

GFI Exinda NetworkOrchestrator Software Appliance delivers the same powerful network orchestration capabilities as our hardware appliances in a flexible virtual form factor. This comprehensive solution combines network diagnostics, bandwidth shaping, and application acceleration deployed on your preferred hypervisor.

How It Works

Complete Application Visibility & Control

Identify and prioritize thousands of applications while limiting recreational or non-business traffic.

WAN Optimization & Acceleration

Reduce bandwidth consumption and improve application performance across distributed locations.

Intelligent Recommendation Engine

Al-powered insights that analyze traffic patterns and suggest optimization strategies.

Integrated Traffic Shaping

Ensure critical applications receive the bandwidth they need through advanced QoS policies.

Edge Caching

Single-sided caching of Internet content, including web objects, videos, and software updates.

Comprehensive Monitoring & Reporting

Real-time dashboards and scheduled reports for network insights and troubleshooting.

Performance Specifications

Deployment Size	Small	Medium	Large	Enterprise
Shaping Throughput	Up to 1 Gbps	Up to 6 Gbps	Up to 10 Gbps	Up to 20 Gbps
Concurrent Flows	250,000	650,000	1,300,000	1,800,000
New Connection Rate	10,000/s	25,000/s	32,000/s	38,000/s
Packets Per Second	250,000/s	950,000/s	1,400,000/s	1,800,000/s
Traffic Policies	1,024	2,048	4,096	5,500

Note: Performance depends on allocated host resources and network conditions



System Requirements

Resource	Small	Medium	Large	Enterprise
vCPUs	2-4 cores	6-8 cores	12-16 cores	16+ cores
Memory (RAM)	8 GB	16 GB	32 GB	64+ GB
System Disk	40 GB	40 GB	40 GB	40 GB
Data Storage	500 GB+	1 TB+	2 TB+	4 TB+
Network Interfaces	4	4	4+	6+

Supported Hypervisors

- VMware ESXi 5.5 or higher (recommended for optimal performance)
- Microsoft Hyper-V

- KVM/QEMU
- Citrix XenServer 6.2 or higher

Network Interface Configuration

The virtual appliance requires a minimum of 4 virtual network interfaces:

- Interface 1: Management port (dedicated for administrative access)
- Interface 2: Optional secondary management or cluster interface
- Interfaces 3 & 4: Bridge pair for inline network traffic deployment

Use Cases



Improve application performance across distributed locations

Data Center Consolidation

Service Provider Environments

Integrate with virtualized infrastructure

Multi-tenant capability with resource isolation

Cloud Application Acceleration

Enhance SaaS and IaaS application delivery

Hardware Replacement

Virtual alternative for EOL hardware appliances

Remote/Hybrid Work Environments

Optimize VPN and remote desktop performance



Integration & Management

- GFI AppManager Integration: Unified management with other GFI products
- API Access: RESTful API for automation and third-party integration
- SNMP Support: Compatible with enterprise monitoring systems

Licensing

- Subscription-based model: Licensed by the amount of bandwidth to be managed (from 1 Mbps to 20+ Gbps)
- All features included: Shaping, acceleration, edge cache, and technical support included in subscription
- Flexible terms: 1, 3, and 5-year subscription options available

For more information about GFI Exinda NetworkOrchestrator: