

Ensemble Edge Cloud

Ensemble Cloudlet multi-node

All-in-one edge computing solution: automated, resilient, and engineered with built-in storage and networking



Workload evacuation



Core optimization



2-node cloud HA



Live migration



Distributed shared disk

Benefits

- Forms multi-node clusters from x86 servers
- Zero-touch deployment of nodes and clouds
- Full cloud and file system resiliency with as few as two nodes
- Integrated shared, distributed storage
- API-driven
- Ubiquitous cloud-hosted orchestration that also orchestrates uCPE and vRouter sites
- Simple, cost-effective, high-availability
- True pay-as-you-grow infrastructure

Overview

Service providers and businesses need an easy-to-deploy, affordable edge cloud platform for running network services (NaaS), IT, and AI workloads. The main challenge is to keeping start-up costs and rack space low at the beginning, while still allowing room to grow without adding complexity.

Our Ensemble Edge Cloud solution makes it happen — seamlessly and efficiently. Ensemble multi-node deployments turn base metal servers into a resilient, high-performance edge cloud. It enables you to scale capacity, increase availability and protect workloads from a cloud-hosted management platform. With automatic workload relocation, zero-touch provisioning and built-in orchestration, Ensemble ensures your services are resilient. It's a proven solution for delivering edge infrastructure that's scalable, secure and always available.

Modular compute architecture

Cloudlet OS installs on bare-metal servers to create compact, high-performance compute nodes with integrated networking. By separating the control and data planes, it enhances both security and reliability. The platform is ideal for deploying distributed workloads at the edge, whether in enterprise environments, industrial sites or service provider infrastructure.

Cloud-hosted orchestration

EdgeView, the cloud-based orchestration layer, manages Cloudlet nodes with full API support and secure remote access. It simplifies operations with zero-touch provisioning, intuitive dashboards and bulk Day-N tools, enabling faster rollout and greater visibility across distributed environments.

Integrated storage, built for the future

Ensemble Cloudlet automatically creates logical shared storage across all nodes, providing high availability without added hardware. Its modular design supports both compact edge deployments and large-scale rollouts. With encrypted control, open APIs and seamless integration, it offers a resilient foundation for deploying advanced services in enterprise, cloud and network environments.

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Start small, and grow

Ensemble provides full cloud and workload resiliency with as few as two nodes. This enables multi-node edge clouds to get started with the lowest cost. Dynamically add nodes as you need them.

Distributed shared disk

During ZTP, Ensemble autonomously builds a distributed shared disk using storage from each node. Get the reliability of an external SAN array, without all the added cost and rack space.

Live migration

Migrate workloads to new nodes without shutting them down. Ensemble's distributed shared disk and memory-state transfer minimize downtime during maintenance activities.

Workload evacuation

Upon detecting a failed or powered-down node, Ensemble evacuates workloads and their stored data from the failed node to other nodes, eliminating the delay typically caused by for large block data transfers.

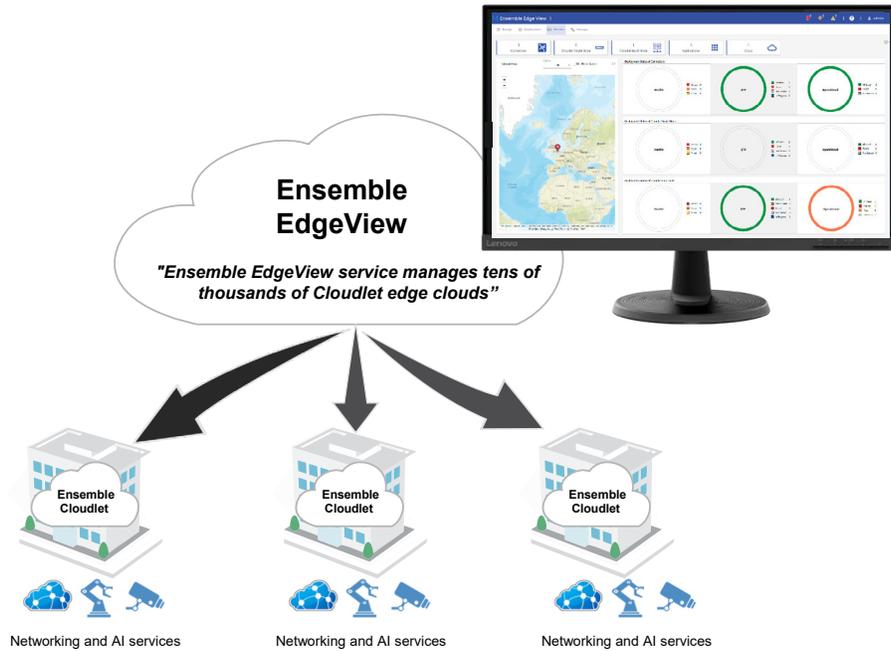
AI workloads

Accelerate your workloads with server hardware acceleration options. Ensemble defines workload types that connect applications to hardware acceleration for AI and cryptographic workloads.

Core optimization

Within a single node Ensemble can apply dedicated cores to specified workloads and allow other workloads to share cores. You can host more workloads per cloud without compromising performance.

"Remove the cost and complexity from edge cloud deployments."



