Ensuring that mission-critical servers are functioning optimally and client-side systems are fully operational can be a challenge, especially if you have limited resources. Your organization might not have a monitoring solution in place for your servers, thus you adopt a reactive approach to resolving server problems. Or, your organization, similar to many others, might be utilizing disparate management tools for PCs and servers. If so, you might be unhappy with your existing server monitoring solution due to a number of factors, including:

- Lack of integration with existing systems management workflows
- Complexity of the solution that renders it unusable by a large portion of the IT staff
- Drain on the capabilities and time of an already overburdened IT team

Server log monitoring with the Dell KACE K1000

The Dell KACE K1000 Systems Management Appliance (K1000) provides a better alternative – simple-to-use server log monitoring that is highly integrated with K1000’s systems management functions and workflows. Server monitoring is an add-on service* to the K1000 and provides:

- Log monitoring and alerts for all KACE agent and agentless supported operating systems – Windows, Mac, Linux and UNIX
- Integration with K1000’s asset management, reporting and service desk – alerts can automatically become tickets
- Integration with the K1000 GO Mobile App – alerts on mobile devices
- Highly extensible – can expand capabilities with templates on ITNinja – a Dell KACE integrated independent IT user forum

Benefits:

- Simple to use and configure, making it ideal if your organization is new to server monitoring
- Extends your systems management to servers through tight integration with K1000’s asset management, reporting and service desk
- Provides mobile alerts and service desk through integration with the K1000 GO app
- Built-in extensibility allows it to grow with you

“Without the KACE appliance [in our environment], we would have had to hire two or three more people.”

Michael Williams, Director IT, Dexter Southfield

Enhance your systems management capabilities with server log monitoring integrated with asset management, reporting and service desk.
**Server log monitoring is an add-on function to the Dell KACE K1000 Systems Management Appliance. The K1000 provides comprehensive anypoint management for servers, PCs, Macs, Chromebooks, smartphones, tablets, printers, networking gear and other connected, non-computing devices. It can fulfill all of your organization's systems management needs, from initial deployment to ongoing management and retirement.

**Comprehensive functionality**

Available on premise, as either a physical or a virtual appliance, or as a service via a hosted, cloud-delivered virtual appliance, the K1000 capabilities include the following:

- Device discovery and inventory of all hardware and software network wide, including computers, servers, Chromebooks, and connected, non-computing devices
- Patch management for automated vulnerability analysis and delivery of patches
- Asset management for comprehensive asset tracking and compliance reporting, including detailed software inventory and management of software licenses
- Software distribution to ensure all your systems are up to date
- System configuration and policy enforcement

**Easy to deploy and fast time to value**

Unlike traditional software approaches that can require complex and time-consuming implementation and maintenance, the K1000 is based on an extremely flexible and intelligent appliance architecture that enables the solution to be both quickly deployed and continually self-maintained. The K1000 is typically installed within a few days and delivers a return on your investment within a few months.

**Satisfied customers**

- 79 percent of users who evaluated ROI report the KACE appliance paid for itself in less than six months.
- 57 percent of KACE customers deployed in less than two weeks.

*Based on October 2014 Dell KACE Survey*

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*Server monitoring is an add-on service. Please check with your local sales representative for pricing and availability.*

**Not all functionality is available on all platforms. Please check with your local representative.**

***K1000 as a Service is not available in all regions. Please check with your local representative.***