

Netronome Achieves Technology Partner Status with McAfee

Customers will benefit from interoperability between the Netronome SSL Inspector and the McAfee Network Security Platform

Santa Clara, CA—February 14, 2011—[Netronome](#), a leading developer of network flow processors, today announced that it has completed compatibility testing in the McAfee® Security Innovation Alliance™ (SIA) program to become a Technology Partner. Under the McAfee SIA program, Netronome SSL Inspector™ appliances have demonstrated interoperability with McAfee Network Security Platform devices. The Netronome SSL Inspector appliances provide line-rate decryption of encrypted traffic, and the joint solution with McAfee leverages this capability to detect and protect against threats hidden within encrypted traffic.

“We are pleased to have Netronome in the SIA program as a Technology Partner providing a high-performance cyber-security solution that addresses threats that may exist within encrypted communications,” said Ed Barry, vice president of the Security Innovation Alliance, McAfee. “Netronome’s SSL Inspector, coupled with the McAfee Network Security Platform, can benefit our customers with greater protection, improved compliance and higher performance.”

The Netronome SSL Inspector appliance can be seamlessly deployed alongside existing security appliances in networks ranging from 100 Mbps to 10 Gbps. The SSL Inspector provides policy-driven access to the contents of encrypted communications. This increases the protection provided by a wide range of security appliances, such as intrusion prevention and forensics systems, and extends the compliance capabilities offered from McAfee Data Loss Prevention. As a fully transparent proxy, the SSL Inspector protects the investment in existing security appliances while mitigating costly changes to the network topology or client re-configuration.

“Virtually every business is facing an onslaught of new web- and cloud-based communications – many of which use encryption by default,” said Jarrod Siket, senior vice president of sales and marketing, Netronome. “As a member of the McAfee SIA program, our shared customers can benefit from these applications and services, with the confidence in their ability to immediately remove potential gaps created by encryption in their security and compliance architecture.”

The Netronome SSL Inspector appliances are widely deployed in government, banking, finance and healthcare networks. For more information, visit <http://www.ssl-inspector.com>.

The McAfee Network Security Platform is consistently recognized as the industry’s most robust network intrusion prevention system, offering leading accuracy and throughput levels under real-world conditions. The purpose-built intrusion prevention system combines ultra-efficient traffic inspection with McAfee Global Threat Intelligence real-time threat feeds, making it ideal for organizations needing to get the most out of their Network Security investments. The Netronome SSL Inspector appliance is a natural complement for organizations looking to extend the benefits of intrusion prevention to in-bound and out-bound SSL traffic while maintaining line-rate speeds.

The McAfee Security Innovation Alliance is a technology ecosystem designed to assemble the world's leading security innovations. It accelerates the development of interoperable security solutions for use in complex customer environments. For more information on the McAfee SIA program, please visit: <http://www.mcafee.com/sia>.

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About Netronome

[Netronome](http://www.netronome.com) is a leading developer of highly programmable semiconductor products that are used for intelligent flow processing in network and communications devices. Netronome's solutions include network flow processors and acceleration cards that scale from 10 to 100 Gbps. They are used in carrier-grade and enterprise-class communications products that require deep packet inspection, flow analysis, content processing, virtualization and security. Netronome's products are developed in labs in Santa Clara, CA, Boxborough, MA and Pittsburgh, PA. To learn more about Netronome and its products, please visit www.netronome.com.

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