BIGFIX

STREAMLINE MANAGEMENT OF ENDPOINT SECURITY PRODUCTS
TO CUT COSTS AND REDUCE RISK FOR PAIN-FREE PROTECTION

BIGFIX CUSTOMER SPOTLIGHT

Stanford University needed a way to migrate from Symantec to Sophos with minimal impact to IT operations and their user community. With BigFix, one-click AV removal and optimized software distribution and installation made the migration process relatively pain-free—across their entire install base of 25,000 endpoints. Moreover, web-based reports are automatically generated and provided to management every day with accurate results of the progress of the migration—down to the specifics of each computer.

TAKE THE STING OUT OF SWITCHING ANTI-MALWARE SOFTWARE

As organizations expand to make acquisitions and generally de-centralize, it is not unusual to end up with multiple, competing endpoint security vendors. This makes global consolidated management and reporting nearly impossible, while fears of switching costs make it difficult to leverage the organization's size to negotiate better pricing. It also increases the coverage gap—the number of endpoints without endpoint protection or with outdated signatures.

While anti-virus, anti-malware and anti-spyware client software has become a standard layer of protection for the enterprise, managing these products is not always straightforward. As organizations look to improve efficiencies and manage the cost of software, they can rely on BigFix to take the pain out of migration to alternative endpoint security technologies or simply streamline management from a single, unified point of control and reporting.

BigFix Client Manager for Endpoint Protection enables management of third-party endpoint security clients from vendors such as CA, IBM, McAfee, and Symantec through the BigFix Unified Management Platform. More than just a way to put anti-malware defense under a BigFix umbrella, BigFix Client Manager brings unprecedented scalability, speed and thoroughness to keeping organizations ahead of external threats.
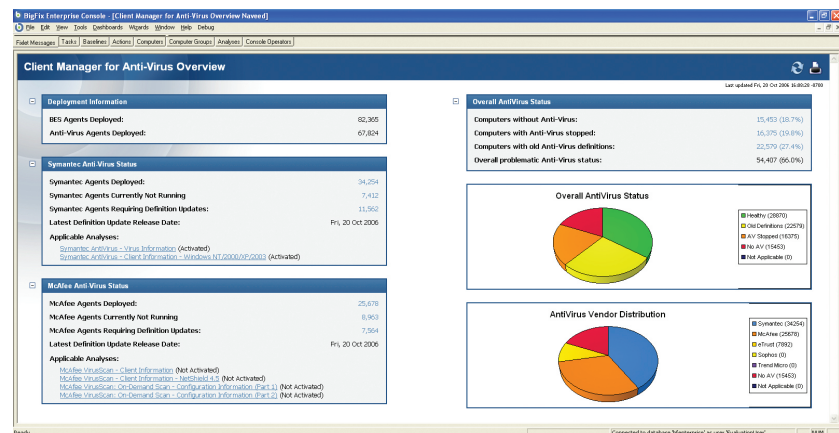
Monitor multiple endpoint security products from a single console

SYSTEM AND SERVER REQUIREMENTS

Supported Operating Systems for BigFix Server

- Windows 2000 Server SP 2+/2003/2008

Database Requirements for BigFix Server

- SQL Server 2000 SP4/2005

Supported Operating Systems for BigFix Console

Any of the following:

- Windows XP/2000/2003 Vista/2008

SUPPORTED OPERATING SYSTEMS

For BigFix Agent

All of the following:

- Windows
- Mac OS X
- Solaris
- IBM AIX
- IBM zLinux
- HP-UX
- VMware ESX Server
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux
- SUSE Linux Enterprise
- Red Hat Linux
- Fedora Linux

Note: Functionality may vary by supported platform. For an updated listing of supported OS versions, please see http://support.bigfix.com.

ABOUT BIGFIX

BigFix®, Inc. is a leading provider of high-performance enterprise systems and security management solutions that revolutionizes the way IT organizations manage and secure their computing infrastructures.

Product Benefits:

- Manage multiple endpoint protection products from a single management console
- Migrate from one vendor to another with "one-click" software removal and reinstall
- Consolidate, cut costs, and improve quality of endpoint protection client management
- Enable competitive evaluation and easy switch-out of endpoint protection clients
- Integrate endpoint security tools with BigFix Patch Management, Security Configuration and Vulnerability Management, and Systems Lifecycle Management to reduce infrastructure and improve visibility

Product Features:

- Web-based reporting to monitor migration progress in real time and with drill-down details
- Uninstall tools to enable easy switch out of incumbent endpoint protection tools
- Closed-loop verification of updates, signature definition files, and more—even if endpoints are disconnected from the enterprise network
- Unparalleled scalability and speed—a single management server can support up to 250,000 endpoints with updates made in minutes
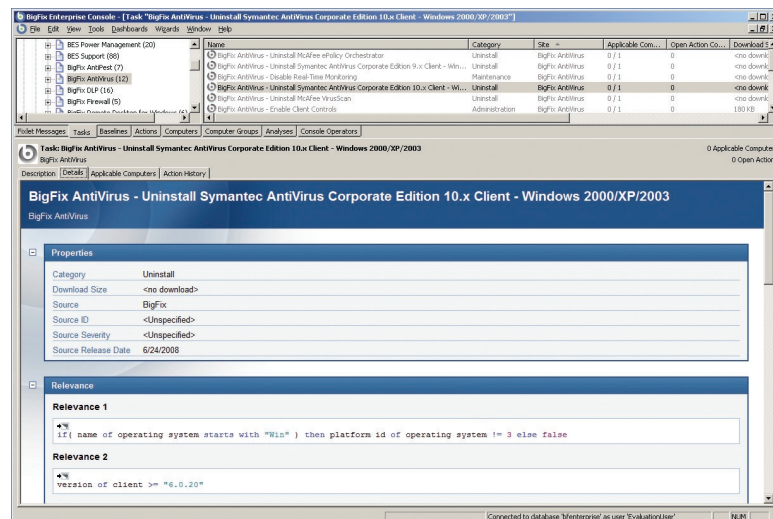
"One-click" AV removal and reinstall allows for greater flexibility and control.