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Akamai Guardicore Segmentation

Stop Lateral Movement with Granular Visibility and Microsegmentation Controls

Enterprise IT infrastructure is still evolving from traditional on-premises data centers to cloud and hybrid cloud architectures, with a blend of platforms and application deployment models. Although this digital transformation is helping many organizations achieve greater business agility, reduce infrastructure costs, and enable remote work, it is also creating a larger and more complex attack surface that does not have a well-defined perimeter. Each individual server, virtual machine, cloud instance, and endpoint is now a possible point of exposure; and with the prevalence of threats like ransomware and zero-day vulnerabilities, attackers are becoming more adept at moving laterally toward high-value targets when—not if—they find a way in.

Akamai Guardicore Segmentation provides the simplest, fastest, and most intuitive way to enforce Zero Trust principles within your network. We stop lateral movement by visualizing activity within your IT environments, implementing precise microsegmentation policies, and detecting possible breaches quickly.

USE CASES

Prevent Ransomware

Secure Cloud Migration

Achieve Zero Trust

Safeguard Remote Workforce

Accelerate Compliance

Protect Your Endpoints

Ring-fence Critical Applications

Replace Internal Firewalls

KEY SOLUTION CAPABILITIES

Granular, AI-Powered Segmentation

Implement policies in a few clicks using AI recommendations, templates for remediating ransomware and other common use cases, and precise workload attributes like processes, users, and domain names

Real-Time and Historical Visibility

Map application dependencies and flows down to the user and process levels on a real-time or historical basis

Broad Platform Support

Cover modern and legacy operating systems across bare-metal servers, virtual machines, containers, IoT, and cloud instances

Flexible Asset Labeling

Add rich context with a customizable labeling hierarchy and integration with orchestration tools and configuration management databases

Multiple Protection Methods

Integrate threat intelligence, defense and breach detection capabilities to reduce incident response time

How It Works

Akamai Guardicore Segmentation collects detailed information about an organization's IT infrastructure through a mix of agent-based sensors, network-based data collectors, virtual private cloud flow logs from cloud providers, and integrations that enable agentless functionality. Relevant context is added to this information through a flexible and highly automated labeling process that includes integration with existing data sources, such as orchestration systems and configuration management databases.
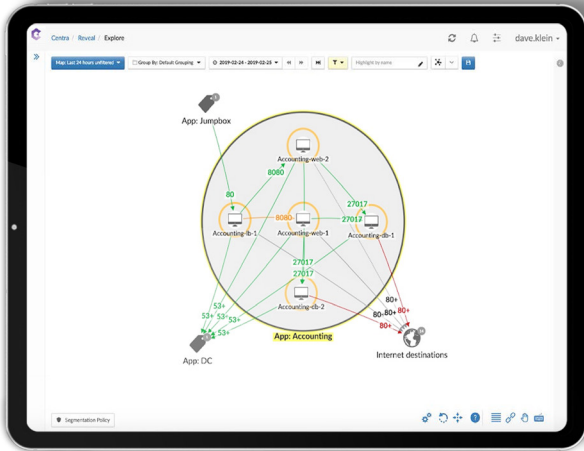
Network Map

The output is a dynamic map of the entire IT infrastructure that allows security teams to view activity with user- and process-level granularity on a real-time or historical basis. These detailed insights, combined with AI-powered policy workflows, make the creation of segmentation policies fast, intuitive, and based on real workload context.
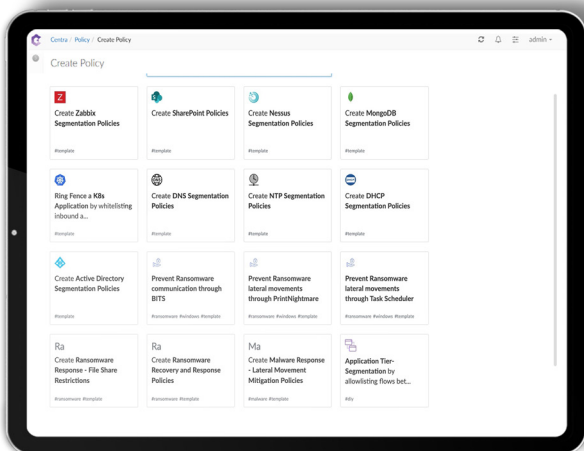
Templates

Policy creation is made easy with prebuilt templates for the most common use cases. Policy enforcement is completely decoupled from the underlying infrastructure, so security policies can be created or altered without complex network changes or downtime. In addition, policies follow the workload no matter where it resides — in on-premises data centers or public cloud environments. Our segmentation capabilities are complemented by a sophisticated set of threat defense and breach detection capabilities, as well as threat hunting services provided by Akamai Threat Labs.

