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# EXA32100A



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## DATA SHEET

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# Advanced Network Packet Broker At a glance

## Definition

An Advanced Network Packet Broker is a switch-like device purpose-built to receive traffic from a variety of network sources (live link, TAPs, SPANs, mirror ports) and to filter, duplicate, and/or aggregate that traffic to monitoring and security tools.

## Advantages of EXA32100A

- Filters and load-balances traffic from 10, 25, 40 or 100 Gbps links to multiple monitoring tools
- Aggregates multiple 10 Gbps links to 25, 40, or 100 Gbps monitoring tools
- 32 x 40/100 Gbps (QSFP/QSFP28)
- QSFP28 ports support breakout to 4 x 10/25G
- Supports data burst buffering
- Packet slicing support (any configurable packet size)
- IPv6 support
- Tunnel header stripping
- No additional port licensing fees or software feature licensing. All features and applications included in the unit price.
- 2-year base warranty period

## Product Overview



The EXA32100A is a high-performance advanced network packet broker that aggregates, filters, duplicates, and load balances network traffic to security, monitoring and management tools. The EXA32100A is based on programmable switching fabric. It is based on an advanced multi-core, industry leading programmable switch chip architecture. This platform allows all filtering features to be implemented at the hardware level for unmatched throughput and performance. The EXA32100A enables high-performance deep protocol identification and processing, and data message pre-processing at the chip forwarding logic level. The multi-layer filtering capabilities of the EXA32100A is a powerful feature of this device which enables enhanced network visibility and better network performance.

## Functions / Benefits:

- Easy to configure: secure Web GUI / ReST API
- Load balancing: hash-based, session aware load balancing on either outer or inner tunnel headers
- Ultra high port density: supports up to 32 x 40/100 Gbps or 128 x 25/10 Gbps ports and two dedicated SFP+/SFP28 ports for 10G or 25Gbps
- Tunnel termination and filtering on multiple parameters including inner tunnel (VXLAN, GTP, ERSPAN, CFP, MPLS, etc)
- Up to 115688 simultaneously filtering rules without performance restrictions to see the traffic that is really needed
- ASCII string filtering inside the payload
- SNMPv2c and SNMPv3 support
- Straight and easy development of filtering strings using MS Excel with download function.

## Product Capabilities / Features

Link/Port Aggregation	Aggregation many to any, and any to many at all link speeds
100G distribution/load balancing	Traffic can be easily distributed across 10G, 25G, and 40G links to monitor highly loaded 100 Gbps links.
Jumbo Frame Support	The EXA32100A supports jumbo Ethernet frames with a size of up to 9192 bytes.
Support of IPv4 and IPv6	Yes
Ports	32 x QSFP 40 Gbps or QSFP28 100 Gbps with break-out possibility to 10Gbps or 25Gbps 2 x SFP+ 10Gbps or SFP28 25Gbps 1 x 10/100/1000 Base-T (Management) 1 x RS232 Console
Configuration Communication	/ Web GUI, REST API
Performance	6,4 Tbps backplane 100 % throughput without any packet loss 2,4 Billion PPS
Aggregation latency	Average < 700 ns for 64-byte frames
MTBF	200.742 hours
Packet Buffer	22 MB
Different Power Versions	Dual 100-240V AC or 36-72V DC available

## Technical Data / Specifications

### Inputs\*

32 x 40 Gbps / 100 Gbps full duplex Ports for any kind of QSFP/QSFP28

\* Each port can be input and / or output depending on the application and configuration

\*All QSFP/ QSFP 28 ports support breakout cables to 4x10G or 4x25G interfaces

### Outputs\*

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## Performance

- Performance up to 6,4 Tbps
- 2,4 Billion PPS
- Non-blocking design
- Boot time from power on to working 180 sec

## Management

- Management Port: (1) RJ45 10/100/1000 Mbit Configuration
- Easy to use Web UI

## Operating specifications:

Operating Temperature: 0°C to 40°C

Storage Temperature: -10°C to 70°C

Relative Humidity: 10% min, 95% max (non-condensing)

