At a glance

Easy, Powerful and Secure

Symantec PolicyCenter has an intuitive, centralized interface that is organized to match the way you work making it easy to:

- Auto-deploy and configure appliances at remote locations in minutes
- Control performance with easy-to-apply partitions and policies
- Distribute traffic classes and software upgrades globally
- Monitor and quickly respond to network, application and unit performance changes
- Secure access to devices, and log configuration changes and activities using AAA features

Introduction

Your network is growing and your business demands a highly efficient and high performance network environment. Effectively managing bandwidth efficiency and application performance does not have to get more complicated as the size and complexity of your network grow. Symantec PolicyCenter makes it easy to manage multiple Symantec PacketShaper appliances in a large and distributed network in order to maintain optimum network and application performance. Whether you have a few PacketShaper appliances located at one site or thousands distributed around the world, PolicyCenter brings comprehensive performance and bandwidth control to your fingertips in a centrally located command center.

Optimization Made Simple

PolicyCenter makes it easy to maintain optimal performance by providing a comprehensive, integrated view of all PacketShaper appliances, network traffic, links and partitions. An intuitive, color-coded summary empowers you to proactively identify potential problems at a glance, and maximizes the powerful network traffic classification and control features within PacketShaper to take appropriate corrective actions quickly.

Plug-and-Play Deployments

PolicyCenter greatly simplifies remote, multi-unit deployments by automatically completing the settings and configuration process. Simply connect additional PacketShaper appliances to your network and assign them the appropriate appliance name, IP address, subnet mask, gateway and policy. Configuration is just that easy.
Enterprise-Level Flexibility and Scalability

Powerful features, supporting LDAP, allow you to define logins, roles and create a hierarchy to match your organization and its security policies. Audit trails tell you what changes have been made, when and by whom. No matter how distributed your network, you can manage large communities of PacketShapers from a single location. Multiple tier configurations further increase scalability. The user interface, being based on sophisticated rendering technology, provides high-performance management for small and large PacketShaper communities alike.

Features

• Wide variety of centralized mechanisms to control performance, including dynamic partitions and sub-partitions, rate control, and never-admit, ignore and discard policies
• Flexible configuration overrides for location-specific settings
• Hierarchical configurations sharable by multiple PacketShaper appliances
• Scheduled distribution of PacketShaper software upgrades and plug-ins
• Trial and rollback modes let you push new PacketShaper configurations that just work the first time

Benefits

• A centralized, single-pane view for the status of up-to 100 PacketShaper appliances
• Comprehensive, centralized network management and reporting available with Blue Coat IntelligenceCenter
• Granular administration workflow with Role Based Access Control (RBAC) based on responsibility, location, organization, and more
• AAA features provide secure, logged access

Symantec PolicyCenter provides auto-deployment and policy management.
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