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Spirent NE-ONE Enterprise: Software Defined Test Networks

Accelerate Application Readiness With An Accurate, Controllable And Repeatable Test Network

Test applications in controllable test networks

Whether you're rolling out an enterprise business critical application like SAP or SharePoint, consolidating data centers, evaluating SD-WAN, VDI or WAN Optimization products, moving to the Cloud, or testing a new mobile app, NE-ONE Enterprise provides organizations with a way to create real-world network conditions in which to analyze, predict and verify application performance before deploying into potentially challenging network environments.

NE-ONE Enterprise allows businesses to effectively manage their digital products and brand, reducing deployment costs and risk, mitigating remediation expense and the impact on resources at the same time as improving quality.

All the test networks you need

Create accurate, controllable and repeatable test networks for organizations of all sizes. NE-ONE simplifies the creation of test networks from simple point-to-point to complex fully meshed with fast setup that is easily deployed, controlled and managed.

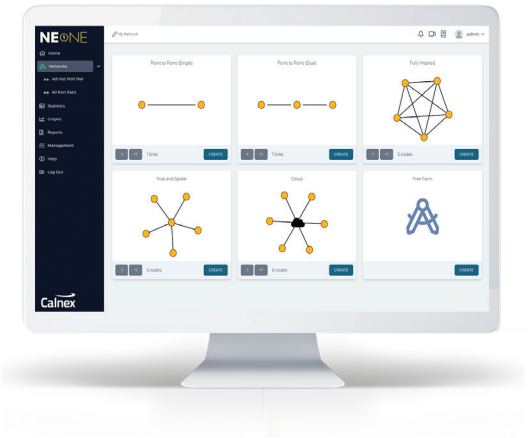
Key Features

- Choose from hardware or virtual appliances
- Certified for VMware, OpenStack, and KVM
- Preloaded Networks, LAN, WAN, Cloud, Satellite and many other example profiles
- Inline and sophisticated routing options
- No limits on port-to-port of port-to-multi-port traffic
- Mimic real-world devices post-network impairment
- Soft Ports: Create hundreds of ports for independent or large scale testing
- Topology Wizard: Ready-made network templates and free-form network designer
- Geo-location network latency calculator
- Impair traffic by any packet field and easily add your own protocols
- Apply 100+ parameters for realistic network impairments
- Intelligent Packet Replay: Recreate real-world applications traffic flows
- Real-time graphs and comprehensive reports
- RESTful APIs, and embedded Javascript Engine for automation
- Dynamic and static NAT options
- LDAP single-sign-on and SNMP support
- Multi-user

Ease-of-use

At the heart of NE-ONE is its intelligent user interface which is designed to make setting up and running a real-world test network achievable in a few minutes. NE-ONE eliminates the need to spend hours learning complex tools with cumbersome tabular interfaces and scripting. Instead, just use your preferred browser (no plug-in required) and choose from the Network Topology Wizard, Scenario Builder or built-in templates to get started.

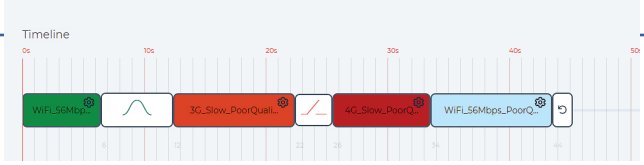
The Network Topology Wizard automates test network creation with pre-set templates such as including Point- to-Point, Multi-Point, Hub & Spoke or Cloud , while advanced users can customize topologies using the Free- Form Network Designer's drag-and-drop interface.



Network Topology Wizard

Network Scenario Builder

Create chronological network experiences using built-in transitions to mimic what happens when networks change in the real-world.

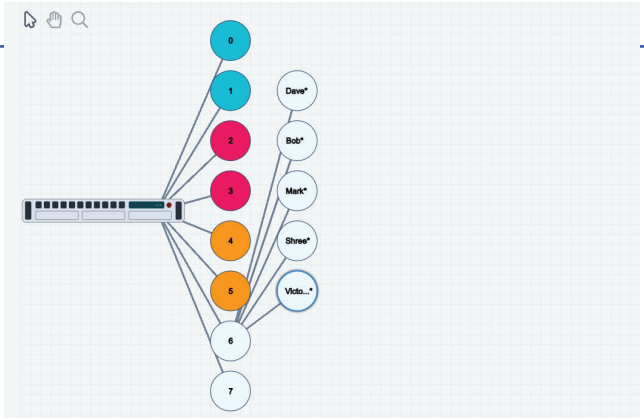


Drag and Drop

Drag and drop different network conditions to build fully automated testing scenarios.

