

System iNtrusion Analysis & Reporting Environment

# **SNARE Server Version 6**

Snare from InterSect Alliance, is an Enterprise level Security Event Mangement system. It is comprised of two toolsets, a robust central audit event collection, analysis, reporting and archiving tool (the Snare Sever) and the Enterprise Snare Agents which ensures collection of event logs from a number of operating systems, applications, as well as custom event logs.

With the release of Version 6.0 of the Snare Server a range of new functionality and features provides an excellent platform for users to meet key organizational security objectives

#### New User Interface:



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The Snare Server user interface has been significantly redesigned for version 6, with a focus on simplifying navigation, and taking advantage of the features of modern browsers.

Drag & drop, pop-up windows, tabbed pages, and

interactive updates all contribute to a modern streamlined environment that allows you to get on with the job of detecting security problems in your network, without the software getting in the way

#### **Comprehensive Range of Reports**

Enterprise Snare agents can collect from a massive variety of operating systems, services, and applications, as well as the server can receive from network devices, such as routers, switches, and firewall; and the reports available on the Snare Server reflect the complex ecosystem from which the log data is derived.

The Snare Server includes over 100 different reports spread amongst a wide range of categories, including administrative activity, sensitive file monitoring, user login activity, web proxy access, firewall and router monitoring, user and group checks, and many more.

The Snare Server now includes a unique feature of importing objectives or queries that have been built by your Snare Server support team, as well, as allows you to ensure that reports are standardized in a environment where multiple Snare Servers exist. Your



Snare Server team can also generate new reports in response to new log sources, new security threats, and new regulatory requirements

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Users of previous versions of the Snare Server will find the range of reports very familiar, but will also discover that the updated query and output flexibility greatly expands the utility of reports.

#### Powerful Query and Output Option

The Snare Server's objective configuration interface starts off simple, and grows in capability and flexibility as you add filters, and output components to the mix.

Matching logs of interest is made easier with a query definition system that utilizes modern browser capabilities to provide a simple user interface, which still allows you to define complex queries.

The ability to use modular output components means that you can choose to have your output as sparse, or as complex as you need in order to meet your key reporting requirements.

Real-time integration in every modular event-based objective means that you can receive notification of critical problems straight away.

You can even use the Snare Server's 'Token' system to break apart those big strings that tend to appear in log data, and use the resulting information in graphs, or tabular output, just like any other pre-normalized data field.

### **Elegant Data Presentation**

Raw log data is often hard to interpret. Formatting is inconsistent, the content is esoteric, and it's hard to get your head around - particularly if it's hitting your desk at thousands of events every second

Snare receives the data, breaks it up into fields that are consistent across similar log types, and makes the data readable - with tables, graphs, and other output components that help you derive information from data, knowledge from content and results from your security strategies.

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Some of the new functionality available in version 6 includes:

- Interactively sort your data by clicking on a header field.
- Jump to the first, or last page of data in a single click.
- Click on a 15 minute segment of data, and reach down into the raw events.
- Show matching query results while the report is being generated.
- A full range of additional match criteria, and output options for each and every log-related objective.



### Robust collection, and intelligent caching

Even on a low-end workstation with the lowest recommended specifications, the Snare Server is capable of collecting and storing over 10 billion events per month. Version 6.0, installed on even entry-level server hardware can triple this collection rate.

On the most common low-end commercial disk drive available at time of documentation creation (2Tb), Snare's log compression and storage subsystem can cram over a year and a half's worth of data at the rates identified above, or decades of information for organizations with less audit volume.

Snare's query response when faced with additional data, is approximately linear, which means that reports that only look at recent data, won't be speed-penalized by keeping masses of events available and ready to query on the Snare Server, and the Server is intelligent enough to cache data from reports that you use regularly - which means that the more commonly used reports, generate faster

## Enabling Content

IT Security has come a long way from being the domain of a few professional specialists buried somewhere in an organizations IT cell.

Often, the people who are most interested in the security of organizational information, are those who create, and are responsible for it.

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The Snare Server allows you to put security reports that are uniquely tailored to your organization, into the hands of the people who are most interested in keeping the information safe, without the need to understand the intricate details of the log collection infrastructure, or the analysis engine, that supports them.

Access controls provide you with the ability to selectively provide read-only or change access to specific reports on the Snare Server, or you can send out:

- \* Electronic Mail
- \* Twitter tweets
- \* Jabber / Google Talk message
- \* PDF or HTML reports

#### Future Proofing your Investment

When you purchase the Snare Server and your annual maintenance subscription, you don't just get the current version - you receive all future updates and upgrades, including access to the objective upload portal as part of your annual support agreement.

Your data is held in a non-proprietary format. If you need to export your data to another application for forensic study, we want to make sure you can. It's your information - not ours.

The server development and support team have many decades of experience in security audit and event logs. The Snare Agents are in use around the world, and are considered by many to be the de facto standard for agent based audit log collection. The Snare Agents can be used in conjunction with other SIEM products, thought they are designed to work seamlessly with the Snare Server.

Snare's development has always been guided directly by the commends and feature requests of our customers, and Version 6 uses these requirements as the foundation for a robust, comprehensive security event management system.

#### Flexible Licensing

With Version 6, Intersect Alliance has also introduced new licensing types to accommodate any budget. Snare, in the past was provided as a perpetual license, however term licensing and subscription based licensing have been introduced.

Term based licensing provides for slightly lower upfront cost, as well as lower on-going cost, and subscription based with a three year contract.

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