

Case Study

# ADAudit Plus solves Aroundtown SA's hybrid AD auditing and GDPR compliance requirements



#### **About Aroundtown SA**

Founded in 2004, Aroundtown SA is one of Europe's largest real estate companies and is headquartered in Luxembourg. It focuses on income-generating commercial and residential properties with the potential for value-add primarily in Germany and the Netherlands. Known to be reliable, Aroundtown is a member of various affiliated associations, such as the European Public Real Estate Association, the German Property Federation, and the German Sustainable Building Council, as well as a signatory of the United Nations Charter of Diversity.

# Business challenge

With over 1,000 employees, Aroundtown uses a hybrid environment, leveraging both on-premises and cloud Active Directory services to make it productive and efficient. But this eventually brought the biggest challenge every organization faces: auditing servers in a hybrid ecosystem. Before implementing ADAudit Plus, it nearly took half a day for the company to generate audit reports. Aroundtown resorted to auditing solutions which ultimately weren't fruitful to it; thus, the company began its search for an ideal auditing solution.

Jegadeesan Navaneetham, Aroundtown's network security consultant, reached out to his colleagues in this quest. His former deputy senior from Serbia introduced ManageEngine's ADAudit Plus as a trusted auditing solution. Its extensive auditing and monitoring capabilities made ADAudit Plus stand out from the rest of the tools, making a strong impression on Navaneetham and Aroundtown.

We previously used auditing solutions available all over the market. They weren't user-friendly. To be precise, figuring out how to create reports and generate them took us nearly a day.

Jegadeesan Navaneetham
Aroundtown's network security consultant

# ADAudit Plus: Aroundtown's savior in times of need

ADAudit Plus was the exact solution Aroundtown needed. Packed with over 250 preconfigured reports for monitoring and auditing Windows servers, file servers, and cloud services, ADAudit Plus solved the company's primary needs. Additionally, ADAudit Plus provided enhanced visibility into Aroundtown's hybrid environment with reports for compliance mandates, such as the GDPR, and reports to monitor file changes and logon activities.

ADAudit Plus, with its intuitive user interface, made auditing and monitoring simple for us. All our reports were just a click away! We are glad that we found ADAudit Plus!

# OnboardPro enhanced Aroundtown's experience with ADAudit Plus

Aroundtown found that ADAudit Plus was not just a tool for monitoring and had a bigger scope. All the company needed was a little extra nudge to help it explore more.

OnboardPro, ManageEngine's exclusive implementation service, set up ADAudit Plus for Aroundtown. Our dedicated team worked with the company's employees on a daily basis, fixed their misconfigurations, and provided detailed insights about resolving them. Furthermore, Aroundtown was introduced to other unexplored features, such as scheduled reports and process auditing.

OnboardPro resolved all our queries with ADAudit Plus. We received a very supportive experience throughout the implementation. A big thanks to the team for seamlessly deploying the product exactly to our requirements.

#### About OnboardPro

OnboardPro is a ManageEngine service that provides solution implementation to clients upon request. This service includes the installation and customized configuration of ManageEngine solutions. It enables clients to seamlessly begin work without worrying about the complexities of installation, deployment, and product use. Every client environment is unique and requires additional support beyond basic installation and standard features. With our onboarding support, clients have the option to engage a team of product experts to manage installation, implementation, customization, and training based on their business needs.

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#### **About ADAudit Plus**

ADAudit Plus is a unified auditing solution that provides full visibility into activities across Active Directory (AD), Entra ID, file servers (Windows, NetApp, EMC and more), Windows servers and workstations—all in just a few clicks. ADAudit Plus helps organizations streamline auditing, demonstrate compliance and enhance their identity threat detection and response with capabilities like real-time change auditing, user logon tracking, account lockout analysis, privileged user monitoring, file auditing, compliance reporting, attack surface analysis (for AD, Azure, AWS, and GCP), UBA, response automation and AD backup and recovery.

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