was always a real headache to deal with simply because it is not automatic and did not run in the background such Diskeeper Professional does.** When I was given the opportunity to take over our system administration, I immediately convinced the firm owners that it was in their best interest regarding efficiency & time, for employees to not be concerned about their machines operating sluggishly due to the need to defrag. The Diskeeper automatic defrag was a real time saver and thus never entered the troubleshooting list as possible causes of problems because you knew that the system was being continuously defragged. - Dwight D. Baker, *System Administrator***,** *Cannon Moss Brygger & Associates, Architects*

- We are running Diskeeper on a very busy MS Exchange server. Diskeeper has improved the response of the server quite a bit. **Using the built-in disk defrag tool would literally shut the server down.** We plan on adding another Exchange server shortly and will be adding Diskeeper to it also.
  - Mike Hamilton, Hall Estill

- We have been using Diskeeper on our primary data server which contains users' home and public directories, for about a month now. **To date it is working great, and has already reduced a significant number of fragments which were previously unmanageable with the built-in Windows tools.** So far Diskeeper is achieving what I expected of it. Historically we have used older versions of Diskeeper and were very satisfied with the product at that time as well.

  This server is virtual running a Windows 2003 x64 Standard Edition guest operating system, on a VMware ESX 3.5 Server host. - Keith Gillespie, Support Centre, Waste Services, Inc

- We use Diskeeper on cash register front-end servers running Windows 2003 server. **The servers write a lot of data to the hard drives daily and with this we get fragmentation over a period of months. The built-in Windows defrag software will not do the job.** I chose Diskeeper for restoring a ghost image, when I was unable to re-boot the machine reliably. Technical support suggested Diskeeper because it would defragment the MFT table. - Mark Pierce, Harps Food

- **I find Diskeeper to be much more robust then the built-in defrag version which is very primitive.** I have used Diskeeper personally for many years and find that many people don't realize that the cause of many slow PC's is a very fragmented hard drive. The Diskeeper set it and forget it approach is exactly what it means. Install the software, configure it and forget about it. It will automatically and continuously keep your hard drives running at top performance. I would strongly recommend Diskeeper to anyone wanting to make sure their drives are running at peak performance. **-** Kevin Tager, Systems Administrator, Identiphoto Co

- **Diskeeper product has benefitted my servers tremendously. I love the set it and forget it idea because I no longer have to do the manual defragmentation using the built-in utility. Diskeeper has allowed my servers to defrag the drive with less than minimum amount space required.** My applications have been running much faster and I have noticed a tremendous increase in system performance. - Erwin Racimo, IT Manager, New Jersey Technology Council

- I am very pleased with the results. **Previously we were using an SMS package that we developed to call the built-in defragmenter periodically at night. This meant many missed machines as most laptops are not in the office at night.** Now with the Diskeeper Admin console and group policy setting the defrag schedule that does not happen. It was the best fit for what we were trying to accomplish which is regular defrags of the laptops. - Richard Bywalski, Holland & Knight

- I am pleased with Diskeeper, I love how I can setup the software and let it do its thing. I am not constantly required to manage it each day. **Before I used this product I could never get the built-in defrag to work, now with Diskeeper defragmentation is possible.** - SP, Large retail store chain

- When I came to the Sheriff's Office almost 4 years ago **the servers had no defragmentation program other than the built-in defragmenter. As you know, this program does nothing to defrag the Master File Table (MFT) or paging files.** The performance of the servers was suffering because of fragmentation issues. Diskeeper has reduced substantially the IT hours required to maintain our workstations. - GF, Sheriff's Dept