

Spirent Application Layer Protocol Test Solution

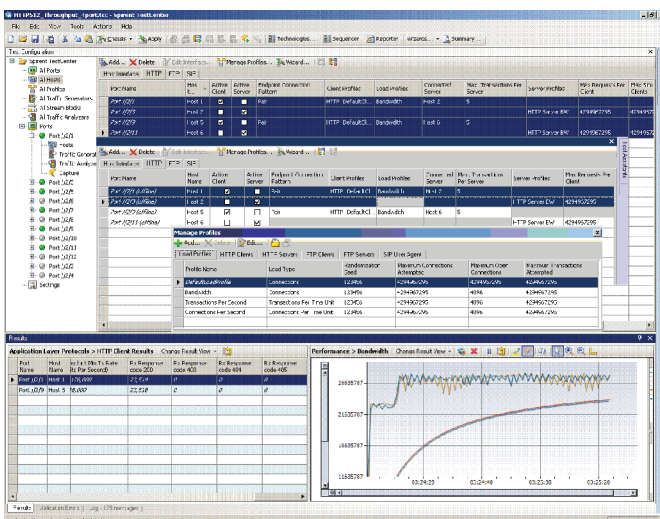
Spirent's Application Layer Protocols provide users the ability to analyze the impact on stateful traffic when conducting traditional benchmark tests such as Throughput, Latency and Loss. Measuring the impact to stateful traffic is essential in understanding the end-user experience. Spirent's Application Layer Protocols are real applications creating and measuring application response. The application impact is critical in determining Quality of Service (QoS) and Quality of Experience (QoE) in Triple Play environments. Combined with Spirent TestCenter™'s powerful FPGAs, Spirent's Application Layer Protocols provide performance analysis for Layer 2-7.

Applications

- Layer 2-7 Testing
- Triple Play Testing
- Broadband Access Network Testing
- Router and Switch testing
- Testing Layer 2-7 in the cloud with Spirent TestCenter Virtual

Features & Benefits

- For Triple Play, impact analysis of lower layer or background traffic on QoS can now be seen in the upper layer protocols and overall QoE of the end user
- The stateful traffic generation feature allows testing to be expanded beyond traditional switches and routers to include content aware devices such as firewalls
- The integrated GUI allows Layer 2-7 tests to be conducted through a single interface
- Combined results provide the ability to analyze information of Layers 2-7 through a single set of results, allowing for performance changes to be cross referenced with any changes in traffic generation
- Generate stateful traffic on different types of interfaces from 10Meg to 10G and compare the results at different points in the network
- Interactive interface allows parameters to be adjusted on the fly without stopping to analyze the impact in real time
- Bind access protocols provide the ability to bind connections to access protocols for additional realism
- Emulate SIP, HTTP and FTP Clients and Servers for complete test setup
- Create profiles for use across multiple Clients and Servers to reduce test creation time
- Detailed statistics can be viewed in real time as they occur, or at a later date for post analysis



Technical Specifications

- IPv4 and IPv6
- VLAN and QnQ
- Access Protocols: DHCP and PPP
- HTTP
 - Version 1.0 or 1.1
 - Client and Server
 - Parameters
 - Endpoint Connection Pattern (Pair, Backbone: Source, Destination, Interleaved)
 - HTTP Persistence, Pipelining, Delay, Delayed ACK
 - User Agent and Load Profiles
 - Max Transactions Per Server
 - Max Requests Per Client
 - Max Simultaneous Clients
 - Results
 - Attempted/Successful/Unsuccessful/Aborted Connections
 - Min/Max/Avg. Response Time
 - Min/Max/Avg. Goodput Tx/Rx Rates and by Bytes
 - Count of various Rx Response codes
 - Server commands: PASS, PORT, QUIT, RETR, TYPE, USER
- FTP
 - Client and Server
 - Parameters
 - Endpoint Connection Pattern (Pair, Backbone: Source, Destination, Interleaved)
 - User Agent and Load Profiles
 - GET
 - Active and Passive Data Transfer
 - Max Transactions Per Server
 - Transaction Interval
 - Max Requests Per Client
 - Max Simultaneous Clients
 - Results
 - Intended Load
 - Attempted/Successful/Unsuccessful/Aborted Connections
 - Attempted/Successful/Unsuccessful/Aborted Transactions
 - Min/Max/Avg. Response Time
 - Min/Max/Avg. Goodput Tx/Rx Rates and by Bytes
 - Count of various Rx Response codes
- SIP
 - Parameters
 - User Agent and Load Profiles
 - Local SIP UDP Port Number
 - SIP Client Registrar
 - SIP Audio, Video and/or Signaling
 - UA Number Format
 - Number of UAs per Device
 - Starting UA Number
 - UA Number Step Value
 - Results
 - Number of UAs
 - Intended Registration Load
 - Attempted/Successful/Retries/Failed UA Registrations
 - Min/Max/Avg. Registration time
 - Attempted/Successful/Failed/Answered calls
 - Min/Max/Avg. Call Setup Time

Supported Modules & Platforms

- Application Layer Protocol testing is supported on all Spirent TestCenter Ethernet modules.

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