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Arbor Edge Defense

First and Last Line of Defense from Advanced Cyber Threats

KEY FEATURES & BENEFITS

First & Last Line of Defense

Arbor Edge Defense's unique location on the network edge, its stateless packet processing engine and ATLAS® global threat intelligence feed allow it to stop inbound threats and outbound communication from compromised hosts.

Always On, In-Line, Advanced DDoS Protection

Out of the box, on-premise protection from all types of advanced DDoS attacks including volumetric, state-exhaustion, application-layer and SSL.

Intelligently Automated, Hybrid DDoS Protection

The intelligently automated, fully managed combination of in-cloud (via Arbor Cloud) and on-premises (via AED) is continuously armed with ATLAS global threat intelligence; offers the most comprehensive form of protection from the modern-day DDoS attack.

Outbound Threat Communication Detection and Blocking

Arbor Edge Defense's ATLAS derived, reputation based threat intelligence allow it to detect and block outbound communication from internal compromised hosts; helping to stop further proliferation of malware or data breach.

Support for Virtual & Hybrid-Cloud Environments

vAED is a virtual version of the Arbor Edge Defense appliance that can be run in your private virtual environment like Amazon Web Services, providing unified protection for your hybrid-cloud environments.

Let's face it. *There is no peace time.* Whether it be new forms of DDoS attacks, ransomware, phishing attempts compromised BYOD and IoT devices, organizations are under constant threat from all types of advanced cyber threats. To address these evolving threats, overtime, the modern-day security stack has become larger, more complex but unfortunately still is failing as evidenced by the daily reports of data breaches and downtime.

Security teams need best of breed cyber security solutions that can detect and stop all types of cyber threats - both inbound threats and outbound malicious communication from compromised internal devices. As importantly, these solutions must also be able to integrate into an organization's existing security stack and/or consolidate functionality to reduce cost, complexity and risk.

NETSCOUT's Arbor Edge Defense (AED) is such a solution. Arbor Edge Defense's unique position on the network edge (i.e. between the router and the firewall), its stateless packet processing engine and the continuous reputation based threat intelligence it receives from Arbor's ATLAS Threat Intelligence feed enable it to automatically detect and stop both inbound threats (e.g. DDoS attacks, malware) and outbound communication from internal compromised hosts – essentially acting as the first and last line of defense for organizations.
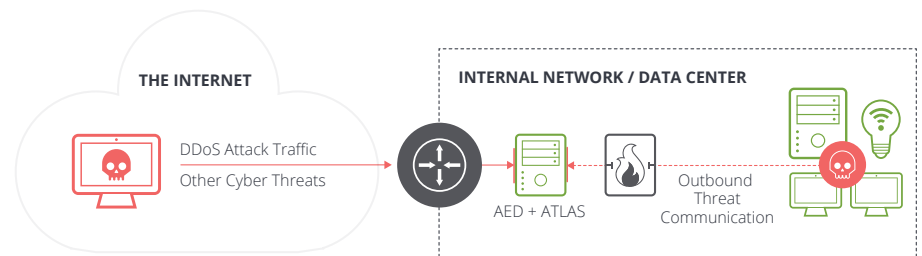

Figure 1: AED's unique location on network edge + stateless packet processing engine + ATLAS Global Threat Intelligence = First and Last Line of Defense from advanced cyber threats.

Benefits of Arbor Edge Defense:

- Automatically detect and stop inbound DDoS attacks as large as 40 Gbps. In the event of larger DDoS attacks, Cloud Signaling automatically reroutes traffic to Arbor Cloud or a MSSP's cloud based mitigation center.
- Automatically detect and stop application-layer DDoS attacks that impact availability of critical business services and TCP-state exhaustion attack protecting availability of stateful devices such as firewalls, IPS and load balancers.
- Stateless technology enable it to take pressure off stateful devices (e.g. NGFW/IPS) which struggle to adequately detect and block reputation based IoCs.
- Armed with reputational threat intelligence (IP addresses, domains and URLs), AED can detect and block outbound communication to known bad sites to help stop the further proliferation of malware with an organization or data breach.
- A set of robust REST API's can integrate into existing security processes and systems.
- Being SDN/NFV ready allows integration with OpenStack, Heat, Tacker, Ansible, Nokia Cloudband, Cisco NSO, and other ONAP or ETSI NFV management and orchestration technologies.

