



IXIA VISIBILITY SOLUTIONS CASE STUDY

## State & Local Government

### Introduction

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

“We use Ixia to regenerate a single SPAN port to multiple tools for monitoring. We don’t need more SPAN ports, thus reducing the cost of doing that on the switch.”

### Challenges

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

- Operational challenges Ixia helps solve:
  - Lack of network diagnostics

### Use Case

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

- Using Ixia solutions for:
  - Forensics and packet capture
  - Out of band security monitoring tools
  - Proactive monitoring
- Is using Ixia tools to monitor virtual traffic
- Visibility products or features they are currently using:
  - Network Taps

### Results

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

- Top benefits experienced after implementing Ixia:
  - Met compliance regulations
  - Improved overall security posture
- Realized a return on investment using Ixia within three months

#### Organization Profile

The organization 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.

Organization Size:  
**State & Local**

Industry:  
**Government**

#### 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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