

# Building a World Class Cybersecurity Appliance with MikroTik

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# Axiom is Exclusively a Cybersecurity Company

- Intrusion Detection & Prevention
- Distributed Denial of Service Mitigation
- Ransomware, Malware, Spam, Virus Detection and Prevention
- Full Management, Configuration, Monitoring, and Reporting
- Vulnerability Scanning, Penetration Testing
- Security Architecture Design and Implementation
- Continuous Updates
- Polymorphic Threat Intelligence Platform





### Axiom is Exclusively a MikroTik Shop

- Why MikroTik?
  - Capabilities
  - Price
  - Flexibility of Deployment
  - Ability to Run Scripts
  - Ability to Update Protections with no Degradation
  - Ability to Connect MikroTik to Our Platform
- hEX Micro Business / SoHo
- RB3011 Small Business
- CCR-1009/1036 Medium Business
- CCR-1072 Large Business / Data Center



### Polymorphic Threat Defense Platform

- Core to our offering.
- Polymorphic because it is continuously changing protections
- Cloud based platform that takes in over 100 open and closed sources of threat intelligence and CVE data
- Parses the relevant threat data points such as IP Addresses, Hosts, URLs, Indicators of Compromise, and others
- Deploys those data points in real-time to our network of clients via the MikroTik hardware
- Updates address lists, block lists, regular expression matching, Layer 7 rules, and firewall rules
- Updates 350,000 data points per day to keep ahead of the latest attack vectors
- Averages one update approximately every 10 minutes
- No memory impact or degradation of throughput to the device, to date. (another good reason to use MikroTik)



#### Sources

- Spamhaus
- Abuse.CH
- C&C Tracker
- Forkbomb Labs
- **Botnet Tracker**
- HoneyDB
- MalShare.com
- PhishTank
- SANS.org / SANS ICS
- Verizon
- + many more paid subscription and open source







#### Data Points

- IP Addresses Botnet, Ransomware, Malware, etc.
- URLs
- TOR Nodes
- Malicious Domains
- Layer 7 filter rules for Ransomware

**Torrent** 

Malware

**Indicators of Compromise** 





#### Risk Factor

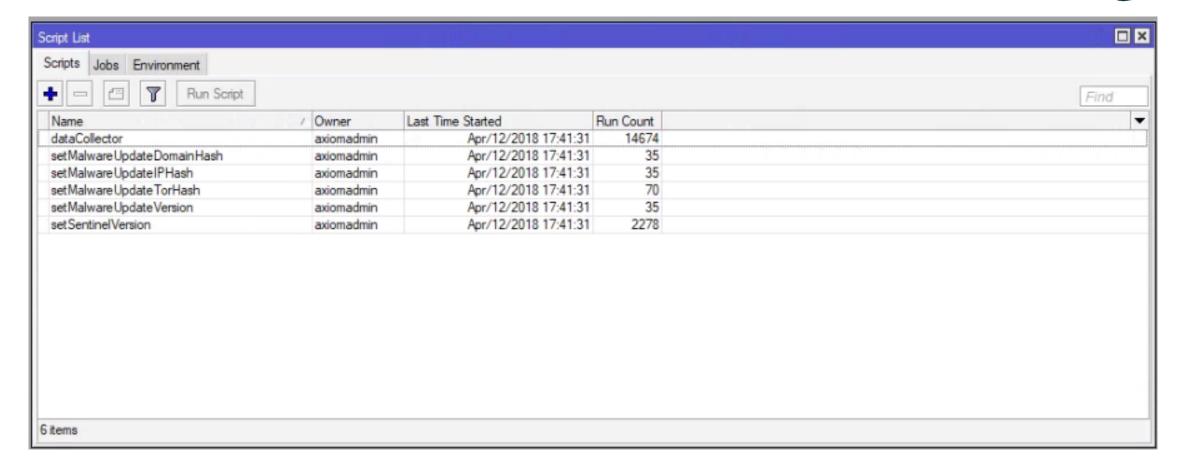
From the time a vulnerability is disclosed to the world, until you patch against is your risk factor of a breach due to that vulnerability. As time increases so does your risk of a breach.

