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About Deep Security

Deep Security Trust Center

Deep Security Product Usage Data Collection

Trend Micro collects anonymous performance and feature usage data to help improve Deep Security Manager. Trend Micro only uses the collected data internally for product improvement; it is not shared with external parties and does not contain any personally identifiable information.

As the data allows Trend Micro to more effectively support Deep Security, we recommend that you leave data collection enabled. However, if you do not want Deep Security Manager to collect this data, you can disable data collection.

To disable data collection, go to **System Settings > Advanced > Product Usage Data Collection** and deselect **Enable Product Usage Data Collection**.

Note: You must restart Deep Security Manager for the disabling of data collection to take effect. If you are running Deep Security Manager in a multi-node configuration, you must restart each node.

Privacy and personal data collection disclosure

Certain features available in Trend Micro products collect and send feedback regarding product usage and detection information to Trend Micro. Some of this data is considered personal in certain jurisdictions and under certain regulations. If you do not want Trend Micro to collect personal data, you must ensure that you disable the related features.

The following link outlines the types of data that Trend Micro Deep Security collects and provides detailed instructions on how to disable the specific features that feed back the information.

<https://success.trendmicro.com/data-collection-disclosure>

Data collected by Trend Micro is subject to the conditions stated in the Trend Micro Privacy Policy:

https://www.trendmicro.com/en_us/about/legal/privacy-policy-product.html

About the Deep Security components

Trend Micro Deep Security provides advanced server security for physical, virtual, and cloud servers. It protects enterprise applications and data from breaches and business disruptions without requiring emergency patching. This comprehensive, centrally managed platform helps you simplify security operations while enabling regulatory compliance and accelerating the ROI of virtualization and cloud projects.

For information on the protection modules that are available for Deep Security, see ["Protect" on page 370](#).

Deep Security consists of the following set of components that work together to provide protection:

- **Deep Security Manager**, the centralized web-based management console that administrators use to configure security policy and deploy protection to the enforcement components: the Deep Security Virtual Appliance and the Deep Security Agent.
- **Deep Security Virtual Appliance** is a security virtual machine built for VMware vSphere environments that agentlessly provides anti-malware and integrity monitoring protection modules for virtual machines in a vShield environment. In an NSX environment, the anti-malware, integrity monitoring, firewall, intrusion prevention, and web reputation modules are available agentlessly.
- **Deep Security Agent** is a security agent deployed directly on a computer which provides application control, anti-malware, web reputation service, firewall, intrusion prevention, integrity monitoring, and log inspection protection to computers on which it is installed.
- The Deep Security Agent contains a **Relay** module. A relay-enabled agent distributes software and security updates throughout your network of Deep Security components.
- **Deep Security Notifier** is a Windows System Tray application that communicates information on the local computer about security status and events, and, in the case of relay-enabled agents, also provides information about the security updates being distributed from the local machine.

Deep Security release strategy and life cycle policy

Deep Security has two release types:

- **Long-term support (LTS) releases:** LTS releases of Deep Security are made available on an annual basis and include new functionality, enhancements for existing functionality, and bug fixes. LTS releases include long-term support, as described in "[LTS release support duration and upgrade recommendations](#)" below, below. Once an LTS release is made generally available, updates to LTS releases are restricted to only fixes and small enhancements. Examples of LTS releases: Deep Security 10.0, Deep Security 11.0, Deep Security 12.0.
- **Feature releases (FR):** Feature releases provide early access to new functionality and are released continuously throughout the year. This means that with feature releases, you can immediately benefit from new functionality without having to wait for the next LTS release of Deep Security. Feature release functionality is cumulative and is ultimately rolled into the next LTS release. FRs are released much more frequently than LTS releases and have a shorter support period, as described in "[Feature release support duration and upgrade recommendations](#)" on the next page, below.

LTS releases are suitable for customers who desire greater control over the introduction of new features into their environment and who benefit from a longer support period.

Feature releases are suitable for customers who want access to features as they become available and have the ability to upgrade Deep Security on a regular basis to accommodate the shorter support period that comes with feature releases.

No matter which release type you choose, we encourage you to upgrade agents regularly. New agent releases provide additional security features and protection, higher quality, performance improvements, and updates to stay in sync with releases from each platform vendor.

LTS release support duration and upgrade recommendations

Component	Best practice for upgrades	Support
Deep Security Agent	Upgrade at least every 2 years. LTS agents support upgrades from the last two major releases (for example Deep Security Agent 10.0 to Deep Security Agent 12 LTS). Plan to upgrade regularly to ensure that you remain on a supported release and are able to upgrade to the latest software with a single upgrade.	3 years standard support 4 years extended support
Deep Security Agent (platforms where an older	If platform support is only provided by an older release of Deep Security Agent (for example, Windows 2000 uses a 9.6 agent and Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 uses a 10.0 agent), use the latest agent for that platform and upgrade	Platform specific

Component	Best practice for upgrades	Support
release of the agent is the 'latest' agent for that platform)	as updates are released. For details on which agent versions are supported for each platform, see " Deep Security Agent platforms " on page 169.	
Deep Security Relay	Deep Security Relay is simply a Deep Security Agent that has relay functionality enabled. The upgrade recommendations and support policies for agents also apply to relays.	Same as agent

Trend Micro publishes a [list of end-of-life products](#).

Feature release support duration and upgrade recommendations

All updates will be provided via regularly scheduled feature releases. You can obtain feature releases from the feature releases tab on the [Deep Security Software](#) page.

Component	Best practice for upgrades	Support
Deep Security Manager	Upgrade quarterly.	18 months*
Deep Security Agent	Upgrade at least yearly. Upgrades are supported for 18 months after a feature release. Plan to upgrade regularly to ensure that you remain on a supported release and are able to upgrade to the latest software with a single upgrade.	18 months*
Deep Security Relay	Deep Security Relay is simply a Deep Security Agent that has relay functionality enabled. The upgrade recommendations and support policies for agents also apply to relays.	Same as agent

* The Deep Security team will make all reasonable attempts to not change the minimum Deep Security Manager version required to use a new agent; however, some new agents may require a manager upgrade.

Note: Customers raising a support case on an FR that is more than 18 months old will be required to upgrade to an FR that is within the support period before support can be provided.

Support services

The following table indicates which support items are available during the life cycle of Deep Security LTS and FR releases.

Support item	LTS - standard support	LTS - extended support	FR ⁽¹⁾	Delivery mechanism
New features			✓	• New FR
Small enhancements (no change to core functionality)	✓		✓	• LTS update • New FR
Linux kernel updates	✓	On request	✓	• Linux Kernel Support Package (LKP)
General bug fixes	✓		✓	• LTS update • New FR
Critical bug fixes (system crash or hang, or loss of major functionality)	✓	✓	✓	• LTS update or hotfix • New FR
Critical and high vulnerability fixes	✓	✓	✓	• LTS update or hotfix • New FR
Medium and low vulnerability fixes	✓		✓	• LTS update

Support item	LTS - standard support	LTS - extended support	FR ⁽¹⁾	Delivery mechanism
				• New FR
Anti-Malware pattern updates	✓	✓	✓	• iAU (Active Update)
Intrusion prevention system, integrity monitoring, and log inspection rules updates	✓	✓	✓	• iAU (Active Update)
Support for Agents and Deep Security Manager on new versions of supported operating systems	✓		✓	• LTS update • New FR

(1) starting with Deep Security 12 Feature Releases. The support statement for existing DS 10.x and DS 11.x feature releases are unchanged. Please refer to the DS 10.x and DS 11.x documentation for the support policy statement for those releases.

Agent platform support policy

Deep Security Agent software is released several times a year as described above. Agent platforms (operating systems) are supported according to the policy below. We recognize that in some cases you must commit to platforms for many years. This policy is designed to provide predictability when you deploy Deep Security in these environments:

- The agent is supported on a large range of platforms, as shown in the "[Agent platform support table](#)" on page 170.
- The support duration of any individual release of agent software is described in the tables above. For example, you'll receive 3years of standard support and 4years of extended support for LTS releases of the agent (10.0, 11.0, and so on). In cases where you plan to use an OS platform for an extended period of time, you must also plan to upgrade the agent software on a regular basis to stay within the support life cycle for any specific Deep Security software release. In cases where an older agent is recommended for a given platform, this agent will be considered a part of the overall solution and takes on the support dates for the release in which it is contained. See the bullet below for details.

- Platforms continue to be supported until at least the OS vendor's end-of-extended-support date. Where interest dictates, Trend Micro extends support significantly beyond this date.
- To ensure that you have the latest performance and security updates from your OS vendor, Trend Micro strongly encourages you to move to the latest version of the OS for which an agent is available.
- We strive to release a new version of the Deep Security Agent for all supported platforms. However, in some cases we recommend the use of a previous release of the agent to provide coverage for older platforms. For example, with Deep Security 11.0, the latest agent for Windows 2000 is Deep Security Agent 9.6. This 9.6 agent becomes part of the overall 11.0 Deep Security solution and takes on the support dates for the release in which it is contained.
- You'll always receive advance warning if we end support for a platform, and we'll never shorten the support life cycle of a software release post-General Availability (GA).*

** Once a platform is no longer supported by the OS vendor, there is a risk that a technical issue arises that cannot be fixed without the support of the OS vendor. If this situation occurs, Trend Micro will communicate the limitation to you immediately. Note that this situation may result in loss of functionality. We will do our best to deal with any technical issues if they arise.*

About this release

What's new?

LTS releases of Deep Security are frequently updated with enhancements and bug fixes. LTS releases include long-term support, as described in [LTS release support duration and upgrade recommendations](#).

To learn more about the latest updates, read:

- [What's new in Deep Security Manager?](#)
- [What's new in Deep Security Agent?](#)

What's new in Deep Security 12.0 (long-term support release)

Below are the major changes in Deep Security 12.0.

Note: Deep Security 12.0 also includes features that were previously delivered in Deep Security 11.3, 11.2 and 11.1.

Tip: If you'd prefer, you can watch [Deep Security 12 - What's New](#) on YouTube.

Enhanced platform support

Features released in Deep Security 12.0:

Deep Security Agent:

- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 (64-bit)
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 (64-bit)
- Windows 10 version 1903 (64-bit)

Deep Security Manager:

- Amazon Aurora (PostgreSQL) database support
- Azure Marketplace (BYOL) for GovCloud

Features originally released in Deep Security 11.3, 11.2 and 11.1:

Deep Security Agent:

- Windows 10 Embedded, also known as Windows 10 IoT (64-bit)
- Windows 8.1 Embedded (32-bit)
- Windows 7 Embedded (32-bit).

For important details about Windows Embedded support, see "[Supported features by platform](#)" on page 178.

Deep Security Manager:

- SQL Server 2017 database support
- PostgreSQL 10.x database support

Improved security

Features released in Deep Security 12.0:

- **TLS 1.2 enhancements:**
 - Deep Security has the ability to enforce TLS 1.2 and the use of strong ciphers (ciphers have an Advanced+ (A+) rating, and are listed in [this table](#)). For more information, see ["Enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites" on page 1192](#)
 - TLS 1.2 is the default for all new Deep Security deployments. See ["Use TLS 1.2 with Deep Security" on page 1177](#) for details.
 - The `dsm_c` command includes a new `-action` parameter called `settlsprotocol`. This parameter allows you to set and view the minimum TLS version accepted by Deep Security Manager. See ["Command-line basics" on page 317](#) for details.
- **Ensure Anti-Malware stays online with protection in place during an agent upgrade:** This feature removes the requirement for a forced restart of Windows servers when agents are upgraded. After an agent upgrade, Anti-Malware protection remains in place (using the Anti-Malware from the existing agent) until such a time that the computer can be rebooted. A reboot is still required to complete the upgrade to the new agent, and this improvement ensures that customers are free to plan this reboot at a future date, or as with common with many Windows servers, simply wait until the next scheduled reboot to complete the upgrade at which point the new anti-malware module will be installed.
- **Signed installer packages:** Deep Security Manager blocks the import of Deep Security software if it isn't digitally signed, or includes a signature that cannot be verified successfully.

Note: If you require Deep Security Agent 9.0 for AIX on Solaris, signed versions are available from the 12.0 tab on the Deep Security Software page.

Features originally released in Deep Security 11.3, 11.2 and 11.1:

- **Improved container traffic scanning:** With Deep Security Agent 11.1 and earlier, the Firewall and Intrusion Prevention modules inspect traffic that passes through the host computer's network interface to containers. With Deep Security Agent 11.2 or later, those modules can also inspect traffic between containers. For information on how to enable this feature, see ["Set up Intrusion Prevention" on page 616](#) and ["Set up the Deep Security firewall" on page 657](#).
- **Integrity Monitoring - improvements to real-time scans:** Real-time file Integrity Monitoring on Linux and Windows server platforms captures information about who made changes to a monitored file. This feature is supported with Deep Security Agent 11.1 or later on Linux and with Deep Security Agent 11.2 or later on Windows server platforms. For details about which platforms support this feature, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

- **Inactive agent cleanup:** The new inactive agent cleanup feature can automatically remove computers that have been inactive for a specified period of time. For details, see ["Automate offline computer removal with inactive agent cleanup" on page 1203](#).
- **Signed installer packages:** The installers for the Deep Security Manager, Deep Security Agent, and Deep Security Notifier are digitally signed. See ["Check digital signatures on software packages" on page 232](#).
- **Trend Micro licensing and registration server security improvement:** As of Deep Security 11.1, all communication with the Trend Micro licensing and registration server is secured using HTTPS.
- **Smart Protection Server security improvement:** The Smart Protection Server CloudFormation Template in AWS now includes an HTTPS URL for the Web Reputation service. For details, see [Deploy a Smart Protection Server in AWS](#).

Improved management and quality

Features released in Deep Security 12.0:

- **Prevent agent installation on incorrect platform:** The Deep Security Agent installer checks the installation platform to prevent installation of an agent that does not match the platform. This feature is supported on:
 - Amazon Linux and Amazon Linux 2
 - Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 and 7
 - CentOS 6 and 7
 - Cloud Linux 7
 - Oracle Linux 6 and 7
 - SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 and 12
- **VMWare reliability and scalability improvements:** The scalability and reliability of Deep Security Virtual Appliance has been improved for large VMware Horizon VDI environments using VMware's Instant-Clone technology. Improvements have been made to address the dynamic operations of the VDI guest machines.
- **Azure 'Quick' mode removal:** In Deep Security 12.0, the Quick mode for adding an Azure cloud account has been removed because it required giving excessive permissions to Deep Security Manager. If you used Quick mode in prior releases, there is no impact to your deployment. All new Azure Cloud accounts must use the advanced method. For more

information, visit ["Add virtual machines from a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 393](#).

Features originally released in Deep Security 11.3, 11.2 and 11.1:

- **Application Control Improvements:**
 - **Application Control hash-based rules:** With Deep Security Agent 11.1 and later, Application Control rules are based on a software file's SHA-256 has value, and not by file name and/or path. This enhancement greatly improves the coverage of each rule and reduces the operational overhead of creating and managing multiple rules for files with the same hash value. For details, see ["What does application control detect as a software change?" on page 536](#) Or, if you are using the Deep Security API to create shared rulesets, see ["Use the API to create shared and global rulesets" on page 553](#).
 - **Application Control simplification:** The Application Control user interface has been simplified by removing the redundant decision log view. For information on how to reverse an application control decision, see ["View and change Application Control rulesets" on page 548](#).
- **Deep Security API updates:**
 - Deep Security 11.1 introduced the new Deep Security Automation Center with helpful information on how to use the Deep Security API's. For more information, see the [Deep Security Automation Center](#).
 - For information on what's been updated in the automation from release to release see the [Automation Changelog](#).
 - Deep Security 11.1 provides a new RESTful API that enables you to automate the provisioning and maintenance of security via Deep Security. Go to the [Deep Security Automation Center](#) to download the SDKs in the language of your choice and learn how to use the API.
 - The Deep Security API now includes a Python SDK and the API reference includes Python examples. For more information, visit the [Deep Security Automation Center](#).
- **Automatic Anti-Malware engine update:** Malware is constantly evolving, so the Anti-Malware engine that Deep Security uses must be updated regularly. Previously, to update the Anti-Malware engine, you were required to upgrade the Deep Security Agent, sometimes resulting in a reboot of the computer. With this release, you can update the Anti-Malware engine separately from the Deep Security Agent. You can set this update to happen automatically, which keeps your Anti-Malware engine updated without manual intervention and without rebooting the system. For details, see ["Get and distribute security updates" on page 816](#).

- **Upgrade on activation:** Deep Security Manager 11.3 and later provides an option that instructs Deep Security Agents to automatically upgrade to the latest compatible version of the agent software when the agent is activated. For details, see ["Automatically upgrade agents on activation" on page 270](#).

Note: Upgrade on activation is initially supported for Linux platforms only (Windows and UNIX platforms are skipped when the feature is enabled) and is controlled through a global system setting.

- **Alert improvement:** The 'Relay Update Service Unavailable' alert has been renamed to 'A Deep Security Relay cannot download security components' and now includes a more accurate description and solution.
- **Command improvement:** The `dsa_query`, and `dsa_control` commands now show the agent version and Deep Security protection module information. See ["Command-line basics" on page 317](#) for details.
- **Logging improvement:** To help with troubleshooting and to allow for the correlation of events between the Deep Security Manager and the Deep Security Agent, you can now choose to include the time zone in events. See ["Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server" on page 897](#).

For additional information, see the [release notes](#) that accompany each software download.

What's new in Deep Security Manager?

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Manager 12.0 readme](#).

Note: For release notes from previous years, see ["Archived Deep Security Manager release notes" on page 154](#)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 30

Release date: May 4, 2023

Build number: 12.0.544

Enhancements

- Deep Security Manager now receives events when an Agent upgrade fails to install due to Azure Code Signing verification. DSSEG-7837

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 8.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 29

Release date: October 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.540

Resolved issues

- The Anti-Malware host report would incorrectly state Anti-Malware is online when the Deep Security console shows Anti-Malware Offline. SF05780825/SEG-149707/DSSEG-7706
- Deep Security Manager sometimes generated unexpected "Computer Updated" system events. SF05496967/SEG-138407/DSSEG-7678

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.1

Highest severity: Critical

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 28

Release date: July 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.537

Resolved issues

- Events for Log Inspection rule "1003613 - DHCP Server" were not being retrieved. SEG-125264/DSSEG-7630

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 7.5

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 27

Release date: May 26, 2022

Build number: 12.0.535

Resolved issues

- Some rules did not display properly in Deep Security Manager when columns were sorted "By Group" (under **Policies > Common Objects > Rules** or under **Computers > Computers**).

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: Critical

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 26

Release date: April 28, 2022

Build number: 12.0.533

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Manager to use the term "protected" instead of "anonymous" when referring to Trend Micro Feedback being shared with the Smart Protection Network. DSSEG-7536

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Manager was not receiving the number associated with "systemEventID" errors under some system configurations using Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP). 04711592/SEG-122864/DSSEG-7263
- After changing the general settings for a policy (under **Policies > (select a policy) > Settings > General**), the **Reset** button used to reset all settings to inherent did not work for "Automatically send Policy changes to computers" or "Perform ongoing Recommendation Scans". DSSEG-7439
- Deep Security Manager displayed the incorrect number of overrides under **Computer or Policy > Overrides**. 03513073/SEG-83802/DSSEG-7455

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 7.5

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 25

Release date: March 08, 2022

Build number: 12.0.527

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Manager would sometimes re-download an outdated Kernel Support Package (KSP) that had previously been deleted. DSSEG-7483

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 23

Release date: November 29, 2021

Build number: 12.0.522

Resolved issues

- In Deep Security Manager's **Computers** tab, the "LAST COMMUNICATION" column sometimes would not sort correctly. SEG-120751/SF04862693/DSSEG-7281

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 22

Release date: November 01, 2021

Build number: 12.0.521

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Manager to allow adding the AWS instance ID field in system and security events using a (dsm_c) console command. SEG-109291/SF04487365/DSSEG-7055

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Manager sometimes received alerts for agents that had not been activated. SEG-112134/SF04588645/DSSEG-6962

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 6.1

Highest severity: Medium

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 21

Release date: September 15, 2021

Build number: 12.0.516

Resolved issues

- In Deep Security Manager's Computers page, some columns ("LAST MANUAL SCAN FOR MALWARE" and "LAST SCHEDULED SCAN FOR MALWARE") would not sort properly. SF04406374/SEG-107465/DSSEG-6885
- Tenants were sometimes unable to update their license if the primary tenant enabled a proxy server with credentials (**Administration > System Settings > Proxies > Deep Security Manager (Software Updates, CSSS, News Updates, Product Registration and Licensing)**). VRTS-6038/04588945/DSSEG-6987

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 20

Release date: August 04, 2021

Build number: 12.0.515

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Manager to increase the number of "Maximum TCP connections " (**Computers > Computers > Details > Settings > Advanced**) to 1000000 by default. DSSEG-6995

Resolved issues

- In multi-tenant environments, licensing updates sometimes failed if the primary tenant had a proxy enabled for Deep Security Manager (**Administration > System Settings > Proxies > Deep Security Manager (Software Updates, CSSS, News Updates, Product Registration and Licensing)**). SEG-112726/04453369/DSSEG-6971
- Running multiple "Check for Security Update" scheduled tasks at the same time sometimes resulted in updates being skipped. SEG-110107/SF04490101/DSSEG-6930

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.1

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 19

Release date: July 06, 2021

Build number: 12.0.509

Resolved issues

- When a Deep Security Relay download failed, Deep Security Manager triggered a "Software Update" event that was missing the details of the relay issue. SF04443281/SEG-111629/DSSEG-6965

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 18

Release date: May 27, 2021

Build number: 12.0.503

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Manager to include SHA-1 values when exporting Anti-Malware "Identified Files" data into a .CSV file. DSSEG-6911

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Manager sometimes stopped processing scheduled tasks if the database connection was unstable. SEG-102044/SF04236155/DSSEG-6689

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 17

Release date: April 26, 2021

Build number: 12.0.501

Resolved issues

- Filtering a Smart Folder by tag was not working properly for new events added with Auto-Tagging (**Events & Reports > (select event type) > Auto-Tagging**). SEG-103100/SF04264168/DSSEG-6732
- Updating the password for an Azure Connector (**Computers > Computers > right-click Azure Connector > Properties > Connection**) sometimes didn't work, causing the account to lose its connection to Deep Security Manager. SEG-97244/SF04027400/DSSEG-6628
- Deep Security Manager's "Security Updates Overview" (**Administration > Updates > Security**) sometimes showed "No Scheduled Task" even if there was one in **Administration > Scheduled Tasks**. SEG-97381/DSSEG-6764
- Deep Security Manager had connection issues under some multi-tenant configurations. DSSEG-6469
- The "View Renewal Instructions" URL was broken in the **License Properties** menu (**Administration > Licenses > View Details**). SEG-104258/SF04308332/DSSEG-6768

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 16

Release date: March 22, 2021

Build number: 12.0.493

Resolved issues

- The Deep Security Manager was installing an incorrect version of the relay in some cases. DSSEG-6604

Security updates

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Highest CVSS Score: 7.5

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 15

Release date: January 28, 2021

Build number: 12.0.490

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Manager to make the "Computer Description" field for Smart Folders usable as a search criteria (**Computers & Smart Folders**). SEG-85288/DSSEG-6436

Resolved issues

- The Deep Security Manager console command used to set a preferred IP address for Deep Security Agents with multiple IPs was sometimes not working, causing some agents to be unable to connect. DSSEG-6521
- When you added a Log Inspection rule or Intrusion Prevention rule, a Web Application Firewall sometimes blocked the page. SEG-87396/SF03668760/DSSEG-6283
- Anti-Malware Scan scheduled tasks that had timed out were sometimes starting again instead of triggering a "Scheduled Task Skipped" event. SEG-95139/03837423/DSSEG-6548
- The "Automatically delete Server Logs older than" setting in **Administration > System Settings > Storage** appeared for tenants, when it should have only appeared for the primary tenant. DSSEG-6483
- When Deep Security Agent was running with Anti-Malware real-time scans, it sometimes caused random failures on unrelated applications. SEG-85142/03527705/DSSEG-6082

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 14

Release date: November 12, 2020

Build number: 12.0.484

Resolved issues

- Scheduled Scans on vCloud Director VMs did not work. SEG-82971/SF03421234/DSSEG-6037

- The "Malware Scan Status" widget on the Dashboard occasionally displayed the wrong data. SEG-81776/03398406/DSSEG-6359
- The auto-renew mechanism for the certificate used for TLS communication between Deep Security Manager and Deep Security Agent didn't work as expected. The expired certificates resulted in the manager and agents being unable to communicate with each other, which caused many offline agents to appear on the web console. SEG-79146/SF03240076/DSSEG-6321
- Occasionally, issues occurred when vCenters attempted to sync with Deep Security Manager. SEG-90204/SF03773453/DSSEG-6382

Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 13

Release date: October 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.480

Enhancements

- The pager numbers, phone numbers, or mobile numbers listed on the Users Properties page of Deep Security Manager can be configured to be more than 30 digits. SEG-80854/SF03098096/DSSEG-5890
- Deep Security verifies the signature on the Deep Security Agent to ensure that the software files have not changed since the time of signing. DSSEG-5874

Resolved issues

- Some Intrusion Prevention rules were designed to operate exclusively in "Detect Only" mode, however you were able to change their behavior on the policy and computer pages. SEG-83700/SF03456778/DSSEG-5998
- The "Ransomware Event History" widget on the dashboard displayed incorrect information. SEG-86045/SF03618147/DSSEG-6142
- The MasterAdmin could not create a scheduled task for all computers. SEG-86413/SF03320936/DSSEG-6131

Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 12

Release date: August 19, 2020

Build number: 12.0.473

Resolved issues

- When there was a Log Inspection database corruption issue, it did not affect the Log Inspection status on the Deep Security Manager. SEG-77081/02984526/DSSEG-5726
- There was a rights issue with Scheduled Tasks that caused incorrect behaviors to occur when creating them. SEG-78610/SF03320936/DSSEG-5752
- Imported VMs in vCloud were unable to activate. SEG-75542/03189161/DSSEG-5813
- Upgrading to Deep Security Manager 12 was blocked if you installed Deep Security Virtual Appliance into NSX-V 6.4.7 on ESXi 7.0. SEG-82636,/SEG-82637/DSSEG-5926
- The **Computer Status** widget on Deep Security Manager's dashboard did not display the correct number of managed computers. SEG-80171/03189161/DSSEG-5885

Security updates

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Highest CVSS Score: 9.8

Highest severity: Critical

Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 11

Release date: July 9, 2020

Build number: 12.0.466

Enhancements

- The 'upgrade on activation' feature will only upgrade the agent on the computer from the last two major releases. If the agent does not meet the criteria, customer must upgrade the agent manually to a release within the last two major releases. Then the 'upgrade on activation' feature will detect the newer version and complete the upgrade to the designated release. DSSEG-5715

Resolved issues

- If you re-imported different software packages with the same name, the packages were not considered modified. DSSEG-5707
- The description of the default SSL configuration was misleading. SEG-68686/DSSEG-5191
- An error occurred when properties were changed on the Log Inspection rule "1002729 - Default Rules Configuration" in **Policy > Common Objects > Log Inspection Rules**. SEG-77260/SF03263573/DSSEG-5727

Security updates

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- Highest CVSS Score: 8.1 (AV:N/AC:H/PR:N/UI:N/S:U/C:H/I:H/A:H)
- Highest severity: High

DSSEG-5738/DSSEG-5886/DSSEG-5744

Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 10

Release date: May 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.458

New features

Improved management and quality

Instance Metadata Service Version 2 (IMDSv2) support: IMDSv2 is supported with Deep Security Agent 12.0 update 10. For details, see ["How does Deep Security Agent use the Amazon Instance Metadata Service?" on page 1210](#) DSSEG-5463

Enhancements

- Updated the **Events & Reports > Scheduled Reports** page so that you're unable to create a report that might result in a failure. An alert appears that specifies the settings you must set before creating the scheduled report. SEG-72578/02958064/DSSEG-5525
- Added the following hidden setting command:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
com.trendmicro.ds.antimalware:settings.configuration.maxSelfExtractRTScanSizeMB -value 512
```

When Deep Security Agent could not determine the type of the target file, the scan engine loaded the file to memory to determine if it was a self-extracting file. If there were many of these files, the scan engine consumed memory. Using the hidden command setting above, the file-size limitation is set to 512MB for loading target files. When the file-size exceeds the set limitation, the scan engine skips this process and scans the file directly. DSSEG-5097

To implement this enhancement:

1. Run this command in Deep Security Manager to change the value in the database.
2. Send the policy to your target Deep Security Agent to deploy the setting.

Resolved issues

- There were detection issues with real-time Anti-Malware scans. SEG-72928/SF03050515/DSSEG-5452
- When several emails with large bodies were queued, they were loaded all at once instead of in batches, which caused a large amount of memory to be used. SEG-71863/SF03024164/DSSEG-5628
- When Firewall rules, Intrusion Prevention rules, Integrity Monitoring rules or Log Inspection rules were added, updated or removed on a computer using the APIs, the policy wasn't sent to the computer. SEG-74583/SF03099843/DSSEG-5481

Security updates

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Highest CVSS Score: 6.5

Highest Severity: Medium

Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 9

Release date: May 4, 2020

Build number: 12.0.446

Enhancements

- Improved the Computers page by reducing the memory consumption and time spent while loading the page. SEG-69380/DSSEG-5437
- Updated Deep Security Manager to allow vCloud accounts to be added even if the virtual machine hardware information is missing. SEG-72729/SF03054267/DSSEG-5354
- Added support for Windows Server 2019. DSSEG-5213

Resolved issues

- Active Directory synchronization sometimes would not finish. SEG-52485/DSSEG-5477
- Anti-Malware events that were marked as "Pass" were not properly counted on the dashboard or under Anti-Malware events. SEG-70872/SF02904003/DSSEG-5278
- Deep Security Agents occasionally failed to download software components from the relays if multiple components are available at the same time. SEG-66691/DSSEG-5444
- When you clicked the + button on the Dashboard, you couldn't type a new entry in the **New Dashboard Name** field. DSSEG-5535
- Rule updates couldn't be applied because of an issue with the Oracle database. DSSEG-5357

Security Updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Response](#). DSSEG-5307/DSSEG-5580

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 8

Release date: April 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.426

New features

Enhanced platform support

- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 (64-bit)

Enhancements

- Updated the descriptions related to memory on the System Information page so they're more accurate and easier to understand. (DSSEG-5134)
- If an Anti-Malware action fails, the results will be displayed in the Syslog results field. (SEG-69456/SF02896227/DSSEG-5300)
- Added installation log rotation for Deep Security Manager. (SEG-66918/02765043/DSSEG-5126)

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Manager did not allow NSX-T to download the required files that NSX-T needs to check if the partner OVF is signed by VMware. As a result, the DSVA OVF could not be properly deployed. (DSSEG-5195)
- When Integrity Monitoring was enabled, the following warning message appeared: "Security Update: Pattern Update on Agents/Appliance Failed". (SEG-67859/DSSEG-5265)
- When generating multiple reports simultaneously, sometimes the report data was not correct. (SEG-71688/SF03011491/DSSEG-5289)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 7

Release date: February 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.416

Enhancements

- Added a progress bar to **Administration > User Management > Roles > New > Computer Rights > Selected Computers** to indicate when the page is still loading. (SEG-61331/DSSEG-4941)
- Improved performance when image files are repeatedly downloaded to the browser. (SEG-64280/DSSEG-5141)

Resolved issues

- When the "Untagged" filter was selected on the dashboard, some widgets continued to display tagged items. (SEG-63290/SF02585007/DSSEG-4910)

- The computers list did not search for "Software Update Status" correctly. This affected the computers list and the "out-of-date" computer reports and widgets that used it for displaying affected computers. (SEG-62740/DSSEG-4840)
- The Firewall status for virtual machines did not update if PortScan was not allowed to run on the tenant. (SEG-63713/SF02554452/DSSEG-5041)
- Tenants in a multi-tenant setup could move their relays to the primary tenant relay group. This would cause the relays to disappear from their 'Relay Management' page. Tenants are now prevented from moving their relays to the primary tenant relay group. (SEG-57715/02322762/DSSEG-5240)
- Deep Security Manager with PostgreSQL sometimes stopped forwarding events to AWS SNS. (SEG-67362/SF02798561/DSSEG-5077)
- The **Scan for Integrity** and **Rebuild Baseline** buttons were grayed out and disabled on **Computers > Computer Details > Integrity Monitoring > General** even after the corresponding operation was completed. (SEG-69921/02932025/DSSEG-5229)
- When Intrusion Prevention rules were assigned or unassigned based on the recommendations, the policy editor's performance was poor and the recommendations were not applied. (SEG-63540/SF02573474/DSSEG-4965)
- Deep Security Manager sometimes failed to generate a summary report. (SEG-68840/SF02850674/DSSEG-5165)
- Adding a vCloud connector failed on vCloud Director version 9.7 or later because the SDK was not supported. (DSSEG-5185)
- Agentless protection did not work on vCloud Director version 9.5 or later. (DSSEG-5185)

Security Updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Response](#). (DSSEG-5230/DSSEG-5140/DSSEG-5171)

- Updated JRE to the latest Bundled Patch Release (8.0.241/8.43.0.6). (DSSEG-5180)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 6

Release date: January 17, 2020

Build number: 12.0.393

Enhancements

- Added the "TrendMicroDsPacketData" field to Firewall events that are syslog forwarded via the Deep Security Manager. (DSSEG-4856)
- Added the following hidden setting command to prevent Behaviour Monitoring from detecting .dlls:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
com.trendmicro.ds.antimalware:settings.configuration.bmExploitLoadRemot  
eLibExceptionList -value "abc.dll;123.dll"
```

To implement this enhancement send the policy to Deep Security Agent.

In addition to the "123.dll" base name, wildcards are also supported. You can add a value such as "\\10.1.1.1\\remote*", and all the .dlls in this remote path won't be detected. (DSSEG-4976)

Resolved issues

- The column names in the CSV output of the "Security Module Usage Report" were partially misaligned with the data columns. (SEG-66258/SF02718206/DSSEG-5029)
- In the Malware Scan Configuration window (**Computers/Policies > Anti-Malware > General > Manual Scan > Edit > Advanced** and select **Scan Compressed File**) the **Maximum number of files to extract** setting could not be set to 0, meaning unlimited. (SEG-65997/02685854/DSSEG-5040)
- Shipping events to an external syslog server was slow when the option to send extended event descriptions was enabled. This lead to unacceptable delays until events arrived at the syslog server. (DSSEG-4984)
- When adding new dashboards in Deep Security Manager, if you clicked "+" on the Dashboard page and then pressed Enter several times in quick succession, multiple dashboards were created and the first dashboard would lose widgets. (DSSEG-5089)
- The advanced search on the Computers page did not work properly when the criteria included "Version field" and the value was "N/A". (SEG-66513/02740746/DSSEG-5106)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Response](#). (DSSEG-5056)

What's new in Deep Security Agent?

Note: For release notes from previous years, see ["Archived Deep Security Agent release notes" on page 160](#)

Linux

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Agent - Linux 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 30

Release date: May 4, 2023

Build number: 12.0.0-2932

Resolved issues

- An issue during component update sometimes caused the scan engine to be updated, even if the engine update was disabled. SF06390800/SEG-165036/DSSEG-7802

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 29

Release date: October 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2626

Enhancements

- Improved Intrusion Prevention performance when the "Bypass Network Scanner" rule is applied. SEG-132057/DSSEG-7621

Resolved issues

- Message "Newly applied ruleset will block some running processes on restart" was incorrectly shown during agent upgrade. DSSEG-7653

- Log Inspection Engine would go offline when using '\$' character in match or regex fields together with variables. SEG-146965/SEG-146966/DSSEG-7665
- Valid IPv6 addresses reserved for IPv4/IPv6 translation would raise "Invalid IPv6 Address" errors. SEG-147969/DSSEG-7673

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 4.6

Highest severity: Medium

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 28

Release date: July 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2487

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#). Please note, in line with responsible disclosure practices, CVE details will only be made available for select security updates once patches have been made available for all impacted releases. VRTS-7385/DSSEG-7563, VRTS-7647/DSSEG-7625, VRTS-7633/DSSEG-7599

Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: Critical

Resolved issues

- Application Control failed to block processes by hash until an inventory scan completed.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 27

Release date: May 26, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2416

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#). Please note, in line with responsible disclosure practices, CVE details will only be made available for select security updates once patches have been made available for all impacted releases. VRTS-7130/DSSEG-7528

CVSS: 7.5

Severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 26

Release date: April 28, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2380

Resolved issues

- With Intrusion Prevention enabled, a packet transmission error caused some system configurations to crash. SEG-136843/DSSEG-7524
- With Anti-Malware enabled, an issue delivering an event report caused Deep Security Agent to use an increasingly high amount of system memory. SF05247760/SEG-132286/DSSEG-7514
- A Deep Security Agent security update sometimes started, creating a "Security update in progress" event, but failed to complete. SF05253107/SEG-131983/DSSEG-7513

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 25

Release date: March 08, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2265

New features

Debian 11: Debian 11: Deep Security Agent (version 12.0-2265+) is now supported on Debian 11. This requires Deep Security Manager version 12.0.527+.

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent for Debian 11 (64-bit) failed to upgrade when triggered from the Deep Security Manager console. DSSEG-7465
- Application Control couldn't properly detect software changes or execution under some system configurations. DSSEG-7441

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to improve Application Control performance when running in "maintenance mode." DSSEG-7354

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 24

Release date: January 24, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2201

Resolved issues

- When an Integrity Monitoring scan timed out it sometimes generated false "user", "group", "create", or "delete" events. DSSEG-7349
- A Deep Security Agent conflict with network interface controllers (NICs) caused systems with multiple NICs to crash. SEG-126094/05048124/DSSEG-7401

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 23

Release date: November 29, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-2112

Enhancements

- With Anti-Malware real-time scan enabled, Deep Security Agent would sometimes scan unchanged files. DSSEG-7311

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes changed the access time of files during an on-demand Anti-Malware scan. SEG-79766/03352457/DSSEG-5817
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when it could not connect to Deep Security Manager. DSSEG-7305
- Deep Security Agent sometimes caused connectivity issues, high CPU usage, or the system to crash. SEG-123885/SF04973642/DSSEG-7298
- If the Firewall kernel module download failed, Deep Security Agent sometimes would not retry the download, leading to "Firewall Engine Offline" events. SEG-122270/SF04907791/DSSEG-7261

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 7.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 22

Release date: November 01, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-2072

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to prevent agents upgraded from version 10.0 to 12.0 from losing their "NIC bypass" configuration (used for [Bypassing a network](#))

[interface](#)). SEG-111757/SF04574021/DSSEG-7087

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes showed package signature errors during an upgrade because of a mismatched Certification Revocation List (CRL). DSSEG-7214
- A plugin version conflict sometimes prevented Deep Security Agent from retrieving KSP (Kernel Support Package) files from the relay. DSSEG-7244
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed due to an issue when cleaning up resources for inactive network connections. SEG-113291/DSSEG-7035
- If the Deep Security Agent service (ds_agent) was stopped during an Anti-Malware scan, the agent would sometimes crash on restart. DSSEG-7228

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 7.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 21

Release date: September 15, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1993

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes triggered multiple "Log Inspection Engine Initialized" or "Policy Sent" events due to a Network Interface Card (NIC) connectivity issue. SF03968169/SEG-95731/DSSEG-7039

- With Integrity Monitoring enabled, Deep Security Manager caused high CPU usage on the authentication server for some systems. SEG-110088/04488319/DSSEG-7072

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 20

Release date: August 04, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1908

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent upgrade (**Administration > Updates > Software**) sometimes failed if a previous (RPM package) upgrade was triggered using console commands. SEG-113583/SF04586071/DSSEG-7029
- Deep Security Agent sometimes lost connectivity while trying to establish an SSL connection. SEG-107451/DSSEG-7016
- Deep Security Agent was sometimes unable to connect to web applications on systems with older OS versions. SEG-109652/DSSEG-6992

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 19

Release date: July 06, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1845

Resolved issues

- When Intrusion Prevention was enabled, a compatibility issue caused the system to crash under some configurations. 03368009/SEG-81702/DSSEG-6898
- With Web Reputation enabled, Deep Security Agent caused connectivity issues for some third party software. SF04072723/SEG-97952/DSSEG-6810

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 18

Release date: May 27, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1789

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent (version 12.0.0-1789+) to add support for Entrust Root Certificate Authority (G2) certificates. Non-G2 security certificates will expire on 2022/07/09. After that time, only agents that have been upgraded to version 12.0.0-1789+ or higher will have the latest Anti-Malware Smart Scan protection. DSSEG-6904
- Updated Deep Security Agent's Anti-Malware default configuration to monitor file access from the local host only, improving compatibility for some file systems. DSSEG-6831

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when Intrusion Prevention was configured for SSL inspection. DSSEG-6909
- Deep Security Agent Anti-Malware Real-Time Scan was preventing some third party applications from running. SEG-104512/SF04245456/DSSEG-6894
- Anti-Malware Real-Time Scan caused unintentional file changes under some configurations. SEG-94769/SF03806819/DSSEG-6783
- Changed the kernel support package compression method to reduce its size for Ubuntu. DSSEG-6897

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 17

Release date: April 26, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1735

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to improve real-time Integrity Monitoring performance. SEG-102276/SF04205359/DSSEG-6759

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes showed package signature errors during upgrade because of a mismatched Certification Revocation List (CRL). DSSEG-6826
- Application Control sometimes didn't add to the software inventory properly for files on certain drive types. SEG-103667/SF04227412/DSSEG-6756
- Deep Security Agent sometimes reported duplicates of a single Intrusion Prevention event. SEG-93125/SF03595899/DSSEG-6723
- Deep Security Agent sometimes encountered multiple "Record Layer Message (not ready)" Intrusion Prevention events, although the conditions that would normally trigger these events did not exist. A "Record Layer Message (not ready)" event normally indicates that the SSL state engine has encountered an SSL record before initialization of the session. SEG-101697/SF04203096/DSSEG-6739

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 16

Release date: March 22, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1655

Enhancements

- Updated Anti-Malware real-time scans for improved compatibility. DSSEG-5899
- Updated Deep Security Agent to improve Application Control inventory scanning performance. SEG-78295/03234667/DSSEG-6303

Resolved issues

- Real-time Integrity Monitoring sometimes did not match the exact directory specified by a user, but instead matched all paths that started with the base directory. SEG-97758/SF04046718/DSSEG-6636
- When Web Reputation was enabled, the system sometimes crashed. SF04258834/SEG-102756/DSSEG-6712
- When Application Control was in lock down mode, it was unable to build a proper software inventory in some cases. SEG-94173/SF03946250/DSSEG-6503
- Application Control was not allowing files in the ".install4j" directory to be added to the inventory, which prevented some applications from installing. SEG-100706/SF04166919/DSSEG-6674
- Deep Security Agent was sometimes unable to connect to the database when Intrusion Prevention was running. DSSEG-6641
- Application Control was not including scripts with a ".ksh" file extension in the recognized software inventory, causing those scripts to be blocked when they should have been allowed. SEG-100706/SF04166919/DSSEG-6658
- Deep Security Agent was sometimes unable to establish an SSL connection to the web server. SEG-93807/SF03773176/DSSEG-6624

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 5.3

Highest severity: Medium

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 15

Release date: January 28, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1546

Enhancements

- Anti-Malware real-time scans sometimes did not work for Docker containers. DSSEG-6476

Resolved issues

- The Deep Security Agent SAP scanner was not properly identifying the format of certain files. DSSEG-6180
- Application Control sometimes caused CPU soft lockup. SEG-93033/SF03882268/DSSEG-6429
- In some circumstances, a large amount of memory consumption on AWS instances occurred. SEG-86654/SF03616828/DSSEG-6405
- Sometimes an SSL connection was not established when SSL inspection was enabled. DSSEG-6407
- When Anti-Malware real-time scans were enabled, Rancher Kubernetes pods sometimes couldn't be terminated gracefully. SEG-87824/SF03695639/DSSEG-6454
- The Deep Security Agent was sometimes unable to establish an SSL connection to the web server. SEG-93807/SF03773176/DSSEG-6556

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Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 14

Release date: November 12, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-1436

Resolved issues

- The error "scheduling while atomic" occurred because the dsa_filter caused kernel panic. SEG-83207/SF03470132/DSSEG-6282
- The Anti-Malware driver showed warning messages during the initialization. SEG-92204/03784490/DSSEG-6389

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 13

Release date: October 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-1373

Enhancements

- Improved Anti-Malware compatibility with third-party security protections. SEG-84563/03564043/DSSEG-6039
- Upgraded VMware NetX SDK to support VMware NSX 6.4.8
- Deep Security verifies the signature on the Deep Security Agent to ensure that the software files have not changed since the time of signing. DSSEG-5935
- If there are multiple IPs in the "X-Forwarded-For" tag of the HTTP header, the 1st IP among them will be retrieved. DSSEG-6183
- Updated the Integrity Monitoring scan completion time in Deep Security Manager events to display in seconds with a thousands separator. SEG-83194/SF03429936/DSSEG-6029

Resolved issues

- Real-time Anti-Malware with filesystem hooking enabled did not work on older kernel versions. SEG-82411/DSSEG-5991
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when the "Scan for Integrity" scan was running. SEG-82795/03462751/DSSEG-6008
- The dsa_query command didn't display Anti-Malware patterns correctly. DSSEG-6073
- Deep Security Anti-Malware kernel modules were not unloaded successfully when ds_agent services stopped. SEG-83209/SF03512620/DSSEG-6043

- When Anti-Malware and Application Control were enabled, stopping the ds_agent service could cause high CPU usage. SEG-85738/SF03595067/DSSEG-6157
- The Deep Security Agent event "9105: Enable Relay Web Server Failed" occurred when the agent stopped. SEG-79615/03326180/DSSEG-6022
- An executable that was created and executed quickly was blocked by Application Control while in maintenance mode. DSSEG-6173
- When Anti-Malware real-time scans were enabled in Linux, the system sometimes crashed because of a compatibility issue with third-party security software based on kernel system call hooking. SEG-88135/SF03700563/DSSEG-6247
- "Out of Connection" Firewall events occurred when the network engine was set to "Tap mode". SEG-87155/SF03644367/DSSEG-6270
- Some Intrusion Prevention events did not include the XFF header. SEG-81986/03419140/DSSEG-5936

Notices

Deep Security Appliance 9.5 has reached End of Support and can't be upgrade to this release. DSSEG-5938

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 12

Release date: August 19, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1278

Enhanced platform support

- CloudLinux 8 (64-bit)

Enhancements

- You can choose not to send packet data back to the Deep Security Manager by going to **Administration > Agents > Data Privacy** and selecting **No**. SF03237033/DSSEG-6017

Note: This enhancement requires Deep Security Manager FR 2019-10-23 or later.

Resolved issues

- When Anti-Malware real-time scans were enabled in Linux, sometimes the system crashed because buffers from procsfs were not validated. SEG-80183/DSSEG-5884
- Application Control sometimes blocked applications that should have been allowed as they were created by a trusted updater. SEG-77446/03206632/DSSEG-5840
- Agent self-protection did not protect Deep Security Notifier. SEG-76015/SF03168155/DSSEG-5920
- When a Deep Security Agent was deactivated, the Anti-Malware module's language was switched to English. When the Deep Security agent was reactivated in Japanese, this sometimes caused the Anti-Malware component update to fail. SEG-79963/03184072/DSSEG-5811
- When a re-transmission packet with new packets was sent, it sometimes produced an "Unsupported SSL Version" Intrusion Prevention event./DSSEG-5879
- When there was a Log Inspection database corruption issue, it did not affect the Log Inspection status on the Deep Security Manager. SEG-77081/02984526/DSSEG-5726
- Deep Security Manager reported a security update timeout because Deep Security Agent received exceptions as security updates. SEG-82072/03273761/DSSEG-5953
- Deep Security Agent detected false file change events due to the setuid/setgid formatting. The agent also generated false file attribute changes in /usr/bin following an upgrade, which was caused by the file creation time change./DSSEG-5928
- When "Serve Application Control rulesets from relays" was enabled, unnecessary relay error events occurred./DSSEG-5988
- When the Kerberos cache file was deleted and re-added, a lot of "User Added" and "User Deleted" Integrity Monitoring events occurred. SEG-80629/03402557/DSSEG-5981

Security updates

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responsible disclosure practices, CVE details will only be made available for select security updates once patches have been made available for all impacted releases. DSSEG-5255

CVSS score: 7.8

Severity: High

- Updated to curl 7.67.0.
- Updated to openssl-1.0.2t.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 11

Release date: July 9, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1186

Enhancements

- Application Control includes script files with the ".cron" extension as part of the inventory. SEG-76680/SF03240341/DSSEG-5685
- Integrity Monitoring detects changes to the "setuid" and "setgid" attributes for Linux and Unix platforms. SEG-78797/DSSEG-5732
- Real-time Integrity Monitoring explicitly matches the directory specified in the base directory. Previously, it matched all paths that started with the base directory. SEG-79112/03301290/DSSEG-5767

Resolved issues

- The Anti-Malware driver caused system hang on Linux platforms where autofs was used. SEG-78320/SF03199934/DSSEG-5718
- A high amount of CPU was used when Deep Security real-time Anti-Malware scans were enabled on Linux platforms. SEG-75739/SF03036857/DSSEG-5836
- When Application Control was enabled it would sometimes cause the agent to periodically restart. SEG-79922/DSSEG-5823/SEG-75985/SF03184883/DSSEG-5843
- Kernel Panic occurred when Web Reputation, Firewall, or Intrusion Prevention were enabled. SEG-80201/SF03332691/DSSEG-5846

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- Updated Nginx to 1.18.0.

SEG-78524/SF03321021/DSSEG-5749

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 10

Release date: May 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1090

New features

Enhanced platform support

- Ubuntu 20.04 (64-bit)

Improved management and quality

Instance Metadata Service Version 2 (IMDSv2) support: IMDSv2 is supported with Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 10. For details, see "[How does Deep Security Agent use the Amazon Instance Metadata Service?](#)" on [page 1210](#) DSSEG-5422

Enhancement

- Excluded Ceph from file system kernel hooking to prevent kernel panic. DSSEG-5584
- Continued to improve the Account Domain Authentication experience. SEG-73480/SF02989282/DSSEG-5661

Resolved issues

- There was an upgrade issue with Deep Security Agent which would sometimes prevent the agent from going online if Integrity Monitoring or Log Inspection was

enabled. SEG-75769/SF03196478/DSSEG-5596

- Deep Security Agent reported incorrect network interface information. SEG-77161/DSSEG-5644
- There were detection issues with real-time Anti-Malware scans. SEG-72928/SF03050515/DSSEG-5362
- Application Control did not include scripts with the extension ".bash" in the inventory. This resulted in these scripts being blocking in lock down mode. SEG-73174/SF03063609/DSSEG-5381
- In certain circumstances, Application Control caused the agent to go offline and restart. SEG-74143/SF03119820/DSSEG-5524
- Deep Security Agent on Linux would sometimes crash. SEG-76460/SF03218198/DSSEG-5623
- After a real-time Anti-Malware scan, the system occasionally became unresponsive. SEG-76430/SF02537903/DSSEG-5629

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 9

Release date: May 4, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1026

Enhancements

- Added support for Security-Enhanced Linux (SELinux) enforcing mode on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 and Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8. Deep Security Agent is compatible with the default SELinux policies.

Note: Anti-Malware software such as ds_agent is required to run in an unconfined domain in order to protect the system. Any additional SELinux policy customization or configuration might be blocked or fail because of ds_agent.

Resolved issues

- Anti-Malware directory exclusion with wildcard didn't match subdirectories correctly. SF03131855/SEG-74892/DSSEG-5543

- If you enabled real-time Integrity Monitoring, it would sometimes slow down Account Domain Authentication. SEG-73480/DSSEG-5592
- Anti-Malware sometimes couldn't be applied successfully when an Anti-Malware engine update was performed. DSSEG-5483
- Application Control occasionally appeared offline when Application Control and Anti-Malware were enabled at the same time. (DSSEG-5383/SEG-72885)
- In the *Actions* tab, Application Control displayed computers with software changes pending for approval or denial; however, when the computers detail window was opened, there were no events reported. SEG-74084/SF03106203/DSSEG-5449
- Application Control occasionally appeared offline when Application Control and Anti-Malware were enabled at the same time. SEG-72885/03036072/DSSEG-5383
- The Anti-Malware engine on Deep Security Virtual Appliance went offline when the signer field in the Census server reply was empty. SEG-73047/SF03065452/DSSEG-5447

Security updates

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Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 8

Release date: April 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-967

Enhancements

- Added the ability for Deep Security Agent Anti-Malware to scan compressed files no matter their data types when IntelliScan is disabled. (SEG-71425/02971395/DSSEG-5306)
- Enhanced Anti-Malware file/folder exclusions by adding support for environment variables that contain brackets, such as "(" or ")". (DSSEG-5260)

Resolved issues

- Web Reputation, Firewall, Intrusion Prevention, and Log Inspection couldn't be enabled correctly when the system locale was set to Turkish. (SEG-71825/SF03021819/DSSEG-5351)
- When real-time Integrity Monitoring was enabled with the rule "1002875: Unix Add/Remove Software" applied, the RPM database potentially locked. (SEG-67275/SF02663756/DSSEG-5308)
- When a security update was triggered before Anti-Malware was ready, the security updates failed. (DSSEG-5361)
- Enabling Log Inspection caused Deep Security Agent to crash. (SEG-61106/SEG-42752/DSSEG-5225)
- Some real-time Integrity Monitoring changes were not detected in the /var directory. (SEG-72584/02982752/DSSEG-5346)

Security updates

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Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 7

Release date: February 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-911

Enhancements

- Increased the scan engine's URI path length limitation. (SEG-61309/DSSEG-5245)

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent real-time Anti-Malware scans didn't work correctly with Linux kernel 5.5. (DSSEG-5209)
- Deep Security Agent real-time Anti-Malware scans didn't work correctly with Debian 10 kernel 5.4. (DSSEG-5153)

- The displayed packet header data contained redundant payload data. (DSSEG-4762)
- After applying rule 1006540, "Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging", Deep Security would extract the X-Forwarded-For header for Intrusion Prevention events correctly. However, a URL intrusion like "Invalid Traversal" would be detected in the HTTP request string before the header was parsed. The Intrusion Prevention engine has been enhanced to search X-Forwarded-For header after the header is parsed. (DSSEG-5156)
- Deep Security Virtual Appliance sometimes went offline. (DSSEG-5184)
- Deep Security Agent Anti-Malware would attempt to get container information with an invalid container ID in Anti-Malware Event. (SEG-69502/SF02915821/DSSEG-5186)
- Memory leaked during SSL decryption because of a flaw in the SSL processing. (DSSEG-5142)
- Deep Security Agent real-time Anti-Malware scans didn't work correctly with Debian 10 kernel 5.3.0-0.bpo.2-amd64. (DSSEG-5135)
- Log Inspection event processing caused the Deep Security Agent to restart abnormally. (DSSEG-5228)
- On specific Deep Security Agent servers the CPU usage spiked to 100% and pattern merges failed during the active update process. (SEG-66210/02711299/DSSEG-5152)

Security Updates

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- Updated SQLite to 3.30.1. (DSSEG-5103)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 6

Release date: January 17, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-817

Enhancements

- Improved real-time Anti-Malware performance when executing a Docker pull command on Linux. (SF02181241/SEG-54744/DS-38060)

Resolved issues

- Anti-Malware on-demand scans did not work properly when the root directory was set to "/" in the scan directory inclusion lists. (SEG-66679/02756807/DSSEG-5052)
- Memory leaks occurred in Anti-Malware if file attributes couldn't be retrieved. (SEG-67374/DSSEG-5063)
- Deep Security Agent sent invalid JSON objects in response to Deep Security Manager, which caused errors in Deep Security Manager's log file. (SEG-48728/SF01919585/DSSEG-4995)
- After applying rule 1006540, "Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging", Deep Security would extract the X-Forwarded-For header for Intrusion Prevention events correctly. However, a URL intrusion like "Invalid Traversal" would be detected in the HTTP request string before the header was parsed. The Intrusion Prevention engine has been enhanced to search X-Forwarded-For header after the header is parsed. (SEG-60728/DSSEG-5094)

Windows

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Agent - Windows 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 30

Release date: May 4, 2023

Build number: 12.0.0-2932

Enhancements

- Deep Security Agent installation now verifies if the operating system meets Azure Code Signing (ACS) requirements. For more information, see [Trend Micro Server](#)

[and Endpoint Protection Agent Minimum Windows Version Requirements.](#)

DSSEG-7813

Resolved issues

- When Integrity Monitoring rules using "UserSet" or "GroupSet" were enabled for a Deep Security Agent on Windows Active Directory Domain Controllers, excessive CPU and memory consumption would sometimes occur. Deep Security Agent 12.0.0-2932 blocks these types of Integrity Monitoring rules on Windows Active Directory domain controllers and generates an "Inapplicable Integrity Monitoring Rule" event. SF06082644/SEG-155804/DSSEG-7725
- An issue during component update sometimes caused the scan engine to be updated, even if the engine update was disabled. SF06390800/SEG-165036/DSSEG-7802

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 29

Release date: October 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2626

Enhancements

- Improved Intrusion Prevention performance when the "Bypass Network Scanner" rule is applied. SEG-132057/DSSEG-7621

Resolved issues

- Message "Newly applied ruleset will block some running processes on restart" was incorrectly shown during agent upgrade. DSSEG-7653
- Log Inspection Engine would go offline when using '\$' character in match or regex fields together with variables. SEG-146965/SEG-146966/DSSEG-7665
- Valid IPv6 addresses reserved for IPv4/IPv6 translation would raise "Invalid IPv6 Address" errors. SEG-147969/DSSEG-7673

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 4.6

Highest severity: Medium

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 28

Release date: July 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2487

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: Critical

Resolved issues

- Application Control failed to block processes by hash until an inventory scan completed.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 27

Release date: May 26, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2416

Security updates

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CVSS: 7.5

Severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 26

Release date: April 28, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2380

Resolved issues

- With Anti-Malware enabled, an issue delivering an event report caused Deep Security Agent to use an increasingly high amount of system memory. SF05247760/SEG-132286/DSSEG-7514
- With Intrusion Prevention enabled, a packet transmission error caused some system configurations to crash. SEG-136843/DSSEG-7524

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 25

Release date: March 08, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2265

New features

Windows 10 21H2: Deep Security Agent (version 12.0-2265+) is now supported on Windows 10 21H2.

Resolved issues

- Manual, scheduled, and real-time Anti-Malware scans were not working on systems running VMware due to a driver conflict. DSSEG-7397
- Deep Security Agent sometimes accepted policy change parameters even if password verification failed. SEG-129643/DSSEG-7431
- An Anti-Malware driver conflict caused Citrix Virtual and Desktop Applications to freeze. SEG-131549/DSSEG-7495

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to improve Application Control performance when running in "maintenance mode." DSSEG-7354

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 24

Release date: January 24, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2201

This release contains general improvements.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 23

Release date: November 29, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-2112

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when it could not connect to Deep Security Manager. DSSEG-7305
- Deep Security Agent sometimes caused connectivity issues, high CPU usage, or the system to crash. SEG-123885/SF04973642/DSSEG-7298

Security updates

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responsible disclosure practices, CVE details will only be made available for select security updates once patches have been made available for all impacted releases. DSSEG-7255

Highest CVSS: 7.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 22

Release date: November 01, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-2072

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes showed package signature errors during an upgrade because of a mismatched Certification Revocation List (CRL). DSSEG-7214
- A plugin version conflict sometimes prevented Deep Security Agent from retrieving KSP (Kernel Support Package) files from the relay. DSSEG-7244
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed due to an issue when cleaning up resources for inactive network connections. SEG-113291/DSSEG-7035
- If the Deep Security Agent service (ds_agent) was stopped during an Anti-Malware scan, the agent would sometimes crash on restart. DSSEG-7228

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 7.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 21

Release date: September 15, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1993

Resolved issues

- With Anti-Malware enabled, Deep Security Agent caused connectivity issues for third-party software on some systems. SF04087024/SEG-100464/DSSEG-7069
- Deep Security Agent sometimes triggered multiple "Log Inspection Engine Initialized" or "Policy Sent" events due to a Network Interface Card (NIC) connectivity issue. SF03968169/SEG-95731/DSSEG-7039

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 20

Release date: August 04, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1908

Enhanced platform support

- **Windows 10 21H2:** Deep Security Agent (version 12.0.0-1908+) now supports Windows 10 21H1.

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes lost connectivity while trying to establish an SSL connection. SEG-107451/DSSEG-7016
- Deep Security Agent was sometimes unable to connect to web applications on systems with older OS versions. SEG-109652/DSSEG-6992

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 19

Release date: July 06, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1845

Resolved issues

- With Web Reputation enabled, Deep Security Agent caused connectivity issues for some third party software. SF04072723/SEG-97952/DSSEG-6810

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 18

Release date: May 27, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1789

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes created unnecessary "User (Created/Deleted)" or "Group (Added/Removed/Updated)" events. SEG-96947/SF04034198/DSSEG-6837
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when Intrusion Prevention was configured for SSL inspection. DSSEG-6909
- Deep Security Agent sometimes displayed duplicate "Invalid Flag" Firewall events. DSSEG-6835
- Deep Security Agent crashed under some configurations when the Anti-Malware module was running. SEG-101968/SF04225628/DSSEG-6791

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 17

Release date: April 26, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1735

Enhanced platform support

- Windows 10 20H2

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to use the latest Windows cross-signing options. DSSEG-6820

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes showed package signature errors during upgrade because of a mismatched Certification Revocation List (CRL). DSSEG-6826
- Application Control sometimes didn't add to the software inventory properly for files on certain drive types. SEG-103667/SF04227412/DSSEG-6756
- Deep Security Agent sometimes reported duplicates of a single Intrusion Prevention event. SEG-93125/SF03595899/DSSEG-6723
- Deep Security Agent sometimes encountered multiple "Record Layer Message (not ready)" Intrusion Prevention events, although the conditions that would normally trigger these events did not exist. A "Record Layer Message (not ready)" event normally indicates that the SSL state engine has encountered an SSL record before initialization of the session. SEG-101697/SF04203096/DSSEG-6739

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 16

Release date: March 22, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1655

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to improve Application Control inventory scanning performance. SEG-78295/03234667/DSSEG-6303

Resolved issues

- Real-time Integrity Monitoring sometimes did not match the exact directory specified by a user, but instead matched all paths that started with the base

directory. SEG-97758/SF04046718/DSSEG-6636

- When Application Control was in lock down mode, it was unable to build a proper software inventory in some cases. SEG-94173/SF03946250/DSSEG-6503
- The Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when running Intrusion Prevention in passive mode. DSSEG-6385
- Application Control was not allowing files in the ".install4j" directory to be added to the inventory, which prevented some applications from installing. SEG-100706/SF04166919/DSSEG-6674
- Behavior Monitoring exceptions sometimes did not work properly. SEG-89899/SF03775351/DSSEG-6485
- Application Control was not including scripts with a ".ksh" file extension in the recognized software inventory, causing those scripts to be blocked when they should have been allowed. SEG-100706/SF04166919/DSSEG-6658

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Highest CVSS: 5.3

Highest severity: Medium

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 15

Release date: January 28, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1546

Resolved issues

- In some circumstances, a large amount of memory consumption on AWS instances occurred. SEG-86654/SF03616828/DSSEG-6405

- Sometimes an SSL connection was not established when SSL inspection was enabled. DSSEG-6407

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 14

Release date: November 12, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-1436

There are no changes for the Windows Deep Security Agents this release.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 13

Release date: October 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-1373

Enhancements

- Deep Security verifies the signature on the Deep Security Agent to ensure that the software files have not changed since the time of signing. DSSEG-5935
- Updated the Integrity Monitoring scan completion time in Deep Security Manager events to display in seconds with a thousands separator. SEG-83194/SF03429936/DSSEG-6029

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent crashed unexpectedly because it was unable to detect the Docker engine version on Windows Servers. DSSEG-6075
 - Deep Security Notifier sometimes turned the Antivirus status in the Windows action center on and off, which caused high CPU usage. SEG-73189/SF03037857/DSSEG-6004
 - Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when the "Scan for Integrity" scan was running. SEG-82795/03462751/DSSEG-6008
 - An executable that was created and executed quickly was blocked by Application Control while in maintenance mode. /DSSEG-6173
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- If there are multiple IPs in the "X-Forwarded-For" tag of the HTTP header, the 1st IP among them will be retrieved. /DSSEG-6183
- "Out of Connection" Firewall events occurred when the network engine was set to "Tap mode". SEG-87155/SF03644367/DSSEG-6270
- Some Intrusion Prevention events did not include the XFF header. SEG-81986/03419140/DSSEG-5936

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 12

Release date: August 19, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1278

Enhanced platform support

- Windows 10 20H1 v2004 (64 & 86)
- Windows Server Core 20H1 v2004

Enhancements

- You can choose not to send packet data back to the Deep Security Manager by going to **Administration > Agents > Data Privacy** and selecting **No**. SF03237033/DSSEG-6017

Note: This enhancement requires Deep Security Manager FR 2019-10-23 or later.

Resolved issues

- Application Control sometimes blocked applications that should have been allowed as they were created by a trusted updater. SEG-77446/03206632/DSSEG-5840
- Agent self-protection did not protect Deep Security Notifier SEG-76015/SF03168155/DSSEG-5920
- When a Deep Security Agent was deactivated, the Anti-Malware module's language was switched to English. When the Deep Security agent was reactivated in Japanese, this sometimes caused the Anti-Malware component update to fail. SEG-79963/03184072/DSSEG-5811

- When a re-transmission packet with new packets was sent, it sometimes produced an "Unsupported SSL Version" Intrusion Prevention event. /DSSEG-5879
- When there was a Log Inspection database corruption issue, it did not affect the Log Inspection status on the Deep Security Manager. SEG-77081/02984526/DSSEG-5726
- Deep Security Manager reported a security update timeout because Deep Security Agent received exceptions at security updates. SEG-82072/03273761/DSSEG-5953
- When "Serve Application Control rulesets from relays" was enabled, unnecessary relay error events occurred. /DSSEG-5988
- When the Kerberos cache file was deleted and re-added, a lot of "User Added" and "User Deleted" Integrity Monitoring events occurred. SEG-80629/03402557/DSSEG-5981

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CVSS score: 7.8

Severity: High

- Updated to curl 7.67.0.
- Updated to openssl-1.0.2t.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 11

Release date: July 9, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1186

Enhancements

- Application Control includes script files with the ".cron" extension as part of the inventory. SEG-76680/SF03240341/DSSEG-5685

- Real-time Integrity Monitoring explicitly matches the directory specified in the base directory. Previously, it matched all paths that started with the base directory. SEG-79112/03301290/DSSEG-5767

Resolved issues

- When Integrity Monitoring was enabled, the owner of a file was incorrectly changed to a user that did not exist. DSSEG-5731

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- Updated Nginx to 1.18.0.

SEG-78524/SF03321021/DSSEG-5749

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 10

Release date: May 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1090

New features

Improved management and quality

Instance Metadata Service Version 2 (IMDSv2) support: IMDSv2 is supported with Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 10. For details, see "[How does Deep Security Agent use the Amazon Instance Metadata Service?](#)" on page 1210 DSSEG-5422

Enhancements

- Continued to improve the Account Domain Authentication experience. SEG-73480/SF02989282/DSSEG-5661

Resolved issues

- There were detection issues with real-time Anti-Malware scans. SEG-72928/SF03050515/DSSEG-5362
- The agent computer sometimes crashed when Anti-Malware was enabled. SEG-75451/SF03174016/DSSEG-5602
- In certain circumstances, Application Control caused the agent to go offline and restart. SEG-74143/SF03119820/DSSEG-5524
- After a real-time Anti-Malware scan, the system occasionally became unresponsive. SEG-76430/SF02537903/DSSEG-5629

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 9

Release date: May 4, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1026

Resolved issues

- When Intrusion Prevention was enabled and IP fragmentation packets with the same position but different payloads were received, the engine chose to use the later one instead of the earlier one to assemble the payload. In this case, the payload integrity check would lead to a packet drop for this connection. SEG-70386/DSSEG-5428
- The Anti-Malware driver sometimes caused the RDP process to hang.

Note: If you're running a modern OS (newer than Windows 7, for example), reboot your system after the Anti-Malware driver has been applied.

SF03060355/SEG-72751/DSSEG-5391

- Application Control occasionally appeared offline when Application Control and Anti-Malware were enabled at the same time. DSSEG-5383/SEG-72885
- In the *Actions* tab, Application Control displayed computers with software changes pending for approval or denial; however, when the computers detail window was opened, there were no events reported. SEG-74084/SF03106203/DSSEG-5449

- Application Control occasionally appeared offline when Application Control and Anti-Malware were enabled at the same time. SEG-72885/03036072/DSSEG-5383
- The Anti-Malware engine on Deep Security Virtual Appliance went offline when the signer field in the Census server reply was empty. SEG-73047/SF03065452/DSSEG-5447
- The Anti-Malware driver sometimes caused the RDP process to hang.

Note: Note: If you're running a modern OS (newer than Windows 7, for example), reboot your system after the Anti-Malware driver has been applied. SEG-72751/SF03060355/DSSEG-5391

Security updates

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Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 8

Release date: April 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-967

Enhancements

- Added the ability for Deep Security Agent Anti-Malware to scan compressed files no matter their data types when IntelliScan is disabled. (SEG-71425/02971395/DSSEG-5306)
- Enhanced Anti-Malware file/folder exclusions by adding support for environment variables that contain brackets, such as "(" or ")". (DSSEG-5260)

Resolved issues

- Web Reputation, Firewall, Intrusion Prevention, and Log Inspection couldn't be enabled correctly when the system locale was set to Turkish. (SEG-71825/SF03021819/DSSEG-5351)

- When real-time Integrity Monitoring was enabled with the rule "1002875: Unix Add/Remove Software" applied, the RPM database potentially locked. (SEG-67275/SF02663756/DSSEG-5308)
- When a security update was triggered before Anti-Malware was ready, the security updates failed. (DSSEG-5361)
- Enabling Log Inspection caused Deep Security Agent to crash. (SEG-61106/SEG-42752/DSSEG-5225)
- Some real-time Integrity Monitoring changes were not detected in the /var directory. (SEG-72584/02982752/DSSEG-5346)
- The Behavior Monitoring feature of Anti-Malware sometimes raised false alarms. (SEG-61282/SF02431397/DSSEG-4997)
- Deep Security Agent restarted unexpectedly because of the way Log Inspection was accessing the SQLite database. (SEG-71302/02970735/DSSEG-5309)
- There were blank lines at the top of the eula file in the windows installer. (DSSEG-5348)
- Anti-malware sometimes caused a memory leak. (DSSEG-5323)

Security updates

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Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 7

Release date: February 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-911

Enhancements

- Increased the scan engine's URI path length limitation. (SEG-61309/DSSEG-5245)

Resolved issues

- When Application Control was enabled, there were too many software changes due to distributed file system replication. (SEG-60169/DSSEG-5031)

- The displayed packet header data contained redundant payload data. (DSSEG-4762)
- Using Octopus Deploy with Application Control resulted in Powershell execution errors. (SEG-67037/02655196/DSSEG-5084)
- Deep Security Agent Anti-Malware would attempt to get container information with an invalid container ID in Anti-Malware Event. (SEG-69502/SF02915821/DSSEG-5186)
- Log Inspection event processing caused the Deep Security Agent to restart abnormally. (DSSEG-5228)
- On specific Deep Security Agent servers the CPU usage spiked to 100% and pattern merges failed during the active update process. (SEG-66210/02711299/DSSEG-5152)
- When Application Control was enabled, there were too many software changes due to distributed file system replication. (SEG-60169/DSSEG-5031)

Security Updates

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- Updated SQLite to 3.30.1. (DSSEG-5103)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 6

Release date: January 17, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-817

Resolved issues

- Added platform support for Windows Server 2019 19H2 version 1909 and Windows 10 19H2 version 1909. (DSSEG-4782)
- Deep Security Agent sent invalid JSON objects in response to Deep Security Manager, which caused errors in Deep Security Manager's log file. (SEG-48728/SF01919585/DSSEG-4995)

- Integrity Monitoring did not handle Russian characters correctly in files that were scanned in real-time. (SEG-64071/SF02608976/DSSEG-4983)
 - After applying rule 1006540, "Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging", Deep Security would extract the X-Forwarded-For header for Intrusion Prevention events correctly. However, a URL intrusion like "Invalid Traversal" would be detected in the HTTP request string before the header was parsed. The Intrusion Prevention engine has been enhanced to search X-Forwarded-For header after the header is parsed. (SEG-60728/DSSEG-5094)
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Unix

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Agent - Unix 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 30

Release date: May 4, 2023

Build number: 12.0.0-2932

Resolved issues

- An issue during component update sometimes caused the scan engine to be updated, even if the engine update was disabled. SF06390800/SEG-165036/DSSEG-7802

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 29

Release date: October 4, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2626

Enhancements

- Improved Intrusion Prevention performance when the "Bypass Network Scanner" rule is applied. SEG-132057/DSSEG-7621
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Resolved issues

- Message "Newly applied ruleset will block some running processes on restart" was incorrectly shown during agent upgrade. DSSEG-7653
- Log Inspection Engine would go offline when using '\$' character in match or regex fields together with variables. SEG-146965/SEG-146966/DSSEG-7665
- Valid IPv6 addresses reserved for IPv4/IPv6 translation would raise "Invalid IPv6 Address" errors. SEG-147969/DSSEG-7673

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 4.6

Highest severity: Medium

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 28

Release date: July 4, 2022

AIX Build number: 12.0.0-2504

Solaris Build number: 12.0.0-2487

Security updates

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Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: Critical

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 27

Release date: May 26, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2416

Security updates

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CVSS: 7.5

Severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 26

Release date: April 28, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2380

Resolved issues

- With Anti-Malware enabled, an issue delivering an event report caused Deep Security Agent to use an increasingly high amount of system memory. SF05247760/SEG-132286/DSSEG-7514
- With Intrusion Prevention enabled, a packet transmission error caused some system configurations to crash. SEG-136843/DSSEG-7524

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 25

Release date: March 08, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2265

Resolved issues

- Log Inspection was unable to parse system logs containing a single digit date format. SF04562942/SEG-115435/DSSEG-7476

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent to improve Application Control performance when running in "maintenance mode." DSSEG-7354

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 24

Release date: January 24, 2022

Build number: 12.0.0-2201

This release contains general improvements.

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 23

Release date: November 29, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-2112

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when it could not connect to Deep Security Manager. DSSEG-7305
- Deep Security Agent sometimes caused connectivity issues, high CPU usage, or the system to crash. SEG-123885/SF04973642/DSSEG-7298

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 22

Release date: November 01, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-2072

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes showed package signature errors during an upgrade because of a mismatched Certification Revocation List (CRL). DSSEG-7214
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed due to an issue when cleaning up resources for inactive network connections. SEG-113291/DSSEG-7035
- If the Deep Security Agent service (ds_agent) was stopped during an Anti-Malware scan, the agent would sometimes crash on restart. DSSEG-7228

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Highest CVSS: 7.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 21

Release date: September 15, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1993

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes triggered multiple "Log Inspection Engine Initialized" or "Policy Sent" events due to a Network Interface Card (NIC) connectivity issue. SF03968169/SEG-95731/DSSEG-7039
- With Integrity Monitoring enabled, Deep Security Agent sometimes produced create and delete events for Users and Groups that were not actually being created or deleted. SEG-100159/SF04158229/DSSEG-6806

- With Integrity Monitoring enabled, Deep Security Manager caused high CPU usage on the authentication server for some systems. SEG-110088/04488319/DSSEG-7072

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 20

Release date: August 04, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1908

Resolved issues

- With Integrity Monitoring enabled, Deep Security Agent sometimes produced create and delete events for users and groups that were not actually being created or deleted. SF04158229/SEG-100159/DSSEG-7015
- Deep Security Agent sometimes lost connectivity while trying to establish an SSL connection. SEG-107451/DSSEG-7016
- Deep Security Agent was sometimes unable to connect to web applications on systems with older OS versions. SEG-109652/DSSEG-6992

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Highest CVSS: 9.8

Highest severity: High

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 19

Release date: July 06, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1845

Resolved issues

- With Web Reputation enabled, Deep Security Agent caused connectivity issues for some third party software. SF04072723/SEG-97952/DSSEG-6810

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 18

Release date: May 27, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1789

Enhancements

- Updated Deep Security Agent (version 12.0.0-1789+) to add support for Entrust Root Certificate Authority (G2) certificates. Non-G2 security certificates will expire on 2022/07/09. After that time, only agents that have been upgraded to version 12.0.0-1789+ or higher will have the latest Anti-Malware Smart Scan protection. DSSEG-6904
- Updated Deep Security Agent to include a network driver debug log output for AIX. DSSEG-6896

Resolved issues

- The Deep Security Agent for AIX 6.1 sometimes failed the software update from 12.0 to 20.0. DSSEG-6805
- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when Intrusion Prevention was configured for SSL inspection. DSSEG-6909

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 17

Release date: April 26, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1735

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes showed package signature errors during upgrade because of a mismatched Certification Revocation List (CRL). DSSEG-6826

- Application Control sometimes didn't add to the software inventory properly for files on certain drive types. SEG-103667/SF04227412/DSSEG-6756
- Deep Security Agent sometimes encountered multiple "Record Layer Message (not ready)" Intrusion Prevention events, although the conditions that would normally trigger these events did not exist. A "Record Layer Message (not ready)" event normally indicates that the SSL state engine has encountered an SSL record before initialization of the session. SEG-101697/SF04203096/DSSEG-6739

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Release date: January 28, 2021

Build number: 12.0.0-1546

Resolved issues

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Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 14

Release date: November 12, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-1436

Resolved issues

- Kernel panic occasionally occurred on Solaris servers. DSSEG-4698

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 13

Release date: October 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-1373

Enhancements

- Deep Security verifies the signature on the Deep Security Agent to ensure that the software files have not changed since the time of signing. DSSEG-5935

- Updated the Integrity Monitoring scan completion time in Deep Security Manager events to display in seconds with a thousands separator. SEG-83194/SF03429936/DSSEG-6029
- If there are multiple IPs in the "X-Forwarded-For" tag of the HTTP header, the 1st IP among them will be retrieved. DSSEG-6183

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Agent sometimes crashed when the "Scan for Integrity" scan was running. SEG-82795/03462751/DSSEG-6008
- An executable that was created and executed quickly was blocked by Application Control while in maintenance mode. DSSEG-6173
- When using Deep Security Agent on Solaris, the port scanning feature of the Integrity Monitoring module did not work because the agent did not have access to information on the user ID under which a given port was opened. This prevented storage of any listening port information. The port scanning feature on Solaris agents has been modified to store the string "n/a" for the userid. This allows the remaining port information to be stored and used in the port scanning function. However, exclusions and inclusions based on User ID still do not function correctly because this information is not available. DSSEG-6151
- "Out of Connection" Firewall events occurred when the network engine was set to "Tap mode". SEG-87155/SF03644367/DSSEG-6270
- Some Intrusion Prevention events did not include the XFF header. SEG-81986/03419140/DSSEG-5936

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 12

Release date: August 19, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1278

Enhancements

- You can choose not to send packet data back to the Deep Security Manager by going to **Administration > Agents > Data Privacy** and selecting **No**. SF03237033/DSSEG-6017

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- Application Control sometimes blocked applications that should have been allowed as they were created by a trusted updater. SEG-77446/03206632/DSSEG-5840
- Agent self-protection did not protect Deep Security Notifier. SEG-76015/SF03168155/DSSEG-5920
- When a Deep Security Agent was deactivated, the Anti-Malware module's language was switched to English. When the Deep Security Agent was reactivated in Japanese, this sometimes caused the Anti-Malware component update to fail. SEG-79963/03184072/DSSEG-5811
- Deep Security Manager reported a security update timeout because Deep Security Agent received exceptions at security updates. SEG-82072/03273761/DSSEG-5953
- Deep Security Agent detected false file change events due to the setuid/setgid formatting. The agent also generated false file attribute changes in /usr/bin following an upgrade, which was caused by the file creation time change. /DSSEG-5928
- When "Serve Application Control rulesets from relays" was enabled, unnecessary relay error events occurred. /DSSEG-5988
- On Solaris 10 servers with Deep Security Agent and debug logs enabled for Anti-Malware, the Deep Security Agent process sometimes encountered an abnormal restart. SEG-80989/SF03420394/DSSEG-5880
- When the Kerberos cache file was deleted and re-added, a lot of "User Added" and "User Deleted" Integrity Monitoring events occurred. SEG-80629/03402557/DSSEG-5981

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Enhancement

- Application Control includes script files with the ".cron" extension as part of the inventory. SEG-76680/SF03240341/DSSEG-5685
- Integrity Monitoring detects changes to the "setuid" and "setgid" attributes for Linux and Unix platforms. SEG-78797/DSSEG-5732

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 10

Release date: May 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1090

New features

Improved management and quality

Instance Metadata Service Version 2 (IMDSv2) support: IMDSv2 is supported with Deep Security Manager 12.0 update 10. For details, see ["How does Deep Security Agent use the Amazon Instance Metadata Service?" on page 1210](#) DSSEG-5422

Enhancements

- Continued to improve the Account Domain Authentication experience. SEG-73480/SF02989282/DSSEG-5661

Resolved issues

- There were detection issues with real-time Anti-Malware scans. SEG-72928/SF03050515/DSSEG-5362
- In certain circumstances, Application Control caused the agent to go offline and restart. SEG-74143/SF03119820/DSSEG-5524
- After a real-time Anti-Malware scan, the system occasionally became unresponsive. SEG-76430/SF02537903/DSSEG-5629

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 9

Release date: May 4, 2020

Build number: 12.0.1026

Resolved issues

- Anti-Malware directory exclusion with wildcard didn't match subdirectories correctly. SF03131855/SEG-74892/DSSEG-5543
- Incorrect linking of certain libraries could lead to Deep Security Agent instability. SEG-72958/03071960/DSSEG-5382
- In the **Actions** tab, Application Control displayed computers with software changes pending for approval or denial; however, when the computers detail window was opened, there were no events reported. SEG-74084/SF03106203/DSSEG-5449
- The Anti-Malware engine on Deep Security Virtual Appliance went offline when the signer field in the Census server reply was empty. SEG-73047/SF03065452/DSSEG-5447

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 8

Release date: April 1, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-967

Enhancements

- Added the ability for Deep Security Agent Anti-Malware to scan compressed files no matter their data types when IntelliScan is disabled. (SEG-71425/02971395/DSSEG-5306)
- Enhanced Anti-Malware file/folder exclusions by adding support for environment variables that contain brackets, such as "(" or ")". (DSSEG-5260)

Resolved issues

- Web Reputation, Firewall, Intrusion Prevention, and Log Inspection couldn't be enabled correctly when the system locale was set to Turkish. (SEG-71825/SF03021819/DSSEG-5351)
- When real-time Integrity Monitoring was enabled with the rule "1002875: Unix Add/Remove Software" applied, the RPM database potentially locked. (SEG-67275/SF02663756/DSSEG-5308)
- When a security update was triggered before Anti-Malware was ready, the security updates failed. (DSSEG-5361)
- Enabling Log Inspection caused Deep Security Agent to crash. (SEG-61106/SEG-42752/DSSEG-5225)
- Some real-time Integrity Monitoring changes were not detected in the /var directory. (SEG-72584/02982752/DSSEG-5346)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#). (DSSEG-3771)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 7

Release date: February 28, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-911

Enhancements

- Increased the scan engine's URI path length limitation. (SEG-61309/DSSEG-5245)

Resolved issues

- The displayed packet header data contained redundant payload data. (DSSEG-4762)
- After applying rule 1006540, "Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging", Deep Security would extract the X-Forwarded-For header for Intrusion Prevention events correctly. However, a URL intrusion like "Invalid Traversal" would be detected in the HTTP request string before the header was parsed. The Intrusion Prevention engine has been enhanced to search X-Forwarded-For header after the header is parsed. (DSSEG-5156)
- Memory leaked during SSL decryption because of a flaw in the SSL processing. (DSSEG-5142)
- Log Inspection event processing caused the Deep Security Agent to restart abnormally. (DSSEG-5228)
- On specific Deep Security Agent servers the CPU usage spiked to 100% and pattern merges failed during the active update process. (SEG-66210/02711299/DSSEG-5152)
- After upgrading to Deep Security Agent 12.0.0.817, Solaris systems crashed. (SF02871943/SEG-68654/DSSEG-5139)

Security Updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Response](#).

- Updated SQLite to 3.30.1. (DSSEG-5103)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 6

Release date: January 17, 2020

Build number: 12.0.0-817

Resolved issues

- Memory leaks occurred in Anti-Malware if file attributes couldn't be retrieved. (SEG-67374/DSSEG-5063)
- After applying rule 1006540, "Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging", Deep Security would extract the X-Forwarded-For header for Intrusion Prevention events correctly. However, a URL intrusion like "Invalid Traversal" would be detected in the HTTP request string before the header was parsed. The Intrusion Prevention engine has been enhanced to search X-Forwarded-For header after the header is parsed. (SEG-60728/DSSEG-5094)
- Deep Security Agent sent invalid JSON objects in response to Deep Security Manager, which caused errors in Deep Security Manager's log file. (SEG-48728/SF01919585/DSSEG-4995)
- On Solaris servers with clusters, the Deep Security Intrusion Prevention module would come under heavy load while inspecting the clusters' private traffic. The extra load caused latency issues, node evictions, and loss of synchronization events.

You can now configure the Packet Processing Engine on the agent to bypass traffic inspection on a specified interface. Where a specific interface on a computer is dedicated to cluster private traffic, this configuration can be used to bypass inspection of packets sent to and received from this interface. This results in faster packet processing on the bypassed interface and other interfaces.

Use of this configuration to bypass traffic inspection is a security risk. It is up to you to determine if the benefit of reduced latency outweighs the risk involved. It is also up to you to determine whether only the nodes in the cluster have access to the subnet whose interface is being bypassed.

To implement the bypass, do the following:

1. Upgrade the Deep Security Agent to the latest build containing this fix.
2. Create a file under /etc directory named "ds_filter.conf".
3. Open the /etc/ds_filter.conf file.
4. Add the MAC addresses of all NIC cards used for cluster communication, as follows:

```
MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=XX:XX:XX:XX:XX,XX:XX:XX:XX:XX
```

5. Save.
6. Wait 60 seconds for your changes to take effect.

In the `/etc/ds_filter.conf` file:

- The `MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST` line must be the first line in the file.
- All letters in the MAC address must be uppercase.
- Leading zeros in each byte must be included.

Valid `MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST`:

```
MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=0B:3A;12:F8:32:5E
```

```
MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=0B:3A;12:F8:32:5E, 6A:23:F0:0F:AB:34
```

Invalid `MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST`:

```
MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=B:3A;12:F8:32:5E
```

```
MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=0b:3a;12:F8:32:5e, 6a:23:F0:0F:ab:34
```

```
MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=0B:3A;12:F8:32:5E
```

- If the MAC address is not valid, the interface will not be bypassed. If the exact string "`MAC_EXCLUSIVE_LIST=`" is not present at the beginning of the line no interfaces will be bypassed. (DSSEG-4055)

What's new in Deep Security Virtual Appliance?

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Virtual Appliance 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Virtual Appliance - 12.0 update 3

Release date: December 5, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-682

Enhancements

- Certified vmdk and OVF files through VMware to ensure file integrity. (DS-44354)
- Added multiple OVF configurations with small, medium, large scales for different environment requirements (DS-40008)
- Added a new network interface for upcoming agentless features for NSX-T. This appliance is compatible with current agentless features (DSSEG-4763)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit <https://success.trendmicro.com/vulnerability-response>. (DS-37505)

- Updated the kernel in Deep Security Virtual Appliance to protect against a vulnerability.

Known issues

- Deploying Deep Security Virtual Appliance using an imported OVF might fail.
- Modifying OVF configuration leads causes Deep Security Virtual Appliance deployment to fail.

Archive

Archived Deep Security Manager release notes

Note: For release notes from this year, see "[What's new in Deep Security Manager?](#)" on [page 82](#).

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Manager 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 5

Release date: Dec 16, 2019

Build number: 12.0.383

Enhancement

- Added the **Validate the signature on the agent installer** checkbox on **Support > Deployment Scripts**. For more information, see "[Check digital signatures on software packages](#)" on page 232. (DSSEG-4934)

Resolved issues

- A "Newer version of Deep Security Manager is available" alert appeared despite there being none available. (DSSEG-4724)
- The "Activity Overview" widget sometime displayed the incorrect database size. (DSSEG-4908)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#).

- Updated JRE to the latest Critical Patch Update (8.0.232). (DSSEG-4881)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 4

Release date: November 28, 2019

Build number: 12.0.372

Resolved issues

- Memory threshold alerts were raised despite the system having memory available. (DSSEG-4882)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit <https://success.trendmicro.com/vulnerability-response>. (DSSEG-4822)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 3

Release date: November 5, 2019

Build number: 12.0.366

New features

- Added Oracle19c as a supported database. (DSSEG-4723)
- Improved the diagnostic logging options for features related to AWS connectors. (DSSEG-4615)
- Updated Deep Security Manager to allow signed agent installers to be exported from the Deep Security Manager or installed via deployment script. The file name of any signed agent installer with extension .rpm now starts with "Agent-PGPCore" instead of "Agent-Core". (DSSEG-4570)

Resolved issues

- On Linux systems, the default maximum number of the concurrent opened files did not meet Deep Security Manager's needs, resulting the manager failing to acquire file handles. As a result, features in Deep Security Manager failed randomly and a "Too many open files" message appeared in logs. (DSSEG-4748/SEG-59895)
- When a custom Anti-Evasion posture was selected in a parent policy (in the policy editor > **Settings > Advanced > Network Engine Settings > Anti-Evasion Posture > select Custom**), that setting did not appear in the child policies. (DSSEG-4676/02434648/SEG-60410)
- An incorrect log source identifier was sometimes sent for syslog events. (SF02422793/DSSEG-4665/SEG-59969 and SEG-60314)
- In the computer or policy editor, under **Anti-Malware > General > Real-Time Scan > Schedule > Edit**, the **Assigned To** tab was sometimes empty, even when the schedule was assigned correctly to computers and policies. (SF02374723/DSSEG-4613/SEG-58761)
- When an invalid or unresolvable SNMP server name was configured in **Administration > System Settings > Event Forwarding > SNMP**, it caused SIEM and SNS to also fail. (SF02339427/DSSEG-4554/SEG-57996)
- Deep Security Manager showed many Internal Software Error system events when **Events Retrieved** and **Agent/Appliance Error** were not recorded in **System Settings > System Events**. (DSSEG-4433/SEG-39714)
- When Deep Security Manager was deployed in an environment with a large number of hosts and protection rules, the manager would sometimes load data for all hosts, even if the user only requested data from some of the hosts. (SF02552257/SEG-62563/DSSEG-4812)
- Gave the Deep Security Administrator the ability to hide unresolved recommendation scan results from the Intrusion Prevention, Integrity Monitoring and Log Inspection tab in the

policy pages. To hide the unresolved recommendation scan results, use the following commands:

Intrusion Prevention:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
com.trendmicro.ds.network:settings.configuration.showUnresolvedRecommen  
dationsInfoInPolicyPage -value false
```

Integrity Monitoring:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
com.trendmicro.ds.integrity:settings.configuration.showUnresolvedRecomm  
endationsInfoInPolicyPage -value false
```

Log Inspection:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
com.trendmicro.ds.loginspection:settings.configuration.showUnresolvedRe  
commendationsInfoInPolicyPage -value false
```

(DSSEG-4391)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 2

Release date: September 13, 2019

Build number: 12.0.347

New features

- Added Oracle 18 as a supported database. (DSSEG-4494)
- Previous version of Deep Security Manager used vCloud SDK 1.5, which supports VMware vCloud Director 9.0 or earlier. With this release, the manager now uses vCloud SDK 5.5, which supports VMware vCloud Director 9.5 or later. (DSSEG-4430)

Resolved issues

- Every Deep Security Agent with the version greater than or equal to 12.0 now has a minimum required Deep Security Manager version. Any import of an incompatible agent whose minimum required version is less than the current manager version will be blocked. (DSSEG-4560)

- Deep Security used an open source library called SIGAR that is no longer maintained or supported. This can cause applications to crash and other unintended issues in the future. Equivalent replacement must be found in the JRE included libraries and all usages of SIGAR should be refactored to use the identified equivalent. (SF02184158/DSSEG-4544/SEG-54629)
- Deep Security Manager did not prevent the creation of incompatible Intrusion Prevention configurations. (DSSEG-4533)
- Deep Security Manager failed to upgrade when the customer used Microsoft Azure SQL database with non-default collation. (SF02345050/DSSEG-4531/SEG-58319)
- Inline synchronization for Amazon WorkSpaces sometimes did not work because Deep Security Manager used the availability zone as region name. (DSSEG-4514)
- Using a local key secret containing the \$ symbol stopped the upgrade or fresh install of Deep Security Manager. (SF02013831/DSSEG-4462/SEG-57243)
- When generating the security module usage report, many of the hosts in the report do not show the correct cloud account associated with the host. (SF01802147/DSSEG-4442/SEG-46978)
- Deep Security Agent sometimes went offline when duplicate virtual UUIDs were stored in the database. (SF01722554/DSSEG-4415/SEG-41425)
- Reconnaissance alerts could not be disabled because the option was not available. (DSSEG-4388)
- Selecting "Security updates only" as the update content for a relay group on **Administration > Updates > Relay Management > Relay Group Properties** did not work as expected. (DSSEG-4343)
- The activation code which extended the expiration date license for a multi-tenant account could not be inputted for enabling multi-tenant function because Deep Security Manager did not check the license status online. (DSSEG-4332/02223786/SEG-55842)
- Forwarding events "via Deep Security Manager" with SIEM event forwarding would not work if the Deep Security Manager hostname was not obtained through DNS resolution. (SF01992435/DSSEG-4099/SEG-50655)

Deep Security Manager - 12.0 update 1

Release date: August 9, 2019

Build number: 12.0.327

Resolved issues

- New groups added to an AWS connector were not inheriting the existing permissions assigned to that connector. (SF01112604/SEG-35024/DSSEG-4205)
- When a policy was created based on a relay-enabled agent, the policy contained the relay state. All agents that were assigned the policy automatically became relays. (DSSEG-3550)
- Application Control events did not include a "Size" column. (DSSEG-4256)
- In the Deep Security Manager, the entry for the Release Notes column is replaced from readme.txt to Release Notes. (DSSEG-4331)
- In Deep Security Manager, some AWS EC2 hosts were left without matching cloud instance records when many hosts needed to be removed during an AWS cloud connector synchronization. (DSSEG-4317)
- When Deep Security Manager was connected to both a case-sensitive Microsoft SQL database and VMware NSX, the Deep Security Manager upgrade readiness check would sometimes fail and block the upgrade. (SF02060051/DSSEG-4268/SEG-52044)
- The latest kernel update for some Linux operating systems, including RHEL7 and Amazon Linux, made a change that causes failures during agent initiated communication heartbeats. (DSSEG-4315)
- In Deep Security Manager, under **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules > Application Types > (select DNS client) > Properties > General** the Port setting would change to "Any" after any updates to the port list. (DSSEG-4370/SEG-55634)
- Deep Security Manager logged a 'Disable all features' log at the INFO level with no indication of which features had been disabled. (DS-33927)
- Anti-Malware Engine status would change to offline when the BIOS UUID of a VMware Virtual Machine was changed. (DS-36259)
- After a large number of vMotion tasks were performed, the Deep Security Manager console sometimes showed duplicate virtual machines in a vCenter connector. (SEG-47565/DS-36331)

Security Updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit <https://success.trendmicro.com/vulnerability-response>. (SF02112629/SEG-53014/DSSEG-4097)

- Upgraded Tomcat to 8.5.43. (DSSEG-4335)

Archived Deep Security Agent release notes

Note: For release notes from this year, see "[What's new in Deep Security Agent?](#) " on page 99.

Linux

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Agent - Linux 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 5

Release date: December 16, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-767

Enhancements

- Excluded AWS Lustre from file system kernel hooking to prevent kernel panic. (SEG-65127/SF02650803/DSSEG-4955)

Resolved issues

- When Application Control was enabled with Zenoss a high-volume of file events were created which caused high CPU usage. (SEG-56946/SEG-62440/SEG-64764/DSSEG-4792)
- Deep Security Virtual Appliance took too long to release file descriptors after a VM vMotion. (DSSEG-4817)
- Using environment variables in Integrity Monitoring rules was not working with Real-time Integrity Monitoring. (SF02611220/SEG-64777/SEG-65541/DSSEG-4953)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#).

- Updated to curl 7.67.0. (DSSEG-4906)
- Updated to openssl-1.0.2t. (DSSEG-4906)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 4

Release date: November 28, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-725

Enhancements

- Enhanced the Anti-Malware kernel level exclusion on Linux. File events coming from remote file systems won't be handled by Deep Security Agent anymore when Network Directory Scan is disabled. (SEG-50838/DSSEG-4652)

Resolved issues

- If you upgraded from Deep Security Agent core only, security updates failed. (DSSEG-4870/SEG-63999)
- Application Control didn't work correctly with Deep Security Agent Red Hat 8 64-bit kernel 4.18.0-147.el8.x86_64. (DSSEG-4858)
- Real-time Integrity Monitoring rules did not support trailing wildcard asterisks in a base directory. (DSSEG-4842)
- Deep Security Agent real-time Anti-Malware scans didn't work correctly with Linux 5.3 kernel. (DSSEG-4611)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 3

Release date: November 5, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-682

New features

- Added CentOS 8 as a supported platform. (DSSEG-4671)

Resolved issues

- High CPU usage occurred when Application Control was enabled on an Apache Hadoop server that was creating a high volume of non-executable files in the Yarn user cache. (DSSEG-4631)
- A Trojan file was not quarantined. (DSSEG-4644)

- Virtual machines went offline after a vMotion because the database was locked. (DSSEG-4638)
- The operating system sometimes crashed when a RATT tool was used to collect driver logs. (DSSEG-4435)
- Deep Security failed to download security updates. (SF02043400/SEG-52069DSSEG-4431)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 2

Release date: September 13, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-563

New features

- Added Oracle Linux 8 as a supported platform. (DS-37687)
- Added a new rpm file in the installer package for PGP signed packages. For details, please see ["Check digital signatures on software packages" on page 232](#). (SF02287602/SEG-57033/DSSEG-4607)

Resolved issues

- In a Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 or 6 or a CentOS 5 or 6 environment, Integrity Monitoring events related to the following rule were displayed even if users or groups were not created or deleted: 1008720 - Users and Groups - Create and Delete Activity. (DSSEG-4548)
- When multiple Smart Protection Servers were configured, the Deep Security Agent process would sometimes crash due to an invalid sps_index. (DSSEG-4386)
- The "Send Policy" action failed because of a GetDockerVersion command error in Deep Security Agent. (DSSEG-4082)
- Deep Security Agent did not add Python extension module (PYD) files to the inventory of Application Control. (DSSEG-3588)
- Deep Security Agent SSL inspection didn't work with a TLS/SSL connection in explicit mode. (DSSEG-4464)
- Deep Security Anti-Malware detected sample malware files but did not automatically delete them. (SF02230778/SEG-55891/DSSEG-4569)

- For certain configurations, an agent might fail to locate Azure fabric server and therefore is unable to rehome to the Azure connector properly. (DSSEG-4547)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 1

Release date: August 9, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-481

New features

- Debian Linux 10 is supported in this release. (DSSEG-4262)

Resolved issues

- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 changed the default behavior of DHCP, which impacts Deep Security Agent's ability to detect whether it's running on an Azure VM instance. Therefore, the agent does not carry enough information in HostInfo to Deep Security Manager and fails to re-home to an Azure connector. (DSSEG-4085)
- The advanced network engine option "Maximum data size to store when packet data is captured" did not work. (DSSEG-4113/SEG-48011)
- Deep Security Agent real-time Anti-Malware scans and Application Control didn't work on kernel version 5.0.0-15-generic. (DSSEG-4228)
- Deep Security Agent failed to install on Ubuntu 18.04. (SF01593513/SEG-43300/DSSEG-4119)
- When using Ubuntu with Netplan network interface, Deep Security Anti-Malware and the network filter driver would not start correctly. (DSSEG-4306)
- In some cases Integrity Monitoring Events dose not include Entity Name. (SF00889757/DSSEG-3761/SEG-31021)
- The agent operating system would sometimes crash when Firewall interface ignores were set. (DSSEG-4377)
- When a guest VM was migrated between ESXi hosts frequently (using vMotion), sometimes the VM couldn't save the state file. This caused the guest to lose the protection of the Deep Security Virtual Appliance for several minutes after migration, until the VM was reactivated by Deep Security Manager automatically under the new ESXi server. (DSSEG-4341)

Unix

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Agent - Unix 12.0 readme](#).

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 5

Release date: December 16, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-767

Enhancements

- The Deep Security Agent for the AIX Operating System versions 6.1, 7.1 and 7.2 is added to this release. The security controls supported by this agent are the same as those of the Deep Security 9.0 Agent for AIX, that is Firewall, Intrusion Prevention, Integrity Monitoring and Log Inspection. Detailed feature support information is available on the Deep Security Help Center. The Deep Security 12.0 Agent for AIX incorporates the many improvements to the Deep Security Agent between Deep Security 9.0 and Deep Security 12.0 . This agent also has the same support life cycle as the Deep Security 12.0 LTS release. (DS-17159)

Resolved issues

- When Application Control was enabled with Zenoss a high-volume of file events were created which caused high CPU usage. (SEG-56946/SEG-62440/SEG-64764/DSSEG-4792)
- Deep Security Virtual Appliance took too long to release file descriptors after a VM vMotion. (DSSEG-4817)
- Debug logging caused the Deep Security Agent to restart abnormally. (DSSEG-4948)
- Using environment variables in Integrity Monitoring rules was not working with Real-time Integrity Monitoring. (SF02611220/SEG-64777/SEG-65541/DSSEG-4953)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#).

- Updated to curl 7.67.0. (DSSEG-4906)
- Updated to openssl-1.0.2t. (DSSEG-4906)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 3

Release date: November 5, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-682

Resolved issues

- High CPU usage occurred when Application Control was enabled on an Apache Hadoop server that was creating a high volume of non-executable files in the Yarn user cache. (DSSEG-4631)
- Deep Security failed to download security updates. (SF02043400/SEG-52069DSSEG-4431)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 2

Release date: September 13, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-563

Resolved issues

- When multiple Smart Protection Servers were configured, the Deep Security Agent process would sometimes crash due to an invalid sps_index. (DSSEG-4386)
 - On Deep Security Agent for AIX, the GroupSet and UserSet 'Entity Set' types were not functioning properly when included in Integrity Monitoring rules. (DSSEG-4239)
 - The Deep Security Agent for AIX failed to receive policies that included a large number of rule sets. (DSSEG-4207)
 - On AIX servers, the Deep Security Agent's interface bypass feature incorrectly read the interface mac address provided by AIX for interfaces with names that are not three characters. As a result these interfaces could not be bypassed. (DSSEG-4118)
 - Deep Security Agent did not add Python extension module (PYD) files to the inventory of Application Control. (DSSEG-3588)
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- Deep Security Agent SSL inspection didn't work with a TLS/SSL connection in explicit mode. (DSSEG-4464)
- For certain configurations, an agent might fail to locate Azure fabric server and therefore is unable to rehome to the Azure connector properly. (DSSEG-4547)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 1

Release date: August 9, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-481

Resolved issues

- Network events were sometimes lost in certain conditions. (DSSEG-4159)
- In some cases Integrity Monitoring Events dose not include Entity Name. (SF00889757/DSSEG-3761/SEG-31021)

Windows

Note: For release notes from the long-term support LTS release, [Deep Security Agent - Windows 12.0 readme.](#)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 5

Release date: December 16, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-767

Resolved issues

- When Application Control was enabled with Zenoss a high-volume of file events were created which caused high CPU usage. (SEG-56946/SEG-62440/SEG-64764/DSSEG-4792)
- Deep Security Virtual Appliance took too long to release file descriptors after a VM vMotion. (DSSEG-4817)
- Using environment variables in Integrity Monitoring rules was not working with Real-time Integrity Monitoring. (SF02611220/SEG-64777/DSSEG-4953)

- The server hanged intermittently and utilized a lot of memory. (SF02351375/SEG-59668/DSSEG-4747)

Security updates

Security updates are included in this release. For more information about how we protect against vulnerabilities, visit [Vulnerability Responses](#).

- Updated to curl 7.67.0. (DSSEG-4906)
- Updated to openssl-1.0.2t. (DSSEG-4906)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 4

Release date: November 28, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-725

Resolved issues

- Deep Security Anti-Malware for windows repeatedly crashed and tried to create a crash dump for Anti-Malware which caused high CPU. (SF02621665/SEG-63997/DSSEG-4889)
- High CPU usage occurred when Application Control was enabled on an Apache Hadoop server that was creating a high volume of non-executable files in the Yarn user cache. (DSSEG-4631)
- When computers wrote document files to a file server, Anti-Malware needed to scan the files frequently, which caused other computers to fail to write the file because the file was being scanned.

Note: For modern OSs like Win2016 or Win2012, please reboot the machine to apply this enhancement after upgrading the Deep Security Agent.

(SF02497125/DSSEG-4746/SEG-61541)

- The "Type" attribute wasn't displayed in Integrity Monitoring events when the default "STANDARD" attribute was set to monitor registry value changes. (DSSEG-4625)

- The Anti-Malware Solution Platform (AMSP) log server sometimes crashed. (DSSEG-4620/SEG-51877)
- The operating system sometimes crashed when a RATT tool was used to collect driver logs. (DSSEG-4435)
- Deep Security Agent restarted abnormally along with an "Unable to send data to Notifier app." error message in ds_agent.log. (DSSEG-2089)
- A Deep Security Anti-Malware driver occupied a lot of paged pool memory. (SF02185196/SEG-54652/DSSEG-4224)

Note: If you are using a modern operating system, such as Windows Server 2016 or Windows Server 2012, reboot the computer to apply this fix after upgrading the Deep Security Agent.

- Deep Security failed to download security updates. (SF02043400/SEG-52069DSSEG-4431)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 3

Release date: November 5, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-682

This build has been deprecated due to issues with high CPU. Use a more recent build or [contact your support provider](#) for assistance.

For more information, see [Removal of Trend Micro Deep Security Agent 12.0 Update 3 for Windows \(build:12.0.0-682\)](#).

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 2

Release date: September 13, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-563

New features

- Added Windows Server 2019 version 1903 as a supported platform.

Resolved issues

- When the system region format is "Chinese (Traditional, Hong Kong SAR)", Deep Security Notifier displayed simplified Chinese instead of traditional Chinese. (DSSEG-4432/SEG-48075)
- When multiple Smart Protection Servers were configured, the Deep Security Agent process would sometimes crash due to an invalid sps_index. (DSSEG-4386)
- The "Send Policy" action failed because of a GetDockerVersion command error in Deep Security Agent. (DSSEG-4082)
- Deep Security Agent did not add Python extension module (PYD) files to the inventory of Application Control. (DSSEG-3588)
- Deep Security Agent SSL inspection didn't work with a TLS/SSL connection in explicit mode. (DSSEG-4464)
- For certain configurations, an agent might fail to locate Azure fabric server and therefore is unable to rehome to the Azure connector properly. (DSSEG-4547)

Deep Security Agent - 12.0 update 1

Release date: August 9, 2019

Build number: 12.0.0-481

Resolved issues

- The advanced network engine option "Maximum data size to store when packet data is captured" did not work. (DSSEG-4113/SEG-48011)
- In some cases Integrity Monitoring Events dose not include Entity Name. (SF00889757/DSSEG-3761/SEG-31021)
- An incorrect reboot request event sometimes occurred. (DSSEG-3722)

Deep Security Agent platforms

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Agent platform support table

Deep Security Manager 12.0 supports the Deep Security Agents on the operating systems shown in the table below. If platform support was added in an update release, the minimum update version is noted next to the check mark in the table.

Deep Security Manager supports the use of older agent versions, but we do encourage customers to upgrade agents regularly. New agent releases provide additional security features and protection, higher quality, performance improvements, and updates to stay in sync with releases from each platform vendor. Each agent has an end-of-life date. For details, see [Deep Security LTS life cycle dates](#) and [Deep Security FR life cycle dates](#).

Note: Not all Deep Security features are available on all platforms. See ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

Note: The Deep Security Agent can be installed and is fully supported on various cloud, virtual, or physical environments, provided the operating system and [kernel](#) are supported.

Deep Security Agent Platform	Deep Security Agent Version							
	12.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.0	9.6	9.0
Windows 2000, Service Pack 3 or 4 (32-bit) (See Note 5)							✓ U17	
Windows XP (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 5)						✓		
Windows Server 2003 SP1 or SP2 (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 5)						✓		
Windows Server 2003 R2 SP2 (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 5)						✓		
Windows 7 (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 5)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows 7 Embedded (32-bit) (See Note 2 and	✓	•						

Deep Security Agent Platform	Deep Security Agent Version							
	12.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.0	9.6	9.0
Note 5)								
Windows Server 2008 (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 3 and Note 5)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows Server 2008 R2 (64-bit) (See Note 3 and Note 5)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows 8 (32- and 64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows 8.1 (32- and 64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows 8.1 Embedded (32-bit) (See Note 2)	✓	•						
Windows 10 (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 1)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows 10 IoT Enterprise 2019 LTSC (32- and 64-bit) (See Note 2)	✓							
Windows 10 IoT Enterprise 2021 LTSC (64-bit) (See Note 2)	✓							
Windows Server 2012 (64-bit) (See Note 3)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows Server 2012 R2 (64-bit) (See Note 3)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows Server 2016 (LTSC, version 1607) (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Windows Server Core (SAC, version 1709) (64-bit) (See Note 1)	✓	•	•	•	✓			
Windows Server 2019 (LTSC, version 1809) (64-bit)	✓	•			✓ U4	✓ U16		
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 (32- and 64-bit)						✓		
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 (32- and 64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 (64-bit)	✓				✓ U12			
Ubuntu 10.04 (64-bit)							✓	

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Deep Security Agent Platform	Deep Security Agent Version							
	12.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.0	9.6	9.0
Ubuntu 12.04 (64-bit)							✓	
Ubuntu 14.04 (64-bit)						✓		
Ubuntu 16.04 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Ubuntu 18.04 (64-bit)	✓	•	•		✓ U2			
Ubuntu 20.04 (64-bit)	✓ U10							
CentOS 5 (32- and 64-bit)						✓		
CentOS 6 (32- and 64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
CentOS 7 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
CentOS 8 (64-bit)	✓ U3							
Debian 6 (64-bit)							✓	
Debian 7 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Debian 8 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓ U1		
Debian 9 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•				
Debian 10 (64-bit)	✓ U1				✓ U14			
Debian 11 (64-bit)	✓ U25							
Amazon Linux (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Amazon Linux 2 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓ U8		
Oracle Linux 5 (32- and 64-bit)						✓		
Oracle Linux 6 (32- and 64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Oracle Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
Oracle Linux 8 (64-bit)	✓ U2				✓ U14			
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 (32- and 64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 (64-bit)	✓				✓			
CloudLinux 5 (32- and 64-bit)							✓	
CloudLinux 6 (32-bit)						✓		
CloudLinux 6 (64-bit)					✓ U6	✓		
CloudLinux 7 (64-bit)	✓	•	•	•	✓	✓		
CloudLinux 8 (64-bit)	✓ U12							
Solaris 10 Updates 4-6 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	✓				✓ U6			
Solaris 10 Updates 7-10 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	✓				✓ U6			
Solaris 10 Update 11 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	✓				✓ U6	✓		

Deep Security Agent Platform	Deep Security Agent Version							
	12.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.0	9.6	9.0
Solaris 11.0 (1111)-11.1 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	✓				✓ U6			
Solaris 11.2-11.3 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	✓				✓ U6	✓		
Solaris 11.4 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	✓				✓ U7			
AIX 6.1 TL 9 (6100-09-00-0000) AIX 7.1 TL 3 (7100-03-00-0000) AIX 7.2 TL 0 (7200-00-00-0000) See Note 4	✓ U5							✓

- Support for these releases is ending soon (see ["Deep Security release strategy and life cycle policy" on page 72](#)). Please upgrade to Deep Security Agent 12.0 as soon as possible.

If platform support was added in an update release, the minimum update version is noted next to the check mark in the table. Example: ✓ U1.

Note 1: Microsoft releases regular, semi-annual releases for Microsoft Windows 10 and Windows Server Core. For details about which specific releases are supported, see [Deep Security Support for Windows 10](#) and [Deep Security Support for Windows Server Core](#).

Note 2: All Trend Micro testing on Windows Embedded platforms is performed in a virtualized environment. Because these operating systems are typically run on custom hardware (for example, on point-of-sale terminals), customers must plan to thoroughly test on their target hardware platform prior to deployment in a production environment. In addition, before raising support cases, customers should attempt to reproduce problems in a virtualized environment because this is the environment the Trend Micro support team has available. If the issue is specific to deployments on custom hardware, Trend Micro may require the customer to provide us with remote access to a suitable environment before we can fully respond to support cases. Note that Windows 10 IoT was formerly named Windows 10 Embedded, and is therefore included in the list of Windows Embedded platforms.

Note 3: Deep Security Agent is supported with both Full/Desktop Experience and Server Core installations of Windows Server 2012 and later. For Windows Server 2008 and 2008 R2, only Full installations are supported.

Note 4: The following AIX configurations are supported:

- AIX LPARs running on the PowerVM Hypervisor on Power Servers.
- AIX running as the bare metal OS on Power Servers.

Deep Security Agent 12.0 for AIX is supported on both Power8 and Power9 processor-based systems.

Note 5: Microsoft has changed their signing policy to use only SHA-2. For information on compatibility and required Microsoft security updates, see:

- [Updated guidance for use of Trend Micro Deep Security to protect Windows 2003, Windows XP, and Windows 2000 based systems](#)
- [New versions of Trend Micro Deep Security agents for Windows will only be signed with SHA-2 \(also available in Japanese\)](#)

Also, **Windows XP** is supported only with Deep Security Agent 10.0 Update 25 or earlier and it will not be supported with future updates. **Windows 2003** is supported with Deep Security Agent 10.0 Update 25 or earlier. It is not supported with Updates 26, 27, and 28, but support will be reintroduced in Deep Security Agent 10.0 Update 29. For more information, see [Deep Security Agent version 10 update 26 cannot be used for installation or upgrade on Windows XP/2003](#).

Docker support

You can use Deep Security 10.0 or later to protect Docker hosts and containers running on Linux distributions. Windows is not supported.

With each Deep Security long-term support (LTS) release, Deep Security supports all Docker Enterprise Edition (EE) versions that have not reached end-of-life. (See [Announcing Docker Enterprise Edition](#).) We do not officially support Docker Edge releases, but strive to test against Docker Edge releases to the best of our ability.

Support for new stable Docker releases is introduced with each release of Deep Security. We recommend that you refrain from upgrading to the latest stable release of Docker until Trend Micro documents the support statements for the latest Deep Security release.

Deep Security Agent version	Docker		Docker CE						Docker EE					
	v1.12	v1.13	17.03	17.09	17.12	18.03	18.06	18.09	17.06	18.03	18.06	18.09	19.03	20.10
10.0	✓	✓												
11.0			✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
11.1					✓	✓			✓	✓				
11.2						✓	✓		✓	✓				
11.3							✓	✓	✓	✓				
12.0							✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: Deep Security support for Docker releases includes any sub-versions of those releases. For example, Deep Security 11.0 supports Docker 17.09-ce including its sub-versions: 17.09.0-ce and 17.09.1-ce.

Before deploying Deep Security into your target environment, you should ensure that Docker supports your target environment and platform configuration.

Systemd support

Some versions of the Deep Security Agent for Linux support [systemd](#). See the table below for details.

Deep Security Agent Platform	Deep Security Agent Version				
	12 LTS	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0
Amazon Linux (64-bit)					
Amazon Linux 2 (64-bit)					
CloudLinux 6 (64-bit)					

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CloudLinux 7 (64-bit)					
CloudLinux 8 (64-bit)	✓ U12				
Debian 8 (64-bit)					
Debian 9 (64-bit)					
Debian 10 (64-bit)	✓ U1				✓ U14
Oracle Linux 6 (32- and 64-bit)					
Oracle Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓ U1				✓ U13
Oracle Linux 8 (64-bit)	✓ U2				✓ U14
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 (32- and 64-bit)					
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓ U1				✓ U13
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 (64-bit)	✓				✓ U12
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 (32- and 64-bit)					
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 12 (64-bit)					
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 (64-bit)	✓				✓ U13
Ubuntu 16.04 (64-bit)					
Ubuntu 18.04 (64-bit)					
Ubuntu 20.04 (64-bit)	✓ U10				

If systemd support was added in an update release, the minimum update version is noted next to the check mark in the table. Example: ✓ U1.

Secure Boot support

Some versions of the Deep Security Agent support the Secure Boot feature. See the table below for details. For details on configuring the agent for Secure Boot, see ["Linux Secure Boot support for agents" on page 299](#).

Note: Secure Boot is not available for AWS instances and Azure VMs.

Note: If you are protecting VMware virtual machines, Secure Boot is available for VMware vSphere 6.5 or newer.

Deep Security Agent Version		
Deep Security Agent Platform	12 LTS	11 LTS
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓	✓
CentOS 7 (64-bit)	✓	✓

Supported features by platform

The tables below list the features available for each OS platform of **Deep Security Agent 12.0** and the **Deep Security Virtual Appliance**:

- ["Microsoft Windows \(12.0 agent\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Red Hat Enterprise Linux \(12.0 agent\)" on page 184](#)
- ["CentOS Linux \(12.0 agent\)" on page 185](#)
- ["Oracle Linux \(12.0 agent\)" on page 187](#)
- ["SUSE Linux \(12.0 agent\)" on page 188](#)
- ["Ubuntu Linux \(12.0 agent\) " on page 190](#)
- ["Debian Linux \(12.0 agent\) " on page 191](#)
- ["CloudLinux \(12.0 agent\)" on page 192](#)
- ["Amazon Linux \(12.0 agent\)" on page 193](#)
- ["Solaris \(12.0 agent\)" on page 193](#)
- ["AIX \(12.0 agent\)" on page 194](#)

Note:

Older agents are compatible with other platforms (although they don't support new features). See their ["Deep Security Agent platforms" on page 169](#), [Deep Security Agent release notes](#), and supported features lists:

- Deep Security Agent 10.0 (and newer) supported features: In the drop-down menu above, select that version of Deep Security. [Deep Security Agent 10.0 \(and newer\) supported features](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 9.6 Service Pack 1 supported features](#)

Microsoft Windows (12.0 agent)

Note: Deep Security Agent is supported with both Full/Desktop Experience and Server Core installations of Windows Server 2012 and later (any exceptions for particular features are noted in the table below). For Windows Server 2008 and 2008 R2, only Full installations are supported.

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports					
Windows 7 (32-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Windows 7 (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Windows 7 Embedded (32-bit) (3)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Windows 8 (32-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports					
Windows 8 (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Windows 8.1 (32-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Windows 8.1 (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Windows 8.1 Embedded (32-bit) (3)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Windows 10 (32-bit) (2)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Windows 10 (64-bit) (2)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports					
Windows 10 IoT Enterprise 2019 LTSC (32- and 64-bit) (3)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Windows 10 IoT Enterprise 2021 LTSC (64-bit) (3)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
Windows Server 2008 (32-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
Windows Server 2008	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand								
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports					
(64-bit)																				
Windows Server 2008 R2 (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (1)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Windows Server 2012 (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1) (5)	✓ (1) (5)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (5)	✓	✓	✓
Windows Server 2012 R2 (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (1)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Windows Server 2016 (LTSC,	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (1)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Services, Processes, Listening Ports					
version 1607) (64-bit)																				
Windows Server Core (SAC, version 1709) (64-bit)) (2)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (1)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Windows Server 2019 (LTSC, version 1809) (64-bit)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)	✓ (1)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: FIPS mode for Windows Desktop platforms may work, but is not supported.

Red Hat Enterprise Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports				
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 (32-bit)	✓ (4)				✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports				
(64-bit)																			

CentOS Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports				
CentOS 6 (32-bit)	✓ (4)				✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand								
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
CentOS 6 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
CentOS 7 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
CentOS 8 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

Oracle Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System		Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
Oracle Linux 6 (32-bit)					✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓		
Oracle Linux 6 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Oracle Linux 7 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Oracle Linux 8 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

SUSE Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports				
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP1, SP2, SP3 (32-bit)	✓ (4)				✓		✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP1, SP2, SP3, SP4 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	
SUSE Linux	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand						
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports				
Enterprise Server 12 SP1, SP2, SP3, SP4, SP5 (64-bit)																			
SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 15 SP1, SP2, SP3 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	

Ubuntu Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System		Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand							
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
Ubuntu 16.04 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Ubuntu 18.04 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		
Ubuntu 20.04 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓		

Debian Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand					Real-time			On-demand						
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports				
Debian 7 (64-bit)					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓
Debian 8 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
Debian 9 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
Debian 10 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	
Debian 11 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	

CloudLinux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand								
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
CloudLinux 7 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
CloudLinux 8 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

Amazon Linux (12.0 agent)

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring							Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand								
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
Amazon Linux (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Amazon Linux 2 (64-bit)	✓ (4)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓ (1)		✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	

Solaris (12.0 agent)

Note: See "How does agent protection work for Solaris zones?" on page 1207 for more on how protection works between Solaris zones.

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	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	Scanner	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand								
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
Solaris					✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓		

AIX (12.0 agent)

Note: For a list of supported AIX versions, see "Deep Security Agent platforms" on page 169.

	Anti-Malware					Web Reputation Service	Firewall	Intrusion Prevention System	Integrity Monitoring						Log Inspection	Application Control	Recommendation Scan	Relay	Scanner	FIPS mode
	Real-time				On-demand				Real-time			On-demand								
	Feature set 1	Process memory scan, Registry scan	Behavior monitoring	Predictive Machine Learning	Feature set 1			Unencrypted Traffic	SSL Encrypted Traffic	File Scans	Directory Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports	File and Directory Scans	Registry Scans	Scans of Running Processes, Listening Ports					
AIX							✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓		✓		

Feature set 1 includes signature-based file scanning, spyware scanning, and document exploit protection.

- (1) This platform supports enhanced real-time integrity monitoring. It uses the application control driver to provide file monitoring and captures information about *who* made changes to a monitored file.
- (2) Microsoft releases regular, semi-annual releases for Microsoft Windows 10 and Windows Server Core. For details about which specific releases are supported, see [Deep Security Support for Windows 10](#) and [Deep Security Support for Windows Server Core](#).
- (3) All Trend Micro testing on Windows Embedded platforms is performed in a virtualized environment. Because these operating systems are typically run on custom hardware (for example, on point-of-sale terminals), customers must plan to thoroughly test on their target hardware platform prior to deployment in a production environment. In addition, before raising support cases, customers should attempt to reproduce problems in a virtualized environment because this is the environment the Trend Micro support team has available. If the issue is specific to deployments on custom hardware, Trend Micro may require the customer to provide us with remote access to a suitable environment before we can fully respond to support cases. Note that Windows 10 IoT was formerly named Windows 10 Embedded, and is therefore included in the list of Windows Embedded platforms.
- (4) **Real-time Anti-Malware support on Linux:** Real-time Anti-Malware scanning is highly dependent on the file system hooking implementation, so file system incompatibility can cause issues with this feature. The following table shows which file systems are compatible with the feature:

File system type		Deep Security Agent version									
		12.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.6
Disk file systems	ext2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	ext3	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	ext4	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	XFS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Btrfs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	VFAT	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Optical discs	ISO 9660	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Special file systems	tmpfs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	aufs	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
	OverlayFS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

File system type		Deep Security Agent version									
		12.0	11.3	11.2	11.1	11.0	10.3	10.2	10.1	10.0	9.6
Network file systems (see Note, below)	NFSv3	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	NFSv4	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	SMB	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	CIFS	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	FTP	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: To protect network file systems, you must select **Enable network directory scan** in the malware scan configuration. For information, see ["Scan a network directory \(real-time scan only\)" on page 581](#).

(5) This feature is available only with Full/Desktop Experience installations. It is not supported with Server Core installations.

Deep Security Agent Linux kernel support

- [Deep Security Agent 12.0 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 11.3 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 11.2 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 11.1 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 11.0 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 10.3 Linux kernel support](#)

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- [Deep Security Agent 10.2 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 10.1 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 10.0 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 9.6 SP1 Linux kernel support](#)
- [Deep Security Agent 9.5 SP1 Linux kernel support](#)

You can also use a [JSON version](#) of the complete list of the supported Linux kernels for Deep Security Agent 10.0 and higher with scripts and automated workflows.

System requirements

Each part of a Deep Security deployment has its own system requirements.

- ["Deep Security Manager requirements" below](#)
- ["Deep Security Agent requirements" on page 201](#)

Requirements vary by version. For older versions of Deep Security Manager, agents, or relays, see their documentation.

Note: If you plan to operate Deep Security in FIPS mode, see ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#) for additional requirements.

Deep Security Manager requirements

For a list of agent versions that are compatible with this version of the manager, see ["Deep Security Agent platforms" on page 169](#).

Tip: If you'd prefer, you can watch [Deep Security 12 - DSM System Requirements and Sizing](#) on YouTube.

System component	Requirements
Minimum memory (RAM)	Minimum RAM requirements depend on the number of agents that are being managed. See "Deep Security Manager sizing" on page 202. Note: On Linux, reserved system memory is separate from process memory. Therefore, although the installer's estimate might be similar, it will detect less RAM than the computer actually has. To verify the computer's actual total RAM, log in with a superuser account and enter: <pre>grep MemTotal /proc/meminfo</pre>
Minimum disk space	1.5 GB (200 GB recommended)
Operating system	• Red Hat Enterprise Linux 8 (64-bit) • Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 (64-bit) • Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 (64-bit) • Windows Server 2019 (64-bit) • Windows Server 2016 (64-bit) • Windows Server 2012 or 2012 R2 (64-bit) Note: Windows operating systems running in a Server Core configuration are not currently supported. Note: If you are upgrading your Deep Security Manager and are using Windows Server 2008, we recommend that you add a new Deep Security Manager node on a supported operating system (see "Run Deep Security Manager on multiple nodes" on page 242). When that's complete, decommission the node running on Windows Server 2008.
Database	• PostgreSQL 10.x (only Core, Amazon RDS, or Amazon Aurora distributions) • PostgreSQL 9.6.x (only Core, Amazon RDS, or Amazon Aurora distributions)

System component	Requirements
	• Microsoft SQL Server 2017 • Microsoft SQL Server 2016 • Microsoft SQL Server 2014 • Microsoft SQL Server 2012 • Microsoft SQL RDS • Azure SQL Database (SaaS) multi-tenancy is not supported • Oracle 11g, 12c, 18c, 19c, all supported when deployed as software or when used with Amazon RDS See also "Sizing" on the next page. Note: • Deep Security Manager support for PostgreSQL includes any minor versions of compatible PostgreSQL releases. • If you are upgrading your Deep Security Manager and are using Microsoft SQL Server 2008, we recommend that you upgrade your database to a supported version before you upgrade your Deep Security Manager. • Microsoft SQL Server Express is only supported in very limited deployments. See "Microsoft SQL Server Express considerations" on page 231. • Microsoft SQL Server service packs for these versions are also supported. • Microsoft SQL Server is only supported when database containment is set to NONE. For details, see this Microsoft webpage on contained databases. • Oracle Database Express (XE) is not supported. • Oracle container database (CDB) configuration is not supported with Deep Security Manager multi-tenancy.
Web browser	Cookies must be enabled.

System component	Requirements
	We recommend using the latest version of these browsers: • Firefox • Microsoft Edge • Google Chrome • Apple Safari on a Mac

Deep Security Agent requirements

Tip: If you'd prefer, you can watch [Deep Security 12 - Agent System Requirements and Sizing](#) on YouTube.

- Minimum RAM and disk space: See "[Deep Security Agent and Relay sizing](#)" on page 204
- Supported platforms (operating systems): See "[Deep Security Agent platforms](#)" on page 169.
- Supported features: [Supported Deep Security features vary by platform](#).

Note: The agent installer permits installation on any supported operating system. RAM and disk space requirements are not checked.

Note: On supported versions of Microsoft Windows, Powershell 4.0 or newer is required to run the agent deployment script.

Sizing

Sizing guidelines for Deep Security deployments vary by the scale of your network, hardware, and software. See also "[Sizing for Azure Marketplace](#)" on page 205.

Deep Security Manager sizing

Sizing recommendations for Deep Security Manager vary by how many agents it will have.

Tip: If you'd prefer, you can watch [Deep Security 12 - DSM System Requirements and Sizing](#) on YouTube.

For best performance, it's important to allocate enough Java Virtual Machine (JVM) memory to the Deep Security Manager process. See [Configure Deep Security Manager memory usage](#).

Recommendation scans are CPU-intensive for the Deep Security Manager. Consider the performance impact when determining how often to run recommendation scans. See ["Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439](#).

Resource spikes may occur if a large number of virtual machines are rebooted simultaneously and agents re-establish their connection with Deep Security Manager at the same time.

Multiple server nodes

For better availability and scalability, use a load balancer, and install the same version of Deep Security Manager on 2 servers ("nodes"). Connect them to the same database.

Tip: To avoid high load on database servers, don't connect more than two Deep Security Manager nodes to each database server.

Each manager node is capable of all tasks. No node is more important than any of the others. You can log in to any node, and agents, appliances, and relays can connect with any node. If one node fails, other nodes can still provide service, and no data will be lost.

Database sizing

Database CPU, memory, and disk space required varies by:

Minimum disk space = (2 x Deep Security data size) + transaction log

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For example, if your database plus transaction log is 40 GB, you must have 80 GB (40 x 2) of free disk space during database schema upgrades.

To free disk space, delete any unnecessary agent packages for unused platforms (see ["Delete a software package from the Deep Security database" on page 253](#)), transaction logs, and unnecessary event records.

Event retention is configurable. For security events, retention is configured in the policy, individual computer settings, or both. See ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434](#) and ["Log and event storage best practices" on page 882](#).

To minimize disk usage due to events:

- Store events remotely, not locally. If you need to keep events longer (such as for compliance), forward them to a SIEM or Syslog server and then use pruning to delete the local copy. (See ["Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server" on page 897](#).)

Note: Some Application Control and Integrity Monitoring operations (Rebuild Baseline, Scan for Integrity Changes, and Scan for Inventory Changes) retain all records locally, and are never pruned or forwarded.

- Patch the protected computer's software *before* you enable Intrusion Prevention. Recommendation scans assign more IPS rules to protect a vulnerable OS. More security events increase local or remote disk usage.
- Disable unnecessary security features that log frequently, such as stateful Firewall for TCP, UDP, and ICMP.

High-traffic computers that use Deep Security Firewall or Intrusion Prevention features might record more events per second, requiring a database with better performance. You might also need to adjust local event retention.

Tip: If you anticipate many Firewall events, consider disabling "Out of allowed policy" events. (See ["Firewall settings" on page 685](#).)

Database disk space estimates

The table below estimates database disk space with default event retention settings. If the total disk space for the protection modules you enable is more than the "2 or more modules" value, use the smaller estimate. For example, you could deploy 750 agents with Deep Security Anti-Malware, Intrusion Prevention System and Integrity Monitoring.

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The total of the individual recommendations is 320 GB (20 + 100 + 200) but the "2 or more modules" recommendation is less (300 GB). Therefore, you would estimate 300 GB.

Database disk space also increases with the number of separate Deep Security Agent platforms. For example, if you have 30 agents (maximum 5 versions per agent platform), this increases the database size by approximately 5 GB.

Deep Security Agent and Relay sizing

Tip: If you'd prefer, you can watch [Deep Security 12 - Agent System Requirements and Sizing](#) on YouTube.

Platform	Features enabled	Minimum RAM	Recommended RAM	Minimum disk space
Windows	All protection	2 GB	4 GB	1 GB
Windows	Relay only	2 GB	4 GB	30 GB
Linux	All protection	1 GB	5 GB	1 GB
Linux	Relay only	2 GB	4 GB	30 GB
Solaris	All protection. Relay not supported	4 GB	4 GB	2 GB
AIX	All protection. Relay not supported	4 GB	4 GB	2 GB

Less RAM is required for some OS versions, or if you do not enable all Deep Security features.

If protected computers use VMware vMotion, add 10 GB of disk space to the Deep Security Relay that the agent is connected to, for a total recommendation of 40 GB.

Relays require more disk space if you install Deep Security Agent on many different platforms. (Relays store update packages for each platform.) For details, see ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#).

Sizing for Azure Marketplace

Sizing guidelines for Deep Security in Azure Marketplace depend on the type of environment and other factors such as network, hardware, and software.

The recommendations have been classified into **Small** (1-10 000), **Medium** (10 000-20 000) and **Large** (20 000+) deployments.

Deep Security Manager

Number of agents	Instance type	Number of Deep Security Manager nodes
1 - 10 000	Standard D2 v2	1 - 2
10 000 - 20 000	Standard D3 v2	2
20 000 +	Standard D12 v2	3

Database

The default Azure SQL database is Standard S3 with a storage size of 20 GB, but if you have more than 10 000 agents, to improve performance, we recommend that you change the database scale to Premium P1 with the following recommended sizes:

Number of agents	Hard drive size
1 - 10 000	10 - 20 GB
10 000 - 20 000	20 - 30 GB
20 000 +	30 - 40 GB

The table above helps determine the initial database size to set for the Deep Security Database. These estimates are based on these assumptions:

- Log inspection and web reputation service (WRS) are not enabled.
- Intrusion prevention (IPS) is enabled efficiently with very few false positive events.
- Anti-malware (AM) events are insignificant in terms of size and are not part of the calculation. Anti-malware only logs events occasionally, unless there is an outbreak occurring.
- Log retention period is 30 days.
- Firewall events are around 50 per day.

Note: You can also [change the service tier and the pricing tier of a SQL database](#).

Notes

1. Other factors, such as the modules in use, items such as the number of security updates held, the number of policies will affect database size. In general, centrally collected firewall and intrusion prevention event logs form the bulk of the database volume. Event retention (**Administration > System Settings > Storage**) is relevant to maintain a reasonably sized database. Make sure to review these settings as this will help determine how much space is needed.
2. For environments in which a significant number of firewall events are anticipated, consider disabling "Out of allowed policy" events. This can be configured for each agent or applied to at the Base policy level. (Open the **Computer** or **Policy** details page and go to **Firewall > Advanced**).
3. Environments with large retention requirements should consider SIEM or Syslog server for log storage. When logs are stored in SIEM or Syslog, less storage is required in the Deep Security database (see "[Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server](#)" on page 897).
4. Imported Deep Security software in the Deep Security Manager can affect database size. Always review the number of software versions you plan to keep in the database and remove unnecessary versions.

Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Scoping Environment Pt2 - Network Communication](#) on YouTube to review the network communication related to the different Deep Security components.

Deep Security default port numbers, URLs, IP addresses, and protocols are listed in the sections below. If a port, URL or IP address is configurable, a link is provided to the relevant configuration page.

- ["Deep Security port numbers" below](#)
- ["Deep Security URLs" on page 212](#)

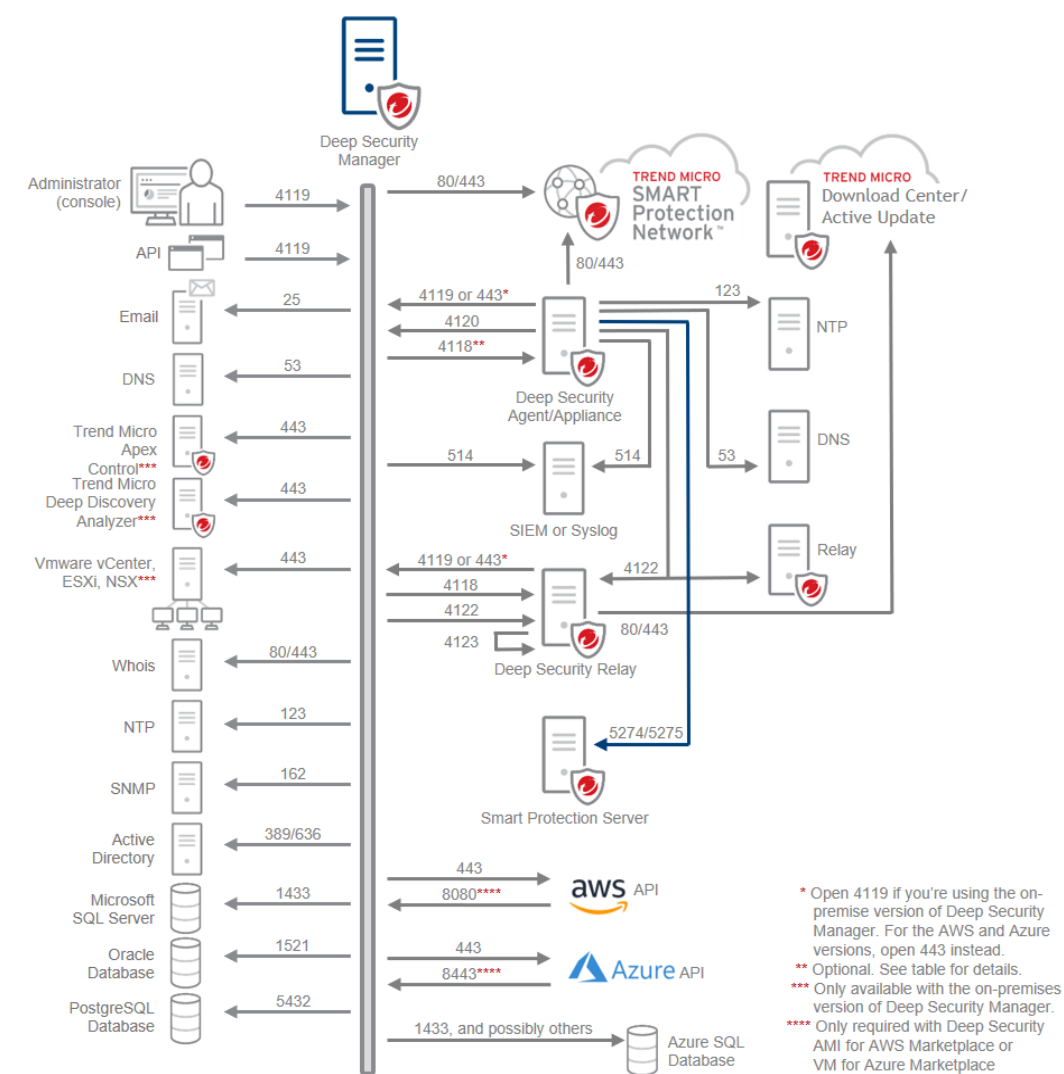
Note: If your network uses a proxy or load balancer, you can configure Deep Security to use it instead of the default ports and URLs listed on this page. For details, see ["Proxy settings" on page 294](#) and ["Load Balancers" on page 1157](#).

Note: In addition to the ports on this page, Deep Security uses [ephemeral ports](#) when opening a socket (source port). Under rare circumstances these may be blocked, causing connectivity issues. For details, see ["Blocked port" on page 1079](#).

Deep Security port numbers

The following diagram shows the default ports in a Deep Security system. For details, see the table below the diagram.

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Port type	Default port number
Manager listen ports	• 443/HTTPS Deep Security VM for Azure Marketplace listen • 4119/HTTPS (Deep Security Manager GUI and API listen port. Also used for shared and global Application Control rulesets, unless your rulesets are downloaded from a relay.) • 4120/HTTPS (Deep Security Manager heartbeat and activation) • 8443/HTTPS (Azure web installer port)
Manager destination ports	• 25/SMTP* (email server port) • 53/DNS (DNS server port) • 443/HTTPS (these ports are used by various Deep Security cloud services, Smart Protection Network services, AWS API, and Azure API) • 123/NTP* (NTP server port; the NTP server can be Trend Micro Apex Central) • 162/SNMP* (SNMP manager port) • 389/LDAP, 636/LDAPS* (Active Directory) • 514/Syslog* (SIEM or syslog server port) • 1433/SQL (Microsoft SQL database, Azure SQL Database port) • 1521/SQL ("Oracle Database" on page 225 port) • 5432/SQL (PostgreSQL database port) • 4118/HTTPS* (Deep Security Agent port) • 4122/HTTPS (Deep Security Relay port) • 11000-11999/SQL, 14000-14999/SQL* (Azure SQL Database ports) • 80/HTTP, 443/HTTPS (Whois server)

Port type	Default port number
	* Notes: • Allow port 25 if you want email notifications. 25 is configurable in the manager. • 80 and 443 are configurable depending on the service being accessed. To configure the Whois port, click here. • Allow port 123 if you want to synchronize the manager with an NTP server. • Allow port 162 if you want to "Forward system events to a remote computer via SNMP" on page 999. • Allow port 389 and 636 if you want to add computers from Active Directory to the manager. 389 and 636 are configurable in the manager if your Active Directory server uses a different port. • Allow port 514 if you want to forward Deep Security events to an external SIEM or syslog server. 514 is configurable in the manager. • Allow port 4118 if you are using bidirectional or manager-initiated communication. (By default, bidirectional communication is used.) See "Agent-manager communication" on page 273 for details. • Allow ports 11000-11999 and 14000-14999—in addition to 1433—if you are using Azure SQL Database and your manager runs <i>within</i> the Azure cloud boundary (which will be the case if you are using Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace). If your manager runs <i>outside</i> the Azure cloud boundary, you only need to allow port 1433 to Azure SQL Database. For more information on Azure SQL Database ports, this Azure document.
Deep Security Agent listen port	• 4118/HTTPS (Agent listen port for heartbeats and activations) Note: 4118 can be closed if you are using agent-initiated communication. By default, bidirectional communication is used, so 4118 must be opened. See "Agent-manager communication" on page 273 for details.
Deep Security Agent destination ports	• 53/DNS (DNS server port) • 443/HTTPS (Smart Protection Network port, Smart Protection Server for File Reputation, Deep Security Manager port)

Port type	Default port number
	• 123/NTP* (NTP server port) • 514/syslog* (SIEM or syslog server port) • 4120/HTTPS* (Deep Security Manager heartbeat and activation port) • 4122/HTTPS(Deep Security Relay port) • 5274/HTTP, 5275/HTTPS* (Smart Protection Server ports for Web Reputation) Note: When using the AWS AMI and Azure VM versions of the manager, open port 443 instead of port 4119. * Notes: • Ports 5274 and 5275 are only required for Web Reputation, not Firewall. • Allow port 123 if you want to synchronize the agent with an NTP server. • Allow port 514 if you want the agent to send its security events directly to your SIEM or syslog server. The port number is configurable in the manager • Allow port 4120 if you are using bidirectional or agent-initiated communication. (By default, bidirectional communication is used.) See "Agent-manager communication" on page 273. • Allow ports 5274 and 5275 if you are hosting a Smart Protection Server in your local network or Virtual Private Network (VPC), instead of having your agents connect to the cloud-based Smart Protection Network over 443/HTTPS. For details, see the Smart Protection Server documentation, or Deploy a Smart Protection Server in AWS.
Deep Security Relay listen ports	• Allow all the agent listening ports, since they apply to the relay too • 4122/HTTPS (relay port) • 4123 (port for communication between the agent and its own internal relay)

Port type	Default port number
	Note: Port 4123 should not be listening to connections from other computers, and you don't need to configure it in network firewall policies. But if you have firewall software (such as Windows Firewall or iptables) on the manager's server itself, verify that it does not block this connection to itself. Also verify that other applications do not use the same port (a port conflict).
Deep Security Relay destination ports	• Allow all the agent destination ports, since they apply to the relay too • 443/HTTPS (Trend Micro Update Server/Active Update and Download Center ports) • 4119/HTTPS – Deep Security Manager GUI and API port • 4122 (port of other relays) Note: When using the AWS AMI and Azure VM versions of the manager, open port 443 instead of port 4119.

Deep Security URLs

If you need to restrict the URLs that are allowed in your environment, read this section.

You'll need to make sure your firewall allows traffic to the following: Trend Micro, Deep Security, AWS, and Azure server URLs on port 443 (HTTPS).

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
API clients	Deep Security APIs	• <manager FQDN or IP>:443/webservice/Manager?WSDL • <manager FQDN or IP>:443/api • <manager FQDN or IP>:443/rest

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
Legacy REST API clients	Deep Security legacy REST API's Status Monitoring API	• <manager FQDN or IP>:443/rest/status/manager/ping
The manager, agent, and relay	Download Center or web server Hosts software.	• files.trendmicro.com
The manager	Smart Protection Network - Certified Safe Software Service (CSSS) Used for event tagging with Integrity Monitoring .	• gacl.trendmicro.com • grid-global.trendmicro.com • grid.trendmicro.com
The agent	 Smart Protection Network - Global Census Service Used for behavior monitoring , and predictive machine learning .	 12.0 and later agents connect to: • ds1200-en-census.trendmicro.com • ds1200-jp-census.trendmicro.com 11.0 and later agents connect to: • ds1100-en-census.trendmicro.com • ds1100-jp-census.trendmicro.com 10.2 and 10.3 agents connects to: • ds1020-en-census.trendmicro.com • ds1020-jp-census.trendmicro.com • ds1020-sc-census.trendmicro.com

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
		10.1 and 10.0 agents connect to: - ds1000-en.census.trendmicro.com - ds1000-jp.census.trendmicro.com - ds1000-sc.census.trendmicro.com - ds1000-tc.census.trendmicro.com
The agent	Smart Protection Network - Good File Reputation Service Used for behavior monitoring , predictive machine learning , and process memory scans .	12.0 and later agents connect to: - deepsec12-en.gfrbridge.trendmicro.com - deepsec12-jp.gfrbridge.trendmicro.com 11.0 and later agents connect to: - deepsec11-en.gfrbridge.trendmicro.com - deepsec11-jp.gfrbridge.trendmicro.com 10.2 and 10.3 agents connect to: - deepsec102-en.gfrbridge.trendmicro.com - deepsec102-jp.gfrbridge.trendmicro.com 10.1 and 10.0 agents connect to: - deepsec10-en.grid-gfr.trendmicro.com - deepsec10-jp.grid-gfr.trendmicro.com - deepsec10-cn.grid-gfr.trendmicro.com

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
The agent	Smart Protection Network - Smart Feedback	12.0 and later agents connect to: - ds120-en.fbs25.trendmicro.com - ds120-jp.fbs25.trendmicro.com 11.0 and later agents connect to: - deepsecurity1100-en.fbs25.trendmicro.com - deepsecurity1100-jp.fbs25.trendmicro.com 10.0 agents connect to: - deepsecurity1000-en.fbs20.trendmicro.com - deepsecurity1000-jp.fbs20.trendmicro.com - deepsecurity1000-sc.fbs20.trendmicro.com
The agent	Smart Protection Network - Smart Scan Service	12.0 and later agents connect to: - ds120.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds120-jp.icrc.trendmicro.com 11.0 and later agents connect to: - ds110.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds110-jp.icrc.trendmicro.com 10.2 and 10.3 agents connect to:

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
		- ds102.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds102-jp.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds102-sc.icrc.trendmicro.com.cn 10.1 and 10.0 agents connect to: - ds10.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds10.icrc.trendmicro.com/tmcss/ - ds10-jp.icrc.trendmicro.com/tmcss/ - ds10-sc.icrc.trendmicro.com.cn/tmcss/ 9.6 and 9.5 agents connect to: - iaufdbk.trendmicro.com - ds96.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds96-jp.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds96-sc.icrc.trendmicro.com.cn - ds95.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds95-jp.icrc.trendmicro.com - ds95-sc.icrc.trendmicro.com.cn
The agent	Smart Protection Network - predictive machine learning	12.0 and later agents connect to: - ds120-en-b.trx.trendmicro.com - ds120-jp-b.trx.trendmicro.com

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
		• ds120-en-f.trx.trendmicro.com • ds120-jp-f.trx.trendmicro.com 11.0 and later agents connect to: • ds110-en-b.trx.trendmicro.com • ds110-jp-b.trx.trendmicro.com • ds110-en-f.trx.trendmicro.com • ds110-jp-f.trx.trendmicro.com 10.2 and 10.3 agents connect to: • ds102-en-f.trx.trendmicro.com • ds102-jp-f.trx.trendmicro.com • ds102-sc-f.trx.trendmicro.com
The agent	Smart Protection Network - Web Reputation Service	12.0 and later agents connect to: • ds12-0-en.url.trendmicro.com • ds12-0-jp.url.trendmicro.com 11.0 and later agents connect to: • ds11-0-en.url.trendmicro.com • ds11-0-jp.url.trendmicro.com 10.2 and 10.3 agents connect to:

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
		• ds10-2-en.url.trendmicro.com • ds10-2-sc.url.trendmicro.com.cn • ds10-2-jp.url.trendmicro.com 10.1 and 10.0 agents connect to: • ds100-en.url.trendmicro.com • ds100-sc.url.trendmicro.com • ds100-jp.url.trendmicro.com 9.6 and 9.5 agents connect to: • ds96-en.url.trendmicro.com • ds96-jp.url.trendmicro.com • ds95-en.url.trendmicro.com • ds95-jp.url.trendmicro.com
The manager	Help and support	• help.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com • success.trendmicro.com/product-support/deep-security
The manager	Licensing and registration servers	• licenseupdate.trendmicro.com • clp.trendmicro.com • olr.trendmicro.com

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
The manager	News feed	- news.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com - news.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/news.atom - news.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/news_ja.atom
Browser on agent computers and the computer used to log in to the manager	Site Safety	Optional. There are links to the URLs below within the manager UI and on the agent's 'Your administrator has blocked access to this page for your safety' page. - sitesafety.trendmicro.com - jp.sitesafety.trendmicro.com
The relay, and agent	Update Server (also called Active Update) Hosts security updates.	- iaus.activeupdate.trendmicro.com - iaus.trendmicro.com - ipv6-iaus.trendmicro.com - ipv6-iaus.activeupdate.trendmicro.com
The manager	AWS and Azure URLs Used for adding AWS accounts and Azure accounts to Deep Security Manager.	AWS URLs - URLs of AWS endpoints listed on this AWS page, under these headings: - Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (Amazon EC2) - AWS Security Token Service (AWS STS) - AWS Identity and Access Management (IAM) - Amazon WorkSpaces Azure URLs

Source	Destination server or service name	Destination URL
		- login.windows.net (authentication) - management.azure.com (Azure API) - management.core.windows.net (Azure API) Note: The management.core.windows.net URL is only required if you used the v1 Azure connector available in Deep Security Manager 9.6 to add an Azure account to the manager. With Deep Security Manager 10.0 and later, a v2 connector is used, and does not require access to this URL.
The manager	Telemetry service Used for anonymous "Deep Security Product Usage Data Collection" on page 71.	telemetry.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com

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Get Started

Buy Deep Security Manager from the Azure Marketplace

To buy Deep Security Manager from the Azure Marketplace, you first need to obtain a license for Deep Security. For help with obtaining one, contact azure@trendmicro.com.

Once you have a license, see "[Deploy the Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace](#)" on [page 239](#) for instructions on how to purchase and install the Deep Security Manager VM, and deploy Deep Security Agents to your Azure virtual machines.

Prepare a database

Prepare a database for Deep Security Manager

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Database Considerations](#) on YouTube to review the database requirements, configuration, and authentication setup.

Before you install Deep Security Manager, you must prepare a database for Deep Security Manager to use. Refer to your database provider's documentation for instructions on database installation and deployment, but also consider the following for integration with Deep Security:

1. Check the "[Hardware requirements](#)" on the next page.
2. Choose your database type. For a list of supported databases, see [Database](#).

Depending on which database you choose, see "[Microsoft SQL Server](#)" on [page 224](#), "[Oracle Database](#)" on [page 225](#), or "[PostgreSQL recommendations](#)" on [page 226](#).

Note: Microsoft SQL Server Express is supported only in limited deployments. For details, see "[Microsoft SQL Server Express considerations](#)" on [page 231](#).

3. Synchronize both time and time zone. Use the same time source on both the database and Deep Security Manager servers.
4. Allow network connections between Deep Security Manager and the database. See ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#).

During installation, enter the database connection and authentication credentials for the database that you have prepared.

After installation, see ["Database maintenance" on page 225](#).

Hardware requirements

Dedicated server

The database should be installed on a dedicated server that is separate from the manager nodes. It is also important that the database and the Deep Security Manager be co-located on the same network with a 1 GB LAN connection to ensure unhindered communication between the two. (WAN connections are not recommended.) The same applies to additional Deep Security Manager nodes. 2 ms latency or less is recommended for the connection from the manager to the database.

To achieve this if you install the manager and database on VMs, make sure they are always run in the same ESXi host.

1. In the vCenter Web Client, go to **Host and Clusters** and select the cluster.
2. Go to the **Manage** tab and click **VM/Host Rules > Add**.
3. Type a name for the rule.
4. Select **Enable rule**.
5. From **Type** select **Keep Virtual Machines Together**.
6. Click **Add** and select the manager and database VMs.

Database load balancing, mirroring, and high availability (HA) is recommended for scalability and service uptime. See documentation for vendors such as [Amazon Aurora](#), [PostgreSQL](#), and [Microsoft SQL Server](#).

Warning: Use database mirroring with HA, not database replication. Failover must not change the database schema. Some types of replication add columns to database tables during replication, which changes the schema and causes critical database failures.

For databases hosted in the cloud, multiple availability zones ("multi-AZ") can increase network latency, and are not recommended.

Hardware recommendations

Many Deep Security Manager operations (such as updates and recommendation scans) require high CPU and memory resources. Trend Micro recommends that each manager node has four cores and sufficient RAM in high scale environments.

The database should be installed on hardware that is equal to or better than the specifications of the best Deep Security Manager node. For the best performance, the database should have 8-16 GB of RAM and fast access to the local or network attached storage. Whenever possible, a database administrator should be consulted on the best configuration of the database server and a maintenance plan should be put in effect.

Microsoft SQL Server

General requirements

- You must create an empty database that will be used by Deep Security.
- Enable "Remote TCP Connections"(see [https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/previous-versions/bb909712\(v=vs.120\)?redirectedfrom=MSDN](https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/previous-versions/bb909712(v=vs.120)?redirectedfrom=MSDN)).
- Grant **db_owner** rights to the Deep Security Manager's database user.

Note:

If you use Microsoft SQL Server, Deep Security Manager must connect as either a Microsoft Active Directory domain or SQL user. Windows workgroup authentication is no longer supported.

Transport protocol

- The supported [transport protocol](#) is **TCP** for newly-installed versions of Deep Security 10.2 or later versions.
- If you are upgrading from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version and you are using a named pipe as the transport protocol, DSM will continue to use a named pipe when you upgrade. Trend Micro recommends that you use TCP and encrypt communications. (See ["Encrypt communication between the Deep Security Manager and the database" on page 835.](#))

Oracle Database

- Start the "Oracle Listener" service. Verify that it accepts TCP connections.
- Don't use special characters in Deep Security Manager's database user name. Although Oracle allows special characters when configuring the database user object if they are surrounded by quotes, Deep Security does not support special characters for the database user.
- Grant the **CONNECT** and **RESOURCE** roles and **UNLIMITED TABLESPACE**, **CREATE SEQUENCE**, **CREATE TABLE** and **CREATE TRIGGER** permissions to the Deep Security Manager's database user.

If using multi-tenancy, also grant **CREATE USER**, **DROP USER**, **ALTER USER**, **GRANT ANY PRIVILEGE** and **GRANT ANY ROLE** to the Deep Security Manager's database user.

Note: Oracle container database (CDB) configuration is **not** supported with Deep Security Manager multi-tenancy.

Oracle RAC (Real Application Clusters) support

Deep Security supports:

- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP3 with Oracle RAC 12c Release 1 (v12.1.0.2.0)
- Red Hat Linux Enterprise Server 6.6 with Oracle RAC 12c Release 1 (v12.1.0.2.0)

The default Linux Server Deep Security policy is compatible with the Oracle RAC environment, with the exception of Firewall settings. You can disable Firewall or customize the Firewall settings according to the instructions in ["Firewall settings with Oracle RAC" on page 690](#).

Database maintenance

Database maintenance is necessary to ensure the health of your Deep Security deployment.

Index maintenance

To improve Deep Security Manager performance, we recommend that you perform regular index maintenance on the Deep Security database to keep it from becoming overly fragmented. Follow your organization's best practices for reindexing databases, or refer to your database vendor's documentation for guidance:

- **PostgreSQL:** See <https://www.postgresql.org/docs/10/sql-reindex.html> for details on the PostgreSQL reindex command. Note that this command will block some operations, so it's best to run it offline, during upgrades. When run offline on a previous snapshot, it takes approximately 45 minutes to complete.
- **Microsoft SQL:** Refer to documentation from Microsoft for index maintenance best practices: <https://docs.microsoft.com/en-us/sql/relational-databases/indexes/reorganize-and-rebuild-indexes?view=sql-server-ver15>.
- **Oracle Database:** Follow Oracle's best practices on managing indexes. For example, see https://docs.oracle.com/cd/B28359_01/server.111/b28310/indexes002.htm#ADMIN11713.

There are also open source websites that provide scripts that can help you with this task.

Backups and disaster recovery

Separate from high availability or load balancing, best practices include regular database backups and a disaster recovery plan. Backups can be used to restore the database if there is a serious failure. See your vendor's documentation and "[Back up and restore your database](#)" on [page 801](#).

Note: For PostgreSQL databases, basic tools like `pg_dump` or `pg_basebackup` are not suitable to back up and restore in an enterprise environment. Consider other tools such as [Barman](#).

PostgreSQL recommendations

For requirements that apply to all database types, see "[Prepare a database for Deep Security Manager](#)" on [page 222](#).

1. To prepare a PostgreSQL database for Deep Security Manager, create its database user account, and grant permissions:

