Vision Edge 100 (E100) Network Packet Broker

The need for real-time visibility into network data has never been greater. Being able to know how applications and services are performing is no longer a nice to have. It is also imperative to have the ability to quickly quantify threats from within and outside of your network.

Current reality is that compute, storage and networks are now software defined and built by the rack and containers. And, in keeping with demand to deliver lower operating expense and offering the best-of-breed in software-defined flexibility, visibility is lost at every layer as installations get dense and traffic moves east-west within a rack and north-south between racks.

More servers, more switching layers, more virtual platform translate to more visibility blindspots.

Keysight's new Vision Edge 40 (E40) and Vision Edge 100 (E100) network packet brokers are designed to provide rack-level visibility through a solution that allows seamless integration into existing hybrid SDN architectures, offering true flexible multi-speed capability, and a comprehensive feature set for the versatility to adapt to the future, ensuring your Security Fabric's strength, all while offering a compelling total cost of ownership.

Key Features

- High density multi-speed network packet broker that is designed for deployment in racks to aggregate traffic
- Exceptionally feature rich stand-alone packet broker that supports 10G to 40G networks
- Easy-to-use web-interface allows you to focus on security rather than configuration
- Comprehensive wizards that make inline tool deployment extremely easy
- Space efficient 1RU design saves rack space in your data center
- Supports port fan-in (4x10G operates at 40G) and fan-out (40G operates at 4x10G) for the maximum number of 10G or 40G ports
- Inline and out-of-band capable for flexibility
- Secure serial console port with authentication
- Support management port IP allow-list
- IFC cluster supports any-to-any topology with tools either a single hop or multiple hops away
- IFC cluster and Inline HA are the most resilient architecture for OOB monitoring and Inline tool deployment respectively
- Native L2GRE/VxLAN origination and termination, including conditional header stripping
- Filtering on IPv4/IPv6 fragments



Highlights

- High density 1U platform for visibility per rack service
- Supports 10G, 25G, 40G, 50G, 100G port speeds, including fan-in and fan-out support
- Inline and OOB capable
- Ixia Fabric Controller (IFC) cluster support
- Fully featured with Keysight's robust NetStack capabilities:
 - o Aggregation, replication, filtering and load balancing
 - Keysight's patented filter compiler and three stages of filtering for one of a kind flexibilities in managing network and tool traffic profile
- Software defined platform that offers new features without platform change
- Priority-based filtering for inline and inline HA configurations
- Native L2GRE/VxLAN termination and origination



Figure 1. E100 front



Figure 2. E100 back



Use Cases

- For top-of-the-rack visibility for a single site deployment with network taps and security tools
- In a leaf-spine architecture, aggregating across multiple racks in a smaller or microscale data center
- In a distributed network, Vision E100 can be used with Vision E40/7816 or Vision ONE/Vision X to form an Ixia Fabric Controller (IFC) cluster for a single pane of glass management and operation, so tools at a central location can be shared among multiple branches
- IFC cluster in spine-and-leaf topology offers the most resilient architecture that provides auto failover and active-active load balance
- Taking traffic from Cisco ACI environment or other data centers and perform conditional VxLAN header stripping with matching VNI

Product Capabilities

Netstack capabilities

The Keysight gold-standard baseline filtering functionality for network packet brokers



Three stages of filtering – Filter at ingress ports, in the middle and at egress ports for the maximum flexibility in designing complex Boolean logic without the need of using extra ports for loopback



Dynamic filter compiler – Patented technology that resolves rule overlaps automatically hence makes configuration simple and eliminates human errors



Aggregation – consolidate incoming traffic to optimize port usage and simplify filter logic. Support 1:1, 1:Many, Many:1 and Many:Many traffic mapping



Replication – At the ingress port as well as at the dynamic filter. Replication at the ingress allows the same input to connect to multiple dynamic filters. Replication at the dynamic filter allows multiple tools to get identical traffic from the same dynamic filter.