Updates are crucial. Not just the threat intelligence feeds, but all firewall rules must be dynamic and updated on a frequent basis.

With MikroTik, dynamic firewall rules allow us to add offenders to a custom address list and then take a secondary action such as block for a period of time, tarpit, drop, etc



### How It Works

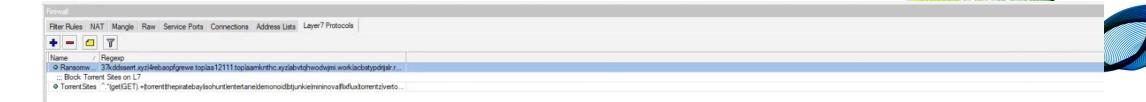


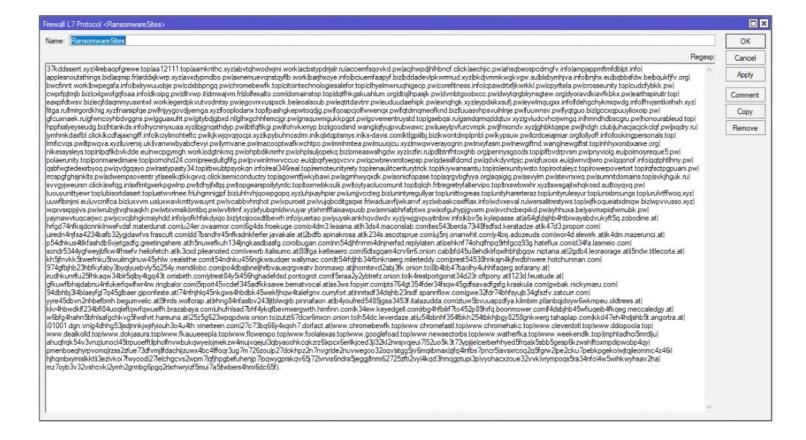




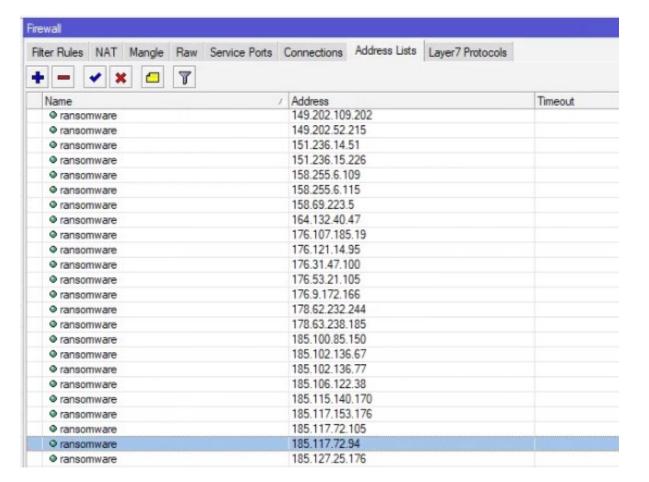
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15	<b>X</b> drop								0	В		- Drop to ransomware list
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25	<b>X</b> drop								0			- Drop to Manual BlockList
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35	<b>≭</b> drop								772.8 K			- DPI   Torrent Deep Packet Inspection Drop
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#### Benefits

- Allows cybersecurity without having to purchase other products or hardware
- Allows full layer 7 filtering of threats
- Not a UTM Leave virus and spam filters to the endpoint
- Network receives over 75% of attacks, not endpoint
- Protects the IoT devices
- Based on MikroTik's firewall best practices and improved in house and through the MikroTik community
- Perfect for Edge/Perimeter or segmentation to Managed Clients
- Protections must by dynamic, static rules and address lists are quickly out of date