```
CREATE DATABASE "<database-name>";
```

```
CREATE ROLE "<dsm-username>" WITH PASSWORD '<password>' LOGIN;
```

```
GRANT ALL ON DATABASE "<database-name>" TO "<dsm-username>";
```

```
GRANT CONNECT ON DATABASE "<database-name>" TO "<dsm-username>";
```

If Deep Security Manager will have multiple tenants, also grant the right to create new databases and roles for tenants:

```
ALTER ROLE <dsm-username> CREATEDB CREATEROLE;
```

2. If connections between Deep Security Manager and PostgreSQL use an untrusted network, consider using TLS to improve security. See ["Encrypt communication between the Deep Security Manager and the database" on page 835](#).
3. Configure database log rotation and performance settings.

For best practices, see ["Log rotation" below](#), ["Lock management" on page 229](#), ["Maximum concurrent connections" on page 229](#), ["Autovacuum settings" on page 230](#), etc.

Steps vary by distribution and managed hosting:

- **Self-hosted database:** Defaults are generic values from the PostgreSQL core distribution. **Some defaults are not appropriate** for data center or customized cloud installs, especially in larger deployments.

To change settings:

- In a plain text editor, open the [postgresql.conf file](#).
 - Edit the parameters.
 - Save the file.
 - Restart the PostgreSQL service.
- **Amazon RDS:** Defaults vary by instance size. Often, you only need to fine tune autovacuuming, `max_connections` and `effective_cache_size`. To change settings, use [database parameter groups](#) and then restart the database instance.
 - **Amazon Aurora:** Defaults vary by instance size. Often, you only need to fine tune autovacuuming, `max_connections` and `effective_cache_size`. To change settings, use [database parameter groups](#) and then restart the database instance.

Tip: When fine tuning performance, verify settings by monitoring your database IOPS with a service such as Amazon CloudWatch.

Tip: If you need additional help, PostgreSQL offers [professional support](#).

Log rotation

In PostgreSQL core distributions, by default, the database's local log file has no age or file size limit. Logs will gradually consume more disk space.

To prevent that, configure parameters for either [remote logging to a Syslog log_destination](#), or local log rotation.

Log files can be rotated based on age limit, file size limit, or both (whichever occurs sooner). When a limit is reached, depending on whether a log file exists that matches the file name pattern at that time, PostgreSQL either creates a new file or reuses an existing one. Reuse can either append or (for age limit) overwrite.

Log rotation parameters are:

- `logging_collector`: Enter "on" to enable database logging.
- `log_filename`: Log file name pattern. Patterns mostly use [IEEE standard time and date formatting](#).
- `log_truncate_on_rotation`: Enter either "off" to append to the existing log file, or "on" to overwrite it. Only applies when time-based log rotation occurs. (File size-based log rotation always appends.)
- `log_rotation_age`: Maximum age in minutes of a log file. Enter "0" to disable time-based log rotation.
- `log_rotation_size`: Maximum size in kilobytes (KB) of a log file. Enter "0" to disable file size-based log rotation.

Example: Daily Database Log Rotation

These parameters create 7 rotating database log files: one for each day of the week . (File names are "postgresql-Mon.log" for Monday, etc.)

Each day (1440 minutes) either creates a file with that day's name (if none exists) or overwrites that day's log file from the previous weekly cycle.

During heavy load, logging can *temporarily exceed disk space quota* because the file size limit is disabled. However the number and names of files does not change.

```
log_collector = on
```

```
log_filename = 'postgresql-%a.log'
```

```
log_rotation_age = 1440
```

```
log_rotation_size = 0
```

```
log_truncate_on_rotation = on
```


Lock management

Increase `deadlock_timeout` to exceed your deployment's normal transaction time.

Each time a query waits for a lock for more than `deadlock_timeout`, PostgreSQL checks for a deadlock condition and (if configured) logs an error. On larger deployments during heavy load, however, it's often normal (not an error) to wait for more than 1 second. Logging these normal events decreases performance.

Maximum concurrent connections

Increase to `max_connections = 500`.

Effective cache size

Consider increasing `effective_cache_size`. This setting is used to estimate cache effects by a query. It only affects cost estimates during query planning, and doesn't cause more RAM usage.

Shared buffers

Increase `shared_buffers` to 25% of the RAM. This setting specifies how much memory PostgreSQL can use to cache data, which improves performance.

Work memory and maintenance work memory

Increase `work_mem`. This setting specifies the amount of RAM that can be used by internal sort operations and hash tables before writing to temporary disk files. More memory is required when running complex queries.

Consider increasing `maintenance_work_mem`. This setting determines the maximum amount of memory used for maintenance operations such as `ALTER TABLE`.

Checkpoints

Reduce checkpoint frequency. Checkpoints usually cause most writes to data files. To optimize performance, most checkpoints should be "timed" (triggered by `checkpoint_timeout`), not "requested" (triggered by filling all the available WAL segments or by an explicit `CHECKPOINT` command).

Parameter name	Recommended value
<code>checkpoint_timeout</code>	15min
<code>checkpoint_completion_target</code>	0.9
<code>max_wal_size</code>	16GB

Write-ahead log (WAL)

If you use database replication, consider using `wal_level = replica`.

Autovacuum settings

PostgreSQL requires periodic maintenance called "vacuuming". Usually, you don't need to change the default value for `autovacuum_max_workers`.

On the `entitys` and `attribute2s` tables, if frequent writes cause many rows to change often (such as in large deployments with short-lived cloud instances), then autovacuum should run more frequently to minimize disk space usage and maintain performance. Parameters must be set on both the overall database and those specific tables.

Database-level parameter name	Recommended value
<code>autovacuum_work_mem</code>	1GB

Table-level parameter name	Recommended value
<code>autovacuum_vacuum_cost_delay</code>	10
<code>autovacuum_vacuum_scale_factor</code>	0.01
<code>autovacuum_analyze_scale_factor</code>	0.005

To change the database-level setting, you must edit the configuration file or database parameter group, and then reboot the database server. Commands cannot change that setting while the database is running.

To change the table-level settings, you can either edit the configuration file or database parameter group, or enter these commands:

```
ALTER TABLE public.entitys SET (autovacuum_enabled = true, autovacuum_vacuum_cost_delay = 10, autovacuum_vacuum_scale_factor = 0.01, autovacuum_analyze_scale_factor = 0.005);
```

```
ALTER TABLE public.attribute2s SET (autovacuum_enabled = true, autovacuum_vacuum_cost_delay = 10, autovacuum_vacuum_scale_factor = 0.01, autovacuum_analyze_scale_factor = 0.005);
```

PostgreSQL on Linux

Transparent huge pages

Transparent huge pages (THP) is a Linux memory management system that reduces the overhead of translation lookaside buffer (TLB) lookups on computers with large amounts of RAM by using larger memory pages. By default, THP is enabled, but it isn't recommended for PostgreSQL database servers. To disable it, see your OS vendor's documentation.

Host-based authentication

Host-based authentication (HBA) can prevent unauthorized access to the database from other computers that aren't in the allowed IP address range. By default, Linux doesn't have HBA restrictions for databases. However it's usually better to use a security group or firewall instead.

Microsoft SQL Server Express considerations

Some deployments might be able to use Microsoft SQL Server Express for the Deep Security Manager database. Important limitations are below. If you think your deployment cannot operate within these limitations, use another supported database instead.

Warning: If you exceed the limits, you will experience a service outage and you will need to upgrade to a paid version of Microsoft SQL Server.

Express edition limitations

Microsoft SQL Server Express has a [10 GB maximum database size and other important limits](#). High load scenarios are not supported by Express. Symptoms can include database connection

errors.

Express has a "LocalDB" preset. More configuration may be required to [accept remote connections](#).

Limited number of protected computers

Do not use Microsoft SQL Server Express if your deployment has more than 50 protected computers. More computers' events will cause a larger database which Microsoft SQL Server Express cannot handle.

Multi-node Deep Security Manager, required for larger deployments, is not supported by Express.

Security module limitations

Only Deep Security Anti-Malware and Intrusion Prevention modules are supported with a Microsoft SQL Server Express database due to its limitations. If you require any other protection modules, use another supported database instead.

Minimize the agent size

Remove any unneeded agent software packages from the Deep Security Manager to save disk space.

Database pruning

Security updates and events require additional space in the database. Monitor your deployment to ensure that you stay within the Express database size limit. For information on database pruning, see "[Log and event storage best practices](#)" on page 882. You may also choose to use the SQL Server settings described in [Considerations for the "autogrow" and "autoshrink" settings in SQL Server](#).

Check digital signatures on software packages

Before you install Deep Security, you should check the digital signature on the software ZIP packages and installer files. A correct digital signature indicates that the software is authentically from Trend Micro and hasn't been corrupted or tampered with.

You should:

- ["Check the signature on software ZIP packages" below](#)
- ["Check the signature on installer files \(EXE, MSI, RPM or DEB files\)" on the next page](#)

You can also validate the software's checksums, as well as the security updates' and Deep Security Agent modules' digital signature. See ["How agents validate the integrity of updates" on page 806](#) and ["Linux Secure Boot support for agents" on page 299](#).

Check the signature on software ZIP packages

The Deep Security Agent and online help are made available in ZIP packages. These packages are digitally signed. You can check the digital signature on the ZIP file in the following ways:

By importing or exporting the ZIP to or from the manager

Import or export a ZIP file following the instructions in ["Download agent software packages into Deep Security Manager" on page 252](#) or ["Export the agent installer" on page 253](#).

On import or export, the manager checks the digital signature on the ZIP file. If the signature is good, the manager allows the import or export to proceed. If the signature is bad, or doesn't exist, the manager disallows the action, deletes the ZIP, and logs an event.

Note: File deletion and event log generation require Deep Security Manager build 12.5.752 or later.

By viewing the ZIP's properties file

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
 2. Click **Administration** at the top.
 3. On the left, expand **Updates > Software > Local**.
 4. Find the ZIP package whose digital signature you want to check and double-click it. (If it's not there, [download it](#).)
 5. The **Properties** page for the ZIP file opens, and the manager checks the digital signature. If the signature is good, you'll see a green check mark in the **Signature** field. If the signature is bad, or doesn't exist, the manager deletes the ZIP and logs an event.
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Note: File deletion and event log generation requires Deep Security Manager build 12.5.752 or later.

By using jarsigner

Use the jarsigner Java utility to check a signature on a ZIP when you can't check it through the manager. For example, let's say you obtained an agent ZIP package from a non-manager source, such as the [Deep Security Software](#) page, and then wanted to install the agent manually. In this scenario, you'd use the jarsigner utility since the manager is not involved.

To check a signature using jarsigner:

1. Install the latest [Java Development Kit](#) on your computer.
2. Download the ZIP.
3. Use the [jarsigner utility](#) within the JDK to check the signature. The command is:

```
jarsigner -verify -verbose -certs -strict <ZIP_file>
```

Example:

```
jarsigner -verify -verbose -certs -strict Agent-RedHat_EL7-  
11.2.0-124.x86_64.zip
```

4. Read any errors as well as the content of the certificate to determine if the signature can be trusted.

Check the signature on installer files (EXE, MSI, RPM or DEB files)

The installers for the Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Notifier are digitally signed using RSA. The installer is an EXE or MSI file on Windows, an RPM file on Linux operating systems (Amazon, CloudLinux, Oracle, Red Hat, and SUSE), or a DEB file on Debian and Ubuntu.

Note: The instructions below describe how to check a digital signature manually on an installer file. If you'd like to automate this check, you can include it in your agent deployment scripts. For

more on deployment scripts, see ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#).

Follow the instructions that correspond to the type of installer file you want to check.

- ["Check the signature on an EXE or MSI file" below](#)
- ["Check the signature on an RPM file" below](#)
- ["Check the signature on a DEB file" on page 237](#)

Check the signature on an EXE or MSI file

1. Right-click the EXE or MSI file and select **Properties**.
2. Click the **Digital Signatures** tab to check the signature.

Check the signature on an RPM file

First, install GnuPG

Install [GnuPG](#) on the agent computer where you intend to check the signature, if it is not already installed. This utility includes the GPG command-line tool, which you'll need in order to import the signing key and check the digital signature.

Note: GnuPG is installed by default on most Linux distributions.

Next, import the signing key

1. Look for the `3trend_public.asc` file in the root folder of the agent's ZIP file. The ASC file contains a GPG public signing key that you can use to verify the digital signature.
2. (Optional) Verify the SHA-256 hash digest of the **ASC** file using any hashing utility. The hash is:

```
c59caa810a9dc9f4ecdf5dc44e3d1c8a6342932ca1c9573745ec9f1a82c118d7
```

3. On the agent computer where you intend to check the signature, import the ASC file. Use this command:

Note: Commands are case-sensitive.

```
gpg --import 3trend_public.asc
```

The following messages appear:

```
gpg: directory `/home/build/.gnupg' created
```

```
gpg: new configuration file `/home/build/.gnupg/gpg.conf'
created
```

```
gpg: WARNING: options in `/home/build/.gnupg/gpg.conf' are not
yet active during this run
```

```
gpg: keyring `/home/build/.gnupg/secring.gpg' created
```

```
gpg: keyring `/home/build/.gnupg/pubring.gpg' created
```

```
gpg: /home/build/.gnupg/trustdb.gpg: trustdb created
```

```
gpg: key E1051CBD: public key "Trend Micro (trend linux sign)
<alloftrendetscodesign@trendmicro.com>" imported
```

```
gpg: Total number processed: 1
```

```
gpg: imported: 1 (RSA: 1)
```

4. Export the GPG public signing key from the ASC file:

```
gpg --export -a 'Trend Micro' > RPM-GPG-KEY-CodeSign
```

5. Import the GPG public signing key to the RPM database:

```
sudo rpm --import RPM-GPG-KEY-CodeSign
```

6. Verify that the GPG public signing key has been imported:

```
rpm -qa gpg-pubkey*
```

7. The fingerprints of imported GPG public keys appear. The Trend Micro one is:

```
gpg-pubkey-e1051cbd-5b59ac99
```

The signing key has now been imported and can be used to check the digital signature on the agent RPM file.

Finally, verify the signature on the RPM file

Tip: Instead of checking the signature on the RPM file manually, as described below, you can have a deployment script do it. See ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#) for details.

Use this command:

```
rpm -K Agent-PGPCore-<OS agent version>.rpm
```

Example:

```
rpm -K Agent-PGPCore-RedHat_EL7-11.0.0-950.x86_64.rpm
```

Make sure you run the above command on the `Agent-PGPCore-<...>.rpm` file. (Running it on `Agent-Core-<...>.rpm` does not work.) If you cannot find the `Agent-PGPCore-<...>.rpm` file in the agent ZIP, you'll need to use a newer ZIP, specifically:

- Deep Security Agent 11.0 Update 15 or a later update
- or
- Deep Security Agent 12 Update 2 or later

If the signature verification is successful, the following message appears:

```
Agent-PGPCore-RedHat_EL7-11.0.0-950.x86_64.rpm: rsa sha1 (md5) pgp md5  
OK
```

Check the signature on a DEB file

First, install the `dpkg-sig` utility

Install [dpkg-sig](#) on the agent computer where you intend to check the signature, if it is not already installed. This utility includes the GPG command-line tool, which you'll need in order to import the signing key and check the digital signature.

Next, import the signing key

1. Look for the `3trend_public.asc` file in the root folder of the agent's ZIP file. The ASC file contains a GPG public signing key that you can use to verify the digital signature.
2. (Optional) Verify the SHA-256 hash digest of the **ASC** file using any hashing utility. The hash is:

```
c59caa810a9dc9f4ecdf5dc44e3d1c8a6342932ca1c9573745ec9f1a82c118d7
```

3. On the agent computer where you intend to check the signature, import the ASC file to the GPG keyring. Use this command:

```
gpg --import 3trend_public.asc
```

The following message appears:

```
gpg: key E1051CBD: public key "Trend Micro (trend linux sign)
<alloftrendetscodesign@trendmicro.com>" imported
```

```
gpg: Total number processed: 1
```

```
gpg: imported: 1 (RSA: 1)
```

4. (Optional) Display the Trend Micro key information. Use this command:

```
gpg --list-keys
```

A message similar to the following appears:

```
/home/user01/.gnupg/pubring.gpg
```

```
-----
```

```
pub 2048R/E1051CBD 2018-07-26 [expires: 2021-07-25]
```

```
uid Trend Micro (trend linux sign)
<alloftrendetscodesign@trendmicro.com>
```

```
sub 2048R/202C302E 2018-07-26 [expires: 2021-07-25]
```

Finally, verify the signature on the DEB file

Tip: Instead of verifying the signature on the DEB file manually, as described below, you can have a deployment script do it. See ["Use deployment scripts to add and](#)

[protect computers" on page 365](#) for details.

Enter this command:

```
dpkg-sig --verify <agent_deb_file>
```

where `<agent_deb_file>` is the name and path of the agent DEB file. For example:

```
dpkg-sig --verify Agent-Core-Ubuntu_16.04-12.0.0-563.x86_64.deb
```

A processing message appears:

```
Processing Agent-Core-Ubuntu_16.04-12.0.0-563.x86_64.deb...
```

If the signature is verified successfully, the following message appears:

```
GOODSIG _gpgbuilder CF5EBBC17D8178A7776C1D365B09AD42E1051CBD  
1568153778
```

Deploy Deep Security

Deploy the Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace

To start protecting your Azure virtual machines (VM) with Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace, basic steps include:

1. ["Buy Deep Security from the Azure Marketplace" below.](#)
2. ["Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 242.](#)
3. ["Create a policy" on page 242.](#)
4. ["Deploy Deep Security Agents" on page 242.](#)

If you are upgrading an existing Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace, see ["Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace" on page 813](#)

Buy Deep Security from the Azure Marketplace

You can buy Deep Security from the Azure Marketplace as *Deep Security Manager (BYOL)*.

Note: To buy Deep Security Manager (BYOL) , you need to have already obtained a license for Deep Security. If you need a license, contact azure@trendmicro.com for help with obtaining one.

1. Log in to your Azure portal and click **All Services > General > Marketplace**.
2. Search for `Deep Security Manager (BYOL)`.
3. In the search results, click **Deep Security Manager (BYOL)**.
4. Review the information provided and click **Create**.
5. Follow the steps of the Create Deep Security Manager journey to create a Deep Security virtual machine.
 - a. Specify the name of the Deep Security Manager VM and configure other general settings on the Basics blade and then click **OK**.
 - The credentials you specify in this blade are what you will use to log on to the Deep Security Manager virtual machine.
 - Depending on the type of authentication you select, you have to enter a strong password or an SSH public key.
 - Type in a name into **Resource group** to create a new [Resource group](#).

Note: Azure does not allow Deep Security Manager VM to be deployed on existing resource groups. A new resource group must be created.

- Select an [Azure region](#) from the **Location** list.
- b. Select a virtual machine size, configure the Deep Security Manager URL and [port numbers](#) on the Deep Security Manager VM blade, and then click **OK**.
 - Use the DNS name you enter in **Deep Security Manager URL** such as `azurevmdemo01`.
 - Enter the [port number](#) for the **Deep Security Manager console port** to access and log into Deep Security Manager, such as `https://azurevmdemo01.eastus.cloudapp.azure.com:443`.
 - Enter the heartbeat [port number](#) used by the Deep Security Agents to communicate with Deep Security Manager.

- c. Create a new database or enter the name of an existing one on the Database Settings blade and then click **OK**.
 - Do not type anything into **Database Hostname** if you create a new database. However, if you click **Use Existing**, then the database hostname is required.
 - You can view the names of existing Azure SQL databases by going to the SQL databases blade and viewing the properties of a database (**Settings blade > Properties blade > Server name**).
- d. Enter the name of the administrator account that you will use to sign in to Deep Security Manager on the Deep Security Credentials blade and enter and confirm the password for that account and click **OK**.
- e. Click the arrows to review the settings for the new virtual network and the subnet for the Deep Security Manager VM on the Network Settings blade and click **OK** twice.
- f. Review the information on the Summary blade and click **OK** when "Validation passed" appears at the top of the summary to finish creating the virtual machine.



- g. Click **Terms of use**, **privacy policy**, and **Azure Marketplace Terms** on the Buy blade to review them and then click **Create**.

It will take approximately 30-40 minutes before your new virtual machine is running.

6. When installation is complete, open a browser and go to:

`https://<DNS name>:8443`

where the DNS name is the name you specified on the Deep Security Manager blade (for example, `azurevmdemo01.eastus.cloudapp.azure.com`). To view the DNS name for your Deep Security virtual machine, select the virtual machine in the **Public IP address** blade, and then click **Overview**. It will be in the **DNS name** field.

7. Enter the Subscription ID for the virtual machine and click **Sign in**.

If the installation succeeded, you will be redirected to Deep Security Manager. If the installation failed you will see an error message. If this happens, click **Install Deep Security Manager again** and verify all settings as you step through the installation again.

Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security

Once you've installed Deep Security Manager, you can add and protect Microsoft Azure virtual machines by connecting a Microsoft Azure account to the Deep Security Manager. For instructions, see ["Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 392](#).

Create a policy

After you have added Microsoft Azure virtual machines to Deep Security, you need to create a policy that specifies how Deep Security should protect them.

You have two options for creating a policy:

- You can make a duplicate copy of one of the server policies that comes with Deep Security and modify it as required.
- You can build your own policy using the Base Policy as your starting point.

For more information on how to create a policy, see ["Create policies to protect your computers and other resources" on page 429](#).

For more information on how policies work in Deep Security, see ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434](#).

Deploy Deep Security Agents

To start protecting your Microsoft Azure virtual machines with Deep Security, you need to deploy Deep Security Agents to them. You can do this in multiple ways. See ["Install the agent on a Microsoft Azure VM" on page 260](#) for details.

Run Deep Security Manager on multiple nodes

Instead of running Deep Security Manager on *one* server, you can install Deep Security Manager on *multiple* servers ("nodes") and connect them to one shared database. This provides better:

- Reliability
- Availability
- Scalability
- Performance

You can log in to any node. Each node can do all types of tasks. No node is more important than any of the others. A node failure does not cause service downtime, and does not result in data loss. Deep Security Manager processes many concurrent activities in a distributed pool that all online nodes execute. All activity that does not happen due to user input is packaged as a job, and runs on any available manager (with some exceptions for "local" jobs that are executed on each node, like cache clearing).

Each node must run the same Deep Security Manager software version. When you upgrade, the first manager you upgrade will temporarily take over all duties and shut down the other nodes. On **Administration > System Information**, in the **Network Map with Activity Graph** of the **System Activity** area, other nodes' status will be "Offline" with an indication that an upgrade is required. Once upgraded, nodes will automatically return online and begin processing again.

Add a node

After you have installed Deep Security Manager on one server node, run the installer again on another server. When prompted, connect it to the same database as the first node.

Warning: Never run more than one instance of the installer at the same time. Doing so can lead to unpredictable results including corruption of the database.

Note: Set the system clock of each manager node to use the same time zone. The database must also use the same time zone. If the time zone is different, this causes `Manager Time Out of Sync` errors.

Remove a node

Before you remove or replace a server, you should remove it from the pool of Deep Security Manager nodes.

1. Halt the service or uninstall Deep Security Manager on the node that you want to remove.
Its status must change to "Offline".
2. Log into Deep Security Manager on another node.
3. Go to **Administration > Manager Nodes**.
4. Double-click the node that you want to remove.

The node's Properties window should appear.

5. In the **Options** area, click **Decommission**.

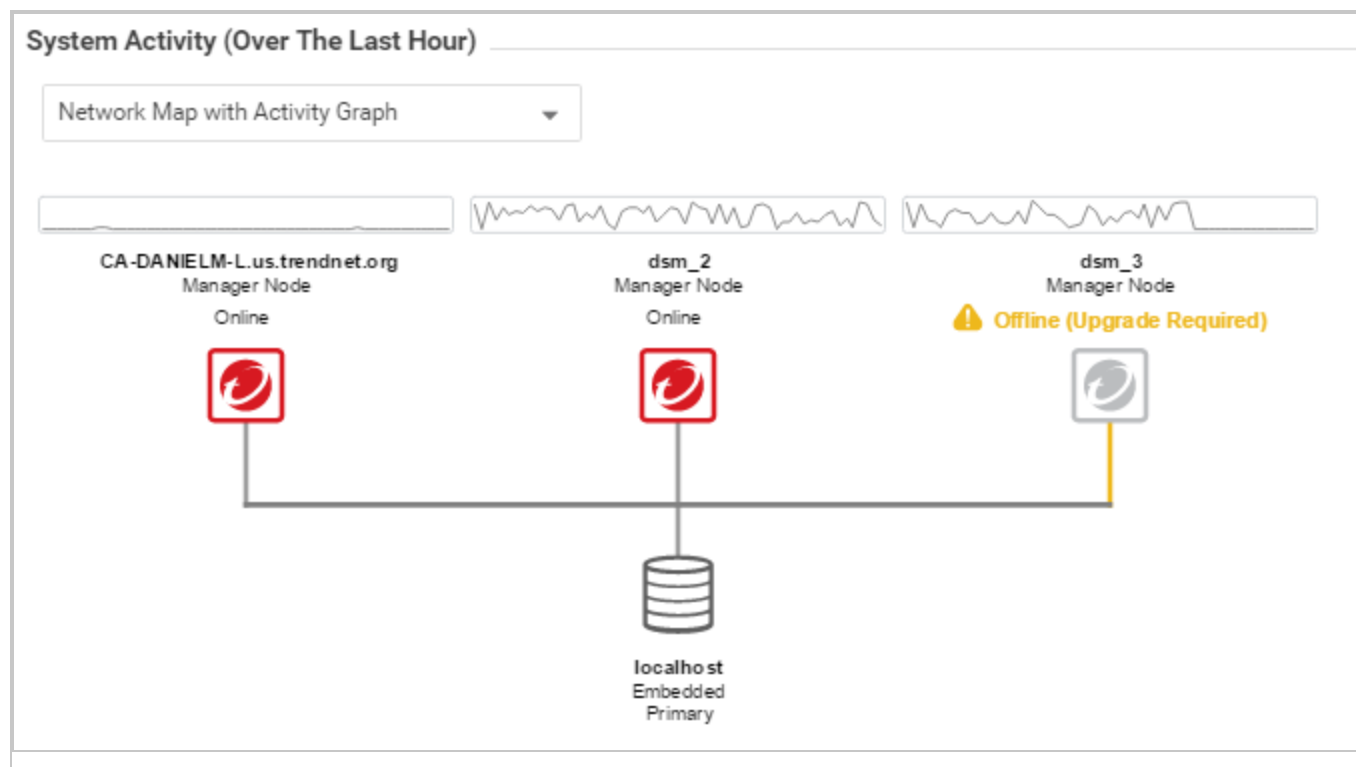
Viewing node statuses

To display all Deep Security Manager nodes along with their status, combined activity, and jobs being processed, go to **Administration > System Information**. From the drop-down menu, select which graph you want to view.

Network Map with Activity Graph

The **Network Map with Activity Graph** in the **System Activity** area displays a map of all installed manager nodes and their current status as well their relative activity over the last hour. The nodes can be in the following states:

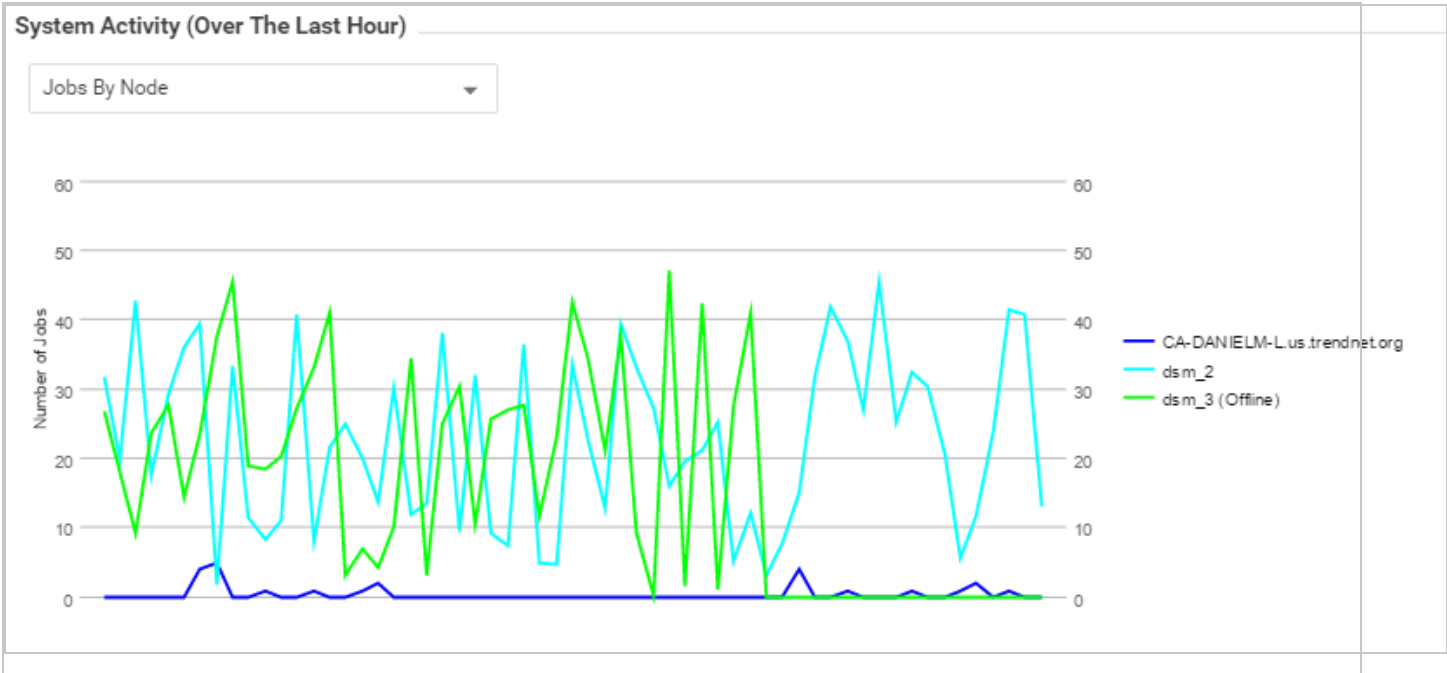
- Online
- Offline
- Offline (Upgrade Required)



Note: All Deep Security Manager nodes periodically check the health of all other nodes. If any manager node loses network connectivity for more than 3 minutes, it is considered offline. The remaining nodes assume its tasks.

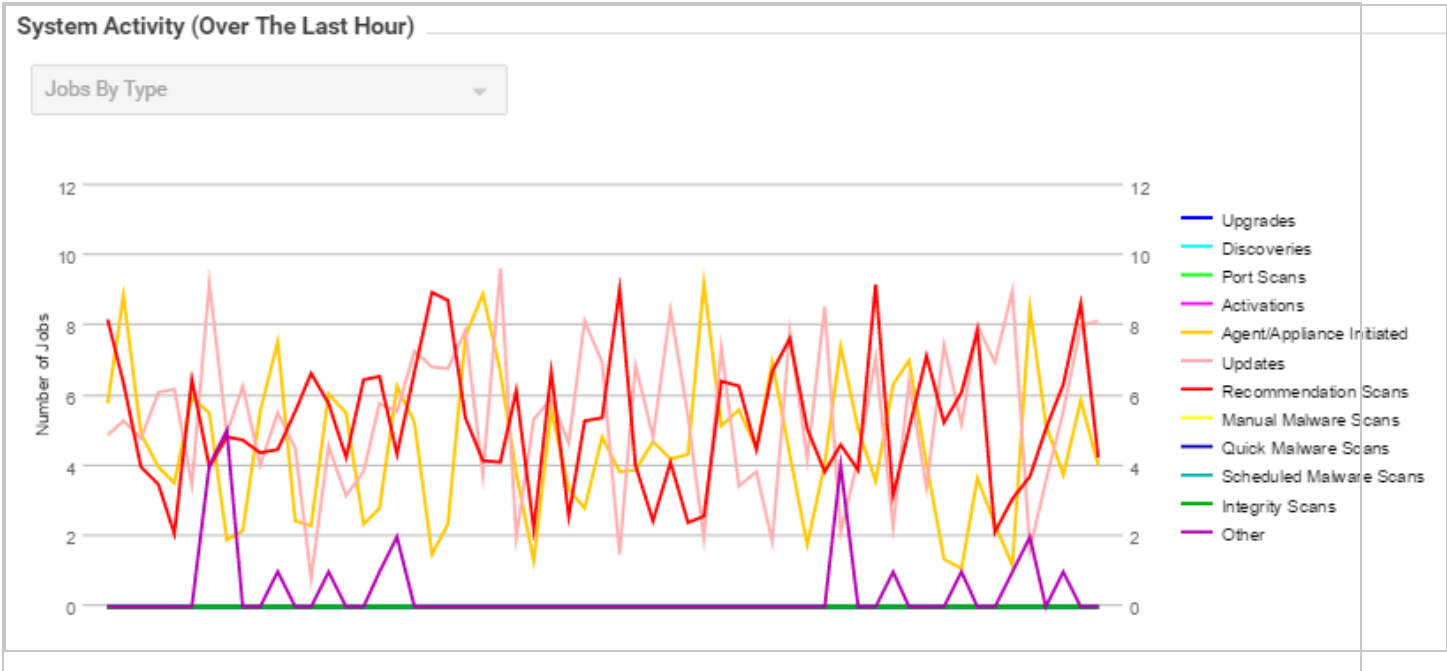
Jobs by Node

This chart displays the number of jobs carried out over the last hour by each node.



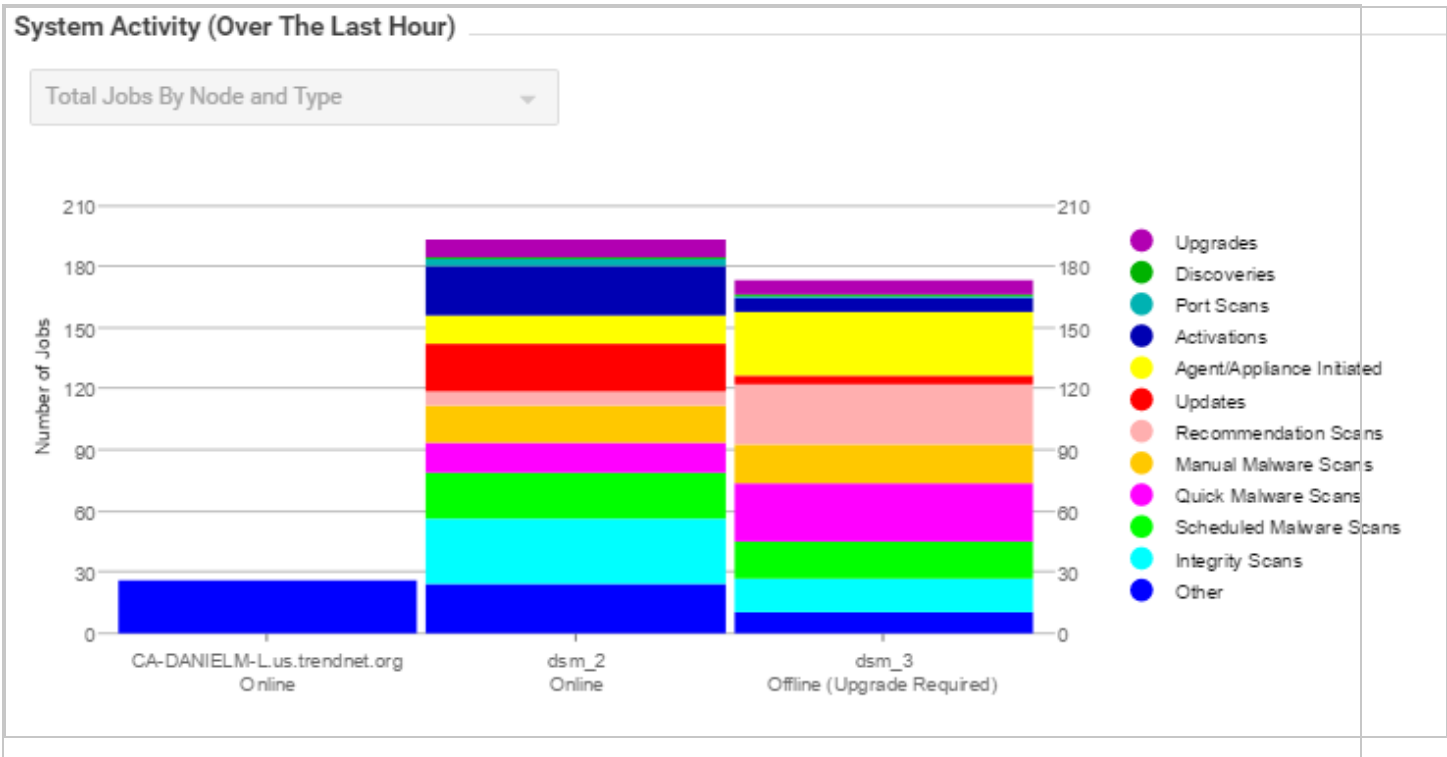
Jobs by Type

This chart displays the jobs carried out over the last hour by type.



Total jobs by node and type

This chart displays the number of job types for each node over the last hour.



Add activation codes

If you're using bring-your-own license (BYOL) billing, you must enter one or more activation codes into the manager. If you're using metered billing, there is no need to enter activation codes because they're not used.

Note: An activation code is also known as a license.

To enter your activation code or codes:

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. At the top, click **Administration**.
3. On the left, click **Licenses**.
4. In the main pane, click **Enter New Activation Code**.
5. Enter the activation code or codes you obtained from your sales representative.
6. Click **Next** and close the wizard when you have finished.

Deep Security Manager performance features

Performance profiles

Deep Security Manager uses an optimized concurrent job scheduler that considers the impacts of each job on CPU, database and agents or appliances. By default, new installations use the "Aggressive" performance profile which is optimized for a dedicated manager. If the Deep Security Manager is installed on a system with other resource-intensive software it may be preferable to use the "Standard" performance profile. The performance profile can be changed by navigating to **Administration > Manager Nodes**. From this screen select a manager node and open the **Properties** window. From here the performance profile can be changed via the menu.

The performance profile also controls the number of agent- or appliance-initiated connections that the manager will accept. The default of each of the performance profiles effectively balances the amount of accepted, delayed and rejected heartbeats.

Low disk space alerts

Low disk space on the database

If the Deep Security Manager receives a "disk full" error message from the database, it will start to write events to its own hard drive and will send an email message to all users informing them of

the situation. This behavior is not configurable.

Once the disk space issue on the database has been resolved, the manager will write the locally stored data to the database.

Low disk space on the manager

If the available disk space on the computer where Deep Security Manager is installed falls below 10%, the manager generates a "Low Disk Space" alert. This alert is part of the normal alert system and is configurable like any other. (For more information, see ["Configure alerts" on page 858.](#))

When the manager's available disk space falls below 5 MB, the manager will send an email message to all users and the manager will shut down. The manager cannot be restarted until the available disk space is greater than 5 MB.

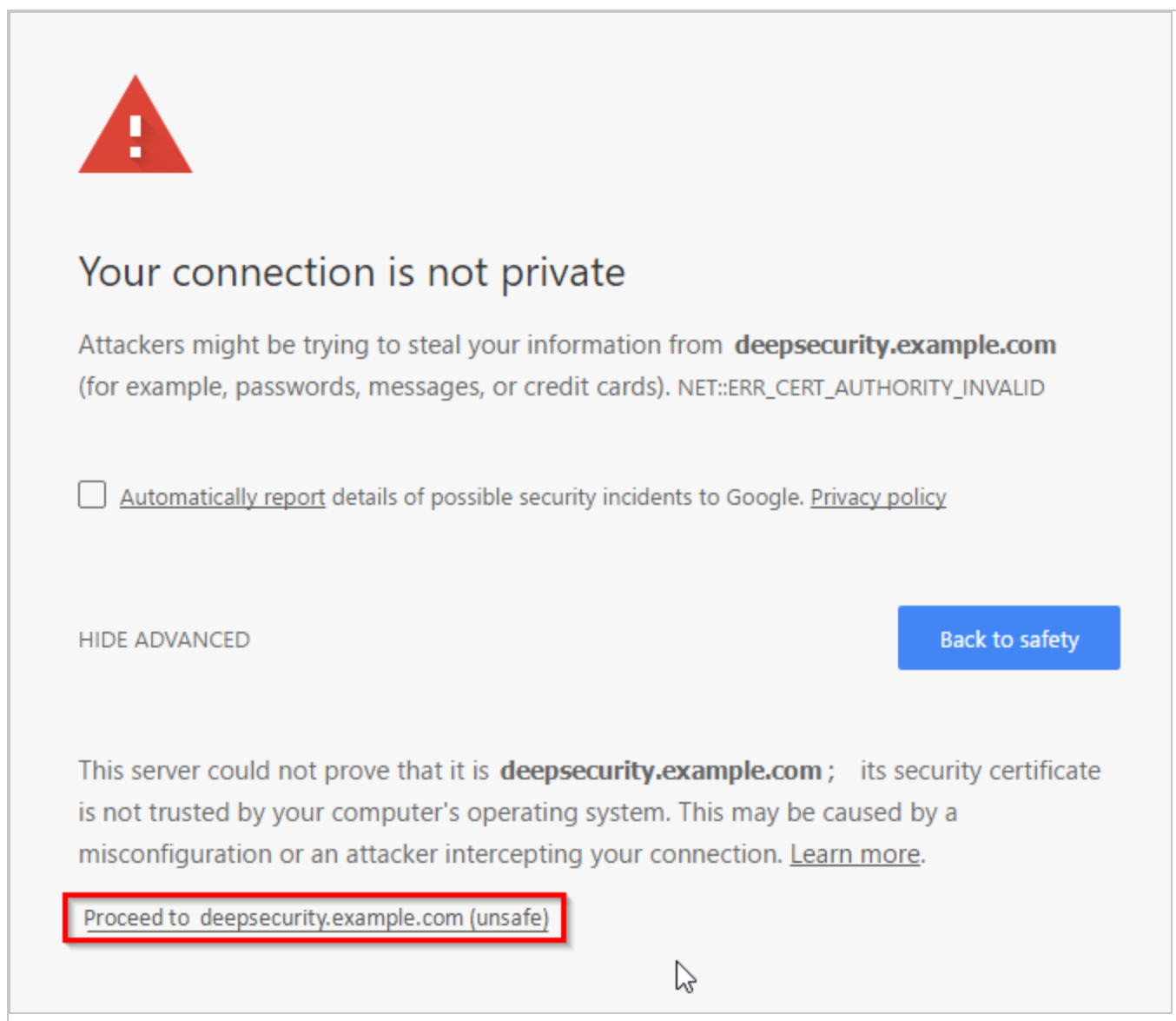
You must restart the manager manually.

If you are running multiple nodes, only the node that has run out of disk space will shut down. The other manager nodes will continue operating.

Update the load balancer's certificate

Usually, your browser should warn you with a certificate validation error whenever you try to connect to a server with a self-signed certificate. This is because with any *self*-signed certificate, the browser cannot automatically validate the certificate's signature with a trusted *third party* certificate authority (CA), and therefore the browser doesn't know if the certificate was sent by an attacker or not. When installed, Deep Security Manager is initially configured to use a self-signed certificate for HTTPS connections (SSL or TLS), so you must manually verify that the server certificate fingerprint used to secure the connection belongs to your Deep Security server. This is normal until you replace the self-signed certificate with a CA-signed certificate.

The same error will occur if you have an AWS Elastic Load Balancer (ELB) or other load balancer, and it presents a self-signed certificate to the browser.



You can still access Deep Security Manager if you ignore the warning and proceed (method varies by browser). However, this error will occur again each time you connect, unless you either:

- add the certificate to your computer's store of trusted certificates (not recommended) or
 - replace the load balancer's certificate with one signed by a trusted CA (strongly recommended)
1. With a CA that is trusted by all HTTPS clients, register the fully qualified domain name (*not IP address*) that administrators, relays, and agents will use to connect to Deep Security Manager.

Specify the sub-domain (for example, deepsecurity.example.com) that will uniquely identify Deep Security Manager. For nodes behind an SSL terminator load balancer, this certificate will be presented to browsers and other HTTPS clients by the load balancer, not by each Deep Security Manager node.

When the CA signs the certificate, download both the certificate (with public key) and the private key.

Warning: Store and transmit the private key securely. If file permissions or unencrypted connections allow a third party to access your private key, then all connections secured by that certificate and key are compromised. You must revoke that certificate, remove the key, and get a new certificate and key.

2. [Add the certificate to your certificate store](#) (optional if your computer trusts the CA that signed the certificate).
3. [Update the DNS settings of the load balancer to use the new domain name](#).
4. [Replace the SSL certificate of the load balancer](#).

Configure SMTP settings for email notifications

Deep Security Manager can send emails to users when selected alerts are triggered (see ["Configure alerts" on page 858](#)). Before setting up the email notifications, you will need to give Deep Security Manager access to an SMTP mail server.

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > SMTP**.
2. Type the IP address or hostname of your SMTP email server. Include the port number if it's not the [default port number](#).

Tip:

AWS throttles (rate limits) e-mail on SMTP's IANA standard port number, port 25. If you use AWS Marketplace, you may have faster alerts if you use SMTP over STARTTLS (secure SMTP) instead. For more information, see:

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/ses/latest/DeveloperGuide/smtp-connect.html>

3. Enter a "From" email address from which the emails should be sent.

Note:

If you are using Amazon SES, the sender email address must be verified. To learn how to verify your email address in Amazon SES and view a list of addresses you've already verified, see:

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/ses/latest/DeveloperGuide/verify-email-addresses.html>

4. Optionally, type a "bounce" address to which delivery failure notifications (DSN) should be sent if the alert emails can't be delivered to one or more users.
5. If your SMTP mail server requires outgoing authentication, type the user name and password credentials.
6. Select **STARTTLS** if your SMTP server supports the protocol. (STARTTLS is not supported in FIPS mode. See ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#).)
7. After you've entered the necessary information, click **Test SMTP Settings** to test the connection.

Install the agents

Get Deep Security Agent software

To install Deep Security Agent, you must download the agent installer and load packages for the agent's protection modules into Deep Security Manager. To view a list of software that has been imported into Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Local**.

Deep Security is modular. Initially, Deep Security Agent only has core functionality. When you enable a protection module, then the agent downloads that plug-in and installs it. So before you activate any agents, first download the agent software packages into Deep Security Manager's database("import" them) so that they will be available to the agents and relays.

Warning: Even if you use a third party deployment system, you **must** import all installed Deep Security Agent software into the Deep Security Manager's database. When a Deep Security Agent is first activated, it only installs protection modules that are currently enabled in the security policy. If you enable a new protection module later, Deep Security Agent will try to download its plug-in from Deep Security Manager. If that software is missing, the agent may not be able to install the protection module.

Download agent software packages into Deep Security Manager

Even if you don't use Deep Security Manager to deploy agent updates, you should still import the software into the Deep Security Manager's database. You can do this manually or automatically.

Automatically import software updates

You can configure Deep Security Manager to automatically download any updates to software that you've already imported into Deep Security. To enable this feature, go to **Administration > System Settings > Updates** and select **Automatically download updates to imported software**.

Note: This setting will download the software to the Deep Security but will *not* automatically update your agent software. Continue with "[Upgrade the Deep Security Agent](#)" on page 808.

Manually import software updates

You can manually import software updates as they become available on the Download Center.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Download Center**.

The Trend Micro Download Center displays the latest versions of agent software.

2. To download your agent software package to the manager's local storage, select the installer from the list, and then click **Import**.

Deep Security Manager connects to the internet to download the software from Trend Micro Download Center. The manager then checks the digital signature on the software package. When the manager has finished, a green check mark appears in the **IMPORTED** column for that agent. Software packages now appear on **Administration > Updates > Software > Local**.

If a package cannot be imported directly, a popup note will indicate that. For these packages, download them from the Trend Micro Download Center website to a local folder, then go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Local** and manually import them.

Tip: Alternatively, if your Deep Security Manager is "air-gapped" (not connected to the Internet) and cannot connect *directly* to the Download Center web site, you can load them *indirectly*. Download the ZIP packages to your management computer first, and then log into the Deep Security Manager and upload them.

Export the agent installer

You can download the agent installer from Deep Security Manager.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Local**.
2. Select your agent from the list.
3. Click **Export > Export Installer**.

The manager checks the digital signature on the software package. If the signature is good, the export proceeds.

4. Save the agent installer. If you will install the agent manually, save it on the computer where you want to install Deep Security Agent.

Tip: To install Deep Security Agent, only use the exported agent installer (the .msi, .rpm, .pkg, .p5p, or .bff file depending on the platform) *not* the full agent ZIP package. If you run the agent installer from the same folder that holds the other zipped agent components, all protection modules will be installed, even if you haven't enabled them on the computer. This consumes extra disk space. (For comparison, if you use the .msi, .rpm, .pkg, .p5p, or .bff file, the agent will download and install protection modules *only if your configuration requires them*.)

Tip: Installing an agent, activating it, and applying protection with a security policy can be done using a command line script. For more information, see ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#).

Tip: You can generate deployment scripts to automate the agent installation using the Deep Security API. For more information, see [Generate an agent deployment script](#).

Delete a software package from the Deep Security database

To save disk space, Deep Security Manager will periodically remove unused packages from the Deep Security database. To configure the maximum number of old packages kept, go to **System Settings > Storage**.

Note: Deep Security Virtual Appliance uses protection module plug-ins in the 64-bit Red Hat Enterprise Linux Agent software package. Therefore if you have an activated Deep Security Virtual Appliance, and try to delete the 64-bit Red Hat Enterprise Linux Agent software package from the database, an error message will tell you that the software is in use.

There are two types of packages that can be deleted:

- agent
- kernel support

Deleting agent packages in single-tenancy mode

In single tenancy mode, Deep Security automatically deletes agent packages (*Agent-platform-version.zip*) that are not currently being used by agents. Alternatively, you can manually delete unused agent packages. Only unused software packages can be deleted.

Note: For the Windows and Linux agent packages, only the currently used package (whose version is the same as the agent installer) cannot be deleted.

Deleting agent packages in multi-tenancy mode

In multi-tenancy mode, unused agent packages (*Agent-platform-version.zip*) are **not** deleted automatically. For privacy reasons, Deep Security cannot determine whether software is currently in use by your tenants, even though you and your tenants share the same software repository in the Deep Security database. As the primary tenant, Deep Security does not prevent you from deleting software that is not currently running on any of your own account's computers, but before deleting a software package, be very sure that no other tenants are using it.

Deleting kernel support packages

In both single and multi-tenancy mode, Deep Security automatically deletes unused kernel support packages (*KernelSupport-platform-version.zip*). A kernel support package can be deleted if both of these conditions are true:

- No agent package has the same group identifier.
- Another kernel support package has the same group identifier and a later build number.

You can also manually delete unused kernel support packages. For Linux kernel support packages, only the latest one cannot be deleted.

Manually install the Deep Security Agent

Tip: For easier agent installation and activation, use a deployment script instead. For more information, see "[Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers](#)" on page 365.

Before installing the Deep Security Agent, you must:

- review the agent's system requirements. See ["Deep Security Agent requirements" on page 201](#).
- import agent software into Deep Security Manager and export the installer. See ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#).

After installation, the agent must be activated before it can protect its computer or be converted into a relay. See ["Activate the agent" on page 302](#).

In this topic:

- ["Install a Windows agent" below](#)
- ["Install a Red Hat, SUSE, Oracle Linux, or Cloud Linux agent" on the next page](#)
- ["Install an Ubuntu or Debian agent" on page 257](#)
- ["Install a Solaris agent" on page 257](#)
- ["Install an AIX agent" on page 260](#)
- ["Install the agent on a Microsoft Azure VM" on page 260](#)

Install a Windows agent

1. Copy the installer file to the computer.
2. Double-click the installation file (.MSI file) to run the installer package.

Note: On Windows Server 2012 R2 Server Core, launch the installer using this command instead: `msiexec /i Agent-Core-Windows-12.0.x-xxxx.x86_64.msi`

3. At the Welcome screen, click **Next** to begin the installation.
4. **End-User License Agreement:** If you agree to the terms of the license agreement, select **I accept the terms of the license agreement** and click **Next**.
5. **Destination Folder:** Select the location where you would like Deep Security Agent to be installed and click **Next**.
6. **Ready to install Trend Micro Deep Security Agent:** Click **Install** to proceed with the installation.
7. **Completed:** when the installation has completed successfully, click **Finish**.

The Deep Security Agent is now installed and running on this computer, and will start every time the machine boots.

Note: When installing the agent on Windows 2012 Server Core, the notifier will not be included.

Note: During an install, network interfaces will be suspended for a few seconds before being restored. If you are using DHCP, a new request will be generated, potentially resulting in a new IP address for the restored connection.

Installation on Amazon WorkSpaces

- If you are unable to install Deep Security Agent .msi file due to error code '2503' then you must do one of the following:
 - Edit your C:\Windows\Temp folder and allow the write permission for your user
OR
 - Open the command prompt as an administrator and run the .msi file

Note: Amazon has fixed this issue for newly-deployed Amazon WorkSpaces.

Installation on Windows 2012 Server Core

- Deep Security does not support switching the Windows 2012 server mode between Server Core and Full (GUI) modes after the Deep Security Agent is installed.
- If you are using Server Core mode in a Hyper-V environment, you will need to use Hyper-V Manager to remotely manage the Server Core computer from another computer. When the Server Core computer has the Deep Security Agent installed and Firewall enabled, the Firewall will block the remote management connection. To manage the Server Core computer remotely, turn off the Firewall module.
- Hyper-V provides a migration function used to move a guest VM from one Hyper-V server to another. The Deep Security Firewall module will block the connection between Hyper-V servers, so you will need to turn off the Firewall module to use the migration function.

Install a Red Hat, SUSE, Oracle Linux, or Cloud Linux agent

1. Copy the installer file to the computer.
2. Install the agent.

```
# sudo rpm -i <package name>
```

```
Preparing... ##### [100%]
```

```
1:ds_agent ##### [100%]
```

```
Loading ds_filter_im module version ELx.x [ OK ]
```

```
Starting ds_agent: [ OK ]
```

To upgrade from a previous install, use "rpm -U" instead. This will preserve your profile settings.

The Deep Security Agent will start automatically upon installation.

Install an Ubuntu or Debian agent

1. Go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Download Center**.
2. Import the agent package into Deep Security Manager.
3. , and then export the installer (.deb file).
4. Copy the installer file to the computer.
5. Install the agent.

```
sudo dpkg -i <installer file>
```

To start, stop, or reset the agent:

Using SysV init scripts:

- **Start:** `/etc/init.d/ds_agent start`
- **Stop:** `/etc/init.d/ds_agent stop`
- **Reset:** `/etc/init.d/ds_agent reset`
- **Restart:** `/etc/init.d/ds_agent restart`
- **Display status:** `svcs -a | grep ds_agent`

Using systemd commands:

- **Start:** `systemctl start ds_agent`
- **Stop:** `systemctl stop ds_agent`
- **Restart:** `systemctl restart ds_agent`
- **Display status:** `systemctl status ds_agent`

Install a Solaris agent

Note: The Deep Security Agent installation is only supported in the global zone. Non-global zones are not supported.

Solaris requires the following libraries to be installed to support Deep Security Agent:

- **Solaris 10:** SUNWgccruntime
- **Solaris 11.0 - 11.3:** gcc-45-runtime
- **Solaris 11.4:** none; gcc-c-runtime version 7.3 is installed by default

1. [Import the agent installer package](#) to the manager and then [export it](#). If multiple agents are available for your platform, choose the latest one. If you're not sure which agent package to pick, review the mapping table below.

1. Unzip the ZIP file.
2. Unzip the GZ file:

```
gunzip <agent_GZ_file>
```

The agent installer file (P5P or PKG) is now available.

3. Install the agent. Method varies by version and zones. File name varies by SPARC vs. x86.
 - **Solaris 11, one zone (run in the global zone):**

```
x86: pkg install -g file:///mnt/Agent-Solaris_5.11-xx.x.x-xxx.x86_64/Agent-Core-Solaris_5.11-xx.x.x-xxx.x86_64.p5p pkg:/security/ds-agent
```

```
SPARC: pkg install -g file:///mnt/Agent-Solaris_5.11-xx.x.x-xxx.sparc/Agent-Core-Solaris_5.11-xx.x.x-xxx.sparc.p5p pkg:/security/ds-agent
```

- **Solaris 11, multiple zones (run in the global zone):**

```
mkdir <path>
```

```
pkgrepo create <path>
```

```
pkgrecv -s file://<path_to_agent_p5p_file> -d <path> '*'
```

```
pkg set-publisher -g <path> trendmicro
```

```
pkg install pkg://trendmicro/security/ds-agent
```

```
pkg unset-publisher trendmicro
```

```
rm -rf <path>
```

- **Solaris 10:**

```
x86: pkgadd -G -d Agent-Core-Solaris_5.10_Ux-xx.x.x-xxx.x86_64.pkg
```

```
SPARC: pkgadd -G -d Agent-Core-Solaris_5.10_Ux-xx.x.x-xxx.sparc.pkg
```

Solaris-version-to-agent-package mapping table

If you're installing the agent on...	Use this agent package...	Help Center option
Solaris 10 Updates 4-6 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	Agent-Solaris_5.10_U5-xx.x.x-xxx.<sparc .x86_64>.zip	Solaris_5.10_U5
Solaris 10 Updates 7-11 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	Agent-Solaris_5.10_U7-xx.x.x-xxx.<sparc .x86_64>.zip	Solaris_5.10_U7
Solaris 11.0 (1111)-11.3 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	Agent-Solaris_5.11-xx.x.x-xxx.<sparc .x86_64>.zip	Solaris_5.11
Solaris 11.4 (64-bit, SPARC or x86)	Agent-Solaris_5.11_U4-xx.x.x-xxx.<sparc .x86_64>.zip	Solaris_5.11_U4

Notes:

- The **Help Center option** column shows you which option to select from the **Agent** drop-down list on the [Help Center's 'Deep Security Software'](#) page, if that's how you've chosen to obtain the package.
- `xx.x.x.xxx` is the build number of the agent. For example: `12.0.0-682`
- `<sparc|.x86_64>` is one of `sparc` or `.x86_64`, depending on the Solaris processor.

To start, stop, or reset the agent:

- **Start:** `svcadm enable ds_agent`
- **Stop:** `svcadm disable ds_agent`
- **Reset:** `/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -r`
- **Restart:** `svcadm restart ds_agent`
- **Display status:** `svcs -a | grep ds_agent`

To uninstall the agent on Solaris 11:

```
pkg uninstall pkg:/security/ds-agent
```

To uninstall the agent on Solaris 10:

```
pkgrm -v ds-agent
```

Install an AIX agent

1. Go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Download Center**.
2. Import the Deep Security Agent for AIX package (ZIP file) into Deep Security Manager. The agent package has the following naming format:
 - Deep Security Agent 12 for AIX: `Agent-AIX-<agent_release>-<build>.powerpc.zip`. Example: `Agent-AIX-12.0.0-1234.powerpc.zip`.
 - Deep Security Agent 9.0 for AIX: `Agent-AIX_<AIX_version>-<agent_release>-<build>.powerpc.bff.gz.zip`. Example: `Agent-AIX_5.3-9.0.0-5625.powerpc.bff.gz.zip`.

For details on which agent you'll need for the version of AIX you're using, see ["Deep Security Agent platforms" on page 169](#).

3. Extract the ZIP file. A GZ file becomes available.
4. Move the GZ file to another location.
5. Extract the GZ file using `gunzip`. A BFF file becomes available. This is the installer file.
6. Copy the BFF file to the AIX computer.
7. Place the BFF file in a temporary folder such as `/tmp`.
8. Install the agent.

