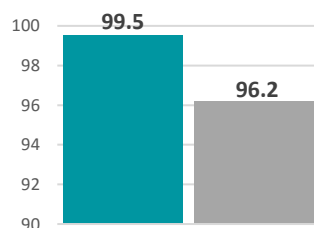


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Protection

Detection rate (%)

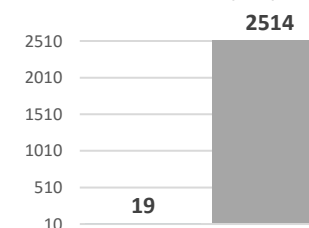


AV-Comparatives
www.av-comparatives.org
 Real-World Protection Test,
 July – November 2016

ESET's products are designed with built-in protection from the very beginning, and this set of tests proves **that ESET's approach works best.**

Performance

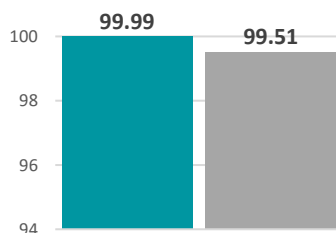
Traffic WAN (MB)*



AV-Comparatives
www.av-comparatives.org
 Network Performance Test,
 August 2016

Communication across a network is increasingly critical in the work environment. Similar to hardware on business systems, the behavior of the network has an impact on the operation of devices. **ESET demonstrated its low network impact in this test.**

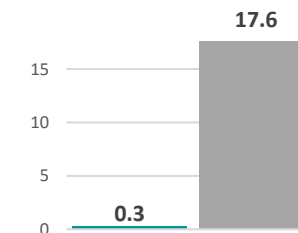
Spam catch rate (%)



Virus Bulletin
www.virusbulletin.com
 VBSpam Comparative Review,
 September 2016

Spam messages may contain links leading to phishing web sites or sites hosting malware. They may also include malware such as scripts or other executable file attachments. 73,710 spam mails were used for this test, and **Sophos failed to filter 362 spam mails – 90 times more than ESET.**

Impact score*



AV-Comparatives
www.av-comparatives.org
 Performance Test,
 October 2016

Whether you consider powerful protection more important than minimal performance impact or vice versa, you won't go wrong choosing a product that tops the charts in all areas. **ESET provides well-balanced protection, performance and reliability.**

■ ESET ■ Sophos

*Lower is better

Feature

ESET

Sophos

Why it matters

Firewall	●	○	A firewall is able to control network traffic allowed to access programs on the firewalled computer. The firewall also provides some level of intrusion detection, allowing the software to terminate or block connectivity where it suspects an intrusion is being attempted.
Mail Protection	●	○	ESET's Mail Protection feature provides control of email communication received through the POP3 and IMAP protocols to block potential threats.
Email and Phone Support	●	○	If a customer has any problems or questions regarding ESET products or solutions, he can contact our customer care with years of experience in IT security. Tested products: ESET Cyber Security Pro, Sophos Anti-Virus for Mac Source: AV-Comparatives, Product Review: Mac Security, July 2016

More info: www.eset.com

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Awards

VB100 Awards

Virus Bulletin, www.virusbtn.com,
05/1998 - 07/2016



Since February 2001, ESET has not failed a single Virus Bulletin VB100 test, while Sophos has failed a total of seventeen times. ESET does not hesitate to enter public tests that demonstrate its technology's quality and performance.

Total Advanced+ Awards

AV-Comparatives, www.av-comparatives.org,
05/2004 - 12/2016



ESET has been developing its heuristics engine since 1992. This is evident when looking at the amount of awards ESET has won compared to Sophos.

■ ESET ■ Sophos



"The test corpus consisted of 81,796 emails. 73,710 of these were spam, ESET, stood out for missing just four emails from the spam corpus."

Virus Bulletin
VBSpam Comparative Review, September 2016

"ESET received the highest rating in the AV-Comparative File Detection Test and was awarded with the File Detection, Advanced+ Award. The File Detection Test assesses the ability of antivirus programs to detect malicious files on a system."

AV-Comparatives
File Detection Test, March 2016

*"ESET Endpoint Security: The package detected all the malware threats in the test, with almost no burden on the System."
"ESET demonstrated excellent performance when it came to detecting over 11,000 selected Windows malware threats."*

AV-Test
12 Security Suites for Mac OS X Put to the Test, July 2016

"ESET protected against all of the public web-based threats and targeted attacks. It blocked 100 per cent of the threats. This software was also entirely effective when handling legitimate objects, giving it the rare privilege of a 100 per cent overall rating."

SE Labs
IT Security Products for Small Business, July-September 2016

**ESET earns 100th VB100 award**

"ESET has been a top performer in our tests since 1998, and today we are delighted to present their 100th VB100 award – a first for any single product over the years," said John Hawes, Chief of Operations at Virus Bulletin, "ESET NOD32's history of excellent performances and zero false positives is a clear indicator of a very well-built, well-maintained and extremely reliable product."

Source: www.eset.com

**ESET is the best channel program in the market, April 2016**

Computer Reseller News (CRN), awarded ESET's Partner Program with a 5-Star rating in its 2016 Partner Program Guide for the second consecutive year. The 5-Star Partner Program Guide rating recognizes an elite subset of companies that offer solution providers the best partnering elements in their channel programs.

Source: www.crn.com

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