

Press release

Visonys launches Version 4.1 of *visonys*Airlock on the market

High performance monitoring and reporting sets new standards for simplicity and convenience

Zurich, 26 June 2007 - Visonys has announced the availability of its Web Application Firewall *visonys*Airlock 4.1. The latest version offers user friendly control and monitoring as well as a completely new monitoring and reporting concept as important core functions of the Web Application Firewall to allow convenient 360-degree monitoring. Thus the entire administration is greatly simplified which will bring relief to the people responsible for IT security.

The new version is to be simply integrated and expanded into existing environments. Thus, for example, the filters can be passively adapted to allow the gradual integration of new applications. In this mode, infringements of the regulations are only logged, without also blocking queries. In addition, integration in anti-virus test processes is considerably simpler, so that detailed queries via *visonys*Airlock can be sent via ICAP links to dedicated anti-virus gateways and examined there for viruses and malware; thus the Web Application Firewall behaves like an ICAP client here.

To reduce complexity further and increase user friendliness, log information is processed centrally: Log messages from the most diverse sources are processed by the new central log engine and can be conveniently observed via the web interface. In this way, *visonys*Airlock can be merged without problem into centralised monitoring systems. In addition, the consolidation of individual incidents into emergency alerts makes the entire monitoring easier; individual log entries can be consolidated into higher-level messages (events) so that an emergency alert of the system does not take place for every small incident but only for pre-defined events.

“With *visonys*Airlock 4.1, we have succeeded in making another important step forward”, says Cyrill Osterwalder, CEO of Visonys. “The new functionalities of the latest version facilitate integration and operation of our Web Application Firewall, because both control and monitoring are simpler – and thus more user friendly - and are more efficient. This saves costs both in the introduction phase and in operation and brings us a major step closer in our efforts to offer the most easily implemented solution in the market.”

About Visonys

Visonys AG is a leading worldwide Swiss manufacturer of standard IT security products. The solutions protect web applications and web services from attacks, increase their availability and lower operating costs. Today Visonys protects the web environments of leading worldwide enterprises from all industries as well as from nine out of ten Swiss banks. With the web application firewall, *visonysAirlock* won Visonys the Swiss Technology Award for 2003. More Information about Visonys is available at www.visonys.com.

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