
NOL8 Brings AI Data Plane to Equinix Fabric

Connectivity with NOL8 AI Data Plane and Equinix Fabric now available, allowing enterprises to enable AI with certainty

Highlights

- NOL8 AI Data Plane available through Equinix Fabric®, bringing NOL8's data control to organisations wherever they connect to AI — across clouds, AI providers and their own infrastructure.
 - This is part of NOL8's channel strategy: reaching enterprise AI buyers through the infrastructure networks they already use
 - Equinix Fabric sets the path data takes. NOL8 ensures only the data allowed by the customer enters that path, with only 5ms latency at its engine, providing enterprises certainty for deploying AI with their sensitive data.
 - The NOL8 AI Data Plane complements the Equinix Distributed AI Hub approach by helping enterprises inspect and enforce policies on data moving into and out of distributed AI environments.
 - Joint proof-of-concept engagements are now open to select customers, with general availability planned later in 2026.
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FortifAI Limited (ASX: FTI) ("FTI" or the "Company") is pleased to advise that NOL8 AI Data Plane is now available on Equinix Fabric, extending its reach across Equinix Connected Cloud, the neutral digital infrastructure for enterprise interconnection. The expansion puts NOL8 directly in front of thousands of enterprises already on Equinix's neutral AI exchange, each able to discover and connect to it directly.

Path plus payload

Equinix Fabric provides private, software-defined connectivity across distributed infrastructure and includes the Fabric Geo Zones feature, which uses predefined geographic boundaries to help keep traffic on approved paths during normal operations, congestion or failover. The NOL8 AI Data Plane enforces every byte of data going into and out of AI with constant 5 millisecond latency at its engine. In testing on third-party systems previously published to the ASX, NOL8 returned byte-identical outputs from a distributed private network spanning Virginia, Tokyo and Sydney.

"Every enterprise we speak to has the same two questions about AI data on a third-party path: where did it go, and what was in it. Equinix already answers the first, privately, for thousands of customers on Fabric. Listing our AI Data Plane means the second is answered on the same private connection: inspected on the way in, enforced on the way out, and recorded without installing additional hardware. That is how the NOL8 AI Data Plane brings deterministic AI data control to the enterprise: on the private paths its data already moves on."

— Kelly Herrell, Chief Executive Officer, FortifAI Limited

Distribution at interconnection scale

Equinix Fabric is available in more than 60 metros, offering enterprises a neutral foundation for connecting distributed infrastructure to each other and to the cloud. The NOL8 AI Data Plane is reachable from any of them over a Fabric connection that already exists, so a workload running in a hyperscaler, a NeoCloud or a customer's own cage can utilize the NOL8 AI Data Plane without a per-site deployment. Equinix Fabric underpins the Equinix Distributed AI Hub, Equinix's framework for connecting and securing distributed AI across its 280 locations, which the NOL8 AI Data Plane will bookend in its next phase.

Joint proof-of-concept engagements with NOL8 are open to select customers now through the Equinix Fabric with general availability planned for later this year. Interested customers can contact the NOL8 account team.

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About NOL8

AI systems make decisions on data that teams often can't fully see or verify in the moment, and NOL8 exists to close that gap. Its technology, the AI Data Plane, gives organisations visibility into how data moves through their AI systems, enabling certainty where there was once assumption. For more information, visit nol8.io.

About FortifAI

FortifAI Limited (ASX: FTI) is an Australian Securities Exchange listed technology company focused on artificial intelligence and advanced computing through its subsidiary NOL8.