Monitoring RouterOS

Simple Network Management Protocol

ElasticSearch, LogStash & Kibana

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ABOUT ME

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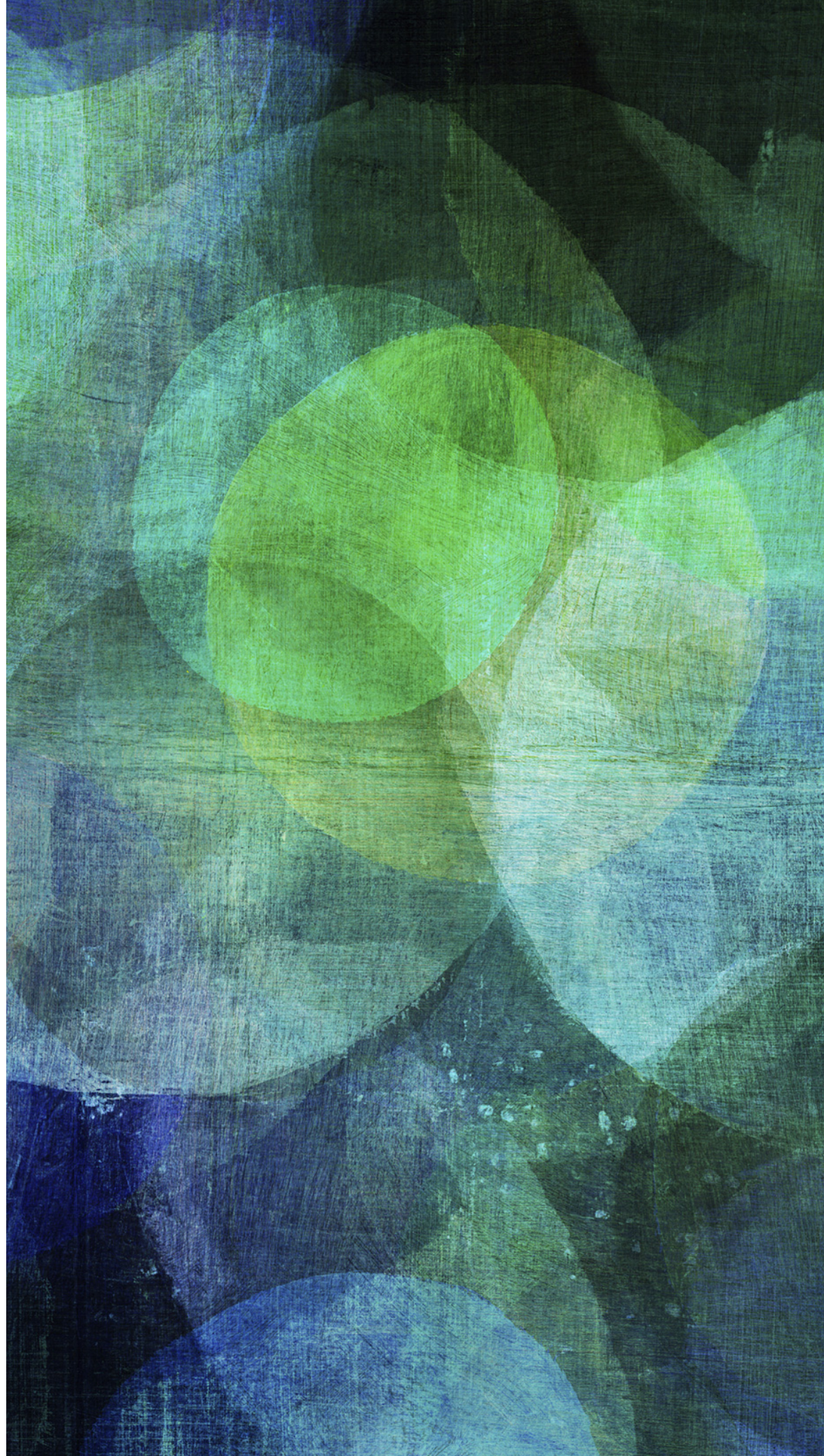
WHO IS ALAGAS NETWORK?

- MikroTik VAD based in Singapore
- Distributing MikroTik since 2010
- 2Gbps in Singapore in 2014, second in the world after Japan
- MikroTik Training Centre Since 2016

HOW CAN WE MONITOR?

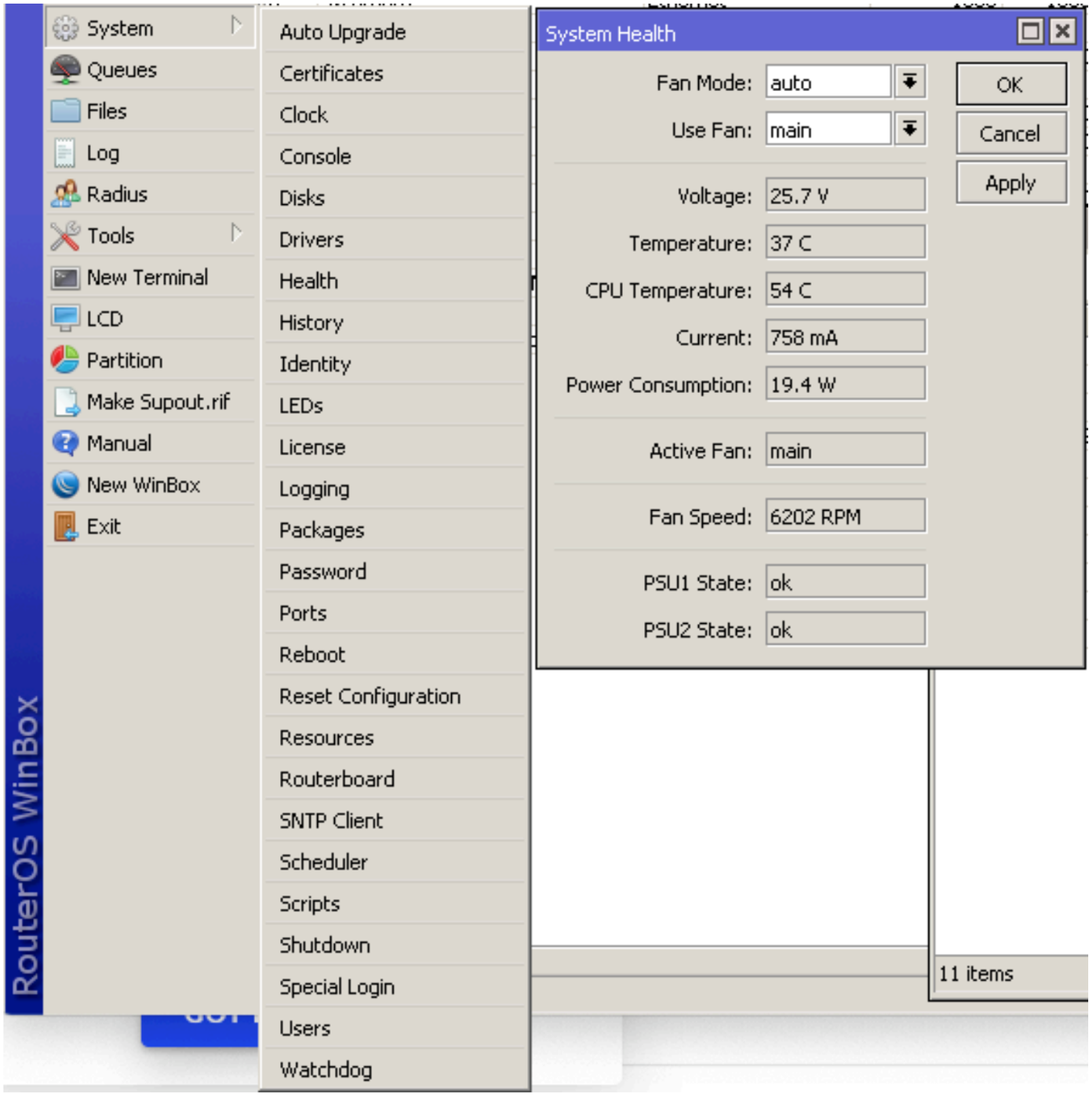
- Does NOT require extra software:
  - Built-in Tools
- Require external software
  - Simple Network Management Protocol
  - Flows / ELK Stack
- The Dude

ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS



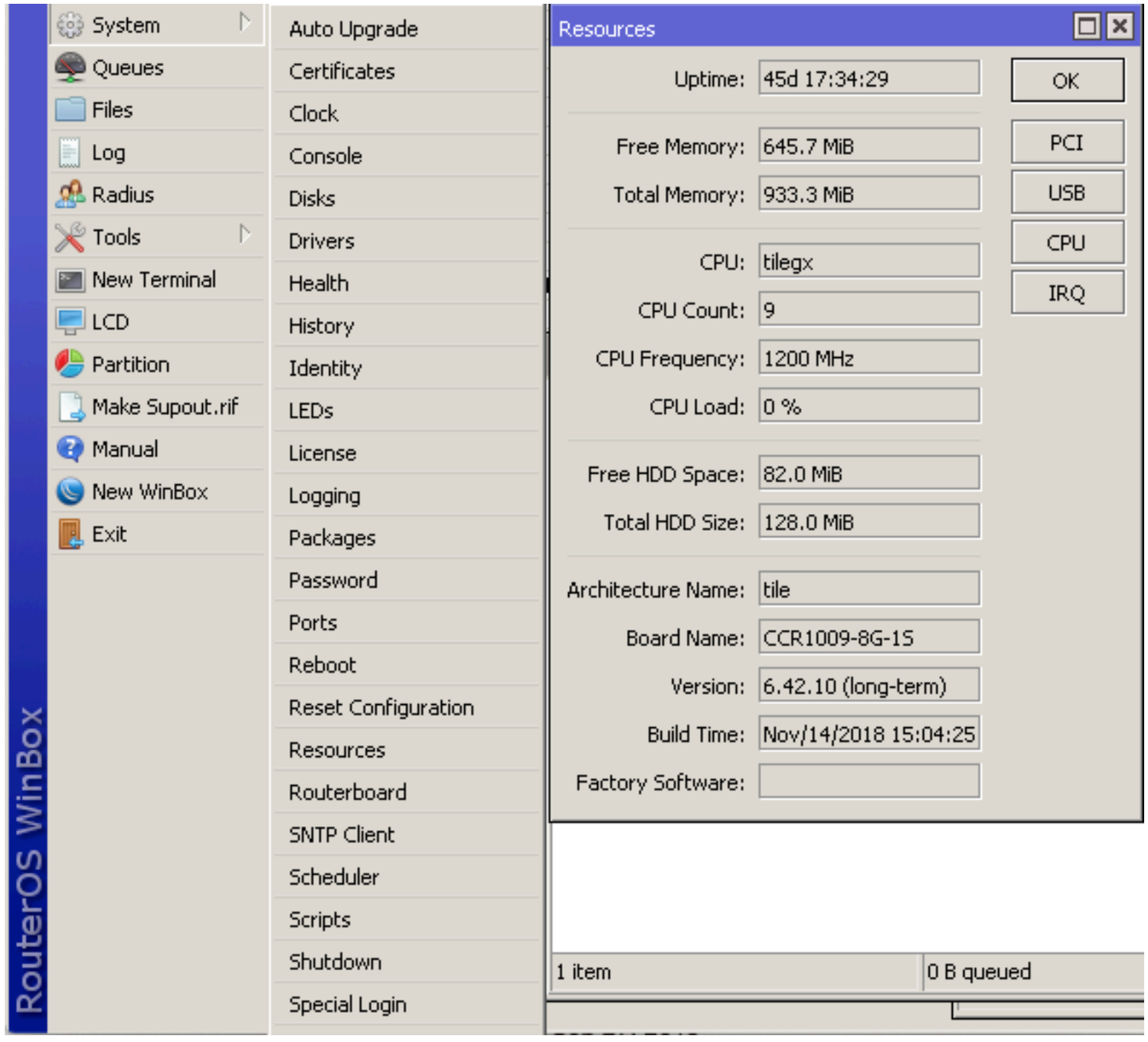
ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

- Hardware Health
  - Fan status
  - Electricity Supply
  - Temperature
- Hardware Failure: Fan, PSU
- Power Outage



ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

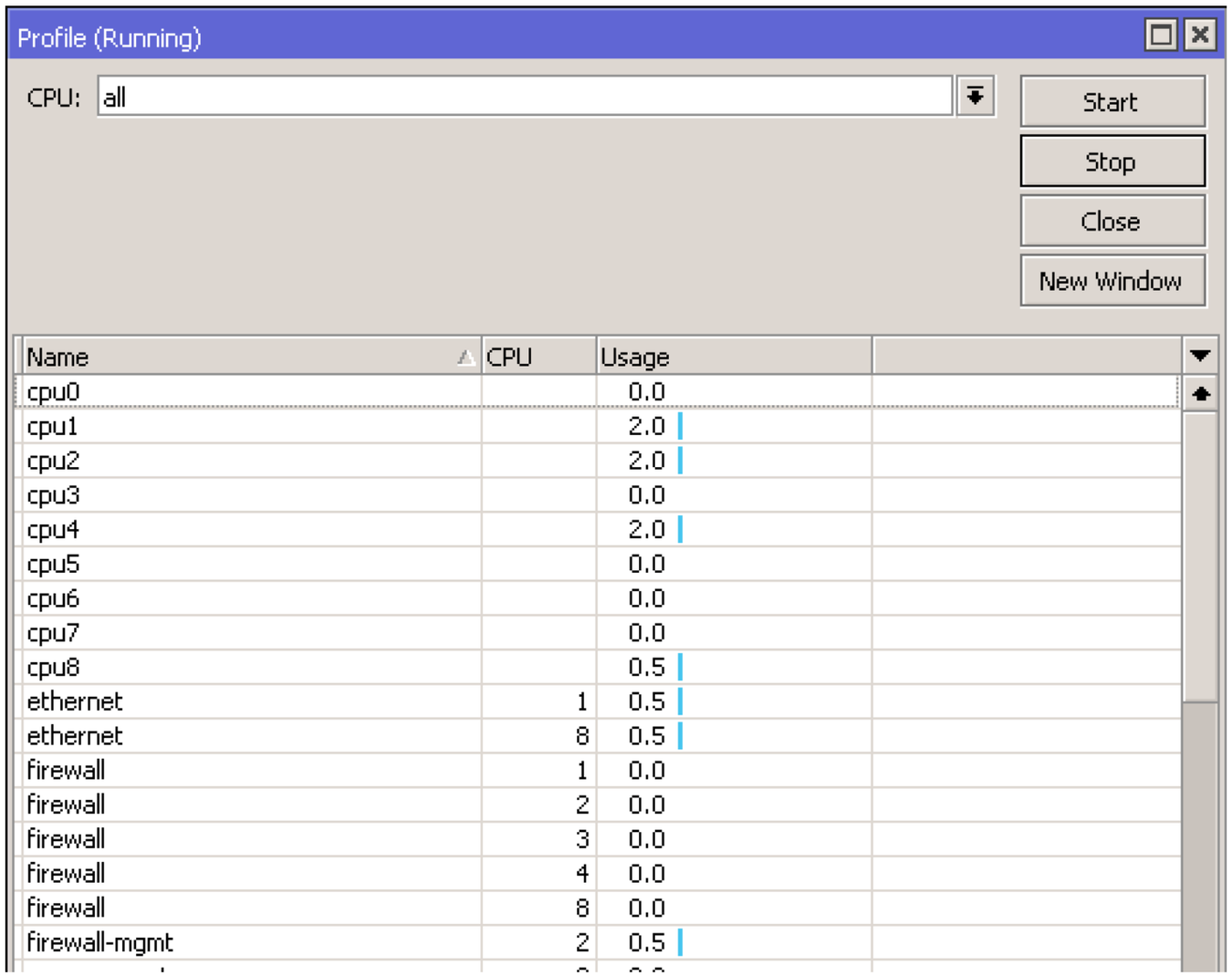
- Resource Usage
  - CPU
  - Memory / RAM
  - Storage
- Hardware Upgrade



ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

- Tool > Profile
  - Your best friend when you experiencing high CPU usage

https://wiki.mikrotik.com/wiki/Manual:Tools/Profiler



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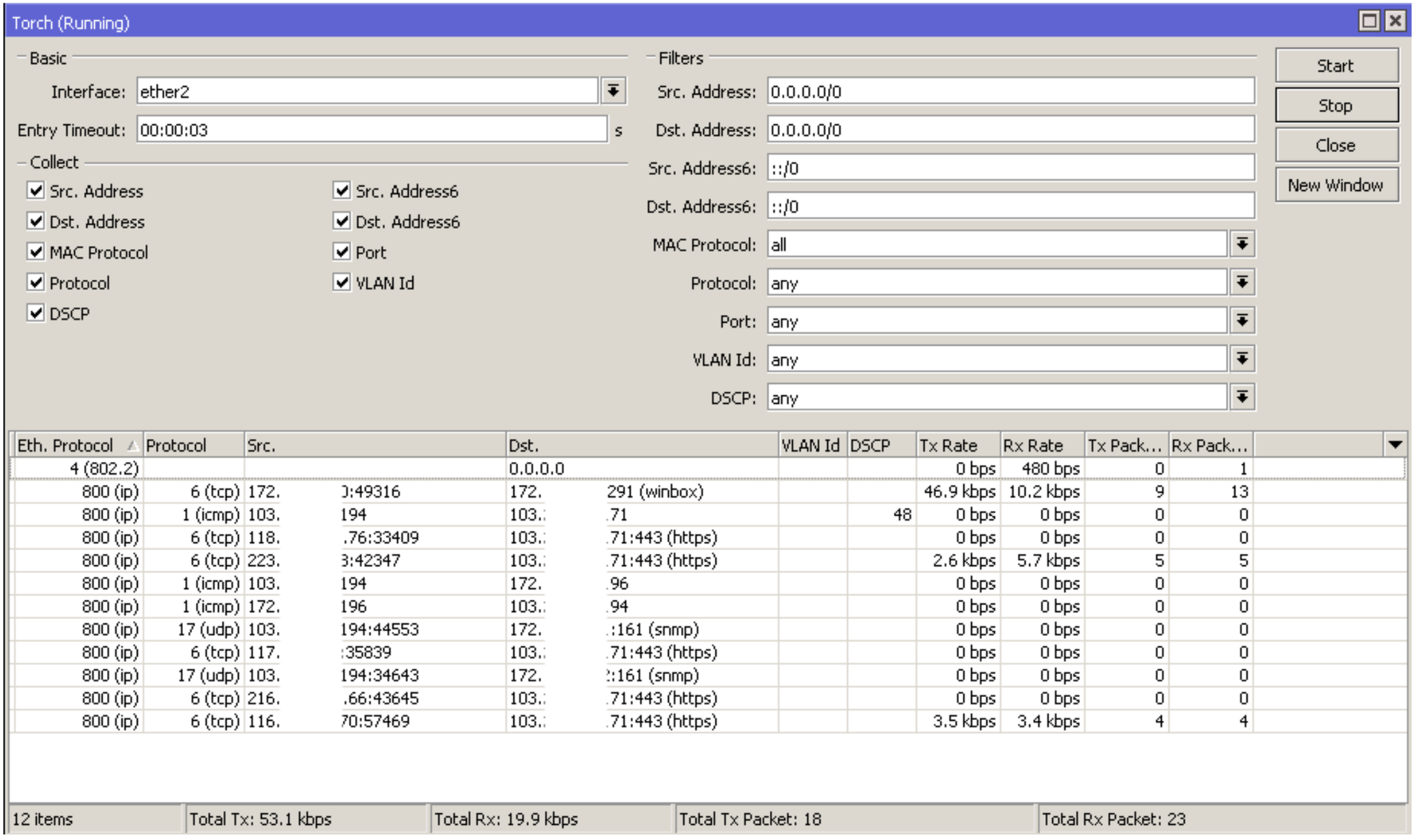
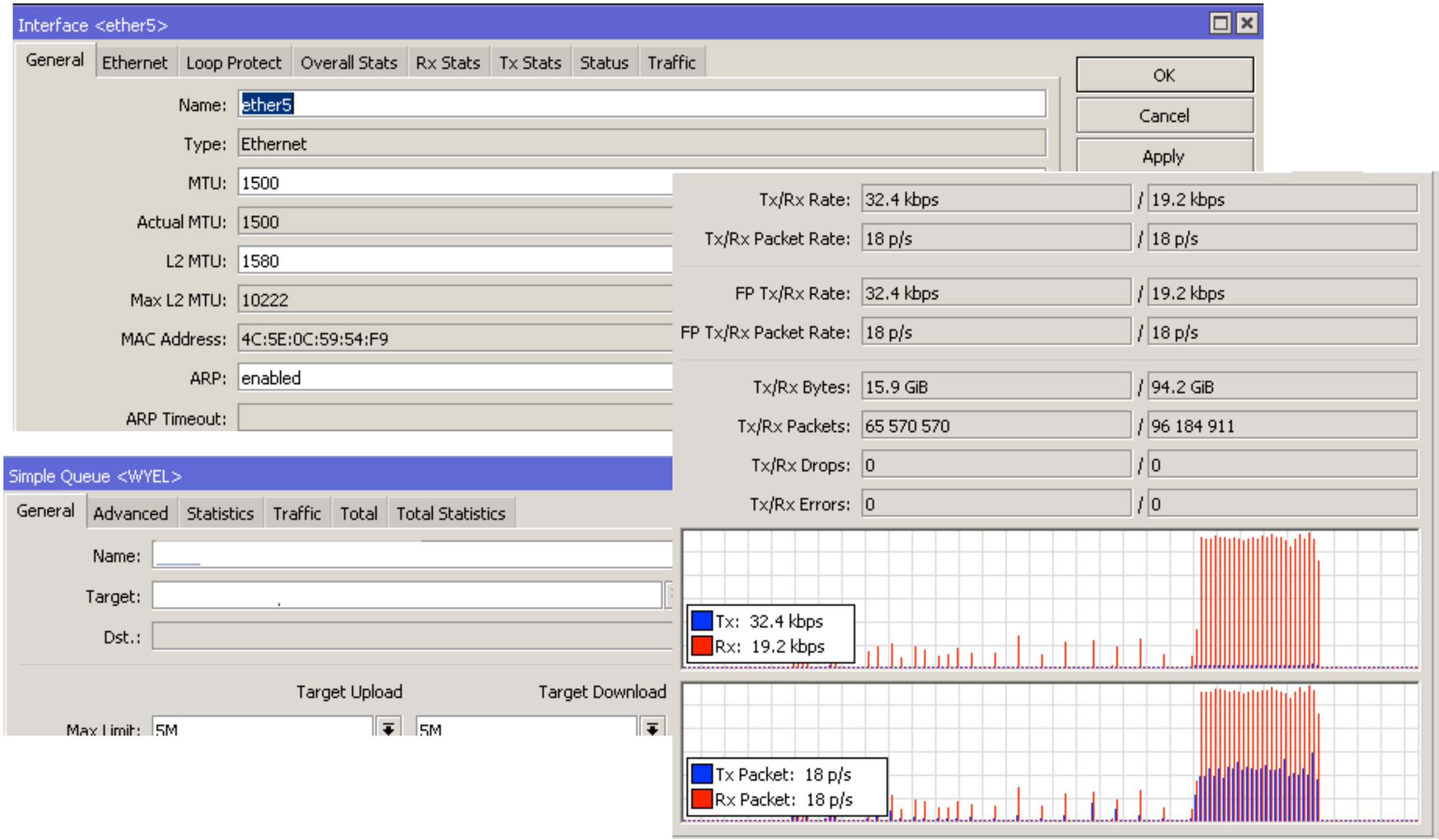


- Torch
  - Live data on network traffic

ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

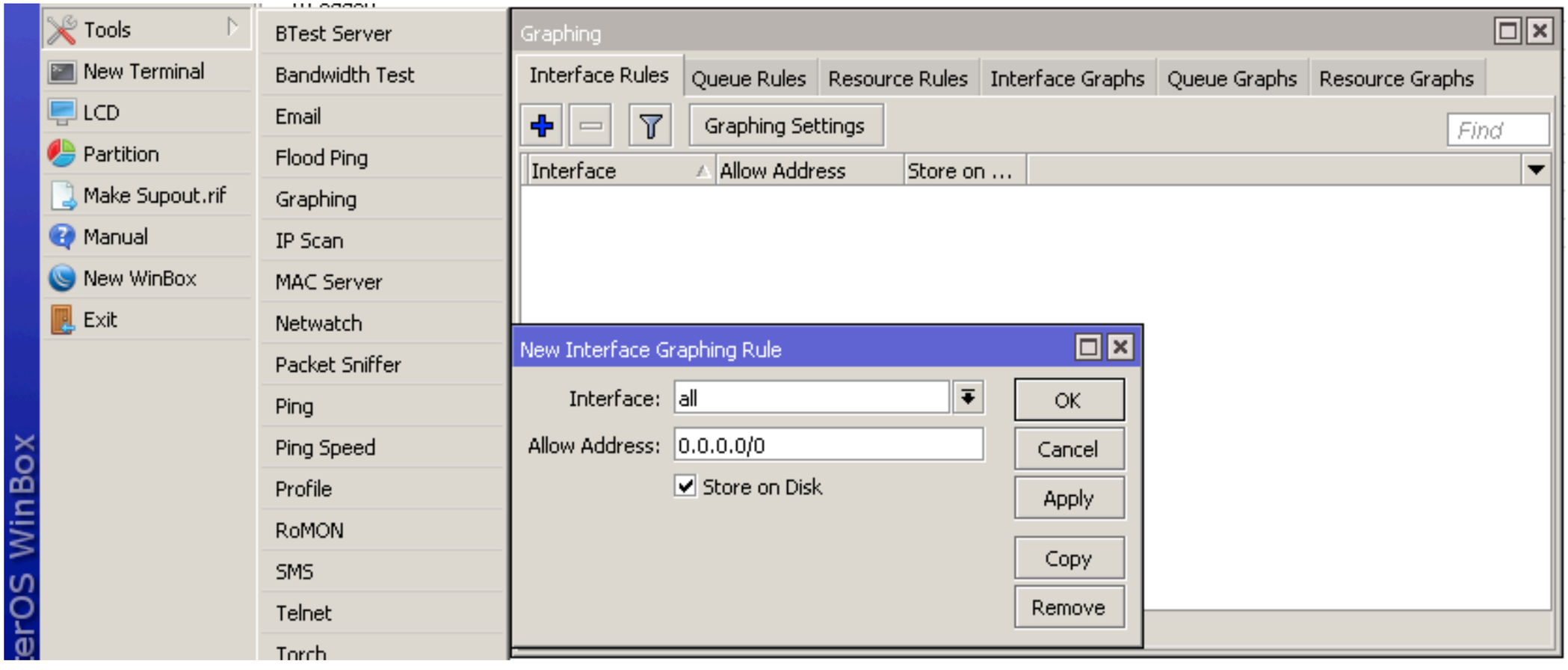
- Interface / Queue live network utilisation



ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

- Graphing

Store information, continuous recording

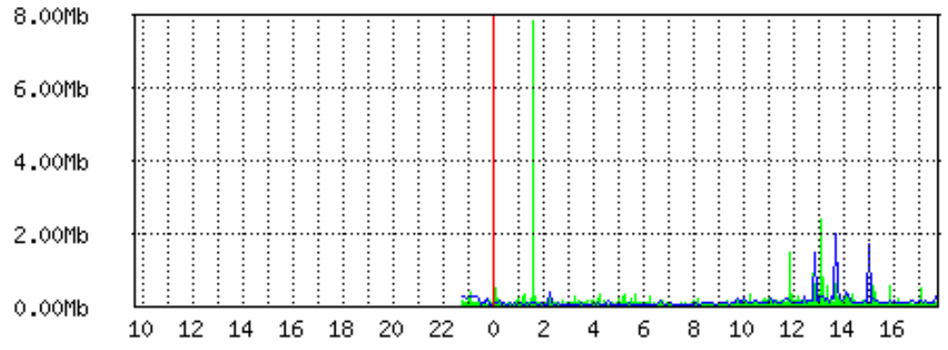


ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

Interface <ether5> Statistics

- Last update: Wed Jan 16 17:40:04 2019

"Daily" Graph (5 Minute Average)