Port Manager Configure IP, NAT, and DHCP settings for new ports, create named Port Pairs, and assign to multiple users.

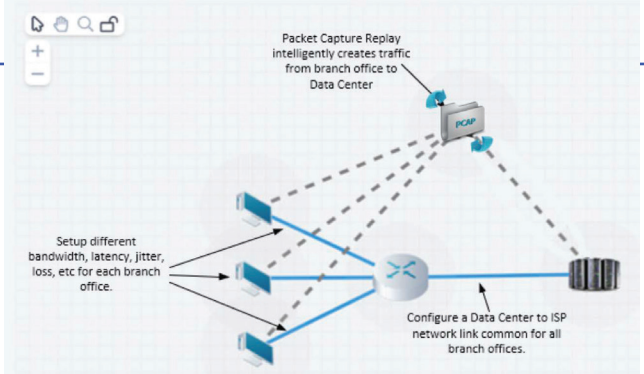
Soft Ports Create Soft Ports as subdivisions of physical ports for user-specific, independent test networks on the same NE-ONE appliance.



Route Anywhere "Route" traffic from port-to-port or port-to- multi-port, including both physical and Soft Ports, without any limitations on connectivity. This includes "routing" in bridged networks.

NAT Configure Static or Dynamic NAT, including Port Forwarding, on any port to mimic real-world devices including firewalls and routers.

Packet Replay Scale-up testing mimicking multiple clients, servers and other devices, that do not need to physically exist, so that you can understand the impact on associated application performance.



Intelligent Packet Replay Create traffic that intelligently takes into consideration the test network characteristics ensuring accurate playback and analysis.

Fast,flexible and easy deployment

With a range of platforms and models to choose from you can decide on the best features that are right for your organization.

Choose from our ready-to-use Hardware, Virtual or Cloud Appliances, all of which are available in a number of models to suit your needs.

Cloud AWS & Azure: Available for deployment in both Azure and AWS environments.

VMware: Certified Partner Ready for VMware's vSphere, NE-ONE Enterprise provides easy integration with your existing environment while leveraging the scalability and cost benefits of virtualization.

Openstack and KVM: support is available too.

Applications

Deployed by over 850 enterprises, governments and military organizations around the world NE-ONE is allowing businesses to effectively manage their digital products and brand, minimizing costs and risk while improving quality:

Application Performance — Understand how applications will perform under normal and degraded network conditions.

Optimize for Scalability — Test applications under the most extreme network conditions to discover their weaknesses and limitations.

QoS Testing / User Acceptance — Validate that your application will meet user expectations in different network environments, particularly those that are less than ideal. Ensure that your product will perform sufficiently well even in low-bandwidth or high-latency situations.

Proof of Concepts — Simulate real-world conditions for multi-cloud, data center, WAN, and SD-WAN migrations. Identify performance bottlenecks, optimize configurations, and assess reliability before actual implementation.

Use the NE-ONE to test:

- Defense application resilience testing
- Enterprise application performance testing
- Server and data center migration
- SD-WAN proof of concepts
- Healthercare equipment testing
- IoT testing
- Satellite link emulation
- Broadcast QoS
- Cloud migration
- Gaming and entertainment media QA
- Radio over IP testing
- WAN & Network Simulation
- Remote worker infrastructure testing

NE-ONE is used across industry sectors including:

- Aerospace & Defense
- Broadcasting
- Chemical & Oil
- Communications
- Education
- Finance
- Games
- Government
- Healthcare
- Logistics
- Manufacturing
- Professional Services
- Retail
- Technology
- Utilities

Product Features

Explore the capabilities of NE-ONE Software Defined Test Networks, designed to meet all your network application testing needs:

Inline, Sophisticated Routing or Both — Directly connect your test equipment inline (Layer 2) or configure to route (Layer 3) and impair traffic in VLAN and multi-IP configurations such as router- on-a-stick. At the same time other traffic, not under test, can flow through the test network unimpaired.

