

Comparison Analysis of NetFox, ContentKeeper, Ingot, GetBusi, IronPort, Gaia and Blue Reef

TOP FIVE BENEFITS OF NETFOX	NetFox	Content Keeper	Ingot	GetBusi	IronPort	Gaia	Blue Reef
Provides easy to use Internet reporting. NetFox delivers accurate, detailed and real time results. Tailored reporting privileges can be delegated to staff and even students if desired.	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
The real-time accuracy of the content filter. By filtering by page contents, not just by URLs, the content filtering is much more effective at both blocking the inappropriate material and allowing the appropriate material. It is also very effective at reducing the use of proxy sites.	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
Gain instant control. You gain local policy management and reporting while still running effectively with an upstream proxy, if applicable (i.e. education dept). NetFox can integrate with your local systems (e.g. you don't have to recreate users), plus there is no lag time when applying policies and overrides.	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
An all-in-one Internet solution. NetFox provides real-time reporting, content filtering, accounting and billing on top of and industry grade proxy server/cache, database and operating system - all backed by a dependable support system.	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
NetFox can be delivered preinstalled on VMware as a virtual appliance. This means you do not necessarily need a dedicated server to operate NetFox - if you have a server with appropriate resources NetFox can run in its own virtual environment without interrupting any of your existing operations.	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO

MAIN FEATURES	NetFox	Content Keeper	Ingot	GetBusi	IronPort	Gaia	Blue Reef
Internet (Web) Filtering							
<i>URL Based Filtering</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
<i>Transparent Filtering Of Actual Page Content</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
<i>Ability To Block Based On File Extension (e.g. .mp3)</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO	YES

<i>Ability To Block By Mime-Type</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES
<i>Filter Bad Search Queries</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES
<i>One Click Block/Allow Mechanism</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO
<i>Tunable Filter Settings For Individual User Groups (e.g. different settings for different year levels / age groups)</i>	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES
<i>Real Time Policy Management</i>	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES
Internet Billing							
<i>Can Bill By User/Group</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES
<i>Charge To User Or To Group/Department</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
<i>Can Bill By Domain, Website, File Extension (e.g. .mov, .mp3), IP Address</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	Partly	YES
<i>Can Bill At Different Rates For Cached Data</i>	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES
<i>Can Bill At Different Rates For Time of Day</i>	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	YES
<i>Can Bill Using Currency, Not Just Megabytes</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES
<i>Real Time Billing</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES
<i>Ability to have multiple user credit accounts for organisation funded, department funded or self funded (paid) accounts</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
<i>Uses Online Client For Credit Display</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES
<i>Can Restrict Access By Quota</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES
<i>Credit History For All Transactions</i>	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES
<i>Can Be Combined With Coin-Loading Devices For Credit Addition</i>	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO
<i>API To Access Credit Information</i>	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES	YES
<i>Integrates With 3rd Party Billing Providers</i>	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES	NO	YES
Reporting							
<i>Internet Transaction Report</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
<i>Report On Individual's Web History</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	YES
<i>Report On Top Users, Domains, File Extensions etc.</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	Partly	YES
<i>Up To The Second Reporting</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
<i>Real Time SQL Logging</i>	YES	Proprietary DB used	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES

<i>Specialized Management Reporting</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	NO	NO
<i>Ability To Drill Down On Reports (i.e. reports are interlinked)</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO
<i>Report On Search Engine Queries</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	YES
<i>Export To CSV/Excel and PDF Documents</i>	YES	Partly	NO	YES	YES	Partly	YES
<i>Personal User Interface (Self Service Portal)</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
<i>Supervisor Privileges To Share Reporting Access To Management</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	YES
General							
<i>Can Sync With AD/NDS/SQL/LDAP</i>	YES	Partly	YES	YES	YES	Partly	YES
<i>Global Web Interface</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	YES	NO
<i>Transparent User Authentication</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO
<i>Available As An Appliance</i>	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	YES
<i>Available As A Virtual Appliance (i.e. can be run on a Virtual Machine)</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES	NO
<i>Needs No Prerequisite Software (such as ISA)</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	YES	NO	YES
<i>Nightly Automatic Software Updates</i>	YES	YES	NO	YES	NO	NO	NO
<i>Systems Integration And Managed Services Offered For Top Level Support</i>	YES	NO	NO	NO	NO	NO	YES
<i>Ability To Define A Maximum Download File Size</i>	YES	YES	NO	NO	YES	NO	NO
<i>Free 14 Day Trial</i>	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
<i>Included Industry Grade Proxy Server</i>	YES	NO	NO	YES	YES	NO	NO
<i>Complete Internet Solution (Filtering, Billing, Reporting, Proxy/Cache)</i>	YES	NO	NO	Partly	NO	NO	NO

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