NetIQ Security Manager[™]

Delivers comprehensive, centralized security information management and advanced log analysis and forensics

Overview

NetlQ Security Manager provides comprehensive security management for your heterogeneous enterprise, centralizing your ability to collect, view, analyze, archive and report on security information from across your organization. With real-time intrusion response capabilities, it is the only single product that encapsulates security information management and correlation, log management, intrusion protection and advanced analysis and reporting.

Solutions for Today

To meet the security and availability needs of the business, organizations continue to invest in a wide variety of security-point solutions, such as firewalls, antivirus products and intrusion detection systems. These technologies generate incredibly high volumes of security data that present an enormous challenge in achieving real-time detection of security breaches—much less being able to easily review and analyze that data.

NetlQ Security Manager enhances the value of your existing security infrastructure by consolidating and archiving log and event data from across the organization. The solution provides a comprehensive built-in security Knowledge Base, delivering powerful correlation and analysis tools, and enabling in-depth reporting to dramatically reduce the risks associated with your operation.

Key Benefits

Reduces exposure time - Optimizes reaction times with realtime monitoring for security incidents, extensive notification and information capabilities and automated responses.

Improves security knowledge - Delivers a comprehensive Knowledge Base that automatically builds security knowledge and internalizes new and updated information. This helps you ensure that the knowledge needed to understand and respond to incidents is available when needed.



NetIQ Security Manager provides a single solution for protecting against intrusions, managing and correlating security events, and performing advanced forensics and trending.

Increases protection levels - Integrates and correlates real-time and archived data from all security systems and processes. By tracking incidents to ensure they are handled correctly and on time, you can achieve true incident lifecycle management for optimal protection.

Boosts operational performance - Improves ROI by consolidating security information from across your organization into a central location, filtering out noise and false positives, and presenting real incidents. This enables you to provide a focused monitoring and response capability.

Assures compliance - Facilitates regular review and reporting on enterprise security information, monitors security controls to validate their effectiveness and provides real-time enforcement of policies and best practices. This helps you satisfy the security requirements of today's regulations.



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Key Features

Log Management

Quickly identify hidden threats while meeting audit and regulatory requirements with scaleable and centralized log and event consolidation, combined with powerful archival, forensics and trending analysis tools.

Helps satisfy legal log-retention requirements - Supplies a powerful, yet simple solution that enables you to meet audit and regulatory requirements that mandate security log and event information be collected and retained for extended periods of time.

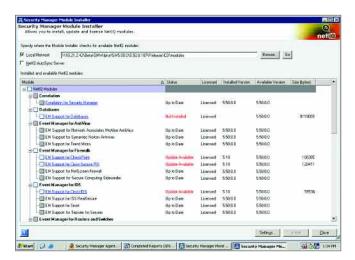
Facilitates regular and easy review of security information -

Provides reports, based on summarized security data, that present key security information, (e.g., failed log-on attempts), and which allow more in-depth analysis by clicking down into the report to reveal more detailed information. Updated daily, these reports facilitate regular reviews of security information, helping to meet both security best practice and regulatory requirements.

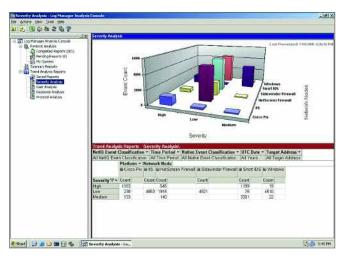
Enables the analysis of security trends - Enables baseline security activity to be visualized, as well as provide for the faster identification of anomalies through detailed and flexible trend analysis reports. With charts and data manipulation capabilities, you can show different visual representations of security event information.

Provides powerful forensics investigation capabilities -

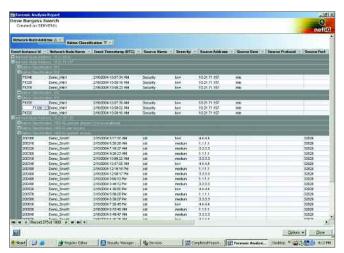
Dramatically reduces the time to find the root-cause behind an incident or anomaly through powerful forensics queries. With a forensics reporting interface, your alerts can be easily filtered, grouped and sorted for improved data mining.



NetlQ AutoSync technology displays newly available security knowledge and product updates and facilitates their automatic upload and installation at runtime.



Powerful analysis tools present multiple views of your enterprise security data to help identify trends, as well as detect anomalies and potential threats.



Forensics reports provide comprehensive data mining capabilities, including filtering, sorting and grouping of data elements, enabling the fast identification of the root causes of incidents.

