

Azizi Bank of Afghanistan reduces the risks of cyber threats using Seqrite Endpoint Security



Name of the company: Azizi Bank

Location: Kabul, Afghanistan

Industry: Banking & Finance

“ *With Seqrite Endpoint Security (EPS), we have managed to overcome security risks due to the Internet bandwidth issue. Multi-layered endpoint protection, firewall protection, vulnerability scan, has brought some major improvements to the security of our network and systems.*

- Ghulam Ali, Network Security Officer, Azizi Bank

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Challenges

- » Lack of high-speed Internet bandwidth
- » Inability to monitor and control website traffic
- » Lack of dedicated security solution that can run even on low Internet bandwidth
- » Lack of Firewall protection

Solutions

- » Integrated solution with comprehensive endpoint and data protection
- » Firewall protection to monitor and control web traffic
- » Multi-layered security solution such as Email protection, Phishing protection, browsing protection and many more.
- » Asset monitoring and management

Business Results

- » Easy scaling
- » Controlled web traffic
- » Firewall protection
- » Endpoint security

“ *We chose Seqrite EPS because we needed a security partner that can help us in mitigating the burgeoning security risks. With advanced protection features, Seqrite EPS is protecting our network from emerging cyber threats and vulnerabilities.*

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Company Profile

Azizi Bank is one of the largest commercial banks of Afghanistan. Headquartered in Kabul, Azizi Bank has its reach all across the country with 75 branches, 4 zones, and 34 provinces; covering all urban and rural locations. Established in 2006, this financial organization has now become the highest lender with contributing almost 33% of the total loans dispensed in Afghanistan. Having a qualified team of professionals, Azizi Bank aims at transforming banking scenario into a pleasurable experience by introducing technology-oriented and enhanced customer services.

With superior services and extensive reach, Azizi Bank has become a pioneer in providing path-breaking banking technology that aims towards achieving customer delight.

Business Challenges

Azizi Bank is known for providing state-of-the-art and amiable support to its customers. The organization has already implemented latest technologies to meet customers' requirements. Moreover, the bank has been investing towards providing a secure way of banking to its employees and customers by offering technology-oriented customer services. With the objective of becoming a top-notch bank in Afghanistan, Azizi Bank has been serving its customers in multiple areas such as mobile banking, Internet banking, credit facilities, and many more. They promise to deliver a truly delightful and unprecedented banking experience to all the customers in Afghanistan.

Many customers rely on the bank's online portal for service requests and making transactions. But the low Internet bandwidth was affecting the bank's operation and business behavior. As Afghanistan has to purchase Internet bandwidth from the neighboring countries, many enterprises suffer from low bandwidth issue, which impacts their business as well.

In order to overcome this issue, Azizi Bank wanted to opt for a security solution that could help secure their systems even at low Internet bandwidth. Along with a security solution, the bank was also looking for firewall protection to monitor and control the traffic on bank's official website.

“ For banking sector, putting customers' data on the Internet has its own significant challenges. So, we wanted to create some best practices and a robust security architecture.

- Mohammad Rafi,
Network Security Assistant , Azizi Bank

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About Seqrite EPS

Seqrite Endpoint Security is an integrated enterprise security solution with a unified endpoint management console. It offers multi-layered endpoint protection with integrated malware protection, data loss prevention, advanced device control, application control, file and print activity monitoring and many more. With a simple yet comprehensive platform, it offers innovative endpoint security that prevents data leakage, monitor assets and provides robust web security and antivirus feature.

Features



Ransomware Protection

Helps in detecting and blocking ransomware.



Firewall Protection

Customize network and allow observable network traffic.



Data Loss Prevention (DLP)

Prevents data leakage within or outside the organization by monitoring data transfer channels.



Patch Management

Centralized patch management solution to patch vulnerabilities of all applications.



Advanced Device Control

Enforce policies regarding use of storage devices, mobile and portable devices, wireless devices connected to endpoints.



Vulnerability Scan

It scans known vulnerabilities of installed applications and operating systems in the network in real-time.

Outcome

Despite providing consolidated and centralized computer services, a major concern for the bank was security. Azizi bank was specifically looking for a security solution that protects the system and is also capable of working in low bandwidth. The IT team at Azizi Bank determined that Seqrite EPS can meet the company's security requirements.

Seqrite EPS offers a wide range of multi-layered advanced protection features. The unified endpoint security solution has significantly improved the security infrastructure of the bank. It has now become easier for the organization to offer world-class services to the customers without any security risks. The support provided by Seqrite has also enabled the financial institution to enforce complete control over its network and systems.

Why did Azizi Bank choose Seqrite Endpoint Security (EPS)?

Azizi Bank chose Seqrite Endpoint Security (EPS) as it comes with many advanced features such as Firewall Protection, Ransomware Protection, Web Filtering, Application Control, Patch Management, Phishing Protection, Data Loss Protection, IDS/IPS Protection and many more. Seqrite EPS is significantly helping the IT team at Azizi Bank to overcome their security challenges.

With easy scalability, the computing environment can cost-effectively grow in a modular way. And with the multi-layered advanced protection features of Seqrite EPS, the risk of security breaches can be reduced easily.

Seqrite EPS is now successfully running on more than 1000 endpoints of Azizi Bank, headquartered in Kabul, the capital city of Afghanistan.

Key Benefits of using Seqrite EPS

- » Uninterrupted protection against malicious websites, phishing attacks and more
- » Comprehensive endpoint and data protection in one integrated solution
- » Advanced endpoint protection with antivirus, intrusion detection, firewall and more
- » Competitive security enhancements to meet enterprise compliance needs
- » Detailed insights into every connected endpoint for uniform asset regulation
- » Higher scalability and enhanced security for Windows and Mac platforms