Load-balancing – sophisticatedly distributes traffic across tools ports for monitoring in a session aware manner to preserve traffic integrity and also to maximize up-time with fail-over protection



Native Tunnel Termination – Terminate and conditional header stripping for L2GRE and VxLAN tunnels. Support L2GRE/VxLAN origination as well.

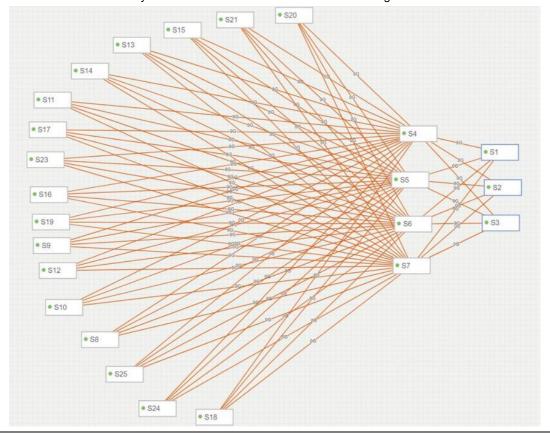
Inline capabilities

- Supports failsafe serial service chaining, parallel load balancing with spares, or combined topologies
- Customizable heartbeat (HB) support to detect and automatically recover from monitoring and security tool failures
- Multiple HB templates allow each tool to have its own unique HB
- Asymmetric hashing supports common use cases for lawful interception
- · Weight based load balance and LBG threshold high-and-low watermark
- Bypass switches and Keysight Vision E40 can have different HB so multi-tier design is possible to increase overall resilience for High Availability (HA)
- Our Active-Active Inline HA solution is the gold standard in the industry and offers the most resilient architecture to protect all kinds of failures



Ixia Fabric Controller (IFC) clustering

- Ixia Fabric Controller (IFC) clustering offers single pane of glass management for your network packet brokers. NPBs in a distributed environment can be managed and configured, using a single User Interface, as if one centralized visibility and security fabric
- IFC clustering supports any combination of Vision Edge 40/100/10S, Vision ONE/7300/X platforms
- Typical topologies supported include hub-and-spoke, spine-and-leaf, tree, ring, full mesh, partial mesh, or any combination of above
- User configurable number of Controller Node vs. Fabric Node to maximize resiliency
- Supports direct connection for interconnects, or GRE encapsulated interconnects (limited to Vision ONE and 7300 only) when going thru DWDM or WAN devices
- Supports both single hop and multi hop cluster topology
- Best routes are calculated based on least hop-count using Shortest Path First (SPF) algorithm
- Intelligent load balance among Equal Cost Multiple Paths (ECMP) to guarantee session integrity and avoid packet reordering
- A single IFC cluster can scale to more than 50 nodes
- Total flexibility in the number of controller nodes vs. the number of fabric nodes. Full redundancy among controller nodes
- · LLDP auto discovery of interconnect links makes cluster configuration easy and error proof
- Automatic or user triggered path re-optimization to avoid failed links or nodes
- · IFC cluster offers industry best resilient architecture for OOB monitoring



E100 highlights

- Layer 2 forwarding of 6.4 Tbps (full duplex)
- · Capable of (5) speeds 10G, 25G, 40G, 50G and 100G networks
- · CLI support for Inline features and NetStack features
- · Both OOB and Inline capable, including support of Inline HA
- Native L2GRE/VxLAN origination or termination, including conditional header stripping
- Support IFC clustering with other Vision platforms to offer single pane of glass management for a cluster of NPBs. IFC cluster offers the most resilient architecture for OOB monitoring
- · (32) QSFP28 front panel ports
- · Supports QSFP28 (for 100G) or QSFP+ (for 40G) transceivers
- · Each port is capable of any of the 5 speeds, set independently
- Massive density with (128) 10G ports in 1U size
- · Hot swap redundant power supplies and fans
- · Available in AC and DC model

Port Configuration and Density

| System | 10G | 25G | 40G | 50G | 100G |
|-------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Max Ports Per System | 128 | 128 | 32 | 64 | 32 |