*Max **In**: 7.91Mb; Average **In**: 154.42Kb; Current **In**: 41.78Kb;*
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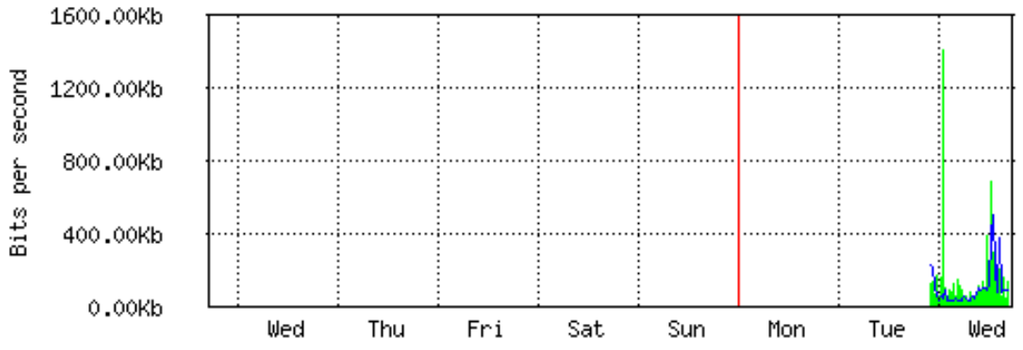
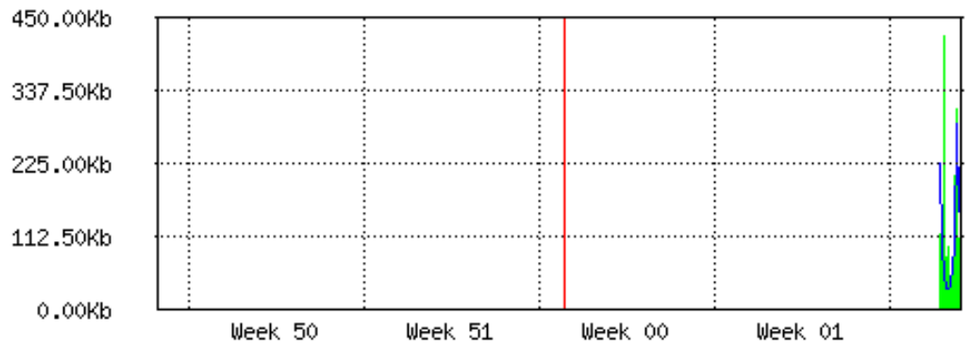
"Weekly" Graph (30 Minute Average)



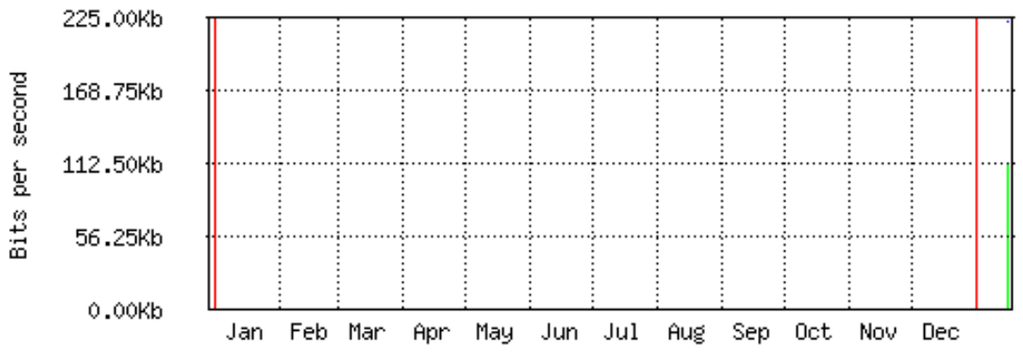
*Max **In**: 1.41Mb; Average **In**: 156.14Kb; Current **In**: 128.72Kb;*
*Max **Out**: 495.08Kb; Average **Out**: 95.49Kb; Current **Out**: 81.58Kb;*

"Monthly" Graph (2 Hour Average)



*Max **In**: 423.61Kb; Average **In**: 153.58Kb; Current **In**: 107.85Kb;*
*Max **Out**: 286.76Kb; Average **Out**: 105.46Kb; Current **Out**: 148.65Kb;*

"Yearly" Graph (1 Day Average)



*Max **In**: 112.84Kb; Average **In**: 112.84Kb; Current **In**: 112.84Kb;*
*Max **Out**: 223.74Kb; Average **Out**: 223.74Kb; Current **Out**: 223.74Kb;*

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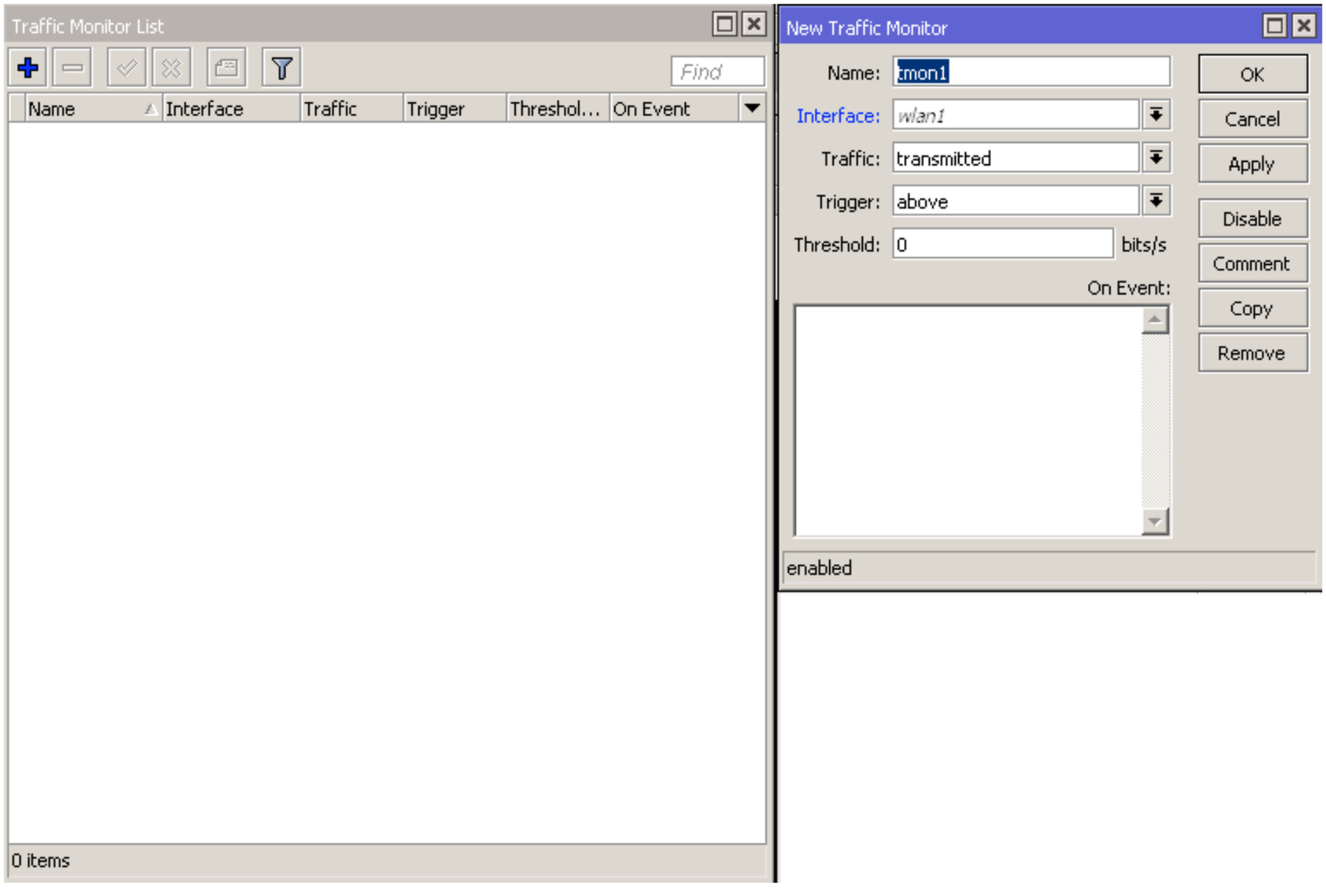
ROUTEROS BUILT-IN TOOLS

- Traffic Monitor
  - Proactive monitoring with action script



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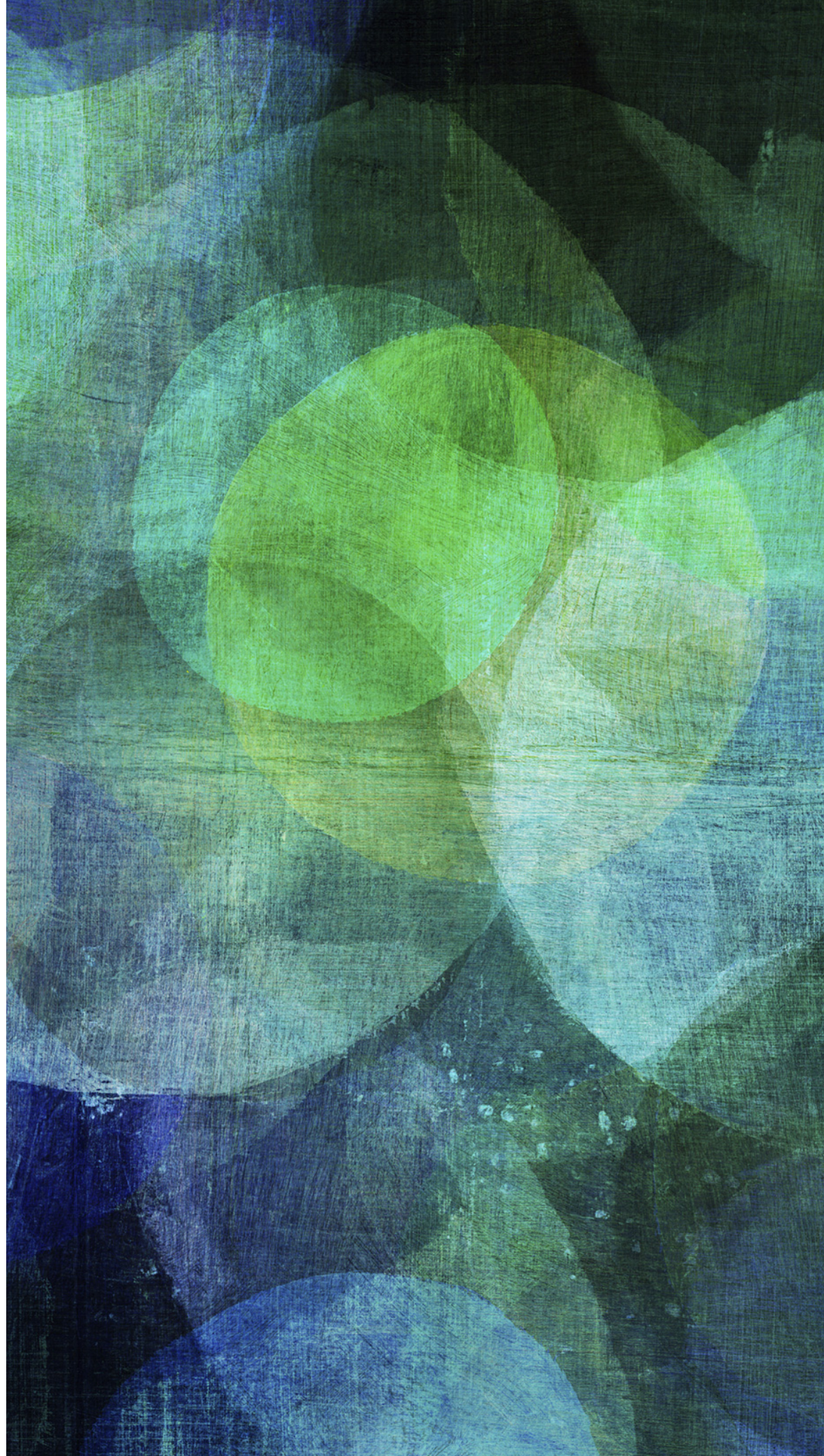
Demo

