# IBM Takes on Cloud Security

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IBM announces what it claims is first "intelligent security portfolio" for protection of data the cloud in the industry-- the IBM Dynamic Cloud Security Portfolio.

It features tools handling security across enterprise, private and public clouds, and mobile devices, with advanced analytics providing a "single-pane-of-glass" view ranging from the entire enterprise to individual mobile devices. Also included is the IBM Managed Security Services platform, which secures clouds from both IBM and other vendors, including Amazon Web Services and Salesforce.com.

As IBM puts it, the portfolio covers access authentication, data control, visibility improvement and cloud security operations optimisation, and is deployable either on-premise or in the cloud.

"Customers are now moving critical workloads to the cloud and they expect enterprise grade security to move with it," Big Blue says. "We have pivoted our entire security portfolio to the cloud to help customers lock down user access, control data and maintain visibility. With the right visibility into threats, enterprises can more securely connect their people, data and processes to the cloud."

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