Arbor Edge Defense Appliances

Features	2600	2800
Physical Dimensions	**Chassis:** 2U rack height; **Height:** 3.45 inches (8.67 cm); **Width:** 17.4 inches (43.53 cm); **Depth:** 20 inches (50.8 cm); **Weight:** 36.95 lbs. (17.76 kg)	
Power Options	**DC:** 2 x DC redundant, hot swap capable power supplies; **DC Power Ratings:** -40 to -72 Vdc, 28/14 A max (per DC input); **AC:** 2 x AC redundant, hot swap capable power supplies; **AC Power Ratings:** 100 to 240 VAC, 50 to 60 Hz, 12/6 A max; **Watts:** 315 typical, 375 max	
Hard Drives	2 x 120 GB SSD in RAID 1 Configuration	2 x 240 GB SSD in RAID 1 Configuration
Environmental	**Operating:** Temperature : 41ºF to 104ºF (5º to 40ºC) Humidity: 5–85%; **Non-Operating:** Temperature -40º to 158ºF (-40º to 70ºC); Humidity 95%	
Memory	32 GB	64 GB
Processor	2 x Intel Xeon E5-2608L v3 (6 cores) 2 GHz; Watts: 315 typical, 375 max	Dual Intel Xeon (12-core) E5–2648L v3 –1.80GHz
Operating System	Our proprietary, embedded ArbOS® operating system	
Management Interfaces	2 x 10/100/1000 BaseT Copper; RJ-45 serial console port	2 x 10/100/1000 BaseT Copper; RJ-45 serial console port
Protection Interface	• 4, 8 or 12 1G bypass ports (copper, sx fiber, lx fiber) • 4 x 10 G bypass ports plus 0, 4 or 8, 1 G bypass ports	• 4 x 10 GigE (SR or LR mixed fiber) • 8 x 10 GigE (SR or LR or mixed fiber) • 8 x 10 GigE (SR or LR or mixed fiber) + 4 x 1 GigE (SX or LX fiber, or copper)
Traffic Bypass Options	Integrated hardware bypass; Internal "software" bypass to pass traffic without inspection	
Latency	Less than 80 microseconds	
Availability	Inline bypass, dual power supplies, solid-state hard drive RAID cluster	
MTBF	44,000 hours	
Regulatory Compliance	UL60950-1/CSA 60950-1 (USA/Canada); EN60950-1 (Europe); IEC60950-1 (International), CB Certificate & Report including all international deviations; GS Certificate (Germany); EAC-R Approval (Russia); CE—Low Voltage Directive 73/23/EEE (Europe); BSMI CNS 13436 (Taiwan); KCC (South Korea); RoHS Directive 2002/95/EC (Europe)	

DDoS & Advanced Cyber Threat Protection

Features	2600	2800
Inspected Throughput	Licenses for 100 Mbps, 250 Mbps, 500 Mbps, 1 Gbps, 2 Gbps, 5 Gbps, 10 Gbps, 15 Gbps, 20 Gbps	Licenses for 10 Gbps, 20 Gbps, 30 Gbps, 40 Gbps; software upgradeable
Maximum DDoS Flood Prevention Rate	Up to 15 Mpps	Up to 28.80 Mpps
Simultaneous Connections	Not applicable: AED does not track connections	
HTTP(s) Connections/SEC	368K at recommended protection level; 613K filter list only protection	1,351K at recommended protection level; 1,497K filter list only protection
SSL Decryption Options	**Inspected Throughput:** Options for 750 Mbps and 5 Gbps **HTTPS Connections:** Up to 7,500 (750M HSM) or 45,000 (5G HSM) **Concurrent Sessions:** Up to 150,000	**Inspected Throughput:** Up to 5 Gbps **HTTPS Connections:** Up to 45,000 **Concurrent Sessions:** Up to 150,000
	Supported encryption protocols: SSL 3.0, TLS 1.0, 1.1 and 1.2; Supported Cypher Suites: RSA, ECDH, ECDHE; FIPS 140-2 Level 2 and 3 support; Separate "Trusted-Path" Administration for FIPS 140-2 Level 3; Secure tamper-proof enclosure; Keys cleared if enclosure breached	
Maximum Number of Keys/Certificate Pairs	1998	
Protected Endpoints	Unlimited	
Authentication	On device, RADIUS; TACACS	