Basic Monitoring with internal tools

SIMPLE NETWORK MANAGEMENT PROTOCOL



WHAT IS SNMP?

- **S**imple **N**etwork **M**anagement **P**rotocol
- Define by Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF)
- Started in 1989, finalised in 1991
- Application Layer protocol
- MikroTik support SNMP version: 1, 2c, 3

WHY SNMP?

- Open Standard hence widely used
- It is **Simple**
- Remote monitoring
- Requires minimal bandwidth and CPU
- Ability to monitor many data

SNMP ARCHITECTURE

- Agent
  - Process running in nodes that collect information
  - Listening on UDP 161
- Manager
  - Process running in a host that request information from Agent
  - Send request to UDP 161
- Trap
  - Process running in a host that receive event from nodes

SNMP ARCHITECTURE

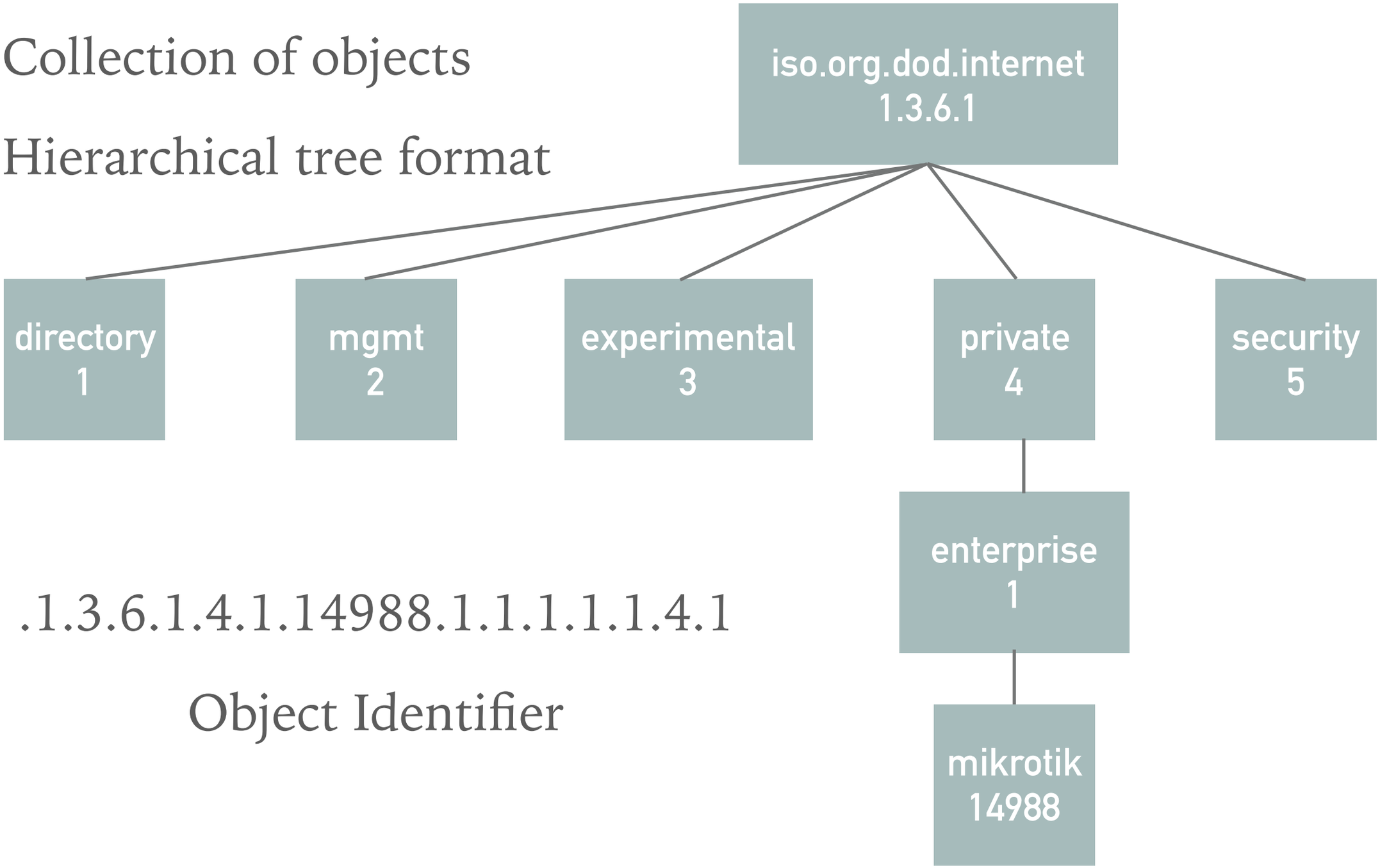
- Trap
  - Process running in a host that receive trap event from agent in nodes
  - Listening on UDP 162

SNMP COMPONENTS

- Management Information Base (MIB)
- Object Identifier (OID)
- Structure of Management Information (SMI)

MANAGEMENT INFORMATION BASE

- Database
- Collection of objects
- Hierarchical tree format



.1.3.6.1.4.1.14988.1.1.1.1.1.4.1

Object Identifier

MIKROTIK MIB

- https://wiki.mikrotik.com/wiki/Manual:SNMP
- Last updated 5 December 2018

```
MIKROTIK-MIB DEFINITIONS ::= BEGIN

IMPORTS
MODULE-IDENTITY, OBJECT-TYPE, Integer32, Counter32, Gauge32, IpAddress,
Counter64, enterprises, NOTIFICATION-TYPE, TimeTicks FROM SNMPv2-SMI
TEXTUAL-CONVENTION, DisplayString, MacAddress, DateAndTime FROM SNMPv2-TC
OBJECT-GROUP, NOTIFICATION-GROUP FROM SNMPv2-CONF;

mikrotikExperimentalModule MODULE-IDENTITY
  LAST-UPDATED "201812050000Z"
  ORGANIZATION "MikroTik"
  CONTACT-INFO "support@mikrotik.com"
  DESCRIPTION ""
  REVISION "201812050000Z"
  DESCRIPTION ""
  ::= { mikrotik 1 }

mikrotik OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { enterprises 14988 }
mtXMetaInfo OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { mikrotikExperimentalModule 2 }
mtXRouterOsGroups OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { mtXMetaInfo 1 }
```

```
HexInt ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION
    DISPLAY-HINT "x"
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "Hex"
    SYNTAX Integer32 (-2147483648..2147483647)

Voltage ::= TEXTUAL-CONVENTION
    DISPLAY-HINT "d-1"
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION ""
    SYNTAX Integer32 (-2147483648..2147483647)
```

```
mtxrWlStatIndex OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX ObjectIndex
    MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION ""
    ::= { mtxrWlStatEntry 1 }

mtxrWlStatTxRate OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Gauge32
    MAX-ACCESS read-only
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "bits per second"
    ::= { mtxrWlStatEntry 2 }

mtxrWlStatRxRate OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Gauge32
    MAX-ACCESS read-only
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "bits per second"
    ::= { mtxrWlStatEntry 3 }

mtxrWlStatStrength OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Integer32
    MAX-ACCESS read-only
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "dBm"
    ::= { mtxrWlStatEntry 4 }
```

STRUCTURE OF MANAGEMENT INFORMATION (SMI)

- Define rules for object:
  - Name
  - Type
  - Encoding
  - Etc

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mtXRouterOs OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { mikrotikExperimentalModule 1 }
mtxrWireless OBJECT IDENTIFIER ::= { mtXRouterOs 1 }


-- WIRELESS ***********************************************************************

mtxrWlStatTable OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX SEQUENCE OF MtxrWlStatEntry
    MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION ""
    ::= { mtxrWireless 1 }

mtxrWlStatEntry OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX MtxrWlStatEntry
    MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "Wireless station mode interface"
```

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    SYNTAX MtxrWlStatEntry
    MAX-ACCESS not-accessible
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "Wireless station mode interface"
    INDEX { mtxrWlStatIndex }
    ::= { mtxrWlStatTable 1 }

MtxrWlStatEntry ::= SEQUENCE {
    mtxrWlStatIndex ObjectIndex,
    mtxrWlStatTxRate Gauge32,
    mtxrWlStatRxRate Gauge32,
    mtxrWlStatStrength Integer32,
}


mtxrWlStatStrength OBJECT-TYPE
    SYNTAX Integer32
    MAX-ACCESS read-only
    STATUS current
    DESCRIPTION "dBm"
    ::= { mtxrWlStatEntry 4 }
```

How to read MIB file??