## Mechanical specifications:

Dimension (WxDxH): 442 x 580 x 44 mm

Weight: 11,8 kg

Airflow: Front-back

## Electrical specifications:

Input Power: 100-240 V AC or 36-72 V DC

Maximum Power Consumption: 540W

## Certifications:

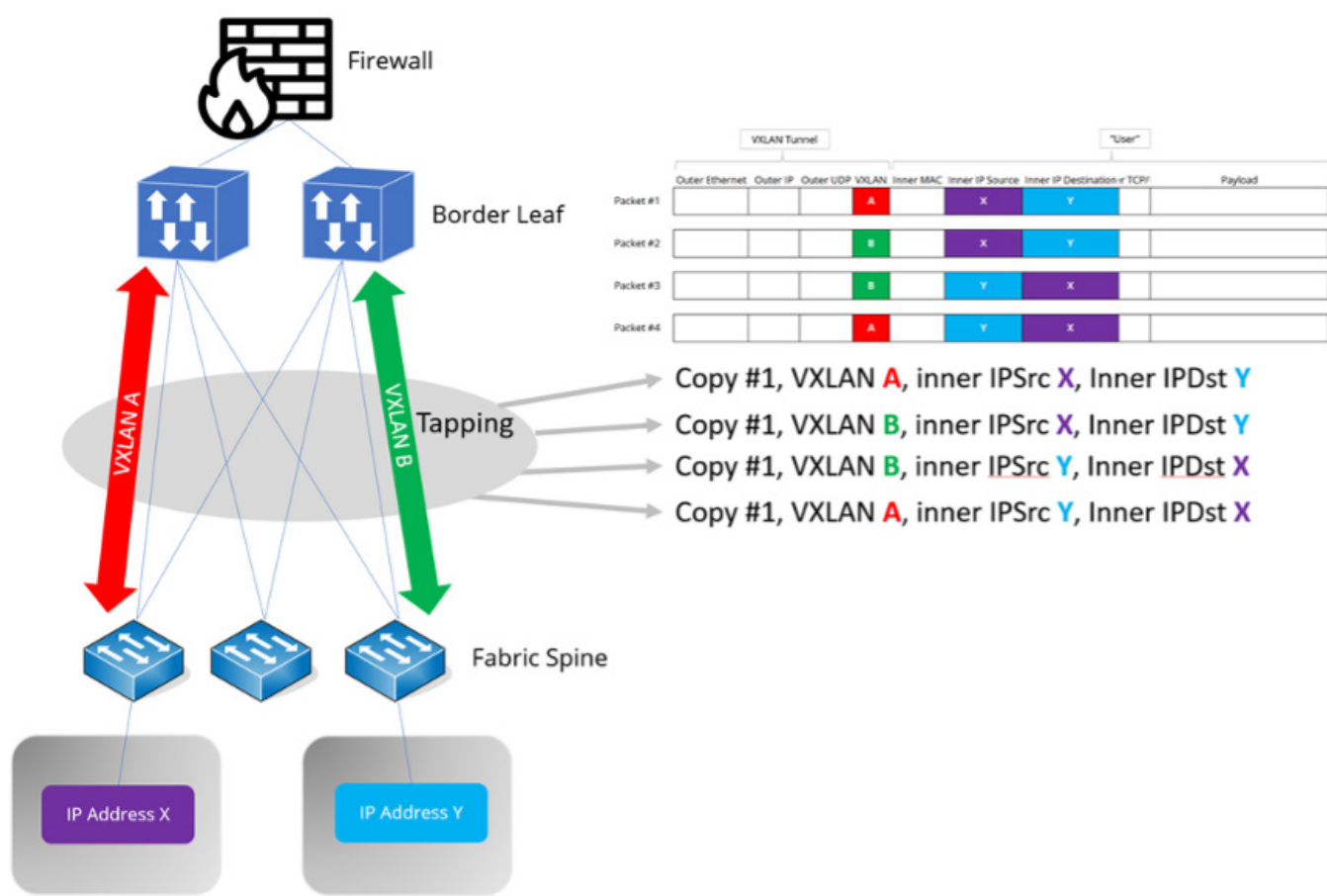
Fully RoHS compliant

CE compliant

Safety - UL 60950-1 / CSA C22.2 60950-1-07 / IEC 62368-1: 2014 EN 62368-1: 2014

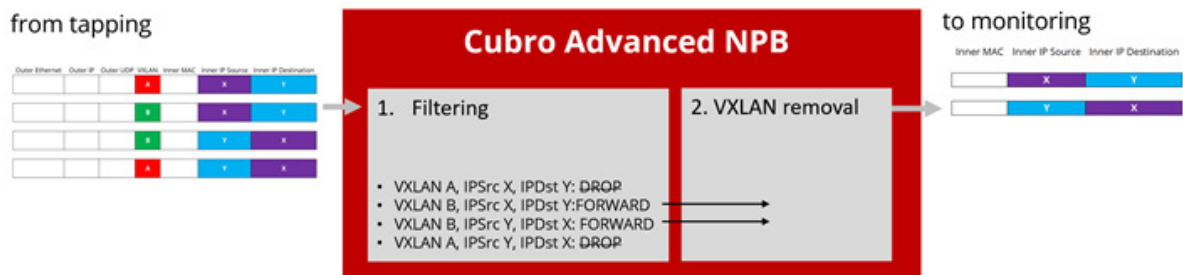
## Deduplication by filtering in VXLAN overlay networks (VXLAN VNI and IP filtering)

Usually, the duplicate traffic is caused by picking up the same traffic more than once due multiple tapping and/or aggregation devices.



Traffic between IP X and IP Y passes the tapping two times and thus the same packets are visible twice at the tapping output. From user perspective every packet is received twice. The EXA32100A offers an easy and straight-forward way to eliminate the duplicates by allowing filtering VXLAN VNI and inner IP simultaneously.

	Outer Ethernet	Outer IP	Outer UDP	VXLAN	Inner MAC	Inner IP Source	Inner IP Destination	Network Broker Probe ACTION
