Symantec™ Endpoint Protection 14



Comparison Chart

What's new in SEP 14?			
Feature	Symantec Endpoint Protection 12.x	Symantec Endpoint Protection 14	
Improved Protection and Performance			
IPS and Browser Intrusion Prevention	1	√	Scans network traffic for indications of or attempted intrusions, or attacks directed at browser vulnerabilities
Symantec Insight reputation analysis	√	√	Separates files with risky reputation from those that are safe, for faster and more accurate malware detection.
Behavioral monitoring (SONAR)	√	√	SONAR examines programs as they run, identifying and stopping malicious behavior
Signature Detection	1	√	Traditional reactive malware detection technologies.
Advanced Machine Learning		√	Advanced Machine Learning (AML) on the endpoint for improved static detections of unknown threats.
Intelligent Threat Cloud – helps reduce definition files sizes by 70%		1	Rapid cloud lookup of virus definitions using patented techniques. Helps reduce definition size updates.
Memory Exploit Mitigation		1	Hardening to protect against zero-day exploits of vulnerabilities in common applications.
New Emulator scans 15% faster		V	Static Data Scanning detects custom packed malware. Improves scan performance and effectiveness.
LiveUpdate Enhancements		V	New content: Security patches for Windows clients and Endpoint Detection & Response (EDR) definitions
SONAR Enable Suspicious Behavior Detection		1	Keep behavior policy enforcement protection of applications ON when SONAR scoring is off.
SONAR Scan files on remote computers		1	Recommend: enable the Only when files are executed option for protection and performance
Application Hash Value Report		√	Reports the hash value - use instead of an application's name to add to policies that block applications
Orchestration, Usability, and Scale			
User Interface for SEPM		√	New look and feel, in addition to new icons and fonts
In-Product Notifications		V	The latest news regarding SEP within SEPM UI and an informational alert when the "Endpoint Protection Notification" page is Updated
Group Update Provider (GUP) Supernet		1	The super subnet mask lets you add a subnet which encompass multiple subnets, reducing the number of explicit entries from thousands to a few.
Custom Replication Schedule		1	Run replication multiple times a day across multiple locations, improving effective reporting while preventing deadlocks on SEPM.
REST APIs		1	For integration with other security infrastructure like ProxySG (Secure Web Gateway).
Mac Enhancements		1	Configure a Device Control policy for Mac clients to manage removable devices, such as USBs and FireWire. AutoUpgrade from SEPM added for Mac.

Read What's New in Symantec Endpoint Protection 14 for more details about these and other enhancements

