



## Press Release

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### **Fortinet Launches FortiGate™ 60 Antivirus Firewall for All-in-One Network Security in SMBs and Enterprise Branch Offices**

N+I LAS VEGAS, Nev., April 29 – Fortinet – the only provider of ASIC-powered, network-based antivirus firewall systems for real-time content security – launched the FortiGate™ 60 antivirus firewall that uniquely provides real-time antivirus scanning of Web-based content and encrypted VPN tunnels, in addition to other security functions like firewall, intrusion detection and content filtering, providing an unparalleled security solution in terms of functions and performance for the small and medium business (SMB) and enterprise branch office markets.

The FortiGate 60 offers many compelling benefits over competitor solutions including:

- Built-in, ASIC-based real-time antivirus scanning for email (SMTP, POP3, IMAP) and Web (HTTP) traffic to stop content-based threats before they enter networks
- The best price/performance in its class, with 70Mbps of firewall throughput and 20Mbps 3DES VPN encryption at an extremely competitive price point
- Integrated managed switching with four internal 10/100BaseT ports that remove the need for external switches, and make the FortiGate 60 a very easy-to-use, plug-and-play device for SMB, remote/branch office and broadband telecommuter customers who want to connect other network devices directly to the FortiGate 60 unit

- Two redundant WAN connection ports that provide connection failover and load-balancing services, to provide high availability and enhanced performance, plus significant flexibility for integrating the FortiGate 60 into an existing network
- Two integrated USB ports that support future expansion needs via connections to USB-enabled network devices, such as dial-up modems for additional WAN redundancy and wireless access points

“Customers have told us that SMBs and enterprise branch offices need network protection that’s complete, manageable and affordable. Fortinet’s are the only systems available that provide SMBs with a full range of services, with real-time performance, in cost-effective platforms that can be installed and managed easily,” said Richard Kagan, vice president of marketing, Fortinet. “The FortiGate 60 introduces significant new customer benefits that don’t require extensive security expertise and that customers can get up and running in hours, not days.”

The FortiGate 60 protects SMB and SOHO customers from network- and application-level security threats such as worms, viruses, Trojans and other content-based attacks. Recent research from the Radicati Group estimates the economic impact of such malicious code attacks may reach \$56 billion in potential damages by 2006, including loss of productivity, loss of mission critical data, erosion of business reputation and loss of critical business intelligence.

The FortiGate 60 removes the significant acquisition cost of multiple single-function devices that in the aggregate provide the FG60’s functionality, but at much lower levels of performance and far higher costs for equipment, integration and ongoing management. The FortiGate 60’s total cost of ownership (TCO) is as much as 80 percent lower than collections of conventional, point solutions.

FortiGate Antivirus Firewalls are dedicated, hardware-based units that deliver complete, real-time network protection services at the network edge. Based on Fortinet’s revolutionary FortiASIC™ Content Processor chip, the FortiGate platforms are the only

systems that can detect and eliminate viruses, worms, and other content-based threats without reducing network performance – even for real-time applications like Web browsing. FortiGate systems also include integrated firewall, content filtering, VPN, intrusion detection and traffic shaping functions, making them the most cost-effective, convenient and powerful network protection solutions available in the marketplace today.

### **Features and Benefits**

Additional features of the FortiGate 60 include:

- Automatic download of the latest virus and attack databases, and ability to accept instant “push” updates from the FortiResponse Network
- ICSA-certified FortiOS™ for Antivirus, Firewall and IPSec VPN functions
- Easy to use and deploy – quick configuration wizard walks administrators through initial setup with multiple language supported Web-based GUI
- Compatibility with the FortiManager™ System for centralized administration and monitoring of thousands of FortiGate units

### **Pricing and Availability**

The FortiGate 60 Antivirus Firewall, in both 10-user and unlimited-user versions, is generally available now from Fortinet’s channel partners worldwide.

### **About Fortinet ([www.fortinet.com](http://www.fortinet.com))**

Fortinet's award-winning FortiGate series of ASIC-accelerated antivirus firewalls are the new generation of real-time content security systems. They detect and eliminate the most damaging, content-based threats from email and Web traffic such as viruses, worms, intrusions, inappropriate Web content and more in real time – without degrading network performance. The FortiGate systems deliver a full range of network-level services – firewall, VPN, intrusion detection and traffic shaping – as well as application-level services such as antivirus and content filtering, in dedicated, easily managed platforms. Fortinet is privately held and based in Santa Clara, California.