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## **Steelcape Gateway™ 2.0 Security Software Debuts at RSA Conference 2007; Hackers Can't Get Into Your Network Without an Open Port**

*New TCP/IP Security Software Closes Open Ports on Firewalls, Optimizes Bandwidth on TCP/IP Networks*

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Pavilion #1724

LOS ANGELES & SAN FRANCISCO--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Steelcape, Inc., a new provider of next-generation network protocol technology that augments security in TCP/IP environments, today launched Steelcape Gateway™ 2.0, a software security solution that closes open ports in a TCP/IP-based network to provide unhackable security for network users. In addition, by closing open ports in the firewall, Steelcape Gateway™ software bolsters the TCP/IP bandwidth to speed the deliver of content-critical data over the Internet.

The primary enhancement in V 2.0 is the addition of the Steelcape Enterprise Server™ which facilitates the management of the Steelcape Gateway™ s and adds the ability to segregate the Steelcape network into Zones for increased data security. Steelcape Gateway™ doesn't open ports in a TCP/IP-based network that are vulnerable to hacking opportunities and minimizes bandwidth requirements for sending digital content. Steelcape will offer more information on this new product at the RSA Conference 2007 in San Francisco. Steelcape is based in the Initiative for Open Authentication (OATH) pavilion #1724 at the Moscone Center in San Francisco.

"To keep hackers out of your network, you need to close the doors that allow them in," said Joseph Cohen, president and CEO, Steelcape, Inc. "We close all open ports on the firewall making it virtually impossible for a hacker to break into the network through TCP/IP. The Steelcape Gateway is an effective alternative to more tradition VPNs, VLANs and SSL-VPNs.

Steelcape's Gateway™ Security software uses a unique protocol that effectively coexists with TCP/IP to provide a new approach in network and content security. Steelcape's Gateway™ is a software-based agent solution or can be deployed as a external hardware appliance that facilitates secure communication between computers without requiring server interaction.

Steelcape Gateway™ can be deployed in a multi-platform environment with scalability tested to as many as 20,000 nodes and supports popular operating systems including Microsoft Windows, IBM, Sun, HP, Linux, Java, Novell and Apple.

Version 2.0 of Steelcape Gateway™ eliminates the TCP/UDP transport layer and can lower CPU cycles by 32 percent. By altering IP packets, Steelcape Gateway™ enables these packets to pass through firewalls unchallenged and unchanged. This represents a completely new approach to transactional security that rejects complex encryption methods and the need to open ports on the network. Steelcape Gateway™ software enables data transfers from host to host without opening firewalls or relying on central server administration. This reduces all security risks, decentralizes the enterprise architecture, reduces bandwidth requirements, and dramatically lowers the cost of security. Steelcape is 100% compatible with TCP/IP and existing

users are not affected.

Companies interested in Steelcape can contact sales at Steelcape by calling 310-622-7004 or sending email to [sales@steelcape.com](mailto:sales@steelcape.com).

### **About Steelcape**

Steelcape, Inc. is a leading provider of the next-generation network protocol that augments the TCP/IP environment. Steelcape effectively protects against hacking as the protocol does not open ports to be effective and tends to be up to 32% faster than traditional TCP/IP. Both commercial enterprises and government agencies alike are fighting against Internet hacking attacks.

Steelcape provides an effective solution for expanding security challenges such as identity theft, information leakage, insecurely coded applications and zero day exploits. Steelcape's solutions are ideal for any organization's regulatory compliance requirements, such as encryption, authentication, and access control for Security. Steelcape is non-intrusive in an organization's architecture and applications.

Steelcape was founded in 2004 and is headquartered in Los Angeles, Calif. For more information visit: [www.steelcape.com](http://www.steelcape.com)

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