EXTERNAL SOFTWARE

- Command Line: Net-SNMP
- Visual: MRTG, Zabbix, Nagios, PRTG, etc

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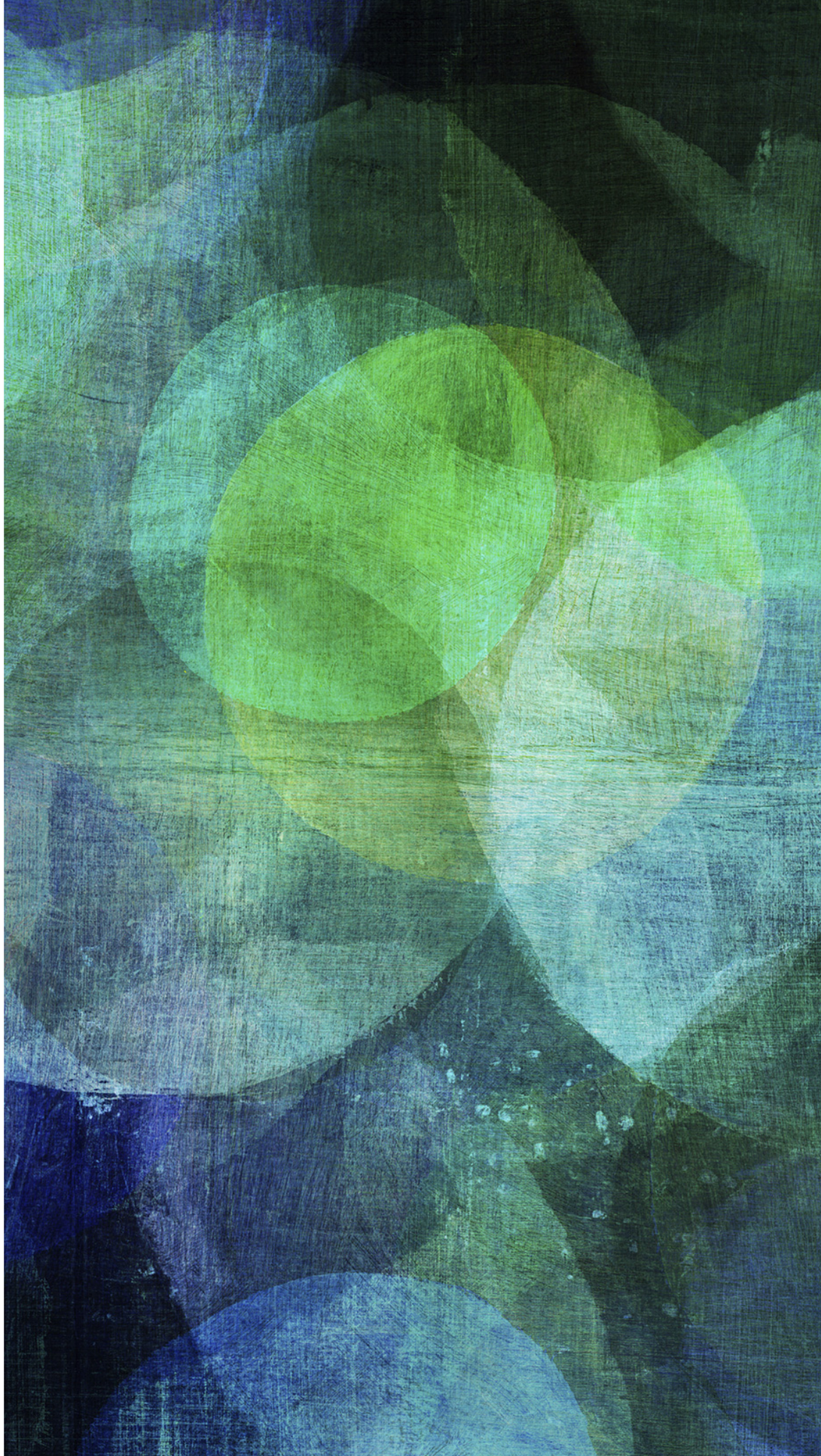
Demo

Getting RouterOS version via SNMP

ROUTEROS TRAFFIC FLOW



ROUTEROS TRAFFIC FLOW

- Provide statistics of network traffic
- Compatible with Cisco Netflow
- Version 1, 5 & 9

WHAT IS ELK

- ElasticSearch (Database)
- Logstash (Input)
- Kibana (Visual)

WHY ELK?

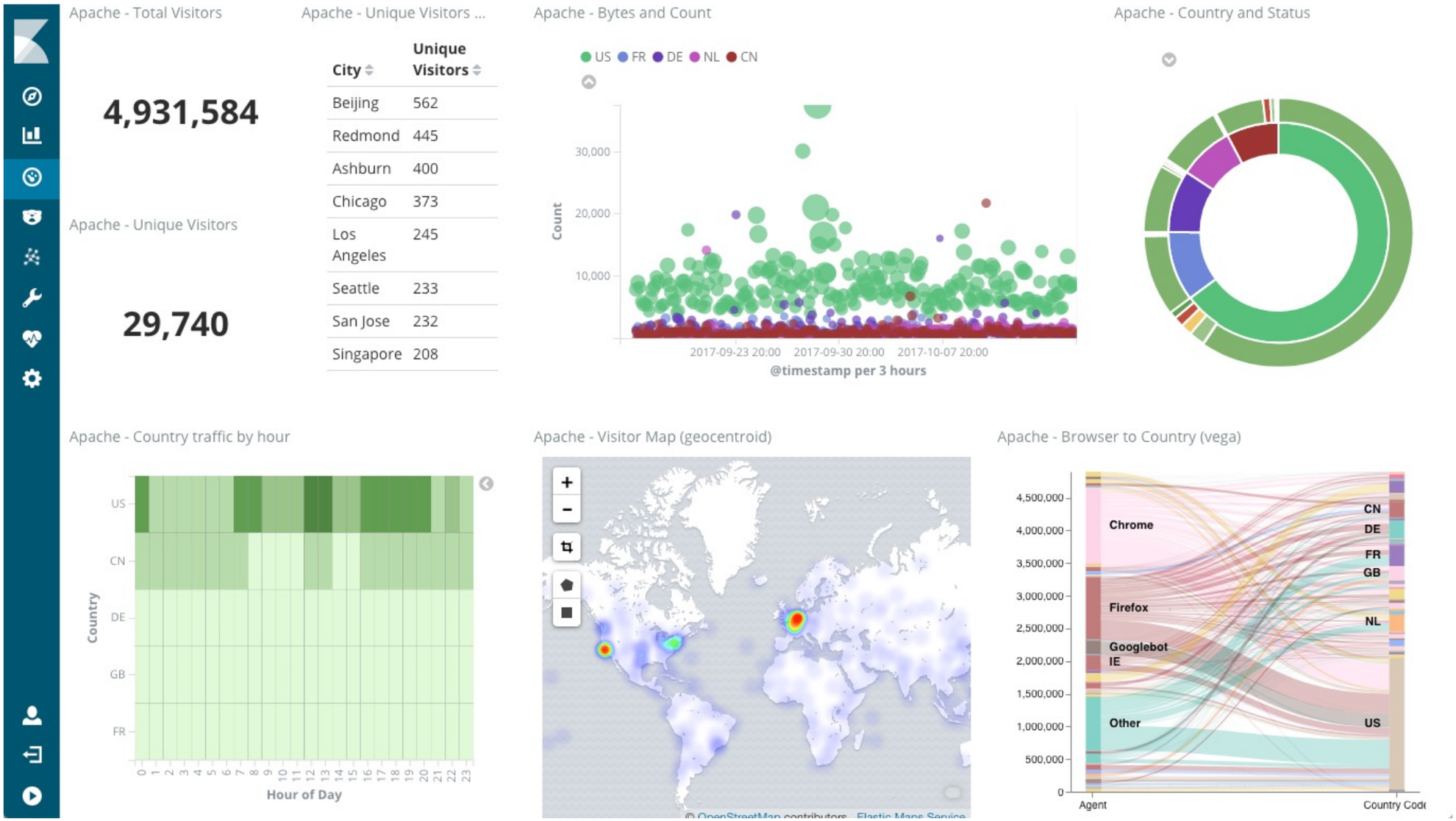
- Open Source
- SNMP information is not detailed enough
- It support more than just Flow
- Support Clustering
- Direct query into the data is possible
- High performance: 5Gbps, more than 100.000 flows

- Open Source
- Server Side data processing
- Ingest Data from multitude of sources simultaneously
- Input Plugins: https://www.elastic.co/guide/en/logstash/current/input-plugins.html
- Amazon CloudWatch & S3, File, Github Webhook, HTTP/HTTPS, SNMP & Trap, Syslog, TCP, UDP, etc
- Filters: Parse & Transform
- Output

- Open Source
- Distributed, RESTful search
- Centrally store data in the ELK stack
- Really really really FAST
- Numbers, text, geo, structured, unstructured. All data types are welcome

kibana

- Open Source
- Graphical User Interface
- Created to visualise your ElasticSearch data



INSTALLATION

- Download source package, compile, install, edit config
- Binary Installation: YUM, APT, MSI, PKG
- Docker

BINARY INSTALLATION

- CentOS 7 / YUM / RPM
- Yum Repository: easy, fast, manageable

```
[elasticsearch-6.x]
name=Elasticsearch repository for 6.x packages
baseurl=https://artifacts.elastic.co/packages/6.x/yum
gpgcheck=1
gpgkey=https://artifacts.elastic.co/GPG-KEY-elasticsearch
enabled=1
autorefresh=1
type=rpm-md
```

```
$ sudo yum install elasticsearch
```