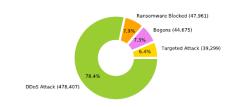
# Axiom Reporting Portal



Reporting Period: 01/01/2018 - 01/31/2018

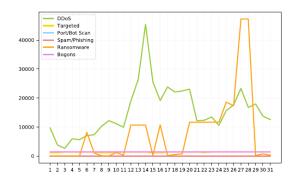
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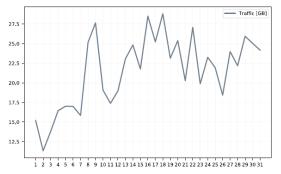
This month, your Axiom SecureAmerica® firewall (Firewal Name) inspected 687.85 GB of traffic.



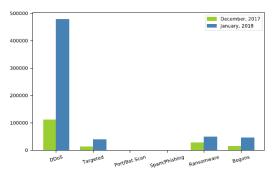
Attack Type	Frequency
DDoS Attack	478,407
Targeted Attack	39,299
Ransomware	47,961
Port/Bot Scan	0
Spam/Phishing	0
Bogons	44,675

#### Monthly Attacks and Total Traffic





#### Last Month vs Current Month



DDoS – Distributed Denial of Service. This is when your firewall sees a traffic flood and blocks suspected traffic. Traffic floods occur more often than you think. Because they often come in low volumes, you may or may not see the effects on your network. Hackers use these as "probes" to test networks and infrastructure for vulnerabilities. The Axiom firewall is designed to absorb these and not reply. This leaves the attacker no information helping your business stay invisible.

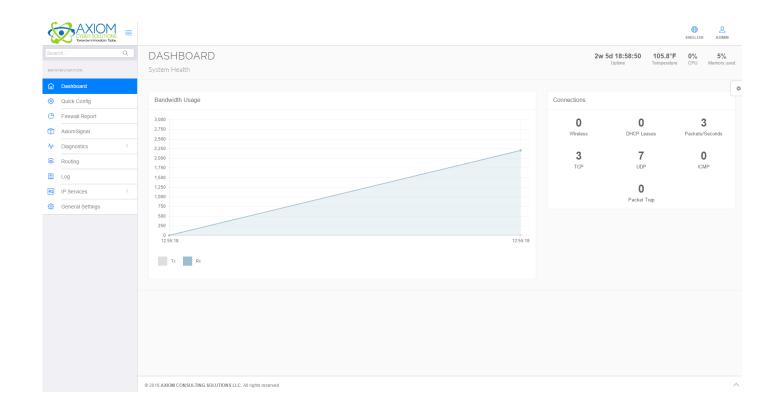
Targeted Attack – This is when someone puts in your IP address for a specific attack. This could be many different vectors such as SQL Injection attempt, Cross Site Scripting attempt or a vulnerability scanner. This generally happens with someone has scanned and found your IP with the Bot Scan or they have found your IP from and email or web response. In any event, the Axiom firewall will block these attacks. The Axiom firewall keeps track of these offenders and will block them after several attempts.

Ransomware – This is when Ransomware has been activated on your network and is reaching out for the encryption key exchange. Ransomware malware makes hundreds, if not thousands of calls out of the business and this number represents the number of packets blocked. This is targeting a specific protocol that Ransomware must have to activate.

Port / Bot Scan – This is when servers or bots on the internet are scanning for open ports or known devices on IP ranges. Each day, thousands of servers (both legitimate and illegitimate) are scanning