Packet #1				A		X	Y	drop
Packet #2				B		X	Y	forward
Packet #3				B		Y	X	forward
Packet #4				A		Y	X	drop



VXLAN VNI and inner IP filtering:

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### Rule Configuration

Wildcard Match   Accurate Match   MAC   String

**Add Rule**   ☒ Display/Hide Columns   Rule ID:    **Query**

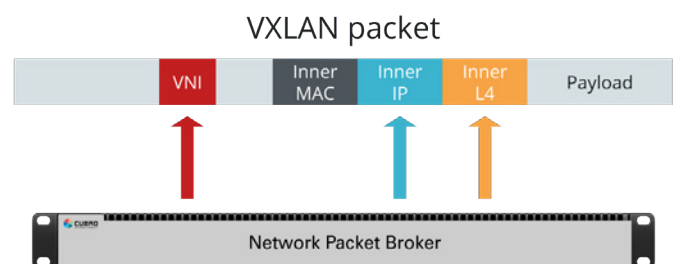
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## State-of-the-art tunnel functionality

The EXA32100A supports the termination of various tunnels such as:

- ERSPAN II and III
- GRE
- MPLS over UDP and MPLS over GRE
- GTP
- VXLAN
- IPinIP
- CFP



Every port of the EXA32100A supports an independent MAC and IP setup. Thus, the EXA32100A can be used as an active tunnel end-point. Beside tunnel termination it also allows filtering inside tunnels.

This superior functionality makes the EXA32100A perfectly suited for any modern overlay network.

## GRE Encapsulation Function

To transport filtered packets from site A to site B over a routed Layer 3 network, the EXA32100A supports a GRE encapsulation function.

