License Pricing

The Bandwidth Monitor is sold on a sites per server basis. A server is defined by its NETBIOS name, not it's IP address or number of interfaces. The license is $0.75 (USD) per site per server with a minimum license of 100 sites. Larger licenses may be purchased to support more than 100 sites. The license doesn't distinguish between enabled and disabled sites.

Examples

Single sever with 8 IP's and 120 sites, only 40 of which are active. In this case you would need a single server license for 120 sites. The cost would be 120 x $0.75 = $90 (USD)

Load Balanced Server Pair that server 250 load balanced sites. You would need two server licenses of 250 sites. The cost would be 250 x 2 x $0.75 = $375.

Frequently Asked Questions

Can I use a licensed copy of waeIISbm on multiple machines at the same time?

Short answer, no. When the Bandwidth Monitor starts up, it checks the machine's NETBIOS name against its hard-coded name. If they do not match, it will not execute. Each licensed copy will come with an executable for each server.

What happens if I move my server and my IP changes?

The license is tied to the NETBIOS name and does not depend on the IP addresses. So long as the server name doesn't change, the software will continue to run. No new license will be needed if the IP changes. If the server name changes, a new license will be necessary.

Is there are discount if I purchase a license for more sites that I'm presently using?

No, the price is for the full capacity of the software, not how many are site actually exist on the server.

If I buy a license for fewer sites than my server is actually hosting, what happens?

The software will monitor the first x, where x represents the number of sites in the license, sites on the server as defined through IIS. The ordering in which it selects sites to monitor is not necessarily predictable.

Will waeIISbm work with on any other web servers and OS's?

No, waeIISbm is designed specifically for Windows Server 2003 and IIS 6. It is probably that it will work with newer version of Windows and IIS, should they become available.