Out-of-the-Box Test Networks — The NE-ONE Enterprise comes pre-installed with a wide range of different network types and example profiles for LAN, WAN, Cloud, Satellite, Mobile, DSL and WiFi saving you time having to create them from scratch. Simply select your required environment and run your test. Of course, you can adjust any of the parameters or add your own custom settings.

Every Port to Port Connectivity — "Route" traffic from port- to-port or port-to-multi-port, including both physical and Soft Ports, without any limitations on connectivity. This includes "routing" in bridged networks.

Advanced Packet Handling — Classify, route, filter and selectively impair traffic by any packet field within any protocol layer (2-7) using a Wireshark®-like syntax. Bridge and/or route traffic via the emulator enabling you to mimic the complexity of your real world network. Easily add your own protocols.

Network Address Translation — Configure Static or Dynamic NAT, including Port Forwarding, on any port to mimic real-world devices including firewalls and routers.

Continuous Test Network — Deploy on the edge of the production network allowing users to test application performance from their usual location but as if they were physically at another location.

Powerful Integration — Advanced CLI / API, RESTful API, Embedded Javascript Engine and Packet Engine Programming Language (PEPL).

Geolocation Network Latency Calculator — Imagine you need to emulate a link from New York to London but you're unsure of what latency to use. NE-ONE comes with a catalogue of over 42,000 locations, so simply choose the required start and end point locations and NE-ONE will calculate and insert the base latency for you.

Intelligent Packet Replay — QA Teams and Network Engineers need to reliably recreate real-world application traffic flows for realistic and useful application performance testing. NE-ONE's Intelligent Packet Replay feature extends packet replay by properly taking into consideration the test network characteristics. Application traffic can be intelligently replayed from one or more nodes in the test network to mimic its real-world counterpart.

Impairments — Apply one or more impairments from categories that include bandwidth, congestion, latency, packet loss, errors, fragmentation, reordering, duplication and more! With more than 100 parameters to choose from NE-ONE combines realism and accuracy in a Software Defined Test Network that allows you to test applications over a range of controllable and repeatable scenarios.

Graphs & Statistics — Analyze the test network in real-time to identify and resolve potential application performance issues to ensure service level compliance before deployment. Easily see what is happening to packet flows at any point in the test network and get easy and fast visibility into your application's performance using built-in graphs including an export data feature for offline analysis in other tools.

Reports — NE-ONE's built-in expert knowledge provides comprehensive understanding of the end-to-end performance of applications and how and who they interact with over the network. Its powerful, intelligent and interactive reports empower you to know if an application is Network Ready, validates planned changes and accelerates troubleshooting performance problems in production applications.

Predictive Analytics — Predictive Analytics makes forecasts about future networked application performance using historical data to identify potential performance problems.

Packet Capture — Full packet capture in PCAP format at any point in the test network provides pervasive application visibility, analysis and troubleshooting.

Technical Specifications	PRODUCT MODELS Model 2	Model 4	Model 6	Model 8
1 GBPS Models:				
Emulation Ports - RJ45 Copper	2	4	6	8
Network Objects	10	20	30	40
Soft Ports	16	32	48	64
Management Port	1 RJ45 Copper	1 RJ45 Copper	1 RJ45 Copper	1 RJ45 Copper
Product Code	CN-NE1-ENTP-2-1G	CN-NE1-ENTP-4-1G	CN-NE1-ENTP-6-1G	CN-NE1-ENTP-8-1G

Technical Specifications	PRODUCT MODELS Model 2	Model 4	Model 6
10 GBPS Models:			
Emulation Ports - 10G Fiber Optic	2	4	6
Emulation Ports - RJ45 Copper	2	2	2
Network Objects	20	40	60
Soft Ports	64	128	192
Management Port	1 RJ45 Copper	1 RJ45 Copper	1 RJ45 Copper
Product Code	CN-NE1-ENTP-2-10G	CN-NE1-ENTP-4-10G	CN-NE1-ENTP-6-10G

