

SPIRENT AVALANCHE

LAYER 4-7 TESTING ON SPIRENT TESTCENTER™

IPSEC TESTING

Road warriors, telecommuters and business partners all rely on the secure communications capabilities offered by IPsec. Spirent Avalanche™ enables Network Equipment Manufacturers, Service Providers and Enterprise customers to realistically test their IPsec VPN gateways and cloud based IPsec deployments.

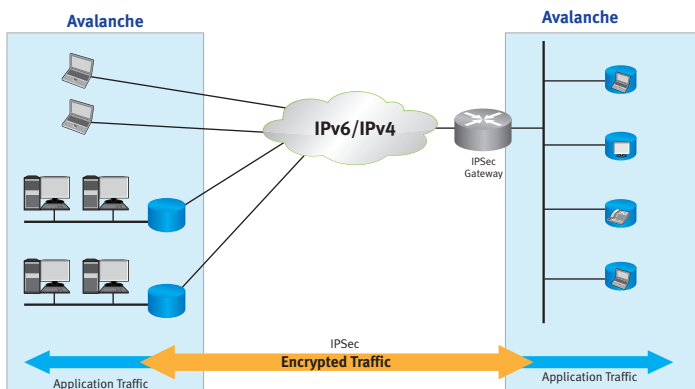
APPLICATIONS

- Compare application performance with and without IPsec
- Test voice, video and data over IPsec tunnels
- Determine maximum tunnel capacity of IPsec gateways
- Measure tunnel set-up and tear-down rates
- Test IPsec tunnel set-up, tear-down and encryption inside the cloud with Avalanche Virtual
- Find maximum tunnel throughput
- Test IPsec services over cloud and virtualized environments and devices
- Analyze the affects of aggressive tunnel re-keying
- Measure the user experience through encrypted tunnels
- Emulate IPsec deployment scenarios for IPv4 and IPv6 networks, including:
 - IPv4 over IPv4
 - IPv4 over IPv6
 - IPv6 over IPv6
- Test site-to-site and remote access tunnels
- Test attack traffic and vulnerabilities over IPsec

BENEFITS

Spirent Avalanche's IPsec feature provides complete performance assessment of IPsec gateways to quickly understand and correct deficiencies before deployment. The use of real application protocols over encrypted tunnels is the best way to truly understand the gateway's effect on user experience.

- **Quicker Time to Test:** Integrated IPsec allows full performance characterization of gateways, leading to faster production roll-outs
- **Avoiding Downtime:** High-performance testing with real traffic identifies proper sizing for your environment while providing comprehensive statistics to locate problem areas
- **Investment Protection:** Support for both IPv4 and IPv6 ensures testing needs can be supported now and for future generation testing
- **Minimizing Cost:** IPsec is a fully integrated Avalanche application that supports many use cases, minimizing the number of test applications to learn
- Comprehensive statistics quickly identify problem areas
- Tunnel Control
 - Persistent and non-persistent tunnels
 - IKE Message Retry timers
 - Max Retry
 - Expire timers
 - Commit Bit support
 - Re-Keying
 - Phase 1 Reconnect
 - Phase 2 Re-Key with old key timer
 - SA lifetimes



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TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

- IPSec Security Protocols
 - AH+ESP
 - Tunnel Mode
- IPSec Parameters
 - Main Mode and Aggressive Mode
 - Authentication
 - Pre-Shared Keys
 - X.509 Certificates
 - RSA Digital Signatures
 - Encryption: DES, 3DES, ESP NULL, AES-128, AES-192, AES-256
 - HASH: HMAC-MD5 and HMAC SHA-1
 - Diffie-Hellman Groups 1,2, & 5
 - Extended Authentication (XAuth)
 - ModeConfig address assignment
 - Generic (username and password)
 - RemoteVPN
 - Nortel Contivity
 - Checkpoint Hybrid
 - IKE Phase 2
 - Quick Mode
 - Perfect Forward Secrecy (PFS)
 - Encryption: NULL, 3DES, AES-256
 - HASH: HMAC-MD5 and HMAC SHA-1
 - Dead Peer Detection
 - Diffie-Hellman Groups 1,2 & 5
 - Tunnel Control
 - Support for IKEV1 and V2
 - Supports thousands of site to site tunnels per test
 - Persistent and non-persistent tunnels
 - IKE Message Retry timers
 - Max Retry
 - Expire timers
 - Commit Bit Support
 - Re-Keying
 - Phase 1 Reconnect
 - Phase 2 Re-Key with old key timer
 - SA Lifetimes
- Avalanche 3100 Appliance Performance
 - Number of Concurrent Tunnels: >225,000
 - Tunnel Setup Rate: >2,000/sec
 - Encrypted Bandwidth: >8 Gbps

SUPPORTED MODULES/PLATFORMS

- Spirent Avalanche 3100
- Spirent Avalanche 290
- Spirent TestCenter HyperMetrics AP, 8-port 1GbE and 2-port 10GbE
- Spirent TestCenter HyperMetrics CM, 4- and 12-port 1GbE
- Spirent TestCenter HyperMetrics mX 2-, 4- and 8-port modules
- Spirent TestCenter Application Performance CPU Module, 8-port 1GbE
- Software
 - Avalanche Commander version 3.80 or higher with Avalanche IPSec option

REQUIREMENTS

- An IBM® compatible PC must meet the following minimum requirements to run Spirent Avalanche
 - One 10/100/1000Base-T unshielded twisted pair (UTP) cable
 - One 10 Mbps or 10/100/1000 Mbps Ethernet NIC
 - Intel® E6300 Core 2 Duo 4 (or equivalent)
 - One serial port
 - Minimum of 2 GB of RAM
 - Minimum of 15 GB free space on the hard drive
 - Windows® XP Operating Systems, Service Pack 2 (SP2)
 - Windows 7 32- or 64-bit Operating Systems
 - SVGA color monitor (or equivalent) and a mouse
 - CD-ROM drive

ORDERING INFORMATION

Description	Part Number
Avalanche Security SW Bundle	CEE-SWB-005
Avalanche IPSec	CEE-SW-IPSEC

Note: Other ordering options are available.

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