Management	SNMP gets v1, v2c; SNMP traps v1, v2c, v3; CLI; Web UI; HTTPS; SSH customizable, role-based management; Up to 50 AED (appliances and/or virtual AED running KVM hypervisor) can be managed by the AED Console; managed AED must at least be running v5.11; vAED Console can run on VM hypervisor.
Protection Groups	100
Reporting and Forensics	Real-time and historical IPV4 and IPV6 traffic reporting, extensive drill-down by protection group and blocked host including total traffic, passed/blocked,top destination URLs/services/domains, attack types, blocked sources, top sources by IP location. Packet visibility in real-time.
DDoS Protection	TCP/UDP/HTTP(S) flood attacks, botnet protection, hacktivist protection, host behavioral protection, anti-spoofing, configurable flow expression filtering, payload expression-based filtering, permanent and dynamic blacklists/whitelists, traffic shaping, multiple protections for HTTP, DNS and SIP, TCP connection limiting, fragmentation attacks, connection attacks.
Modes	Inline active; inline inactive (reporting, no blocking); SPAN port monitor
Notifications	SNMP trap, syslog, email
Cloud Signaling	Yes (collaborative DDoS attack mitigation with service provider or Arbor Cloud)
Web-Based GUI	Supports multi-language translated user interfaces
Supported Browsers	Internet Explorer v10-11, Firefox ESR v31, Firefox v40, Chrome v44, Safari v6
IoC Blocking capacities	100,000s of Indicators of Compromise. Note: Future versions will support 1M+ IOCs
Ioc Types	IP address, fully qualified domain names, URLs

Arbor Edge Defense Console

Supported Platforms	Arbor Appliance; Virtual Machine
Max Number AED Managed	50
Virtual AED Console Requirements	VMware vSphere 5.5+; 2 CPUs; 100 GB hard disk space; 4 GB RAM; 1 management interface (a second management interface is optional)
Management Options	Configuration or Views into (individual and/or all AED): Hardware and Software health; System and Security alerts; Blocked Hosts; ATLAS Threat Summary; Server Types, Protection groups (IPV4/6); Blacklist/Whitelist; Executive Management Reports
Supported Browsers	Internet Explorer v10-11, Firefox ESR v31, Firefox v40, Chrome v44, Safari v6

Arbor Edge Defense Console 7000 Appliance

Memory	128G (8x16G DIMMs)
Processor	Intel Xeon (12-Core) – ES-2648Lv3 – 1.8GHz – 20M Cache – 9.60 GT/sec – 75W
Power Requirements	Redundant, load sharing and auto-sensing 850W dual power supplies; AC: 100-240 VAC, 50/60 Hz, 12/6 A; DC: -40 to -72 V, 28/14 A max
Physical Dimensions	**Chassis:** 2U rack height; **Height:** 3.45 inches (8.67 cm); **Width:** 17.4 inches (43.53 cm) **Depth:** 20 inches (50.8 cm); **Weight:** 36.95 lbs. (17.76 kg); Standard 19 and 23 inches rack mountable
Hard Drives	Six 480 GB solid state drives configured for RAID 5
Network Interfaces	2 x 1 GigE (SFP for Copper, GigE SX, or GigE LX)
Environmental	**Operating:** Temperature 41° to 104°F (5° to 40°C); Humidity 95%; **Non-Operating:** Temperature 73° to 104°F (23° to 40°C)
Operating System	Our proprietary, embedded ArbOS® operating system, based on Linux
Regulatory Compliance	UL60950-1/CSA 60950-1; EN60950-1; IEC60950-1, CB Certificate & Report including all international deviations; SONCAP; EAC Mark; CE—Low Voltage Directive 2014/35/EU; KCC Mark; RoHS 2011/65/EU; Telcordia GR-63; ETSI EN 300 019; NEBS; ETSI EN 300 753; cULus Mark; IC ICES-003 Class A; CE Mark to EMC Directive, 2014/30/EU; EN55022, Class A; EN55024; EN61000-3-2; EN61000-3-3, CISPR22, Class A, CISPR 24 Immunity; FCC 47 CFR Parts 15, Class A

Virtual Arbor Edge Defense (vAED)

Virtual Network Function (VNF) Orchestration	Cloud-Init v0.7.6, Openstack Kilo and Mitaka series, OpenStack Heat, OpenStack Tacker, Ansible, Nokia Cloudband, Cisco NSO/ESC, Cisco NFVIS and other ONAP or ETSI NFV management and orchestration technologies	
Support for Amazon AWS	Yes, Amazon EC2	
Minimum Virtual Machine Requirements	vCPUs: 2; NICs: 1 to 10; Memory: 6 GB; Storage: 100 GB	
Supported Hypervisors	VMware vSphere 5.5+	KVM kemel 3.19 QEMU 2.0
Inspection Throughput/Instance	1 Gbps	1 Gbps
Maximum DDoS Flood Rate/Instance	910 Kpps	600 Kpps
Protection Groups	10; 50 with 4 vCPUs and 12 GB RAM	10; 50 with 4 vCPUs and 12 GB RAM

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