```
/tmp> installp -a -d /tmp/<agent_BFF_file_name> ds_agent
```

where `<agent_BFF_file_name>` is replaced with the name of the BFF installer file you extracted.

To start, stop, load, or unload the driver for the agent:

- Start: `startsrc -s ds_agent`
- Stop: `stopsrc -s ds_agent`
- Load the driver: `/opt/ds_agent/ds_fctrl load`
- Unload the driver: `/opt/ds_agent/ds_fctrl unload`

Install the agent on a Microsoft Azure VM

To install the agent on VM instances running in the Microsoft Azure cloud, you need to deploy Deep Security Agents to them. You can do this in multiple ways:

- ["Generate and run a deployment script" on the next page](#)
- ["Add a custom script extension to an existing virtual machine" on the next page](#)

Generate and run a deployment script

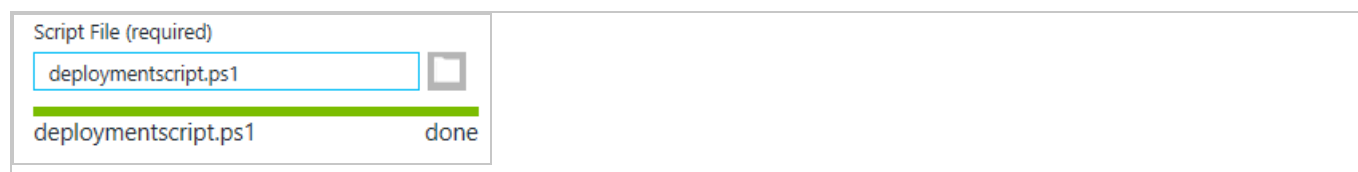
You can generate Deep Security deployment scripts for automatically deploying agents using deployment tools such as RightScale, Chef, Puppet, and SSH.

For more information on how to do so, see ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#).

Add a custom script extension to an existing virtual machine

You can also add a custom script extension to an existing virtual machine to deploy and activate the Deep Security Agent. To do this, navigate to your existing virtual machine in the Azure management portal and follow the steps below to upload and execute the deployment script on your Azure VM.

1. Log in to the Azure portal.
2. Switch to the preview portal, and then click the virtual machine that you want to add the custom script to.
3. In the **Settings** blade, click **Extensions**, in the **Extensions** blade, click **Add extension**, in the **New Resource** blade, select **Custom Script**, and then click **Create**.
4. In the **Add Extension** blade under **Script File (required)**, click **upload**, select the saved .ps1 deployment script, and then click **OK**.



The screenshot shows the 'Add Extension' blade in the Azure portal. Under the 'Script File (required)' section, there is a text input field containing 'deploymentscript.ps1' and a file upload icon (a square with a plus sign). Below the input field, a green progress bar is shown, and the text 'deploymentscript.ps1' and 'done' are displayed, indicating the file has been successfully uploaded.

Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces

Note: The Deep Security Agent only supports Amazon WorkSpaces Windows desktops—it does not support Linux desktops.

Read this page if you want to protect *existing* Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces with Deep Security.

If instead you want to:

- launch *new* Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces with the agent 'baked in', see ["Bake the agent into your AMI or WorkSpace bundle" on page 267](#).

- protect Amazon WorkSpaces after already protecting your Amazon EC2 instances, see instead ["Protect Amazon WorkSpaces if you already added your AWS account" on page 389](#).

To protect your existing Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces with Deep Security, follow these steps:

1. ["Add your AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager" below](#)
2. ["Set the communication direction" below](#)
3. ["Configure the activation type" on the next page](#)
4. ["Open ports" on page 264](#)
5. ["Deploy agents to your Amazon EC2 instances and WorkSpaces" on page 265](#)
6. ["Verify that the agent was installed and activated properly" on page 266](#)
7. ["Assign a policy" on page 266](#)

Add your AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager

You'll need to add your AWS account or accounts to Deep Security Manager. These AWS accounts contain the Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces that you want to protect with Deep Security.

Follow the instructions in ["Add AWS cloud accounts" on page 378](#) to add your AWS accounts.

After adding your AWS accounts:

- your existing Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces appear in Deep Security Manager. If no agent is installed on them, they appear with a **Status of Unmanaged (Unknown)** and a grey dot next to them. If an agent was already installed, they appear with a **Status of Managed (Online)** and green dot next to them.
- any new Amazon EC2 instances or Amazon WorkSpaces that you launch through AWS under this AWS account are auto-detected by Deep Security Manager and displayed in the list of computers.

Set the communication direction

You'll need to set the communication direction: either agent-initiated, manager-initiated, or bi-directional.

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. Set the communication direction following the instructions in ["Configure communication directionality" on page 275](#). Follow these guidelines:

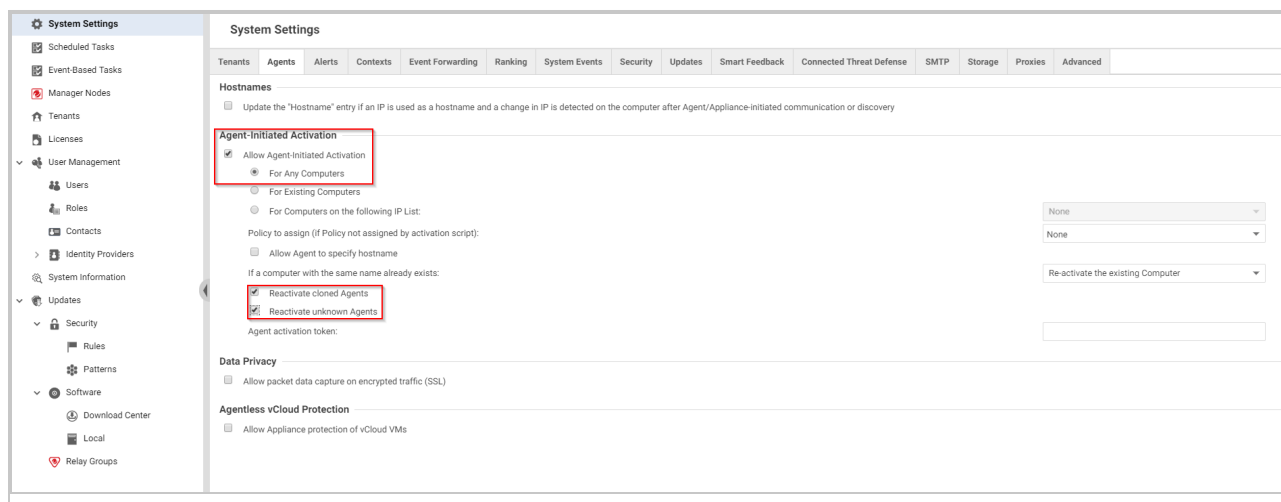
- **Agent/Appliance Initiated** does not require you to open inbound ports on the Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace, while **Bidirectional** and **Manager-Initiated** do.
 - **Agent/Appliance Initiated** is the safest option since no inbound ports need to be opened on the Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace.
3. If you're using Amazon WorkSpaces, and you chose to set the communication direction to **Bidirectional** or **Manager-Initiated**, [manually assign an elastic IP address to each WorkSpace](#) before proceeding with further steps on this page. This gives the WorkSpace a public IP that can be contacted by the Deep Security Manager. This is not required for EC2 instances because they already use public IP addresses. WorkSpaces use private IP addresses.

Configure the activation type

'Activation' is the process of registering an agent with a manager. You'll need to indicate whether you'll allow agent-initiated activation. If not, only manager-initiated activation is allowed.

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. Click **Administration** at the top.
3. On the left, click **System Settings**.
4. In the main pane, make sure the **Agents** tab is selected.
5. Select or deselect **Allow Agent-Initiated Activation**, noting that:
 - Agent-initiated activation does not require you to open up inbound ports to your Amazon EC2 instances or Amazon WorkSpaces, while manager-initiated activation does.
 - If agent-initiated activation is enabled, manager-initiated activation continues to work.
 - Agent-initiated activation works even if you set the communication direction to **Manager-Initiated**.
6. If you selected **Allow Agent-Initiated Activation**, also select **Reactivate cloned Agents**, and **Enable Reactivate unknown Agents**. See ["Agent settings" on page 305](#) for more information.
7. Click **Save**.
8. If you're using Amazon WorkSpaces, and you *didn't* allow agent-initiated activation, [manually assign an elastic IP address to each WorkSpace now](#), before proceeding with further steps on this page. This gives each Amazon WorkSpace a public IP that can be contacted by other computers. This is not required for EC2 instances because they already

use public IP addresses.



Open ports

You'll need to make sure that the necessary ports are open to your Amazon EC2 instances or Amazon WorkSpaces.

To open ports:

1. Open ports to your Amazon EC2 instances, as follows:
 - a. Log in to your [Amazon Web Services Console](#).
 - b. Go to **EC2 > Network & Security > Security Groups**.
 - c. Select the security group that is associated with your EC2 instances, then select **Actions > Edit outbound rules**.
 - d. Open the necessary ports. See "[Which ports should be opened?](#)" below below.
2. Open ports to your Amazon WorkSpaces, as follows:
 - a. Go to the firewall software that is protecting your Amazon WorkSpaces, and open the ports listed above.

You have now opened the necessary ports so that Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Manager can communicate.

Which ports should be opened?

Generally-speaking:

- agent-to-manager communication requires you to open the outbound TCP port (443 or 80, by default), while
- manager-to-agent communication requires you to open an inbound TCP port (4118).

More specifically:

- If you set the communication direction to **Agent/Appliance-Initiated**, you'll need to open the *outbound* TCP port (443 or 80, by default).
- If you set the communication direction to **Manager-Initiated**, you'll need to open the *inbound* TCP port of 4118.
- If you set the communication direction to **Bidirectional**, you'll need to open both the *outbound* TCP port (443 or 80, by default) AND the *inbound* TCP port of 4118.
- If you enabled **Allow Agent-Initiated Activation**, you'll need to open the *outbound* TCP port (443 or 80, by default) regardless of how you set the communication direction.
- If you disabled **Allow Agent-Initiated Activation**, you'll need to open the *inbound* TCP port of 4118 regardless of how you set the communication direction.

Deploy agents to your Amazon EC2 instances and WorkSpaces

You'll need to deploy agents onto your Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces. Below are a couple of options.

- **Option 1: Use a deployment script to install, activate, and assign a policy**

Use Option 1 if you need to deploy agents to many Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces.

With this option, you must run a deployment script on the Amazon EC2 instances or Amazon WorkSpaces. The script installs and activates the agent and then assigns a policy. See ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#) for details.

OR

- **Option 2: Manually install and activate**

Use Option 2 if you only need to deploy agents to a few EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces.

- a. Get the Deep Security Agent software, copy it to the Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace, and then install it. For details, see ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#), and ["Manually install the Deep Security Agent" on page 254](#).
- b. Activate the agent. You can do so on the agent (if agent-initiated activation was enabled) or on the Deep Security Manager. For details, see ["Activate the agent" on page 302](#)

You have now installed and activated Deep Security Agent on an Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace. A policy may or may not have been assigned, depending on the option you chose. If you chose Option 1 (you used a deployment script), a policy was assigned to the agent during activation. If you chose Option 2 (you manually installed and activated the agent), then no policy has been assigned, and you will need to assign one following the instructions further down on this page.

Verify that the agent was installed and activated properly

You should verify that your agent was installed and activated properly.

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. Click **Computers** at the top.
3. On the navigation pane on the left, make sure your Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace appears under **Computers** > *your_AWS_account* > *your_region* . (Look for WorkSpaces in a **WorkSpaces** sub-node.)
4. In the main pane, make sure your Amazon EC2 instances or Amazon WorkSpaces appear with a **Status** of **Managed (Online)** and a green dot next to them.

Assign a policy

Skip this step if you ran a deployment script to install and activate the agent. The script already assigned a policy so no further action is required.

If you installed and activated the agent manually, you must assign a policy to the agent. Assigning the policy sends the necessary protection modules to the agent so that your computer is protected.

To assign a policy, see ["Assign a policy to a computer" on page 432](#).

After assigning a policy, your Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace is now protected.

Bake the agent into your AMI or WorkSpace bundle

Read this page if you want to launch *new* Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces with the agent 'baked in'.

If instead you want to:

- protect *existing* Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces with Deep Security, see ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#).
- protect Amazon WorkSpaces after already protecting your Amazon EC2 instances, see instead ["Protect Amazon WorkSpaces if you already added your AWS account" on page 389](#).

'Baking the agent' is the process of launching an EC2 instance based on a public AMI, installing the agent on it, and then saving this custom EC2 image as an AMI. This AMI (with the agent 'baked in') can then be selected when launching new Amazon EC2 instances.

Similarly, if you want to deploy the Deep Security Agent on multiple Amazon WorkSpaces, you can create a custom 'WorkSpace bundle' that includes the agent. The custom bundle can then be selected when launching new Amazon WorkSpaces.

To bake an AMI and create a custom WorkSpace bundle with a pre-installed and pre-activated agent, follow these steps:

1. ["Add your AWS account to Deep Security Manager" below](#)
2. ["Set the communication direction" on the next page](#)
3. ["Configure the activation type" on the next page](#)
4. ["Launch a 'master' Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace" on the next page](#)
5. ["Deploy an agent on the master" on the next page](#)
6. ["Verify that the agent was installed and activated properly" on page 269](#)
7. ["\(Recommended\) Set up policy auto-assignment" on page 269](#)
8. ["Create an AMI or custom WorkSpace bundle based on the master" on page 270](#)
9. ["Use the AMI" on page 270](#)

Add your AWS account to Deep Security Manager

You'll need to add your AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager. These are the AWS accounts that will contain the Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces that you want to protect.

See ["Add AWS cloud accounts" on page 378](#) for instructions.

Set the communication direction

You'll need to set the communication direction: either agent-initiated, manager-initiated, or bidirectional.

See ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#) > ["Set the communication direction" on page 262](#) for instructions.

Configure the activation type

You'll need to indicate whether you'll allow agent-initiated activation.

See ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#) > ["Configure the activation type" on page 263](#) for instructions.

Launch a 'master' Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace

You'll need to launch a 'master' Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace. The master instance is the basis for the EC2 AMI or WorkSpace bundle that you will create later.

1. In AWS, launch an Amazon EC2 instance or Amazon WorkSpace. See the [Amazon EC2 documentation](#) and [Amazon WorkSpaces documentation](#) for details.
2. Call the instance 'master'.

Deploy an agent on the master

You'll need to install and activate the agent on the master. During this process, you can optionally install a policy.

See ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#) > ["Deploy agents to your Amazon EC2 instances and WorkSpaces" on page 265](#) for instructions.

Tip: Ideally, if you bake the agent into your AMI or workspace bundle and then want to use a newer agent later on, you should update the bundle to include the new agent. However, if that's not possible, you can use the **Automatically upgrade agents on activation** setting so when the agent in the AMI or bundle activates itself, Deep Security Manager can automatically upgrade the agent to the latest version. For details, see ["Automatically upgrade agents on activation" on page 270](#).

Verify that the agent was installed and activated properly

You should verify that the agent was installed and activated properly on the master before proceeding.

See ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#) > ["Verify that the agent was installed and activated properly" on page 266](#) for instructions.

(Recommended) Set up policy auto-assignment

You may need to set up policy auto-assignment depending on how you deployed the agent on the master:

- If you used a deployment script, then a policy has already been assigned, and no further action is required.
- If you manually installed and activated the agent, no policy was assigned to the agent, and one should be assigned now so that the master is protected. The Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces that are launched based on the master will also be protected.

If you want to assign a policy to the master, as well as auto-assign a policy to future EC2 instances and WorkSpaces that are launched using the master, follow these instructions:

1. In Deep Security Manager, create an event-based task with these parameters:
 - Set the **Event** to **Agent-Initiated Activation**.
 - Set **Assign Policy** to the policy you want to assign.
 - (Optional) Set a condition to **Cloud Instance Metadata**, with
 - a **tagKey** of **EC2** and a **tagValue.*** of **True** (for an EC2 instance)
OR
 - a **tagKey** of **WorkSpaces** and a **tagValue.*** of **True** (for WorkSpaces)

The above event-based task says:

When an agent is activated, assign the specified policy, on condition that `EC2=true` or `WorkSpaces=true` exists in the Amazon EC2 instance or WorkSpace.

If that key/value pair does not exist in the EC2 instance or WorkSpace, then the policy is not assigned (but the agent is still activated). If you do not specify a condition, then the policy is assigned on activation unconditionally.

For details on creating event-based tasks, see ["Automatically assign policies by AWS instance tags" on page 369](#).

2. If you added a key/value pair in Deep Security Manager in the previous step, do the following:
 - a. Go to AWS.
 - b. Find your master EC2 instance or Workspace.
 - c. Add tags to the master with a **Key** of **EC2** or **WorkSpaces** and a **Value** of **True**. For details, see this [Amazon EC2 documentation on tagging](#), and this [Amazon Workspace documentation on tagging](#).
You have now set up policy auto-assignment. New Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces that are launched using the master are activated automatically (since the agent is pre-activated on the master), and then auto-assigned a policy through the event-based task.
3. On the master EC2 instance or Workspace, reactivate the agent by re-running the activation command on the agent, or by clicking the **Reactivate** button in Deep Security Manager. For details, see ["Activate the agent" on page 302](#)
The re-activation causes the event-based task to assign the policy to the master. The master is now protected.

You are now ready to bake your AMI or create a custom Workspace bundle.

Create an AMI or custom Workspace bundle based on the master

- To create an AMI on Linux, see [this Amazon documentation](#).
- To create an AMI on Windows, see [this Amazon documentation](#).
- To create a custom Workspace bundle, see [this Amazon documentation](#).

You now have an AMI or Workspace bundle that includes a pre-installed and pre-activated agent.

Use the AMI

Now that you have a custom AMI or Workspace bundle, you can use it as the basis for future Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces. With the custom AMI or bundle, Deep Security Agent starts up automatically, activates itself, and applies the protection policy assigned to it. It appears in Deep Security Manager with a **Status** of **Managed** and a green dot next to it.

Automatically upgrade agents on activation

If your environment includes Deep Security Agents installed on Linux computers, you can choose to automatically upgrade those agents to the latest software version that's available from

Administration > Updates > Software > Local when the agent is activated or reactivated.

Note: This feature is currently available only on Linux computers. Support for Windows and Unix is planned for a future release.

Ideally, if you ["Bake the agent into your AMI or Workspace bundle" on page 267](#) and then want to use a newer agent, you should update the bundle to include the new agent. However, if that's not possible, you can use the **Automatically upgrade agents on activation** setting so when the agent in the AMI or bundle activates itself, Deep Security Manager can automatically upgrade the agent to the latest version.

This feature works with these operating systems:

- Red Hat Enterprise Linux
- Ubuntu
- CentOS
- Debian
- Amazon Linux
- Oracle Linux
- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server
- Cloud Linux

Enable automatic agent upgrade

1. Make sure the latest agent software and kernel support packages are available in Deep Security Manager. You can configure Deep Security Manager to automatically download software updates, or import them manually. For details, see ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#).
2. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Agents**.
3. Under **Agent Upgrade**, select **Automatically upgrade agents on activation**.
4. Click **Save**.

Check that agents were upgraded successfully

The **Version** column on the **Computers** page displays the installed Deep Security Agent version for each computer.

In addition, when an automatic agent upgrade is triggered, ["System events" on page 1020](#) are generated that you can use to track the status of the upgrade. You can check for these system events:

ID	Event	Description
264	Agent software Upgrade Requested	An agent software upgrade has been triggered, either manually or by an automatic agent upgrade.
277	Auto Agent Software Upgrade Skipped	The agent was eligible for an automatic upgrade, but the upgrade did not occur. The event details list the existing agent version and the attempted upgrade version, along with the reason the upgrade failed. The reasons can be: • The agent was not upgraded automatically because the upgrade requires an agent reboot. You can manually upgrade the agent and reboot the system. See "Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808. • The agent was not upgraded automatically because a required Linux kernel support file was not found. Deep Security Manager usually downloads required Linux kernel support packages automatically, but you can also download and import packages to Deep Security Manager manually and then upgrade the agent. See "Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251. • The agent was not upgraded automatically because the auto-upgrade feature does not support the currently installed OS. You may be able to upgrade the agent manually. See "Manually install the Deep Security Agent" on page 254.
706	Software Update: Agent Software Upgraded	The upgrade was successful.

ID	Event	Description
707	Software Update: Agent Software Upgrade Failed	The upgrade was not successful. Refer to the event details for more information about why it was not successful.

Configure communication between components

Generally, communication-related settings only need to be configured once and then rarely changed.

- ["Agent-manager communication" below](#)
- ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#)
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Agent-manager communication

Deep Security Manager and the agent communicate using the latest mutually-supported version of TLS.

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Configure the heartbeat

A 'heartbeat' is a periodic communication between the Deep Security Manager and agent. During a heartbeat, the manager collects this information:

- the status of the drivers (on- or off-line)
- the status of the agent (including clock time)
- agent logs since the last heartbeat
- data to update counters
- a fingerprint of the agent security configuration (used to determine if it is up to date)

The heartbeat can be configured on a base or parent policy, on a sub-policy, or on an individual computer.

You can configure the following properties of the heartbeat:

- **Heartbeat Interval:** How much time passes between heartbeats.
- **Number of Heartbeats that can be missed before an alert is raised:** The number of consecutively missed heartbeats that triggers an alert. For example, a value of three causes the manager to trigger an alert on the fourth missed heartbeat.)

Note: If the computer is a server, too many missed heartbeats in a row may indicate a problem with the agent or the computer itself. However if the computer is a laptop or any other system that is likely to experience a sustained loss of connectivity, this setting should be set to "unlimited".

- **Maximum change (in minutes) of the local system time on the computer between heartbeats before an alert is raised:** For agents that are capable of detecting changes to the system clock (Windows agents only) these events are reported to the manager as agent event 5004. If the change exceeds the clock change listed here then an alert is triggered. For agents that do not support this capability, the manager monitors the system time reported by the agent at each heartbeat operation and triggers an alert if it detects a change greater than the permissible change specified in this setting.

Note: Once a **Computer-Clock-Changed** alert is triggered, it must be dismissed manually.

- **Raise Offline Errors For Inactive Virtual Machines:** Sets whether an offline error is raised if the virtual machine is stopped.

1. Open the **Policy editor**¹ or the **Computer editor**² for the policy or computer to configure.
2. Go to **Settings > General > Heartbeat**.
3. Change the properties as required.
4. Click **Save**.

Configure communication directionality

Note: Bidirectional communication is enabled by default.

Configure whether the agent or the manager initiates communication. 'Communication' includes the heartbeat and all other communications. The following options are available:

- Bidirectional:** The agent normally initiates the heartbeat and also listens on the agent's listening port number for connections from the Deep Security Manager. (See "[Deep Security port numbers](#)" on page 207.) The manager can contact the agent to perform required operations. The manager can apply changes to the security configuration of the agent.
- **Manager Initiated:** The manager initiates all communication with the agent. These communications include security configuration updates, heartbeat operations, and requests for event logs. If you choose this option, we strongly recommend that you "[Protect Deep Security Agent](#)" on page 829 so that it only accepts connections from known Deep Security Managers.
- **Agent Initiated:** The agent does not listen for connections from the manager. Instead they contact the manager on the port number where the Manager listens for agent heartbeats. (See "[Deep Security port numbers](#)" on page 207.) Once the agent has established a TCP connection with the manager, all normal communication takes place: the manager first asks the agent for its status and for any events. (This is the heartbeat operation.) If there are outstanding operations that need to be performed on the computer (for example, the policy needs to be updated), these operations are performed before the connection is closed. Communications between the manager and the agent only occur on every heartbeat. If an agent's security configuration has changed, it is not updated until the next heartbeat.

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

²To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: For instructions on how to configure agent-initiated activation and use deployments scripts to activate agents, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

Note: To enable communications between the Manager and the agents, the manager automatically implements a (hidden) firewall rule (priority four, Bypass) that opens the listening port number for heartbeats on the agents to incoming TCP/IP traffic. By default, it will accept connection attempts from any IP address and any MAC address. You can restrict incoming traffic on this port by creating a new priority 4, Force Allow or Bypass firewall rule that only allows incoming TCP/IP traffic from specific IP or MAC addresses, or both. This new firewall rule would replace the hidden firewall rule if the settings match these settings:

action: force allow or bypass

priority: 4 - highest

packet's direction: incoming

frame type: IP

protocol: TCP

packet's destination port: agent's listening port number for heartbeat connections from the manager, or a list that includes the port number. (See [agent listening port number](#).)

While these settings are in effect, the new rule will replace the hidden rule. You can then type packet source information for IP or MAC addresses, or both, to restrict traffic to the computer.

1. Open the **Policy editor**¹ or the **Computer editor**² for the policy or computer to configure.
2. Go to **Settings > General > Communication Direction**.
3. In the **Direction of Deep Security Manager to Agent/Appliance communication** menu, select one of the three options ("Manager Initiated", "agent/appliance Initiated", or "Bidirectional"), or choose "Inherited". If you select "Inherited", the policy or computer inherits the setting from its parent policy. Selecting one of the other options overrides the inherited setting.
4. Click **Save** to apply the changes.

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

²To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: Agents look for the Deep Security Manager on the network by the Manager's hostname. Therefore the Manager's hostname **must** be in your local DNS for agent--initiated or bidirectional communication to work.

Supported cipher suites for agent-manager communication

Deep Security Manager and the agent communicate using the latest mutually-supported version of TLS.

The Deep Security Agent supports the following cipher suites for communication with the manager. If you need to know the cipher suites supported by the Deep Security Manager, contact Trend Micro.

The cipher suites consist of a key exchange asymmetric algorithm, a symmetric data encryption algorithm and a hash function.

- ["Deep Security Agent 9.5 cipher suites" below](#)
- ["Deep Security Agent 9.6 cipher suites" on the next page](#)
- ["Deep Security Agent 10.0 cipher suites" on the next page](#)
- ["Deep Security Agent 11.0 cipher suites" on page 279](#)
- ["Deep Security Agent 12.0 cipher suites" on page 280](#)

Deep Security Agent 9.5 cipher suites

Deep Security Agent 9.5 (without SPs, patches, or updates) supports these TLS 1.0 cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA

Deep Security Agent 9.5 SP1 - 9.5 SP1 Patch 3 Update 2 supports these cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA

Deep Security Agent 9.5 SP1 Patch 3 Update 3 - 8 supports these cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA

Deep Security Agent 9.6 cipher suites

Deep Security Agent 9.6 (without SPs, patches, or updates) - 9.6 Patch 1 supports these TLS 1.0 cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA

Deep Security Agent 9.6 Patch 2 - 9.6 SP1 Patch 1 Update 4 supports these cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA

Deep Security Agent 9.6 SP1 Patch 1 Updates 5 - 21 supports these cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA

Deep Security Agent 10.0 cipher suites

Deep Security Agent 10.0 up to Update 15 supports these TLS 1.2 cipher suites:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

Deep Security Agent 10.0 Update 16 and later updates supports these TLS 1.2 cipher suites, out-of-box:

- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

Deep Security Agent 10.0 Update 16 and later updates supports these TLS 1.2 cipher suites, and only these suites, if [strong cipher suites are enabled](#):

- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

Deep Security Agent 11.0 cipher suites

Deep Security Agent 11.0 up to Update 4 supports these cipher suites:

- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

Deep Security Agent 11.0 Update 6 and later updates supports these TLS 1.2 cipher suites:

[In FIPS mode](#), these TLS 1.2 suites are supported:

- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

In non-FIPS mode, these TLS 1.2 suites, and only these suites, are supported:

- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

Deep Security Agent 12.0 cipher suites

In [FIPS mode](#), these TLS 1.2 suites are supported:

- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
- TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

In non-FIPS mode, these TLS 1.2 suites, and only these suites, are supported:

- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384
- TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256

SSL implementation and credential provisioning

The Deep Security Agent may initiate communication to Deep Security Manager or it may be contacted by the manager if the computer object is set to operate in bi-directional mode. Deep Security Manager treats all connections to agents in a similar way. If the agent has not been activated, a limited set of interactions are possible. If the agent has been activated (either by an administrator or via the agent-initiated activation feature), the full set of interactions are enabled. The Deep Security Manager acts as an HTTP client in all cases, regardless of whether it was the client when forming the TCP connection. Agents cannot ask for data or initiate operations themselves. The manager requests information such as events and status, invokes operations, or pushes configuration to the agent. This security domain is highly controlled to ensure that agents have no access to Deep Security Manager or the computer that it is running on.

Both agent and manager use two different security contexts to establish the secure channel for HTTP requests:

1. Before activation, the agent accepts the bootstrap certificate to form the SSL or TLS channel.
2. After authentication, mutual authentication is required to initiate the connection. For mutual authentication, the manager's certificate is sent to the agent and the agent's certificate is sent to the manager. The agent validates that the certificates come from the same certificate authority (which is the Deep Security Manager) before privileged access is granted.

Once the secure channel is established, the agent acts as the server for the HTTP communication. It has limited access to the manager and can only respond to requests. The secure channel provides authentication, confidentiality through encryption, and integrity. The use of mutual authentication protects against man-in-the-middle (MiTM) attacks where the SSL communication channel is proxied through a malicious third party. Within the stream, the inner content uses GZIP and the configuration is further encrypted using PKCS #7.

Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication

When you enable agent-initiated activation (AIA), instead of the Deep Security Manager contacting the agents directly, the agents initiate communication with the manager and establish an encrypted TCP connection over the manager heartbeat [port](#) (4120 by default).

Enabling AIA can prevent communication issues between the manager and agents, and simplify agent deployment when used with deployment scripts. Trend Micro recommends that you use AIA if:

- Your network environment prevents the manager from initiating connections to agents.
- You need to deploy many agents at once.
- You are protecting computers in cloud accounts.

Note: Before enabling AIA, ensure that agents can reach the manager URL and heartbeat port. You can find the manager URL(s) and heartbeat port under **Administration > System Information > System Details > Manager Node**.

Enable agent-initiated activation and communication

Proceed with the following steps:

1. ["Create or modify policies with agent-initiated communication enabled" below.](#)
2. ["Enable agent-initiated activation" on the next page.](#)
3. ["Assign the policy to agents" on the next page.](#)
4. ["Use a deployment script to activate the agents" on the next page.](#)

Create or modify policies with agent-initiated communication enabled

For your agents to continue initiating communication with the manager after activation, you'll need to enable agent-initiated communication on any policies the agents will use. You can do this

by either modifying an existing policy or by creating a new one, which you'll assign to the agents.

Tip: You can quickly create a new policy from an existing policy by right-clicking it and selecting **Duplicate**.

1. On the **Policies** page, double-click the policy.
2. Go to **Settings > General**.
3. Under Communication Direction, select **Agent/Appliance Initiated**.
4. Click **Save**.

Enable agent-initiated activation

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Agents**.
2. Select **Allow Agent-Initiated Activation**.
3. Select **Allow Agent to specify hostname**.
4. From the **If a computer with the same name exists** list, select **Re-activate the existing computer**.
5. Click **Save**.

Note: For a full description of each AIA setting, see the [Agent-Initiated Activation](#) section of "Agent settings" on page 305.

Assign the policy to agents

You can either assign the policy to the agents during the deployment script configuration, or by using an event-based task after the deployment script has been run.

If all the agents will use the same policy, you can assign the policy in the deployment script as part of the next step. If groups of agents need to use different policies, [create an event-based task to assign the policies](#) before proceeding with the next step.

Use a deployment script to activate the agents

See the [Generate a deployment](#) section of "Generate a deployment script" on page 365 to learn how to use a deployment script to activate the agents. If you are assigning a policy during deployment script configuration, you'll select it from the **Security Policy** list.

Connect agents behind a proxy

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Scoping Environment Pt2 - Network Communication](#) on YouTube to review the network communication related to the different Deep Security components.

To protect computers that require a proxy to access the Internet, Deep Security Manager, or relays, you need to configure Deep Security Manager with the proxy's address. It will give this information to agents. (Alternatively, you can [use the CLI to configure proxy settings locally on the agent](#).)

In this topic:

- ["Requirements" below](#)
- ["Register the proxy in Deep Security Manager" below](#)
- ["Connect agents, appliances, and relays to security updates via proxy" below](#)
- ["Connect agents to security services via proxy" on the next page](#)
- ["Connect agents to a relay via proxy" on page 285](#)
- ["Remove a proxy setting" on page 285](#)
- ["Subsequent agent deployments" on page 286](#)

Requirements

Deep Security Agent 10.0 or later (not GA) is required if connecting agents to a relay or manager via proxy (especially for application control rulesets).

Register the proxy in Deep Security Manager

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Proxies**.
2. In the **Proxy Servers** area, create a new HTTP proxy by clicking **New** in the menu bar.
3. Enter the protocol, IP Address, port number, user name and password.

Connect agents, appliances, and relays to security updates via proxy

Alternatively, you can [use the command line to configure proxy use](#) instead.

1. Still on the **Proxies** tab, in the **Proxy Server Use** area, change the **Primary Security Update Proxy used by Agents, Appliances, and Relays** setting to point to the new proxy.
2. Click **Save**.

Connect agents to security services via proxy

1. On Deep Security Manager, click **Policies** at the top.
2. On the left, click **Policies**.
3. In the main pane, double-click the policy that you use to protect computers that are behind the proxy.
4. Set up a proxy to the Global Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Services as follows:
 - a. Click **Settings** on the left.
 - b. In the main pane, click the **General** tab.
 - c. In the main pane, look for the **Network Setting for Census and Good File Reputation Service, and Predictive Machine Learning** section.
 - d. If the **Inherited** check box is selected, the proxy settings are inherited from the parent policy. To change the settings for this policy or computer, clear the check box.
 - e. Select **When accessing Global Server, use proxy** and in the list, select your proxy, or select **New** to specify another proxy.
 - f. Save your settings.
5. Set up a proxy to the Smart Protection Network for use with anti-malware:
 - a. Click **Anti-Malware** on the left.
 - b. In the main pane, click the **Smart Protection** tab.
 - c. Under **Smart Protection Server for File Reputation Service**, if the **Inherited** check box is selected, the proxy settings are inherited from the parent policy. To change the settings for this policy or computer, clear the check box.
 - d. Select **Connect directly to Global Smart Protection Service**.
 - e. Select **When accessing Global Smart Protection Service, use proxy** and in the list, select your proxy or select **New** to specify another proxy.
 - f. Specify your proxy settings and click **OK**.
 - g. Save your settings.
6. Set up a proxy to the Smart Protection Network for use with web reputation:
 - a. Click **Web Reputation** on the left.
 - b. In the main pane, click the **Smart Protection** tab.
 - c. Under **Smart Protection Server for Web Reputation Service**, set up your proxy, the same way you did under **Anti-Malware** in a previous step.
 - d. With **Web Reputation** still selected on the left, click the **Advanced** tab.
 - e. In the **Ports** section, select a group of port numbers that includes your proxy's listening port number, and then click **Save**. For example, if you're using a Squid proxy server, you would select the **Port List Squid Web Server**. If you don't see an appropriate group of port numbers, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Port Lists** and then click

- New** to set up your ports.
- f. Save your settings.

Your agents can now connect to Trend Micro security services over the Internet through a proxy.

Connect agents to a relay via proxy

1. In the top right-hand corner of Deep Security Manager, click **Support > Deployment Scripts**.
2. From **Proxy to contact Relay(s)**, select a proxy.
3. Copy the script or save it.
4. Run the script on the computer.

Connect agents to a relay's private IP address

If your relay has an elastic IP address, agents within an AWS VPC may not be able to reach the relay via that IP address. Instead, they must use the private IP address of the relay group.

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings**.
2. In the **System Settings** area, click the **Updates** tab.
3. Under **Software Updates**, in the window **Alternate software update distribution server(s) to replace Deep Security Relays**, type:

```
https://<IP>:<port>/
```

where **<IP>** is the private network IP address of the relay, and **<port>** is the [relay port number](#)

4. Click **Add**.
5. Click **Save**.

Note: If your relay group's private IP changes, you must manually update this setting. It will not be updated automatically.

Remove a proxy setting

If you've installed an agent with a deployment script that adds proxy settings that you no longer require, you can remove the setting by entering the following commands in a command line:

Windows

```
>C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security\dsa_control -x ""
```

```
C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security\dsa_control -y ""
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -x ""
```

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -y ""
```

Subsequent agent deployments

After your initial deployment, if you add more agents, modify their deployment scripts to use the proxy in the **Deployment Scripts Generator**.

Configure agents that have no internet access

If your agents or relays don't have access to the internet (also called "air-gapped agents"), then they won't be able to access several of the security services provided by the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network. These security services are necessary for the full and successful operation of the Deep Security Anti-Malware and Web Reputation features.

The Trend Micro Smart Protection Network security services are:

Service name	Required for these features
Smart Scan Service	Smart Scan
Web Reputation Service	Web Reputation
Global Census Service	behavior monitoring , predictive machine learning
Good File Reputation Service	behavior monitoring , predictive machine learning , process memory scans
Predictive Machine Learning Service	predictive machine learning

In addition to the above services, the agent and relay-enabled agent also need access to the Trend Micro Update Server (also called Active Update), which is not part of the Smart Protection Network, but is a component that is hosted by Trend Micro and accessed over the internet.

If any of your agents or relay-enabled agents can't reach the services above, you have several solutions, described below.

Solutions

- Solution 1: ["Use a proxy" below](#)
- Solution 2: ["Install a Smart Protection Server locally " below](#)
- Solution 3: ["Get updates in an isolated network" on the next page](#)
- Solution 4: ["Disable the features that use Trend Micro security services" on page 291](#)

Use a proxy

If your agents or relay-enabled agents can't connect to the internet, you can install a proxy that can. Your Deep Security Agents and relays connect to the proxy, and the proxy then connects outbound to the Trend Micro security services in the Smart Protection Network.

Note: With a proxy, each Smart Scan or Web Reputation request goes out over the internet to the Smart Protection Network. Consider instead [using a Smart Protection Server inside your LAN](#) to keep these requests within your network and reduce extranet bandwidth usage.

To use a proxy, see ["Connect agents behind a proxy" on page 283](#)

Install a Smart Protection Server locally

If your agents and relay-enabled agents can't connect to the internet, you can install a Smart Protection Server in your local area network (LAN) to which they *can* connect. The local Smart Protection Server periodically connects outbound over the internet to the Smart Protection Network to retrieve the latest Smart Scan Anti-Malware patterns and Web Reputation information. This information is cached on the Smart Protection Server and queried by your agents and relay-enabled agents. The Smart Protection Server does not push updates to the agents or relay-enabled agents.

If you decide to use this solution, remember that:

- Functionality is limited. Only the [Smart Scan](#) and [Web Reputation](#) features are supported with a local Smart Protection Server.

- Use the proxy solution if you need the [behavior monitoring](#), [predictive machine learning](#), and [process memory scanning](#) features. See "Use a proxy" on the previous page above for details. If you decide not to use these features, you must disable them to prevent a query failure and to improve performance. For instructions on disabling these features, see ["Disable the features that use Trend Micro security services" on page 291](#)

To deploy a Smart Protection Server:

- install it manually. See the [Smart Protection Server documentation](#) for details.
OR
- if your agents or relay-enabled agents are inside AWS, install it using an AWS CloudFormation template created by Trend Micro. See [Deploy a Smart Protection Server in AWS](#) for details.

The scenario described above applies when only the Deep Security Agent and relay-enabled agent are air-gapped, but Deep Security Manager has internet access or proxy access as described in ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#). If Deep Security Manager is also air-gapped, you will need to use a proxy to receive security updates from the Trend Micro Active Update Server. Alternatively, use Solution 3: ["Get updates in an isolated network" below](#).

Get updates in an isolated network

If your Deep Security Manager is in an isolated network without connection to the internet and your agents or relay-enabled agents also can't connect to the internet, you can install an additional stand-alone Deep Security Manager with database and a relay-enabled agent in your [demilitarized zone \(DMZ\)](#) or another area where internet access is available.

Once all the components are installed, you can configure the relay-enabled agent in the DMZ to automatically obtain the latest malware scan updates from the Update Server on the internet. These updates must be extracted to a .zip file, and then manually copied to your air-gapped relay. (Detailed instructions follow.)

If you decide to use this solution, remember that:

- The .zip file contains traditional (large) malware patterns, which give you basic Anti-Malware capabilities.
- The .zip file also contains Deep Security Rule Updates, which are used for [Intrusion Prevention](#), [Integrity Monitoring](#), and [Log Inspection](#). You can also choose to obtain those updates separately (See ["Get rules updates in an isolated network" on page 291](#)).

- The following advanced Anti-Malware features are *not* available: [Smart Scan](#), [behavior monitoring](#), [predictive machine learning](#), [process memory scans](#), and [Web Reputation](#). These features all require access to Trend Micro security services.
- You should [disable the advanced Anti-Malware features](#) (Solution 4) since they cannot be used.
- You should have a plan in place to periodically update the .zip file on your air-gapped relay to ensure you always have the latest malware patterns.

To deploy this solution, follow these steps (for upgrade steps, see below):

1. Install a Deep Security Manager and its associated database in your DMZ. We'll call these internet-facing components the 'DMZ manager' and 'DMZ database'.
2. Install a Deep Security Agent in your DMZ and configure it as a relay. We'll call this agent the 'DMZ relay'. For information on setting up relays, see ["Distribute security and software updates with relays" on page 308](#).

The following items are now installed:

- a DMZ manager
 - a DMZ database
 - a DMZ relay
 - an air-gapped manager
 - an air-gapped database
 - an air-gapped relay
 - multiple air-gapped agents
3. On the DMZ relay, create a .zip file containing the latest malware patterns by running this command:

```
dsa_control -b
```

The command line output shows the name and location of the .zip file that was generated.

4. Copy the .zip file to the air-gapped relay. Place the file in the relay's installation directory.
 - On Windows the default directory is `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent`.
 - On Linux the default directory is `/opt/ds_agent`.

Note: Do not rename the .zip file.

5. On the air-gapped manager, initiate a security update download:
 - a. Click **Computers** at the top.
 - b. In the list of computers, find your air-gapped relay where you copied the .zip file, right-click it and select **Download Security Update**.

The air-gapped relay checks its configured update source (typically the Update Server on the internet). Since it can't connect to this server, it checks the .zip file in its installation directory. When it finds the .zip file, it extracts it and imports the updates. The updates are then disseminated to the air-gapped agents that are configured to connect to the relay.
 - c. Delete the .zip file after the updates are imported to the air-gapped relay.
6. Configure the air-gapped relay to connect to itself instead of the Update Server (to prevent connection error alerts):
 - a. Log in to the air-gapped manager.
 - b. Click **Administration** on the top.
 - c. On the left, click **System Settings**.
 - d. In the main pane, click the **Updates** tab.
 - e. Under **Primary Security Update Source**, select **Other update source** and enter `https://localhost:[port]` where [port] is the [configured port number for security updates](#), by default 4122.
 - f. Click **OK**.

The air-gapped relay no longer tries to connect to the Update Server on the internet.
7. (Optional but recommended.) To improve performance, ["Disable the features that use Trend Micro security services" on the next page](#).
8. On a periodic basis, download the latest updates to your DMZ relay, zip them up, copy them to your air-gapped relay, and initiate a security update download on the relay.

You have now deployed a Deep Security Manager, associated database, and relay in your DMZ from which to obtain malware scan updates.

To upgrade this solution, upgrade in this order:

1. DMZ manager (and its database, if the database software also needs to be upgraded)
2. DMZ relay
3. air-gapped manager (and its database, if the database software also needs to be upgraded)
4. air-gapped relay
5. air-gapped agents

Warning: If you do not upgrade relays first, security component upgrades and software upgrades may fail.

For details on upgrading, see ["Upgrade the Deep Security Relay" on page 807](#), and ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#)

Get rules updates in an isolated network

The .zip file that you created in the previous section contains the Deep Security Rule Updates that are used for Intrusion Prevention, Integrity Monitoring, and Log Inspection. However, if you would like to get those updates separately:

1. On the DMZ manager, go to **Administration > Updates > Security > Rules**.
2. Click a rule update (.dsru file) and click **Export**. The file is downloaded locally.
3. Repeat the export for each .dsru file that you want to apply to the air-gapped manager.
4. Copy the .dsru files to the air-gapped manager.
5. On the air-gapped manager, go to **Administration > Updates > Security > Rules**.
6. Click **Import**, select the .dsru file, and click **Next**.
7. The manager validates the file and displays a summary of the rules it contains. Click **Next**.
8. A message displays, saying that the rule update was imported successfully. Click **Close**.
9. Repeat the import for each .dsru file that you want to apply to the air-gapped manager.

Disable the features that use Trend Micro security services

You can disable the features that use Trend Micro security services. Doing so improves performance because the air-gapped agent no longer tries (and fails) to query the services.

Note: Without Trend Micro security services, your malware detection is downgraded significantly, ransomware is not detected at all, and process memory scans are also affected. It is therefore strongly recommended that you use one of the other solutions to allow access to Trend Micro security services. If this is impossible, only then should you disable features to realize performance gains.

- To disable Smart Scans:
 - a. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
 - b. On the left, click **Anti-Malware**.
 - c. In the main pane, click **Smart Protection**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

- d. Under **Smart Scan**, deselect **Inherited** (if it is selected) and then select **Off**.
 - e. Click **Save**.
- To disable web reputation:
 - a. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
 - b. On the left, click **Web Reputation**.
 - c. In the main pane, make sure the **General** tab is selected.
 - d. From the **Configuration** drop-down list, select **Off**.
 - e. Click **Save**.
- To disable Smart Feedback:
 - a. In Deep Security Manager, click **Administration** at the top.
 - b. Click **System Settings** on the left.
 - c. In the main pane, click the **Smart Feedback** tab.
 - d. Deselect **Enable Trend Micro Smart Feedback (recommended)**.
 - e. Click **Save**.
- To disable process memory scans:
 - a. In Deep Security Manager, click **Policies** at the top.
 - b. On the left, expand **Common Objects > Other** and then click **Malware Scan Configurations**.
 - c. Double-click a malware scan configuration with a **SCAN TYPE** of **Real-Time**.
 - d. On the **General** tab, under **Process Memory Scan**, deselect **Scan process memory for malware**.
 - e. Click **OK**.
- To disable predictive machine learning:
 - a. Make sure you still have a real-time malware scan configuration open.
 - b. On the **General** tab, under **Predictive Machine Learning**, deselect **Enable Predictive Machine Learning**.
 - c. Click **OK**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

- To disable behavior monitoring:
 - a. Make sure you still have a real-time malware scan configuration open.
 - b. On the **General** tab, under **Behavior Monitoring**, deselect both options, namely, **Detect suspicious activity and unauthorized changes (incl. ransomware)** and **Back up and restore ransomware-encrypted files**.
 - c. Click **OK**.

Also disable the census and grid queries on the Deep Security Manager if you want performance gains. If you leave them enabled, a lot of unnecessary background processing takes place. To disable these queries:

1. Disable the census query:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name settings.configuration.enableCensusQuery -value false
```

2. Disable the grid query:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name settings.configuration.enableGridQuery -value false
```

Proxy protocols supported by Deep Security

This table lists the proxy [protocols supported](#) by Deep Security.

Traffic Originating From	To Service	HTTP Support	SOCKS4 Support	SOCKS5 Support
Manager	Software Updates, CSS, News Updates, Product Registration and Licensing	Yes	No	No
Manager	Smart Feedback	Yes	No	Yes
Manager	Cloud Accounts	Yes	No	No
Manager	Apex Central	Yes	No	No
Manager	Deep Discovery Analyzer	Yes	No	No
Agents or	Manager (activation and heartbeats)	Yes	No	No

Traffic Originating From	To Service	HTTP Support	SOCKS4 Support	SOCKS5 Support
relays				
Agents or relays	Relays (software and security updates)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Agents	Network Setting for Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning	Yes	No	No
Agents	Global Smart Protection Server	Yes	No	No

Proxy settings

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Scoping Environment Pt2 - Network Communication](#) on YouTube to review the network communication related to the different Deep Security components.

If your network uses a proxy, you can configure Deep Security to use it instead of the [default port numbers](#). Proxy settings are in a few locations.

Proxy server use

To view and edit the list of available proxies, go to **Administration > System Settings > Proxies**.

- **Primary Security Update Proxy used by Agents, Appliances, and Relays:** Select a proxy server that the Deep Security Relays will use to connect to the **Update Source** specified in the **Relays** area on the **Updates** tab (either a **Trend Micro Update Server** or **Other Update Source**).

Note: By default, **agents and appliances**¹ download Anti-Malware components of their security updates from Deep Security Relays. However, if agents or appliances cannot connect to their assigned Relays, and the **Allow Agents/Appliances to download**

¹The Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Virtual Appliance are the components that enforce the Deep Security policies that you have defined. Agents are deployed directly on a computer. Appliances are used in VMware vSphere environments to provide agentless protection. They are not available with Deep Security as a Service.

Security Updates from this source if Deep Security Relays are not available option is selected, agents and appliances will also use this proxy.

Warning: Before Deep Security Agent 10.0, agents didn't have support for connections through a proxy to relays. If a [ruleset download fails](#) due to a proxy, and if your agents [require a proxy to access the relay or manager](#), then you must either:

- update agents' software (see ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#)), then [configure the proxy](#)
 - bypass the proxy
 - [change the application control rulesets relay setting](#) as a workaround
- **Deep Security Manager (Software Updates, CSSS, News Updates, Product Registration and Licensing):** Select a proxy that the Deep Security Manager will use to connect to Trend Micro to validate your Deep Security licenses, to connect to the Certified Safe Software Service (a feature of the Integrity Monitoring module), to connect to Amazon Web Services (AWS) and VMware vCloud Cloud Accounts, and to connect to the Deep Security anonymous Product Usage Data Collection service.

Note: Changes to the proxy settings for CSSS will not take effect until the Deep Security Manager and all Manager nodes are restarted. (You must restart the services manually.)

- **Deep Security Manager (Cloud Accounts - HTTP Protocol Only):** Select a proxy for the Deep Security Manager to use when connecting to cloud-based instances that have been added to the Deep Security Manager using the "Add Cloud Account" procedure.

Note: After you select a proxy, restart the agents that use it.

Proxy servers

Define the proxy servers that will be available for use by various Deep Security clients and services (for example, the proxy servers for Smart Protection on **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Anti-Malware** > **Smart Protection**).

The table lists the proxy protocols supported by the Deep Security services and clients:

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Service	Origin	HTTP Support	SOCKS4 Support	SOCKS5 Support
Software Updates, Certified Safe Software Service, News Updates, Product Registration and Licensing	Manager	Yes	No	No
Anonymous product usage data collection	Manager	Yes	No	No
Smart Feedback	Manager	Yes	No	Yes
Cloud Accounts (AWS, VMware vCloud, Microsoft Azure)	Manager	Yes	No	No
Apex Central	Manager	Yes	No	No
Deep Discovery Analyzer	Manager	Yes	No	No
Manager (activation and heartbeats)	Agents/Relays	Yes	No	No
Relays (software and security updates)	Agents/Relays	Yes	Yes	Yes
Network Setting for Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning	Agents	Yes	No	No
Global Smart Protection Server	Agents	Yes	No	No

Manage trusted certificates

Trusted certificates are used for code signing and SSL connections to external services such as a Microsoft Active Directory or VMware vCenter.

Import trusted certificates

Note: If you are importing a trusted certificate to establish trust with an Amazon Web Services region, you must use the `dsm_c` command-line tool.

To import trusted certificates using the Deep Security Manager:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Security**.
2. Under **Trusted Certificates**, click **View Certificate List** to view a list of all security certificates accepted by Deep Security Manager.
3. Click **Import From File** to start the Import Certificate wizard.

To import a trusted certificate using `dsm_c`:

1. On the Deep Security Manager server, run the following command:

```
dsm_c -action addcert -purpose PURPOSE -cert CERTFILE
```

where the parameters are:

Parameter	Description	Sample value
PURPOSE	What type of connections the certificate will be used for. This value must be selected from one of the sample values listed on the right.	AWS - Amazon Web Services
		DSA - code signing
		SSL - SSL connections
CERTFILE	The (user-defined) name of the file containing the certificate you want to import.	/path/to/cacert.pem

Note: If you are running the Deep Security Manager in a Linux environment, you will need to run the `dsm_c` command as the root user.

View trusted certificates

Note: To view trusted certificates for Amazon Web Services connections, you must use the `dsm_c` command-line tool.

To view trusted certificates using the Deep Security Manager:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Security**.
2. Under **Trusted Certificates**, click **View Certificate List**.

To view trusted certificates using `dsm_c`:

1. On the Deep Security Manager server, run the following command:

```
dsm_c -action listcerts [-purpose PURPOSE]
```

The `-purpose PURPOSE` parameter is optional and can be omitted to see a list of all certificates. If you specify a value for `PURPOSE`, then only the certificates used for that purpose will be shown.

Parameter	Description	Sample value
PURPOSE	What type of connections the certificate will be used for.	AWS - Amazon Web Services
		DSA - code signing

Parameter	Description	Sample value
		SSL - SSL connections

Note: If you are running the Deep Security Manager in a Linux environment, you will need to run the `dsm_c` command as the root user.

Remove trusted certificates

Note: To remove trusted certificates for Amazon Web Services connections, you must use the `dsm_c` command-line tool.

To remove a trusted certificate using the Deep Security Manager:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Security**.
2. Under **Trusted Certificates**, click **View Certificate List**.
3. Select the certificate you want to remove and click **Delete**.

To remove a trusted certificate using `dsm_c`:

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager .
2. Run the following command:

```
dsm_c -action listcerts [-purpose PURPOSE]
```

The `-purpose PURPOSE` parameter is optional and can be omitted to see a list of all certificates. If you specify a value for `PURPOSE`, then only the certificates used for that purpose will be shown.

Parameter	Description	Sample value
PURPOSE	What type of connections the certificate will be used for.	AWS - Amazon Web Services
		DSA - code signing
		SSL - SSL connections

3. Find the `ID` value for the certificate you want to remove in the list.
4. Run the following command:

```
dsm_c -action removecert -id ID
```

The `ID` parameter value is required.

Parameter	Description	Sample value
ID	The ID value assigned by Deep Security Manager for the certificate you want to delete.	3

Note: If you are running the Deep Security Manager in a Linux environment, you will need to run the `dsm_c` commands as the root user.

If I have disabled the connection to the Smart Protection Network, is any other information sent to Trend Micro?

When Smart Protection Network is disabled, the Deep Security Agents will not send any threat intelligence information to Trend Micro.

Linux Secure Boot support for agents

When Linux Secure Boot is enabled on a Deep Security Agent computer, the Linux kernel performs a signature check on kernel modules before they are installed. These Deep Security features install kernel modules:

- Anti-Malware
- Web Reputation
- Firewall
- Integrity Monitoring
- Intrusion Prevention
- Application Control

Note: The Deep Security Agent is only compatible with Secure Boot on RHEL 7.

If you intend to use any of those modules on a Linux computer where Secure Boot is enabled, you must enroll the Trend Micro public keys for RHEL 7 (see [Download a Trend Micro public key](#)) into the Linux computer's firmware so that it recognizes the Trend Micro kernel module's signature. Otherwise, the kernel module can't be installed.

Note: Deep Security refreshes the kernel module signing key in every major release (for example, 10.0 and 11.0). To keep security features functioning when you upgrade a Deep Security Agent to a new major release, you must enroll the new public key into any Linux

computers that have Secure Boot enabled. You may see "Engine Offline" error message in the Deep Security Manager console because the operating system will not load the upgraded kernel module until the new public key is enrolled.

If you are protecting VMware virtual machines, the Secure Boot feature is available for VMware vSphere 6.5 or newer. For instructions on how to enable it, see [Enable or Disable UEFI Secure Boot for a Virtual Machine](#) on the VMware Docs site.

Note: The Secure Boot feature is not available for AWS instances and Azure VMs.

Download a Trend Micro public key

You can download Trend Micro public keys from the list below:

Tip: If you have trouble downloading the following files, right-click and select **Save Link As**.

- [DS12.der](#)
- [DS11.der](#)

Note: This public key for Deep Security Agent 11 will expire on December 5, 2022. To continue using the agent after this date, you must enroll the new [DS11_2022.der](#) Secure Boot key with a SHA1 hash of 0d 0b 3b ff ee 28 fa df 30 80 e9 bb 88 63 d0 57 fe 07 47 af.

Enroll a key using Shim MOK Manager Key Database

To enroll the Trend Micro public keys:

1. On the RHEL 7 computer that you want to protect, install the Deep Security Agent, if it isn't installed already.
2. Install the Machine Owner Key (MOK) facility, if it isn't already installed:

```
yum install mokutil
```

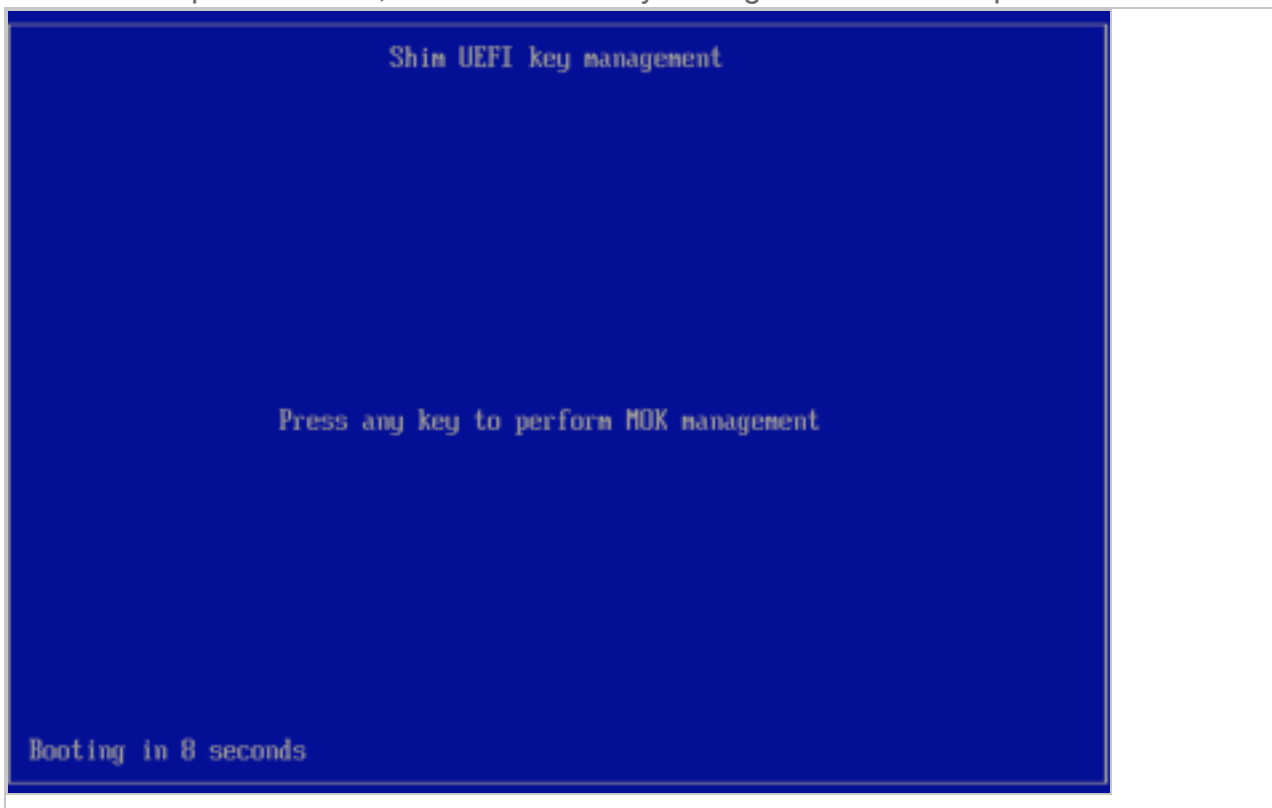
3. Add the public keys to the MOK list:

```
mokutil --import /opt/ds_agent/DS12.der /opt/ds_agent/DS11.der
```

Note: For the `mokutil --import` command to work, its paths need to match the location of your keys. The command above is adding keys from `/opt/ds_agent/`.

Tip: For details about manually adding the public key to the MOK list, see your Linux documentation.

4. When prompted, enter a password that you will use later in this procedure.
5. Reboot the system.
6. After the computer restarts, the Shim UEFI key management console opens:



7. Press any key to get started.
8. On the **Perform MOK management** screen, select **Enroll MOK**.
9. On the **Enroll MOK** screen, select **View key 0**.
10. On the **Enroll the key(s)?** screen, select **Yes** and then enter the password you set in **Step 4**, above.
11. On the **The system must now be rebooted** screen, select **OK** to confirm your changes and reboot.
12. Use the `mokutil` utility to check if the key successfully enrolled or not:

```
mokutil --test-key /opt/ds_agent/DS12.der
```

```
mokutil --test-key /opt/ds_agent/DS11.der
```

Note: For the `mokutil --test-key` command to work, its path needs to match the location of your key. The commands above are testing keys from `/opt/ds_agent/`.

13. Install the `keyctl` utility, if it isn't already installed:

```
yum install keyutils
```

14. Use the `keyctl` utility to list the keys that are on the system key ring:

```
keyctl list %:.system_keyring
```

You should see the Trend Micro signing key listed.

Activate the agent

Tip: If you haven't already installed the agent, see ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#) or ["Manually install the Deep Security Agent" on page 254](#) for instructions.

Before the installed agent can protect its computer or be converted to a relay, you must activate the agent with Deep Security Manager. Activation registers the agent with the manager during an initial communication.

To do this, you can either:

- Activate the agent from the manager. Go to **Computers**, right-click the computer whose agent you want to activate or reactivate and select **Actions > Activate/Reactivate**. (Alternatively, click **Activate** or **Reactivate** in the computer's **Details** window.)
- Activate the agent through a deployment script. See ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#) for details.
- Activate the agent from the computer where the agent is installed. Run this command:

```
dsa_control -a dsm://<dsm_host_or_IP>:<port>/
```

where:
`<dsm_host_or_IP>` is replaced with the Deep Security Manager hostname or IP address, and
`<port>` is replaced with the Deep Security Manager heartbeat port, which is 4120, by default.
For details on this command, including additional parameters, see ["Command-line basics" on page 317](#).
- Activate the agent through an event-based task ("Computer Created (by System)" event) to automatically activate computers when they connect to the manager or when the manager syncs with an LDAP directory, cloud account, or vCenter. For more information, see ["Automatically perform tasks when a computer is added or changed" on page 349](#).

Before activation, the agent will have one of these [statuses](#):

- **No Agent:** Indicates one of the following situations:
 - No agent is running or listening on the default port.
 - An agent is installed and running but is working with another manager and communications are configured as agent-initiated. In this case, the agent is not listening for this manager. To correct this situation, deactivate the agent from the computer.
- **Activation Required:** The agent is installed and listening, and is ready to be activated by the manager.
- **Reactivation Required:** The agent is installed and listening and is waiting to be reactivated by the manager.
- **Deactivation Required:** The agent is installed and listening, but has already been activated by another manager.
- **Unknown:** The computer has been imported (as part of an imported Computers list) without state information, or has been added by way of an LDAP directory discovery process.

After a successful activation, the agent state is Online. If the activation failed, the computer status is Activation Failed with the reason for the failure in brackets. Click this link to display the system event for more details on the reason for the activation failure.

Note: Although IPv6 traffic is supported by Deep Security 8.0 and earlier agents, it is blocked by default. To allow IPv6 traffic on Deep Security 8.0 Agents, open a **Computer or Policy editor**¹ and go to **Settings > Advanced > Advanced Network Engine Settings**. Set the **Block IPv6 for 8.0 and Above Agents** option to **No**.

Deactivate the agent

If you want to transfer control of a computer from one Deep Security Manager installation to another, you must deactivate the agent with its current manager, and then re-activate it with the new manager.

You can normally deactivate the agent from the Deep Security Manager that is currently managing the agent. If the Deep Security Manager cannot communicate with the agent, you may

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have to perform the deactivation manually. To run the commands below, you must have administrator privileges on the local machine.

To deactivate the agent on Windows:

1. From a command line, change to the agent directory (Default is C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent)
2. Run the following: `dsa_control -r`

To deactivate the agent on Linux:

1. Run the following: `/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -r`

Start or stop the agent

To start or stop the agent on Windows:

- Start: `sc start ds_agent`
- Stop: `sc stop ds_agent`

To start or stop the agent on Linux:

Using SysV init scripts:

- Start: `/etc/init.d/ds_agent start`
- Stop: `/etc/init.d/ds_agent stop`

Using systemd commands:

- Start: `systemctl start ds_agent`
- Stop: `systemctl stop ds_agent`

Diagnose problems with agent deployment (Windows)

If a Deep Security Agent on Windows fails to install or activate, look in the deployment logs to find the cause and troubleshoot it.

1. Log in to the computer where you were trying to install the agent.
2. Go to `%appdata%\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\installer`.
3. Examine:

- **dsa_deploy.txt** - Log from the PowerShell script. Contains agent activation issues.
- **dsa_install.txt** - Log from the MSI installer. Contains agent installation issues.

Configure teamed NICs

"Teamed NICs" or "link aggregation" describes forming a network link on a computer by using multiple network interface cards (NICs) together. This is useful to increase the total network bandwidth, or to provide link redundancy.

You can configure teamed NICs on Windows so that they are compatible with Deep Security Agent.

On Windows, when you team NICs, it creates a new virtual interface. This virtual interface adopts the MAC address of its first teamed physical interface.

By default, during installation or upgrade, the Windows Agent will bind to *all* virtual and physical interfaces. This includes the virtual interface created by NIC teaming. However, Deep Security Agent doesn't function properly if multiple interfaces have the same MAC address, which happens with NIC teaming on Windows.

To avoid that, bind the agent *only* to the teamed virtual interface - *not* the physical interfaces.

Note: NIC teaming with Deep Security Agent requires Windows 2003 requires SP 2 or later.

Warning: Don't add or remove network interfaces from a teamed NIC *except* immediately before running the installer. Otherwise network connectivity may fail or the computer may not be correctly detected with Deep Security Manager. The agent's network driver is bound to network interfaces when you install or upgrade; the agent does not continuously monitor for changes after.

Agent settings

Agent settings are located on **Administration > System Settings > Agents**.

Tip: You can automate Agent-related system setting changes using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Configure Policy, Computer, and System Settings](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Hostnames

Update the "Hostname" entry if an IP is used as a hostname and a change in IP is detected on the computer after Agent/Appliance-initiated communication or discovery: Updates the IP address displayed in the computer's "Hostname" property field if an IP change is detected.

Note: The Deep Security Manager always identifies computers by using a unique fingerprint, not their IP addresses or hostnames.

Agent-initiated activation

Note: For more information on configuring agent-initiated activation, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

Allow Agent-Initiated Activation

- **For Any Computers:** Any computers, whether they are already listed on the Deep Security Manager's **Computers** page or not.
- **For Existing Computers:** Only computers already listed on the **Computers** page.
- **For Computers on the following IP List:** Only computers whose IP address has a match on the specified IP List.

Policy to assign (if Policy not assigned by activation script): The security policy to assign to the computer if no policy has been specified in the activation script.

Note: If an event-based task exists which assigns policies to computers where activation is agent-initiated, the policy specified in the event-based task will override the policy assigned here or in the activation script.

Allow Agent to specify hostname: Select this option to allow the agent to specify the hostname by providing it to the Deep Security Manager during the agent activation process.

If a computer with the same name already exists: If a computer, VMware virtual machine, AWS instance, or Azure VM with the same Agent GUID or certificate is already listed on the **Computers** page, you can configure the Deep Security Manager to take the following actions:

- **Do not allow activation:** The computer object will not be activated.
- **Activate a new Computer with the same name:** The Deep Security Manager will create a

new computer object with a new name.

- **Re-activate the existing Computer:** The existing computer object will be re-activated.

Reactivate cloned Agents: When a new computer (computer, VMware virtual machine, AWS instance, or Azure VM) that is running an already activated Deep Security Agent sends a heartbeat to the Deep Security Manager, the Deep Security Manager will recognize it as a clone. It will be reactivated as a new computer without the policies or rules of the original computer .

Reactivate unknown Agents: Select this setting to allow activated computers that were deleted from Deep Security Manager to reactivate if they reconnect.

This setting is often enabled together with [Inactive Agent Cleanup](#) to ensure that certain computers can still reconnect if they are deleted. To learn more, see ["Automate offline computer removal with inactive agent cleanup" on page 1203](#).

Note: When a removed computer reconnects, it will not have a policy, and will be added as a new computer. Any direct links to the computer will be removed from the Deep Security Manager event data.