`/etc/elasticsearch/elasticsearch.yml`

`network.host: localhost`

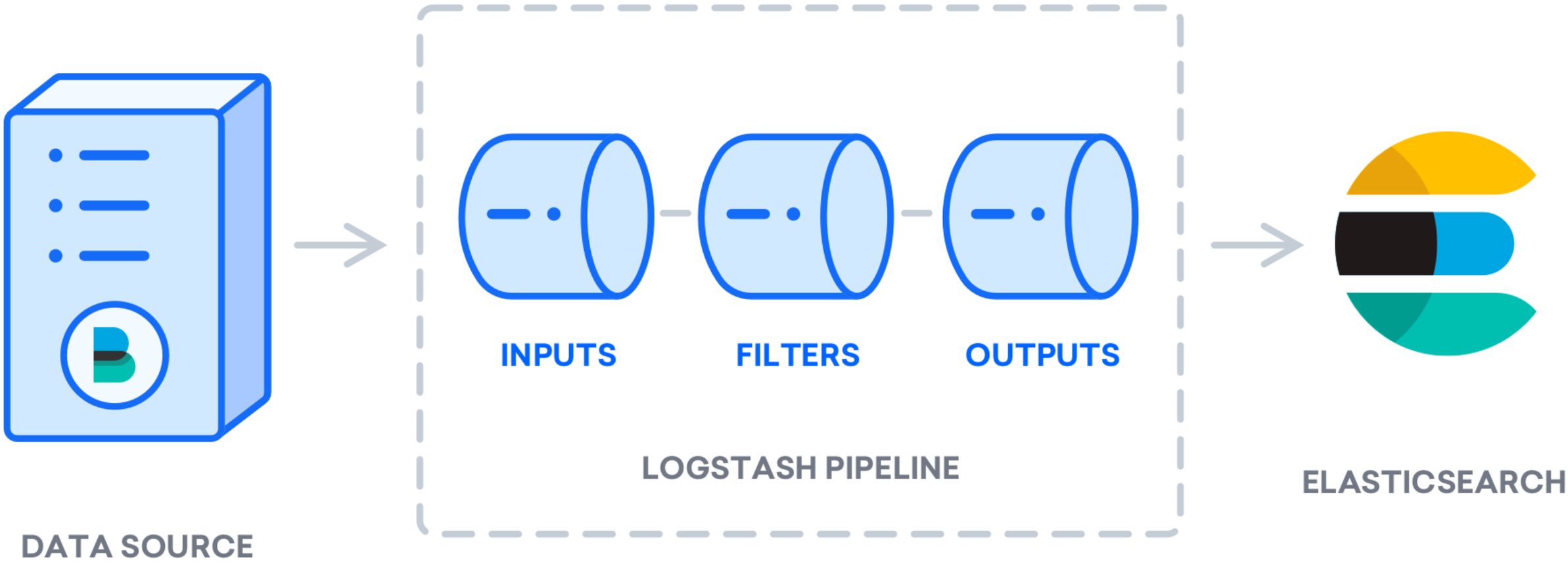
You can test whether your Elasticsearch service is running by sending an HTTP request:

```
$ curl -X GET "localhost:9200"
```

You will see a response showing some basic information about your local node, similar to this:

```
Output
{
  "name" : "8oSCBFJ",
  "cluster_name" : "elasticsearch",
  "cluster_uuid" : "1Nf9ZymBQaOWKpMRBfisog",
  "version" : {
    "number" : "6.5.2",
    "build_flavor" : "default",
    "build_type" : "rpm",
    "build_hash" : "9434bed",
    "build_date" : "2018-11-29T23:58:20.891072Z",
    "build_snapshot" : false,
    "lucene_version" : "7.5.0",
    "minimum_wire_compatibility_version" : "5.6.0",
    "minimum_index_compatibility_version" : "5.0.0"
  },
  "tagline" : "You Know, for Search"
}
```

```
$ sudo yum install Logstash
```



```
input {
  udp {
    port  => 2055
    codec => netflow
  }
}
```

```
output {
  if "port_9996" in [tags] {
    elasticsearch {
        hosts => "127.0.0.1"
        index => "logstash-netflow-9996-%{+YYYY.MM.dd}"
    }
  } else if "port_9995" in [tags] {
    elasticsearch {
        hosts => "127.0.0.1"
        index => "logstash-netflow-9995-%{+YYYY.MM.dd}"
    }
  }
}
```

```
$ sudo yum install Kibana
```

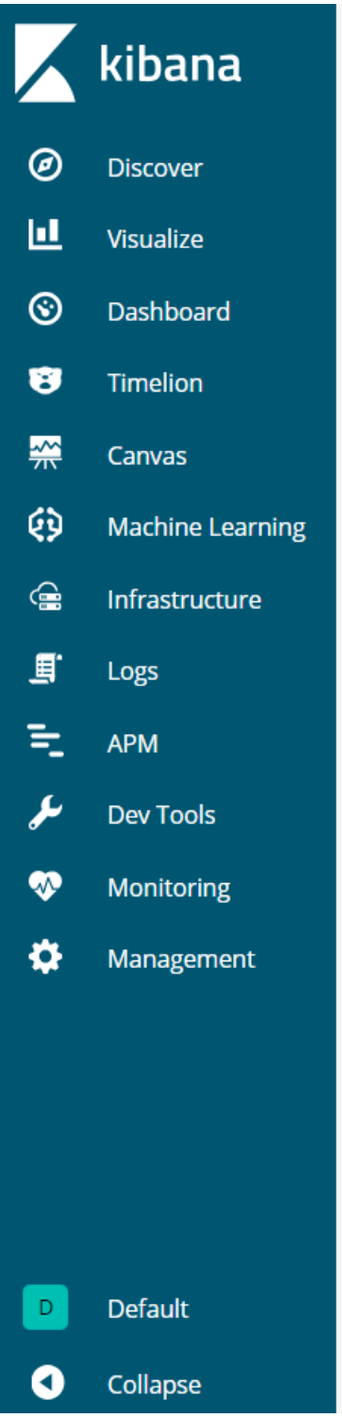
- Run on its own port, def 561
- Use Nginx as reverse proxy

```
server {
    listen 80;

    server_name example.com www.example.com;

    auth_basic "Restricted Access";
    auth_basic_user_file /etc/nginx/htpasswd.users;

    location / {
        proxy_pass http://localhost:5601;
        proxy_http_version 1.1;
        proxy_set_header Upgrade $http_upgrade;
        proxy_set_header Connection 'upgrade';
        proxy_set_header Host $host;
        proxy_cache_bypass $http_upgrade;
    }
}
```



Kibana status is Green

elastic

1.40 GB Heap total	161.32 MB Heap used	0.00, 0.01, 0.05 Load
95.09 ms Response time avg	1132.00 ms Response time max	6.80 Requests per second

Plugin status

BUILD **18730** COMMIT **467f35fb**

ID	Status
plugin:kibana@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:elasticsearch@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:xpack_main@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:searchprofiler@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:ml@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:tilemap@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:watcher@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:license_management@6.5.0	Ready
plugin:index_management@6.5.0	Ready

LOGSTASH + ELASTICSEARCH + KIBANA

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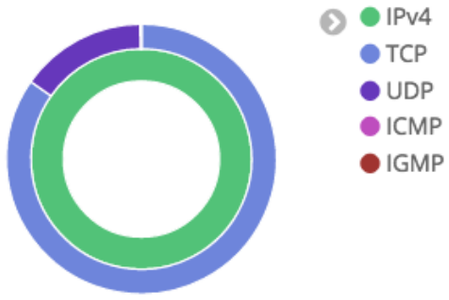
Uses lucene query syntax

Add a filter +

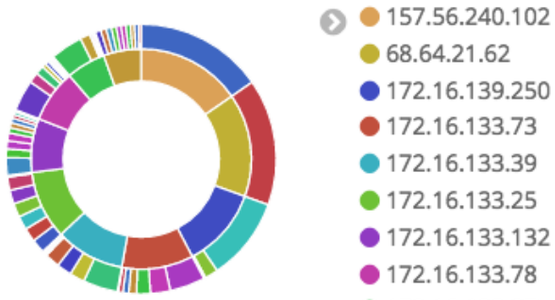
Netflow: Dashboard Navigation

Overview | Conversation Partners | Traffic Analysis | Top-N | Geo Location | Autonomous Systems | Flow Exporters | Raw Flow Records

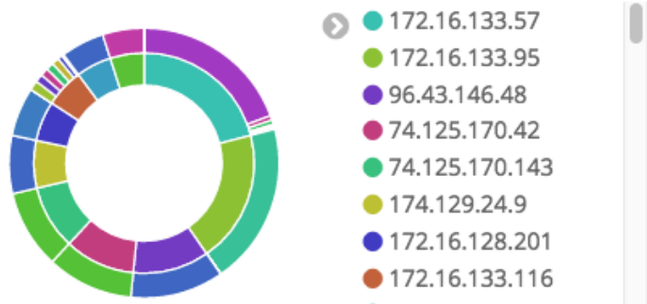
Netflow: IP Version and Protocols (bytes)



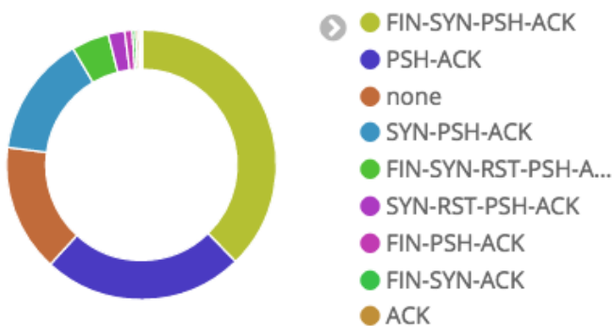
Netflow: Destinations and Ports (bytes)



