# Large University in California Streamlines EndPoint Security Operations

This large, engineering, and research-based university in California has enrolled thousands of students with a strong commitment towards technology education. With around 1000+ in-house endpoints, they have a complex IT infrastructure and a broader attack surface.

Scope of Implementation

#### About the Organization

Research University in California with more than 1000 devices.

#### **Solution Implemented**

SanerNow CyberHygiene Platform to implement Integrated Vulnerability and Patch Management.

#### The Challenge

Lack of complete visibility over security exposure and delays in vulnerability remediation

IT and security teams in this university faced huge challenges in gaining complete visibility over their security exposure. With scattered and inaccurate information on the vulnerabilities available in their network, they struggled to manage their vulner-abilities and keep their endpoint security in check.

"The way we managed vulnerabilities was a mess. We were unable to discover and remediate vulnerabilities on time. We did have a couple of scanners and a separate tool for patching, but it was difficult to correlate the data from these sources and manage them in a unified view."

- Senior IT Security Executive

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### **Business Needs**

An integrated solution to manage their vulnerabilities in a single, comprehensive view was their prime need.

This university's primary need was to streamline the vulnerability management process and minimize their attack surface. With multiple tools approach making the task even more cumbersome, they were on the lookout for an integrated solution to detect, assess, prioritize, and remediate vulnerabilities. As the number of vulnerabilities is rising rapidly, having tight control of this vulnerability management matters the most for securing their endpoints.

### The SecPod SanerNow solution

SanerNow's integrated vulnerability and patch management solution to discover, remediate, and manage vulnerabilities in one comprehensive view.

After reading about SanerNow on a popular review site, they took a free product trial and decided to deploy SanerNow in their network. A few days after deployment, they gained complete visibility over the vulnerabilities available in their endpoints and were also able to discover details on the severity they possessed. Along with quick detection of vulnerabilities, SanerNow helped them to assess their exploit level and guided them to remediate the most critical risks first.

With SanerNow, they collectively viewed the identified vulnerabilities details, prioritization level, and the patches to remediate them in one unified console. Timely remediation, which was once an unattained goal for this university, became easily possible with SanerNow onboard.

#### Immediate Impact of SanerNow

Streamlined vulnerability management and reduced security risks with SanerNow

Using SanerNow's cloud-based solution, this leading university effectively managed vulnerabilities and remediated them on-time without leaving any security gaps. SanerNow helped them discover vulnerabilities across their heterogeneous OS endpoints without the need for any additional tools or ad-hoc integrations. They closely analyzed their vulnerability management and made better, strategic moves with insightful dashboards and customizable reports offered by SanerNow.

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"We are happy after onboarding SanerNow in our network. We now have a real-time, accurate view of our endpoints' vulnerabilities and run vulnerability scans whenever we require in a day. The patch integration has vulnerability remediation easy and quick for us. We have, in fact, automated the whole process with SanerNow and kept our hands free."

- Vulnerability Mnagement Lead

#### About SecPod

SecPod is leading provider of endpoint security and management solutions. SecPod (Security Podium, incarnated as SecPod) has created revolutionary SanerNow platform and tools that are used by MSPs and enterprises worldwide. SecPod also licenses security technology to top security vendors through its SCAP Content Professional Feed.

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