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Ivanti Neurons for Secure Access

Overview

Ivanti Neurons for Secure Access delivers centralized management and analytics from the cloud for Ivanti Connect Secure (ICS) VPN gateways. Its unified interface controls an entire ICS deployment, greatly reducing the time, complexity and risks of managing multi-node VPN deployments. Risky or anomalous user behavior is addressed with automated remediation while collated gateway logs and customizable reports deliver actionable insights. Neurons for Secure Accesss minimizes overhead and maintains a secure environment to maximize the value of your VPN.

Is your multi-node VPN deployment giving you a headache?

With the rise of the work from home revolution, many organizations greatly increased their Ivanti Connect Secure VPN footprint to keep up with the demand of their users in the Everywhere Workplace. While increased connectivity for users is a good thing, increased operational overhead for administrators is not.

Large deployments can create complexity

As your organization continues to grow, you need a way to make managing your entire VPN gateway deployment easier, not harder. You need a way to quickly at-a-glance ensure all your gateways are healthy, up-to-date and operating nominally. You also need a way to easily implement configuration changes across the deployment without the hassle of signing into multiple UIs, and you need the visibility into all your users' activity, no matter when and where they are connecting to your network.

Signs you need a better management tool:

- You spend hours uploading and deploying the same update across all your VPN gateways
- A "minor configuration change" take hours to implement across multiple gateway UIs
- You have an entire browser favorites bar devoted to gateway login pages
- You reach for your spreadsheets every time somebody asks for you to run a VPN activity report across multiple regions

Ivanti Neurons for Secure Access can help

Ivanti Neurons for Secure Access cures the multi-node VPN headache. No longer will you need to sign into multiple gateways to update a single policy, or manually combine data logs in a spreadsheet, nor upload the same upgrade package to each individual gateway. Neurons for Secure Access gives you full configuration, complete gateway lifecycle management including one-click upgrades, user behavioral analytics, collated logs and troubleshooting, all from a single cloud hosted manager.

How It Works

Ivanti Neurons for Secure Access is a SaaS-delivered, centralized management and reporting platform for Ivanti Connect Secure (ICS) VPN gateways. It provides a unified interface allowing security admins to centrally manage their entire ICS gateway deployments quickly and efficiently.

Ivanti Neurons for Secure Access simplifies workflows and saves administrators time by consolidating all gateway configuration, logging, reporting and activity data to a single pane of glass, eliminating the need to make changes on individual gateways. Admins can easily replicate configurations across gateways, enabling administrators to easily configure new gateways deployed into their environment. Gateway lifecycle management includes the ability to upgrade or rollback gateways, clusters or groups of gateways with a single click, vastly reducing the amount of time and effort required to deploy updates across the VPN deployment.

Administrators also have access to analytics and troubleshooting tools to review the security and health status of their entire VPN deployment as part of their daily routine. With application discovery, administrators can track application access across the VPN, track usage metrics and see application access trends. Scheduled reports let admins design, customize and automate reports to arrive in their inbox with the exact data they want to see.

Neurons for Secure Access features actionable user risk assessment through User Entity Behavioral Analytics (UEBA), where attributes for every active VPN session are monitored and assessed for risky, suspicious or anomalous user behavior and assigned a risk score. Actionable insights allow administrators to configure automated remediation of risky user behavior, such as enforcing secondary authentication or quarantining the client for further administrative review.

Neurons for Secure Access is hosted entirely in Microsoft Azure. There is no local software or appliances to install. Adding an ICS VPN gateway to Neurons for Secure Access is as easy as copying a registration code and URL into the new gateway and clicking join.



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Feature	Description
Secure Access Foundation	 Full management of Ivanti Connect Secure VPN gateways. Centralized visibility and compliance reporting of users, devices, applications and infrastructure across the enterprise. Cloud hosted in Microsoft Azure with no local software or appliances to install. Upgrade your VPN infrastructure at your own pace.
Gateway Lifecycle Management	 Enables centralized upgrades, downgrades and restarts. "Single click" upgrade experience. Group and cluster upgrades supported. Full suite of gateway node monitoring and troubleshooting tools. (e.g. ping, traceroute, pcap, nslookup, system snapshots)
Configuration Management	 Full centralized gateway configuration management. "Lift and shift" configurations between gateways with configuration templates. Configuration groups for multi-node configuration management.
Extensibility with Third-Party Integration	 Rest APIs for 3rd party application integration. (IDP, SIEM, UEM, vulnerability assessment and endpoint protection)
User Entity Behavior Analytics (UEBA)	 Proprietary user behavioral analysis to identify risky or anomalous user activity. Automate responses to elevated risk. Warn user of elevated risk. Force secondary authentication. Deny subsequent logins with warning message. Disconnect / disable user access with warning message.
Application Discovery	 L3, L4 and L7 Application access visibility Application Access trends Application Usage Metrics
Custom Scheduled Reporting	Build custom reports from collated gateway logs then email them out on a defined schedule.
Hybrid Configuration Support	 Build custom reports from collated gateway logs then email them out on a defined schedule. Supports physical, virtual or cloud Ivanti Connect Secure VPN gateways. Supports both Ivanti ISA and PSA series VPN gateways. Co-exists with Ivanti Neurons for Zero Trust Access deployments.

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