



Masergy Recognized as a ‘Visionary’ in Gartner “Magic Quadrant for Network Services, Global” for Second Consecutive Year

Company’s software-defined hybrid networking drives digital transformation for global enterprises

DALLAS – March 1, 2018 – Masergy, a leading provider of [hybrid networking](#), [managed security](#) and [cloud communications](#) solutions, has once again been named a Visionary in the Gartner Magic Quadrant for Network Services, Global.

According to Gartner¹: “The network service market continues to undergo a major transformation, with new generations of software-based network technologies enabling development of innovative, new emerging services and business delivery models. Consequently, the enterprise is less focused on building and sustaining a large-scale infrastructure. To reflect this pivot, this Magic Quadrant focuses on transformational technologies and/or approaches that deliver on the future needs of the enterprise, rather than simply concentrating on legacy services.”

“We believe being named a Visionary for the second consecutive year while this year moving further to the right on our completeness of vision and higher in our ability to execute in the Gartner Magic Quadrant for Network Services, Global is a testament to Masergy’s focused approach to innovation and operational excellence,” said Chris MacFarland, CEO, Masergy. “Global enterprises come to us for cloud-enabled network environments that accelerate digital transformation.”

The company’s innovative Hybrid Networking portfolio accelerates digital transformation with customized solutions that combine [Software Defined-Virtual Private Networks \(SD-VPNs\)](#), [SD-WAN](#), [managed network functions](#), [direct cloud connectivity](#) and [real-time analytics and service control](#). Masergy’s innovative software-defined platform, customizable solutions, and superior customer experience have yielded a six-year track record of industry leading Net Promoter Scores (NPS®), currently scoring a 74 in 2017.

“Masergy’s software-defined network platform enables our portfolio of fully integrated networking solutions that challenge and surpass the status quo,” said Tim Naramore, CTO, Masergy. “We believe this vision consistently places us at the forefront of transformational technologies well before the rest of the industry.”

For a complimentary copy of the February 2018 Gartner Magic Quadrant for Network Services, Global, please visit <https://maser.gy/magic-quadrant>

¹Gartner “Magic Quadrant for Network Service, Global” by Danellie Young, Katja Ruud, Bjarne Munch, Takeshi Ikeda, Neil Rickard. February 27, 2018.

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Masergy owns and operates the largest independent Software Defined Platform in the world, delivering hybrid networking, managed security, and cloud communication solutions to global enterprises. Our patented technology, customizable solutions, and unmatched customer experience are why a growing number of leading organizations rely on Masergy to deliver performance beyond expectations. Learn more about [Masergy](#) and follow us on our blog [Transforming Enterprise IT](#), [Twitter@Masergy](#), [LinkedIn](#) and [Facebook](#).

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