Agent activation token: When a value is specified here, the same value must be provided when agents activate themselves in the Deep Security Manager. You can provide this agent activation secret in the **token** parameter in the agent activation script. For example, the script for agent-initiated activation on a Linux machine might look like this:

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -a dsm://172.31.2.247:4120/ "token:secret"
```

Note: In a multi-tenant environment, the **Agent activation token** setting applies only to the primary tenant.

Agent Upgrade

If your environment includes Deep Security Agent installed on Linux computers, you can select **Automatically upgrade agents on activation**. When this option is selected and the agent is activated (or reactivated) on a Linux computer, the agent will be upgraded to the latest software version that's compatible with your Deep Security Manager.

For more information, see ["Automatically upgrade agents on activation" on page 270](#).

Inactive Agent Cleanup

If your Deep Security deployment has a large number of offline computers not communicating with the Deep Security Manager that no longer need to be managed, you can automatically remove them with inactive agent cleanup.

Delete Agents that have been inactive for: The period that a computer must be inactive for before being removed.

For more information on configuring inactive agent cleanup, see ["Automate offline computer removal with inactive agent cleanup" on page 1203](#).

Data Privacy

Allow packet data capture on encrypted traffic (SSL): The Intrusion Prevention module allows you to record the packet data that triggers Intrusion Prevention Rules. This setting lets you turn on data capture when Intrusion Prevention rules are being applied to encrypted traffic.

Agentless vCloud Protection

Allow Appliance protection of vCloud VMs: Allow virtual machines in a vCloud environment to be protected by a Deep Security Virtual Appliance and let the security of those virtual machines be managed by tenants in a multi-tenancy Deep Security environment.

Distribute security and software updates with relays

To ensure maximum protection for your Deep Security deployment, there are two components that you must periodically update. Software updates add new features and improvements to the Deep Security Agent, while security updates provide immediate protection against emerging threats.

Deep Security Relays help to optimize the distribution of these updates. A relay is an agent that is capable of distributing the software and security updates to other Deep Security Agents and Virtual Appliances. Relays can:

- Reduce WAN bandwidth costs by shaping update traffic.
- Provide redundancy to update distribution.

Note: Relays are a mandatory part of a Deep Security deployment. Your deployment must include at least 1 relay.

First learn about ["How relays work" below](#), then how to ["Determine the number of relays to use" below](#), and finally how to ["Configure one or more relays" on page 311](#).

You can also ["Remove relay functionality from an agent" on page 315](#) if needed.

How relays work

Relays download security updates from the Trend Micro Active Update servers directly through your WAN connection, and software updates from the Deep Security Manager. When you use relays, security and software updates only need to be downloaded once through your WAN connection. Relays then function as update distribution centers and the security and software updates are downloaded by other agents when they are directed to do so by the manager.

Note: If a relay cannot connect to a Deep Security Manager to download updates, it will download them directly from the Deep Security Download Center.

For more detailed information on security updates and how relays distribute them, see ["Get and distribute security updates" on page 816](#).

Relays are organized into **relay groups**. Organizing relays into groups ensures that the update load is distributed across multiple relays, and also adds redundancy to your Deep Security deployment.

Relay groups can also be part of a distribution hierarchy. By creating distribution hierarchies for your relay groups, you can further improve performance and bandwidth usage by specifying:

- Which relay groups an agent should download security and software updates from.
- The order that relay groups should download security and software updates from each other.

Determine the number of relays to use

Although a Deep Security deployment requires a minimum of 1 relay, as a baseline Trend Micro recommends using at least 2 relays for your deployment. However, you may need to use additional relays depending on:

- ["Geographic region of agents" on the next page](#).
- ["Network configuration" on the next page](#).
- ["Network bandwidth usage" on the next page](#).

Geographic region of agents

Trend Micro recommends that agents download updates from a relay group in the same geographic region. If you have agents in multiple regions, each region should have its own relay group with at least one relay.

Network configuration

Your network configuration may include a low bandwidth WAN connection, routers, firewalls, or proxies between the network segments of agents and a remote Deep Security Manager or Trend Micro Active Update server. These configurations may cause bottlenecks that slow down the distribution of software and security updates. To reduce the impact of these configurations, you should place a relay inside each network segment.

Network bandwidth usage

The download of security and software updates to the agents can be network intensive. You can use relays to shape how your network bandwidth is used to distribute updates. By placing a relay inside a network segment, it becomes the single download source for security and software updates for that segment. Agents will then update from the local relay, reducing the overall bandwidth required to download updates from the WAN connection to the local internal connection.

Sizing recommendations

Note: Before you enable more relays, check that the computers that you want to enable as relays meet the requirements in ["Deep Security Agent and Relay sizing" on page 204](#). Also check that the agent you are using supported the relay feature (see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#)).

In most deployments, Trend Micro recommends deploying a minimum of 2 relays for redundancy, which can be co-located with a Deep Security Manager. However, as noted above, you should also consider factors such as geographical location, network configuration and network bandwidth when determining how many relays to deploy. If your deployment has a large number of agents (more than 10,000), relays should be deployed on a dedicated system.

You might also want to add more relays if:

- The network configuration of your environment has changed.
- You want to provide additional redundancy to update distribution.

Warning: You should **only use as many relays as is necessary**, because deploying unneeded relays on your network will actually decrease performance. A relay requires more system resources than an ordinary agent.

Configure one or more relays

To configure a relay, you need to:

1. ["Create one or more relay groups" below.](#)
2. ["Enable one or more relays" on page 313.](#)
3. ["Assign agents to a relay group" on page 313.](#)
4. ["Configure relay settings for security and software updates" on page 314.](#)

Create one or more relay groups

Every relay must belong to a relay group. If you installed the Deep Security Relay during the Deep Security Manager installation, a default relay group will have been automatically created. You can also create additional relay groups.

Note: Each agent will try to download updates from a randomly arranged list of the relays in the group it is assigned to. If there's no response from a particular relay, the agent will try another from the list until it can successfully download the update. The list is random for each agent so that the update load is shared evenly across relays in a group.

1. Go to **Administration > Updates > Relay Management**.
2. On the Relay Management window, click **New Relay Group**. In the Relay Group Properties pane that appears, configure the settings for the relay group:
 - Enter a **Name** for the relay group.
 - Select an **Update Source**. The update source determines where the relay group will download and distribute security updates from. The update source can be either:
 - The Primary Security Update Source
By default, the Primary Security Update Source is the Trend Micro Active Update servers, but you can configure it to be a local mirror instead. A default relay group will always use the Primary Security Update Source. For more information, see

["Configure a security update source and settings" on page 819.](#)

- A parent relay group
If you have already created other relay groups, you can configure a relay group to use one of them as the update source.

Tip: When selecting an update download source for a relay group, you should select the source that best matches your cost and speed requirements. Even if a relay group is part of a distribution hierarchy, it does not necessarily need to download updates from a relay in a parent group if downloading updates from the Primary Security Update Source would be cheaper or faster.

Tip: To improve performance in very large deployments, create multiple relay groups and arrange relays in a hierarchy: one or more first-level relay groups download updates directly from the Trend Micro Active Update servers, and then second-level relay groups download updates from the first-level group, and so on. However, each group level adds latency, and if there are too many levels of relay groups, the total latency can be greater than the bandwidth optimization provided by relays, resulting in decreased performance.

- Select the **Update Source Proxy** (if any) that relays must use to access the primary security update source.

Every relay group can be configured to download security updates through a proxy server, except the Default Relay Group. The Default Relay Group uses the same proxy as Deep Security Manager. See ["Connect agents behind a proxy" on page 283](#) and ["Configure a proxy for anti-malware and rule updates" on page 330 \(CLI\)](#).

If the relay group is configured to use the Primary Security Update Source, relays will use this proxy. Otherwise, if this relay group is configured to download security updates from another relay group, relays won't use the proxy unless they can't connect to the parent relay group, and therefore are trying to connect to the Primary Security Update Source.

Warning: Deep Security Agents version 10.0 and earlier do not have support for connections through a proxy to relays. If an Application Control [ruleset download fails](#) due to a proxy, and if your agents require a proxy to access the relay or manager,

then you must either:

- update agents' software (See ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#)) and then [configure the proxy](#)
- bypass the proxy
- [change the Application Control rulesets relay setting](#) as a workaround

3. Repeat the above steps if you need to create more relay groups.

Enable one or more relays

1. Go to **Administration > Updates > Relay Management**.
2. Click on a relay group to select it.
3. Click **Add Relay**.
4. Select a computer from the Available Agents list and click **Enable Relay and Add to Group**. You can use the search field to filter the list of computers.

The computer is added to the relay group, and displays a relay icon ().

5. If Windows Firewall or iptables is enabled on the computer, add a firewall rule that allows incoming connections to the [relay's listening port number](#).
6. If relays must connect through a proxy, see ["Connect agents, appliances, and relays to security updates via proxy" on page 283](#).

Note: Newly activated relays will be automatically notified by the manager to update their security update content.

Assign agents to a relay group

You can either assign an agent to a relay group manually, or you can set up an [event-based task](#) to assign agents automatically.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Computers**.
2. Right click the computer and select **Actions > Assign Relay Group**.

To assign multiple computers, Shift-click or Ctrl-click computers in the list, and then select **Actions > Assign Relay Group**.

3. Select the relay group to use from the list, or from the Computer Details window, use **Download Updates From** to select the relay group.

Configure relay settings for security and software updates

Deep Security Manager provides additional settings on the **Administration > System Settings > Updates** page that affect how relays are used to perform security and software updates.

Security updates

- **Allow supported 8.0 and 9.0 Agents to be updated:** Select this option if you require security updates for Deep Security Agent 8.0 or 9.0. By default, Deep Security Manager does not download updates for Deep Security Agent 9.0 and earlier.

Note: Most 8.0 and 9.0 agents have reached their end-of-life date, which means that Trend Micro no longer provides security updates, software updates, and support services for them. For details on which 8.0 and 9.0 agents are still supported (and which ones are not), see [Deep Security LTS life cycle dates](#).

- **Download Patterns for all Regions:** If you are operating in multi-tenancy mode and any of your tenants are in other regions, select this option. If this option is deselected, a relay will only download and distribute patterns for the region (locale) that Deep Security Manager was installed in.
- **Use the Primary Tenant Relay Group as my Default Relay Group (for unassigned Relays):** Use the Primary Tenant Relay Group. By default, the primary tenant gives other tenants access to its relays. This way, tenants don't need to set up their own relays. If you don't want other tenants to share the primary tenant's relays, deselect this option and create separate relays for other tenants.

Note: If this option is deselected, when you click **Administration > Updates > Relay Groups**, the relay group name will be "Default Relay Group" rather than "Primary Tenant Relay Group".

Note: This setting appears only if you have enabled multi-tenant mode.

For information about other security update settings, see ["Get and distribute security updates" on page 816](#).

Software updates

- The **Allow Relays to download software updates from Trend Micro Download Center when Deep Security Manager is not accessible** option is useful when your Deep Security Manager is in an enterprise environment and you are managing computers in a cloud environment. If you enable this option and configure a relay in the cloud, the relay will be able to get software updates directly from the Download Center, removing the need for manual software upgrades or opening [port numbers](#) into your enterprise environment from the cloud.

For information about other software update settings, see ["About upgrades" on page 805](#).

Remove relay functionality from an agent

You might want to remove the relay functionality from a relay-enabled agent if:

- You are noticing communication delays because there are too many relay-enabled agents in your environment.
- The computer where the agent is installed does not meet the minimum system requirements for relay functionality.

Note: Deep Security uses relays to store data when a virtual machine protected by a Deep Security Virtual Appliance is being migrated by vMotion. If your deployment uses vMotion to migrate virtual machines, removing the relay functionality from a given agent may result in a loss of protection to the migrated virtual machine as well as loss of the security events of the virtual appliance .

1. Go to **Administration > Updates > Relay Management**.
2. Click the arrow next to the relay group with the computer you want to remove relay functionality from.
3. Click on the computer, and then click **Remove Relay**.

The agent status will change to "Disabling" and the relay functionality will be removed from the agent.

Note: It may take up to 15 minutes for the relay functionality to be removed from the agent. If the agent is in the "disabling" state for significantly longer than this, deactivate and reactivate the agent to finish removing relay functionality from the agent.

DevOps, automation, and APIs

To support DevOps workflows, Deep Security offers APIs to automate, monitor, and manage security throughout the release lifecycle. (See ["Use the Deep Security API to automate tasks" on page 344.](#))

The [deep-security GitHub](#) repositories contain the following useful scripts:

- [CloudFormation templates for deploying Deep Security Manager to AWS.](#)
- [Configuration files that contain parsing logic, saved searches, and dashboards for monitoring Deep Security via Splunk.](#)
- [Bash and Powershell scripts for automating various Agent and Manager tasks.](#)

To get started with the API, see the [First Steps Toward Deep Security Automation](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center. The Automation Center also includes an [API Reference](#).

Deep Security also offers many other ways to speed up the protection of your computers and other resources:

- ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#)
- ["Automatically perform tasks when a computer is added or changed" on page 349](#)
- ["AWS Auto Scaling and Deep Security" on page 355](#)
- ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#)
- ["Automatically assign policies by AWS instance tags" on page 369](#)
- ["Command-line basics" on the next page](#)

In addition, Deep Security provides the ability to forward events to SIEMs such as Splunk, QRadar, ArcSight, as well as Amazon SNS. For details, see:

- ["Access events with Amazon SNS" on page 955](#)

Command-line basics

You can use the local command-line interface (CLI) to command both Deep Security Agents and the Deep Security Manager to perform many actions. The CLI can also configure some settings, and to display system resource usage.

Tip: You can also automate many of the CLI commands below using the Deep Security API. To get started with the API, see the [First Steps Toward Deep Security Automation](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Below are command syntax and examples:

- [Deep Security Agent](#)
- [Deep Security Manager](#)

Deep Security Agent

Note: On Windows, when [self-protection is enabled](#), local users cannot uninstall, update, stop, or otherwise control the agent. They must also supply the authentication password when running CLI commands.

dsa_control

Note: `dsa_control` only supports English strings. Unicode is not supported.

You can use `dsa_control` to configure some agent settings, and to manually trigger it to perform some actions such as activation, an anti-malware scan, or baseline rebuild.

In Windows:

- Open a Command Prompt as Administrator
- `cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\`
- `dsa_control -m "AntiMalwareManualScan:true"`

In Linux:

- `sudo /opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -m "AntiMalwareManualScan:true"`

Usage

```
dsa_control [-a <str>] [-b] [-c <str>] [-d] [-g <str>] [-s <num>] [-m] [-p <str>] [-r] [-R <str>] [-t <num>] [-u <str>:<str>] [-w <str>:<str>] [-x dsm_proxy://<str>] [-y relay_proxy://<str>] [--buildBaseline] [--scanForChanges] [Additional keyword:value data to send to manager during activation or heartbeat...]
```

Parameter	Description
<pre>-a <str>, --activate=<str></pre>	Activate agent with manager at the specified URL in this format: <pre>dsm://<host>:<port>/</pre> where: • <code><host></code> could be either the manager's fully qualified domain name (FQDN), IPv4 address, or IPv6 address • <code><port></code> is the manager's listening port number Optionally, after the argument, you can also specify some settings such as the description to send during activation. See "Agent-initiated heartbeat command ("dsa_control -m")" on page 322. They must be entered as key:value pairs (with a colon as a separator). There is no limit to the number of key:value pairs that you can enter, but the key:value pairs must be separated from each other by a space. Quotation marks around the key:value pair are required if it includes spaces or special characters.
<pre>-b, --bundle</pre>	Create an update bundle.
<pre>-c <str>, --cert=<str></pre>	Identify the certificate file.
<pre>-d, --diag</pre>	Generate an agent package. For more detailed instructions, see "Create an agent diagnostic package via CLI on a protected computer" on page 1241 .
<pre>-g <str>, --agent=<str></pre>	Agent URL. Defaults to: <pre>https://localhost:<port>/</pre>

Parameter	Description
	where <code><port></code> is the manager's listening port number .
<code>-m, --heartbeat</code>	Force the agent to contact the manager now.
<code>-p <str> or --passwd=<str></code>	Authentication password that you might have configured in Deep Security Manager previously. See "Configure self-protection through Deep Security Manager" on page 424 for details. If configured, the password must be included with all <code>dsa_control</code> commands <i>except</i> <code>dsa_control -a</code>, <code>dsa_control -x</code>, and <code>dsa_control -y</code>. Example: <code>dsa_control -m -p MyPa\$\$w0rd</code> If you type the password directly into the command line, it is displayed on the screen. To hide the password with asterisks (*) while you type, enter the interactive form of the command, <code>-p *</code>, which prompts you for the password. Example: <pre>dsa_control -m -p *</pre>
<code>-r, --reset</code>	Reset the agent's configuration. This will remove the activation information from the agent and deactivate it.
<code>-R <str>, --restore=<str></code>	Restore a quarantined file. On Windows, you can also restore cleaned and deleted files.
<code>-s <num>, --selfprotect=<num></code>	Enable agent self-protection (1: enable, 0: disable). Self-protection prevents local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise controlling the agent. For details, see "Enable or disable agent self-protection" on page 424. This is a Windows-only feature. Note: Although <code>dsa_control</code> lets you enable self-protection, it does not let you configure an associated authentication password. You'll need Deep Security Manager for that. See "Configure self-protection through Deep Security Manager"

Parameter	Description
	on page 424 for details. Once configured, the password will need to be entered at the command line using the <code>-p</code> or <code>--passwd=</code> option. Note: In Deep Security 9.0 and earlier, this option was <code>-H <num></code>, <code>--harden=<num></code>
<code>-t <num></code> , <code>--retries=<num></code>	If <code>dsa_control</code> cannot contact the agent service to carry out accompanying instructions, this parameter instructs <code>dsa_control</code> to retry <code><num></code> number of times. There is a 1 second pause between retries.
<code>-u <user>:<password></code>	Used in conjunction with the <code>-x</code> option to specify the proxy's username and password, if the proxy requires authentication. Separate the username and password by a colon (:). For example, # <code>./dsa_control -x dsm_proxy://<str> -u <new username>:<new password></code>. To remove the username and password, type an empty string (""). For example, # <code>./dsa_control -x dsm_proxy://<str> -u <existing username>:""</code>. If you only want to update the proxy's password without changing the proxy's username, you can use the <code>-u</code> option without <code>-x</code>. For example, # <code>./dsa_control -u <existing username>:<new password></code>. Basic authentication only. Digest and NTLM are not supported. Note: Using <code>dsa_control -u</code> only applies to the agent's local configuration. No security policy is changed on the manager as a result of running this command.
<code>-w <user>:<password></code>	Used in conjunction with the <code>-y</code> option to specify the proxy's username and password, if the proxy requires authentication. Separate the username and password by a colon (:). For example, # <code>./dsa_control -y relay_proxy://<str> -w <new username>:<new password></code>.

Parameter	Description
	To remove the username and password, type an empty string (""). For example, # <code>./dsa_control -y relay_proxy://<str> -w <existing username>:""</code>. If you only want to update the proxy's password without changing the proxy's username, you can use the <code>-w</code> option without <code>-y</code>. For example, # <code>./dsa_control -w <existing username>:<new password></code>. Note: Using <code>dsa_control -w</code> only applies to the agent's local configuration. No security policy is changed on the manager as a result of running this command.
<code>-x dsm_proxy://<str>:<num></code>	If the agent connects through a proxy to the manager, provide the proxy's IPv4/IPv6 address or FQDN and port number, separated by a colon (:). To remove the address, instead of a URL, type an empty string (""). Square brackets must surround IPv6 addresses. For example: <code>dsa_control -x "dsm_proxy://[fe80::340a:7671:64e7:14cc]:808/"</code>
<code>-y relay_proxy://<str>:<num></code>	If the agent connects through a proxy to a relay for security updates and software, provide the proxy's IP address or FQDN and port number, separated by a colon (:).
<code>--buildBaseline</code>	Build the baseline for integrity monitoring.
<code>--scanForChanges</code>	Scan for changes for integrity monitoring.
<code>--max-dsm-retries</code>	Number of times to retry an activation. Valid values are 0 to 100, inclusive. The default value is 30.
<code>--dsm-retry-interval</code>	Approximate delay in seconds between retrying activations. Valid values are 1 to 3600, inclusive. The default value is 300.

Agent-initiated activation ("dsa_control -a")

Enabling agent-initiated activation (AIA) can prevent communication issues between the manager and agents, and simplify agent deployment when used with deployment scripts.

Note: For instructions on how to configure AIA and use deployments scripts to activate agents, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

The command takes the form

```
dsa_control -a dsm://<host>:<port>/
```

where:

- `<host>` could be either the manager's fully qualified domain name (FQDN), IPv4 address, or IPv6 address.
- `<port>` is the agent-to-manager communication [port number](#) (4120 by default).

For example:

```
dsa_control -a dsm://dsm.example.com:4120/ hostname:www12 "description:Long  
Description With Spaces"
```

```
dsa_control -a dsm://fe80::ad4a:af37:17cf:8937:4120
```

Agent-initiated heartbeat command ("dsa_control -m")

You can force the agent to immediately send a heartbeat to the manager.

Like activation, the heartbeat command can also send settings to the manager during the connection.

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
<code>AntiMalwareCancelManualScan</code>	Boolean. Cancels an on-demand ("manual") scan that is currently occurring on the computer.	"AntiMalwareCancelManualScan:true"	no	yes
<code>AntiMalwareManualScan</code>	Boolean.	"AntiMalwareManualScan:true"	no	yes

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
<code>n</code>	Initiates an on-demand ("manual") anti-malware scan on the computer.	<code>e"</code>		
<code>description</code>	String. Sets the computer's description. Maximum length 2000 characters.	<code>"description:Extra information about the host"</code>	yes	yes
<code>displayname</code>	String. Sets the display name shown in parentheses next to the hostname on Computers . Maximum length 2000 characters.	<code>"displayname:the_name"</code>	yes	yes
<code>externalid</code>	Integer. Sets the <code>externalid</code> value. This value can be used to uniquely identify an agent. The	<code>"externalid:123"</code>	yes	yes

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
	value can be accessed using the legacy SOAP web service API.			
group	String. Sets which group the computer belongs to on Computers. Maximum length 254 characters per group name per hierarchy level. The forward slash ("/") indicates a group hierarchy. The <code>group</code> parameter can read or create a hierarchy of groups. This parameter	"group:Zone A web servers"	yes	yes

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
	can only be used to add computers to standard groups under the main "Computers" root branch. It cannot be used to add computers to groups belonging to directories (Microsoft Active Directory), VMware vCenters, or cloud provider accounts.			
<code>groupid</code>	Integer.	"groupid:33"	yes	yes
<code>hostname</code>	String. Maximum length 254 characters. The hostname can specify an IP address, hostname or FQDN that the manager	"hostname:www1"	yes	no

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
	can use to connect to the agent.			
<code>IntegrityScan</code>	Boolean. Initiates an integrity scan on the computer.	"IntegrityScan:true"	no	yes
<code>policy</code>	String. Maximum length 254 characters. The policy name is a case-insensitive match to the policy list. If the policy is not found, no policy will be assigned. A policy assigned by an event-based task will override a policy assigned during agent-initiated	"policy:Policy Name"	yes	yes

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
	activation.			
<code>policyid</code>	Integer.	"policyid:12"	yes	yes
<code>relaygroup</code>	String. Links the computer to a specific relay group. Maximum length 254 characters. The relay group name is a case-insensitive match to existing relay group names. If the relay group is not found, the default relay group will be used. This does not affect relay groups assigned during event-based tasks. Use either this option or event-based	"relaygroup:Custom Relay Group"	yes	yes

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
	tasks, not both.			
relaygroupid	Integer.	"relaygroupid:123"	yes	yes
relayid	Integer.	"relayid:123"	yes	yes
tenantIDand token	String. If using agent-initiated activation as a tenant, both tenantID and token are required. The tenantID and token can be obtained from the deployment script generation tool.	"tenantID:12651ADC-D4D5" and "token:8601626D-56EE"	yes	yes
RecommendationScan	Boolean. Initiate a recommendation scan on the computer.	"RecommendationScan:true"	no	yes
UpdateComponent	Boolean. Instructs Deep Security Manager to perform a security update.	"UpdateComponent:true"	no	yes

Parameter	Description	Example	Use during Activation	Use during Heartbeat
	When using the <code>UpdateComponent</code> parameter on Deep Security Agent 12.0 or later, make sure the Deep Security Relay is also at version 12.0 or later. Learn more.			
<code>RebuildBaseline</code>	Boolean. Rebuilds the integrity monitoring baseline on the computer.	"RebuildBaseline:true"	no	yes
<code>UpdateConfiguration</code>	Boolean. Instructs Deep Security Manager to perform a "Send Policy" operation.	"UpdateConfiguration:true"	no	yes

Activate an agent

To activate an agent from the command line, you need to know the tenant ID and password. You can get them from the deployment script.

1. In the top right corner of Deep Security Manager, click **Support > Deployment Scripts**.
2. Select your platform.

3. Select **Activate Agent automatically after installation**.
4. In the deployment script, locate the strings for `tenantID` and `token`.

Windows

In PowerShell:

```
& $Env:ProgramFiles"\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control" -a <manager URL> <tenant ID> <token>
```

In cmd.exe:

```
C:\Windows\system32>"\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control" -a <manager URL> <tenant ID> <token>
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -a <manager URL> <tenant ID> <token>
```

Configure a proxy for anti-malware and rule updates

If the agent must connect to its relay through a proxy, you must configure the proxy connection.

Windows

1. Open a command prompt (cmd.exe) as Administrator.
2. Enter these commands:

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\  
dsa_control -w myUserName:MTPassw0rd  
dsa_control -y relay_proxy://squid.example.com:443
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -w myUserName:MTPassw0rd  
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -y relay_proxy://squid.example.com:443
```

Configure a proxy for connections to the manager

If the agent must connect to its manager through a proxy, you must configure the proxy connection.

Windows

1. Open a command prompt (cmd.exe) as Administrator.
2. Enter these commands:

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\  
dsa_control -u myUserName:MTPassw0rd  
dsa_control -x dsm_proxy://squid.example.com:443
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -u myUserName:MTPassw0rd  
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -x dsm_proxy://squid.example.com:443
```

Force the agent to contact the manager

Windows

In PowerShell:

```
& "& "\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control" -m
```

In cmd.exe:

```
C:\Windows\system32>"\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_  
control" -m
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -m
```

Initiate a manual anti-malware scan

Windows

1. Open a command prompt (cmd.exe) as Administrator.
2. Enter these commands:

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\  
dsa_control -m "AntiMalwareManualScan:true"
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -m "AntiMalwareManualScan:true"
```

Create a diagnostic package

If you need to troubleshoot a Deep Security Agent issue, your support provider might ask you to create and send a diagnostic package from the computer. For more detailed instructions, see ["Create an agent diagnostic package via CLI on a protected computer" on page 1241](#).

Note: You can produce a diagnostic package for a Deep Security Agent computer through the Deep Security Manager but if the agent computer is configured to use [Agent/Appliance Initiated communication](#), then the manager cannot collect all the required logs. So when Technical Support asks for a diagnostic package, you need to run the command directly on the agent computer.

Reset the agent

This command will remove the activation information from the target agent and deactivate it.

Windows

In PowerShell:

```
& "& "\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control" -r
```

In cmd.exe:

```
C:\Windows\system32>"\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control" -r
```

Linux

```
/opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -r
```

dsa_query

You can use the `dsa_query` command to display agent information.

Usage

```
dsa_query [-c <str>] [-p <str>] [-r <str>]
```


Parameter	Description
<code>-p, --passwd <string></code>	Authentication password used with the optional agent self-protection feature. Required if you specified a password when enabling self-protection. Note: For some query-commands, authentication can be bypassed directly, in such case, password is not required.
<code>-c, --cmd <string></code>	Execute query-command against the agent. The following commands are supported: • <code>"GetHostInfo"</code>: to query which identity is returned to the manager during a heartbeat • <code>"GetAgentStatus"</code>: to query which protection modules are enabled, the status of Anti-Malware and Integrity Monitoring scans in progress, and other miscellaneous information • <code>"GetComponentInfo"</code>: to query version information of anti-malware patterns and engines • <code>"GetPluginVersion"</code>: to query version information of the agent and protection modules
<code>-r, --raw <string></code>	Returns the same query-command information as <code>"-c"</code> but in raw data format for third party software interpretation.
<code>pattern</code>	Wild card pattern to filter result. Optional. Example: <pre>dsa_query -c "GetComponentInfo" -r "au" "AM*"</pre>

Check CPU usage and RAM usage

Windows

Use the Task Manager or procmon.

Linux

`top`

Check that ds_agent processes or services are running

Windows

Use the Task Manager or procmon.

Linux

```
ps -ef|grep ds_agent
```

Restart an agent on Linux

```
service ds_agent restart
```

or

```
/etc/init.d/ds_agent restart
```

or

```
systemctl restart ds_agent
```

Some actions require either a `-tenantname` parameter or a `-tenantid` parameter. If execution problems occur when you use the tenant name, try the command using the associated tenant ID.

Deep Security Manager

You can use the `dsm_c` command to configure some settings on the manager, and to unlock user accounts.

Note: Some commands may cause the Deep Security Manager to restart. Once the commands have been run, ensure the Deep Security Manager has started up again.

Usage

```
dsm_c -action actionname
```

Tip: To print help on the command, use the `-h` option: `dsm_c -h`

Note: All of the parameters shown in brackets in the table below are mandatory.

Some actions require either a `-tenantname` parameter or a `-tenantid` parameter. If execution problems occur when you use the tenant name, try the command using the associated tenant ID.

Action Name	Description	Usage
<code>addcert</code>	Add a trusted certificate.	<code>dsm_c -action addcert -purpose PURPOSE -cert CERT</code>
<code>addregion</code>	Add a private cloud provider region.	<code>dsm_c -action addregion -region REGION -display DISPLAY -endpoint ENDPOINT</code>
<code>changesetting</code>	Change a setting. Warning: Back up your deployment before running the command. Don't use this command unless you understand the effects of the setting. Some misconfigurations can make your service unavailable, or your data	<pre>dsm_c -action changesetting -name NAME [-value VALUE -valuefile FILENAME] [-computerid COMPUTERID] [-computername COMPUTERTNAME] [-policyid POLICYID] [-policyname POLICYNAME] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</pre>

Action Name	Description	Usage
	unreadable. Usually, you should only use this command if requested by your technical support provider, who will tell you which setting <code>NAME</code> to change. Sometimes this command is required during normal use. If so, the setting will be described in that section of the documentation, such as masterkey.	
<code>createinsertstatements</code>	Create insert statements	<code>dsm_c -action createinsertstatements [-file FILEPATH] [-generateDDL] [-</code>

Action Name	Description	Usage
	(for export to a different database).	<code>databaseType sqlserver oracle] [-maxresultfromdb count] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>diagnostic</code>	Create a diagnostic package for the system. Note: If needed, you can "Increase verbose diagnostic package process memory" on page 1243.	<code>dsm_c -action diagnostic [-verbose 0 1] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>fullaccess</code>	Give an administrator the full access role.	<code>dsm_c -action fullaccess -username USERNAME [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>listcerts</code>	List trusted certificates.	<code>dsm_c -action listcerts [-purpose PURPOSE]</code>
<code>listregions</code>	List private cloud provider regions.	<code>dsm_c -action listregions</code>
<code>masterkey</code>	Generate, import, export, or use a custom master key to	If you already configured a custom master key during a new install , the installer has completed this setup for you. If you skipped master key creation, and want to configure one now, start with the commands in step 1. Enter all

Action Name	Description	Usage
	encrypt the: • database password • keystore password • personal data Note: If a custom master key is not configured, Deep Security will use a hard-coded seed, and personal data will not be encrypted by default.	commands in order. If you configured the master key during an upgrade, back up your database and properties files, and then start with the commands in step 4. 1. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction [generatekmskey -arn AWSARN generatelocalkey]</code> – Generate the master key using either the Amazon Resource Name (ARN) of a Key Management System (KMS) key, or a local environment variable named <code>LOCAL_KEY_SECRET</code>. If using the local environment variable on a multi-node Deep Security Manager, it must be configured on all nodes, system-level (not user-level), and not more than 64 characters. Note: Permissions and reliable network access to KMS or <code>LOCAL_KEY_SECRET</code> are required by Deep Security Manager if you configure the master key. The manager uses them to encrypt and decrypt the master key during use. If they temporarily cannot be reached, Deep Security Manager will be unable to decrypt required data, and the service will be unavailable. Symptoms can include intermittent event logs and alerts for restart failures and various other errors. Note: Using KMS is the recommended

Action Name	Description	Usage
		method to provision a key because it does not rely on local files. If using the local environment variable, the LOCAL_KEY_SECRET value is a salt (a unique piece of additional data provided to the key generation process) for the purpose of generating an actual master key to encrypt the database. Without the key, someone who steals the database can't decrypt it, and without the salt, the key itself can't be recalculated. This client-managed portion of the secret is offered as an option for you to customize the key generation process with additional data of your own, that you manage. But with or without the salt, the actual key is not stored in clear text. In addition, this string is stored in a file with root read-only permissions. 2. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction export -file FILEPATH</code> – Export the master key to a password-encrypted file for backup. You will be prompted for the password. Warning: Back up the master key by exporting it to a safe location. If the master key is lost or destroyed, and you do not have a backup, all encrypted data will be unreadable. If that happens, you must reinstall Deep Security

Action Name	Description	Usage
		Manager, all relays, and all agents. If the key is stolen, security of your Deep Security deployment is compromised. Some compliance regulations such as General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) in Europe may require you by law to notify law enforcement of personal data breaches within 72 hours, and noncompliance can result in fines. Consult your lawyer for more information. To verify your backup for disaster recovery, you can test it by importing the master key: <pre>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction [importkmskey -file FILEPATH -arn AWSARN importlocalkey -file FILEPATH] – Import a backup of the master key. This can be useful either for disaster recovery of a corrupted key, or to migrate the master key to another KMS. Before you run this command, you must delete the existing master key from the primary tenant (T0) database.</pre> For example, you might enter the SQL command: <pre>delete from systemsettings where uniquekey = 'settings.configuration.keyEncryptingKey'</pre> 3. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction encryptproperties</code> – Use the master key to encrypt keystore and database passwords in <code>dsm.properties</code> and

Action Name	Description	Usage
		configuration.properties. Restart Deep Security Manager for this setting to take effect. 4. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction encrypttenantkey -tenantid [all TENANTNUM]</code> – Use the master key to encrypt existing tenant key seeds (if you have a multi-tenant deployment). Tenant key seeds are used to derive sub-keys that you can use in the next step. Safe to run multiple times; it will not apply multiple layers of encryption if the seed has already been encrypted. Tip: Optionally, if you want to encrypt only for new tenants while you slowly roll out to each existing tenant, you can enter this command first: <pre>dsm_c -action changesetting - name settings.configuration.encryptT enantKeyForNewTenants -value true</pre> 5. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction encryptpii -tenantid [all TENANTNUM]</code> – Use each tenant's key to encrypt their administrators' and contacts' personal data in the database. 6. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction encryptdsmprivatekey -tenantid [all TENANTNUM]</code> – Use the master key to encrypt the private key used for activation and other agent-manager communications via SSL/TLS.

Action Name	Description	Usage
		7. <code>dsm_c -action masterkey -subaction isconfigured</code> – Check to see whether the master key was created.
<code>removecert</code>	Remove a trusted certificate.	<code>dsm_c -action removecert -id ID</code>
<code>removereregion</code>	Remove a private cloud provider region.	<code>dsm_c -action removereregion -region REGION</code>
<code>resetcounters</code>	Reset counter tables to an empty state.	<code>dsm_c -action resetcounters [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>script</code>	Perform batch processing of <code>dsm_c</code> commands in a script file.	<code>dsm_c -action script -scriptfile FILEPATH [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>setports</code>	Set Deep Security Manager port(s) .	<code>dsm_c -action setports [-managerPort port] [-heartbeatPort port]</code>
<code>trustdirectorycert</code>	Trust the certificate of a directory.	<code>dsm_c -action trustdirectorycert -directoryaddress DIRECTORYADDRESS -directoryport DIRECTORYPORT [-username USERNAME] [-password PASSWORD] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>unlockout</code>	Unlock a user account.	<code>dsm_c -action unlockout -username USERNAME [-newpassword NEWPASSWORD] [-disablemfa] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>
<code>upgradetasks</code>	Runs the upgrade task actions which	<code>dsm_c -action upgradetasks [-listtasksets] [-listtasks -taskset</code>

Action Name	Description	Usage
	may be required as part of an in-service upgrade.	<pre>UPGRADE_TASK_SET [-force]] [-tenantlist] [-tenantsummary] [-run -taskset UPGRADE_TASK_SET [-force] [-filter REGULAR_EXPRESSION]] [-showrollbackinfo -task TASKNAME] [-purgehistory [-task TASKNAME]] [-showhistory [-task TASKNAME]] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</pre> • <code>[-listtasksets]</code>: List sets of tasks for the system as a whole or the tenant specified by <code>-tenantname</code>. • <code>[-listtasks -taskset UPGRADE_TASK_SET [-force]]</code>: List the modifications to run. Include <code>-force</code> to list all tasks. • <code>[-tenantlist]</code>: Shows the version of outstanding upgrade actions for the specified tenant. • <code>[-tenantsummary]</code>: Shows a summary of the tenants that are not up to date. • <code>[-run -taskset UPGRADE_TASK_SET [-force] [-filter REGX]]</code>: Run the upgrade actions for each tenant. Include <code>-force</code> to run all tasks even if they have already been done. Include <code>-filter</code> to limit the actions to a regular expression. • <code>[-showrollbackinfo -task TASKNAME]</code>: Shows rollback information for the specified task. One tenant or all tenants can be shown. • <code>[-purgehistory [-task TASKNAME]]</code>: Purge the history for the tenant specified and the task specified. If no tenant or task is specified, all items are matched.

Action Name	Description	Usage
		<code>[-showhistory [-task TASKNAME]]</code>: Show the history for the tenant specified and the task specified. If no tenant or task specified, all items are matched.
<code>versionget</code>	View information about the current software version, the database schema version, or both.	<code>dsm_c -action versionget [-software] [-dbschema]</code>
<code>viewsetting</code>	View a setting value.	<code>dsm_c -action viewsetting -name NAME [-computerid COMPUTERID] [-computername COMPUTERTNAME] [-policyid POLICYID] [-policyname POLICYNAME] [-tenantname TENANTNAME -tenantid TENANTID]</code>

Return codes

The `dsm_c` command returns an integer value that indicates whether the command executed successfully. The following values can be returned:

- **0**: Successful execution.
- **-1**: Failure of an unknown nature, such as corrupt software installation.
- **1**: Failure during execution, such as the database is not currently accessible.
- **2**: Invalid arguments were provided.

Use the Deep Security API to automate tasks

Deep Security 11.1 and higher have a new RESTful API that enables you to automate the provisioning and maintenance of security via Deep Security. Go to the [Deep Security Automation Center](#) to download the SDKs in the language of your choice and learn how to use the API:

- API Reference
- Task-oriented guides with ample code examples
- Support resources

The API is continuously updated with new features and improvements. When you start new automation projects, if the new API meets your needs you should use it to benefit from continued support and maintenance in the long term.

To get started with the API, see the [First Steps Toward Deep Security Automation](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Legacy REST and SOAP APIs

Note: The REST and SOAP APIs that were provided before Deep Security 11.1 have not changed. They have been deprecated, so new features will not be added but the existing API functionality will continue to function as usual.

Deep Security still includes the legacy REST and SOAP APIs. For guidance on using them, see the following guides on the Deep Security Automation Center:

- [Transition from the SOAP API](#)
- [Use the Legacy REST API](#)

The following sections explain how to use Deep Security Manager to accomplish tasks that are related to using the SOAP and REST API. For more information about when you need to perform these tasks, see the guides listed above.

Enable the Status Monitoring API (optional)

To use status monitoring with the legacy REST API, you must enable it. The API is disabled by default as it does not require authentication.

1. On Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Advanced**.
2. In the Status Monitoring API section, select **Enabled**, then click **Save**.

Create a Web Service user account

Create a role for Web Service-only access, and assign it to a new user.

1. On Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > User Management > Roles** .
2. Click **New**.
3. Deselect the **Allow Access to Deep Security Manager User Interface** check box and select the **Allow Access to Web Service API** check box.
4. When all other configuration is complete, click **Save**.
5. Go to **Administration > User Management > Users** and click **New**.
6. Create a new user for use only with the Web Service API. Assign the new Role previously created to this user.

Make note of the new user account user name and password.

Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks

Deep Security has many tasks that you might want to perform automatically on a regular basis. Scheduled tasks are useful when deploying Deep Security in your environment and also later, to keep your system up to date and functioning smoothly. They are especially useful for running scans on a regular basis during off-peak hours.

Tip: You can automate scheduled task creation and configuration using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Maintain Protection Using Scheduled Tasks](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Create scheduled tasks

To set up a scheduled task in the Deep Security Manager, click **Administration > Scheduled Tasks > New**. This opens the "New Scheduled Task Wizard", which takes you through the steps to create a scheduled task.

Check for Security Updates: Regularly check for security updates and import them into Deep Security when they are available. For most organizations, performing this task once daily is ideal.

Note: With Deep Security 11.0 Update 2 or later, the "Check for Security Updates" task ignores offline hosts that have been uncommunicative for 30 days or more.

Check for Software Updates: Regularly check for Deep Security Agent software updates and download them when they are available.

Discover Computers: Periodically check for new computers on the network by scheduling a Discovery operation. You will be prompted for an IP range to check and asked to specify which

computer group the new computer will be added to. This task is useful for discovering computers that are not part of your cloud connector.

Generate and Send Report: Automatically generate reports and optionally have them emailed to a list of users.

Scan Computers for Integrity Changes: Causes the Deep Security Manager to perform an Integrity Scan to compare a computer's current state against its baseline.

Scan computers for Malware: Schedules a Malware Scan. The configuration of the scan is specified on the Policy or Computer Editor > Anti-Malware page for each computer. For most organizations, performing this task once weekly (or according to your organization's policies) is ideal. When you configure this task, you can specify a timeout value for the scan. The timeout option is available for daily, weekly, monthly, and once-only scans. It is not available for hourly scans. When a scheduled malware scan is running and the timeout limit has been reached, any tasks that are currently running or pending are canceled.

Tip: When a **Scan Computers for Malware** task times out, the next scheduled scan starts over from the beginning (it does not start where the previous scan ended). The goal is to perform a complete scan, so consider making some configuration changes if your scans regularly reach the timeout limit. You can change the malware scan configuration to add some exceptions, or extend the timeout period.

Scan Computers for Open Ports: Schedule periodic port scans on one or more computers. You can specify individual computers or all computers belonging to a particular computer group. Deep Security Manager will scan the port numbers defined on the Scanning tab in the Policy or Computer Editor > Settings page.

Scan Computers for Recommendations: Causes the Deep Security Manager to scan the computer(s) for common applications and then make recommendations based on what is detected. Performing regular recommendation scans ensures that your computers are protected by the latest relevant rule sets and that those that are no longer required are removed. If you have set the "Automatically implement Recommendations" option for each of the three protection modules that support it, Deep Security will assign and unassign rules that are required. If rules are identified that require special attention, an alert will be raised to notify you. For most organizations, performing this task once a week is ideal.

Note: Recommendation Scans can be CPU-intensive, so when scheduling Recommendation Scans, it is best practice to set the task by group (for example, per policy or for a group of computers, no more than 1,000 machines per group) and spread it in different days (for

example, database server scans scheduled every Monday; mail server scans scheduled every Tuesday, and so on). Schedule Recommendation Scans more frequently for systems that change often.

Send Outstanding Alert Summary: Generate an email listing all outstanding (unresolved) alerts.

Send Policy: Regularly check for and send updated policies. Scheduled updates allow you to follow an existing change control process. Scheduled tasks can be set to update machines during maintenance windows, off hours, etc.

Synchronize Cloud Account: Synchronize the Computers list with an added cloud account. (only available if you have added a cloud account to the Deep Security Manager.)

Synchronize Directory: Synchronize the Computers list with an added LDAP directory. (Only available if you have added an LDAP directory to the Deep Security Manager.)

Synchronize Users/Contact: Synchronize the Users and Contacts lists with an added Active Directory. (Only available if you have added an Active Directory to the Deep Security Manager.)

Enable or disable a scheduled task

Existing scheduled tasks can be enabled or disabled. For example, you might want to temporarily disable a scheduled task while you perform certain administrative duties during which you don't want any activity to occur. The control to enable or disable a scheduled task is on the General tab of the Task's Properties window.

Set up recurring reports

Recurring Reports are simply scheduled tasks that periodically generate and distribute reports to users and contacts. Most of the options are identical to those for single reports, with the exception of the time filter.

Tip: To generate a report on specific computers from multiple computer groups, create a user who has viewing rights only to the computers in question and then either create a scheduled task to regularly generate an "All Computers" report for that user or sign in as that user and run an "All Computers" report. Only the computers to which that user has viewing rights will be included in the report.

Automatically perform tasks when a computer is added or changed

Note: In this article, references to protecting virtual machines apply only to Deep Security On-Premise software installations.

Event-based tasks let you monitor protected computers for specific events and perform tasks based on certain conditions.

Create an event-based task

In Deep Security Manager, click **Administration > Event-Based Tasks > New**. The wizard that appears will guide you through the steps of creating a new task. You will be prompted for different information depending on the type of task.

Edit or stop an existing event-based task

To change the properties for an existing event-based task, go to click **Administration > Event-Based Tasks**. Select the event-based task from the list and click **Properties**.

Events that you can monitor

- **Computer Created (by System):** A computer being added to the manager during synchronization with an Active Directory or Cloud Provider account, or the creation of a virtual machine on a managed ESXi server running a virtual appliance.
- **Computer Moved (by System):** A virtual machine being moved from one vApp to another within the same ESXi, or a virtual machine on an ESXi being move from one datacenter to another or from one ESXi to another (including from an unmanaged ESXi server to a managed ESXi server running a virtual appliance.)
- **Agent-Initiated Activation:** An agent is activated using agent-initiated activation.
- **IP Address Changed:** A computer has begun using a different IP.
- **NSX Security Group Changed:** The following situations will trigger this event (the event will be recorded on each affected VM):
 - A VM is added to a group that is (indirectly) associated with the NSX Deep Security Service Profile

- A VM is removed from an NSX Group that is associated with the NSX Deep Security Service Profile
 - An NSX Policy associated with the NSX Deep Security Service Profile is applied to an NSX Group
 - An NSX Policy associated with the NSX Deep Security Service Profile is removed from an NSX Group
 - An NSX Policy is associated with the NSX Deep Security Service Profile
 - An NSX Policy is removed from the NSX Deep Security Service Profile
 - An NSX Group that is associated with an NSX Deep Security Service Profile changes name
- **Computer Powered On (by System):** Enables users to trigger activation by the VMware Virtual Machine power on event.

Note: The Computer Powered On event is only compatible with virtual machines hosted on ESX environments in VMWare. Use this event cautiously because if a large number of computers are turned on at the same time, this event could cause a slowdown.

Conditions

You can require specific match conditions to be met in order for the task to be carried out. (Add additional conditions by pressing the "plus" button.) If you specify multiple conditions, each of the conditions must be met for the task to be carried out. (In other words, multiple conditions are "AND" conditions, not "OR".)

Use **Java regular expression syntax**

(<https://docs.oracle.com/javase/6/docs/api/java/util/regex/Pattern.html>) to match patterns in the following fields:

- **Cloud Instance Image ID:** AWS cloud instance AMI ID.

Note: This match condition is only available for AWS cloud instances.

- **Cloud Instance Metadata:** The metadata being matched corresponds to AWS "tags" in the Amazon environment.

Note: This match condition is only available for AWS cloud instances. Metadata currently associated with a computer is displayed on the **Overview** page in its editor window. To

define the conditions to match for, you must provide two pieces of information: the metadata tag key and the metadata tag value. For example, to match a computer which has a metadata key named **"AlphaFunction"** that has a value of **"DServer"**, you would enter **"AlphaFunction"** and **"DServer"** (without the quotes). If you wanted match more than one possible condition, you could use regular expressions and enter **"AlphaFunction"** and **".*Server"**, or **"AlphaFunction"** and **"D.*"**.

- **Cloud Instance Security Group Name:** The security group the cloud instance applies to.

Note: This match condition is only available for AWS cloud instances.

- **Cloud Account Name:** The "Display Name" field in the Cloud Account properties window.
- **Computer Name:** The "Hostname" field in the computer properties window.
- **ESXi Name:** The "Hostname" field of the ESXi server on which the VM computer is hosted.
- **ESXi Name:** The "Hostname" field of the ESXi server on which the VM computer is hosted.
- **Folder Name:** The name of the folder or directory in which the computer is located in its local environment.

Note: This match condition looks for a match against the name of **any** parent folder of the computer, including the root datacenter for vCenter server integrations. If you add a **"*"** character to the beginning of the regular expression, the condition must match the name on **all** parent folders. This is particularly useful when combined with negation in a regular expression. For example, if you want to match computers in folders that do not include **"Linux"** in the folder name, you could use a regular expression like ***^((?!Linux).)*\$**.

- **NSX Security Group Name:** The list of potential groups in this condition refers only to NSX Groups associated with NSX Policies associated with the NSX Deep Security Service Profile. The VM may be a member of other NSX Groups but for the purposes of this match, condition it is not relevant.
- **Platform:** The operating system of the computer.
- **vCenter name:** The "Name" field of the computer's vCenter properties that was added to Deep Security Manager.

Java regular expression examples:

To match:	Use this:
any string (but not nothing)	<code>.+</code>

To match:	Use this:
empty string (no text)	^\$
Folder Alpha	Folder\ Alpha
FIN-1234	FIN-\d+ or FIN-.*
RD-ABCD	RD-\w+ or RD-.*
AB or ABC or ABCCCCCCCCCCC	ABC*
Microsoft Windows 2003 or Windows XP	.*Windows.*
Red Hat 7 or Some_Linux123	.*Red.* .*Linux.*

These next two conditions match True or False conditions:

- **Appliance Protection Available:** A Deep Security Virtual Appliance is available to protect VMs on the ESXi on which the VM is hosted. The VM may or may not be in a "Activated" state.
- **Appliance Protection Activated:** A Deep Security Virtual Appliance is available to protect VMs on the ESXi on which the VM is hosted and the VM is "Activated".

The last condition option looks for matches to an IP in an IP list:

- **Last Used IP Address:** The current or last known IP address of the computer.

Note: Depending on the source of the new computer, some fields may not be available. For example, "Platform" would not be available for computers added as a result of the synchronization with an Active Directory.

Actions

The following actions can be taken depending on which of the above events is detected:

- **Activate Computer:** Deep Security protection is activated on the computer.
 - **Delay activation by (minutes):** Activation is delayed by a specified number of minutes.
- **Note:** If the event-based task is intended to apply protection to a VM that is being vMotioned to an ESXi protected by a Deep Security Virtual Appliance, add a delay before activation to allow any pending VMware administrative tasks to complete. The amount of delay varies depending on your environment.
- **Deactivate Computer:** Deep Security protection is deactivated on the computer.
- **Assign Policy:** The new computer is automatically assigned a policy. (The computer must be activated first.)
- **Assign Relay Group:** The new computer is automatically assigned a relay group from which to receive security updates.
- **Assign to Computer Group:** The computer is placed in one of the computer groups on the Computers page.

Order of execution

When using event based tasks, you should create and use conditions that are unique to each task. This is because when identical conditions are encountered, Deep Security will process them in a specific order, and this order does not take into account the number of conditions within a task to rank said tasks against each other.

For example, if the *server01.example.com* computer on a *Windows Server 2012* platform encountered the following event-based tasks:

The image displays two side-by-side screenshots of the Trend Micro Deep Security configuration interface, showing the 'General' tab for two different event-based tasks.

Left Window (Specific EBT):

- Name:** Specific EBT
- Event:** Agent-Initiated Activation
- Task Enabled:** ☒
- Summary Information:**
 - Actions:** Assign Policy: Windows Server 2012
 - Conditions:**
 - "Computer Name" matches "server.*.example.com"
 - "Platform" matches ".*Windows.*"
- Description:** (Empty text area)
- Buttons:** OK, Cancel, Apply

Right Window (catch-All EBT):

- Name:** catch-All EBT
- Event:** Agent-Initiated Activation
- Task Enabled:** ☒
- Summary Information:**
 - Actions:** Assign Policy: Windows
 - Conditions:**
 - "Platform" matches ".*Windows.*"
- Description:** (Empty text area)
- Buttons:** OK, Cancel, Apply

The event-based task with more conditions is not automatically executed first. Instead, the "Platform" condition is matched twice, and the event-based tasks are executed based on the name of the task and your database type.

- **PostgreSQL:** "a task", "A task", "b task", "B task"
- **Oracle:** "A task", "B task", "a task", "b task" ([ASCIIbetical](#) order)
- **Microsoft SQL Server:** Depends on the locale of the operating system.

However, keep in mind that this order does not stop on the first match, and instead stops on the last match. This, in practice, means that if you're using Oracle, the example above would be assigned a policy by the "catch-All EBT" because using ASCIIbetical order dictates that the "c" in "catch" comes after "S" in "Specific".

To avoid unexpected results, use a specific naming convention for your event-based tasks, such as CamelCase.

Note: The order of task names is actually dictated by what collation scheme you use for the column "name" of the table "scheduledtasks" within your database. For example, Oracle uses

the collation scheme "NLS_COMP:BINARY" and "NLS_SORT:BINARY" as its default collation scheme for all columns, and that sorts task name strings in ASCIIbetical order.

Temporarily disable an event-based task

To prevent an existing event-based task from running, right-click it and then click **Disable** . For example, you may want to temporarily disable an event-based task while you perform certain administrative duties during which you don't want any activity to occur.

To re-enable an event-based task, right-click it and then click **Enable**.

AWS Auto Scaling and Deep Security

You can set up automatic protection in Deep Security for new instances created by AWS Auto Scaling.

Each instance created by Auto Scaling will need to have a Deep Security agent installed on it. There are two ways that you can do this: you can include a pre-installed agent in the EC2 instance used to create the AMI, or you install the agent by including a deployment script in the launch configuration for the AMI. There are pros and cons for each option:

- If you include a pre-installed agent, instances will spin up more quickly because there is no need to download and install the agent software.
- If you use a deployment script to install the agent, it will always get the latest version of the agent software from the Deep Security Manager. If you use a pre-installed agent, it will use the version included in the AMI.

Pre-install the agent

If you have an EC2 instance already configured with a Deep Security Agent, you can use that instance to create the AMI for Auto Scaling. Before creating the AMI, you must deactivate the agent on the EC2 instance and stop the instance:

```
dsa_control -r
```

Each new EC2 instance created by Auto Scaling needs to have its agent activated and a policy applied to it, if it doesn't have one already. There are two ways to do this:

- You can create a deployment script that activates the agent and optionally applies a policy. Then add the deployment script to the AWS launch configuration so that it is run when a new instance is created. For instructions, see the "Install the Agent with a deployment script" section below, but omit the section of the deployment script that gets and installs the agent. You will only need the `dsa_control -a` section of the script.

Note: For the deployment scripts to work, agent-initiated communication must be enabled on your Deep Security Manager. For details on this setting, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#)

- You can set up an Event-Based Task in Deep Security Manager that will activate the agent and optionally apply a policy when an instance is launched and the "Computer Created (By System)" event occurs.

Install the agent with a deployment script

Deep Security provides the ability to generate customized deployment scripts that you can run when EC2 instances are created. If the EC2 instance does not contain a pre-installed agent, the deployment script should install the agent, activate it, apply a policy, and optionally assign the machine to a computer group and relay group.

Tip: You can generate deployment scripts to automate the agent installation using the Deep Security API. For more information, see [Generate an agent deployment script](#).

In order for the deployment script to work:

- You must create AMIs from machines that are stopped.
- Agent-initiated communication must be enabled on your Deep Security Manager. For details on this setting, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

To set up automatic protection for instances using a deployment script:

1. Sign in to the Deep Security Manager.
2. From **Support** menu in the top right-hand corner, select **Deployment Scripts**.
3. Select your platform.
4. Select **Activate Agent automatically after installation**.
5. Select the appropriate **Security Policy**, **Computer Group** and **Relay Group**.
6. Click **Copy to Clipboard**.

- Go to the AWS launch configuration, expand **Advanced Details** and paste the deployment script into **User Data**.

The screenshot shows the 'Create Launch Configuration' page in the AWS Management Console, specifically the '3. Configure details' step. The 'Advanced Details' section is expanded, and the 'User data' field is highlighted with a red rectangle. The 'User data' field contains the following PowerShell script:

```
#!/usr/bin/env bash
wget
https://app.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com:443/software/agent/amzn1/
x86_64/ -O /tmp/agent.rpm --no-check-certificate --quiet
rpm -ihv /tmp/agent.rpm
```

Other visible fields include 'Name', 'Purchasing option' (Request Spot Instances), 'IAM role' (None), 'Monitoring' (Enable CloudWatch detailed monitoring), 'Kernel ID' (Use default), 'RAM Disk ID' (Use default), 'IP Address Type' (Only assign a public IP address to instances launched in the default VPC and subnet), and 'Link to VPC'.

Note: If you are encountering issues getting the PowerShell deployment script to run on a Microsoft Windows-based AMI, the issues may be caused by creating the AMI from a running instance. AWS supports creating AMIs from running instances, but this option disables ALL of the `Ec2Config` tasks that would run at start time on any instance created from the AMI. This behavior prevents the instance from attempting to run the PowerShell script.

Note: When you build an AMI on Windows, you need to re-enable user-data handling manually or as part of your image-building process. The user-data handling only runs in the first boot of the Windows base AMI unless it's explicitly told otherwise (it's disabled during the initial boot process), so instances built from a custom AMI won't run user-data unless the feature is re-

enabled. [Configuring a Windows Instance Using the EC2Config Service](#) has a detailed explanation and instructions for how to reset the feature or ensure it's not disabled on first boot. The easiest mechanism is to include `<persist>true</persist>` in your user data, providing that you have EC2Config version 2.1.10 or later.

Delete instances from Deep Security as a result of Auto Scaling

After you have added an AWS Account in the Deep Security Manager, instances that no longer exist in AWS as a result of Auto Scaling will be automatically removed from the Deep Security Manager.

See ["Add AWS cloud accounts" on page 378](#) for details on adding an AWS account.

Azure virtual machine scale sets and Deep Security

Azure virtual machine scale sets (VMSS) provide the ability to deploy and manage a set of identical VMs. The number of VMs can increase or decrease automatically based on configurable scaling rules. For more information, see [What are virtual machine scale sets in Azure?](#)

You can set up your VMSS to include a base VM image that has the Deep Security Agent pre-installed and pre-activated. As the VMSS scales up, the new VM instances in the scale set automatically include the agent.

To add the agent to your VMSS:

- ["Step 1: \(Recommended\) Add your Azure account to Deep Security Manager" below](#)
- ["Step 2: Prepare a deployment script" on the next page](#)
- ["Step 3: Add the agent through a custom script extension to your VMSS instances" on the next page](#)

Step 1: (Recommended) Add your Azure account to Deep Security Manager

When you add your Azure account to Deep Security Manager, all the Azure instances created under that account are loaded into Deep Security Manager and appear under **Computers**. The instances appear regardless of whether they have an agent installed or not. The ones that do not include an agent have a **Status** of **No Agent**. After you install and activate the agent on them, their **Status** changes to **Managed (Online)**.

If the scale set is manually or automatically scaled up after adding your Azure account, Deep Security detects the new Azure instances and adds them to its list under **Computers**. Similarly, if the scale set is scaled down, the instances are removed from view. Thus, Deep Security Manager always shows the current list of available Azure instances in your scale set.

However, if you do not add your Azure account to Deep Security Manager, but instead add individual Azure instances using another method, then Deep Security does not detect any scaling down that might occur, and does not remove the non-existent Azure instances from its list. To prevent an ever-expanding list of Azure VMs in your Deep Security Manager, and to always show exactly which Azure instances are available in your scale set at any one time, it is highly recommended that you add your Azure account to Deep Security Manager.

For instructions on adding your Azure account, see ["Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 392](#).

Step 2: Prepare a deployment script

In Deep Security Manager, prepare a deployment script from Deep Security Manager. For instructions, see ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#). This deployment script will be referenced in a custom script extension that you'll configure next.

Note: To run a custom script with the following VMSS script, the script must be stored in Azure Blob storage or in any other location accessible through a valid URL. For instructions on how to upload a file to Azure Blob storage, see [Perform Azure Blob storage operations with Azure PowerShell](#).

Step 3: Add the agent through a custom script extension to your VMSS instances

Below are a couple of examples on how to use PowerShell to add the agent.

- [Example 1](#) shows how to create a new VMSS that includes the agent
- [Example 2](#) shows how to add the agent to an existing VMSS

Both examples:

- use the [Add-AzureRmVmssExtension cmdlet](#) to add an extension to the VMSS
- use Azure PowerShell version 5.1.1

Note: For instructions on creating a new VMSS using PowerShell cmdlets, refer to [this Microsoft tutorial](#). For the Linux platform, see <https://github.com/Azure/custom-script-extension-linux>.

Example 1: Create a new VMSS that includes the agent

```
$resourceGroupName = <The resource group of the VMSS>
```

```
$vmssname = <The name of the VMSS>
```

```
# Create ResourceGroup
```

```
New-AzureRmResourceGroup -ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName -Location  
EastUS
```

```
# Create a config object
```

```
$vmssConfig = New-AzureRmVmssConfig `
```

```
    -Location EastUS `
```

```
    -SkuCapacity 2 `
```

```
    -SkuName Standard_DS2 `
```

```
    -UpgradePolicyMode Automatic
```

```
# Define the script for your Custom Script Extension to run on the Windows  
Platform
```

```
$customConfig = @{
```

```
    "fileUri" = (,"A URL of your copy of deployment script, ex.  
deploymentscript.ps1");
```

```
    "commandToExecute" = "powershell -ExecutionPolicy Unrestricted -File  
deploymentscript.ps1"
```

```
}
```

```
# Define the script for your Custom Script Extension to run on the Linux  
Platform
```

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```
#$customConfig = @{  
  
# "fileUri" = ("A URL of your copy of deployment script, ex.  
deploymentscript.sh");  
  
# "commandToExecute" = "bash deploymentscript.sh"  
  
#}  
  
# The section is required only if deploymentscript has been located within  
Azure StorageAccount  
  
$storageAccountName = <StorageAccountName if deploymentscript is locate in  
Azure Storage>  
  
$key = (Get-AzureRmStorageAccountKey -Name $storageAccountName -  
ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName).Value[0]  
  
$protectedConfig = @{  
  
    "storageAccountName" = $storageAccountName;  
  
    "storageAccountKey" = $key  
  
}  
  
# Use Custom Script Extension to install Deep Security Agent (Windows)  
Add-AzureRmVmssExtension -VirtualMachineScaleSet $vmssConfig `  
    -Name "customScript" `  
    -Publisher "Microsoft.Compute" `  
    -Type "CustomScriptExtension" `  
    -TypeHandlerVersion 1.8 `  
    -Setting $customConfig `  
    -ProtectedSetting $protectedConfig  
  
# Use Custom Script Extension to install Deep Security Agent (Linux)  
#Add-AzureRmVmssExtension -VirtualMachineScaleSet $vmssConfig `  
# -Name "customScript" `
```

```
# -Publisher "Microsoft.Azure.Extensions" `
# -Type "customScript" `
# -TypeHandlerVersion 2.0 `
# -Setting $customConfig `
# -ProtectedSetting $protectedConfig

# Create a public IP address
# Create a frontend and backend IP pool
# Create the load balancer
# Create a load balancer health probe on port 80
# Create a load balancer rule to distribute traffic on port 80
# Update the load balancer configuration
# Reference a virtual machine image from the gallery
# Set up information for authenticating with the virtual machine
# Create the virtual network resources
# Attach the virtual network to the config object

# Create the scale set with the config object (this step might take a few
minutes)

New-AzureRmVmss `
    -ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName `
    -Name $vmssname `
    -VirtualMachineScaleSet $vmssConfig
```

Example 2: Add the agent to an existing VMSS

```
$resourceGroupName = <The resource group of the VMSS>
$vmssname = <The name of the VMSS>

# Get the VMSS model
```

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```
$vmssobj = Get-AzureRmVmss -ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName -
VMScaleSetName $vmssname

# Show model data if you prefer

# Write-Output $vmssobj

# Define the script for your Custom Script Extension to run on the Windows
platform

$customConfig = @{
    "fileUri" = ("A URL of your copy of deployment script, ex.
deploymentscript.ps1");
    "commandToExecute" = "powershell -ExecutionPolicy Unrestricted -File
deploymentscript.ps1"
}

# Define the script for your Custom Script Extension to run on the Linux
platform

#$customConfig = @{
# "fileUri" = ("A URL of your copy of deployment script, ex.
deploymentscript.sh");
# "commandToExecute" = "bash deploymentscript.sh"
#}

# The section is required only if deploymentscript has been located within
Azure StorageAccount

$storageAccountName = <StorageAccountName if deploymentscript is locate in
Azure Storage>

$key= (Get-AzureRmStorageAccountKey -Name $storageAccountName -
ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName).Value[0]

$protectedConfig = @{
```

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```
"storageAccountName" = $storageAccountName;

"storageAccountKey" = $key

}

# Use Custom Script Extension to install Deep Security Agent (Windows)
$newvmssobj = Add-AzureRmVmssExtension `
    -VirtualMachineScaleSet $vmssobj `
    -Name "customScript" `
    -Publisher "Microsoft.Compute" `
    -Type "CustomScriptExtension" `
    -TypeHandlerVersion 1.8 `
    -Setting $customConfig `
    -ProtectedSetting $protectedConfig

# Use Custom Script Extension to install Deep Security Agent (Linux)
#$newvmssobj = Add-AzureRmVmssExtension `
#     -VirtualMachineScaleSet $vmssobj `
#     -Name "customScript" `
#     -Publisher "Microsoft.Azure.Extensions" `
#     -Type "customScript" `
#     -TypeHandlerVersion 2.0 `
#     -Setting $customConfig `
#     -ProtectedSetting $protectedConfig

# Update the virtual machine scale set model
Update-AzureRmVmss -ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName -name $vmssname -
VirtualMachineScaleSet $newvmssobj -Verbose
```



```
# Get Instance ID for all instances in this VMSS, and decide which instance
you'd like to update

# Get-AzureRmVmssVM -ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName -VMSSetName
$vmssname

# Now start updating instances

# If upgradePolicy is Automatic in the VMSS, do NOT execute the next command
Update-AzureRmVmssInstance. Azure will auto-update the VMSS.

# There's no PowerShell command to update all instances at once. But you
could refer to the output of Update-AzureRmVmss, and loop all instances into
this command.

