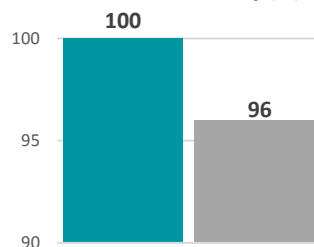


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## Protection

## Protection accuracy (%)

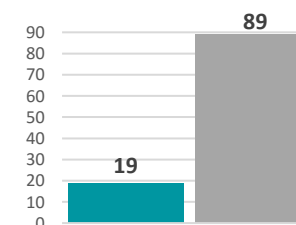


SE Labs  
[www.selabs.uk](http://www.selabs.uk)  
 Home Anti-Malware  
 Protection,  
 July-September 2016

Ratings indicate how effectively the products deal with threats.  
**ESET blocked 100 per cent of web-based and targeted threats.**

## Performance

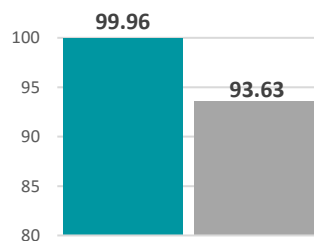
## Traffic WAN (MB)\*



AV-Comparatives  
[www.av-comparatives.org](http://www.av-comparatives.org)  
 Network Performance  
 Test,  
 August 2016

Communication across a network is increasingly critical in the work environment. Similar to hardware on business systems, the behavior of the network has an impact on the operation of devices. **ESET demonstrated its low network impact in this test.**

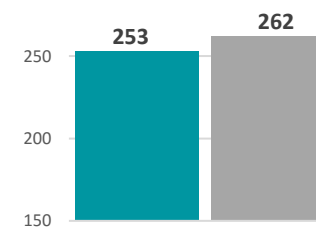
## Spam catch rate (%)



AV-Comparatives  
[www.av-comparatives.org](http://www.av-comparatives.org)  
 Anti – Spam Test  
 March 2016

Spam messages may contain links leading to phishing web sites or sites hosting malware. They may also include malware as scripts or other executable file attachments. 127,800 spam mails were used for this test, and **Symantec failed to filter 8,140 spam mails – 160 times more than ESET.**

## Loss of performance (s)\*



AV-TEST  
[www.av-test.org](http://www.av-test.org)  
 12 Security Suites for Mac  
 OS X Put to the Test,  
 July 2016

Faster operation and lower resource consumption mean better performance. **ESET is faster and lighter** than Symantec in many scenarios.

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\*Lower is better

| Feature                 | ESET | Symantec | Why it matters                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|-------------------------|------|----------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Anti-Spam (Windows)     | ●    | ○        | Local Anti-Spam effectively filters out spam on a user's endpoint device and scans all incoming emails for malware. It prevents unauthorized access to the company network and provides effective anti-hacker protection and data exposure prevention.                                                                                      |
| Data Backup (Windows)   | ●    | ○        | ESET Remote Administrator includes the ESET Remote Administrator Maintenance Tool that can be used to maintain and back up a server. Backing up a server is an important step in the process of migrating ESET Remote Administrator and client workstations to a new server.                                                                |
| Anti-Phishing (Windows) | ●    | ○        | Anti-Phishing protection, which uses URL blacklists and checks reputations, prevents users from accessing sites with malicious content and/or phishing sites.<br><b>Tested products:</b> ESET Remote Administrator, Symantec Endpoint Protection<br><b>Source:</b> AV-Comparatives, IT Security Products for Small Business, September 2016 |

More info: [www.eset.com](http://www.eset.com)

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## Awards

## VB100 Awards

Virus Bulletin, [www.virusbtn.com](http://www.virusbtn.com),  
05/1998 - 07/2016



Since May 2003 ESET has participated in and passed every single VB100 test by Virus Bulletin, while Symantec has failed to participate 42 times. ESET does not hesitate to enter public tests that demonstrate its technology's quality and performance.

## Total Advanced+ Awards

AV-Comparatives, [www.av-comparatives.org](http://www.av-comparatives.org),  
05/2004 - 12/2016



ESET has been developing its heuristics engine since 1992. This is evident when looking at the amount of awards ESET has won compared to Symantec.

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*"The test corpus consisted of 81,796 emails. 73,710 of these were spam, ESET stood out for missing just four emails from the spam corpus."*

Virus Bulletin  
VBSpam Comparative Review, September 2016

*"ESET received the highest rating in the AV-Comparative File Detection Test and was awarded with the File Detection, Advanced+ Award. The File Detection Test assesses the ability of antivirus programs to detect malicious files on a system."*

AV-Comparatives  
File Detection Test, March 2016

*"ESET Endpoint Security: The package detected all the malware threats in the test, with almost no burden on the System."  
"ESET demonstrated excellent performance when it came to detecting over 11,000 selected Windows malware threats."*

AV-Test  
12 Security Suites for Mac OS X Put to the Test, July 2016

*"ESET protected against all of the public web-based threats and targeted attacks. It blocked 100 per cent of the threats. This software was also entirely effective when handling legitimate objects, giving it the rare privilege of a 100 per cent overall rating."*

SE Labs  
IT Security Products for Small Business, July-September 2016

ESET earns 100<sup>th</sup> VB100 award

*"ESET has been a top performer in our tests since 1998, and today we are delighted to present their 100th VB100 award – a first for any single product over the years," said John Hawes, Chief of Operations at Virus Bulletin, "ESET NOD32's history of excellent performances and zero false positives is a clear indicator of a very well-built, well-maintained and extremely reliable product."*

Source: [www.eset.com](http://www.eset.com)



## ESET is the best channel program in the market, April 2016

Computer Reseller News (CRN), awarded ESET's Partner Program with a 5-Star rating in its 2016 Partner Program Guide for the second consecutive year. The 5-Star Partner Program Guide rating recognizes an elite subset of companies that offer solution providers the best partnering elements in their channel programs.

Source: [www.crn.com](http://www.crn.com)

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