Ensemble EdgeView deployment dashboard

Ensemble Clouplet multi-node

Technical specifications

Cloud infrastructure

- Minimal footprint hypervisor for single and multi-node clouds
- Hardware-agnostic
- Zero-touch deployment of clouds and nodes
- Dynamically add or remove nodes from the cloud
- Cloud-hosted orchestration service
- Automated buildout of cloud inter-node networking
- Distributed shared storage
- Minimal 2-node high availability
- User-defined core oversubscription policies

User Interface

- Simple, clean, intuitive UI
- Open northbound APIs for automation
- Infrastructure dashboards
- Cloud services dashboards

Virtual infrastructure

- Flexible image onboarding
- Service design
- Live service edits
- Cloud capacity and utilization reporting
- Full VM life cycle management

Day-N management

- Bulk jobs for network-wide upgrades and configuration changes
- Fault isolation and event logs

- Inline upgrades and security patches
- Integrated fault management and event logs

Integrated networking

- Hardware acceleration enablement for AI workloads
- Integrated virtualized routing with scalability to 400 Gbit/s
- IPv4/v6 support
- Native wireless 5G support

Platform security

- Two-factor authentication
- Secure boot
- EAP-RADIUS authentication of IKEv2
- Local, LDAP and SAML management authentication
- TACACS+ and RADIUS node authentication
- Encrypted communication between nodes and management
- Role-based access control
- Auto-lockout on repeated login failures
- Multi-tenant management isolation

High availability

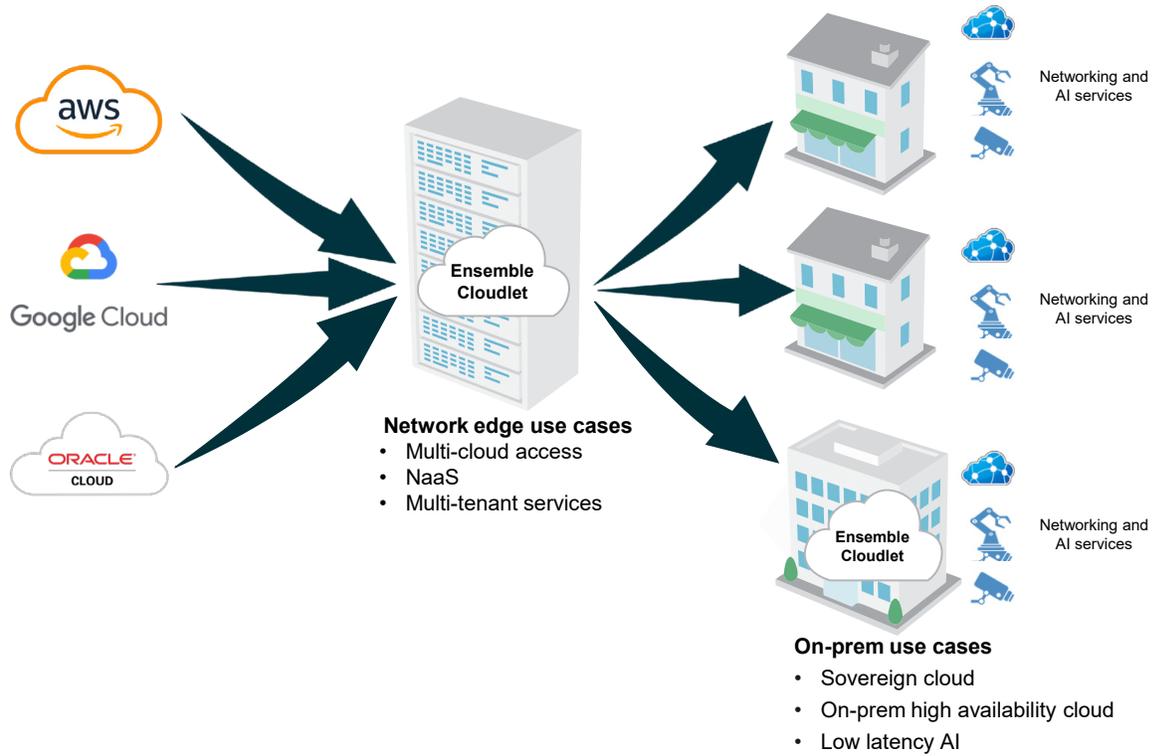
- Workload evacuation protects against server failures
- Live migration of workloads
- VM snapshots
- Hybrid management paths simplify server replacement operations
- Link loss forwarding from node ports
- Support for redundant top-of-rack switches
- Dual-boot architecture ensures robust field upgrades

Ordering information

	Description	Part No.
Multi-node Clouplet options	16-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 16-core socket	ENS CLOUDLET-16C-SUBS-36M
	24-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 24-core socket	ENS CLOUDLET-24C-SUBS-36M
	28-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 28-core socket	ENS CLOUDLET-28C-SUBS-36M
	32-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 32-core processor server	ENS CLOUDLET-32C-SUBS-36M
	36-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 36-core socket	ENS CLOUDLET-36C-SUBS-36M
	40-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 40-core socket	ENS CLOUDLET-40C-SUBS-36M
	48-core - Clouplet 36-month subscription license bundle, includes cloud-hosted EdgeView management for one 48-core socket	ENS CLOUDLET-48C-SUBS-36M
EdgeView options	Dedicated EdgeView instances	Contact Adtran

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Application diagram



Ensemble solution stack

Extend to	Ensemble EdgeView Cloud-hosted service orchestration and cloud management	Adtran services Software Assure EdgeView SaaS Professional services
Authentication services LDAP, SAML	Third-party applications Networking, firewall, AI, security, IT, assurance	
Automation and ops Third-party orchestration and application controllers	Ensemble Cloudlet Node cloud infrastructure and high-performance routing, with networking and AI accelerations for near-native performance	
	Third-party compute x86 server platforms with NIC support for major brand multi-100G NICs	

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