

Kingston Healthcare Company Chooses SolarWinds Server & Application Monitor Over Nagios



“Every time that we have a location call in and say that they can’t reach the Internet or a network resource, we turn to Server & Application Monitor to begin troubleshooting. SolarWinds saves us so much time diagnosing problems found in our local network, as well as locations that are not close to our home office.”

“We did try to implement Nagios, but found it too difficult to get up and running quickly. SolarWinds was far more user-friendly.”

Challenges

- IT administration and management challenges that prompted you to purchase SolarWinds Server & Application Monitor:
 - Inability to identify why servers are running slow
 - Lack of visibility into application health and availability
 - Too much manual effort and time spent on finding the root-cause of issues
 - Lack of centralized monitoring across multiple sites in the network
- Evaluated Nagios and found it difficult to get up and running. Chose SolarWinds Server & Application Monitor over Nagios.

Use Case

- Purchased Server & Application Monitor for the following key features:
 - Out-of-the-box monitoring templates for multi-vendor applications
 - Ability to modify or build new templates for custom application monitoring
 - Application dependency mapping with underlying infrastructure using AppStack™ dashboard
 - Server monitoring and IT asset inventory management
 - Integration with SolarWinds® IT management solutions
- Applications primarily monitored using Server & Application Monitor:
 - Microsoft Exchange Server
 - Windows
 - Linux
 - IIS
 - SQL Server
 - Active Directory
 - SharePoint

Results

- **Identifies and troubleshoots application issues 60-80% faster** after deploying Server & Application Monitor.
- Saw a **40-60% decline in application and server downtime** since they started using Server & Application Monitor.
- **Realized ROI in 1-3 months** after buying Server & Application Monitor.
- Rates SolarWinds as 5 out of 5 stars.

About SolarWinds Server & Application Monitor

SolarWinds delivers powerful, affordable, and easy-to-use application, server, virtualization and storage monitoring software to help you get complete visibility of your systems infrastructure, and stay ahead of downtime and performance issues.

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