

CenturyLink Vulnerability Scanning Service

Networkx Service Overview

Vulnerability detection and correction

CenturyLink's Vulnerability Scanning Service (VSS) enables your Agency to conduct effective and proactive security assessments of its critical network and computing components. This means your Agency can detect and rapidly correct any vulnerabilities before they are exploited. An online vulnerability management solution, CenturyLink's VSS evaluates the security of your Agency's networks, identifies real world weaknesses, and remotely provides 24x7x365 detection and protection.

Features

CenturyLink's VSS provides an extensive list of features, including but not limited to the following:

- Comprehensive, on-demand security audit that identifies, analyzes and reports on security threats to your Agency's systems, networks and applications
- Knowledge base of exploits updated daily from information provided through strategic relationships, and a skilled staff of dedicated security engineers
- Scanning and auditing of the majority of commercial and open source applications on more than 200 different platforms and operating systems
- External scans are performed by remotely probing a network for vulnerabilities that are exploitable from the Internet
- Internal scans are performed using a scanner appliance that detects flaws exploitable from the inside of a network

Benefits

- CenturyLink's VSS helps mitigate spam, phishing, virus and malware propagation, directory harvest attacks and other e-mail-borne threats
- Provides a manageable, scalable and repeatable process, and thus the validity and assurance that comes with third-party assessments, without the need for additional Agency personnel resources or infrastructure to be deployed and managed
- Centralized reporting, remediation workflow, and user management, while allowing scans to be distributed throughout an organization
- As new signatures, vulnerabilities, or product upgrades are deployed, your Agency immediately benefits from the new functionality
- Use of the newest code ensures that tests are performed with the latest known vulnerability checks
- Your authorized Agency contact has on-demand access to CenturyLink's VSS at any time and from anywhere with secure, browser-based access over the Internet

Geographic Availability

CenturyLink's VSS is available globally.

How it Works

CenturyLink's VSS incorporates an on-demand, service-based vulnerability management solution operating through our Security Operations Center (SOC). This prevents your Agency from having to acquire, install and maintain an in-house product-based solution. CenturyLink's VSS involves proven technology, processes and a skilled security engineering team. CenturyLink's VSS performs Internet-based scans for public networks. For private networks, a specialized scanner appliance is deployed throughout your Agency's computing environment.

Contact your CenturyLink Representative today!

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Or contact the CenturyLink Customer Support Office: 866-GSA-NETWorx
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Why Buy from CenturyLink?

- CenturyLink's VSS provides a flexible solution to protect your Agency's infrastructure from network vulnerabilities, freeing limited resources to pursue more critical Agency missions
- CenturyLink offers a distributed (Internet-based) scanning service with unprecedented scalability
- CenturyLink has collaborated with Qualys, the leading provider of on-demand vulnerability management and policy compliance solutions, to discover vulnerabilities, ensure regulatory compliance, and prioritize remediation according to business risk
- With CenturyLink's VSS, your Agency will have no infrastructure to deploy or manage
- CenturyLink's VSS provides automated security audits and provides the quickest route to neutralize worms and other emerging threats

Other Products Available from CenturyLink

CenturyLink provides a comprehensive data protection services portfolio. When combined in a managed service, your Agency benefits with extensive threat mitigation and protection capabilities across its private and public networks. Other Security Services offered by CenturyLink include:

- Managed Firewall Service
- Intrusion Detection and Prevention Services
- Anti-Virus Management Services
- Incident Response Service
- Managed E-Authentication Service
- Secure Managed E-mail Service
- Managed Tiered Security Services

Contract Vehicle

Network Universal & Enterprise

- An overview of CenturyLink's contract is available on the CenturyLink Network Website at <http://www.gsanetwork.com>

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