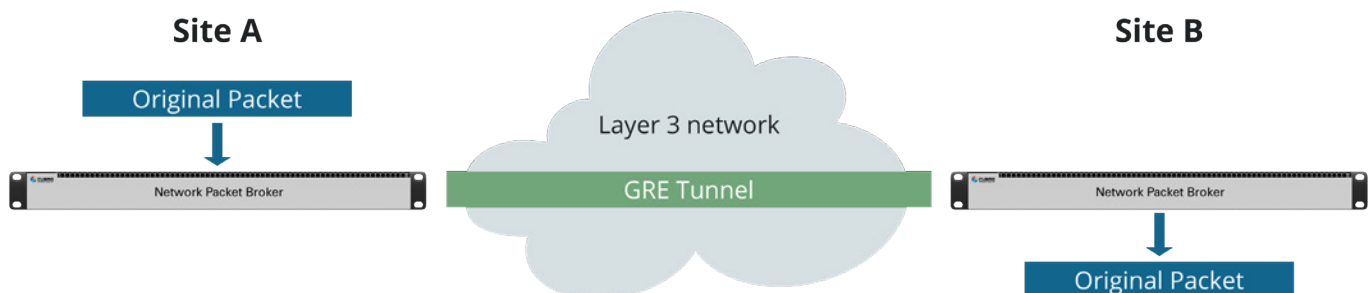
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Display/Hide Columns Create Tunnel Delete Cancel Choose All ID: Query

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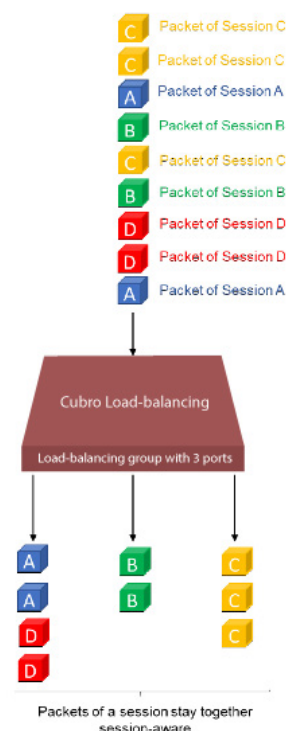
Confirm Cancel



## GTP user-plane load-balancing

User-data interfaces in mobile networks such as S1-U are usually heavily loaded carrying up to Tbps of data. To make analysis possible these user-data needs to be spread across many analyzers and thus load-balancing is a key criteria. In order to keep the efforts for the analyzing/probing part as low as possible it is extremely important that user sessions stay together so that every packet of a user session arrives at the same analyzer interface.

The Cubro EXA32100A distributes the packets based on a hash-key. The best choice for mobile user-data is that this hash-key is based on the inner IP address (=user IP) of the arriving packets. The EXA32100A handles inner IP load-balancing in hardware and supports Tbit/s of processing power.

