

CHECKLIST

# 7 Must-Have Security and Networking Capabilities for Financial Institutions

Financial services institutions face challenges from various fronts yet must remain competitive in a rapidly changing market. Your organization must keep up with the latest digital product offerings, protect your networks and users from sophisticated and frequent cyberattacks, and comply with stringent banking regulations. In addition, you're most likely looking for ways to construct smart branches and provide remote ATMs in demanding settings such as stadiums, malls, and locations with extreme weather conditions.

## What to Look for in a Security and Networking Solution

To meet the security and networking challenges facing today's financial institutions, look for a solution that delivers:

- Secure networking**  
Simplify architecture and enhance user experience with SD-WAN, next-generation firewall controls, AI-powered threat protection, Wi-Fi, network access control, zero-trust network access, network segmentation, and 5G converged in one appliance.
- Top processing power**  
Securely process massive amounts of traffic and data without impacting network performance.
- Scalability**  
Easily scale to hundreds and thousands of distributed edges with no impact on network performance.
- Dual 5G modem**  
Accelerate deployment and enhance resiliency.
- Energy efficiency**  
Help achieve sustainability goals by reducing power consumption.
- Ruggedized options**  
Deploy remote ATMs in any environment while maintaining continuous operations.
- Software-defined approach**  
Automate and optimize operations and accelerate troubleshooting with end-to-end visibility.

## Choose Wisely

A secure networking solution with the above capabilities will bring the innovations needed for your financial institution to stay ahead of threats while expanding your offerings and delivering the best user experience to your customers.