Operating Specifications

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Power

2 redundant hot swap AC power supplies 2 redundant hot swap -48V DC power supplies Input voltage: 90 to 264 VAC @ 50 - 60 Hz

Input voltage: -36 to -72 VDC

Max Power: 350 W without pluggable optics
Typical Power: 310 W without pluggable optics

Physical Size, Weight and Environmental WxDxH: 17.3 x 20.3 x 1.71 inches Weight: 23 lbs with two installed PSU

Regulatory and compliance information will be updated

and included here in the future

Operating Temperature: 0 to 45 degrees Celsius Operating Humidity: 5% to 95% non-condensing MTBF: 25C - 208,889 hours; 45C - 90,875 hours

Regulatory Airflow direction - Front to Rear

CB, EN 60950 UL/CUL CE Class A



Ordering Information

Keysight Vision E100 system

| Hardware bundle part number | Description |
|-----------------------------|---|
| SYSE100-8PC-AC | Keysight Vision E100 System AC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Includes licenses for (8) ports at 10G, 40G, 100G (991-0152) |
| SYSE100-8PC-DC | Keysight Vision E100 System DC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Includes licenses for (8) ports at 10G, 40G, 100G (991-0153) |
| SYSE100-32P4X-AC | Keysight Vision E100 System AC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Licensed for (32) port at 40G ports or (128) at 10G; 5-speed capable (10/25/40/50/100G) as upgrade; Optional ports and feature licenses available |
| SYSE100-32P4X-DC | Keysight Vision E100 System AC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Licensed for (32) port at 40G ports or (128) at 10G; 5-speed capable (10/25/40/50/100G) as upgrade; Optional ports and feature licenses available |
| SYSE100-32P4X-AC-T | Keysight TAA Compliant Vision E100 System AC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Includes licenses for (32) port at 40G ports (991-1137) |
| SYSE100-32P4X-DC-T | Keysight TAA Compliant Vision E100 System DC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Includes licenses for (32) port at 40G ports (991-1138) |
| SYSE100-8PC-AC-T | Keysight TAA Compliant Vision E100 System AC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Includes licenses for (8) ports 100G; multi-speed supported (991-1139) |
| SYSE100-8PC-DC-T | Keysight TAA Compliant Vision E100 System DC Chassis with fixed (32) QSFP28 100GE port; Includes licenses for (8) ports 100G; multi-speed supported (991-1140) |

Keysight Vision E100 port and features

License bundle part number Description LIC-E100-ADD-4P Keysight Vision E100, Port license for an additional (4) ports (993-0159) LIC-E100-ADD-24P Keysight Vision E100, Port license for an additional (24) ports (993-0158) Keysight Vision E100, Upgrade SYSE100-32P4X-AC/DC to 100G; Includes port LIC-E100-32PC-U license for all (32) ports (993-0156) Keysight Vision E100 enables Inline feature; licensed per system LIC-E100-INLN (993-0162)Keysight Vision E100 license, enables Ixia Fabric Controller (IFC) Clustering for LIC-E100-IFC direct connection to other Vision devices supporting IFC Clustering (E100, E40, 7816, Vision ONE/X, 7300) (993-0150) Keysight Vision E100, Enables NetStack tunneling feature, one per system (993-LIC-E100-TUNL 0149)



Keysight Vision E100 Spare and Modules

| Hardware part number | Description | |
|----------------------|--|--|
| SYSE100-SPR-AC | Keysight Vision E100 System AC Chassis with no ports or features enabled (991-0160) | |
| SYSE100-SPR-DC | Keysight Vision E100 System DC Chassis with no ports or features enabled (991-0161) | |
| LIC-E100-SPR | Keysight Vision E100, Cold spare system license; NOTE: Includes max configuration (993-0154) | |
| ME100-ACPS | Keysight Vision E100 (1) AC power module, for the Vision E100 chassis (992-0080) | |
| ME100-DCPS | Keysight Vision E100 System, (1) DC power module, for the Vision E100 chassis (992-0081) | |
| ME100-FAN-ASSY | Keysight Vision E100, (1) FAN module, for the Vision E100 chassis (992-0085) | |



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