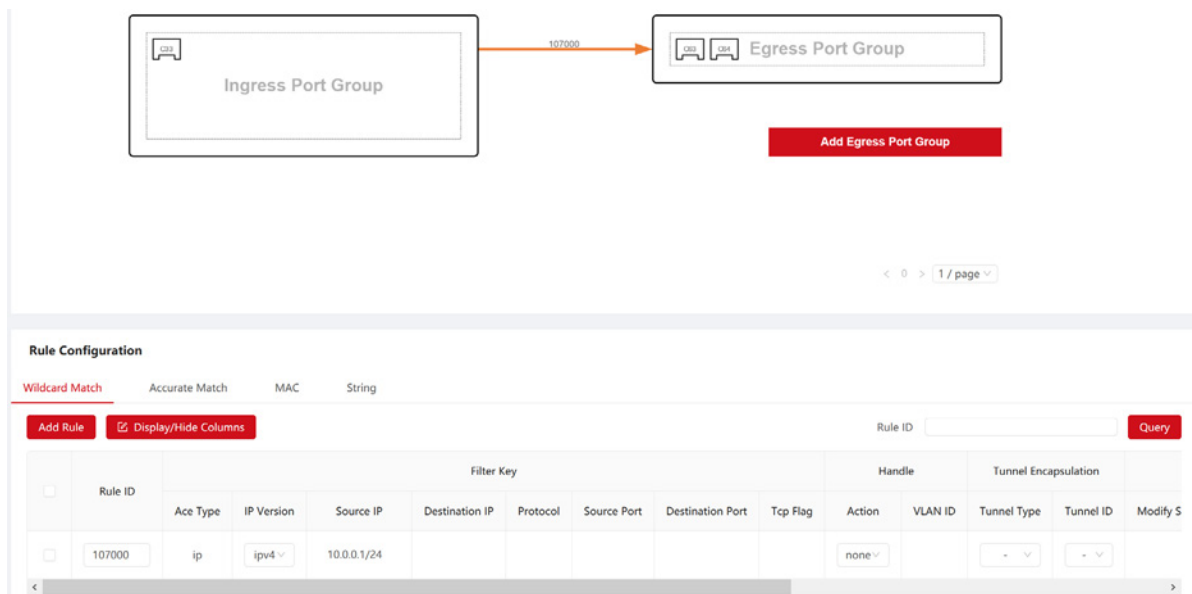




## Web User Interface

The EXA32100A features an extremely easy to use graphical way of operation.

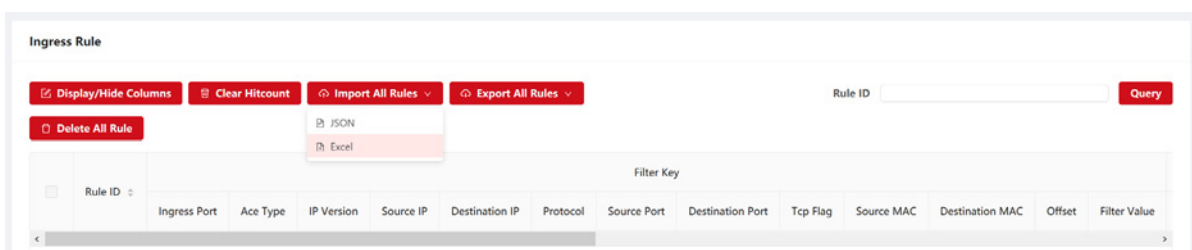
The innovative and logical WebUI allows the user to create a backup, setup new users, check port link status/statistics or define a powerful filtering scenario which will help to do the job quickly.



The screenshot displays the Web User Interface for the EXA32100A. At the top, there is a diagram showing an 'Ingress Port Group' connected to an 'Egress Port Group' via a link labeled '107000'. Below this, there is a red button labeled 'Add Egress Port Group'. The main section is titled 'Rule Configuration' and includes tabs for 'Wildcard Match', 'Accurate Match', 'MAC', and 'String'. Below these tabs, there are buttons for 'Add Rule', 'Display/Hide Columns', and a 'Query' button. A table lists the configured rules:

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Filters can also be created using Microsoft® Excel and uploaded to the EXA32100A.



The screenshot displays the 'Ingress Rule' configuration page. It includes buttons for 'Display/Hide Columns', 'Clear Hitcount', 'Import All Rules', 'Export All Rules', and 'Delete All Rule'. A dropdown menu is open, showing options for 'JSON' and 'Excel'. Below the menu, a table lists the configured rules:

Rule ID	Ingress Port	Ace Type	IP Version	Source IP	Destination IP	Protocol	Source Port	Destination Port	Tcp Flag	Source MAC	Destination MAC	Offset	Filter Value
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## Ordering Information

### Product Components:

- Cubro EXA32100A
- AC/DC power supply
- European power cord
- Transceivers not included

Part Number	Description
CUB.SM-EXA32100A	EXA32100A Advanced Network Packet Broker, 32x40/100G, AC power supply
CUB.SM-EXA32100A-DC	EXA32100A Advanced Network Packet Broker, 32x40/100G, DC power supply

### Spare parts:

Part Number	Description
CUB.PM-AC-E	AC Power supply module for CUBRO EX32100A/EX48600/OMNIA120/EX48200 series
CUB.PM-DC-E	DC Power supply module for CUBRO EXA32100A/EX48600/OMNIA120/EX48200 series

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