



Case Study. Agriculture Ministry. Latvia.

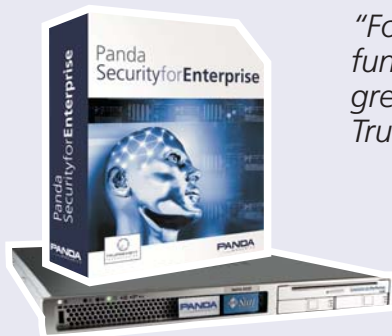


Details

- Company size: Key account.
- Country: Latvia.
- Market: Public administration.
- Number of licenses: 350.

Benefits

- **Protection for critical and sensitive information**
Protects critical and sensitive information from data leaks, targeted attacks and unknown malware thanks to its advanced behavioral analysis and proactive protection.
- **Regulatory compliance**
Helps implement enterprise regulation compliance by managing security policies with rule-based application control and network access control.
- **Reduces complexity**
The easy-to-use centralized management console controls all endpoints from a single location.
- **Maximizes return on investment**
Provides a converged, single-priced solution complemented with host-based intrusion prevention, access and application control and targeted-attack audits.
- **Increases employee productivity**
Drastically reduces spam and helps control the use of unproductive or restricted applications and deletes undesired content.
- **Helps improve risk management**
Offers the necessary tools to manage threats in real-time thanks to the dashboard and to a complementary in-depth audit service capable of uncovering hidden malware not detected by traditional means.



“For us the main feature is the functionality of AdminSecure and the great proactive technology of TruPrevent™”.

Armands Smits
IT department manager
Latvian Agriculture Ministry.

Panda Security provides multi-layered protection for the Latvian Agriculture Ministry

The Latvian Agriculture Ministry is the central authority in the country's forestry, fishery and agriculture sector. Its principal functions include: development of agriculture, forestry and fishery policies; organization and coordination of policies in this sector and the execution of other functions arising from international regulations.

The activities of the ministry are regulated by Governmental Institution Law and the statutes of the Agriculture Ministry, approved by the Latvian Ministers Council.

The Ministry's IT department is run by Armands Smits, who is highly satisfied with the choice of Panda Security solutions. According to Smits, *“we have Panda protection from our workstations to our file servers and Exchange servers. And in the perimeter, we have GateDefender Performa, with all of the functions that this offers us”*. This system offers the Agriculture Ministry complete layered protection, in line with the effective model proposed by Panda Security.

When it comes to installing Panda Security solutions, Smits explains that *“implementation was really straightforward, just as planned, despite our infrastructure, with complex server clusters and potential product incompatibilities”*. However, the tech support department at Panda Security in Latvia resolved any queries put forward by Ministry technicians: *“We are delighted by the tech support from Panda Security, especially as it is offered from Latvia”*.



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About the Latvian Agriculture Ministry

El Ministerio de Agricultura de Letonia es la institución gubernamental y autoridad central en el sector de la agricultura, bosques y pesca. Sus funciones principales son: desarrollo de las políticas agrarias, forestales y de pesca; organización y coordinación de la política en esos sectores y la ejecución de otras funciones que vengán impuestas por normativa internacional.

Las actividades del ministerio están regidas por la Ley de Instituciones Gubernamentales y los estatutos del Ministerio de Agricultura, aprobados por el Consejo de Ministros letón.

Solution

Panda Security for EnterPrise

- **AdminSecure Administration console.** It is based on modular, flexible and scalable architecture. It allows deployment, installation and configuration of the protection modules in multiple versions and network layers.
- **Complete integrated protection** against all types of threats for workstations and file servers. TruPrevent technologies protect **workstations** and **file servers** against all types of malware (viruses, spam, phishing, spyware, rootkits, etc.) in a reactive, proactive and preventive way (HIPS).
- Antivirus and anti-spam **protection** plus content filtering for **Exchange** mail servers.
- **Application monitoring.** Helps control the use of unproductive or restricted applications and deletes undesired content.
- **Control over network access.** With NetworkSecure technology, it protects the network from computers that do not have an antivirus installed or computers with weak protection.
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- **Protects MTA servers** against malware and spam, optimizing email service resources. It also includes anti-malware protection and a content filter for Microsoft ISA server which is efficient at all levels.
- **In-depth malware audit** service. Malware Radar detects and disinfects threats thanks to **Collective Intelligence** technologies.

“Panda Security offers the most advanced security solutions on the market, and the best technical support”

Panda Security for Enterprise, with TruPrevent™ Technologies developed by Panda Security and its powerful administration console, AdminSecure, have ensured satisfaction for Smits: “the main feature of the product is AdminSecure”, which allows them to manage the security protection across the entire network. In addition there is the peace of mind offered by TruPrevent™ Technologies, described by Smits as, “great proactive technology”.

For the Agriculture Ministry, security is a very important aspect and “Panda Security solutions offer the highest detection ratios in the industry”, and so its installation across the Ministry’s network ensures the highest levels of protection. In addition to the great level of security, once the solutions are installed, the network will benefit from “effective detection of malware, low bandwidth consumption and a centralized administration and monitoring system”, according to Smits, simplifying all tasks related with the network’s anti-malware protection.

Panda Security certifications and awards