SUPPORTED PLATFORMS AND TECHNOLOGIES

» We are designed to integrate with your *existing* infrastructure

» Our OS support expands continuously with our customers' needs

» Click here for a complete list of our integrations and technology partners

Memory and System Minimum Requirements

Management Server
32 GB RAM, 8 vCPUs, 530 GB

Deception Server
32 GB RAM, 8 vCPUs, 100 GB

Aggregator
4 GB RAM, 4 vCPUs, 30 GB

ESC Collector
2 GB RAM, 2 vCPUs, 30 GB

Intelligence-Sharing Export Protocols

STIX, Syslog, SMTP, CEF, Open REST API

COMPREHENSIVE PROTECTION AT SCALE

Any Environment

Protect workloads in complex IT environments with a combination of on-premises workloads, virtual machines, legacy systems, containers and orchestration, public/private cloud instances, and IoT/OT
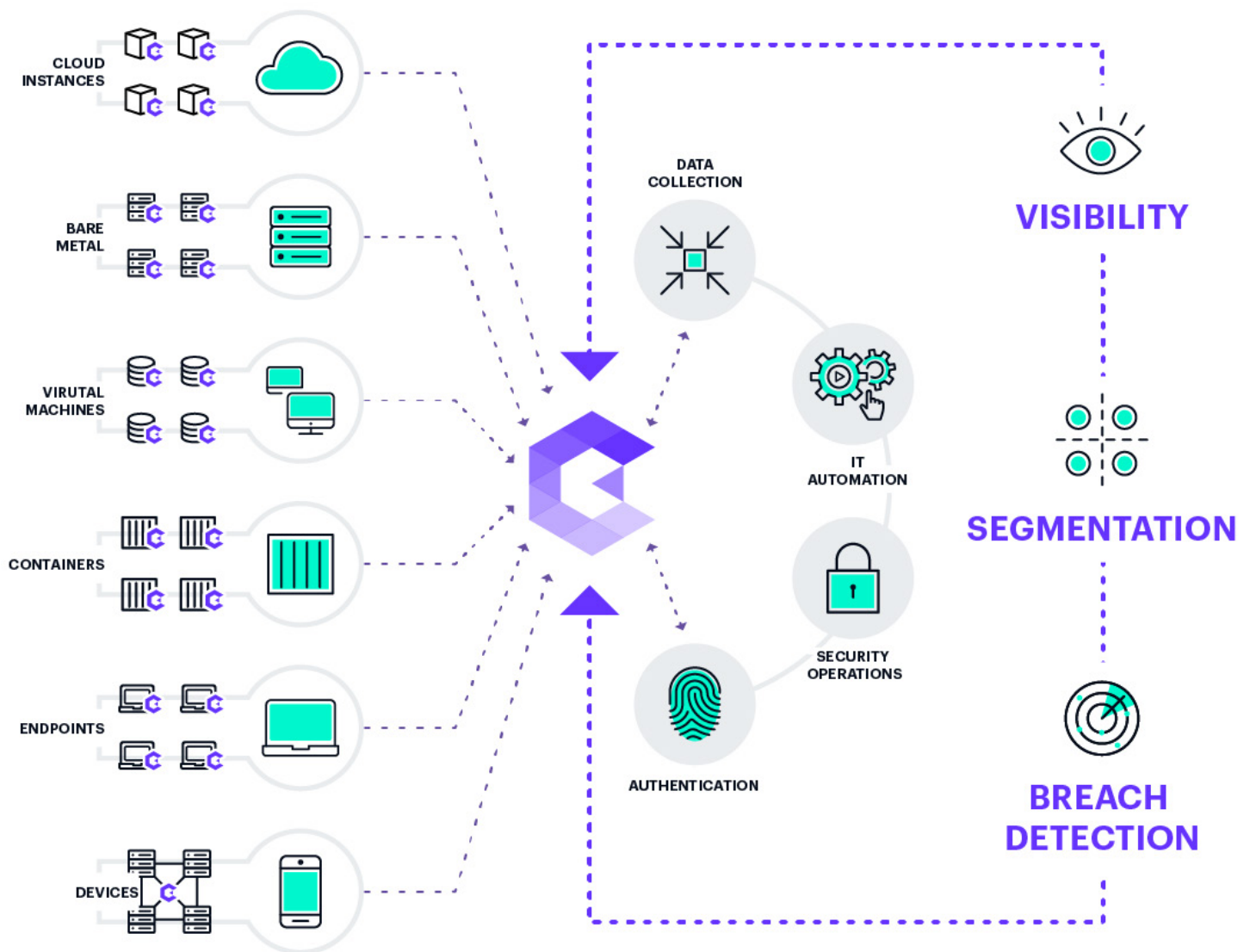
Simplify Security

Simplify security management with one platform that provides network visualization, segmentation, threat defense, breach detection capabilities, and guided policy enforcement for Zero Trust initiatives

Enterprise Scalability and Performance

Start with focused protection of your most critical digital assets and scale up to protect your full enterprise without complexity, infrastructure changes, or performance bottlenecks

CLOUD INSTANCES

BARE METAL

VIRUTAL MACHINES

CONTAINERS

ENDPOINTS

DEVICES

DATA COLLECTION

IT AUTOMATION

SECURITY OPERATIONS

AUTHENTICATION

VISIBILITY

SEGMENTATION

BREACH DETECTION

Our holistic solution combines key capabilities required for achieving Zero Trust within your IT environment.