Intrusion Detection & Response

Improves system availability, service assurance and protects intellectual property with real-time intrusion detection and protection, along with a comprehensive security knowledge base to aid incident interpretation and response.

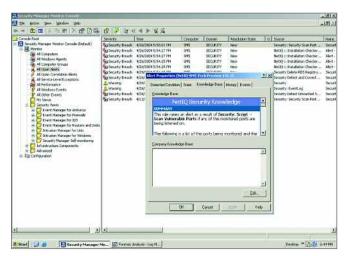
Facilitates rapid response to incidents - Delivers immediate notification of security breaches and policy violations with real-time alerting and notification, enabling you to react quickly and minimize the risk of any damage.

Minimizes security threat exposure times - Responds in real time to detected incidents, providing immediate protection by automatically stopping attacks in progress. The wizard-driven interface allows responses to be easily created and customized without requiring any programming knowledge.

Protects against intrusions - Detects and automatically terminates unauthorized or unknown user actions, services and processes; effectively blocking unauthorized activities, worms, viruses and rogue applications.

Improves staff effectiveness and security knowledge -

Built-in security Knowledge Base contains detailed information on possible causes for alerts. This internalized knowledge can be extended with organizational-specific information such as incident-handling procedures. You can then ensure that knowledge gained can be reused by others and not walk out the door with the employee.



A built-in extendable security Knowledge Base centralizes monitoring and response to security alerts generated anywhere in the organization.



Reduces noise and false positives by correlating events from various security sensors and accurately identifying critical security incidents.

Security Information Management & Correlation

Presents meaningful and real-time security information that represents the true security state of your organization by identifying real incidents from amongst event noise and false positive alerts. This facilitates a prioritized and tracked response.

Maximizes the value of your security infrastructure -

Optimizes your defenses and countermeasures through a centralized security operations center that securely collects, correlates, analyzes and responds to events from key assets, security point products and network devices.

Reduces event noise and false positives - Powerful real-time correlation engine minimizes irrelevant information, removing the need to sort through the deluge of security events and allowing security teams to see and focus on the real incidents. A correlation wizard enables new correlation rules to be quickly created and take immediate effect.

Assures that security incidents are not lost or forgotten - Internal incident tracking workflow allows organizations to immediately prioritize incidents and track their status at any time. Response activity information can be added to provide an audit trail of how incidents are handled.

Ensures that the latest updates are available - Provides an easy-to-use, dynamic mechanism to receive update notifications to product functionality and knowledge. It also facilitate painless delivery and installation of those updates, using NetlQ's AutoSync technology.

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Technical Summary

Centralized Management

- Single and centralized management console
- Consolidates and normalizes security event and log data from across the enterprise
- Advanced correlation to identify blended threats and reduce false positives

Incident Identification and Management

- Security Knowledge Base for information on alerts and guidelines for incident resolution
- · Internal incident tracking system
- Extensive and customizable response capabilities including notification, script execution, or service termination

Advanced Reporting and Analysis

- Flexible and scalable log archiving infrastructure
- Pre-built and extendable report templates
- Trending analysis reports and tools
- Powerful forensics investigation capabilities
- Report scheduling to automate when reports are run

Architectural Scalability and Stability

- Designed to handle the high event volumes
- Agent and agent-less capabilities
- Dynamically update knowledge, reports, and supported endpoints via AutoSync
- Fault tolerant design
- · Agent heartbeat monitoring

Supported Systems & Devices

NetIQ Security Manager provides out-of-the-box support for a broad range of heterogeneous endpoints and applications, including support for:

- Servers and workstations including Microsoft, Linux, Unix and iSeries
- Critical services including databases, Active Directory, and VoIP infrastructure
- Security point solutions including antivirus products, firewall products, intrusion detection and protection systems
- Network devices including routers and switches
- NetlQ solutions including NetlQ Vulnerability Manager[™], NetlQ AppManager[®], NetlQ Change Guardian[™] for Active Directory, NetlQ Group Policy Guardian[™]

Through its AutoSync capability, NetlQ Security Manager can be easily extended to monitor other products, systems and devices. Please contact your NetlQ representative for more information on how NetlQ can assist in supporting your environment and specific requirements.

Minimum System Requirements

- 1.5GHz Intel Pentium, with 1GB RAM
- Windows 2000/2003 Server
- Microsoft SQL Server 2000 (for Database Server)
- Microsoft SQL Server 2000 SP3a Analysis Services (for Trend Analysis Server)
- IIS 5.0+ (for Web Console Server)

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