

e⁺ SD-WAN – Solution Selection

Methodology Description

A successful modern WAN has new requirements around applications, bandwidth and policy. The ePlus READI SD-WAN Scoring Methodology uses a combination of solutions discovery, interviews, technical evaluations and automated tools and manual inspection and discovery to extract critical features and functions about each major SD-WAN solution provider. Armed with this granular empirical data, you can then match your specific SD-WAN requirements to quickly identify the top one or two providers that will best match your environment.

Why Do It?

- + Identify critical design factors
- + Determine how applications actually perform in your live environment
- + Gather metrics on performance
- + Determine Cloud access/on-ramp requirements
- + Determine security requirements, compliance and regulatory

What You Get

Our READI Scoring Methodology delivers:

- + Over 200 features and functions scored
- + Updated scores based on providers
- + Ability to match requirements to solutions scores for best fit analysis
- + Rank scoring based on technical grouping
- + Independent scoring for each provider
- + Comprehensive features and functionality list

READI Methodology

- + **RESILIENT**—Redundant, fault-tolerant, self-healing, self-recovering, scalable performance
- + **EFFICIENT**—Carrier diverse, application aware, application prioritized, path optimized
- + **AGILE**—Fully automated, single point orchestrated, easy-to-manage, programmable, fully adaptable
- + **DEFENSIVE**—Secure, threat detection & protection, policy enforcement, anomaly detection
- + **INTELLIGENT**—Advanced visibility, assurance, network & application monitoring, root caused analysis & remediation

Remember: A Healthy Underlay (WAN) = A Healthy Overlay (SD-WAN)



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For more information about an ePlus SD-WAN Scoring Solution or other SD-WAN related topics, contact your Account Executive or [submit a request](#) from our website.

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