Update-AzureRmVmssInstance -ResourceGroupName $resourceGroupName -
VMSSetName $vmssname -InstanceId 0
```

Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers

Adding a computer to your list of protected resources in Deep Security and implementing protection is a multi-step process. Almost all of these steps can be performed from the command line on the computer and can therefore be scripted. The Deep Security Manager contains a deployment script writing assistant which can be accessed from the **Support** menu.

Enable agent-initiated activation

If your deployment script will automatically activate the Deep Security Agent after it is installed, you must configure Deep Security Manager to allow agent-initiated activation. See the [Enable agent-initiated activation](#) section of "[Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication](#)" on page 281.

Generate a deployment script

1. In the upper right corner of the Deep Security Manager console, click **Support** > **Deployment Scripts**.
2. Select the platform on which you are deploying the software.

The platforms in the list correspond to the agent software that you have imported into Deep Security Manager. For information on importing Deep Security software, see ["Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251](#).

3. Select **Activate agent automatically after installation**.

Agents must be activated before you apply a policy to protect the computer. Activation registers the agent with the manager during an initial communication.

4. Optionally, select the **Security Policy, Computer Group, Relay Group, Proxy to contact Deep Security Manager**, and **Proxy to contact Relay(s)**.

5. Optionally (but highly recommended), select **Validate Deep Security Manager TLS certificate**.

When this option is selected, it checks that Deep Security Manager is using a valid TLS certificate from a trusted certificate authority (CA) when downloading the agent software, which can help prevent a "man in the middle" attack. You can check whether Deep Security Manager is using a valid CA certificate by looking at the browser bar in the Deep Security Manager console. By default, Deep Security Manager uses a self-signed certificate, which is not compatible with the **Validate Deep Security Manager TLS certificate** option. If your Deep Security Manager is not behind a load balancer, see ["Replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate" on page 830](#) for instructions on replacing the default self-signed certificate with a certificate from a trusted certificate authority. If the manager is behind a load balancer, you will need to replace the load balancer's certificates.

6. Optionally (but highly recommended), select **Validate the signature on the agent installer** to have the deployment script initiate a digital signature check on the agent installer file. If the check is successful, the agent installation proceeds. If the check fails, the agent installation is aborted. Before you enable this option, understand that:

- This option is only supported for Linux and Windows installers (RPM, DEB, or MSI files).
- (Linux only) This option requires that you import the public signing key to each agent computer where the deployment script will run. For details, see ["Check the signature on an RPM file" on page 235](#) and ["Check the signature on a DEB file" on page 237](#).

7. The deployment script generator displays the script. Click **Copy to Clipboard** and paste the deployment script in your preferred deployment tool, or click **Save to File**.

Deployment Scripts

For platforms other than Windows and Linux, please see the installation guide.

Platform: Linux Agent Deployment

☒ Activate Agent automatically after installation. (Required if you want to assign a security policy)

Security Policy: None

Computer Group: Computers

Relay Group: Primary Tenant Relay Group

Proxy to contact Deep Security Manager: Select a proxy...

Proxy to contact Relay(s): Select a proxy...

NOTE Hostname, description, unique identifiers and other properties can also be set on agent-initiated activation. See the [Command-Line Instructions](#) page in the online help for more information.

☒ Validate Deep Security Manager TLS certificate. [Learn More](#)

☒ Validate the digital signature on the agent installer. [Learn More](#)

```
#!/bin/bash

ACTIVATIONURL='dsm://agents.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com:443/'
MANAGERURL='https://app.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com:443'
```

Save to File... Copy to Clipboard Close

Note: The deployment scripts generated by Deep Security Manager for Windows agent deployments require Windows PowerShell version 4.0 or later. You must run PowerShell as an Administrator and you may have to run the following command to be able to run scripts: `Set-ExecutionPolicy RemoteSigned`

Note: If you want to deploy an agent to an early version of Windows or Linux that doesn't include PowerShell 4.0 or curl 7.34.0 at a minimum, make sure that early TLS is allowed on the manager and relays. See ["Determine whether TLS 1.2 is enforced" on page 1190](#) and ["Enable early TLS \(1.0\)" on page 1188](#) for details. Also edit the deployment script as follows:

- **Linux:** Remove the `--tls1.2` tag.
- **Windows:** Remove the `#requires -version 4.0` line. Also remove the `[Net.ServicePointManager]::SecurityProtocol = [Net.SecurityProtocolType]::Tls12;` line so that early TLS (version 1.0) is used to communicate with the manager.

If you are using Amazon Web Services and deploying new Amazon EC2, Amazon WorkSpace, or VPC instances, copy the generated script and paste it into the **User Data** field. This will let you

launch existing Amazon Machine Images (AMIs) and automatically install and activate the agent at startup. The new instances must be able to access the URLs specified in the generated deployment script. This means that your Deep Security Manager must be either Internet-facing, connected to AWS via VPN or Direct Link, or that your Deep Security Manager be deployed on Amazon Web Services too.

When copying the deployment script into the **User Data** field for a **Linux** deployment, copy the deployment script as-is into the "User Data" field and CloudInit will execute the script with sudo. (If there are failures, they will be noted in `/var/log/cloud-init.log`.)

Note: The **User Data** field is also used with other services like CloudFormation. For more information, see:

<https://docs.aws.amazon.com/AWSCloudFormation/latest/UserGuide/aws-properties-waitcondition.html>

Troubleshooting and tips

- If you are attempting to run a deployment script and see exit code 2 **"TLS certificate validation for the agent package download has failed. Please check that your Deep Security Manager TLS certificate is signed by a trusted root certificate authority. For more information, search for "deployment scripts" in the Deep Security Help Center."**, the deployment script was created with the **Validate Deep Security Manager TLS certificate** checkbox selected. This error appears if Deep Security Manager is using a certificate that is not publicly trusted (such as the default self-signed certificate) for the connection between Deep Security Manager and its agents, or if there is a problem with a third-party certificate, such as a missing certificate in the trust chain between your certificate and the trusted CA. For information on certificates, see **"Replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate" on page 830**. As an alternative to replacing the trusted certificate, you can clear the **Validate Deep Security Manager TLS certificate** checkbox when generating a deployment script. Note that this is not recommended for security reasons.
- If you are attempting to deploy the agent from PowerShell (x86), you will receive the following error: `C:\Program Files (x86)\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control' is not recognized as the name of a cmdlet, function, script file, or operable program. Check the spelling of the name, or if a path was included, verify that the path is correct and try again.`

The PowerShell script expects the environment variable for `ProgramFiles` to be set to "Program Files", not "Program Files (x86)". To resolve the issue, close PowerShell (x86) and run the script in PowerShell as an administrator.

- On Windows computers, the deployment script will use the same proxy settings as the local operating system. If the local operating system is configured to use a proxy and the Deep Security Manager is accessible only through a direct connection, the deployment script will fail.
- The deployment script can be modified to perform agent updates instead of new installs by changing the `rpm -ihv` to `rpm -U`.

Automatically assign policies by AWS instance tags

AWS tags allows you to categorize your resources by [assigning metadata to AWS EC2 instances](#) in the form of keys and values. You can also [tag Amazon WorkSpaces](#) with the similar key and value pair. Deep Security can use this metadata to trigger the automatic assigning of a policy to a Deep Security Agent when that agent is activated. This is done by creating an event-based task in Deep Security and defining the event, policy, and metadata. Event-based tasks are used to monitor protected resources for specific events and then perform tasks based on certain conditions: in this case the event is agent-initiated activation and a specific AWS instance tag is the condition.

This article describes how to do this using the following examples:

- Policy: AIA_Policy
- AWS tag key: Group
- AWS tag value: development

Note: The example below is based on the assumption that the policy AIA_Policy has already been created.

1. Go to **Administration -> Event-Based Tasks** in the Deep Security Manager console and click **New**.
2. Select **Agent-Initiated Activation** from the **Event** list and click **Next**.
3. Select the **Assign Policy** check box, select **AIA_Policy** from the list, and click **Next**.
4. Select **Cloud Instance Metadata** from the list, type **Group** and **development** into the key and value fields, and click **Next**.

Specify any match condition(s). (All conditions have to be met before the task is carried out.)

Cloud Instance Metadata	matches	Group	development	+

< Back Next > Cancel

5. Type and name for the event-based task and click **Finish** to save it.

You have now created an event-based task that will apply the AIA_Policy to an instance tagged with the key "Group" and the value "development" when the agent is activated on that instance.

Protect

Trend Micro Deep Security has tightly integrated modules that easily expand your security capabilities:

- ["Intrusion Prevention " on the next page](#)
- ["Anti-Malware " on the next page](#)
- ["Firewall " on the next page](#)
- ["Web Reputation " on the next page](#)
- ["Integrity Monitoring " on page 372](#)
- ["Log Inspection " on page 372](#)
- ["Application Control" on page 372](#)

Intrusion Prevention

The Intrusion Prevention module inspects incoming and outgoing traffic to detect and block suspicious activity. This prevents exploitation of known and zero-day vulnerabilities. Deep Security supports "virtual patching": you can use Intrusion Prevention rules to shield from known vulnerabilities until they can be patched, which is required by many compliance regulations. You can configure Deep Security to automatically receive new rules that shield newly discovered vulnerabilities within hours of their discovery.

The Intrusion Prevention module also protects your web applications and the data that they process from SQL injection attacks, cross-site scripting attacks, and other web application vulnerabilities until code fixes can be completed.

For more information, see ["Set up Intrusion Prevention" on page 616](#).

Anti-Malware

The Anti-Malware module protects your Windows and Linux workloads against malicious software, such as malware, spyware, and Trojans. Powered by the Trend Micro™ Smart Protection Network™, the Anti-Malware module helps you instantly identify and remove malware and block domains known to be command and control servers.

For more information, see ["Enable and configure anti-malware" on page 567](#).

Firewall

The Firewall Module is for controlling incoming and outgoing traffic and it also maintains firewall event logs for audits.

For more information, see ["Set up the Deep Security firewall" on page 657](#).

Web Reputation

The majority of today's attacks start with a visit to a URL that's carrying a malicious payload. The Web Reputation module provides content filtering by blocking access to malicious domains and known communication and control (C&C) servers used by criminals. The Web Reputation module

taps into the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network, which identifies new threats quickly and accurately.

For more information, see ["Block access to malicious URLs with web reputation" on page 795](#).

Integrity Monitoring

The Integrity Monitoring module provides the ability to track both authorized and unauthorized changes made to an instance and enables you to receive alerts about unplanned or malicious changes. The ability to detect unauthorized changes is a critical component in your cloud security strategy because it provides visibility into changes that could indicate the compromise of an instance.

For more information, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

Log Inspection

The Log Inspection module captures and analyzes system logs to provide audit evidence for PCI DSS or internal requirements that your organization may have. It helps you to identify important security events that may be buried in multiple log entries. You can configure Log Inspection to forward suspicious events to an SIEM system or centralized logging server for correlation, reporting, and archiving (see ["Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server" on page 897](#)).

For more information, see ["Set up log inspection" on page 765](#).

Application Control

The Application Control module monitors changes - "drift" or "delta" - compared to the computer's original software. Once application control is enabled, all software changes are logged and events are created when it detects new or changed software on the file system. When Deep Security Agent detects changes, you can allow or block the software, and optionally lock down the computer.

For more information, see ["Verify that application control is enabled" on page 543](#).

Manage protected computers

Perform the following tasks to protect and monitor computers using Deep Security:

- ["Add computers and other resources to Deep Security Manager" below](#)
- ["Computer and agent statuses" on page 409](#)
- ["Connect agents behind a proxy" on page 283](#)

Add computers and other resources to Deep Security Manager

The **Computers** page in Deep Security Manager enables you to manage and monitor the computers you are protecting with Deep Security.

This page regularly refreshes itself to display the most current information. (You can modify the refresh rate on a per-user basis. Go to **Administration > User Management > Users** and then double-click on a user account to open its **Properties** window. On the **Settings** tab, in the **Refresh Rate** section, modify the page refresh rate.)

Add computers to the manager

Note: After being installed on a computer, an agent must be activated by the Deep Security Manager. During activation, the Deep Security Manager sends a fingerprint to the agent, after which the agent accepts instructions only from a manager with that unique fingerprint.

You can add computers in many different ways.

- ["Add local network computers" on page 375](#)
If you are protecting computers on a locally accessible network you can add them individually by supplying their IP address or hostname or you can perform a Discovery operation to search for all computers visible to the Deep Security Manager.
- ["Add computer groups from Microsoft Active Directory" on page 402](#)
You can import computer groups from Microsoft Active Directory or any other LDAP-based directory service.
- ["Add virtual machines hosted on VMware vCloud" on page 398](#)
- ["Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 392](#)

- ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#)

If you are going to be adding and protecting a large number of computers you may want to automate the process of installing and activating agents. You can use the Deep Security Manager's deployment script generator to generate scripts you can run on your computers which will install the agents and optionally perform subsequent tasks like activation and policy assignment. The scripts are also useful as a starting template to create your own customized scripts to execute various additional available commands.

Group computers

Creating computer groups is useful from an organizational point of view and it speeds up the process of applying and managing policies. Groups are displayed in the tree structure on the left side of the Computers page. To create a new group, select the computer group under which you want to create the new computer group and then click **Add > Create Group(s)**.

To move a computer to a group, select the computer and click **Actions > Move to Group**. Keep in mind that policies are applied at the computer level, not the computer group level. Moving a computer from one computer group to another has no effect on the policy assigned to that computer.

To remove a group, right-click it and click **Remove Group**. You can only remove a computer group if it contains no computers and has no sub-groups.

You can also ["Group computers dynamically with smart folders" on page 1140](#).

Export your computers list

You can click **Export** on the Computers page to export your computers list to an XML or CSV file. Exporting is useful when you want to back up your computer information, integrate it with other reporting systems, or to migrate computers to another Deep Security Manager. (If you export, you do not have to re-discover and scan computers from the new manager.)

Note: The exported computers file does **not** include any assigned policies, firewall rules, firewall stateful configurations or intrusion prevention rules. To export this configuration information use the Policy export option in the **Policies** page.

Delete a computer

If you delete a computer (by selecting it and clicking **Delete**), all information pertaining to that computer is deleted along with it. If you re-discover the computer, you will have to re-assign a policy and whatever rules were assigned previously.

Add local network computers

Agent-initiated activation

If the Deep Security Manager cannot initiate communication with computers that you want to protect (for example, if computers are on a different local network or are protected by a firewall), then computers must initiate connections to the manager instead. This includes the connection for agent activation. To use agent-initiated activation, you must install the Deep Security Agent on the computer and then run a set of command-line instructions which tell the agent to communicate with the Deep Security Manager. During the communication, the Deep Security Manager activates the agent and can be further instructed to perform a number of other actions such as assigning a security policy, making the computer a member of a computer group, and so on.

If you are going to add a large number of computers to the Deep Security Manager at one time, you can use the command-line instructions to create scripts to automate the process. For more information on agent-initiated activation, scripting, and command line options, see ["Command-line basics" on page 317](#).

Manually add a computer

You can manually add an individual computer by specifying its IP address or hostname.

1. Go to the **Computers** page and click **Add > Add Computer** in the toolbar to display the **New Computer** wizard.
2. Enter the new computer's IP address or hostname.
3. Select a policy to assign to it from the list.
4. Select a relay group from which the new computer will download security updates.
5. Click **Next** to begin the search for the computer.

If the computer is detected and an agent is installed and running on that computer, the computer will be added to your computers list and the agent will be activated.

Note: "Activating" an agent means that the manager communicates with the agent sending it a unique "fingerprint". The agent will then use this fingerprint to uniquely identify the Deep Security Manager and will not accept instructions from any other managers that might try to contact it.

If a policy has been assigned to the computer, the policy will be deployed to the agent and the computer will be protected with all the rules and configurations that make up the policy.

By default, the security updates delivered by relay groups include new malware patterns. If you have enabled the **Support 9.0 (and earlier) agents** option (on the **Administration > System Settings > Updates** page), updates to the engines will also be included.

If the computer is detected but no Deep Security Agent is present, you will be told that the computer can still be added to your computers list but that you still have to install an agent on the computer. Once you install an agent on the computer, you will have to find the computer in your computers list, right-click it, and choose **Activate/Reactivate** from the context menu.

If the computer is not detected (not visible to the manager), you will be told that you can still add the computer but that when it becomes visible to the manager you will have to activate it as above.

Discover computers

A discovery operation scans the network for visible computers. To initiate a discovery operation, go to the **Computers** page, click **Add > Discover**. The Discover Computers dialog will appear.

You are provided several options to restrict the scope of the scan. You can choose to perform a port scan of each discovered computer.

Note: If you are discovering or scanning a large number of computers, a port scan can take time and reduce performance until it is complete.

When discovering computers, you can specify a computer group to which they should be added. Depending on how you have chosen to organize your computer groups, it may be convenient to create a computer group called "Newly Discovered Computers", or "Newly Discovered Computers on Network Segment X" if you will be scanning multiple network segments. You can then move your discovered computers to other computer groups based on their properties and activate them.

During discovery, the manager searches the network for any visible computers that are not already listed. When a computer is found, the manager attempts to detect whether an agent is

present. When discovery is complete, the manager displays all the computers it has detected and displays their status in the **Status** column.

Note: The Discovery operation only checks the status of newly-discovered computers. To update the status of already-listed computers, right-click the selected computer(s) and click **Actions > Check Status**.

After discovery operations, a computer can be in one of the following states:

- **Discovered (No Agent):** The computer has been detected but no agent is present. The computer may also be in this state if an agent is installed but has been previously activated and is configured for agent initiated communications. In this case, you will have to deactivate and then reactivate the agent. ("No Agent" will also be reported if the agent is installed but not running.)
- **Discovered (Activation Required):** The agent is installed and listening, and has been activated, but is not yet being managed by the manager. This state indicates that this manager was at one point managing the agent, but the agent's public certificate is no longer in the manager's database. This may be the case if the computer was removed from the manager and then discovered again. To begin managing the agent on this computer, right-click the computer and select **Activate/Reactivate**. Once reactivated, the **Status** will change to "Online".
- **Discovered (Deactivation Required):** The agent is installed and listening, but it has already been activated by another manager. In this case, the agent must be deactivated (reset) prior to activation by this manager. Deactivating an agent can be done using the manager that originally activated it or it can be reset through the command line. To deactivate the agent from the manager, right-click the computer and choose **Actions > Deactivate**. To deactivate the agent from the command line, see ["Reset the agent" on page 332](#).
- **Discovered (Activated):** The agent is installed and activated by the current manager. In this case, the status will change to "Online" on the next heartbeat. To begin managing the agent, right-click the computer and select **Activate/Reactivate**. Once reactivated, the **Status** will change to "Online".

Note: The discovery operation does not discover computers running as virtual machines in a vCenter, computers in a Microsoft Active Directory or in other LDAP directories.

Add AWS cloud accounts

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Scoping Environment Pt. 1 - Identifying Workloads](#) on YouTube to review considerations when scoping your environment, as it relates to identifying workloads

When you add an AWS account to Deep Security, all the Amazon EC2 and Amazon WorkSpace instances under that account are imported into Deep Security Manager and become visible in one of these locations:

- EC2 instances appear on the left under **Computers** > *your_AWS_account* > *your_region* > *your_VPC* > *your_subnet*
- Amazon WorkSpaces appear on the left under **Computers** > *your_AWS_account* > *your_region* > **WorkSpaces**

Once imported, the EC2 and WorkSpace instances can be managed like any other computer. These instances are tree structures and are treated as computer groups.

Note: If you previously added Amazon EC2 instances or Amazon WorkSpaces as individual computers, and they are part of your AWS account, after importing the account, the instances are moved into the [tree structure](#) described above.

Topics in this section:

- ["What are the benefits of adding an AWS account?" below](#)
- ["What AWS regions are supported?" on the next page](#)
- ["Overview of methods for adding AWS accounts" on the next page](#)
- ["Method: IAM user and cross-account role" on page 381](#)
- ["Method: AWS access keys" on page 386](#)
- ["Edit a cloud account" on page 388](#)
- ["Remove a cloud account from the manager" on page 388](#)
- ["Synchronize an AWS account" on page 388](#)

What are the benefits of adding an AWS account?

The benefits of adding an AWS account (through Deep Security Manager > **Computers** > **Add AWS Account**) instead of adding individual EC2 instances and WorkSpaces (through Deep

Security Manager > **Computers** > **Add Computer**), are:

- Changes in your EC2 and WorkSpaces inventory are automatically reflected in Deep Security Manager. For example, if you delete a number of EC2 or WorkSpace instances in AWS, those instances disappear automatically from the manager. By contrast, if you use **Computers** > **Add Computer**, EC2 and WorkSpace instances that are deleted from AWS remain visible in the manager until they are manually deleted.
- Your EC2 and WorkSpace instances are organized into AWS region > VPC > subnet in the manager, which lets you easily see which instances are protected and which are not. Without the AWS account, all your EC2 and WorkSpace instances appear at the same root level under **Computers**.
- You get AWS metadata, which can be used in [event-based tasks \(EBTs\)](#) to simplify policy assignment. You can also use metadata with [smart folders](#) to organize your AWS instances.
- Deep Security AMI from AWS Marketplace hourly pricing

What AWS regions are supported?

Deep Security Manager's **Computers** > **Add** > **Add AWS Account** option only supports AWS regions that use the global AWS Identity Access Management (IAM) service at `iam.amazonaws.com`. To determine whether your region uses the global service, see [this table](#).

At the time of writing, the following regions do **not** use the global IAM service (`iam.amazonaws.com`):

- China (Beijing)
- China (Ningxia)
- AWS GovCloud (US-East)
- AWS GovCloud (US)

For the regions listed above, and any others that might not use the global IAM service, you can still load your EC2 and WorkSpace instances into the manager [using the Deep Security REST API](#). Trend Micro has provided [this sample script](#) for your use.

Overview of methods for adding AWS accounts

There are several ways to add AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager:

- ["Method: IAM user and cross-account role" on the next page](#). Use this method if you want to add several AWS accounts, and Deep Security Manager is **outside** of AWS.

You can use this method with:

- Deep Security VM for Azure Marketplace
 - Deep Security on-premise on a server *outside* AWS
- ["Method: AWS access keys" on page 386](#). This method is only recommended if your Deep Security Manager is on a server outside of AWS and you only have one AWS account to add, or if you have tried another method and it doesn't work.

For all other scenarios, we recommend you use another method. Specifying access keys in Deep Security Manager is discouraged because the keys need to be updated periodically (for security reasons), which creates management overhead.

You can use this method with:

- Deep Security AMI from AWS Marketplace
- Deep Security on-premise
- Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace

Next, create a cross account role that references the manager instance role:

You now have a cross account role under AWS Account A that includes the correct policy and references the manager instance role.

Add the AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager

First, indicate that you want to use a manager instance role:

Next, add the AWS DSM Account:

Deep Security Manager uses the manager instance role that is attached to its Amazon EC2 instance to add AWS DSM Account's EC2 and WorkSpace instances to Deep Security Manager.

Finally, add AWS Account A using its cross account role:

You have now added AWS DSM Account and AWS Account A to Deep Security Manager.

Method: IAM user and cross-account role

For an overview of this method, see ["Overview of methods for adding AWS accounts" on page 379](#).

The instructions below assume that your Deep Security Manager is outside of AWS, and that you have two different AWS accounts that contain Amazon EC2 and WorkSpace instances that you want to protect. In this example, the account names are:

- AWS Account X (primary)
- AWS Account Y

Follow these high-level steps, which are described in detail below:

1. ["Configure AWS Account X" below](#): Log in to AWS Account X (the primary account), configure an IAM policy, create an IAM user with an access keys.
2. ["Configure AWS Account Y" on page 383](#): Log in to AWS Account Y, configure an IAM policy, and create a cross account role to AWS Account X.
3. ["Add the access keys to Deep Security Manager " on page 385](#): In Deep Security Manager, add AWS Account X's access key ID and secret
4. ["Add the AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager" on page 385](#): In Deep Security Manager, add AWS Account X and Y.

After completing these steps, Deep Security Manager can use AWS Account X's access key ID and secret to log in to AWS Account X and see its Amazon EC2 and Amazon WorkSpace instances. Additionally, Deep Security Manager can access the resources under AWS Account Y (indirectly) by way of the cross account roles that reference AWS Account X.

Configure AWS Account X

First, while logged in to AWS Account X, configure an IAM policy:

1. Log in to your Amazon Web Services Console and go to the **IAM** service.
2. In the left navigation pane, click **Policies**.

Note: If this is your first time on this page, you'll need to click **Get Started**.

3. Click **Create policy**.
4. Select the **JSON** tab.

5. Copy the following JSON code into the text box:

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "cloudconnector",
      "Action": [
        "ec2:DescribeImages",
        "ec2:DescribeInstances",
        "ec2:DescribeRegions",
        "ec2:DescribeSubnets",
        "ec2:DescribeTags",
        "ec2:DescribeVpcs",
        "ec2:DescribeAvailabilityZones",
        "ec2:DescribeSecurityGroups",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaces",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaceDirectories",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaceBundles",
        "workspaces:DescribeTags",
        "iam:ListAccountAliases",
        "iam:GetRole",
        "iam:GetRolePolicy",
        "sts:AssumeRole"
      ],
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Resource": "*"
    }
  ]
}
```

Note: The "sts:AssumeRole" permission is required only if you are using cross account roles.

Note: The "iam:GetRole" and "iam:GetRolePolicy" permissions are optional, but recommended because they allow Deep Security to determine whether you have the correct policy when an update to the manager occurs that requires additional AWS permissions.

6. Click **Review policy**.

7. Give the policy a name and description. Example name: Deep_Security_Policy.
8. Click **Create policy**. Your policy is now ready to use.

Next, create an IAM user with an access key ID and secret:

1. Go to the **IAM** service.
2. Click **Users**.
3. Click **Add user**.
4. Enter a user name. Example: Deep_Security_IAM_User.
5. For **Access type**, select **Programmatic access**.
6. Click **Next: Permissions**.
7. Click the **Attach existing policies directly** box.
8. Find the IAM policy you just created and select the check box next to it.
9. Click **Next: Review**.
10. Click **Create user**. Your access key ID and secret access key are shown in the table.
11. Copy the access key ID and secret access key to a safe location. You'll need them later.

Next, determine AWS Account X's account ID:

1. At the top-right of AWS, click **Support > Support Center**.
2. Note the **Account Number** shown at the top-right (1234567890, in this example). You'll need it later to create the cross account role.

Configure AWS Account Y

First, while logged in to AWS Account Y, configure an IAM policy. It is the same as the policy for AWS Account X, except it does not require the `sts:AssumeRole` permission:

1. Log in to your Amazon Web Services Console and go to the **IAM** service.
2. In the left navigation pane, click **Policies**.

Note: If this is your first time on this page, you'll need to click **Get Started**.

3. Click **Create policy**.
4. Select the **JSON** tab.
5. Copy the following JSON code into the text box:

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "cloudconnector",
      "Action": [
```

```

        "ec2:DescribeImages",
        "ec2:DescribeInstances",
        "ec2:DescribeRegions",
        "ec2:DescribeSubnets",
        "ec2:DescribeTags",
        "ec2:DescribeVpcs",
        "ec2:DescribeAvailabilityZones",
        "ec2:DescribeSecurityGroups",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaces",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaceDirectories",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaceBundles",
        "workspaces:DescribeTags",
        "iam:ListAccountAliases",
        "iam:GetRole",
        "iam:GetRolePolicy"
    ],
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Resource": "*"
}
]
}

```

Note: The "iam:GetRole" and "iam:GetRolePolicy" permissions are optional, but recommended because they allow Deep Security to determine whether you have the correct policy when an update to the manager occurs that requires additional AWS permissions.

6. Click **Review policy**.
7. Give the policy a name and description. Example name: Deep_Security_Policy_2.
8. Click **Create policy**. Your policy is now ready to use.

Next, create a cross account role that references the Account X:

1. Go to the **IAM** service.
2. In the left navigation pane, click **Roles**.
3. In the main pane, click **Create role**.
4. Click the **Another AWS account** box.
5. In the **Account ID** field, enter the account ID of AWS Account X (1234567890, in this example).
6. Next to **Options**, enable **Require external ID**. In the **External ID** field, enter a long, random secret string.

7. Note the external ID. You'll need this information later when adding this account to Deep Security Manager.
8. Click **Next: Permissions**.
9. Select the IAM policy that you created previously and then click **Next: Review**.
10. On the **Review** page, enter a role name and description. Example role name: `Deep_Security_Role`.
11. On the main role page, search for the role you just created (`Deep_Security_Role`).
12. Click it.
13. Find the **Role ARN** field at the top and note the value. You'll need it later when adding this account to Deep Security Manager. It looks similar to:
`arn:aws:iam::544739704774:role/Deep_Security_Role`

Add the access keys to Deep Security Manager

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. Click **Administration** at the top.
3. Click **System Setting** on the left.
4. Click the **Advanced** tab in the main pane.
5. Scroll to the bottom and look for the **Manager AWS Identity** heading.
6. Next to **Access Key - The Access Key of an AWS User used for the manager identity**, enter the access key of the IAM user you created previously.
7. Next to **Secret Key - The Secret Access Key of an AWS User used for the manager identity**, enter the secret key of the IAM user that you created previously.
8. Click **Save**.

Add the AWS accounts to Deep Security Manager

First, add Account X using its access keys:

1. Click **Computers** at the top.
2. Click **Add > Add AWS Account**.
3. Select **Use AWS Access Keys**.
4. Enter AWS Account X's IAM user **Access Key ID** and **Secret Access Key** that you created previously.
5. If your AWS account includes Amazon WorkSpaces, select **Include Amazon WorkSpaces** to include them with your Amazon EC2 instances. By enabling the check box, you ensure that your Amazon WorkSpaces appear in the correct location in the [tree structure](#) in Deep Security Manager and are billed at the correct rate.
AWS Account X's Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces are loaded.

Next, add AWS Account Y using its cross account role:

1. Click **Computers** at the top.
2. Click **Add > Add AWS Account**.
3. Select **Use Cross Account Role**.
4. Enter AWS Account Y's **Cross Account Role ARN** and **External ID**.
5. If your AWS account includes Amazon WorkSpaces, select **Include Amazon WorkSpaces** to include them with your Amazon EC2 instances. By enabling the check box, you ensure that your Amazon WorkSpaces appear in the correct location in the [tree structure](#) in Deep Security Manager and are billed at the correct rate.
6. Click **Next**.
AWS Account Y's Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces are loaded.

You have now added AWS Account X and Y to Deep Security Manager.

Method: AWS access keys

For an overview of this method, see ["Overview of methods for adding AWS accounts" on page 379](#).

First, log in to AWS using the account that holds the Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces that you want to protect.

Next, configure an IAM policy:

1. Log in to your Amazon Web Services Console and go to the **IAM** service.
2. In the left navigation pane, click **Policies**.

Note: If this is your first time on this page, you'll need to click **Get Started**.

3. Click **Create policy**.
4. Select the **JSON** tab.
5. Copy the following JSON code into the text box:

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "cloudconnector",
      "Action": [
        "ec2:DescribeImages",
        "ec2:DescribeInstances",
        "ec2:DescribeRegions",
        "ec2:DescribeSubnets",
```

```

        "ec2:DescribeTags",
        "ec2:DescribeVpcs",
        "ec2:DescribeAvailabilityZones",
        "ec2:DescribeSecurityGroups",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaces",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaceDirectories",
        "workspaces:DescribeWorkspaceBundles",
        "workspaces:DescribeTags",
        "iam:ListAccountAliases",
        "iam:GetRole",
        "iam:GetRolePolicy"
    ],
    "Effect": "Allow",
    "Resource": "*"
}
]
}

```

Note: The "iam:GetRole" and "iam:GetRolePolicy" permissions are optional, but recommended because they allow Deep Security to determine whether you have the correct policy when an update to the manager occurs that requires additional AWS permissions.

6. Click **Review policy**.
7. Give the policy a name and description. Example name: Deep_Security_Policy_2.
8. Click **Create policy**. Your policy is now ready to use.

Next, create an IAM user account:

1. Go to the **IAM** service.
2. Click **Users**.
3. Click **Add user**.
4. Enter a user name. Example: Deep_Security_IAM_User.
5. For **Access type**, select **Programmatic access**.
6. Click **Next: Permissions**.
7. Click the **Attach existing policies directly** box.
8. Find the IAM policy you just created and select the check box next to it.
9. Click **Next: Review**.
10. Click **Create user**. Your access key ID and secret access key are shown in the table.
11. Copy the access key ID and secret access key to a safe location. You'll need them later.

Finally, add your AWS account to Deep Security:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, click **Computers** at the top.
2. In the main pane, click **Add > Add AWS Account**.
3. Select **Use AWS Access Keys**.
4. Specify the **Access Key ID** and **Secret Access Key** that you generated when you created the IAM user.
5. If your AWS account includes Amazon WorkSpaces, select **Include Amazon WorkSpaces** to include them with your Amazon EC2 instances. By enabling the check box, you ensure that your Amazon WorkSpaces appear in the correct location in the [tree structure](#) in Deep Security Manager and are billed at the correct rate.
6. Click **Next**.

Your Amazon EC2 instances and Amazon WorkSpaces under your AWS account are loaded.

Edit a cloud account

You can edit a cloud account's settings in Deep Security Manager. You might need to do this if, for example, your AWS account needs to be configured to include Amazon WorkSpaces. To edit a cloud account:

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. Click **Computers** at the top.
3. On the left, right-click your cloud account name and select **Properties**.
4. Edit the settings and click **OK**.

Remove a cloud account from the manager

Removing a cloud account from Deep Security Manager permanently removes the account from the Deep Security database as well as its underlying computers. Your account with your cloud provider is unaffected and any Deep Security Agents that were installed on the instances are still installed, running, and providing protection (although they will no longer receive security updates). If you decide to re-import computers from the cloud account, the Deep Security Agents download the latest security updates at the next scheduled opportunity.

1. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers** at the top.
2. In the navigation panel, right-click the cloud account and select **Remove Cloud Account**.
3. Confirm that you want to remove the account.

The account is removed from the Deep Security Manager.

Synchronize an AWS account

When you synchronize (sync) an AWS account, Deep Security Manager connects to the AWS API to obtain and display the latest set of AWS EC2 and WorkSpace instances.

To force a sync immediately:

1. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers**.
2. On the left, right-click your AWS account and select **Synchronize Now**.

There is also a background sync that occurs every 10 minutes, and this interval is not configurable. If you force a sync, the background sync is unaffected and continues to occur according to its original schedule.

Add Amazon WorkSpaces

Amazon WorkSpaces are virtual cloud desktops that run in Amazon Web Services (AWS). You can protect them with Deep Security following the instructions in one of these sections:

- ["Protect Amazon WorkSpaces if you already added your AWS account" below](#)
- ["Protect Amazon WorkSpaces if you have not yet added your AWS account" on the next page](#)

Note: The Deep Security Agent only supports Amazon WorkSpaces Windows desktops—it does not support Linux desktops.

After completing the steps in one of the above-mentioned sections:

- your Amazon WorkSpaces are displayed in Deep Security Manager on the left under **Computers** > *your_AWS_account* > *your_region* > **WorkSpaces**
- your Amazon WorkSpaces are protected by the Deep Security Agent

Protect Amazon WorkSpaces if you already added your AWS account

If you already added your AWS account to Deep Security Manager (to protect your Amazon EC2 instances), complete the steps in this section to configure Deep Security to work with Amazon WorkSpaces.

1. Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace to version 10.3 or later. See ["Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace" on page 813](#).
2. Launch an Amazon WorkSpace, and then install and activate Deep Security Agent 10.2 or later on it. See ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#) for details. Optionally, create a custom Workspace bundle so that you can deploy it to many people. See ["Bake the agent into your AMI or Workspace bundle" on page 267](#) for details on installation, activation, and bundle creation.

3. Modify your IAM policy to include Amazon WorkSpaces permissions:
 - a. Log in to AWS with the account that was added to Deep Security Manager.
 - b. Go to the **IAM** service.
 - c. Find the Deep Security IAM policy. You can find it under **Policies** on the left, or you can look for the Deep Security IAM role or IAM user that references the policy and then click the policy within it.
 - d. Modify the Deep Security IAM policy to look like the one shown in ["Add AWS cloud accounts" on page 378](#). The policy includes Amazon WorkSpaces permissions. If you added more than one AWS account to Deep Security, the IAM policy must be updated under all the AWS accounts.
4. In Deep Security Manager, edit your AWS account:
 - a. On the left, right-click your AWS account and select **Properties**.
 - b. Enable **Include Amazon WorkSpaces**.
 - c. Click **Save**.

You have now added Amazon WorkSpaces to Deep Security.

Protect Amazon WorkSpaces if you have not yet added your AWS account

If you have not yet added your AWS account to Deep Security Manager, complete the steps in one of the following sections:

- If you want to protect existing Amazon WorkSpaces, read ["Install the agent on Amazon EC2 and WorkSpaces" on page 261](#)
- If you want to be able to launch new Amazon WorkSpaces with the agent 'baked in', read ["Bake the agent into your AMI or Workspace bundle" on page 267](#).

How do I migrate to the new cloud connector functionality?

If you previously used the "Add Cloud Account" wizard to import Amazon Web Services resources into Deep Security Manager, those resources are organized by AWS region on **Computers**. You may have run the wizard more than once if you have multiple AWS regions.

The latest versions of Deep Security provide the ability to display your AWS instances under your AWS account name, organized in a hierarchy that includes the AWS Region, VPC, and subnet.

Before migrating your AWS resources, you will need to edit the policy that allows Deep Security to access your AWS account:

1. Log in to your Amazon Web Services Console and go to **Identity and Access Management (IAM)**.

2. In the left navigation pane, click **Policies**.
3. In the list of policies, select the policy that allows Deep Security to access your AWS account.
4. Go to the **Policy Document** tab and click **Edit**.
5. Edit the policy document to include this JSON code:

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Sid": "cloudconnector",
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Action": [
        "ec2:DescribeImages",
        "ec2:DescribeInstances",
        "ec2:DescribeRegions",
        "ec2:DescribeSubnets",
        "ec2:DescribeTags",
        "ec2:DescribeVpcs",
        "iam:ListAccountAliases",
        "sts:AssumeRole"
      ],
      "Resource": [
        "*"
      ]
    }
  ]
}
```

Note: The "sts:AssumeRole" permission is required only if you are using cross-account role access. For more information on IAM roles, see [Tutorial: Delegate Access Across AWS Accounts Using IAM Roles](#).

6. Select **Save as default version**.

To migrate your AWS resources in the Deep Security Manager:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Computers** page.
2. In the Computers tree, right-click an AWS region and select **Upgrade to Amazon Account**.
3. Click **Finish** and then **Close**. Your AWS instances will now appear under your AWS account name, organized in a hierarchy that includes the AWS Region, VPC, and subnet.

Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Scoping Environment Pt. 1 - Identifying Workloads](#) on YouTube to review considerations when scoping your environment, as it relates to Identifying Workloads

Once you've installed Deep Security Manager, you can add and protect Microsoft Azure virtual machines by connecting a Microsoft Azure account to the Deep Security Manager. Virtual machines appear on the Computers page, where you can manage them like any other computer.

Topics in this section:

- ["What are the benefits of adding an Azure account?" below](#)
- ["Configure a proxy setting for the Azure account" on the next page](#)
- ["Add virtual machines from a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on the next page](#)
- ["Manage Azure classic virtual machines with the Azure Resource Manager connector" on page 394](#)
- ["Remove an Azure account" on page 394](#)
- ["Synchronize an Azure account" on page 395](#)

What are the benefits of adding an Azure account?

The benefits of adding an Azure account (through Deep Security Manager > **Computers** > **Add Azure Account**) instead of adding individual Azure virtual machines (through Deep Security Manager > **Computers** > **Add Computer**), are:

- Changes in your Azure virtual machine inventory are automatically reflected in Deep Security Manager. For example, if you delete a number of instances in Azure, those instances disappear automatically from the manager. By contrast, if you use **Computers > Add Computer**, Azure instances that are deleted from Azure remain visible in the manager until they are manually deleted.
- Virtual machines are organized into their own branch in the manager, which lets you easily see which Azure instances are protected and which are not. Without the Azure account, all your virtual machines appear at the same root level under **Computers**.

Configure a proxy setting for the Azure account

You can configure the Deep Security Manager to [use a proxy server](#) to access resources in Azure accounts.

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Proxies**.
2. In the **Proxy Server Use** section, select your proxy from the **Deep Security Manager (Cloud Accounts - HTTP Protocol Only)** list.

Add virtual machines from a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security

Add your Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security following the instructions below.

1. Before you begin, [create an Azure app for Deep Security](#).
2. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Computers > Add > Add Azure Account**.

Note: As of Deep Security Manager 12.0, 'Quick' mode is no longer available. For details, see ["What's new?" on page 77](#)

3. Enter a **Display name**, and then enter the following Azure access information you recorded in step 1:
 - **Active Directory ID**
 - **Subscription ID**
 - **Application ID**
 - **Application Password**

Note: If you are upgrading from the Azure classic connector to the Azure Resource Manager connector, the Display name and the Subscription ID of the existing connector will be used.

Note: If you have multiple Azure subscriptions, specify only one in the **Subscription ID** field. You can add the rest later.

4. Click **Next**.
5. Review the summary information, and then click **Finish**.
6. Repeat this procedure for each Azure subscription, specifying a different **Subscription ID** each time.

The Azure virtual machines will appear in the Deep Security Manager under their own branch on the Computers page.

Tip: You can right-click your Azure account name and select **Synchronize Now** to see the latest set of Azure VMs.

Tip: You will see all the virtual machines in the account. If you'd like to only see certain virtual machines, use smart folders to limit your results. See ["Group computers dynamically with smart folders" on page 1140](#) for more information.

Note: If you have previously added virtual machines from this Azure account, they will be moved under this account in the Computers tree.

Manage Azure classic virtual machines with the Azure Resource Manager connector

You can also manage virtual machines that were added with the Azure classic connector with the Azure Resource Manager connector, allowing you to manage both your Azure classic and Azure Resource Manager virtual machines with a single connector.

For more information, see ["Why should I upgrade to the new Azure Resource Manager connection functionality?" on page 397](#)

1. On the **Computers** page, in the **Computers tree**, right-click the **Azure classic portal** and then click **Properties**.
2. Click **Enable Resource Manager connection**.
3. Click **Next**. Follow the corresponding procedure above.

Remove an Azure account

Removing an Azure account from the Deep Security Manager will permanently remove the account from the Deep Security database. This will not affect the Azure account. Virtual machines with Deep Security Agents will continue to be protected, but will not receive security updates. If you later import these virtual machines from the same Azure account, the Deep Security Agents will download the latest security updates at the next scheduled update.

1. Go to the **Computers** page, right-click on the Microsoft Azure account in the navigation panel, and select **Remove Cloud Account**.
2. Confirm that you want to remove the account.
3. The account is removed from the Deep Security Manager.

Synchronize an Azure account

When you synchronize (sync) an Azure account, Deep Security Manager connects to the Azure API to obtain and display the latest set of Azure VMs.

To force a sync immediately:

1. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers**.
2. On the left, right-click your Azure account and select **Synchronize Now**.

There is also a background sync that occurs every 10 minutes, and this interval is not configurable. If you force a sync, the background sync is unaffected and continues to occur according to its original schedule.

Create an Azure app for Deep Security

In your operating environment, it may not be desirable to allow the Deep Security Manager to access Azure resources with an account that has both the Global Administrator role for the Azure Active Directory and the Subscription Owner role for the Azure subscription. As an alternative, you can create an Azure app for the Deep Security Manager that provides read-only access to Azure resources.

Tip: If you have multiple Azure subscriptions, you can create a single Deep Security Azure app for all of them, as long as the subscriptions all connect to the same Active Directory. Details are provided within the set of instructions below.

To create an Azure app, you will need to:

1. ["Assign the correct roles" below.](#)
2. ["Create the Azure app" on the next page.](#)
3. ["Record the Azure app ID, Active Directory ID, and password" on the next page.](#)
4. ["Record the Subscription ID\(s\)" on the next page.](#)
5. ["Assign the Azure app a role and connector" on page 397.](#)

Assign the correct roles

To create an Azure app, your account must have the User Administrator role for the Azure Active Directory and the User Access Administrator role for the Azure subscription. Assign these roles to your Azure account before proceeding.

Create the Azure app

1. In the **Azure Active Directory** blade, click **App registrations**.
2. Click **New registration**.
3. Enter a **Name** (for example, Deep Security Azure Connector).
4. For the **Supported account types**, select **Accounts in this organizational directory only**.
5. Click **Register**.

The Azure app appears in the **App registrations** list with the **Name** you chose in Step 3 (above).

Record the Azure app ID, Active Directory ID, and password

1. In the **App registrations** list, click the Azure app.

Note: The Azure app will display with the **Name** you chose for it in Step 3 of the "Create the Azure app" above procedure.

2. Record the **Application (client) ID**.
3. Record the **Active Directory ID**.
4. Click **Certificates & secrets**.
5. Click **New client secret**.
6. Enter a **Description** for the client secret.
7. Select an appropriate **Duration**. The client secret expires after this time.
8. Click **Add**.

The client secret **Value** appears.

9. Record the client secret **Value**. This will be used as the Application Password when registering the Azure app with Deep Security.

Warning: The client secret **Value** only appears once, so record it now. If you do not, you must regenerate it to obtain a new **Value**.

Note: If the client secret **Value** expires, you must regenerate it and update it in the associated Azure accounts.

Record the Subscription ID(s)

1. On the left, go to **All Services** and click **Subscriptions**.

A list of subscriptions appears.

2. Record the **Subscription ID** of each subscription you want to associate with the Azure app. You will need the ID(s) later, when adding the Azure account(s) to Deep Security.

Assign the Azure app a role and connector

1. Under **All Services > Subscriptions**, click a subscription that you want to associate with the Azure app.

Note: You can associate another subscription with the Azure app later if you want to.

2. Click **Access Control (IAM)**.
3. In the main pane, click **Add** and then select **Add Role Assignment** from the drop-down menu.
4. Under **Role**, enter `Reader` and then click the **Reader** role that appears.
5. Under **Assign access to**, select **Azure AD user, user group, or service principal**.
6. Under **Select**, enter the Azure app **Name** (for example, `Deep Security Azure Connector`).

The Azure app appears with the **Name** you chose for it in Step 3 of the ["Create the Azure app" on the previous page](#) procedure.

7. Click **Save**.
8. If you want to associate the Azure app to another subscription, repeat this procedure (["Assign the Azure app a role and connector" above](#)) for that subscription.

You can now configure Deep Security to add Azure virtual machines by following the instructions in ["Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 392](#).

Why should I upgrade to the new Azure Resource Manager connection functionality?

The next time you try to add an Azure cloud account to Deep Security Manager you will be shown a message suggesting that you upgrade to the new Resource Manager connection functionality. Basically, this new functionality allows Deep Security to connect to Azure virtual machines using the Resource Manager interface. As an Azure user, you are probably aware that the new Azure deployment model Resource Manager is now the default deployment model, replacing the classic model. Since new resources are deployed using this model by default, Deep Security is only able to display these VM resources on the Computers page if it is able to communicate with the Resource Manager interface. So, if you allow Deep Security to upgrade to this new functionality then VM resources deployed with either the Resource Manager deployment model or the classic deployment model will be visible on the Computers page.

- This functionality is already available in the new Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace console and no upgrade is needed.
- Until you perform this upgrade VMs deployed using Resource Manager are still being fully protected by Deep Security but for you to see them on the Computers page they have to be added as a computer object. For more information, see ["Why can't I view all of the VMs in an Azure subscription in Deep Security?" on page 1214](#)

Add virtual machines hosted on VMware vCloud

Tip: You can watch [Deep Security 12 - Scoping Environment Pt. 1 - Identifying Workloads](#) on YouTube to review considerations when scoping your environment.

To import cloud resources into Deep Security Manager, Deep Security users must first have a account with which to access the cloud provider service resources. For each Deep Security user who will import a cloud account into the Deep Security Manager, Trend Micro recommends creating a dedicated account for that Deep Security Manager to access the cloud resources. That is, users should have one account to access and control the virtual machines themselves, and a separate account for their Deep Security Manager to connect to those resources.

Note: Having a dedicated account for Deep Security ensures that you can refine the rights and revoke this account at any time. It is recommended to give Deep Security an access key or secret key with read-only rights at all times.

Note: The Deep Security Manager only requires read-only access to import the cloud resources and manage their security.

Note: When FIPS mode is enabled, you cannot add virtual machines hosted on VMware vCloud. See ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#). What are the benefits of adding an Azure account?

Topics in this section:

- ["What are the benefits of adding a vCloud account?" on the next page](#)
- ["Proxy setting for cloud accounts" on the next page](#)
- ["Create a VMware vCloud Organization account for the manager" on the next page](#)
- ["Import computers from a VMware vCloud Organization Account" on page 400](#)

- ["Import computers from a VMware vCloud Air data center" on the next page](#)
- ["Configure software updates for cloud accounts" on page 401](#)
- ["Remove a cloud account" on page 402](#)

What are the benefits of adding a vCloud account?

The benefits of adding a vCloud account (through Deep Security Manager > **Computers** > **Add vCloud Account**) instead of adding individual vCloud resources (through Deep Security Manager > **Computers** > **Add Computer**), are:

- Changes in your cloud resource inventory are automatically reflected in Deep Security Manager. For example, if you delete a number of instances from vSphere, those instances disappear automatically from the manager. By contrast, if you use **Computers** > **Add Computer**, cloud instances that are deleted from vCenter remain visible in the manager until they are manually deleted.
- Cloud resources are organized into their own branch in the manager, which lets you easily see which resources are protected and which are not. Without the vCloud account, all your cloud resources appear at the same root level under **Computers**.

Proxy setting for cloud accounts

You can configure Deep Security Manager to use a proxy server specifically for connecting to instances being protected in cloud accounts. The proxy setting can be found in **Administration** > **System Settings** > **Proxies** > **Proxy Server Use** > **Deep Security Manager (Cloud Accounts - HTTP Protocol Only)**.

Create a VMware vCloud Organization account for the manager

1. Log in to VMware vCloud Director.
2. On the **System** tab, go to **Manage And Monitor**.
3. In the left navigation pane, click **Organizations**.
4. Double-click the Organization you wish to give the Deep Security user access to.
5. On the **Organizations** tab, click **Administration**.
6. In the left navigation pane, go to **Members** > **Users**.
7. Click the " plus " sign to create a new user.
8. Enter the new user's credentials and other information, and select **Organization Administrator** as the user's **Role**.

Note: **Organization Administrator** is a simple pre-defined Role you can assign to the new user account, but the only privilege required by the account is **All Rights > General > Administrator View** and you should consider creating a new vCloud role with just this permission.

9. Click **OK** to close the new user's properties window.

The vCloud account is now ready for access by a Deep Security Manager.

Note:

To import the VMware vCloud resources into the Deep Security Manager, you will be prompted for the **Address** of the vCloud, your **User name** , and your **Password** .

Your **User name** must include "@orgName". For example if the vCloud account's username is **kevin** and the vCloud Organization you've given the account access to is called **CloudOrgOne**, then you must enter **kevin@CloudOrgOne** as your username when importing the vCloud resources.

(For a vCloud administrator view, use **@system.**)

Import computers from a VMware vCloud Organization Account

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Computers**.
2. Right-click **Computers** in the navigation panel and select **Add vCloud Account** to display the **Add vCloud Cloud Account** wizard.
3. In **Name** and **Description**, enter the resources you are adding. (These are only used for display purposes in the Deep Security Manager.)
4. In **Address**, enter the hostname or address of vCloud Director.
5. In **User Name** and **Password**, enter vCloud authentication credentials. User names should have the format **username@vcloudorganization**.
6. Click **Next**.
7. Deep Security Manager will verify the connection to the cloud resources and display a summary of the import action. Click **Finish**.

The VMware vCloud resources now appear in the Deep Security Manager under their own branch on **Computers**.

Import computers from a VMware vCloud Air data center

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Computers** section, right-click **Computers** in the navigation panel and select **Add vCloud Account** to display the **Add vCloud Account**

wizard.

2. Enter a **Name** and **Description** of the vCloud Air data center you are adding. (These are only used for display purposes in the Deep Security Manager.)
3. Enter the **Address** of the vCloud Air data center.

To determine the address of the vCloud Air data center:

- a. Log in to your vCloud Air portal.
 - b. On the **Dashboard** tab, click the data center you want to import into Deep Security. The **Virtual Data Center Details** information page is displayed.
 - c. In the Related Links section of the **Virtual Data Center Details** page, click **vCloud Director API URL**. This will display the full URL of the vCloud Director API.
 - d. Use the host name only (not the full URL) as the Address of the vCloud Air data center that you are importing into Deep Security.
4. In **User Name** and **Password**, enter virtual data center credentials. User names should have the format **username@virtualdatacenterid**.
 5. Click **Next**.
 6. Deep Security Manager will verify the connection to the vCloud Air data center and display a summary of the import action. Click **Finish**.

The VMware vCloud Air data center now appears in the Deep Security Manager under its own branch on **Computers**.

Configure software updates for cloud accounts

Relays are modules within Deep Security Agents that are responsible for the download and distribution of Security and Software updates. Normally, the Deep Security Manager informs the relays when new updates are available, the relays get the updates and then the agents get their updates from the relays.

However, if your Deep Security Manager is in an enterprise environment and you are managing computers in a cloud environment, relays in the cloud may not be able to communicate with Deep Security Manager. You can solve this problem by allowing the relays to obtain software updates directly from the Trend Micro Download Center when they cannot connect to the Deep Security Manager. To enable this option, go to **Administration > System Settings > Updates** and under **Software Updates**, select **Allow Relays to download software updates from Trend Micro Download Center when Deep Security Manager is not accessible**.

Remove a cloud account

Removing a cloud provider account from Deep Security Manager permanently removes the account from the Deep Security database. Your account with your cloud provider is unaffected and any Deep Security agents that were installed on the instances will still be installed, running, and providing protection (although they will no longer receive security updates.) If you decide to re-import computers from the Cloud Provider Account, the Deep Security Agents will download the latest Security Updates at the next scheduled opportunity.

1. Go to the **Computers** page, right-click the Cloud Provider account in the navigation panel, and select **Remove Cloud Account**.
2. Confirm that you want to remove the account.
3. The account is removed from the Deep Security Manager.

Add computer groups from Microsoft Active Directory

Deep Security can use an LDAP server such as Microsoft Active Directory for computer discovery and to create user accounts and their contacts. Deep Security Manager queries the server, and then displays computer groups according to the structure in the directory.

Note: If you are using Deep Security in FIPS mode, you must import the Active Directory's SSL certificate into Deep Security Manager before connecting the manager with the directory. See ["Manage trusted certificates" on page 296](#).

1. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers**.
2. In the main pane, click **Add > Add Active Directory**.
3. Type the host name or IP address, name, description, and port number of your Active Directory server. Also enter your access method and credentials. Follow these guidelines:
 - The **Server Address** must be the same as the Common Name (CN) in the Active Directory's SSL certificate if the access method is LDAPS.
 - The **Name** doesn't have to match the directory's name in Active Directory.
 - The **Server Port** is [Active Directory's LDAP or LDAPS port](#). The defaults are 389 (LDAP and StartTLS) and 636 (LDAPS).
 - The **Username** must include your domain name. Example: `EXAMPLE/Administrator`.

- If you are using Deep Security in FIPS mode, click **Test Connection** in the Trusted Certificate section to check whether the Active Directory's SSL certificate has been imported successfully into Deep Security Manager.

Click **Next** to continue.

4. Specify your directory's schema. (If you haven't customized the schema, you can use the default values for a Microsoft Active Directory server.)

Note: The **Details** window of each computer in the Deep Security Manager has a "Description" field. To use an attribute of the "Computer" object class from your Active Directory to populate the "Description" field, type the attribute name in the **Computer Description Attribute** text box.

Select **Create a Scheduled Task to Synchronize this Directory** if you want to automatically keep this structure in the Deep Security Manager synchronized with your Active Directory server. A **Scheduled Task** wizard will appear when you are finished adding the directory. (You can set this up later using the **Scheduled Tasks** wizard: **Administration > Scheduled Tasks**.)

5. Click **Next** to continue.
6. When the Manager has imported your directory, it will display a list of computers that it added. Click **Finish**.

The directory structure will appear on the **Computers** page.

Additional Active Directory options

Right-clicking an Active Directory structure gives you options that are not available for non-directory computer groups:

- **Remove Directory**
- **Synchronize Now**

Remove Directory

When you remove a directory from the Deep Security Manager, you have these options:

- **Remove directory and all subordinate computers/groups from DSM:** Remove all traces of the directory.

- **Remove directory but retain computer data and computer group hierarchy:** Turn the imported directory structure into identically organized regular computer groups, no longer linked with the Active Directory server.
- **Remove directory, retain computer data, but flatten hierarchy:** Remove links to the Active Directory server, discards directory structure, and places all the computers into the same computer group.

Synchronize Now

You can manually trigger Deep Security Manager to synchronize with the Active Directory server to refresh information on computer groups.

Tip: You can automate this procedure by creating a scheduled task.

Server certificate usage

If it is not already enabled, enable SSL on your Active Directory server.

Computer discovery can use either SSL or TLS or unencrypted clear text, but importing user accounts (including passwords and contacts) requires authentication and SSL or TLS.

SSL or TLS connections require a server certificate on your Active Directory server. During the SSL or TLS handshake, the server will present this certificate to clients to prove its identity. This certificate can be either self-signed or signed by a certificate authority (CA). If you don't know if your server has a certificate, on the Active Directory server, open the Internet Information Services (IIS) Manager, and then select **Server Certificates**. If the server doesn't have a signed server certificate, you must install it.

Import users and contacts

Deep Security can import user account information from Active Directory and create corresponding Deep Security users or contacts. This offers the following advantages:

- Users can use their network passwords as defined in Active Directory.
- Administrators can centrally delete accounts from within Active Directory.
- Maintenance of contact information is simplified (e.g., email, phone numbers, etc.) by leveraging information already in Active Directory.

Both users and contacts can be imported from Active Directory. Users have configuration rights on the Deep Security Manager. Contacts can only receive Deep Security Manager notifications.

The synchronization wizard allows you to choose which Active Directory objects to import as users and which to import as contacts.

Note: To successfully import an Active Directory user account into Deep Security as a Deep Security user or contact, the Active Directory user account must have a **userPrincipalName** attribute value. (The **userPrincipalName** attribute corresponds to an Active Directory account holder's "User logon name".)

1. Click **Administration > User Management** and then click either **Users** or **Contacts**.
2. Click **Synchronize with Directory**.
If this is the first time user or contact information is imported, the server information page is displayed. Otherwise, the Synchronize with Directory wizard is displayed.
3. Select the appropriate access options, provide logon credentials, and click **Next**.
4. Select the groups you want to synchronize by selecting them from the left column and clicking **>>** to add them to the right column and then click **Next**.

Tip: You can select multiple groups by holding down shift or control while clicking on them.

5. Select whether to assign the same Deep Security role to all Directory group members or to assign Deep Security roles based on Directory Group membership and then select a default role from the list and click **Next**.
6. If you assigned Deep Security roles based on Directory Group membership, specify the synchronization options for each group and click **Next**.

After synchronization, the wizard generates a report showing the number of objects imported.

Tip: Before you finish the synchronization, you can choose to create a scheduled task to regularly synchronize users and contacts.

7. Click **Finish**.

Once imported, you will be able to tell the difference between organic (non-imported) Deep Security accounts and imported accounts because you will not be able to change any general information for these accounts.

Keep Active Directory objects synchronized

Once imported, Active Directory objects must be continually synchronized with their Active Directory servers to reflect the latest updates for these objects. This ensures, for example, that computers that have been deleted in Active Directory are also deleted in Deep Security Manager. To keep the Active Directory objects that have been imported to the Deep Security Manager synchronized with Active Directory, it is essential to set up a scheduled task that synchronizes directory data. The wizard to import computers includes the option to create these scheduled tasks.

Alternatively, you can create this task using the Scheduled Task wizard. On-demand synchronization can be performed using the **Synchronize Now** option for computers and **Synchronize with Directory** button for users and contacts.

Note: You do not need to create a scheduled task to keep users and contacts synchronized. At log in, Deep Security Manager checks whether the user exists in Active Directory. If the username and password are valid, and the user belongs to a group that has synchronization enabled, the user will be added to Deep Security Manager and allowed to log in.

Note: If you disable an account in Active Directory but do not delete it, the user remains visible and active in Deep Security Manager.

Disable Active Directory synchronization

You can stop Deep Security Manager from synchronizing with Active Directory for both computer groups and user accounts.

Remove computer groups from Active Directory synchronization

1. Go to **Computers**.
2. Right-click the directory, and select **Remove Directory**.
3. Select what to do with the list of computers from this directory when Deep Security Manager stops synchronizing with it:
 - **Remove directory and all subordinate computers/groups from Deep Security Manager:** Remove this directory's structure.
 - **Remove directory but retain computer data and group hierarchy:** Keep the existing structure, including its user and role access to folders and computers.

- **Remove directory, retain computer data, but flatten hierarchy:** Convert the directory's structure to a flat list of computers inside a group that is named after the directory. The new computer group has the same user and role access as the old structure.

4. Confirm the action.

Delete Active Directory users and contacts

Unlike when you remove directory queries for computer groups, if you delete the query for users and contacts, all those accounts will be deleted from Deep Security Manager. As a result, you can't delete while logged into Deep Security Manager with a user account that was imported from the directory server. Doing so will result in an error.

1. On either **Users** or **Contacts**, click **Synchronize with Directory**.
2. Select **Discontinue Synchronization** and then click **OK**.
3. Click **Finish**.

Protect Docker containers

The benefits of a Docker deployment are real, but so is the concern about the significant attack surface of the Docker host's operating system (OS) itself. Like any well-designed software deployment, OS hardening and the use of best practices for your deployment, such as the [Center for Internet Security \(CIS\) Docker Benchmark](#), provide a solid foundation as a starting point. Once you have a secure foundation in place, adding Deep Security to your deployment gives you access to Trend Micro's extensive experience protecting physical, virtual, and cloud workloads as well as to real-time threat information from the [Trend Micro Smart Protection Network](#). Deep Security both protects your deployment as well as helps meet and maintain continuous compliance requirements. See "[Docker support](#)" on page 174 for information on supported Docker editions and releases.

Deep Security protects your Docker hosts and containers running on Linux distributions. Deep Security can do the following:

- Identify, find, and protect Docker hosts within your deployment through the use of [badges](#) and [smart folders](#)
- Protect Docker hosts and containers from vulnerabilities to [protect them against known and zero-day exploits](#) by virtually patching new found vulnerabilities
- Provide [real-time anti-malware detection](#) for the file systems used on Docker hosts and within the containers

- Assert the integrity of the Docker host for continuous compliance and to protect your deployment using the following techniques:
 - Prevent the unauthorized execution of applications on Docker hosts by helping you [control which applications are allowed to run](#) in addition to the Docker daemon
 - Monitor Docker hosts for [unexpected changes to system files](#)
 - [Notify you of suspicious events in your OS logs](#)

Note: Deep Security Docker protection works at the OS level. This means that the Deep Security Agent must be installed on the Docker host's OS, not inside a container.

Note: Communication between containers in the pod is not supported.

Beginning with Deep Security 10.1, Deep Security supports Docker in swarm mode while using an overlay network.

Deep Security protection for the Docker host

The following Deep Security modules can be used to protect the Docker host:

- Intrusion Prevention (IPS)
- Anti-Malware
- Integrity Monitoring
- Log Inspection
- Application Control
- Firewall
- Web Reputation

Deep Security protection for Docker containers

The following Deep Security modules can be used to protect Docker containers:

- Intrusion Prevention
- Anti-Malware

Limitation on Intrusion Prevention recommendation scans

Although Deep Security Intrusion Prevention controls work at the host level, it also protects container traffic on the exposed container port numbers. Since Docker allows multiple applications to run on the same Docker host, a single Intrusion Prevention policy is applied to all Docker applications. This means that recommendation scans should not be relied upon for Docker deployments.

Computer and agent statuses

On the **Computers** page in Deep Security Manager:

- The **Status** column displays the state of the computer's network connectivity and the state (in parentheses) of the agent providing protection, if present. The status column might also display system or agent events. See ["Status column - computer states" below](#) and ["Status column - agent or appliance states" on the next page](#)
- The **Task(s)** column displays the state of the tasks. See ["Task\(s\) column" on page 411](#).

For a list of the events, see ["Agent events" on page 1016](#) and ["System events" on page 1020](#).

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Status column - computer states

State	Description
Activated	The agent is activated. See "Perform other actions on your computers" on page 417 .
Discovered	Computer has been added to the computers list via the discovery process. (See "Discover computers" on page 376 .)
Managed	An agent is present and activated, with no pending operations or errors.
Multiple Errors	Multiple errors have occurred on this computer. See the computer's system events for details.
Multiple Warnings	Multiple warnings are in effect on this computer. See the computer's system events for details.

State	Description
Reactivation Required	The agent is installed and listening and is waiting to be reactivated a Deep Security Manager.
Unmanaged	The computer's agent is not managed by this Deep Security Manager because it hasn't been activated. Deep Security Manager can't communicate with the agent until you activate it.
Upgrade Recommended	A newer version of the agent or appliance is available. An software upgrade is recommended.
Upgrading Agent	The agent software on this computer is in the process of being upgraded to a newer version.

Status column - agent or appliance states

State	Description
Activated	The agent has been successfully activated and is ready to be managed by the Deep Security Manager.
Activation Required	An unactivated agent has been detected on the target machine. It must be activated before it can be managed by the Deep Security Manager.
Deactivation Required	The manager has attempted to activate an agent that has already been activated by another Deep Security Manager. The original Deep Security Manager must deactivate the agent before it can be activated by the new manager.
No Agent	No agent was detected on the computer.
Offline	The agent has not connected to the manager for the number of heartbeats specified on Computer or Policy editor¹ > Settings > General. This can occur when connectivity is interrupted by a network firewall or proxy, AWS security group, agent software update, or when a computer is powered down for repair. Verify that firewall settings allow the required port numbers, and that the computer is powered on.
Online	The agent is online and operating as expected.
Unknown	No attempt has been made to determine whether an agent is present.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Task(s) column

State	Description
Activating	The manager is activating the agent.
Activating (Delayed)	The activation of the agent is delayed by the amount of time specified in the relevant event-based task.
Activation Pending	A command to activate the agent has been queued.
Agent Software Deployment Pending	An instruction to deploy the agent software is queued to be sent to the computer.
Agent Software Removal Pending	An instruction to remove the agent software is queued to be sent to the computer.
Application Control Inventory Scan In Progress	An application control inventory scan is being performed.
Application Control Inventory Scan Pending (Heartbeat)	An instruction to start an application control inventory scan will be sent from the manager during the next heartbeat.
Application Control Inventory Scan Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate an application control inventory scan when communication is reestablished.
Application Control Ruleset Update In Progress	The application control ruleset is being updated.
Application Control Ruleset Update Pending (Heartbeat)	An instruction to perform an application control ruleset update will be sent from the manager during the next heartbeat.
Application Control Ruleset Update Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate an application control ruleset update when communication is reestablished.
Baseline Rebuild In Progress	The Integrity Monitoring engine is currently rebuilding a system baseline.
Baseline Rebuild Paused	A baseline rebuild has been paused
Baseline Rebuild Pending	An instruction to rebuild a system baseline for Integrity Monitoring is queued to be sent.
Baseline Rebuild Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The Integrity Monitoring engine will rebuild a system baseline when communication between the manager and this computer is reestablished.
Baseline Rebuild Queued	The instruction to perform a baseline rebuild is queued.
Checking Status	The agent state is being checked.
Deactivate Pending (Heartbeat)	A deactivate instruction will be sent from the manager during the next heartbeat.
Deactivating	The manager is deactivating the agent. This means that the agent is

State	Description
	available for activation and management by another Deep Security Manager.
Deploying Agent Software	Agent software is being deployed on the computer.
File Backup Cancellation In Progress	A file backup is being canceled.
File Backup Cancellation Pending	An instruction to cancel a file backup is queued to be sent.
File Backup Cancellation Pending (Offline)	The agent or appliance is currently offline. The manager will initiate the cancellation of the file backup when communication is reestablished.
File Backup In Progress	A file backup is being performed.
File Backup Pending	An instruction to start a file backup is queued to be sent.
File Backup Pending (Offline)	The agent or appliance is currently offline. The manager will initiate a file backup when communication is reestablished.
File Backup Queued	The instruction to perform a file backup is queued.
Getting Events	The manager is retrieving events from the agent.
Integrity Scan In Progress	An Integrity Scan is currently in progress.
Integrity Scan Paused	An integrity scan has been paused.
Integrity Scan Pending	A command to start an integrity scan is queued to be sent.
Integrity Scan Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate an Integrity Scan when communication is reestablished.
Integrity Scan Queued	An instruction to start an integrity scan is queued to be sent.
Malware Manual Scan Cancellation In Progress	The instruction to cancel a manually-initiated Malware Scan has been sent.
Malware Manual Scan Cancellation Pending	The command to cancel a manually-initiated malware scan is queued to be sent.
Malware Manual Scan Cancellation Pending (Offline)	The appliance is offline. The instruction to cancel a manually-initiated Malware Scan will be sent when communication is reestablished.
Malware Manual Scan In Progress	A manually-initiated Malware Scan is in progress.
Malware Manual Scan Paused	A manually-initiated Malware Scan has been paused.
Malware Manual	The instruction to perform a manually-initiated Malware Scan has not yet

State	Description
Scan Pending	been sent.
Malware Manual Scan Pending (Offline)	The agent is offline. The instruction to start a manually-initiated Malware Scan will be sent when communication is reestablished.
Malware Manual Scan Queued	The instruction to perform a manually-initiated Malware Scan is queued.
Malware Scheduled Scan Cancellation In Progress	The instruction to cancel a scheduled Malware Scan has been sent.
Malware Scheduled Scan Cancellation Pending	The instruction to cancel a scheduled Malware Scan is queued to be sent.
Malware Scheduled Scan Cancellation Pending (Offline)	The agent is offline. The instruction to cancel a scheduled Malware Scan will be sent when communication is reestablished.
Malware Scheduled Scan In Progress	A scheduled Malware Scan is in progress.
Malware Scheduled Scan Paused	A scheduled Malware Scan has been paused.
Malware Scheduled Scan Pending	The command to cancel a scheduled malware scan has not yet been sent.
Malware Scheduled Scan Pending (Offline)	The agent is offline. The instruction to start a scheduled Malware Scan will be sent when communication is reestablished.
Malware Scheduled Scan Queued	The instruction to cancel a scheduled Malware Scan is queued.
Quick Malware Scan Cancellation In Progress	A quick malware scan is being canceled.
Quick Malware Scan Cancellation Pending	An instruction to cancel a quick malware scan is queued to be sent.
Quick Malware Scan Cancellation Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate the cancellation of a quick malware scan when communication is reestablished.
Quick Malware Scan In Progress	A quick malware scan is being performed.
Quick Malware Scan Paused	A quick malware scan has been paused.
Quick Malware Scan Pending	An instruction to start a quick malware scan is queued to be sent.
Quick Malware Scan Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate a quick malware scan when communication is reestablished.
Quick Malware Scan Queued	The instruction to perform a quick malware scan is queued.

State	Description
Removing Agent Software	The agent software is being removed from the computer.
Rollback of Security Update In Progress	A security update is being rolled back.
Rollback of Security Update Pending	An instruction to roll back a security update is queued to be sent.
Rollback of Security Update Pending (Heartbeat)	An instruction to roll back a security update will be sent from the manager during the next heartbeat.
Rollback of Security Update Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate a rollback of the security update when communication is reestablished.
Scan for Recommendations Pending (Heartbeat)	The manager will initiate a recommendation scan at the next heartbeat.
Scan for Recommendations Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate a recommendation scan when communication is reestablished.
Scanning for Open Ports	The manager is scanning the computer for open ports.
Scanning for Recommendations	A recommendation scan is underway.
Security Update In Progress	A security update is being performed.
Security Update Pending	An instruction to perform a security update is queued to be sent.
Security Update Pending (Heartbeat)	An instruction to perform a security update will be sent from the manager during the next heartbeat.
Security Update Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate a security update when communication is reestablished.
Sending Policy	A policy is being sent to the computer.
Update of Configuration Pending (Heartbeat)	An instruction to update the configuration to match the policy changes will be sent from the manager during the next heartbeat.
Update of Configuration Pending (Offline)	The agent is currently offline. The manager will initiate the configuration update to match the policy changes when communication is reestablished.
Upgrading Software (In Progress)	A software upgrade is being performed.
Upgrading Software (Install Program Sent)	A software upgrade is being performed. The install program has been sent to the computer.
Upgrading Software	An instruction to perform a software upgrade is queued to be sent.

State	Description
(Pending)	
Upgrading Software (Reboot to Complete Upgrade)	A software upgrade has been requested but will not be complete until the agent computer is rebooted. When the computer is in this state, it is still being protected by the older version of the Deep Security Agent.
Upgrading Software (Results Received)	A software upgrade is being performed. The results have been received.
Upgrading Software (Schedule)	A software upgrade will be performed once the computer's access schedule permits.

Computer errors

State	Description
Communication error	General network error.
No route to computer	Typically the computer cannot be reached because of a firewall between the manager and computer, or if a router between them is down.
Unable to resolve hostname	Unresolved socket address.
Activation required	An instruction was sent to the agent when it was not yet activated.
Unable to communicate with Agent	Unable to communicate with agent.
Protocol Error	Communication failure at the IP, TCP, or HTTP layer. For example, if the Deep Security Manager IP address is unreachable because the connection is being blocked by a firewall, router, or AWS security group, then it would cause a connection to fail. To resolve the error, verify that the activation port number is allowed and that a route exists.
Deactivation Required	The agent is currently activated by another Deep Security Manager.
No Agent	No agent was detected on the target.
No valid software version	Indicates that no installer can be found for the platform and version requested.
Send software failed	There was an error in sending a binary package to the computer.
Internal error	Internal error. Please contact your support provider.
Duplicate Computer	Two computers in the Deep Security Manager's computers list share the same IP address.
Unresolved software	Software changes detected on the file system exceeded the maximum amount.

State	Description
change limit reached	Application control will continue to enforce existing rules, but will not record any more changes, and it will stop displaying any of that computer's software changes. See "Reset application control after too much software change" on page 552.

Protection module status

When you hover over a computer name on the **Computers** page, the **Preview** icon () is displayed. Click the icon to display the state of the computer's protection modules.

On and Off States:

State	Description
On	Module is configured in Deep Security Manager and is installed and operating on the Deep Security Agent.
Off	Module is either not configured in Deep Security Manager, not installed and operating on the Deep Security Agent, or both.
Unknown	Indicates an error with the protection modules.

Install state:

State	Description
Not Installed	The software package containing the module has been downloaded in Deep Security Manager, but the module has not been turned on in Deep Security Manager or installed on the agent.
Installation Pending	Module is configured in the manager but is not installed on the agent.
Installation in Progress	Module is being installed on the agent.
Installed	Module is installed on the agent. This state is only displayed when the state of the module is "Off". (If the state is "On", the module has been installed on the agent.)
Matching Module Plug-In Not Found	The version of the software package containing the module imported into the manager does not match the version reported by the agent.
Not Supported/Update Not Supported	A matching software package was found on the agent, but it does not contain a module supported by the platform. "Not Supported" or "Update Not Supported" is displayed depending on whether there is already a version of this module installed on the agent.

Perform other actions on your computers

On the **Computers** page, the **Actions** button provides several actions that you can perform on the selected computers.

Action	Description
Check Status	Checks the status of a computer without performing a scan or activation attempt.
Activate/Reactivate	Activates or reactivates the agent on the computer. See "Activate the agent" on page 302
Deactivate	You may want to transfer control of a computer from one Deep Security Manager installation to another. If so, the agent has to be deactivated and then activated again by the new manager.
Assign Policy	Opens a window with a list that allows you to assign a policy to the computer. The name of the policy assigned to the computer will appear in the Policy column on the Computers page. Note: If you apply other settings to a computer (for example, adding additional Firewall Rules, or modifying Firewall Stateful Configuration settings), the name of the policy will be in bold, indicating that the default settings have been changed.
Send Policy	When you use Deep Security Manager to change the configuration of an agent or appliance on a computer (apply a new intrusion prevention rule, change logging settings, etc.), the Deep Security Manager has to send the new information to the agent or appliance. This is a Send Policy instruction. Policy updates usually happen immediately but you can force an update by clicking Send Policy .
Download Security Update	Downloads the latest security update from the configured relay to the agent or appliance. See "Get and distribute security updates" on page 816 .
Rollback Security Update	Rolls back the latest security update for the agent or appliance.
Get Events	Override the normal event retrieval schedule (usually every

Action	Description
	heartbeat) and retrieve the event logs from the computer(s) now.
Clear Warnings/Errors	Use this command to clear all warnings and errors for the computer. This command is useful in these situations: • If the agent for the computer has been reset locally • If the computer has been removed from the network before you had a chance to deactivate or delete it from the list of computers
Upgrade Agent Software	To upgrade an agent, you first need to import a newer version of the agent software package into the Deep Security Manager (see "About upgrades" on page 805).
Scan for Recommendations	Deep Security Manager can scan computers and then make recommendations for Security Rules. The results of a recommendation scan appear in the computer's Details window in the Rules pages. See "Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439 .
Clear Recommendations	Clears rule recommendations resulting from a recommendation scan on this computer. Clearing also removes the computer from those listed in an alert produced as a result of a recommendation scan. Note: This action will not un-assign any rules that were assigned because of past recommendations.
Full Scan for Malware	Performs a full malware scan on the selected computers. The actions taken by a full scan depend on the Malware Manual Scan Configuration in effect on this computer. See "Configure malware scans" on page 570 .
Quick Scan for Malware	Scans critical system areas for currently active threats. Quick Scan looks for currently-active malware but does not perform deep file scans to look for dormant or stored infected files. On larger drives,

Action	Description
	Quick Scan is significantly faster than a Full Scan. Note: Quick Scan is only available on-demand. You cannot schedule a Quick Scan as part of a scheduled task.
Scan for Open Ports	Performs a port scan on all selected computers and checks the agent installed on the computer to determine whether its state is either Deactivation Required, Activation Required, Agent Reactivate Required, or Online. The scan operation, by default, scans ports 1-1024. This range can be changed in Computer or Policy editor¹ > Settings > General. Note: The agent's listening port number for heartbeats is always scanned regardless of port range settings. When the Manager connects to communicate with the agent, it uses that port number. If communication direction is set to "Agent/Appliance Initiated" for a computer (Computer or Policy editor² > Settings > General > Communication Direction), however, that port number will not be open. For a list of ports used, see "Deep Security port numbers" on page 207. Note: New computers on the network will not be detected. To find new computers, use the Discover tool.
Cancel Currently Executing Port Scans	If you have initiated a set of port scans to a large number of computers or over a large range of ports and the scan is taking too long, use the Cancel Currently Executing Port Scans option to cancel the scans.
Scan for integrity	Integrity Monitoring tracks changes to a computer's system and

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Action	Description
	files. It does by creating a baseline and then performing periodic scans to compare the current state of the computer to the baseline. For more information see "Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705 .
Rebuild Integrity Baseline	Rebuilds a baseline for Integrity Monitoring on this computer.
Assign Asset Value	Asset values allow you to sort computers and events by importance. The various security rules have a severity value. When rules are triggered on a computer, the severity values of the rules are multiplied by the asset value of the computer. This value is used to rank events in order of importance. See "Rank events to quantify their importance" on page 896 .
Assign a Relay Group	To select a relay group for this computer to download updates from, right-click the computer and choose Actions > Assign a Relay Group .

Computers icons



Ordinary computer



Deep Security Relay (a computer with a Relay-enabled Agent)



Docker host (physical computer)



Azure virtual machine with Docker



Amazon EC2 with Docker



Amazon WorkSpace (started)

Status information for different types of computers

Ordinary computer

The preview pane for an ordinary computer displays the presence of an agent, its [status](#), and the [status of the protection modules](#).

		Agent
		Managed (Online)
		On, Real Time
		On
		On, 41 rules
		On, Prevent, 193 rules
		On, no rules
		On, 5 rules
		Off, not supported

Relay

The preview pane for a Deep Security relay-enabled agent displays its [status](#), the number of security update components it has available for distribution, and the status of the protection modules provided by its embedded Deep Security agent.

		Agent	
		Managed (Online)	 Relay 192 components available
		On, Real Time	
		On	
		On, 41 rules	
		On, Prevent, 316 rules	
		On, 30 rules	
		On, 6 rules	
		Off, not supported	

Docker hosts

The preview pane for a Docker host displays the presence of an agent and its [status](#), the status of the protection modules, and the Docker status.

 Agent		 Docker Host detected	
		Managed (Online)	
		Anti-Malware	On, Real Time
		Web Reputation	On
		Firewall	On, 16 rules
		Intrusion Prevention	On, Prevent, 145 rules
		Integrity Monitoring	On, 21 rules
		Log Inspection	On, 4 rules
		Application Control	Off, not supported

Using Deep Security with iptables

When Deep Security Agent 10.1 or earlier was installed on Linux, it disabled the iptables service to avoid firewall conflicts unless you added a configuration file that prevented that change. However, the iptables service is used for more than just firewall (for example, Docker manages iptables rules as part of its normal operation), so disabling it sometimes had negative consequences.

With Deep Security 10.2 and higher (including Deep Security 11), the functionality around iptables has changed. Deep Security Agent no longer disables iptables. (If iptables is enabled, it stays enabled after the agent installation. If iptables is disabled, it stays disabled.) However, if the iptables service is running, Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Manager required certain iptables rules, as described below.

Rules required by Deep Security Manager

If iptables is enabled on the computer where Deep Security Manager is being installed, there are two required iptables rules. By default, these rules are added when Deep Security Manager starts up and removed when the manager is stopped or uninstalled. Alternatively, you can "[Prevent](#)

[Deep Security from automatically adding iptables rules](#) on the next page and add them manually instead:

- Allow incoming traffic on port 4119. This is required for access to the Deep Security Manager web UI and API.
- Allow incoming traffic on port 4120. This is required to listen for agent heartbeats. (For more information, see ["Agent-manager communication" on page 273.](#))

Note: These are the default port numbers - yours may be different. For a complete list of ports used in Deep Security, see ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207.](#)

Rules required by Deep Security Agent

If iptables is enabled on the computer where Deep Security Agent is being installed, iptables may require additional rules. By default, these rules are added when Deep Security Agent starts up and removed when the agent is stopped or uninstalled. Alternatively, you can ["Prevent Deep Security from automatically adding iptables rules" below](#) and add them manually instead:

- Allow incoming traffic on port 4118. This is required when the agent uses manager-initiated or bidirectional communication. (For more information, see ["Agent-manager communication" on page 273.](#))
- Allow incoming traffic on port 4122. This is required when the agent is acting as a relay, so that the relay can distribute software updates. (For more information, see ["Distribute security and software updates with relays" on page 308.](#))

Note: These are the default port numbers - yours may be different. For a complete list of ports used in Deep Security, see ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207.](#)

Prevent Deep Security from automatically adding iptables rules

You can prevent Deep Security Manager and Deep Security Agent from modifying iptables if you would rather add the required rules manually. To prevent the automatic modification of iptables, create the following file on the computers where you plan to install Deep Security Manager and Deep Security Agent:

```
/etc/do_not_open_ports_on_iptables
```

Enable or disable agent self-protection

Note: The agent self-protection feature is only available for agents on Windows. It is not available on Linux.

Agent self-protection prevents local users from tampering with the agent. When enabled, if a user tries to tamper with the agent, a message such as "Removal or modification of this application is prohibited by its security settings" will be displayed.

To update or uninstall Deep Security Agent or Relay, or if you're a local user trying to create a diagnostic package for support from the command line (see ["Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239](#)), you must temporarily disable agent self-protection.

Note: Anti-Malware protection must be "On" to prevent users from stopping the agent, and from modifying agent-related files and Windows registry entries. It isn't required, however, to prevent uninstalling the agent.

You can configure agent self-protection using either the Deep Security Manager, or the command line on the agent's computer.

Configure self-protection through Deep Security Manager

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ where you want to enable agent self-protection.
2. Click **Settings > General**.
3. In the **Agent Self-Protection** section, for **Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent**, select **Yes**.
4. For **Local override requires password**, select **Yes** and type an authentication password. The authentication password is highly recommended because it prevents unauthorized use of the [dsa_control command line utility](#). After specifying the password here, it must be entered into the dsa_control command line utility using the `-p` or `--passwd=` option whenever a command is run on the agent.
5. Click **Save**.
6. To disable the setting, select **No**. Click **Save**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Configure self-protection using the command line

You can enable and disable self-protection using the command line. The command line has one limitation: you cannot specify an [authentication password](#). You'll need to use Deep Security Manager for that. See ["Configure self-protection through Deep Security Manager" on the previous page](#) for details.

1. Log in to the Windows agent locally.
2. Open the Command Prompt (`cmd.exe`) as Administrator.
3. Change the current directory to the Deep Security Agent installation folder. (The default install folder is shown below.)

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent
```

4. Enter one of the following commands:

To enable agent self-protection, enter:

```
dsa_control --selfprotect=1
```

To disable agent self-protection, enter:

```
dsa_control --selfprotect=0 -p <password>
```

where `-p <password>` is the authentication password, if one was specified previously in Deep Security Manager. For details on this password, see ["Configure self-protection through Deep Security Manager" on the previous page](#).