Netflow: Sources and Ports (bytes)



Netflow: TCP Flags (bytes)

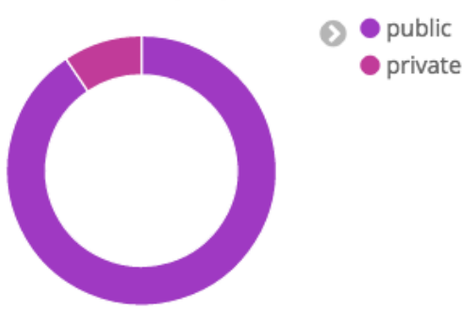


Netflow: Types of Service (bytes)

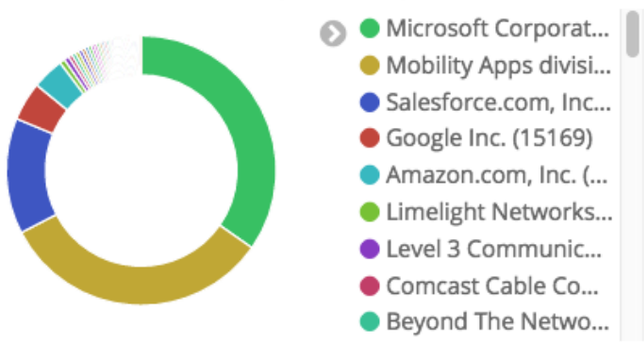
Netflow: VLANs (bytes)

No results displayed because all values equal 0.

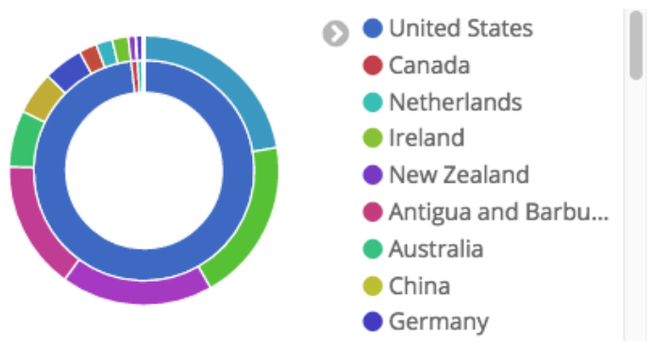
Netflow: Locality (bytes)



Netflow: Autonomous Systems (bytes)



Netflow: Countries and Cities (bytes)



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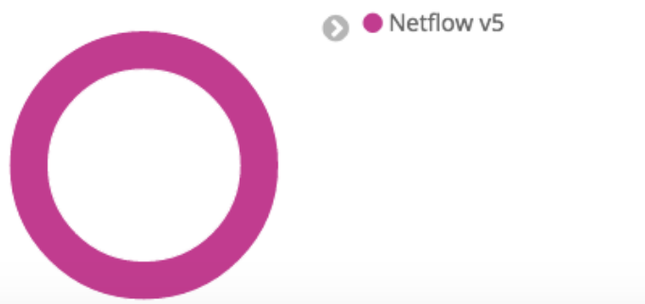
Netflow: Direction (bytes)

Netflow: Version (bytes)



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Netflow: Destinations and Sources (bytes)

- 157.56.240.102
- 68.64.21.62
- 172.16.139.250
- 172.16.133.73
- 172.16.133.39
- 172.16.133.25
- 172.16.133.132
- 172.16.133.78
- 172.16.133.87

Netflow: Destination and Source Ports (bytes)

- TCP/443 (https)
- UDP/1853 (vids-avtp)
- TCP/5440
- TCP/80 (http)
- TCP/1731 (msiccp)
- TCP/60658
- TCP/49311
- TCP/60283
- TCP/58880

Netflow: IP Version and Protocols (bytes)

- IPv4
- TCP
- UDP
- ICMP
- IGMP

Netflow: Conversation Partners

Source	Destination	Bytes	Packets	Flow Records
172.16.133.95	157.56.240.102	17,166,977	12,518	1
172.16.133.57	68.64.21.62	16,958,158	25,733	54
74.125.170.42	172.16.133.25	9,177,921	6,171	6
74.125.170.143	172.16.133.73	8,345,434	5,601	3
174.129.24.9	172.16.133.39	6,618,028	4,502	7
172.16.128.201	172.16.133.6	5,206,722	4,475	4
132.245.1.150	172.16.133.39	4,598,676	3,471	2
96.43.146.48	172.16.133.116	4,407,160	5,458	10
172.16.133.55	157.56.232.214	4,310,098	3,163	2
74.125.226.70	172.16.133.87	4,205,634	3,642	1

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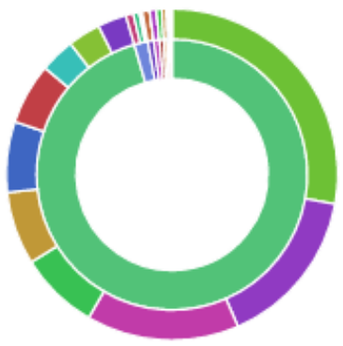


- United States
- Canada
- Australia
- Netherlands
- China
- Ireland
- Antigua and Barbu...
- New Zealand
- Singapore

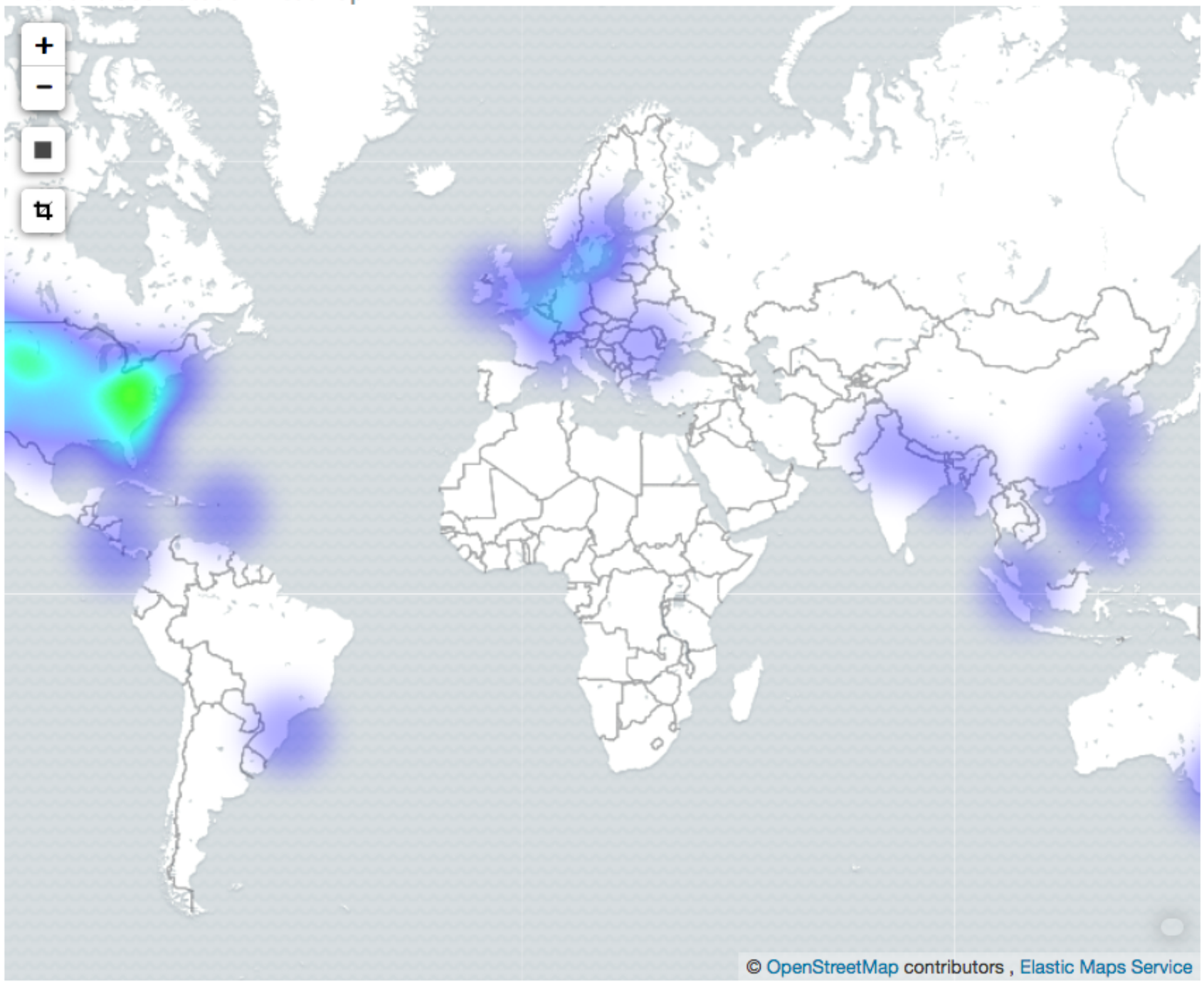
Netflow: Destinations and Sources (flow records)

- 172.16.139.250
- 172.16.133.6
- 8.8.8.8
- 172.16.128.169
- 172.16.133.54
- 172.16.128.202
- 172.16.133.132
- 172.16.133.41
- 172.16.133.254

Netflow: Destination and Source Ports (flow rec...

- TCP/5440
- TCP/80 (http)
- TCP/443 (https)
- UDP/53 (dns)
- UDP/161 (snmp)
- UDP/1853 (vids-avtp)
- UDP/1900 (ssdp)
- UDP/8200 (trivnet1)
- UDP/137 (netbios-...

Netflow: Geo Location Heatmap



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