





Cisco Enterprise NFV Open Ecosystem and Qualified VNF Vendors

Cisco’s open ecosystem approach to network functions virtualization (NFV) allows other vendors the option of submitting their virtual network functions (VNFs) for certification to help ensure compatibility and interoperability with Cisco® NFV platforms. As a customer deploying Cisco’s NFV solution with certified VNFs, you can be confident that the solution will successfully deploy, run, and interoperate with Cisco’s own suite of VNFs.

Certified VNF partner

Partner	Description	Vendor URL	VNF and version number	CSP or NFVIS qualified
	Applications in your data center and your IT operations demand agile, cost-effective load-balancing solutions. The Avi Vantage Platform offers a software-based approach for flexible and elastic application delivery services.	https://avinetworks.com/	Avi 17.1.1.1	CSP: 2.2.2.23 NFVIS: not applicable
	ThousandEyes is a network intelligence platform that delivers visibility into both the internal and external networks your organization relies on, enabling you to troubleshoot issues faster and improve application performance and service delivery.	https://www.thousandeyes.com/	Agent 1.27.4	CSP: 2.2.2.23 NFVIS: 3.5.1
	Fortinet’s award-winning FortiGate next-generation firewalls provide high performance, multilayered validated security, and granular visibility for end-to-end protection across the enterprise.	https://www.fortinet.com/	Fortigate 5.6.2	CSP: 2.2.3.32 NFVIS: 3.7.0.79
	Palo Alto Networks’ next-generation firewalls are architected to safely enable applications and prevent modern threats, identifying network traffic based on applications, users, content, and devices.	https://www.paloaltonetworks.com/	PAN-OS 8.0.5	CSP: 2.2.2.23 NFVIS: 3.5.1