ZENworks Endpoint Security Management

Secure your most vulnerable IT assets with a location-aware, policy-based solution that protects the data on every PC, controls how endpoints communicate and access information, and monitors and maintains the health of endpoint devices—all from a single console.

Product Overview
Micro Focus® ZENworks® Endpoint Security Management provides fine-grained, policy-based control over all your Windows desktop and mobile PCs—including the ability to automatically change security configurations depending on a user’s role and location. By creating and managing policies from a central location, ZENworks makes it possible to implement and enforce tightly controlled, highly adaptive security policies without placing any configuration or enforcement burden on end users. ZENworks Endpoint Security Management also features robust client self-defense capabilities that provide assurance that security policies are not circumvented; in addition, it has a complete suite of monitoring, alert, reporting, and auditing tools.

Key Benefits
ZENworks Endpoint Security Management is ready to help your organization:

- Automatically adjust endpoint security policies and restrictions based on who users are, where they’re located, and what device they’re using.
- Ensure peace of mind by putting your security experts—rather than inexperienced users—back in control of defining, enforcing, and maintaining endpoint security.
- When used with the ZENworks suite, you can manage endpoint lifecycle and security issues through a single pane of glass with configuration, patch, asset, and endpoint security management—all integrated into one console (and deployable as a virtual appliance).

Key Features
ZENworks Endpoint Security Management includes a comprehensive, integrated set of enterprise endpoint security management and enforcement features.

USB and Storage Device Security
ZENworks Endpoint Security Management provides robust capabilities designed to ensure acceptable use of removable storage devices. This includes:

- **Data theft protection** that allows you to enable, disable, or set any removable file storage device to read-only—including USB, floppy, CD/DVD, and zip drives;

System Requirements
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- .mp3 players; and flash memory, SCSI, and PCMCIA cards.
- **Granular white listing controls** that allow administrators to control the use of USB devices.
- **Unauditable transaction prevention** that locks out local storage devices capable of copying data without leaving an audit trail.
- **Optical writer (DVD/CD) and floppy drive controls** that can allow, deny, or set drive access to read-only—depending on a user’s location and security situation.
- **AutoPlay/AutoRun controls** that provide centralized AutoPlay and AutoRun control functionality for your whole organization.

Data Encryption
With ZENworks Endpoint Security Management, you can centrally create, distribute, enforce, and audit encryption policies for removable storage devices on all your endpoints. The moment a removable storage device is plugged into a PC, the entire contents of the storage
device is encrypted, as well as any data copied to the device at a later time.

**Advanced Firewall Protection**

Unlike traditional application layer or hook driver firewalls, ZENworks Endpoint Security Management resides at the Network Driver Interface Specification (NDIS) layer for each network interface card (NIC). This ensures complete security protection from the moment traffic enters a PC. ZENworks Endpoint Security Management includes the following specific firewall features:

- **Stateful firewall protection** that only allows solicited traffic to be communicated back to a device
- **TCP/UDP port rules and Access Control Lists (ACLs)** that strictly manage and control firewall behavior on specific devices
- **Location-based firewall behavior control** that automatically applies different sets of port rules and ACLs depending on the relative security of a device’s location
- **Centralized, policy-based control** over firewall settings that cannot be disabled or circumvented by end users or unauthorized administrators
- **True quarantine capabilities** that protect your network when the security integrity of a PC fails

**Wireless Security**

ZENworks Endpoint Security Management provides centralized control over where, when, and how users can connect to wireless networks. This includes:

- **Wi-Fi management** that allows you to create white and black lists for wireless access points and implement policies that restrict, disable, or block Wi-Fi communications in specific situations.
- **Wi-Fi security controls** that limit Wi-Fi communications to wireless access points that meet encryption standards.
- **Wi-Fi adapter blocking** that only allows endpoints to connect to wireless access points using corporate-approved Wi-Fi adapters.

**Port Control**

In addition to Wi-Fi security, ZENworks Endpoint Security Management provides complete protection for every other type of wired and wireless port and communication device. This includes LAN, USB, 1394 (firewire), serial, and parallel ports—as well as modems, Bluetooth, and infrared (IrDA) connections.

**Application Control**

The application control component of ZENworks Endpoint Security Management gives you precise, policy-based control over the applications running on all your endpoints. This includes:

- **Application blacklisting** that blocks known malicious or undesirable applications.
- **Location-based application control** that can allow specific applications to run, deny them access to the network, or prevent them from running altogether—all based on the security of a user’s location.
- **Antivirus and spyware integrity checking**, which verifies that all required security applications are running properly—and then quarantines and remediates non-compliant devices.
- **VPN enforcement** that ensures users can only connect using an authorized VPN, protects against “evil twin” attacks, and prevents dangerous user behaviors such as “split tunneling.”