

In The Boxing Ring



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S-25/S-35/S-85

Three new S-series boxes (the S-25, S-35 and S-85). With zero moving parts, Gigabit ethernet ports, and blindingly fast Intel processors, these new models set the yardstick for performance and reliability in this class of device.

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M-255/M-285

Two new M-series boxes (the M-255 and M-285). Built to operate in either an office or data centre environment, these models utilise low power and low heat technology to deliver outstanding performance without the noise or heat.

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DEFAULT POLICY CHANGE

An important change to the Network Box recommended default policy regarding SCRIPT, IFRAFME and OBJECT tags in eMails; coming into effect this month.

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JANUARY 2010 FEATURES

As usual, we will be deploying our on-going enhancements and improvements as well as maintenance features to all NBRS-3.0 customers.

Welcome

歡迎您來閱讀2010年2月版 “In The Boxing Ring” 期刊。在這個版本中，我將非常榮幸地為您展示這個季度即將正式發佈的五款新型系統設備。

在第2頁，我們將介紹三款新的S型箱子（S-25, S-35 和S-85）。它們擁有零可移動部件、千兆乙太網埠以及令人眼花繚亂的快速英代爾處理器，這些新型號設備創建了同級產品在性能和可靠性方面的新高度。同以前的型號相比，S-35和S-85的系統固件仍然使用固態硬碟，而且在日誌和資料庫的存儲方面也提供固態硬碟取代傳統硬碟的選項。

在第3頁，我們將介紹兩款新的M系列箱子（M-255和M-285）。它們設計用在辦公室或資料中心環境中，這些型號採用低功耗、低發熱技術可以在無噪音、無過熱的狀態下獲得出色的性能表現。繼此前成功的M-250型產品之後，這兩款新型號提供了兩倍的性能和4倍的存儲空間。

打開第4頁，按照慣例將提供關於月度總結和使用技巧的小提示。我們也

留下一些空間來討論Network Box建議的默認策略方面的一個重要改變，這個策略主要是針對電子郵件中的腳本SCRIPT、框架IFRAME和物件OBJECT標記，它們將從這個月開始生效。請花些時間閱讀和理解這種變更，如果您有特殊要求，請和你本地的NOC進行討論，尋求進一步的支持。

和以往一樣，如果您有任何的回饋，意見或者建議，我們都歡迎您隨時提出來。您也可以通過發送郵件到我們的郵件列表：nbhq@networkbox.com 聯繫我們。或者當您下次在香港市區的話來隨時來我公司辦公室進行參觀指導。

您也可以通過加入或訂閱我們的安全響應Twitter和我們保持聯繫，網址是：

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February 2010



February 2010 Features

On Tuesday, 2nd February 2010, Network Box will release our patch Tuesday set of enhancements and fixes. The regional NOCs will be conducting the rollouts of the new functionality in a phased manner over the next 7 days. This month, these include:

- Addition of firmware support for the new S-25, S-35, S-85, M-255 and M-285 models.
- Enhancements to the content filtering system to speed-up rule reload times and overall performance on boxes with very large numbers of rules and policies.
- Enhancements to the PUSH update system for package management by Network Operation Centres.
- Improvements to the health monitoring system DNS resolution checks and detection of network link errors.
- Support for active checks in the Global Monitoring System, for devices on private addresses mapped 1-to-1 to a public address using Network Address Translation.
- Minor fixes to the my.network-box.com administrative web interface, relating to usage statistics reports, and a fix to the traceroute functionality in cases where a source address is specified.

In most cases, the above changes should not impact running services or require a device restart. However, in some cases (depending on configuration), a device restart may be required. Your local NOC will contact you to arrange this if necessary.

Default Policy Change

像我們在2010年元月份的In The Boxing Ring中討論的那樣，Network Box已經建議客戶部署一個過濾郵件的默認策略，這些郵件包含特定的屬性（和可執行檔附件一起被阻隔）。

最近，越來越多的HTML格式的郵件被更多的商業客戶採用，轉發網頁（而不是鏈結）的實際操作也越來越普及。我們看到越來越多的這些電子郵件從隔離區中被加以釋放。

據此，2010年2月週二補丁，Network Box將改變其默認建議的政策，具體如下：

- 對於CAN-2002-1121，我們將繼續建議默認情況下封鎖消息/部分。
- 對於內部框架，物件和腳本塊，我們會改變默認建議的政策阻止從“阻止所有”到“阻止隱藏”。

沒有對這些政策進行特別設置的客戶將遷移到新的默認建議的設置。你可以通過my.network-box.com的郵件/策略中看到你現在運行的的郵件策略。

如果你對此有任何疑問，請與您當地的NOC取得聯繫尋求幫助。

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JANUARY 2010 NUMBERS

Key Metric)	#	% difference (since last month)
PUSH Updates	1,484	+6.4
Signatures Released	134,199	-8.2
Firewall Blocks (/box)	639,362	+0.5
IDP Blocks (/box)	188,675	+6.1
Spams (/box)	43,771	-8.3
Malware (/box)	1,338	-31.6
URL Blocks (/box)	77,637	-25.6
URL Visits (/box)	2,602,061	-10.3

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