Are "Offline" agents still protected by Deep Security?

Agents showing as "Offline" in the Deep Security Manager are still being protected according to their last known configuration. However, they will not receive any software, security or policy updates until communication with the Deep Security Manager is restored.

For more information on how to bring an agent out of "Offline" status, see ["Offline agent" on page 1214](#).

Deep Security Notifier

The Deep Security Notifier is a Windows System Tray application that communicates the state of the Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Relay to client machines. The notifier displays popup

user notifications when the Deep Security Agent begins a scan, or blocks malware or access to malicious web pages.

The notifier has a small footprint on the client machine, requiring less than 1MB of disk space and 1MB of memory. When the notifier is running the notifier icon () appears in the system tray. The notifier is automatically installed by default with the Deep Security Agent on Windows computers. Use the **Administration > Updates > Software > Local** page to import the latest version for distribution and upgrades.

Note: On computers running a relay-enabled agent, the notifier displays the components that are being distributed to agents or appliances, *not* which components are in effect on the local computer.

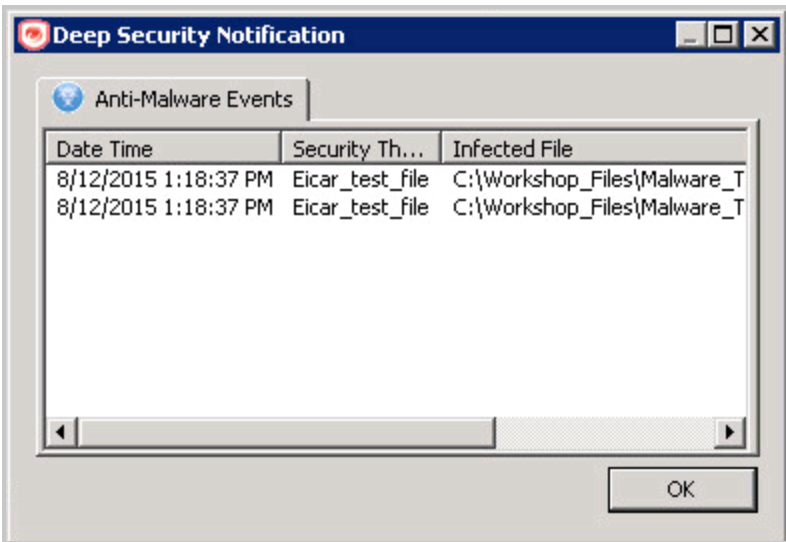
How the notifier works

When malware is detected or a malicious site is blocked, the Deep Security Agent sends a message to the notifier, which displays a popup message in the system tray.

If malware is detected, the notifier displays a message in a system tray popup similar to the following:



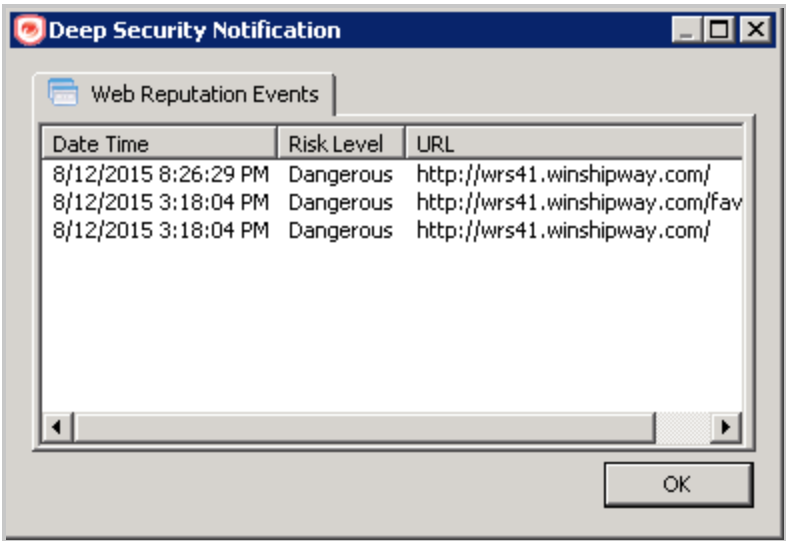
If the user clicks on the message, a dialog box with detailed information about anti-malware events is displayed:



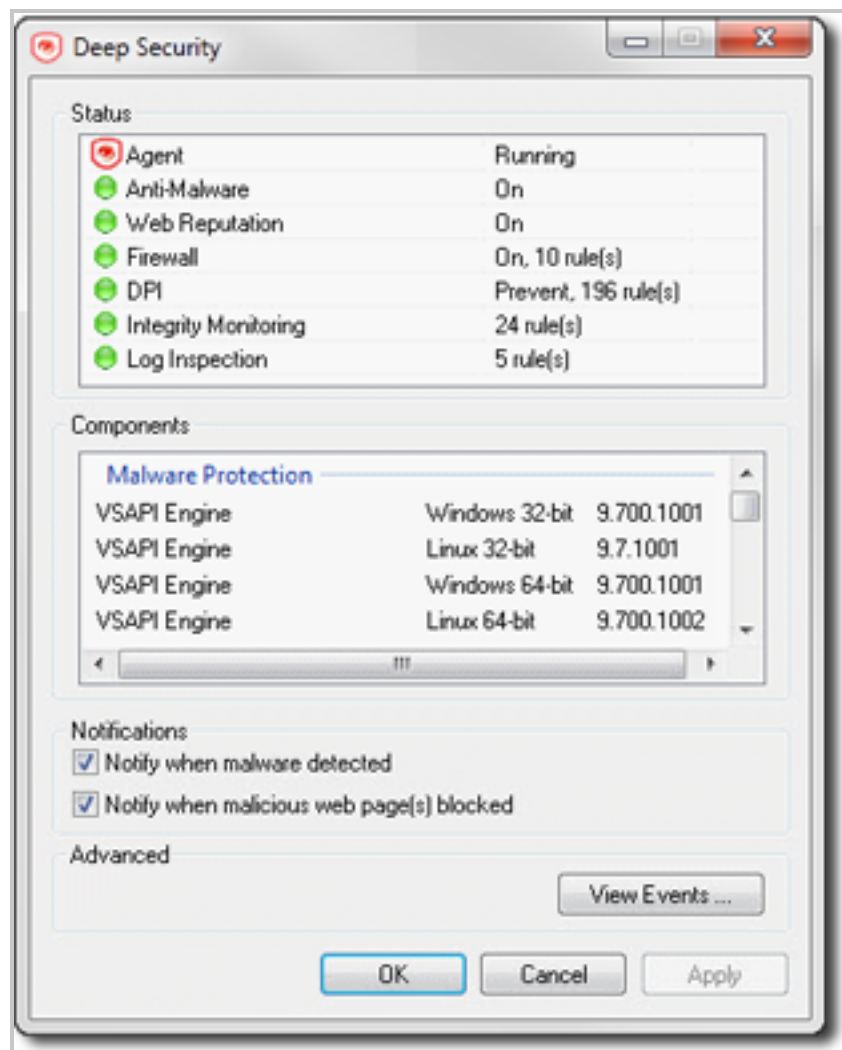
When a malicious web page is blocked, the notifier displays a message in a system tray popup similar to the following:



If the user clicks on the message, a dialog box with detailed information about web reputation events is displayed:

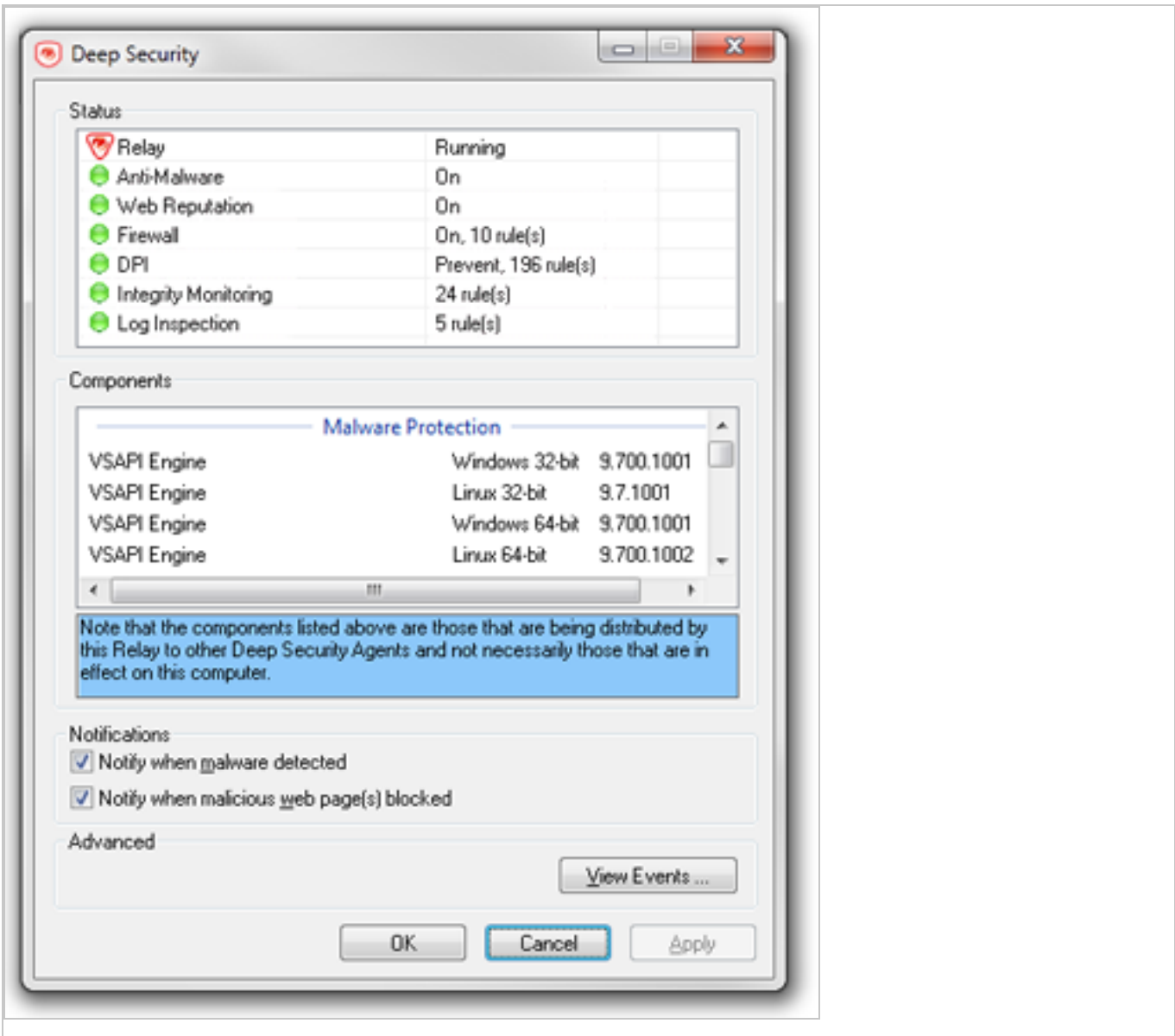


The notifier also provides a console utility for viewing the current protection status and component information, including pattern versions. The console utility allows the user to turn on and off the popup notifications and access detailed event information.



Tip: You can also turn off pop-up notifications for certain computers or for computers that are assigned a particular policy by going to the Deep Security Manager **Computer/Policy editor > Settings > General** and settings **Suppress all pop-up notifications on host** to **Yes**. The messages still appear as alerts or events in Deep Security Manager.

When the notifier is running on a computer hosting Deep Security Relay, the notifier's display shows the components being distributed by the relay and not the components that in effect on the computer.



Create policies to protect your computers and other resources

Policies allow collections of rules and configuration settings to be saved for easier assignment to multiple computers. You can use the **Policy editor**¹ to create and edit policies that you can then

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

apply to one or more computers. You can also use the **Computer editor**¹ (which is very similar to the Policy editor) to apply settings to a specific computer, but the recommended method is to create specialized policies rather than edit the settings in the Computer editor.

Tip: You can automate policy creation and configuration using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Create and Configure Policies](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

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Create a new policy

1. Click **Policies > New > New Policy**.
2. Enter a name for the policy. If you want the new policy to inherit its settings from an existing policy, select a policy from the **Inherit from** list. Click **Next**.

Tip: For information on inheritance, see ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434](#).

3. Select whether you want to base this policy on an existing computer's configuration and then click **Next**.
4. If you selected **Yes** in step 3:
 - a. Select a computer to use as the basis for the new policy and click **Next**.
 - b. Specify which protection modules will be enabled for the new policy. If this policy is inheriting its settings from an existing policy, those settings will be reflected here. Click **Next**.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

- c. On the next screen, select the properties that you want to carry into the new policy and click **Next**. Review the configuration and click **Finish**.
5. If you selected **No** in step 3, specify which protection modules will be enabled for the new policy. If this policy is inheriting its settings from an existing policy, those settings will be reflected here. Click **Finish**.
6. Click **Close**. Next, you can edit the settings for the policy, as described in ["Edit the settings for a policy or individual computer" below](#).

Other ways to create a policy

There are several ways to create a policies on the **Policies** page:

- Create a new policy as described above.
- Click **New > Import From File** to import policies from an XML file.
- **Note:** When importing policies, ensure that the system where you created the policies and the system that will receive them both have the latest security updates. If the system that is receiving the policies is running an older security update, it may not have some of the rules referenced in the policies from the up-to-date system.
- Duplicate (and then modify and rename) an existing policy. To do so, right-click an existing policy you want to duplicate and then click **Duplicate**.
- Create a new policy based on a recommendation scan of a computer. To do so, go to the **Computers** page, right-click a computer and select **Actions > Scan for Recommendations**. When the scan is complete, return to the **Policies** page and click **New** to display the **New Policy** wizard. When prompted, choose to base the new policy on "an existing computer's current configuration". Then select "Recommended Application Types and Intrusion Prevention Rules", "Recommended Integrity Monitoring Rules", and "Recommended Log Inspection Rules" from among the computer's properties.
- **Note:** The Policy will consist only of recommended elements on the computer, regardless of what Rules are currently assigned to that computer.

Edit the settings for a policy or individual computer

The **Policies** page shows your existing policies in their hierarchical tree structure. To edit the settings for a policy, select it and click **Details** to open the policy editor.

These sections are available in the **Computer or Policy editor**¹:

- Overview (the "Overview section of the policy editor" on page 456 and "Overview section of the computer editor" on page 451 sections are different)
- "Configure malware scans" on page 570
- [Web Reputation settings](#)
- "Firewall settings" on page 685
- [Intrusion Prevention](#)
- [Integrity Monitoring](#)
- [Log Inspection settings](#)
- "Detect and configure the interfaces available on a computer" on page 449
- "Network engine settings" on page 458
- "Overrides" on page 436

Assign a policy to a computer

1. Go to **Computers**.
2. Select your computer from the Computers list, right click and choose **Actions > Assign Policy**.
3. Select the policy from the hierarchy tree and click **OK**.

One of the following occurs:

- If you set the [communication direction](#) to **Manager Initiated** or **Bidirectional**, the policy is sent immediately to the agent computer.
- If you set the communication direction to **Agent/Appliance Initiated**, then the policy is sent when the next agent heartbeat occurs.

For more information on how child policies in a hierarchy tree can inherit or override the settings and rules of parent policies, see ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434](#).

After assigning a policy to a computer, you should still run periodic recommendation scans on your computer to make sure that all vulnerabilities on the computer are protected. See ["Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439](#) for more information.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Disable automatic policy updates

By default, any changes to a security policy are automatically sent to the computers that use the policy. You can change this so automatic sending is disabled, and you must manually send the policy.

1. Open the **Policy editor**¹ for the policy to configure.
2. Go to **Settings > General > Send Policy Changes Immediately**.
3. Next to **Automatically send Policy changes to computers**, select **Yes** to allow automatic sending of policy changes. To disable automatic sending, and only allow manually sending, select **No**.
4. Click **Save** to apply the changes.

Send policy changes manually

If you make a policy change and want to send the policy changes manually to a particular computer, follow the instructions below.

1. Go to **Computers**.
2. Double-click your computer from the Computers list.
3. In the navigation pane, make sure **Overview** is selected.
4. In the main pane, click the **Actions** tab.
5. Under **Policy**, click **Send Policy**.

One of the following occurs:

- If you set the [communication direction](#) to **Manager Initiated** or **Bidirectional**, the policy is sent immediately to the agent computer.
- If you set the communication direction to **Agent/Appliance Initiated**, then the policy is sent when the next agent heartbeat occurs.

Export a policy

To export a policy to an XML file, select a policy from the policies tree and click **Export > Export Selected to XML (For Import)**.

Exported policies can only be imported by another Deep Security Manager within the same [multi-node cluster](#).

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

Note: Deep Security Manager does not support exporting and importing policies with custom rules.

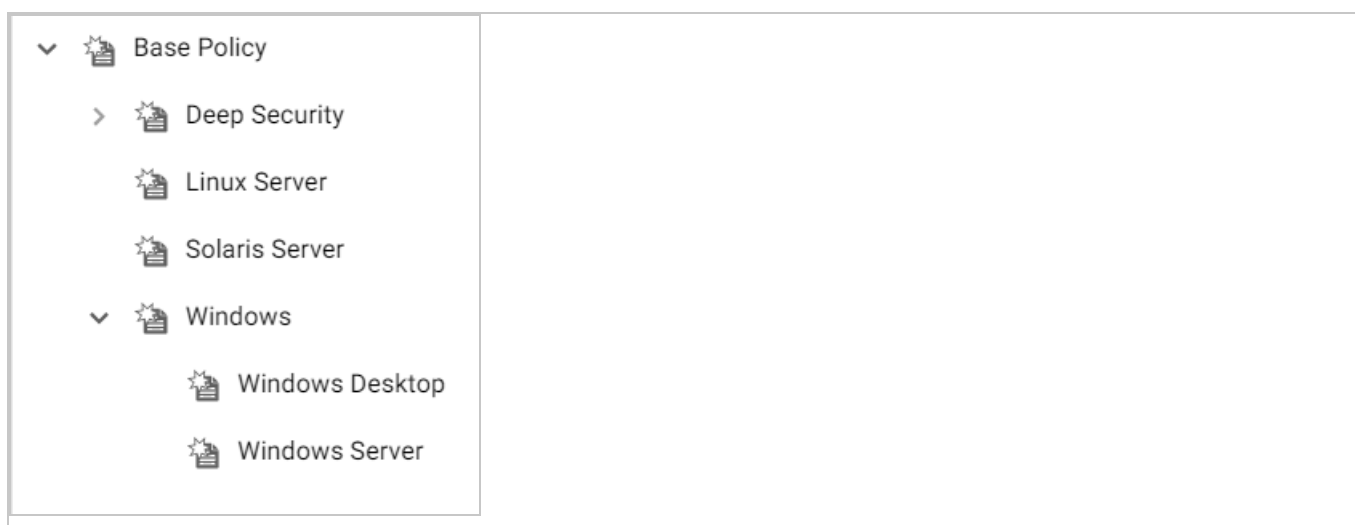
Note: When you export a selected policy to XML, any child policies that the policy may have are included in the exported package. The export package contains all the actual objects associated with the policy except: intrusion prevention rules, log inspection rules, integrity monitoring rules, and application types.

Policies, inheritance, and overrides

Policies in Deep Security are intended to be created in a hierarchical structure. As an administrator, you begin with one or more base policies from which you create multiple levels of child policies that get progressively more granular in their detail. You can assign broadly applicable rules and other configuration settings at the top-level policies and then get more targeted and specific as you go down through levels of child policies, eventually arriving at rule and configuration assignments at the individual computer level.

As well as assigning more granular settings as you move down through the policy tree, you can also override settings from higher up the policy tree.

Deep Security provides a collection of policies that you can use as initial templates for the design of your own policies tailored to your environment:



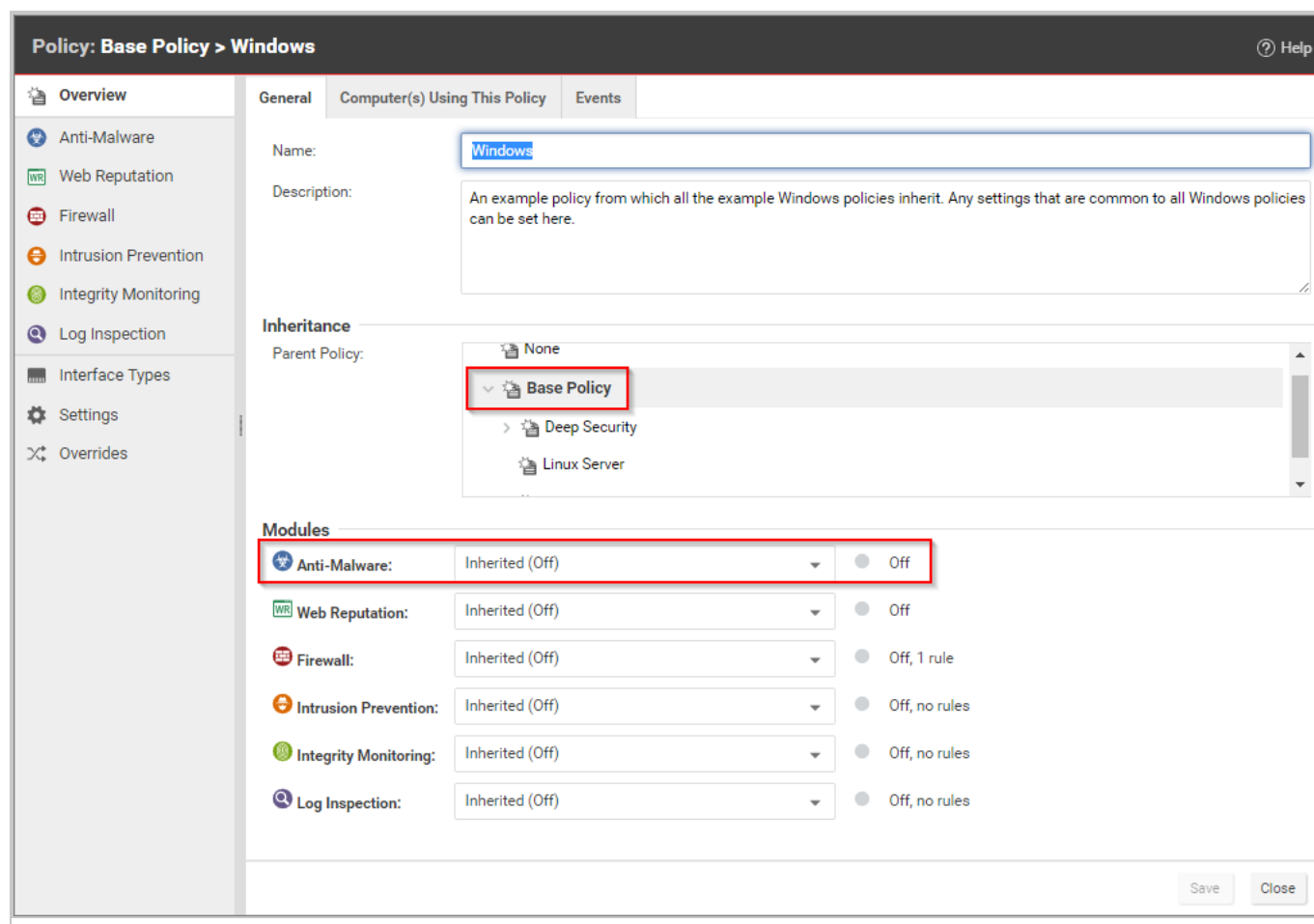
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- ["View the overrides on a computer or policy at a glance" on page 438](#)

Inheritance

Child policies inherit their settings from their parent policies. This allows you to create a policy tree that begins with a base parent policy configured with settings and rules that will apply to all computers. This parent policy can then have a set of child and further descendant policies which have progressively more specific targeted settings. Your policy trees can be built based on any kind of classification system that suits your environment. For example, the branch in the policy tree that comes with Deep Security has two child policies, one designed for a server hosting the Deep Security Manager and one designed for the Deep Security Virtual Appliance. This is a role-based tree structure. Deep Security also has three branches designed for specific operating systems, Linux, Solaris, and Windows. The windows branch has further child policies for various sub-types of Windows operating systems.

In the **Windows** policy editor on the **Overview** page, you can see that the **Windows** policy was created as a child of the **Base** policy. The policy's anti-malware setting is **Inherited (Off)**:

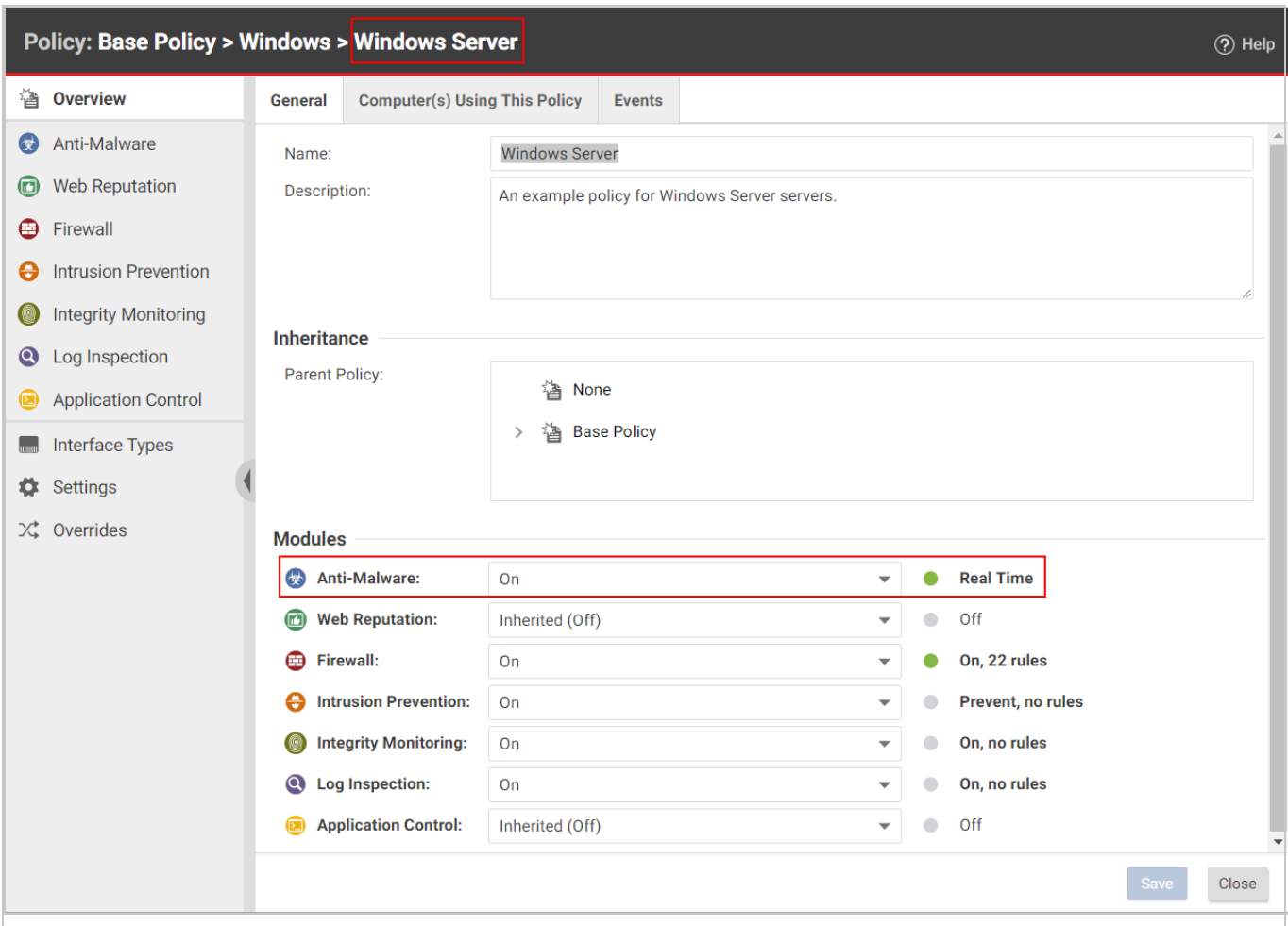


This means that the setting is inherited from the parent **Base** policy, and that if you were to change the anti-malware setting in the **Base** policy from **Off** to **On**, the setting would change in the **Windows** policy as well. (The **Windows** policy setting would then read **Inherited (On)**. The value in parentheses always shows you what the current inherited setting is.)

Overrides

The **Overrides** page shows you how many settings have been overridden at this policy or specific computer level. To undo the overrides at this level, click the **Remove** button.

In this example, the **Windows Server** policy is a child policy of the **Windows** policy. Here, the anti-malware setting is no longer inherited; it is overridden and hard-set to **On**.



Tip: You can automate override checking, creation, and removal using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Configure Computers to Override Policies](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Override object properties

The intrusion prevention rules that are included in this policy are copies of the intrusion prevention rules stored by the Deep Security Manager which are available for use by any other policies. If you want to change the properties of a particular rule, you have two choices: modify the properties of the rule globally so that the changes you make apply to all instances where the rule is in use, or modify the properties locally so that the changes you make only apply locally. The default editing mode in a Computer or policy editor is **local**. If you click **Properties** on the **Assigned Intrusion Prevention Rules** area toolbar, any changes you make in the Properties window that appears will only apply locally. (Some properties like the rule name can't be edited locally, only globally.)

Right-clicking a rule displays a context menu which gives you the two Properties editing mode options: selecting **Properties** will open the local editor window and **Properties (Global)** will open the global editor window.

Most of the shared common objects in Deep Security can have their properties overridden at any level in the policy hierarchy right down to the individual computer level.

Override rule assignments

You can always assign additional rules at any policy or computer level. However, rules that are in effect at a particular policy or computer level because their assignment is inherited from a parent policy cannot be unassigned locally. They must be unassigned at the policy level where they were initially assigned.

Tip: If you find yourself overriding a large number of settings, you should probably consider branching your parent policy.

View the overrides on a computer or policy at a glance

You can see the number of settings that have been overridden on a policy or a computer by going to the **Overrides** page in the computer or policy Editor:

Policy: Base Policy > Windows > Windows Server ? Help

Overrides

Module	Setting	Count	Action
Anti-Malware	Anti-Malware Settings	1 Override	<button>Remove</button>
	Malware Scan Configurations Assigned	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
Web Reputation	Web Reputation Settings	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
	Firewall		
Firewall	Firewall Settings	1 Override	<button>Remove</button>
	Firewall Rules Overridden	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
	Firewall Stateful Configurations Assigned	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
Intrusion Prevention	Intrusion Prevention Settings	3 Overrides	<button>Remove</button>
	Intrusion Prevention Rules Overridden	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
	Application Types Overridden	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
Integrity Monitoring	Integrity Monitoring Settings	3 Overrides	<button>Remove</button>
	Integrity Monitoring Rules Overridden	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
Log Inspection	Log Inspection Settings	3 Overrides	<button>Remove</button>
	Log Inspection Rules Overridden	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
Application Control	Application Control Settings	Inherited	<button>Remove</button>
	System		

Remove All Close

Overrides are displayed by protection module. You can revert system or module overrides by clicking the **Remove** button.

Manage and run recommendation scans

Deep Security can run recommendation scans on computers to help identify intrusion prevention, integrity monitoring, and log inspection rules that should be applied or removed.

Tip: Recommendation scans provide a good starting point for establishing a list of rules that you should implement, but there are some important additional rules that are not identified by recommendation scans. You should implement those rules manually. See ["Implement additional rules for common vulnerabilities" on page 447](#)

You can configure recommendation scans and implement the recommended rules for individual computers or at the policy level. For large deployments, Trend Micro recommends managing

recommendations through policies. This way, you can make all your rule assignments from a single source (the policy) rather than having to manage individual rules on individual computers. This can mean that some rules are assigned to computers on which they are not required; however, the minimal effect on performance is outweighed by the ease of management that results from using policies. If you enable recommendation scans in policies, use separate policies for scanning Windows and Linux computers, to avoid assigning Windows rules to Linux computers, and vice-versa.

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- ["Configure recommended rules" on page 447](#)
- ["Implement additional rules for common vulnerabilities" on page 447](#)
- ["Troubleshooting: Recommendation Scan Failure" on page 449](#)

What gets scanned?

During a recommendation scan, Deep Security Agents scan the operating system for:

- installed applications
- the Windows registry
- open ports
- the directory listing
- the file system
- running processes and services
- environment variables
- users

Scan limitations

Certain technical or logical limitations result in the rules for some types of software not being accurately recommended, or not recommended at all:

- On Unix/Linux systems, the recommendation scan engine might have trouble detecting software that is not installed through the operating system's default package manager, for example, Apache Struts, Wordpress, or Joomla. Applications installed using standard package managers are not a problem.
- On Unix/Linux systems, rules for desktop application vulnerabilities or local vulnerabilities (for example, browsers and media players) are not included in recommendation scans.
- Generic web application protection rules are not included in recommendation scans.
- Smart rules are generally not included in recommendation scans unless they address a major threat or a specific vulnerability. Smart rules address one or more known and unknown (zero-day) vulnerabilities. Rule lists in Deep Security Manager identify smart rules with "Smart" in the Type column.
- When dealing with rules related to a content management system (CMS), the recommendation scan cannot detect the CMS installation and installed version. It also cannot detect the plug-ins installed with a CMS and their versions. As a result, whenever a recommendation scan finds a web server installed and PHP installed or running on a system, all CMS-related intrusion prevention rules get recommended. This may result in the over-recommendation of rules, but balances the need for security vs. accuracy.
- The recommendations for the following web technologies may suggest more rules than necessary, so some tailoring may be required:
 - Red Hat JBoss
 - Eclipse Jetty
 - Apache Struts
 - Oracle WebLogic
 - WebSphere
 - Oracle Application Testing Suite
 - Oracle Golden Gate
 - Nginx
- OpenSSL rules are recommended on Windows only when OpenSSL is explicitly installed. If OpenSSL is being used internally by an application but it was not installed as a separate package, a recommendation scan does not detect it.
- On Linux systems, rules for Java-related vulnerabilities do not get recommended if web browsers are the only applicable vector.

- Recommendation scans cannot detect the Adobe Flash Player plug-in that is included in a default Chrome installation. Recommendations are based on the Chrome version, which means some unnecessary rules may be recommended.

Run a recommendation scan

Because changes to your environment can affect which rules are recommended, it's best to run recommendation scans on a regular basis (the best practice is to perform recommendation scans on a weekly basis). Trend Micro releases new intrusion prevention rules on Tuesdays, so it's recommended that you schedule recommendation scans shortly after those releases. The use of system resources, including CPU cycles, memory, and network bandwidth, increases during a recommendation scan so it's best to schedule the scans at non-peak times.

There are several ways to run recommendation scans:

- **Scheduled task:** Create a scheduled task that runs recommendation scans according to a schedule that you configure. You can assign the scheduled task to all computers, one individual computer, a defined computer group, or all computers protected by a particular policy. See ["Create a scheduled task to regularly run recommendation scans" on the next page](#).
- **Ongoing scans:** Configure a policy so that all computers protected by the policy are scanned for recommendations on a regular basis. You can also configure ongoing scans for individual computers. This type of scan checks the timestamp of the last scan that occurred and then follows the configured interval thereafter to perform future scans. This results in recommendation scans occurring at different times in your environment. This setting is helpful in environments where an agent might not be online for more than a few days (for example, in cloud environments that are building and decommissioning instances frequently). See ["Configure an ongoing scan" on the next page](#).
- **Manual scans:** Run a single recommendation scan on one or more computers. A manual scan is useful if you've recently made significant platform or application changes and want to force a check for new recommendations instead of waiting for a scheduled task. See ["Manually run a recommendation scan" on page 444](#).
- **Command line:** Initiate a recommendation scan via the Deep Security command-line interface. See ["Command-line basics" on page 317](#).
- **API:** Initiate a recommendation scan via the Deep Security API. See ["Use the Deep Security API to automate tasks" on page 344](#).

Note: Scheduled tasks and ongoing scans are each capable of running recommendation scans independently with their own settings. Use either the scheduled tasks or ongoing scans, but not both.

Once a recommendation scan has run, alerts are raised on the all computers for which recommendations have been made.

Create a scheduled task to regularly run recommendation scans

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Administration > Scheduled Tasks** page.
2. Click **New** on the toolbar and select **New Scheduled Task** to display the **New Scheduled Task** wizard.
3. In the **Type** list, select **Scan Computers for Recommendations** and then select how often you want the scan to occur. Click **Next**.
4. Depending on your choice in step 3, the next page lets you be more specific about the scan frequency. Make your selection and click **Next**.
5. Now select which computer(s) to scan and click **Next**.

Note: You can select all computers, choose one individual computer, select a group of computers, or select computers that are assigned a particular policy. For large deployments, it's best to perform all actions, including recommendation scans, through policies.

6. Give a name to your new scheduled task, select whether or not to **Run Task on 'Finish'**, click **Finish**.

Configure an ongoing scan

1. In the Deep Security Manager, open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹, depending on whether you want to configure the scan for an individual computer or for all computers that are using a policy.

Note: For large deployments, it's best to perform all actions, including recommendation scans, through policies.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

2. Click **Settings**. On the **General** tab, under **Recommendations**, the **Perform ongoing Recommendation Scans** setting enables or disables ongoing recommendation scans. The **Ongoing Scan Interval** setting specifies how often the scans occur. Both of those settings can be inherited from the computer or policy's parent (see ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434](#) for details about how inheritance works).

Manually run a recommendation scan

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Computers** page.
2. Select the computer or computers you want to scan.
3. Click **Actions > Scan for Recommendations**.

Cancel a recommendation scan

You can cancel a recommendation scan before it starts running.

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Computers** page.
2. Select the computer or computers where you want to cancel the scans.
3. Click **Actions > Cancel Recommendation Scan**.

Exclude a rule or application type from recommendation scans

If you don't want a particular rule or application type to be included in recommendation scan results, you can exclude it from scans.

1. In the Deep Security Manager, open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.

Note: For large deployments, it's best to perform all actions, including recommendation scans, through policies.

2. Depending on which type of rule you want to exclude, go to the **Intrusion Prevention**, **Integrity Monitoring**, or **Log Inspection** page.
3. On the **General** tab, click **Assign/Unassign** (for rules) or **Application Types** (for application types).
4. Double-click the rule or application type that you want to exclude.
5. Go to the **Options** tab. For rules, set **Exclude from Recommendations** to "Yes" or "Inherited (Yes)". For application types, select the **Exclude from Recommendations** checkbox.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Automatically implement recommendations

You can configure Deep Security to automatically implement recommendation scan results when it is appropriate to do so:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.

Note: For large deployments, it's best to perform all actions, including recommendation scans, through policies.

2. Depending on which type of rules you want to implement automatically, go to the **Intrusion Prevention**, **Integrity Monitoring**, and/or **Log Inspection** pages. (You can change the setting independently for each protection module.)
3. On the **General** tab, under **Recommendations**, change the setting to "Yes" or "Inherited (Yes)".

Not all recommendations can be implemented automatically. The exceptions are:

- Rules that require configuration before they can be applied.
- Rules that are excluded from recommendation scans.
- Rules that have been automatically assigned or unassigned but that a user has overridden. For example, if Deep Security automatically assigns a rule and you subsequently unassign it, the rule is not reassigned after the next recommendation scan.
- Rules that have been assigned at a higher level in the policy hierarchy cannot be unassigned at a lower level. A rule assigned to a computer at the policy level must be unassigned at the policy level.
- Rules that Trend Micro has issued but which may pose a risk of producing false positives. (This will be addressed in the rule description.)

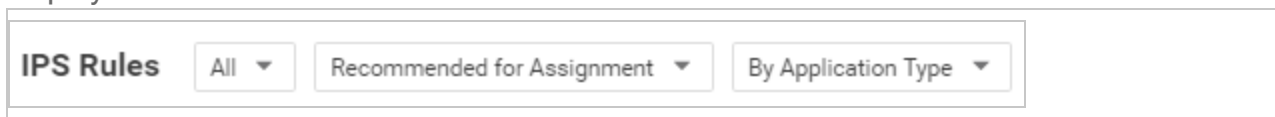
¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Check scan results and manually assign rules

The results of the latest recommendation scan are displayed in the **Computer or Policy editor**¹, on the **General** tab of the protection module (**Intrusion Prevention**, **Integrity Monitoring**, and **Log Inspection**).

The example below describes how to deal with intrusion prevention recommendation scan results via a policy:

1. Once a recommendation scan is complete, open the policy that is assigned to the computers you have just scanned.
2. Go to **Intrusion Prevention > General**. The number of unresolved recommendations (if any) is displayed in the **Recommendations** section.
3. Click **Assign/Unassign** to open the rule assignment window.
4. Sort the rules **By Application Type** and select **Recommended for Assignment** from the display filter menu:



This displays a list of rules that are recommended for assignment but that have not been assigned.

5. To assign a rule to the policy, select the checkbox next to the rule name. Rules flagged with a  icon have configuration options that you can set. Rules flagged with a  icon have settings that **must** be configured before the rule is enabled.)

Alternatively, to assign several rules at once, use the Shift or Control keys to select the rules, right-click the selection, and click **Assign Rule(s)**.

Tip: The results of a recommendation scan can also include recommendations to unassign rules. This can happen when applications are uninstalled, when security patches from a manufacturer are applied, or when unnecessary rules have been applied manually. To view rules that are recommended for unassignment, select **Recommended for Unassignment** from the display filter menu.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: Recommended rules are indicated by a full flag (▀). A partial flag (▴) identifies an application type where only some of the rules that are part of the application type have been recommended.

Configure recommended rules

Some rules require configuration before they can be applied. For example, some log inspection rules require that you specify the location of the log files to be inspected for change. If this is the case, an alert is raised on the computer on which the recommendation has been made. The text of the alert will contain the information required to configure the rule. In the policy or computer editor, rules flagged with a  icon have configuration options that you can set. Rules flagged with a  icon have settings that **must** be configured before the rule is enabled.

Implement additional rules for common vulnerabilities

Recommendation scans provide a good starting point for establishing a list of rules that you should implement, but there are some additional rules for common vulnerabilities that are not identified by recommendation scans because they need to be carefully configured and tested before being implemented in "prevent" (block) mode. Trend Micro recommends that you configure and test these rules, then manually enable them in your policies (or for individual computers):

Tip: This list includes the most common of the additional rules you should configure. You can find others in Deep Security Manager by searching for rules whose type is "Smart" or "Policy".

Rule name	Application type
1007598 - Identified Possible Ransomware File Rename Activity Over Network Share	DCERPC Services
1007596 - Identified Possible Ransomware File Extension Rename Activity Over Network Share	DCERPC Services
1006906 - Identified Usage Of PsExec Command Line Tool	DCERPC Services
1007064 - Executable File Uploaded On System32 Folder Through SMB Share	DCERPC Services

Rule name	Application type
1003222 - Block Administrative Share	DCERPC Services
1001126 - DNS Domain Blocker	DNS Client
1000608 - Generic SQL Injection Prevention See "Configure an SQL injection prevention rule" on page 633 for details.	Web Application Common
1005613 - Generic SQL Injection Prevention - 2	Web Application Common
1000552 - Generic Cross Site Scripting (XSS) Prevention	Web Application Common
1006022 - Identified Suspicious Image With Embedded PHP Code	Web Application Common
1005402 - Identified Suspicious User Agent In HTTP Request	Web Application Common
1005934 - Identified Suspicious Command Injection Attack	Web Application Common
1006823 - Identified Suspicious Command Injection Attack - 1	Web Application Common
1005933 - Identified Directory Traversal Sequence In Uri Query Parameter	Web Application Common
1006067 - Identified Too Many HTTP Requests With Specific HTTP Method	Web Server Common
1005434 - Disallow Upload Of A PHP File	Web Server Common
1003025 - Web Server Restrict Executable File Uploads	Web Server Common
1007212 - Disallow Upload Of An Archive File	Web Server Common
1007213 - Disallow Upload Of A Class File	Web Server Common

Troubleshooting: Recommendation Scan Failure

If you are receiving a Recommendation Scan Failure on your server, follow the steps below to resolve the issue. If the issue continues to persist after troubleshooting, [create a diagnostic package from the agent](#) and contact support.

Communication

Typically for communication issues "protocol error" will appear in the body of the error message.

If you don't have open inbound firewall ports from the Deep Security Manager to the agent, open the [ports](#) or switch to agent-initiated communication. For more information, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

Server resources

Monitor the CPU and memory resources on the server. If the memory or CPU is becoming exhausted during the scan, increase the resources.

Timeout values

Increase the timeout values for the recommendation scan.

1. Open the command prompt and navigate to the Deep Security Manager installation folder.
2. Enter the commands below (if this is a multi-tenant environment, add the tenant name):

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.agentSocketTimeoutOverride -value 1200
```

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.defaultSocketChannelTimeout -value 1200000
```

