

# Core protection for your most important assets

The move to a digital world means employees have access to all sorts of solutions and platforms – opening the doors to a vast array of risks. The firewall remains a key part of your defences, but it needs to be smarter than ever to secure what is, in effect, a moving target. Our dedicated team of security experts, armed with constantly evolving technology, will protect your most important assets.

Faced with increasingly complex security threats, businesses are having to re-evaluate their defences. Cyber security was predominantly about ensuring a strong perimeter around your network. Now, it's a much more fluid and ever-changing landscape. Internet-based threats are increasingly complex and ever more sophisticated. Everyone knows a breach can lead to loss of data, revenue, brand reputation and customer loyalty, so how do you control a moving target?

Save yourself the hassle – and risk – of an in-house or DIY firewall implementation. We can deploy complex solutions on your sites around the world, with full project management and service commissioning.

Our Managed Firewall Security protects your most important assets, with a skilled team of security experts and constantly evolving technology backing you up.

## Security that is built-in, not bolted-on

We can tailor our support to your needs, wherever you do business. You stay in control of your security policy, we'll help define it and make sure it's implemented and maintained properly.

Our security experts can proactively manage your firewalls around the clock and give you detailed reports on your system's health and attack history.

If there are any issues on the ground, our IT support partners can replace faulty equipment and get you back up and running within hours at sites around the world. And, depending on your firewall model, you can choose which Unified Threat Management/Next Generation Firewall features you need.

## The benefits of a managed firewall

### Industry-leading protection against new and dynamic threats

Full protection against threats with real-time scanning of inbound and outbound web traffic, blocking known and zero-day threats before they reach your network.

### Scalability

Our service can meet the needs of all sizes of organisation – from those using simple internet links, through to large-scale WAN infrastructures.

### Proactive monitoring

From our 16 Global Security Operations Centres we provide a centralised monitoring of your firewall estate, giving you the information you need to respond proactively.



# A firewall for the digital business

Managing your own global firewall can be complex and costly. We know the key challenges involved and can help you:

## Maintain security policy

Designing, monitoring, and maintaining a firewall architecture to implement your security policy is a complex task. We'll configure and test everything to snuff out vulnerabilities and protect your network.

## Keep up with rules and regulations

Information security regulations are constantly evolving. We have the expertise to ensure your policies, firewall configurations and rule sets are all helping you remain compliant.

## Maintain an efficient security architecture

We know which features and functions in a next generation firewall can help – or hinder – your overall security architecture and make a big difference to your application performance.

## Manage firewall changes

Firewall maintenance and configuration is time-consuming. Unwieldy and conflicting rule sets create backdoor entry points and unnecessary complexity – both costly and risky. Our team recognise and understand the threats, and know how to deal with them.

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“We do not have the discipline and standard technologies, and frankly it is not very important to us until it goes wrong. But firewall management is a core business to BT. BT is providing expertise while bringing down the cost in real terms.”

Chief Information Officer, Unilever

## Why choose BT?

With operations in over 180 countries supporting some of the world's largest companies, from financial institutions to pharmaceuticals, we have a unique perspective on cybercrime. We know that a cyber-attack can happen anytime.

We've built a team of 3,000 experts in 16 global centres. They are constantly watching, learning, predicting and responding to threats to protect us and our customers. So you can rely on us to protect you. Reduce risk, ensure your firewalls are professionally managed and monitored by BT.

- our experts perform the centralised management and monitoring of your firewall estate around the world, around the clock, 365 days a year
- we ensure that your security policy is enforced, giving you the best chance to respond quickly to the latest threats
- we provide you with the reports and insight you need on system health and threat activity
- we will work with you to optimise your firewall estate and reduce your risk-project managing, deploying, and commissioning appliances where you need them
- we bring you the best technology to help future-proof your investment and maximise your protection.

## What could Managed Firewall Security do for you?

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