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Extensive testing indicates a single solution

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Education

- Houses 100 student businesses
- Based in Enschede, Netherlands
- Using Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business

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The University of Twente has used Kaspersky Endpoint Security at more than 5,000 workstations since the summer of 2012.

This decision had been preceded by a detailed, six month assessment carried out by the ICT service center (ICTS), a service department within the University of Twente responsible for ICT advice and support. The assessment was necessary as existing anti-virus security no longer met users' expectations, nor the requirements of ICTS.

Users experienced the existing package as relatively slow as a result of lengthy scanning. Moreover, it was not always reliable. The administrator was especially concerned with the complexity and reliability of anti-virus security.

Challenge

Several anti-virus packages were assessed and tested. ICTS concluded that Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business met the stringent requirements. The package's workstation performance was relatively fast and especially accurate. Moreover, both management and monitoring functions proved to be more efficient and more stable.

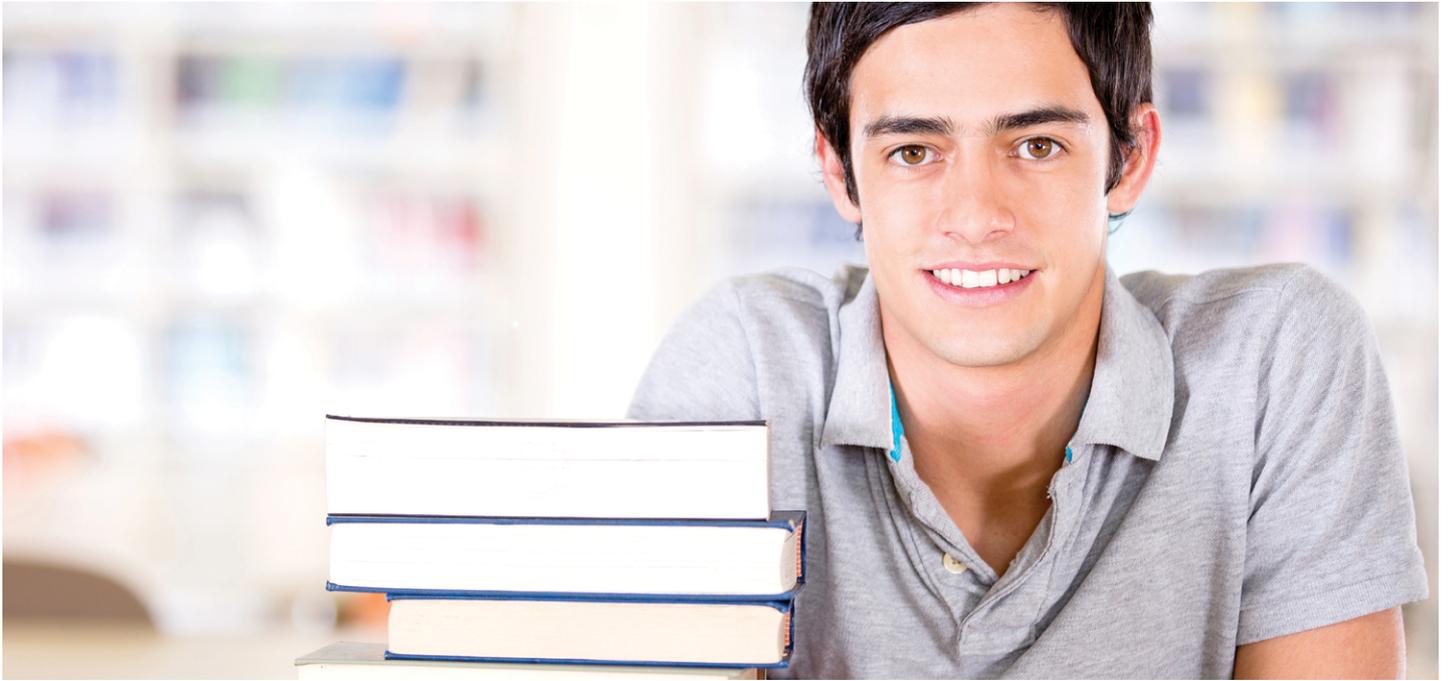
Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business offers users the standard anti-virus functions as well as many opportunities for endpoint control.

“One of the package's strengths is its small footprint, which in practice minimizes the solution's inconvenience for end-users,” says Ronald van't End, WWAV Project Leader at the University of Twente.

Following in-depth assessment by ICTS the University of Twente approached Kaspersky Lab, as the assessment indicated this was the best supplier. Kaspersky Lab then spent a day at the University of Twente to explain the operation of Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business and provide more detailed information. The University of Twente also has ongoing access to the support services of Kaspersky Lab.

The Kaspersky Lab solution

“For various reasons this is an important agreement for us”, says Martijn van Lom, Benelux and Nordic Managing Director of Kaspersky Lab. “Although education is seen as one of the global, vertical markets in which we are active, the University of Twente is the first university in the Netherlands to use Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business. Moreover, the university is an interesting client due to its size and is also a good reference for us, especially as they took more than just the price into account.”



Secure

Fast and accurate, standard anti-virus functions as well as many endpoint control functions. Students and university employees are hardly aware of the security software now running on every computer and can focus on developing their skills and talents



Faster

Workstation performance is fast and accurate and both management and monitoring functions are more efficient and more stable



Control

Small footprint which minimizes inconvenience for end-users

“The University of Twente conducted an extensive evaluation of alternatives to their existing anti-virus package and took the initiative to contact us on the basis of the results. Despite the fact that this is a sophisticated product, we were able to fully brief the University of Twente on it, in one day. They were then able to implement the roll-out themselves. Kaspersky Endpoint Security for Business is now fully implemented.”

The University of Twente’s Van’t End explains; “The University of Twente has 3,300 scientists and professionals, who provide innovative and inspiring instruction to almost 10,000 students. Entrepreneurship plays an important role at the University of Twente. So the campus also houses approximately 100 (student) businesses. At least 5,000 standard and basic workstations, such as the UT workstation PCs, have now been equipped with the new anti-virus solution.”



10,000

students

5,000

workstations protected

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