

Nominee: SAN SENTINEL

Nomination title: Cloud Storage DCIM

SAN SENTINEL is an independent vendor (ISV) providing SRM software for analyzing and controlling the storage infrastructure in a cloud. It created a breakthrough in the market by introducing the only "Data Center Infrastructure Management in a Cloud" (DCIM), to rise to the new challenges caused by the arrival of new technologies in the infrastructures. This new Object-Based Storage technology, allows companies to centrally collect in the Cloud all storage components of their infrastructure within minutes, by leveraging SAN Sentinel Agentless SaaS technology. Sentinel Navigator's solutions redefine the Storage Management efficiency and functionality requirements that are specifically designed for the particular needs of today's storage environments, focusing on Cloud, Virtual machines and Heterogeneous storage environments.

Why nominee should win

- Unique technology multi-vendor for collecting all components of the storage infrastructure without installation.
- Allows to identify and collect Storage Arrays, San Switches and vCenters regardless of the place where they are in the world.
- Transforms and places the information collected in a DCIM, accessible through Web Services.
- Single Cloud SaaS application for Storage Resources Management (SRM) proposed on pay as you use.
- Allows to get an accurate dashboard with fresh information for accelerating decision making.
- Anticipates storage risks to avoid storage failure and critical applications downtime, but also proposes capacity planning, chargeback, storage arrays and servers inventories, cost saving and more in few minutes.