



## ONE SECURE NETWORK FOR ALL SITES

### ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION

Olympic Brewery S.A. is a fast evolving Greek company that was set up in January 2010. At the same time, it is considered a healthy Greek business overseas too, since it exports its beer to several dynamic international markets. The company uses multiple sites for its operations. Two of those are production factories.

### ORIGINAL CHALLENGE

The Olympic Brewery IT staff wanted to have an integrated, threat-centric next-generation firewall. One that not only delivers granular application control, but also provides effective security against the threats posed by sophisticated and evasive malware attacks.

### WHY CISCO

Olympic Brewery, a longtime Cisco customer, is investing in a more end-to-end Cisco solution model. From the core to the access layer and from routing and switching to the internal and perimeter security of their network. "When we are looking to purchase new infrastructure, we are wondering whether it is Reliable, Scalable and Highly available. With Cisco, the answer has always been yes," says Mr. Levantis.

Cisco Firepower NGFW appliances combine network firewall with the industry's most effective next-gen IPS and Advanced Malware Protection. They provide multiple deployment options and integrate easily into the datacenter and the network. Actionable security events that will be identified as threats, are blocked before they can disrupt any datacenter services.

### THE DEPLOYMENT

Properly sized ASA firewall devices with FirePOWER Services were deployed in the perimeter and in all the entry points of the company's network throughout its sites. These systems replaced the old ASA devices and others and provided a uniform security infrastructure.

Access for Remote users is performed using Cisco's latest Anyconnect VPN Client Application for all operating systems. Intrusion Protection, Advance Malware Protection and URL filtering services were activated on all devices to maximize the protection of the systems and the users of the company.

### RESULTS

Datacenter footprint was reduced, security management and operations were simplified with room for future growth. We reduced Complexity and simplified our operations by consolidating all security functions into a single management interface.

### WHY ALGOSYSTEMS

Algosystems is Olympic Brewery's trusted advisor for many years. Our longtime cooperation is based on Algosystems' experience in proposing the latest technological features that apply to our needs and implementing and supporting demanding projects.

“With the Cisco Firepower NGFW appliances installed in all of our sites, we have reduced complexity of our security infrastructure and we are focused on the most critical events.”

Panos Levantis  
IT Manager, Olympic Brewery

