



IXIA VISIBILITY SOLUTIONS CASE STUDY

Global 500 Energy & Utilities Company

Introduction

This case study of a Global 500 energy & utilities company is based on an August 2016 survey of Ixia visibility solutions customers by TechValidate, a 3rd-party research service. The profiled company asked to have their name blinded to protect their confidentiality.

“Provide reliability and reduce cost impact of an outage as well as stress/load testing.”

Challenges

The business challenges that led the profiled company to evaluate and ultimately select Ixia visibility solutions:

- Operational challenges Ixia helps solve:
 - Lack of network diagnostics
 - Network blind spots
 - Hardware single points of failure

Use Case

The key features and functionalities of Ixia visibility solutions that the surveyed company uses:

- Using Ixia solutions for:
 - Inline security tools
- Visibility products or features they are currently using:
 - Network Taps
 - Bypass Switches

Results

The surveyed company achieved the following results with Ixia visibility solutions:

- Top benefits experienced after implementing Ixia:
 - Reduced cost
 - Improved overall security posture
 - Improved network and application reliability and performance
- Saved \$25,000 – \$50,000 using Ixia solutions.
- Realized a return on investment using Ixia within six months
- Reduced the traffic load on their monitoring or security tools by 20% – 40% with Ixia’s visibility solutions

Company Profile

The company featured in this case study asked to have its name publicly blinded because publicly endorsing vendors is against their policies.

TechValidate stands behind the authenticity of this data.

Company Size:
Global 500

Industry:
Energy & Utilities

About Ixia visibility solutions

Ixia offers companies trusted environments in which to develop, deploy and operate. Our customers feel stable and secure, because we are there first with insights from concept through operation and anticipating how customer products will evolve.

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