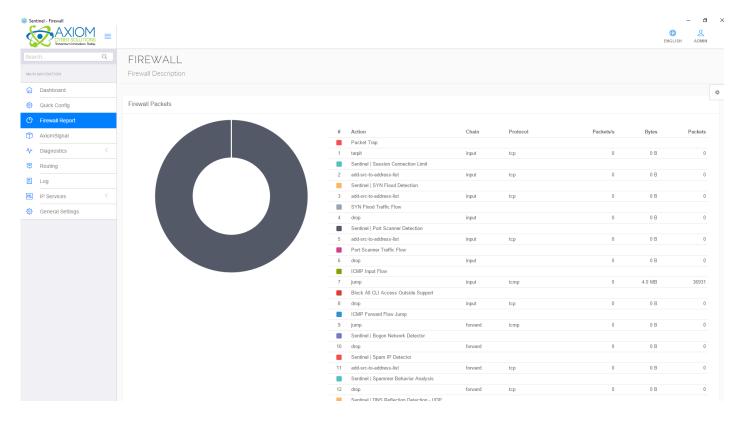


# Axiom Dashboard – General Statistics



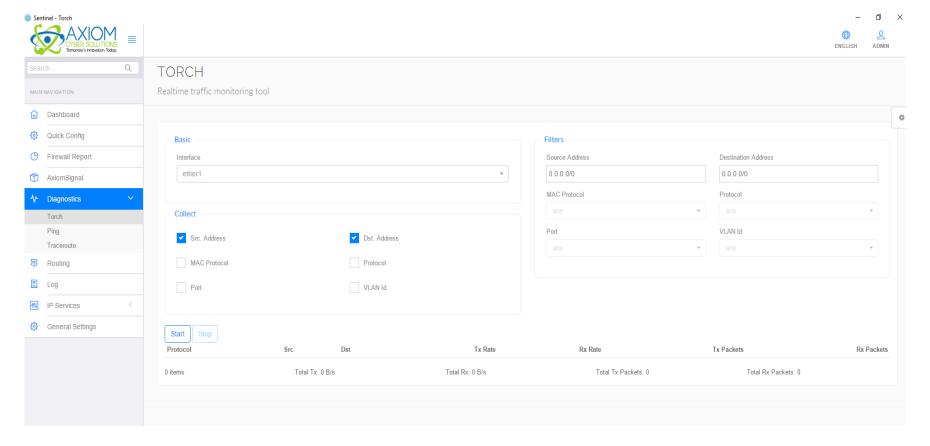


# Axiom Dashboard – Firewall Stats





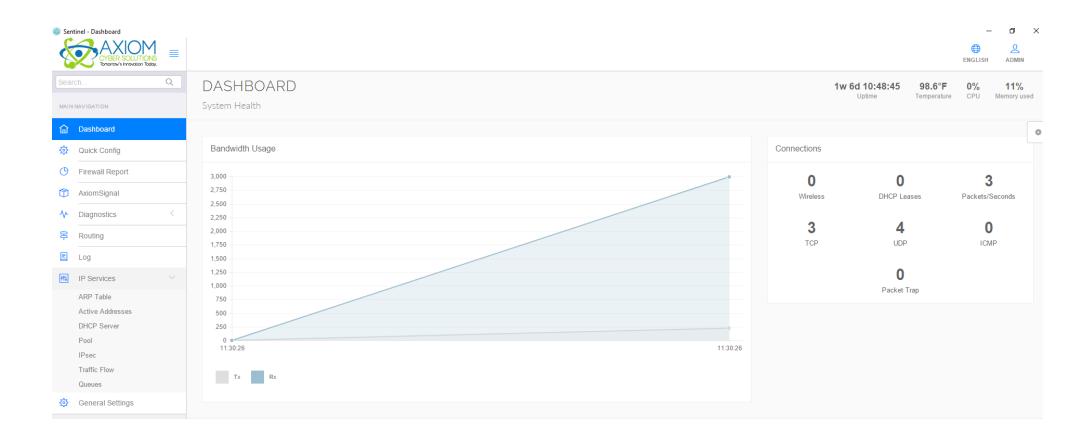
# Axiom Dashboard – Advanced Packet Level Diagnostics





## Axiom Dashboard – IP Services Menu







#### Axiom Shield

- Works with MikroTik RouterOS
  - Compatible to 6.2x versions ... but you really need to update to the latest available version!
- Contact Troy Wilkinson, CEO <u>troy.wilkinson@axiomcyber.com</u>
- www.axiomcyber.com/shield
- First month free code: SHIELD1M



