

# WebSense SurfControl Migration Program



## WebSense Web Filtering Solution

SurfControl Web Filter has good policy and reporting management, however, compared to Websense products it lacks some of the advanced administrative features. For example, Websense® provides more granular, flexible, and extendable management of users' Web activity, such as policy control, reporting capabilities, IM/P2P signature and integrations. Websense has more URL categories for granular filtering and has seamlessly integrated application control capabilities, to provide broader global protocol management. For customers needing Web security capabilities beyond traditional legacy products like firewalls, gateway AV and IPS, Websense had developed its security research organisation and technologies to provide broader real-time protection of Web-based URL threats and malicious traffic.

## Additional Benefits with Websense Filtering

Websense provides the following benefits:

- More signatures for blocking IM P2P & Proxy Avoidance
- ThreatSeeker™ Technology
- Real Time Security Updates (average 80+ a day)
- Google, Yahoo, and other Safe Search enforcement
- Delegated Administration and Reporting for more customised and granular policy management
- Policy-based enforcement (not just rules), with full audit of all changes
- More Integrations & OS support
- Alerting via SNMP, Email or Windows Messenger

FEATURE SET / LEGEND:	Websense Enterprise®	Websense Web Security Suite™	SurfControl® Web Filter
<b>Platform Support</b> – Supported operating systems	Windows, Linux, Solaris™	Windows, Linux, Solaris	Windows® only
<b>Web Security Ecosystem™</b> – Supports numerous integrations with other infrastructure solutions, including Firewalls, Identity Management, Security Event Management, and Network Access Control systems.	●	●	Fewer and/or different integrations
<b>Distributed Architecture</b> – Supports flexible deployment of key services to optimise performance and satisfy distributed network architectures, etc.	●	●	●
<b>Sophisticated and Flexible Administration Tools</b> – Administrative tools to meet the unique requirements of individual organisations. Features include Delegated Administration, Auditing, Anonymous Logging, and SNMP Alerting.	●	●	Anonymous Logging
<b>Data Archiving</b> – Long-term archival of SQL databases for compliance analysis and reporting.	●	●	●
<b>Reporting Tools</b> – Identifies and reports on risks related to network security, employee productivity, bandwidth loss, and legal risk.	●	●	● <sup>3</sup>
<b>Full URL Support</b> – Industry-leading Web filtering for enforcing Internet use policies. Includes over 90 URL categories, such as productivity and bandwidth-draining Web sites.	● <sup>1</sup>	● <sup>2</sup>	Less granularity & coverage
<b>Protect Desktops/Laptops</b> – Extends web filtering and security policies to remote office workers and mobile laptop users outside the network security perimeter.	Remote Filtering add-on	Remote Filtering add-on	Mobile Filter add-on
<b>Full Protocol Support</b> – Complete set of protocols such as HTTPS, file transfer, streaming media, IM, P2P, and proxy avoidance. Includes over 100 protocols.	●	● <sup>2</sup>	Supports 10+ protocols
<b>Instant Messaging Attachment Management</b> – Controls the sending and receiving of files via IM clients.		●	
<b>Real-time Security Updates™</b> – Updates Security Filtering database soon after new Internet security threats are recognised.		●	
<b>Web Protection Services™</b> – Extends protection to public facing infrastructure. Includes ThreatWatcher™, SiteWatcher™ and BrandWatcher™ services via Websense Security Labs™.		●	

1) Full support provided with Security Filtering add-on, which allows filtering on sites associated with malicious mobile code, spyware, keyloggers, bot networks, potentially unwanted software, and phishing (included with Websense Express and Websense Web Security Suite).

2) Includes "extended" security protection, such as web reputation scoring and malicious traffic, including bot traffic and email borne worms

3) Includes Web-based Report Central, not Explorer, Reporter or Real Time Analyser.