Features
General:
Intuitive Web GUI
Management Ethernet Port
Multi-user (Unlimited)
Control access to physical and Soft Ports by user
Centrally Save & Share Test Networks
Virtual Appliance (VMware Certified) for all models
User Authentication:
Built In
LDAP
Network Scenario Builder:
Example Profiles
Transition - None
Transition - Variable
Transition - Outage
Transition - Gradual

Features
Network Topologu Wizard:
Point-to-point (Single)
Point-to-point (Dual)
Fully Mesh
Hub and Spoke
Cloud
Free Form
Soft Ports:
Port Manager
Create Soft Port from Physical Port
Create Soft Port from Soft Port
Route Traffic by: * VLAN (Layer 2) with tagging/detagging/ retagging * IPv4 (Layer 3) with ICMP/ARP/DHCP Relay Support * IP (Layer 3) with IPv4 and IPv6 Support * Filter (layer-less) by ranges of IP src/dest, Port (application), VLANs or "Wireshark-like" expression

Features
Multi-Point Designer:
Icon Library
Customizable Background
Save & Share Test Networks
Apply Impairments on Links (Circuits)
Apply Impairments on Nodes (Routers)
Test Networks:
General:
Port Pairs - Ad Hoc
Port Pairs - Favourite
Set Default Test Network on Boot
Nodes1 - (Virtual Routers)
Links1 - (Circuits)
Geolocation Network Latency Calculator
Port Set-Up:
IP V4 & V6 Addressing
Inline - Bridge
Inline - Route
Router
Router on one port (router-on-a-stick)
DHCP Relay
NAT - Both Static & Dynamic
Routing & Filtering:
Sophisticated routing/filtering including route by Layer 2 and Layer 3 properties e.g. IP/Subnet, IP Range, IP src/dest, Port (application)
Both symmetric and asymmetric, and using "Wire-shark-like" classification "route" at Layers 4-7
Advanced "Wireshark-like" expressions to specify Filters and Routes matching with Just- in-time (JIT) compiler for speed
NAT & PAT
Network Topologies:
Point-to-Point
Point-to-Point Dual Hop
Hub and Spoke
Partial Mesh & Fully Meshed
Cloud
Any Combination of the above

Features
Test Networks (Cont.):
Network Profiles:
LAN
WAN
Mobile - 2G
Mobile - 3G
Mobile - 4G
Mobile - 5G
SDSL
ADSL
Satcom
Custom
Unlimited Impairments:
Bandwidth (1bps increments)
Loss
Latency
Bit Error
Duplicate
Fragment
Out Of Order
Congestion - Static
Congestion - Variable
And More...
Traffic Generation:
UDP
TCP
PCAP Playback:
Packet Replay
Intelligent Packet Replay
QoS:
QoS Bandwidth & Priority
Class of Service Handling and Traffic Shaping

Features
Analysis:
Graphs:
Bits Received Per Sec
Bits Sent Per Sec
Packets Received Per Second
Packets Sent Per Second
Bytes Received Per Second
Bytes Sent Per Second
Packets Received
Packets Sent
Bytes Received
Bytes Sent
Internal Dropped
Hardware Dropped
Statistics:
Bits Received Per Sec
Bits Sent Per Sec
Packets Received Per Second
Packets Sent Per Second
Bytes Received Per Second
Bytes Sent Per Second
Packets Received
Packets Sent
Bytes Received
Bytes Sent
Internal Dropped
Hardware Dropped
Reports:
Configuration Report
Test Report
Applications Report
Application Performance Report

Features
Administration:
Backup
Restore
File Browser
Port Pair Manager
System Notifications (Audit Log)
SSL Certificate
Software Update
Network Time (NTP) Server
SNMP Support
Session Time-out
Integration Feature Pack:
API/CLI[2]
Restful API[2]
Embedded Javascript Engine
Packet Engine Programming Language (PEPL)
*** Integration features are not included in the base license**
Help and Training:
Operator Manual (via GUI)
CLI/API Manual (via GUI)
Restful API (via GUI)
Online videos - (via GUI)
Training Course

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