

What's New: Upgrade from SEP SBE to SEP Cloud

SEP Cloud Features and Benefits

Upgrading to SEP Cloud from SEP SBE provides numerous benefits to business and IT users including expanded security capabilities that strengthen your overall security posture, easier administration that improves operational efficiency, and the ability to integrate with other security solutions. SEP Cloud enables you to optionally expand protection to mobile devices and Windows servers, add device encryption, and manage all of these protection services from a single console.

Expanded Security Capabilities

- **Centrally manage macOS devices** with configurable protection policies similar to the way Windows devices are managed. SEP SBE provides only unmanaged macOS protection with client software that is not centrally controlled and managed using an admin console.
- **Strong two-factor authentication** to SEP Cloud admin console protects admin credentials from misuse or theft. SEP SBE provides only Admin user password authentication.
- **Password protection** prevents unauthorized access to devices by enforcing password requirements defined by administrative policy. Password protection is not included with SEP SBE.
- **Powerful customizable alert rules engine** allows custom alert rules creation for more comprehensive security monitoring and on-demand actionable intelligence. SEP SBE offers only a basic alert rules editor.

Easier Administration

- **Self-Service Enrollment portal** enables end users to add devices (corporate or personal) to SEP Cloud and download the SEP Cloud agent without admin intervention. SEP SBE offers no self-service enrollment capabilities.
- **One-click policy configuration** enables cross OS platform policy creation. The policy is created just once, and that policy configuration translates to any supported device or operating system, greatly simplifying policy deployment and management. SEP SBE policy creation is available only on a per OS platform basis.
- **Simplified firewall policy configuration** with four setting levels let admins control incoming and outgoing network traffic; and more advanced firewall policy controls are available.
- **Built-in integration with Identity Providers** such as Azure AD, Okta and VIP Access Manager makes it easy to synch users with SEP Cloud. For non-Azure Active Directory organizations, bulk upload of users via .csv or .xls templates allows users to be imported/updated without manual entry. SEP SBE does not have bulk upload capability nor integration with identity providers.

Extend SEP Cloud with Other Security Solutions

- **REST APIs** enable integration and orchestration with third party tools such as SIEMs, as well as integration with other Symantec products such as ATP and Secure Web Gateway. SEP SBE does not include REST APIs.
- **Integration** with Symantec's IT Management Suite extends software inventory and patch management to SEP Cloud endpoints.

To learn more about SEP Cloud visit <https://www.symantec.com/products/endpoint-protection-cloud>.

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