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.recoScanKeepAliveTimeInterval -value 180000
```

Detect and configure the interfaces available on a computer

The Computer and Policy editors contain an **Interfaces** (in the Computer editor) and **Interface Types** (in the Policy editor) section that displays the interfaces detected on the computer. If a policy with multiple interface assignments has been assigned to the computer, interfaces that match the patterns defined in the policy will be identified.

The **Interface Types** section of the Policy editor provides additional capabilities:

Configure a policy for multiple interfaces

If you have computers with more than one interface, you can assign various elements of a policy (firewall rules, etc.) to each interface.

1. In the Policy editor, click **Interface Types**.
2. In the Network Interface Specificity section, select **Rules can apply to specific interfaces**
3. In the Interface Type sections that appear, type the names and pattern matching strings.

The interface type name is used only for reference. Common names include "LAN", "WAN", "DMZ", and "Wi-Fi", though any name can be used to map to your network's topology.

The interface name used for all container network interfaces and host virtual interfaces is "integrated_veth", which has a MAC address of 02:00:00:00:00:00.

The matches define a wildcard-based interface name to auto map the interfaces to the appropriate interface type. Examples would be "Local Area Connection **", "eth**", or "Wireless **". When an interface cannot be mapped automatically, an alert is triggered. You can manually map it from the **Interfaces** page in the computer editor for a particular computer.

Note: If Deep Security detects interfaces on the computer that don't match any of these entries, the manager will trigger an alert.

Enforce interface isolation

When Interface Isolation is enabled, the firewall will try to match the regular expression patterns to interface names on the local computer. To enforce interface isolation, click **Enable Interface Isolation** option on the **Policy or Computer Editor > Firewall > Interface Isolation** tab and enter string patterns that will match the names of the interfaces on a computer (in order of priority).

Warning: Before you enable Interface Isolation make sure that you have configured the interface patterns in the proper order and that you have removed or added all necessary string patterns. Only interfaces matching the highest priority pattern will be permitted to transmit traffic. Other interfaces (which match any of the remaining patterns on the list) will be "restricted". Restricted Interfaces will block all traffic unless an Allow Firewall Rule is used to allow specific traffic to pass through.

Selecting **Limit to one active interface** will restrict traffic to only a single interface even if more than one interface matches the highest priority pattern.

Note: Deep Security uses POSIX basic regular expressions to match interface names. For information on basic POSIX regular expressions, see https://pubs.opengroup.org/onlinepubs/009695399/basedefs/xbd_chap09.html#tag_09_03

Overview section of the computer editor

The computer editor **Overview** page has the following tabbed sections:

- "General tab" below
- "Actions tab" on page 454
- "TPM tab" on page 456
- "System Events tab" on page 456

General tab

- **Hostname:** Appears in the **Name** column on the **Computers** page. The name must be either the IP address of the computer or the hostname of the computer. Either a fully qualified hostname or a relative hostname can be used if a hostname is used instead of an IP address. You have to specify a hostname that can be resolved or a valid IP address that the Deep Security Manager can access. This is because the communication between the Deep Security Manager and the agent computers are based on the hostname. For relay-enabled agents, all of the computers within the relay group should be able to reach the specified IP address or hostname. If the Deep Security Manager cannot access the target computer the communication direction should be set to Agent/Appliance Initiated (Settings > Computer).
- **(Last IP Used: <IP_address>):** The last IP used by the computer. **Last IP Used** may not always show the IP address of the Deep Security Agent's host. Instead, it could be the IP address of a proxy, load balancer, elastic load balancer (ELB), etc., that the agent uses to communicate with Deep Security Manager.
- **Display Name:** Appears in the Display Name column and in brackets next to the Hostname value.
- **Description:** a description of the computer.
- **Platform:** Details of the computer's OS will appear here.
- **Group:** The computer group to which the computer belongs appears in the list. You can reassign the computer to any other existing computer group.

- **Policy:** The policy (if any) that has been assigned to this computer.

Note: Keep in mind that if you unassign a policy from a computer, rules may still be in effect on the computer if they were assigned independently of the policy.

- **Asset Importance:** Deep Security Manager uses a ranking system to quantify the importance of security events. Rules are assigned a severity level (high, medium, low, etc.), and assets (computers) are assigned an "asset importance" level. These levels have numerical values. When a rule is triggered on a computer the asset importance value and the severity level value are multiplied together. This produces a score which is used to sort events by importance. (Event ranking can be seen in the **Events** pages.) Use this **Asset Importance** list to assign an asset importance level to this computer. (To edit the numerical values associated with severity and importance levels, go to **Administration > System Settings > Ranking**.)
- **Download Security Updates From:** Use the dropdown list to select which relay group the agent/appliance on this computer will download security updates from. (not displayed if agent is acting as a relay.)

Computer status

The Status area displays the latest available information about the computer and the protection modules in effect on it. Whether the computer is protected by an agent or an appliance (or both in the case of combined mode) is displayed in the top row.

- **Status:**
 - When the computer is unmanaged the status represents the state of the agent or appliance with respect to activation. The status will display either "Discovered" or "New" followed by the agent or appliance state in brackets ("No Agent/Appliance", "Unknown", "Reactivation Required", "Activation Required", or "Deactivation Required").
 - When the computer is managed and no computer errors are present, the status will display "Managed" followed by the state of the agent or appliance in brackets ("Online" or "Offline").
 - When the computer is managed and the agent or appliance is in the process of performing an action (e.g. "Integrity Scan in Progress", "Upgrading Agent (Install Program Sent)", etc.) the task status will be displayed.

- When there are errors on the computer (e.g., "Offline", "Update Failed", etc.) the status will display the error. When more than one error is present, the status will display "Multiple Errors" and each error will be listed beneath.

Protection module status

The software that implements Deep Security 9.5 or later protection modules is deployed to agents on an as-needed basis. Only core functionality is included when an agent is first installed.

The **Status** area provides information about the state of the Deep Security modules. The status reflects the state of a module on the agent as well as its configuration in Deep Security Manager. A status of "On" indicates that the module is configured in Deep Security Manager and is installed and operating on the Deep Security Agent.

A green status light is displayed for a module when it is "On" and working. In addition, modules that allow individual rule assignment must have at least one rule assigned before they will display a green light.

- **Anti-Malware:** Whether anti-malware protection is on or off and whether it is configured for real-time or on-demand scans.
- **Web Reputation:** Whether web reputation is on or off.
- **Firewall:** Whether the firewall is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Intrusion Prevention:** Whether intrusion prevention is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Integrity Monitoring:** Whether integrity monitoring is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Log Inspection:** Whether log inspection is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Application Control:** Whether application control is on or off.
- **Online:** Indicates whether the manager can currently communicate with the agent or appliance.
- **Last Communication:** The last time the manager successfully communicated with the agent or appliance on this computer.
- **Check Status:** This button allows you to force the manager to perform an immediate heartbeat operation to check the status of the agent or appliance. Check Status will not perform a security update of the agent or appliance. When manager to agent or appliance communications is set to "Agent/Appliance Initiated" the **Check Status** button is disabled.

Checking status will not update the logs for this computer. To update the logs for this computer, go to the **Actions** tab.

- **Clear Warnings/Errors:** Dismisses any alerts or errors on this computer.
- **ESXi server:** If the computer is a virtual machine protected by a virtual appliance, the ESXi server that hosts them is displayed.
- **Appliance:** If the computer is a virtual machine protected by a virtual appliance, the protecting appliance is displayed.
- **ESXi Version:** If the computer is an ESXi server, the ESXi version number is displayed.
- **Filter Driver version:** If the computer is an ESXi server, the filter driver version number is displayed. If you are using Deep Security Virtual Appliance 10.0 or later with ESXi 6.0 or later, "N/A" will be displayed because no filter driver is in use.
- **Guests:** If the computer is an ESXi server, the virtual appliance and guests are displayed.
- **Appliance Version:** If the computer is a virtual appliance, the appliance version number is displayed.
- **Protected Guests On:** If the computer is a virtual appliance, the IP of the ESXi server and the protected guest are displayed.

VMware virtual machine summary

This section displays a summary of hardware and software configuration information about the virtual machine on which the agent or appliance is running (VMware virtual machines only).

Actions tab

Activation

A newly installed Deep Security agent or appliance needs to be "activated" by the Deep Security Manager before policies, rules, requests for event logs, etc. can be sent to it. The activation procedure includes the exchange of SSL keys which uniquely identify a manager (or one of its nodes) and an agent/appliance to each other. Once activated by a Deep Security Manager, an agent/appliance will only accept instructions or communicate with the Deep Security Manager which activated it (or one of its nodes).

An unactivated agent or appliance can be activated by any Deep Security Manager.

Agents and appliances can only be deactivated locally on the computer or from the Deep Security Manager which activated it. If an agent or appliance is already activated, the button in this area will read **Reactivate** rather than **Activate**. Reactivation has the same effect as activation. A

reactivation will reset the agent or appliance to the state it was in after first being installed and initiate the exchange of a new set of SSL keys.

Policy

When you change the configuration of an agent or appliance on a computer using the Deep Security Manager (apply a new intrusion prevention rule, change logging settings, etc.) the Deep Security Manager has to send the new information to the agent or appliance. This is a "Send Policy" instruction. Policy updates usually happen immediately but you can force an update by clicking the **Send Policy** button.

Agent Software

This displays the version of the agent or appliance currently running on the computer. If a newer version of the agent or appliance is available for the computer's platform you can click the **Upgrade Agent** or **Upgrade Appliance** button to remotely upgrade the agent or appliance from the Deep Security Manager. You can configure the Deep Security Manager to trigger an alert if new versions of the agent or appliance software running on any of your computers by going to the **Administration > System Settings > Updates** tab.

Note: Before updating or uninstalling a Deep Security Agent or Relay on Windows, you must disable agent self-protection. To do this, on the Deep Security Manager, go to **Computer editor**¹ > **Settings > General**. In **Agent Self Protection**, and then either deselect **Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent** or enter a password for local override.

Click **Enable Relay** to enable this functionality on the agent. Once an agent has relay functionality enabled, it will retrieve the latest security and software updates and distribute them according to your existing updates settings. For more information about relays, see "[Distribute security and software updates with relays](#)" on page 308.

Support

The **Create Diagnostic Package** button creates a snapshot of the state of the agent or appliance on the computer. Your support provider may request this for troubleshooting purposes.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

If you have lost communication with the computer, a diagnostics package can be created locally. For more information, see ["Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239](#).

TPM tab

Note: The TPM tab will appear in place of the Actions tab for ESXi servers.

A Trusted Platform Module (TPM) is a type of chip that is used for hardware authentication. VMware uses the TPM with its ESXi hypervisors. During the boot sequence, an ESXi writes a SHA-1 hash of each hypervisor component to a set of registers as it loads. An unexpected change in these values from one boot sequence to the next can indicate a possible security issue worth investigating. Deep Security can monitor the TPM on an ESXi after every boot and raise an Alert if it detects any changes. If you select the option to enable TPM monitoring on an ESXi that doesn't support it, the option will be automatically disabled.

Enable TPM Monitoring: Select to enable Trusted Platform Module monitoring.

Raise an alert when TPM Monitoring fails to obtain valid register values: Select to have Deep Security raise an alert if the Trusted Platform Module fails to obtain valid register values for the hypervisor components during the ESXi boot sequence.

TPM Register Data Imported: Indicates whether the Trusted Protection Module data has been imported.

TPM Last Checked: Indicates when the Trusted Protection Module was last checked. You can click **Check Now** to start a check of the Trusted Platform Module.

Note: The minimum requirements for TPM monitoring are

- TPM/TXT installed and enabled on the ESXi (consult your VMware documentation for details)
- The Deep Security integrity monitoring and application control module must be properly licensed.

System Events tab

For information about events, see ["System events" on page 1020](#).

Overview section of the policy editor

The Overview section of the policy editor has the following tabbed sections:

- ["General tab" below](#)
- ["Computer\(s\) Using This Policy tab" below](#)
- ["Events tab" below](#)

General tab

General

- **Name:** Appears in the Display Name column and in brackets next to the Hostname value.
- **Description:** a description of the computer.

Inheritance

Identifies the parent policy (if any) from which the current policy inherits its settings.

Modules

- **Anti-Malware:** Whether anti-malware protection is on or off and whether it is configured for real-time or on-demand scans.
- **Web Reputation:** Whether web reputation is on or off.
- **Firewall:** Whether the firewall is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Intrusion Prevention:** Whether intrusion prevention is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Integrity Monitoring:** Whether integrity monitoring is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Log Inspection:** Whether log inspection is on or off and how many rules are in effect.
- **Application Control:** Whether application control is on or off.

Computer(s) Using This Policy tab

Lists computers to which this policy has been assigned.

Events tab

For information about events, see ["System events" on page 1020](#).

Network engine settings

To edit the network engine settings of a policy or computer, open the **Policy editor**¹ or the **Computer editor**² for the policy or computer to configure and click **Settings > Advanced**.

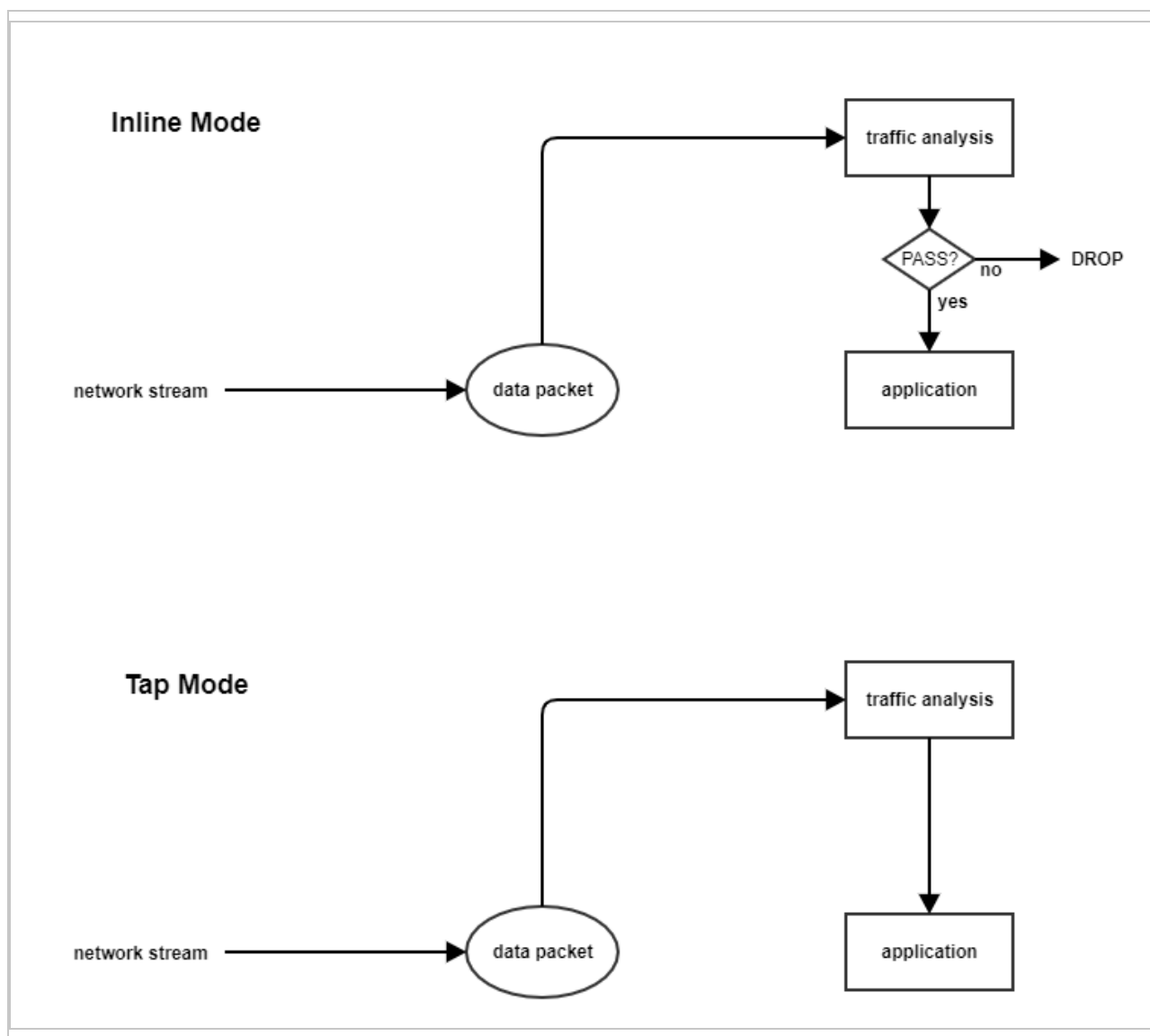
Note: The **Advanced** tab also contains **Events** settings. For information on those settings, see ["Limit log file sizes" on page 884](#). It also contains the **Generate an Alert when Agent configuration package exceeds maximum size** setting, which controls the display of the "Agent configuration package too large" setting.

The following settings are available:

- **Network Engine Mode** : The network engine is a component within the Intrusion Prevention, Firewall, and Web Reputation modules that decides whether to block or allow packets. For the Firewall and Intrusion Prevention modules, the network engine performs a packet sanity check and also makes sure each packet passes the Firewall and Intrusion Prevention rules (called, rules matching). The network engine can operate inline or in tap mode. When operating inline, the packet stream passes through the network engine and is either dropped or passed based on the rules you've set. Stateful tables are maintained, Firewall rules are applied and traffic normalization is carried out so that Intrusion Prevention and Firewall rules can be applied. When operating in tap mode, the packet is always passed, with the exception of driver hooking issue or interface isolation. In tap mode, packet delay is also introduced, which can create a drop in throughput.

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

²To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).



- **Failure Response:** The settings here determine how the network engine behaves when it finds faulty packets. The default is to block them (Fail closed), but you can let some of them through (Fail open) for the reasons explained below.
 - **Network Engine System Failure:** This setting determines whether the network engine blocks or allows faulty packets that occur as a result of system failures on the network engine host, such as out of memory failures, allocated memory failures, and network engine (DPI) decoding failures occur. The options are:
 - **Fail closed** (default): The network engine blocks the faulty packet. It does not perform rules matching. This option provides the highest level of security.

- **Fail open:** The network engine allows the faulty packet through, does not perform rules matching, and logs an event. Consider using **Fail open** if your agent or virtual appliance frequently encounters network exceptions because of heavy loads or lack of resources.
- **Network Packet Sanity Check Failure:** This setting determines whether the network engine blocks or allows packets that fail the packet sanity checks. Examples of sanity check failures: Firewall sanity check failures, network layer 2, 3, or 4 attribute check failures, TCP state check failures. The options are:
 - **Fail closed** (default): The network engine blocks the failed packet. It does not perform any rules matching. This option provides the highest level of security.
 - **Fail open:** The network engine allows the failed packet, does not perform any rules matching on it, and logs an event. Consider using **Fail open** if you want to disable the packet sanity checks, but preserve rules matching functionality.
- **Anti-Evasion Posture:** The anti-evasion setting controls the network engine handling of abnormal packets that may be attempting to evade analysis. For details, see ["Configure anti-evasion settings" on page 650](#).
- **Advanced Network Engine Options:** If you deselect the **Inherited** check box, you can customize these settings:
 - **CLOSED timeout:** For gateway use. When a gateway passes on a "hard close" (RST), the side of the gateway that received the RST will keep the connection alive for this amount of time before closing it.
 - **SYN_SENT Timeout:** How long to stay in the SYN-SENT state before closing the connection.
 - **SYN_RCVD Timeout:** How long to stay in the SYN_RCVD state before closing the connection.
 - **FIN_WAIT1 Timeout:** How long to stay in the FIN-WAIT1 state before closing the connection.
 - **ESTABLISHED Timeout:** How long to stay in the ESTABLISHED state before closing the connection.
 - **ERROR Timeout:** How long to maintain a connection in an Error state. (For UDP connections, the error can be caused by any of a variety of UDP problems. For TCP connections, the errors are probably due to packets being dropped by the Firewall.)
 - **DISCONNECT Timeout:** How long to maintain idle connections before disconnecting.

- **CLOSE_WAIT Timeout:** How long to stay in the CLOSE-WAIT state before closing the connection.
- **CLOSING Timeout:** How long to stay in the CLOSING state before closing the connection.
- **LAST_ACK Timeout:** How long to stay in the LAST-ACK state before closing the connection.
- **ACK Storm timeout:** The maximum period of time between retransmitted ACKs within an ACK Storm. In other words, if ACKs are being retransmitted at a lower frequency than this timeout, they will NOT be considered part of an ACK Storm.
- **Boot Start Timeout:** For gateway use. When a gateway is booted, there may already exist established connections passing through the gateway. This timeout defines the amount of time to allow non-SYN packets that could be part of a connection that was established before the gateway was booted to close.
- **Cold Start Timeout:** Amount of time to allow non-SYN packets that could belong to a connection that was established before the stateful mechanism was started.
- **UDP Timeout:** Maximum duration of a UDP connection.
- **ICMP Timeout:** Maximum duration of an ICMP connection.
- **Allow Null IP:** Allow or block packets with no source or destination IP address.
- **Block IPv6 on Agents and Appliances versions 8 and earlier:** Block or Allow IPv6 packets on older version 8.0 agents and appliances.

Note: Deep Security Agents and Appliances versions 8.0 and older are unable to apply Firewall or DPI rules to IPv6 network traffic and so the default setting for these older versions is to block IPv6 traffic.

- **Block IPv6 on Agents and Appliances versions 9 and later:** Block or Allow IPv6 packets on agents and appliances that are version 9 or later.
- **Connection Cleanup Timeout:** Time between cleanup of closed connections (see next).
- **Maximum Connections per Cleanup:** Maximum number of closed connections to cleanup per periodic connection cleanup (see previous).
- **Block Same Src-Dest IP Address:** Block or allow packets with same source and destination IP address. (Doesn't apply to loopback interface.)
- **Maximum TCP Connections:** Maximum simultaneous TCP Connections.

- **Maximum UDP Connections:** Maximum simultaneous UDP Connections.
- **Maximum ICMP Connections:** Maximum simultaneous ICMP Connections.
- **Maximum Events per Second:** Maximum number of events that can be written per second.
- **TCP MSS Limit:** 'TCP MSS' is a parameter in the TCP header that defines the maximum segment size of TCP segments, in bytes. The 'TCP MSS Limit' setting defines the minimum value allowed for TCP MSS parameter. Having a lower limit for this parameter is important because it prevents kernel panic and denial of service (DoS) attacks that may occur when a remote attacker sets up a TCP connection with a very small maximum segment size (MSS). See CVE-2019-11477, CVE-2019-11478, and CVE-2019-11479 for details on these attacks. The 'TCP MSS Limit' default is 128 bytes, which shields against most attack sizes. A value of 'No Limit' means that there is no lower limit and any TCP MSS value is accepted.

Note: The TCP MSS Limit option only works with the following Deep Security Agent versions:

Deep Security Agent 20

Deep Security Agent 12.0 update 1 or later

Deep Security Agent 11.0 update 13 or later

Deep Security Agent 10.0 update 20 or later

- **Number of Event Nodes:** The maximum amount of kernel memory the driver will use to store log/event information for folding at any one time.

Note: Event folding occurs when many events of the same type occur in succession. In such cases, the agent/appliance will "fold" all the events into one.

- **Ignore Status Code:** This option lets you ignore certain types of events. If, for example, you are getting a lot of "Invalid Flags" you can simply ignore all instances of that event.
- **Ignore Status Code:** Same as above.
- **Ignore Status Code:** Same as above.
- **Advanced Logging Policy:**
 - **Bypass:** No filtering of events. Overrides the "Ignore Status Code" settings (above) and other advanced settings, but does not override logging settings defined in the Deep Security Manager. For example, if Firewall stateful configuration logging options set from a Firewall Stateful Configuration Properties window in the Deep

Security Manager will not be affected.

- **Normal:** All events are logged except dropped retransmits.
- **Default:** Will switch to "Tap Mode" (below) if the engine is in tap mode, and will switch to "Normal" (above) if the engine is in inline mode.
- **Backwards Compatibility Mode:** For support use only.
- **Verbose Mode:** Same as "Normal" but including dropped retransmits.
- **Stateful and Normalization Suppression:** Ignores dropped retransmit, out of connection, invalid flags, invalid sequence, invalid ack, unsolicited udp, unsolicited ICMP, out of allowed policy.
- **Stateful, Normalization, and Frag Suppression:** Ignores everything that "Stateful and Normalization Suppression" ignores as well as events related to fragmentation.
- **Stateful, Frag, and Verifier Suppression:** Ignores everything "Stateful, Normalization, and Frag Suppression" ignores as well as verifier-related events.
- **Tap Mode:** Ignores dropped retransmit, out of connection, invalid flags, invalid sequence, invalid ack, max ack retransmit, packet on closed connection.

Note: For a more comprehensive list of which events are ignored in **Stateful and Normalization Suppression**; **Stateful, Normalization, and Frag Suppression**; **Stateful, Frag, and Verifier Suppression**; and **Tap** modes, see ["Reduce the number of logged events" on page 894](#).

- **Silent TCP Connection Drop:** When Silent TCP Connection Drop is on, a RST packet is only sent to the local stack. No RST packet is sent on the wire. This reduces the amount of information sent back to a potential attacker.

Note: If you enable the Silent TCP Connection Drop you must also adjust the DISCONNECT Timeout. Possible values for DISCONNECT Timeout range from 0 seconds to 10 minutes. This must be set high enough that the connection is closed by the application before it is closed by the Deep Security agent/appliance. Factors that will affect the DISCONNECT Timeout value include the operating system, the applications that are creating the connections, and network topology.

- **Enable Debug Mode:** When in debug mode, the agent/appliance captures a certain number of packets (specified by the setting below: Number of Packets to retain in

Debug Mode). When a rule is triggered and debug mode is on, the agent/appliance will keep a record of the last X packets that passed before the rule was triggered. It will return those packets to the manager as debug events.

Note: Debug mode can very easily cause excessive log generation and should only be used under Client Services supervision.

- **Number of Packets to retain in Debug Mode:** The number of packets to retain and log when debug mode is on.
- **Log All Packet Data:** Record the packet data for events that are not associated with specific Firewall or Intrusion Prevention rules. That is, log packet data for events such as "Dropped Retransmit" or "Invalid ACK".

Note: Events that have been aggregated because of event folding cannot have their packet data saved.

- **Log only one packet within period:** If this option is enabled and **Log All Packet Data** is not, most logs will contain only the header data. A full packet will be attached periodically, as specified by the **Period for Log only one packet within period** setting.
- **Period for Log only one packet within period:** When **Log only one packet within period** is enabled, this setting specifies how often the log will contain full packet data.
- **Maximum data size to store when packet data is captured:** The maximum size of header or packet data to be attached to a log.
- **Generate Connection Events for TCP:** Generates a Firewall event every time a TCP connection is established.
- **Generate Connection Events for ICMP:** Generates a Firewall event every time an ICMP connection is established.
- **Generate Connection Events for UDP:** Generates a Firewall event every time a UDP connection is established.
- **Bypass CISCO WAAS Connections:** This mode bypasses stateful analysis of TCP sequence numbers for connections initiated with the proprietary CISCO WAAS TCP option selected. This protocol carries extra information in invalid TCP Sequence and ACK numbers that interfere with stateful Firewall checks. Only enable this option if you are using CISCO WAAS and you are seeing connections with Invalid SEQ or Invalid ACK in the Firewall logs. When this option is selected, TCP stateful sequence number checks are still performed for non WAAS enabled connections.

- **Drop Evasive Retransmit:** Incoming packets containing data that has already been processed will be dropped to avoid possible evasive retransmit attack techniques.
- **Verify TCP Checksum:** The segment's checksum field data will be used to assess the integrity of the segment.
- **Minimum Fragment Offset:** Defines the minimum acceptable IP fragment offset. Packets with offsets less than this will be dropped with reason "IP fragment offset too small". If set to 0 no limit is enforced. (default 60)
- **Minimum Fragment Size:** Defines the minimum acceptable IP fragment size. Fragmented packets that are smaller than this will be dropped with reason "First fragment too small" as potentially malicious. (default 120)
- **SSL Session Size:** Sets the maximum number of SSL session entries maintained for SSL session keys.
- **SSL Session Time:** Sets how long SSL session renewal keys are valid before they expire.
- **Filter IPv4 Tunnels:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Filter IPv6 Tunnels:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Strict Teredo Port Check:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Drop Teredo Anomalies:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Maximum Tunnel Depth:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Action if Maximum Tunnel Depth Exceeded:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Drop IPv6 Extension Type 0:** Not used by this version of Deep Security.
- **Drop IPv6 Fragments Lower Than minimum MTU:** Drop IPv6 fragments that do not meet the minimum MTU size specified by IETF RFC 2460.
- **Drop IPv6 Reserved Addresses:** Drop these reserved addresses:
 - IETF reserved 0000::/8
 - IETF reserved 0100::/8
 - IETF reserved 0200::/7
 - IETF reserved 0400::/6
 - IETF reserved 0800::/5
 - IETF reserved 1000::/4
 - IETF reserved 4000::/2

- IETF reserved 8000::/2
- IETF reserved C000::/3
- IETF reserved E000::/4
- IETF reserved F000::/5
- IETF reserved F800::/6
- **Drop IPv6 Site Local Addresses:** Drop site local addresses FEC0::/10.
- **Drop IPv6 Bogon Addresses:** Drop these addresses:
 - "loopback ::1
 - "IPv4 compatible address", ::/96
 - "IPv4 mapped address" ::FFFF:0.0.0.0/96
 - "IPv4 mapped address", ::/8
 - "OSI NSAP prefix (deprecated by RFC4048)" 0200::/7
 - "6bone (deprecated)", 3ffe::/16
 - "Documentation prefix", 2001:db8::/32
- **Drop 6to4 Bogon Addresses:** Drop these addresses:
 - "6to4 IPv4 multicast", 2002:e000:: /20
 - "6to4 IPv4 loopback", 2002:7f00:: /24
 - "6to4 IPv4 default", 2002:0000:: /24
 - "6to4 IPv4 invalid", 2002:ff00:: /24
 - "6to4 IPv4 10.0.0.0/8", 2002:0a00:: /24
 - "6to4 IPv4 172.16.0.0/12", 2002:ac10:: /28
 - "6to4 IPv4 192.168.0.0/16", 2002:c0a8:: /32
- **Drop IP Packet with Zero Payload:** Drop IP packets that have a zero-length payload.
- **Drop Unknown SSL Protocol:** Drop connection if a client attempts to connect to the Deep Security Manager with the wrong protocol. By default, any protocol other than "http/1.1" will cause an error.
- **Force Allow DHCP DNS:** Controls whether the following hidden Firewall rules are enabled:

Rule type	Priority	Direction	Protocol	Source port	Destination port
Force Allow	4	Outgoing	DNS	Any	53
Force Allow	4	Outgoing	DHCP	68	67
Force Allow	4	Incoming	DHCP	67	68

When the rules are enabled, agent computers can connect with the manager using the listed protocols and ports. The following values for this property are available:

- Inherited: Inherits the setting from the policy
 - Turn off rules: Disables the rules. Note that this setting can cause agent computers to appear offline
 - Allow DNS Query: Enable only the DNS-related rule
 - Allow DNS Query and DHCP Client: Enable all 3 rules
- **Force Allow ICMP type3 code4:** Controls whether the following hidden Firewall rules are enabled:

Rule type	Priority	Direction	Protocol	Type	Code
Force Allow	4	Incoming	ICMP	3	4

When enabled, these rules allow relay computers to connect with the manager so that the relay's heartbeat is transmitted. The following values are available:

- Inherited: Inherits the setting from the policy.
 - Turn off rules: Disables the rule. This value can cause connection timeouts or "Destination cannot be reached" responses.
 - Add Force Allow rule for ICMP type3 code4: Enables the rule.
- **Fragment Timeout:** If configured to do so, the Intrusion Prevention rules will inspect the content of a packet (or packet fragment) if that content is considered suspicious. This setting determines how long after inspecting to wait for the remaining packet fragments before discarding the packet.
 - **Maximum number of fragmented IP packets to keep:** Specifies the maximum number of fragmented packets that Deep Security will keep.

- **Send ICMP to indicate fragmented packet timeout exceeded:** When this setting is enabled and the fragment timeout is exceeded, an ICMP packet is sent to the remote computer.
- **Bypass MAC addresses that don't belong to host:** Bypass incoming packets whose destination MAC address does not belong to the host. Enabling this option reduces the number of network events caused by fetching packets that are created due to NIC teaming or a NIC in promiscuous mode on agents and appliances that are version 10.2 or later.

Define rules, lists, and other common objects used by policies

The Common Objects pages (located under **Policies > Common Objects** in Deep Security Manager) provide a way to define objects once so that you can reuse them various policies and rules. When you use one of the common objects in the policy or computer editor, its settings can be overridden for that specific policy or computer. For more information on how common object properties can be inherited and overridden at the policy or computer level, see "[Policies, inheritance, and overrides](#)" on page 434.

Tip: You can automate common object creation and configuration using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Create and Configure Common Objects for Policies and Computers](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Rules

Some protection modules make use of rules:

- "[Create a firewall rule](#)" on page 670
- [Configure an intrusion prevention rule for use in policies](#)
- "[Create an integrity monitoring rule](#)" on page 713
- "[Define a Log Inspection rule for use in policies](#)" on page 769

Lists

- "[Create a list of directories for use in policies](#)" on page 514
- "[Create a list of file extensions for use in policies](#)" on page 516
- "[Create a list of files for use in policies](#)" on page 517

- ["Create a list of IP addresses for use in policies" on page 521](#)
- ["Create a list of MAC addresses for use in policies" on page 523](#)
- ["Create a list of ports for use in policies" on page 522](#)

Other

- ["Define contexts for use in policies" on page 523](#)
- ["Define stateful firewall configurations" on page 696](#)
- ["Configure malware scans" on page 570](#)
- ["Define a schedule that you can apply to rules" on page 530](#)

Create a firewall rule

Firewall rules examine the control information in individual packets, and either block or allow them according to the criteria that you define. Firewall rules can be assigned to a policy or directly to a computer.

Note: This article specifically covers how to create a firewall rule. For information on how to configure the firewall module, see ["Set up the Deep Security firewall" on page 657](#).

To create a new firewall rule, you need to:

1. ["Add a new rule" below](#).
2. ["Select the behavior and protocol of the rule" on the next page](#).
3. ["Select a Packet Source and Packet Destination" on page 472](#).

When you're done with your firewall rule, you can also learn how to:

- ["Configure rule events and alerts" on page 473](#)
- ["Set a schedule for the rule" on page 474](#)
- ["See policies and computers a rule is assigned to" on page 474](#)
- ["Assign a context to the rule " on page 474](#)

Add a new rule

There are three ways to add a new firewall rule on the **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Firewall Rules** page. You can:

- Create a new rule. Click **New > New Firewall Rule**.
- Import a rule from an XML file. Click **New > Import From File**.
- Copy and then modify an existing rule. Right-click the rule in the Firewall Rules list and then click **Duplicate**. To edit the new rule, select it and then click **Properties**.

Select the behavior and protocol of the rule

1. Enter a **Name** and **Description** for the rule.

Tip: It is good practice to document all firewall rule changes in the Description field of the firewall rule. Make a note of when and why rules were created or deleted for easier firewall maintenance.

2. Select the **Action** that the rule should perform on packets. You can select from one of the following five actions:

Note: Only one rule action is applied to a packet, and rules (of the same priority) are applied in the order of precedence listed below.

- The rule can allow traffic to **bypass** the firewall. A bypass rule allows traffic to pass through the firewall and intrusion prevention engine at the fastest possible rate. Bypass rules are meant for traffic using media intensive protocols where filtering may not be desired or for traffic originating from trusted sources.

Tip: For an example of how to create and use a bypass rule for trusted sources in a policy, see ["Allow trusted traffic to bypass the firewall" on page 676](#).

Note: Bypass rules are unidirectional. Explicit rules are required for each direction of traffic.

Tip: You can achieve maximum throughput performance on a bypass rule with the following settings:

- **Priority:** Highest
- **Frame Type:** IP
- **Protocol:** TCP, UDP, or other IP protocol. (Do not use the "Any" option.)
- **Source and Destination IP and MAC:** all "Any"

- If the protocol is TCP or UDP and the traffic direction is "incoming", the destination ports must be one or more specified ports (not "Any"), and the source ports must be "Any".
- If the protocol is TCP or UDP and the traffic direction is "outgoing", the source ports must be one or more specified ports (Not "Any"), and the destination ports must be "Any".
- **Schedule:** None.

- The rule can **log only**. This action will make entries in the logs but will not process traffic.
- The rule can **force allow** defined traffic (it will allow traffic defined by this rule without excluding any other traffic.)
- The rule can **deny** traffic (it will deny traffic defined by this rule.)
- The rule can **allow** traffic (it will exclusively allow traffic defined by this rule.)

Note: If you have no allow rules in effect on a computer, all traffic is permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a deny rule. Once you create a single allow rule, all other traffic is blocked unless it meets the requirements of the allow rule. There is one exception to this: ICMPv6 traffic is always permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a deny rule.

3. Select the **Priority** of the rule. The priority determines the order in which rules are applied. If you have selected "force allow", "deny", or "bypass" as your rule action, you can set a priority of 0 (low) to 4 (highest). Setting a priority allows you to combine the actions of rules to achieve a cascading rule effect.

Note: Log only rules can only have a priority of 4, and Allow rules can only have a priority of 0.

Note: High priority rules get applied before low priority rules. For example, a port 80 incoming deny rule with a priority of 3 will drop a packet before a port 80 incoming force allow rule with a priority of 2 gets applied to it.

For detailed information on how actions and priority work together, see ["Firewall rule actions and priorities" on page 677](#).

4. Select a **Packet Direction**. Select whether this rule will be applied to **incoming** (from the network to the computer) or **outgoing** (from the computer to the network) traffic.

Note: An individual firewall rule only apply to a single direction of traffic. You may need to create incoming and outgoing firewall rules in pairs for specific types of traffic.

5. Select an Ethernet **Frame Type**. The term "frame" refers to Ethernet frames, and the available protocols specify the data that the frame carries. If you select "Other" as the frame type, you need to specify a [frame number](#).

6. **Note:** IP covers both IPv4 and IPv6. You can also select **IPv4** or **IPv6** individually

Note: Linux Agents will only examine packets with IP or ARP frame types. Packets with other frame types will be allowed through. Note that the Virtual Appliance does not have these restrictions and can examine all frame types, regardless of the operating system of the virtual machine it is protecting.

If you select the Internet Protocol (IP) frame type, you need to select the transport **Protocol**. If you select "Other" as the protocol, you also need to enter a [protocol number](#).

Select a Packet Source and Packet Destination

Select a combination of **IP** and **MAC** addresses, and if available for the frame type, **Port** and **Specific Flags** for the Packet Source and Packet Destination.

Tip: You can use a previously created [IP](#), [MAC](#) or [port](#) list.

Support for IP-based frame types is as follows:

	IP	MAC	Port	Flags
Any	✓	✓		
ICMP	✓	✓		✓
ICMPV6	✓	✓		✓
IGMP	✓	✓		
GGP	✓	✓		

	IP	MAC	Port	Flags
TCP	✓	✓	✓	✓
PUP	✓	✓		
UDP	✓	✓	✓	
IDP	✓	✓		
ND	✓	✓		
RAW	✓	✓		
TCP+UDP	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: ARP and REVARP frame types only support using MAC addresses as packet sources and destinations.

You can select **Any Flags** or individually select the following flags:

- URG
- ACK
- PSH
- RST
- SYN
- FIN

Configure rule events and alerts

When a firewall rule is triggered, it logs an event in the Deep Security Manager and records the packet data.

Note: Note that rules using the "Allow", "Force Allow" and "Bypass" actions will not log any events.

Alerts

You can configure rules to also trigger an alert if they log an event. To do so, open the properties for a rule, click on **Options**, and then select **Alert when this rule logs an event**.

Note: Only firewall rules with an action set to "Deny" or "Log Only" can be configured to trigger an alert.

Set a schedule for the rule

Select whether the firewall rule should only be active during a scheduled time.

For more information on how to do so, see ["Define a schedule that you can apply to rules" on page 530](#).

Assign a context to the rule

Rule contexts allow you to set firewall rules uniquely for different network environments. Contexts are commonly used to allow for different rules to be in effect for laptops when they are on and off-site.

For more information on how to create a context, see ["Define contexts for use in policies" on page 523](#).

Tip: For an example of a policy that implements firewall rules using contexts, look at the properties of the "Windows Mobile Laptop" Policy.

See policies and computers a rule is assigned to

You can see which policies and computers are assigned to a firewall rule on the **Assigned To** tab. Click on a policy or computer in the list to see their properties.

Export a rule

You can export all firewall rules to a .csv or .xml file by clicking **Export** and selecting the corresponding export action from the list. You can also export specific rules by first selecting them, clicking **Export** and then selecting the corresponding export action from the list.

Delete a rule

To delete a rule, right-click the rule in the Firewall Rules list, click **Delete** and then click **OK**.

Note: Firewall Rules that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

Configure intrusion prevention rules

Perform the following tasks to configure and work with intrusion prevention rules:

- ["See the list of intrusion prevention rules" below](#)
- ["See information about an intrusion prevention rule" on the next page](#)
- ["See information about the associated vulnerability \(Trend Micro rules only\)" on page 477](#)
- ["Assign and unassign rules" on page 478](#)
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- ["Configure an SQL injection prevention rule" on page 633](#)

For an overview of the intrusion prevention module, see ["Block exploit attempts using Intrusion Prevention" on page 612](#).

See the list of intrusion prevention rules

The Policies page provides a list of intrusion prevention rules. You can search for intrusion prevention rules, and open and edit rule properties. In the list, rules are grouped by application type, and some rule properties appear in different columns.

Tip: The "TippingPoint" column contains the equivalent Trend Micro TippingPoint rule ID. In the Advanced Search for intrusion prevention, you can search on the TippingPoint rule ID. You can also see the TippingPoint rule ID in the list of assigned intrusion prevention rules in the policy and computer editor.

To see the list, click **Policies**, and then below **Common Objects/Rules** click **Intrusion Prevention Rules**.

See information about an intrusion prevention rule

The properties of intrusion prevention rules include information about the rule and the exploit against which it protects.

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.

General Information

- **Name:** The name of the intrusion prevention rule.
- **Description:** The description of the intrusion prevention rule.
- **Minimum Agent/Appliance Version:** The minimum version of the Deep Security **Agent or Appliance**¹ required to support this intrusion prevention rule.

Details

Clicking **New** () or **Properties** () displays the **Intrusion Prevention Rule Properties** window.

Note: Note the **Configuration** tab. Intrusion Prevention Rules from Trend Micro are not directly editable through Deep Security Manager. Instead, if the Intrusion Prevention Rule requires (or allows) configuration, those configuration options will be available on the **Configuration** tab. Custom Intrusion Prevention Rules that you write yourself will be editable, in which case the **Rules** tab will be visible.

See the list of intrusion prevention rules

The Policies page provides a list of intrusion prevention rules. You can search for intrusion prevention rules, and open and edit rule properties. In the list, rules are grouped by application type, and some rule properties appear in different columns.

Tip: The "TippingPoint" column contains the equivalent Trend Micro TippingPoint rule ID. In the Advanced Search for intrusion prevention, you can search on the TippingPoint rule ID. You can

¹The Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Virtual Appliance are the components that enforce the Deep Security policies that you have defined. Agents are deployed directly on a computer. Appliances are used in VMware vSphere environments to provide agentless protection. They are not available with Deep Security as a Service.

also see the TippingPoint rule ID in the list of assigned intrusion prevention rules in the policy and computer editor.

To see the list, click **Policies**, and then below **Common Objects/Rules** click **Intrusion Prevention Rules**.

General Information

- **Application Type:** The application type under which this intrusion prevention rule is grouped.

Tip: You can edit application types from this panel. When you edit an application type from here, the changes are applied to all security elements that use it.

- **Priority:** The priority level of the rule. Higher priority rules are applied before lower priority rules.
- **Severity:** Setting the severity of a rule has no effect on how the rule is implemented or applied. Severity levels can be useful as sorting criteria when viewing a list of intrusion prevention rules. More importantly, each severity level is associated with a severity value; this value is multiplied by a computer's Asset Value to determine the Ranking of an Event. (See **Administration > System Settings > Ranking**.)
- **CVSS Score:** A measure of the severity of the vulnerability according the [National Vulnerability Database](#).

Identification (Trend Micro rules only)

- **Type:** Can be either Smart (one or more known and unknown (zero day) vulnerabilities), Exploit (a specific exploit, usually signature based), or Vulnerability (a specific vulnerability for which one or more exploits may exist).
- **Issued:** The date the rule was released. This does not indicate when the rule was downloaded.
- **Last Updated:** The last time the rule was modified either locally or during Security Update download.
- **Identifier:** The rule's unique identification tag.

See information about the associated vulnerability (Trend Micro rules only)

Rules that Trend Micro provides can include information about the vulnerability against which the rule protects. When applicable, the Common Vulnerability Scoring System (CVSS) is displayed.

(For information on this scoring system, see the CVSS page at the [National Vulnerability Database](#).)

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Vulnerabilities** tab.

Assign and unassign rules

To apply intrusion prevention rules during agent scans, you assign them to the appropriate policies and computers. When the rule is no longer necessary because the vulnerability has been patched you can unassign the rule.

If you cannot unassign intrusion prevention rules from a **Computer editor**¹, it is likely because the rules are currently assigned in a policy. Rules assigned at the policy level must be removed using the **Policy editor**² and cannot be removed at the computer level.

When you make a change to a policy, it affects all computers using the policy. For example, when you unassign a rule from a policy you remove the rule from all computers that are protected by that policy. To continue to apply the rule to other computers, create a new policy for that group of computers. (See "[Policies, inheritance, and overrides](#)" on page 434.)

Tip: To see the policies and computers to which a rule is assigned, see the Assigned To tab of the rule properties.

1. Go to the **Policies** page, right-click the policy to configure and click **Details**.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > General**.
The list of rules that are assigned to the policy appear in the **Assigned Intrusion Prevention Rules** list.
3. Under **Assigned Intrusion Prevention Rules**, click **Assign/Unassign**.
4. To assign a rule, select the check box next to the rule.
5. To unassign a rule, deselect the check box next to the rule.
6. Click **OK**.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

²To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

Automatically assign updated required rules

Security updates can include new or updated application types and intrusion prevention rules which require the assignment of secondary intrusion prevention rules. Deep Security can automatically assign these rules if they are required. You enable these automatic assignments in the the policy or computer properties.

1. Go to the **Policies** page, right-click the policy to configure and click **Details**.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > Advanced**.
3. To enable the automatic assignments, in the **Rule Updates** area, select **Yes**.
4. Click **OK**.

Configure event logging for rules

Configure whether events are logged for a rule, and whether to include packet data in the log.

Note: Deep Security can display X-Forwarded-For headers in intrusion prevention events when they are available in the packet data. This information can be useful when the Deep Security Agent is behind a load balancer or proxy. The X-Forwarded-For header data appears in the event's Properties window. To include the header data, include packet data in the log. In addition, rule 1006540 " Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging" must be assigned.

Because it would be impractical to record all packet data every time a rule triggers an event, Deep Security records the data only the first time the event occurs within a specified period of time. The default time is five minutes, however you can change the time period using the "Period for Log only one packet within period" property of a policy's Advanced Network Engine settings. (See [Advanced Network Engine Options](#).)

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 483](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. On the General tab, go to the Events area and select the desired options:
 - To disable logging for the rule, select **Disable Event Logging**.
 - To log an event when a packet is dropped or blocked, select **Generate Event on Packet Drop**.
 - To include the packet data in the log entry, select **Always Include Packet Data**.

- To log several packets that precede and follow the packet that the rule detected, select **Enable Debug Mode**. Use debug mode only when your support provider instructs you to do so.

Additionally, to include packet data in the log, the policy to which the rule is assigned must allow rules to capture packet data:

1. On the Policies page, open the policy that is assigned the rule.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > Advanced**.
3. In the **Event Data** area, select **Yes**.

Generate alerts

Generate an alert when an intrusion prevention rule triggers an event.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 483](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the Options tab, and in the **Alert** area select **On**.
4. Click **OK**.

Setting configuration options (Trend Micro rules only)

Some intrusion prevention rules that Trend Micro provides have one or more configuration options such as header length, allowed extensions for HTTP, or cookie length. Some options require you to configure them. If you assign a rule without setting a required option, an alert is generated that informs you about the required option. (This also applies to any rules that are downloaded and automatically applied by way of a Security Update.)

Intrusion prevention rules that have configuration options appear in the Intrusion Prevention Rules list with a small gear over their icon .

Note: Custom intrusion prevention rules that you write yourself include a **Rules** tab where you can edit the rules.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 483](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Configuration** tab.
4. Configure the properties and then click **OK**.

Schedule active times

Schedule a time during which an intrusion prevention rule is active. Intrusion prevention rules that are active only at scheduled times appear in the Intrusion Prevention Rules page with a small clock over their icon .

Note: With Agent-based protection, schedules use the same time zone as the endpoint operating system. With Agentless protection, schedules use the same time zone as the Deep Security Virtual Appliance..

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 483](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Options** tab.
4. In the **Schedule** area, select **New** or select a frequency.
5. Edit the schedule as required.
6. Click **OK**.

Exclude from recommendations

Exclude intrusion prevention rules from rule recommendations of recommendation scans.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 483](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Options** tab.
4. In the **Recommendations Options** area, select **Exclude from Recommendations**.
5. Click **OK**.

Set the context for a rule

Set the context in which the rule is applied.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on the next page](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Options** tab.
4. In the **Context** area, select **New** or select a context.
5. Edit the context as required.
6. Click **OK**.

Override the behavior mode for a rule

Set the behavior mode of an intrusion prevention rule to Detect when testing new rules. In Detect mode, the rule creates a log entry prefaced with the words "detect only:" and does not interfere with traffic. Some intrusion prevention rules are designed to operate only in Detect mode. For these rules, you cannot change the behavior mode.

Note: If you disable logging for the rule, the rule activity is not logged regardless of the behavior mode.

For more information about behavior modes, see ["Use behavior modes to test rules" on page 614](#).

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on the next page](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Select **Detect Only**.

Override rule and application type configurations

From a **Computer or Policy editor**¹, you can edit an intrusion prevention rule so that your changes apply only in the context of the policy or computer. You can also edit the rule so that the changes apply globally so that the changes affect other policies and computers that are assigned the rule. Similarly, you can configure application types for a single policy or computer, or globally.

1. Go to the **Policies** page, right-click the policy to configure and click **Details**.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention**.
3. To edit a rule, right-click the rule and select one of the following commands:
 - **Properties**: Edit the rule only for the policy.
 - **Properties (Global)**: Edit the rule globally, for all policies and computers.
4. To edit the application type of a rule, right-click the rule and select one of the following commands:
 - **Application Type Properties**: Edit the application type only for the policy.
 - **Application Type Properties (Global)**: Edit the application type globally, for all policies and computers.
5. Click **OK**.

Tip: When you select the rule and click **Properties**, you are editing the rule only for the policy that you are editing.

Note: You cannot assign one port to more than eight application types. If they are, the rules will not function on that port.

Export and import rules

You can export one or more intrusion prevention rules to an XML or CSV file, and import rules from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. To export one or more rules, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all rules, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import rules, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Create an integrity monitoring rule

Integrity Monitoring rules describe how Deep Security Agents should scan for and detect changes to a computer's files, directories, and registry keys and values, as well as changes in installed software, processes, listening ports, and running services. Integrity Monitoring rules can be assigned directly to computers or can be made part of a policy.

Note: This article specifically covers how to create an Integrity Monitoring rule. For information on how to configure the Integrity Monitoring module, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

There are two types of Integrity Monitoring rules: those that you have created, and those that are issued by Trend Micro. For more information on how to configure rules issued by Trend Micro, see the ["Configure Trend Micro Integrity Monitoring rules" on page 486](#) section.

To create a new Integrity Monitoring rule, you need to:

1. ["Add a new rule" below](#).
2. ["Enter Integrity Monitoring rule information " on the next page](#).
3. ["Select a rule template and define rule attributes" on the next page](#).

When you're done with your rule, you can also learn how to

- ["Configure rule events and alerts" on page 487](#)
- ["See policies and computers a rule is assigned to" on page 488](#)
- ["Export a rule" on page 488](#)
- ["Delete a rule" on page 488](#)

Add a new rule

There are three ways to add an Integrity Monitoring rule on the **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Integrity Monitoring Rules** page. You can:

- Create a new rule. Click **New > New Integrity Monitoring Rule**.
- Import a rule from an XML file. Click **New > Import From File**.
- Copy and then modify an existing rule. Right-click the rule in the Integrity Monitoring Rules list and then click **Duplicate**. To edit the new rule, select it and then click **Properties**.

Enter Integrity Monitoring rule information

1. Enter a **Name** and **Description** for the rule.

Tip: It is good practice to document all Integrity Monitoring rule changes in the Description field of the rule. Make a note of when and why rules were created or deleted for easier maintenance.

2. Set the **Severity** of the rule.

Note: Setting the severity of a rule has no effect on how the rule is implemented or applied. Severity levels can be useful as sorting criteria when viewing a list of Integrity Monitoring rules. More importantly, each severity level is associated with a severity value; this value is multiplied by a computer's Asset Value to determine the ranking of an event. (See **Administration > System Settings > Ranking**.)

Select a rule template and define rule attributes

Go to the **Content** tab and select from one of the following three templates:

Registry Value template

Create an Integrity Monitoring rule to specifically monitor changes to registry values.

Note: The Registry Value template is only for Windows-based computers .

1. Select the **Base Key** to monitor and whether or not to monitor contents of sub keys.
2. List **Value Names** to be included or excluded. You can use "?" and "*" as wildcard characters.
3. Enter **Attributes** to monitor. Entering "STANDARD" will monitor changes in registry size, content and type. For more information on Registry Value template attributes see the ["RegistryValueSet" on page 750](#) documentation.

File template

Create an Integrity Monitoring rule to specifically monitor changes to files.

1. Enter a **Base Directory** for the rule (for example, `C:\Program Files\MySQL .`) Select **Include Sub Directories** to include the contents of all subdirectories relative to the base directory. Wildcards are not supported for base directories.

2. Use the **File Names** fields to include or exclude specific files. You can use wildcards (" ? " for a single character and " * " for zero or more characters.

Note: Leaving the **File Names** fields blank will cause the rule to monitor all files in the base directory. This can use significant system resources if the base directory contains numerous or large files.

3. Enter **Attributes** to monitor. Entering "STANDARD" will monitor changes in file creation date, last modified date, permissions, owner, group, size, content, flags (Windows), and SymLinkPath (Linux). For more information on File template attributes see the ["FileSet" on page 734](#) documentation.

Custom (XML) template

Create a custom Integrity Monitoring rule template to monitor [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) using the Deep Security XML-based ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#).

Tip: You can create your rule in your preferred text editor and paste it to the **Content** field when you are done.

Configure Trend Micro Integrity Monitoring rules

Integrity Monitoring rules issued by Trend Micro cannot be edited in the same way as the custom rules you create. Some Trend Micro rules cannot be modified at all, while other rules may offer limited configuration options. Both of these rule types will show as "Defined" under the "Type" column, but rules that can be configured will display a gear in the Integrity Monitoring icon ().

Integrity Monitoring Rules

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NAME	SEVERITY	TYPE	LAST UPDATED
New Integrity Monitoring Rule	Medium	Custom	N/A
1002784 - Microsoft Windows - IE A...	Medium	Defined	June 23, 2009
1002781 - Microsoft Windows - Attri...	Medium	Defined	June 23, 2009
1002778 - Microsoft Windows - Syst...	High	Defined	June 23, 2009

You can access the configuration options for a rule by opening the properties for the rule and clicking on the **Configuration** tab.

Rules issued by Trend Micro also show the following additional information under the **General** tab:

- When the rule was first issued and last updated, as well as a unique identifier for the rule.
- The minimum versions of the Agent and the Deep Security Manager that are required for the rule to function.

Although you cannot edit rules issued by Trend Micro directly, you can duplicate them and then edit the copy.

Configure rule events and alerts

Any changes detected by an Integrity Monitoring rule is logged as an event in the Deep Security Manager.

Real-time event monitoring

By default, events are logged at the time they occur. If you only want events to be logged when you manually perform a scan for changes, deselect **Allow Real Time Monitoring**.

Alerts

You can also configure the rules to trigger an alert when they log an event. To do so, open the properties for a rule, click on **Options**, and then select **Alert when this rule logs an event**.

See policies and computers a rule is assigned to

You can see which policies and computers are assigned to an Integrity Monitoring rule on the **Assigned To** tab. Click on a policy or computer in the list to see their properties.

Export a rule

You can export all Integrity Monitoring rules to a .csv or .xml file by clicking **Export** and selecting the corresponding export action from the list. You can also export specific rules by first selecting them, clicking **Export** and then selecting the corresponding export action from the list.

Delete a rule

To delete a rule, right-click the rule in the Integrity Monitoring Rules list, click **Delete** and then click **OK**.

Note: Integrity Monitoring rules that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

Define a Log Inspection rule for use in policies

The OSSEC Log Inspection engine is integrated into Deep Security Agents and gives Deep Security the ability to inspect the logs and events generated by the operating system and applications running on the computer. Deep Security Manager ships with a standard set of OSSEC Log Inspection rules that you can assign to computers or policies. You can also create custom rules if there is no existing rule that fits your requirements.

Log Inspection Rules issued by Trend Micro are not editable (although you can duplicate them and then edit them.)

Note: Log Inspection Rules that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

To create Log Inspection rules, perform these basic steps:

- ["Create a new Log Inspection rule" on the next page](#)
- ["Decoders" on page 491](#)
- ["Subrules" on page 492](#)

- ["Real world examples" on page 500](#)
- ["Log Inspection rule severity levels and their recommended use" on page 508](#)
- ["strftime\(\) conversion specifiers " on page 509](#)
- ["Examine a Log Inspection rule" on page 510](#)

For an overview of the Log Inspection module, see ["Analyze logs with log inspection" on page 764](#).

Create a new Log Inspection rule

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules**.
2. Click **New > New Log Inspection Rule**.
3. On the **General** tab, enter a name and an optional description for the rule.
4. The **Content** tab is where you define the rule. The easiest way to define a rule is to select **Basic Rule** and use the options provided to define the rule. If you need further customization, you can select **Custom (XML)** to switch to an XML view of the rule that you are defining.

Note: Any changes you make in the Custom (XML) view will be lost if you switch back to the Basic Rule view.

For further assistance in writing your own Log Inspection rules using the XML-based language, consult the [OSSEC](#) documentation or contact your support provider.

These options are available for the Basic Rule template:

- **Rule ID:** The Rule ID is a unique identifier for the rule. OSSEC defines 100000 - 109999 as the space for user-defined rules. Deep Security Manager will pre-populate the field with a new unique Rule ID.
- **Level:** Assign a level to the rule. Zero (0) means the rule never logs an event, although other rules that watch for this rule may fire.
- **Groups:** Assign the rule to one or more comma-separated groups. This can be useful when dependency is used because you can create rules that fire on the firing of a rule, or a rule that belongs to a specific group.
- **Rule Description:** Description of the rule.

- **Pattern Matching:** This is the pattern the rule will look for in the logs. The rule will be triggered on a match. Pattern matching supports Regular Expressions or simpler String Patterns. The "String Pattern" pattern type is faster than RegEx but it only supports three special operations:
 - **^ (caret):** specifies the beginning of text
 - **\$ (dollar sign):** specifies the end of text
 - **| (pipe):** to create a "OR" between multiple patterns

For information on the regular expression syntax used by the Log Inspection module, see <https://www.ossec.net/docs/syntax/regex.html>.

- **Dependency:** Setting a dependency on another rule will cause your rule to only log an event if the rule specified in this area has also triggered.
- **Frequency** is the number of times the rule has to match within a specific time frame before the rule is triggered.
- **Time Frame** is the period of time in seconds within which the rule has to trigger a certain number of times (the frequency, above) to log an event.

Note: The **Content** tab only appears for Log Inspection rules that you create yourself. Log Inspection rules issued by Trend Micro have a **Configuration** tab instead that displays the Log Inspection rule's configuration options (if any).

1. On the **Files** tab, type the full path to the file(s) you want your rule to monitor and specify the type of file it is.
2. On the **Options** tab, in the **Alert** section, select whether this rule triggers an alert in the Deep Security Manager.

Alert Minimum Severity sets the minimum severity level that will trigger an Alert for rules made using the Basic Rule or Custom (XML) template.

Note: The Basic Rule template creates one rule at a time. To write multiple rules in a single template you can use the Custom (XML) template. If you create multiple rules with different Levels within a Custom (XML) template, you can use the **Alert Minimum Severity** setting to select the minimum severity that will trigger an Alert for all of the rules in that template.

3. The **Assigned To** tab lists the policies and computers that are using this Log Inspection rule. Because you are creating a new rule, it has not been assigned yet.
4. Click **OK**. The rule is ready to be assigned to policies and computers.

Decoders

A Log Inspection rule consists of a list of files to monitor for changes and a set of conditions to be met for the rule to trigger. When the Log Inspection engine detects a change in a monitored log file, the change is parsed by a decoder. Decoders parse the raw log entry into the following fields:

- **log**: the message section of the event
- **full_log**: the entire event
- **location**: where the log came from
- **hostname**: hostname of the event source
- **program_name**: program name from the syslog header of the event
- **srcip**: the source IP address within the event
- **dstip**: the destination IP address within the event
- **srcport**: the source port number within the event
- **dstport**: the destination port number within the event
- **protocol**: the protocol within the event
- **action**: the action taken within the event
- **srcuser**: the originating user within the event
- **dstuser**: the destination user within the event
- **id**: any ID decoded as the ID from the event
- **status**: the decoded status within the event
- **command**: the command being called within the event
- **url**: the URL within the event
- **data**: any additional data extracted from the event
- **systemname**: the system name within the event

Rules examine this decoded data looking for information that matches the conditions defined in the rule.

If the matches are at a sufficiently high severity level, any of the following actions can be taken:

- An alert can be raised. (Configurable on the **Options** tab of the Log Inspection Rule's **Properties** window.)
- The event can be written to syslog. (Configurable in the **SIEM** area on **Administration > System Settings > Event Forwarding** tab.)
- The event can be sent to the Deep Security Manager. (Configurable in the **Log Inspection Syslog Configuration** setting on the **Policy or Computer Editor > Settings > Event Forwarding** tab.)

Subrules

A single Log Inspection rule can contain multiple subrules. These subrules can be of two types: atomic or composite. An atomic rule evaluates a single event and a composite rule examines multiple events and can evaluate frequency, repetition, and correlation between events.

Groups

Each rule, or grouping of rules, must be defined within a **<group></group>** element. The attribute name must contain the rules you want to be a part of this group. In the following example we have indicated that our group contains the syslog and sshd rules:

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
</group>
```

Note: Notice the trailing comma in the group name. Trailing commas are required if you intend to use the **<if_group></if_group>** tag to conditionally append another sub-rule to this one.

Note: When a set of Log Inspection rules are sent to an agent, the Log Inspection engine on the agent takes the XML data from each assigned rule and assembles it into what becomes essentially a single long Log Inspection rule. Some group definitions are common to all Log Inspection rules written by Trend Micro. For this reason Trend Micro has included a rule called "Default Rules Configuration" which defines these groups and which always gets assigned along with any other Trend Micro rules. (If you select a rule for assignment and haven't also selected the "Default Rules Configuration" rule, a notice will appear informing you that the rule will be assigned automatically.) *If you create your own Log Inspection rule and assign it to a Computer without assigning any Trend Micro-written rules, you must either copy the content of the "Default Rules Configuration" rule into your new rule, or also select the "Default Rules Configuration" rule for assignment to the Computer.*

Rules, ID, and Level

A group can contain as many rules as you require. The rules are defined using the `<rule></rule>` element and must have at least two attributes, the **id** and the **level**. The **id** is a unique identifier for that signature and the **level** is the severity of the alert. In the following example, we have created two rules, each with a different rule ID and level:

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
  <rule id="100120" level="5">
  </rule>
  <rule id="100121" level="6">
  </rule>
</group>
```

Note: Custom rules must have ID values of 100,000 or greater.

You can define additional subgroups within the parent group using the `<group></group>` tag. This subgroup can reference any of the groups listed in the following table:

Group Type	Group Name	Description
Reconnaissance	connection_attempt web_scan recon	Connection attempt Web scan Generic scan
Authentication Control	authentication_success authentication_failed invalid_login login_denied authentication_failures adduser account_changed	Success Failure Invalid Login Denied Multiple Failures User account added User Account changed or removed
Attack/Misuse	automatic_attack exploit_attempt invalid_access spam multiple_spam sql_injection attack virus	Worm (nontargeted attack) Exploit pattern Invalid access Spam Multiple spam messages SQL injection Generic attack Virus detected
Access Control	access_denied access_allowed unknown_resource firewall_drop multiple_drops client_misconfig client_error	Access denied Access allowed Access to nonexistent resource Firewall drop Multiple firewall drops Client misconfiguration Client error

Group Type	Group Name	Description
Network Control	new_host ip_spoof	New computer detected Possible ARP spoofing
System Monitor	service_start system_error system_shutdown logs_cleared invalid_request promisc policy_changed config_changed low_diskspace time_changed	Service start System error Shutdown Logs cleared Invalid request Interface switched to promiscuous mode Policy changed Configuration changed Low disk space Time changed

Note: If event auto-tagging is enabled, the event will be labeled with the group name. Log Inspection rules provided by Trend Micro make use of a translation table that changes the group to a more user-friendly version. So, for example, "login_denied" would appear as "Login Denied". Custom rules will be listed by their group name as it appears in the rule.

Description

Include a `<description></description>` tag. The description text will appear in the event if the rule is triggered.

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
  <rule id="100120" level="5">
    <group>authentication_success</group>
    <description>SSHD testing authentication success</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100121" level="6">
    <description>SSHD rule testing 2</description>
  </rule>
</group>
```

Decoded As

The `<decoded_as></decoded_as>` tag instructs the Log Inspection engine to only apply the rule if the specified decoder has decoded the log.

```
<rule id="100123" level="5">
  <decoded_as>sshd</decoded_as>
  <description>Logging every decoded sshd message</description>
</rule>
```

Note: To view the available decoders, go to the **Log Inspection Rule** page and click **Decoders**. Right-click on **1002791-Default Log Decoders** and select **Properties**. Go the **Configuration** tab and click **View Decoders**.

Match

To look for a specific string in a log, use the `<match></match>`. Here is a Linux sshd failed password log:

```
Jan 1 12:34:56 linux_server sshd[1231]: Failed password for invalid
user jsmith from 192.168.1.123 port 1799 ssh2
```

Use the `<match></match>` tag to search for the "password failed" string.

```
<rule id="100124" level="5">
  <decoded_as>sshd</decoded_as>
  <match>^Failed password</match>
  <description>Failed SSHD password attempt</description>
</rule>
```

Note: Notice the regex caret ("^") indicating the beginning of a string. Although "Failed password" does not appear at the beginning of the log, the Log Inspection decoder will have broken up the log into sections. See ["Decoders" on page 491](#) for more information. One of those sections is "log" which is the message part of the log as opposed to "full_log" which is the log in its entirety.

The following table lists supported regex syntax:

Regex Syntax	Description
\w	A-Z, a-z, 0-9 single letters and numerals
\d	0-9 single numerals
\s	single space
\t	single tab
\p	()*+,-.:;<=>?[]
\W	not \w
\D	not \d
\S	not \s
\.	anything
+	match one or more of any of the above (for example, \w+, \d+)
*	match zero or more of any of the above (for example, \w*, \d*)
^	indicates the beginning of a string (^somestring)

Regex Syntax	Description
\$	specify the end of a string (somestring\$)
	indicate an "OR" between multiple strings

Conditional Statements

Rule evaluation can be conditional upon other rules having been evaluated as true. The `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag instructs the Log Inspection engine to only evaluate this subrule if the rule identified in the tag has been evaluated as true. The following example shows three rules: 100123, 100124, and 100125. Rules 100124 and 100125 have been modified to be children of the 100123 rule using the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag:

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
  <rule id="100123" level="2">
    <decoded_as>sshd</decoded_as>
    <description>Logging every decoded sshd message</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100124" level="7">
    <if_sid>100123</if_sid>
    <match>^Failed password</match>
    <group>authentication_failure</group>
    <description>Failed SSHD password attempt</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100125" level="3">
    <if_sid>100123</if_sid>
    <match>^Accepted password</match>
    <group>authentication_success</group>
    <description>Successful SSHD password attempt</description>
  </rule>
</group>
```

Hierarchy of Evaluation

The `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag essentially creates a hierarchical set of rules. That is, by including an `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag in a rule, the rule becomes a child of the rule referenced by the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag. Before applying any rules to a log, the Log Inspection engine assesses the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tags and builds a hierarchy of parent and child rules.

Note: The hierarchical parent-child structure can be used to improve the efficiency of your rules. If a parent rule does not evaluate as true, the Log Inspection engine will ignore the children of that parent.

Note: Although the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag can be used to refer to subrules within an entirely different Log Inspection rule, you should avoid doing this because it makes the rule very difficult to review later on.

The list of available atomic rule conditional options is shown in the following table:

Tag	Description	Notes
match	A pattern	Any string to match against the event (log).
regex	A regular expression	Any regular expression to match against the event(log).
decoded_as	A string	Any prematched string.
srcip	A source IP address	Any IP address that is decoded as the source IP address. Use "!" to negate the IP address.
dstip	A destination IP address	Any IP address that is decoded as the destination IP address. Use "!" to negate the IP address.
srcport	A source port number	Any source port (match format).
dstport	A destination port number	Any destination port (match format).
user	A username	Any username that is decoded as a username.
program_name	A program name	Any program name that is decoded from the syslog process name.
hostname	A system hostname	Any hostname that is decoded as a syslog hostname.
time	A time range in the format hh:mm - hh:mm or hh:mm am - hh:mm pm	The time range that the event must fall within for the rule to trigger.
weekday	A weekday (sunday, monday, tuesday, etc.)	Day of the week that the event must fall on for the rule to trigger.
id	An ID	Any ID that is decoded from the event.
url	A URL	Any URL that is decoded from the event.

Use the `<if_sid>100125</if_sid>` tag to make this rule depend on the 100125 rule. This rule will be checked only for sshd messages that already matched the successful login rule.

```
<rule id="100127" level="10">
  <if_sid>100125</if_sid>
  <time>6 pm - 8:30 am</time>
  <description>Login outside business hours.</description>
  <group>policy_violation</group>
</rule>
```

Restrictions on the Size of the Log Entry

The following example takes the previous example and adds the **maxsize** attribute which tells the Log Inspection engine to only evaluate rules that are less than the maxsize number of characters:

```
<rule id="100127" level="10" maxsize="2000">
  <if_sid>100125</if_sid>
  <time>6 pm - 8:30 am</time>
  <description>Login outside business hours.</description>
  <group>policy_violation</group>
</rule>
```

The following table lists possible atomic rule tree-based options:

Tag	Description	Notes
if_sid	A rule ID	Adds this rule as a child rule of the rules that match the specified signature ID.
if_group	A group ID	Adds this rule as a child rule of the rules that match the specified group.
if_level	A rule level	Adds this rule as a child rule of the rules that match the specified severity level.
description	A string	A description of the rule.
info	A string	Extra information about the rule.
cve	A CVE number	Any Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures (CVE) number that you would like associated with the rule.
options	alert_by_email no_email_alert no_log	Additional rule options to indicate if the Alert should generate an e-mail, alert_by_email, should not generate an email, no_email_alert, or should not log anything at all, no_log.

Composite Rules

Atomic rules examine single log entries. To correlate multiple entries, you must use composite rules. Composite rules are supposed to match the current log with those already received. Composite rules require two additional options: the **frequency** option specifies how many times an event or pattern must occur before the rule generates an alert, and the **timeframe** option tells the Log Inspection engine how far back, in seconds, it should look for previous logs. All composite rules have the following structure:

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="x" timeframe="y">
</rule>
```

For example, you could create a composite rule that creates a higher severity alert after five failed passwords within a period of 10 minutes. Using the `<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>` tag you can indicate which rule needs to be seen within the desired frequency and timeframe for your new rule to create an alert. In the following example, the **frequency** attribute is set to trigger when

five instances of the event are seen and the **timeframe** attribute is set to specify the time window as 600 seconds.

The **<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>** tag is used to define which other rule the composite rule will watch:

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="600">
  <if_matched_sid>100124</if_matched_sid>
  <description>5 Failed passwords within 10 minutes</description>
</rule>
```

There are several additional tags that you can use to create more granular composite rules. These rules, as shown in the following table, allow you to specify that certain parts of the event must be the same. This allows you to tune your composite rules and reduce false positives:

Tag	Description
same_source_ip	Specifies that the source IP address must be the same.
same_dest_ip	Specifies that the destination IP address must be the same.
same_dst_port	Specifies that the destination port must be the same.
same_location	Specifies that the location (hostname or agent name) must be the same.
same_user	Specifies that the decoded username must be the same.
same_id	Specifies that the decoded id must be the same.

If you wanted your composite rule to alert on every authentication failure, instead of a specific rule ID, you could replace the **<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>** tag with the **<if_matched_group></if_matched_group>** tag. This allows you to specify a category, such as **authentication_failure**, to search for authentication failures across your entire infrastructure.

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="600">
  <if_matched_group>authentication_failure</if_matched_group>
  <same_source_ip />
  <description>5 Failed passwords within 10 minutes</description>
</rule>
```

In addition to **<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>** and **<if_matched_group></if_matched_group>** tags, you can also use the **<if_matched_regex></if_matched_regex>** tag to specify a regular expression to search through logs as they are received.

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="600">
  <if_matched_regex>^Failed password</if_matched_regex>
  <same_source_ip />
```

```
<description>5 Failed passwords within 10 minutes</description>
</rule>
```

Real world examples

Deep Security includes many default Log Inspection rules for dozens of common and popular applications. Through Security Updates, new rules are added regularly. In spite of the growing list of applications supported by Log Inspection rules, you may find the need to create a custom rule for an unsupported or custom application.

In this section we will walk through the creation of a custom CMS (content management system) hosted on Microsoft Windows Server with IIS and .Net platform, with a Microsoft SQL Server database as the data repository.

The first step is to identify the following application logging attributes:

1. Where does the application log to?
2. Which Log Inspection decoder can be used to decode the log file?
3. What is the general format of a log file message?

For our custom CMS example the answers are as follows:

1. Windows Event Viewer
2. Windows Event Log (eventlog)
3. Windows Event Log Format with the following core attributes:
 - Source: CMS
 - Category: None
 - Event: <Application Event ID>

The second step is to identify the categories of log events by application feature, and then organize the categories into a hierarchy of cascading groups for inspection. Not all inspected groups need to raise events; a match can be used as a conditional statement. For each group, identify the log format attributes which the rule can use as matching criteria. This can also be performed by inspecting all application logs for patterns and logical groupings of log events.

For example, the CMS application supports the following functional features which we will create Log Inspection rules for:

- CMS Application Log (Source: CMS)
 - Authentication (Event: 100 to 119)
 - User Login successful (Event: 100)
 - User Login unsuccessful (Event: 101)
 - Administrator Login successful (Event: 105)
 - Administrator Login unsuccessful (Event: 106)
 - General Errors (Type: Error)
 - Database error (Event: 200 to 205)
 - Runtime error (Event: 206-249)
 - Application Audit (Type: Information)
 - Content
 - New content added (Event: 450 to 459)
 - Existing content modified (Event: 460 to 469)
 - Existing content deleted (Event: 470 to 479)
 - Administration
 - User
 - New User created (Event: 445 to 446)
 - Existing User deleted (Event: 447 to 449)

This structure will provide you with a good basis for rule creation. Now to create a new Log Inspection rule in Deep Security Manager.

To create the new CMS Log Inspection Rule:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules** and click **New** to display the **New Log Inspection Rule Properties** window.
2. Give the new rule a name and a description, and then click the **Content** tab.
3. The quickest way to create a new custom rule is to start with a basic rule template. Select the **Basic Rule** radio button.
4. The **Rule ID** field will be automatically populated with an unused ID number of 100,000 or greater, the IDs reserved for custom rules.
5. Set the **Level** setting to **Low (0)**.
6. Give the rule an appropriate Group name. In this case, "cms".

7. Provide a short rule description.

General	Content	Files	Options	Assigned To
Template ☒ Basic Rule ☐ Custom (XML)				
General Information Rule ID: 100000 Level: Low (0) Groups (comma separated): cms Rule Description: windows events for 'cms' group				
Pattern Matching Pattern to Match: Pattern Type: String Pattern				
Dependency ☒ None ☐ Trigger event on the triggering of another rule: ☐ Trigger event on the triggering of any rule belonging to a specific group:				
Composite (optional) Only trigger if this rule matches its dependent rule the specified frequency of times in the specified time frame (in seconds). Frequency (1 to 128): Time Frame (1 to 86400):				
OK Cancel				

8. Now select the **Custom (XML)** option. The options you selected for your "Basic" rule will be converted to XML.

General Content Files Options Assigned To

Template

☐ Basic Rule

☒ Custom (XML)

Content:

```
<group name="cms">
  <rule id="100000" level="0">
    <description>windows events for 'cms' groups</description>
  </rule>
</group>
```

OK Cancel

9. Click the **Files** tab and click the **Add File** button to add any application log files and log types which the rule will be applied to. In this case, "Application", and "eventlog" as the file type.

General Content Files Options Assigned To

Files:

Application eventlog Remove

Add File

OK Cancel

Note: Eventlog is a unique file type in Deep Security because the location and filename of the log files don't have to be specified. Instead, it is sufficient to type the log name as it is displayed in the Windows Event Viewer. Other log names for the eventlog file type

might be "Security", "System", "Internet Explorer", or any other section listed in the Windows Event Viewer. Other file types will require the log file's location and filename. (C/C++ *strftime()* conversion specifiers are available for matching on filenames. See the table below for a list of some of the more useful ones.)

10. Click **OK** to save the basic rule.
11. Working with the basic rule Custom (XML) created, we can begin adding new rules to the group based on the log groupings identified previously. We will set the base rule criteria to the initial rule. In the following example, the CMS base rule has identified Windows Event Logs with a Source attribute of "CMS":

```
<group name="cms">
  <rule id="100000" level="0">
    <category>windows</category>
    <extra_data>^CMS</extra_data>
    <description>Windows events from source 'CMS' group
messages.</description>
  </rule>
```

12. Now we build up subsequent rules from the identified log groups. The following example identifies the authentication and login success and failure and logs by Event IDs.

```
<rule id="100001" level="0">
  <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
  <id>^100|^101|^102|^103|^104|^105|^106|^107|^108|^109|^110</id>
  <group>authentication</group>
  <description>CMS Authentication event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100002" level="0">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>100</id>
  <description>CMS User Login success event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100003" level="4">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>101</id>
  <group>authentication_failure</group>
  <description>CMS User Login failure event.</description>
</rule>
```

```

<rule id="100004" level="0">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>105</id>
  <description>CMS Administrator Login success event.</description>
</rule>
<rule id="100005" level="4">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>106</id>
  <group>authentication_failure</group>
  <description>CMS Administrator Login failure event.</description>
</rule>

```

13. Now we add any composite or correlation rules using the established rules. The following example shows a high severity composite rule that is applied to instances where the repeated login failures have occurred 5 times within a 10 second time period:

```

<rule id="100006" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="10">
  <if_matched_group>authentication_failure</if_matched_group>
  <description>CMS Repeated Authentication Login failure
event.</description>
</rule>

```

14. Review all rules for appropriate severity levels. For example, error logs should have a severity of level 5 or higher. Informational rules would have a lower severity.
15. Finally, open the newly created rule, click the **Configuration** tab and copy your custom rule XML into the rule field. Click **Apply** or **OK** to save the change.

Once the rule is assigned to a policy or computer, the Log Inspection engine should begin inspecting the designated log file immediately.

The complete Custom CMS Log Inspection Rule:

```

<group name="cms">
  <rule id="100000" level="0">
    <category>windows</category>
    <extra_data>^CMS</extra_data>
    <description>Windows events from source 'CMS' group
messages.</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100001" level="0">
    <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
    <id>^100|^101|^102|^103|^104|^105|^106|^107|^108|^109|^110</id>
    <group>authentication</group>
  </rule>

```

```

        <description>CMS Authentication event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100002" level="0">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>100</id>
        <description>CMS User Login success event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100003" level="4">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>101</id>
        <group>authentication_failure</group>
        <description>CMS User Login failure event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100004" level="0">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>105</id>
        <description>CMS Administrator Login success event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100005" level="4">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>106</id>
        <group>authentication_failure</group>
        <description>CMS Administrator Login failure event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100006" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="10">
        <if_matched_group>authentication_failure</if_matched_group>
        <description>CMS Repeated Authentication Login failure
event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100007" level="5">
        <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
        <status>^ERROR</status>
        <description>CMS General error event.</description>
        <group>cms_error</group>

```

```

</rule>

<rule id="100008" level="10">
  <if_group>cms_error</if_group>
  <id>^200|^201|^202|^203|^204|^205</id>
  <description>CMS Database error event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100009" level="10">
  <if_group>cms_error</if_group>
  <id>^206|^207|^208|^209|^230|^231|^232|^233|^234|^235|^236|^237|^238|^239|^240|^241|^242|^243|^244|^245|^246|^247|^248|^249</id>
  <description>CMS Runtime error event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100010" level="0">
  <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
  <status>^INFORMATION</status>
  <description>CMS General informational event.</description>
  <group>cms_information</group>
</rule>

<rule id="100011" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^450|^451|^452|^453|^454|^455|^456|^457|^458|^459</id>
  <description>CMS New Content added event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100012" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^460|^461|^462|^463|^464|^465|^466|^467|^468|^469</id>
  <description>CMS Existing Content modified event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100013" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^470|^471|^472|^473|^474|^475|^476|^477|^478|^479</id>
  <description>CMS Existing Content deleted event.</description>
</rule>

```

```

<rule id="100014" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^445|^446</id>
  <description>CMS User created event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100015" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^447|^449</id>
  <description>CMS User deleted event.</description>
</rule>

</group>

```

Log Inspection rule severity levels and their recommended use

Level	Description	Notes
Level 0	Ignored, no action taken	Primarily used to avoid false positives. These rules are scanned before all the others and include events with no security relevance.
Level 1	no predefined use	
Level 2	System low priority notification	System notification or status messages that have no security relevance.
Level 3	Successful or authorized events	Successful login attempts, firewall allow events, etc.
Level 4	System low priority errors	Errors related to bad configurations or unused devices or applications. They have no security relevance and are usually caused by default installations or software testing.
Level 5	User-generated errors	Missed passwords, denied actions, etc. These messages typically have no security relevance.
Level 6	Low relevance attacks	Indicate a worm or a virus that provide no threat to the system such as a Windows worm attacking a Linux server. They also include frequently triggered IDS events and common error events.
Level 7	no predefined use	
Level 8	no predefined use	
Level 9	Error from invalid source	Include attempts to login as an unknown user or from an invalid source. The message might have security relevance especially if repeated. They also include errors regarding the admin or root account.
Level 10	Multiple user generated errors	Include multiple bad passwords, multiple failed logins, etc. They might indicate an attack, or it might be just that a user forgot his or her credentials.

Level	Description	Notes
Level 11	no predefined use	
Level 12	High-importance event	Include error or warning messages from the system, kernel, etc. They might indicate an attack against a specific application.
Level 13	Unusual error (high importance)	Common attack patterns such as a buffer overflow attempt, a larger than normal syslog message, or a larger than normal URL string.
Level 14	High importance security event	Typically the result of the correlation of multiple attack rules and indicative of an attack.
Level 15	Attack Successful	Very small chance of false positive. Immediate attention is necessary.

***strftime()* conversion specifiers**

Specifier	Description
%a	Abbreviated weekday name (e.g., Thu)
%A	Full weekday name (e.g., Thursday)
%b	Abbreviated month name (e.g., Aug)
%B	Full month name (e.g., August)
%c	Date and time representation (e.g., Thu Sep 22 12:23:45 2007)
%d	Day of the month (01 - 31) (e.g., 20)
%H	Hour in 24 h format (00 - 23) (e.g., 13)
%I	Hour in 12 h format (01 - 12) (e.g., 02)
%j	Day of the year (001 - 366) (e.g., 235)
%m	Month as a decimal number (01 - 12) (e.g., 02)
%M	Minute (00 - 59) (e.g., 12)
%p	AM or PM designation (e.g., AM)
%S	Second (00 - 61) (e.g., 55)
%U	Week number with the first Sunday as the first day of week one (00 - 53) (e.g., 52)
%w	Weekday as a decimal number with Sunday as 0 (0 - 6) (e.g., 2)
%W	Week number with the first Monday as the first day of week one (00 - 53) (e.g., 21)
%x	Date representation (e.g., 02/24/79)
%X	Time representation (e.g., 04:12:51)
%y	Year, last two digits (00 - 99) (e.g., 76)
%Y	Year (e.g., 2008)
%Z	Time zone name or abbreviation (e.g., EST)
%%	A % sign (e.g., %)

More information can be found at the following websites:

<https://www.php.net/manual/en/function.strftime.php>

www.cplusplus.com/reference/clibrary/ctime/strftime.html

Examine a Log Inspection rule

Log Inspection rules are found in the Deep Security Manager at **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules**.

Log Inspection rule structure and the event matching process

This screen shot displays the contents of the **Configuration** tab of the Properties window of the "Microsoft Exchange" Log Inspection rule:

General Configuration Options Assigned To

Configuration Options

Log Files to monitor:

Add

Remove

C:\Windows\system32\LogFiles\SMTPSVC1\ex%y%m%d.l

Type of Log File(s): syslog

This rule matches events decoded as: msexchange

3800 - Grouping of Exchange rules

Default - Ignore

3801 - E-mail RCPT is not valid (invalid account)

Default - Medium (5)

3851 - Multiple e-mail attempts to an invalid account

Default - High (10)

Frequency (1 to 128): 10

Time Frame (1 to 86400): 120 secs

Time to ignore this rule after triggering it once - to avoid excessive logs (1 to 86400): 120 secs

3802 - E-mail 500 error code

Default - Medium (4)

3852 - Multiple e-mail 500 error code (spam)

Default - High (9)

Frequency (1 to 128): 12

Time Frame (1 to 86400): 120 secs

Time to ignore this rule after triggering it once - to avoid excessive logs (1 to 86400): 240 secs

View Rules...

OK Cancel Apply

Here is the structure of the rule:

- 3800 - Grouping of Exchange Rules - Ignore
 - 3801 - Email rcpt is not valid (invalid account) - Medium (4)
 - 3851 - Multiple email attempts to an invalid account - High (9)
 - Frequency - 10
 - Time Frame - 120
 - Ignore - 120
 - 3802 - Email 500 error code - Medium (4)
 - 3852 - Email 500 error code (spam) - High (9)
 - Frequency - 12
 - Time Frame - 120
 - Ignore - 240

The Log Inspection engine will apply log events to this structure and see if a match occurs. For example, if an Exchange event occurs, and this event is an email receipt to an invalid account, the event will match line 3800 (because it is an Exchange event). The event will then be applied to line 3800's sub-rules: 3801 and 3802.

If there is no further match, this "cascade" of matches will stop at 3800. Because 3800 has a severity level of "Ignore", no Log Inspection event would be recorded.

However, an email receipt to an invalid account does match one of 3800's sub-rules: sub-rule 3801. Sub-rule 3801 has a severity level of "Medium(4)". If the matching stopped here, a Log Inspection event with a severity level of "Medium(4)" would be recorded.

But there is still another sub-rule to be applied to the event: sub-rule 3851. Sub-rule 3851 with its three attributes will match if the same event has occurred 10 times within the last 120 seconds. If so, a Log Inspection event with a severity "High(9)" is recorded. (The "Ignore" attribute tells sub-rule 3851 to ignore individual events that match sub-rule 3801 for the next 120 seconds. This is useful for reducing "noise".)

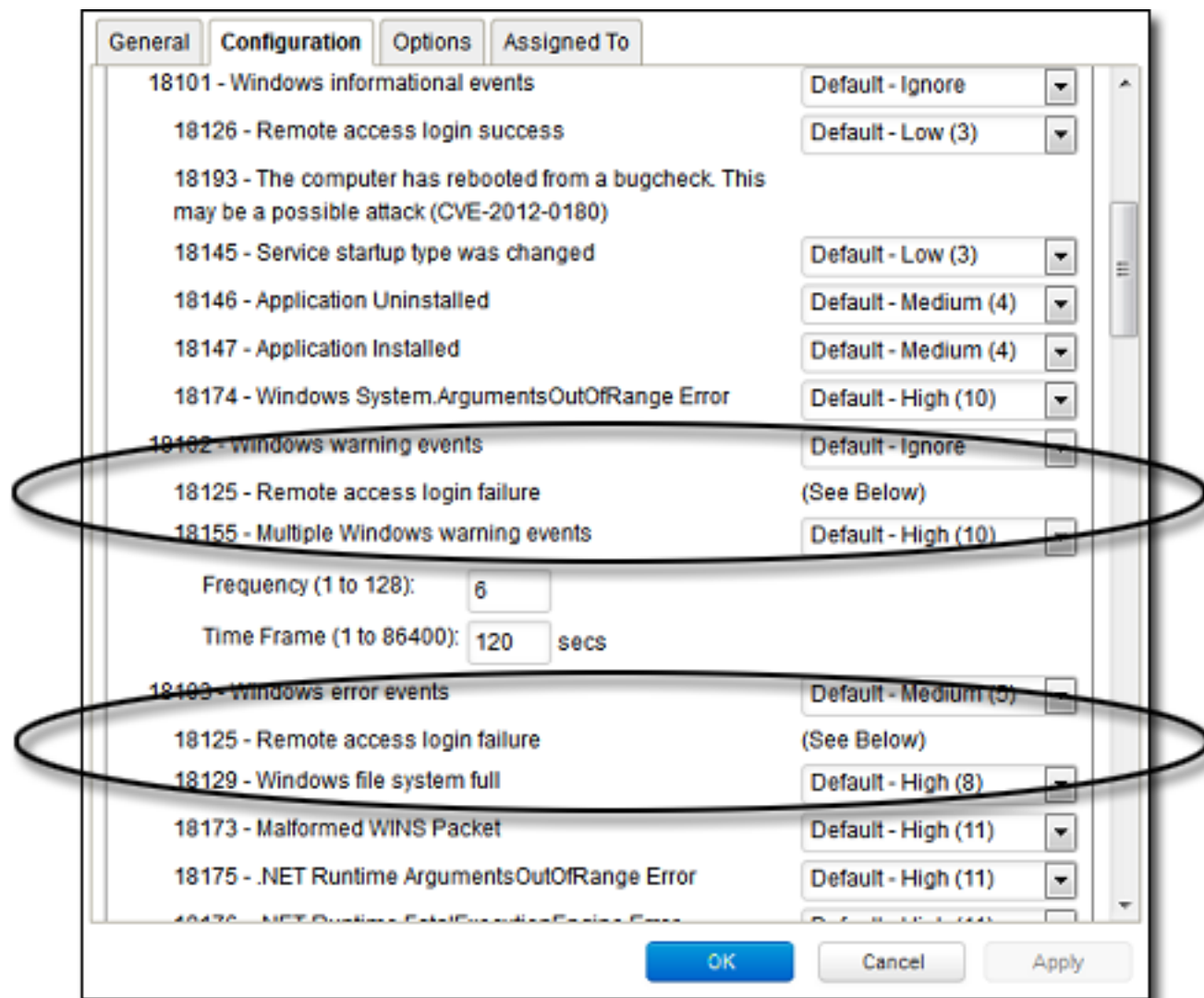
Assuming the parameters of sub-rule 3851 have been matched, a Log Inspection event with Severity "High(9)" is now recorded.

Looking at the Options tab of the Microsoft Exchange Rule, we see that Deep Security Manager will raise an alert if any sub-rules with a severity level of "Medium(4)" have been matched. Since this is the case in our example, the alert will be raised (if "Alert when this rule logs an event" is selected).

Duplicate Sub-rules

Some Log Inspection rules have duplicate sub-rules. To see an example, open the "Microsoft Windows Events" rule and click on the **Configuration** tab. Note that sub-rule 18125 (Remote access login failure) appears under sub-rules 18102 and 18103. Also note that in both cases sub-rule 18125 does not have a severity value, it only says "See Below".

Instead of being listed twice, Rule 18125 is listed once at the bottom of the **Configuration** page:



Create a list of directories for use in policies

Create lists of directory paths so that you can use them in multiple policies. A single list is easier to manage than several identical lists that are each created in a different policy. The most common use-cases for these lists are for Anti-Malware scan inclusions or exclusions. For more information, see ["Specify the files to scan" on page 574](#).

Tip: To create a directory list that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the list and then edit it.

The following table describes the syntax for defining directory list items. The use of forward slashes "/" and backslashes "\" are supported for both Windows and Linux conventions:

Directory	Format	Description	Examples
Directory	DIRECTORY	Includes all files in the specified directory and all files in all subdirectories.	<i>C:\Program Files\</i> Includes all files in the "Program Files" directory and all subdirectories.
Network Resource	\\NETWORK RESOURCE	Includes files on a computer included as a network resource on a targeted computer.	<i>\\12.34.56.78\</i> <i>\\some-comp-name\</i> Includes all files on a network resource (and its subfolders) identified using an IP or a hostname. <i>\\12.34.56.78\somefolder\</i> <i>\\some-comp-name\somefolder\</i> Includes all files in the folder "somefolder" and its subfolders on a network resource identified using an IP or a hostname.
Directory with wildcard (*)	DIRECTORY*	Includes any subdirectories with any subdirectory name, but does not include the files in the specified directory.	<i>C:\abc*</i> Includes all files in all subdirectories of "abc" but does not include the files in the "abc" directory. <i>C:\abc\wx*z\</i> <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wxz\ C:\abc\wx123z\ <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc\wxz C:\abc\wx123z

Directory	Format	Description	Examples
			<i>C:\abc*wx\</i> <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wx\ C:\abc\123wx\ <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc\wx C:\abc\123wx
Directory with wildcard (*)	DIRECTORY*	Includes any subdirectories with a matching name, but does not include the files in that directory and any subdirectories.	<i>C:\abc*</i> <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\ C:\abc\1 C:\abc\123 <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc C:\abc\123\ C:\abc\123\456 C:\abx\ C:\xyz\ <i>C:\abc*wx</i> <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wx C:\abc\123wx <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc\wx\ C:\abc\123wx\ <i>C:\abc\wx*z</i> <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wxz C:\abc\wx123z <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc\wxz\ C:\abc\wx123z\ <i>C:\abc\wx*</i> <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wx C:\abc\wx\ C:\abc\wx12 C:\abc\wx12\345\ C:\abc\wxz\ <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc\wx123z\
Environment variable	\${ENV VAR}	Includes all files and subdirectories defined by an environment variable with the format \${ENV VAR}. For a Virtual Appliance, the value pairs for	<i>\${windir}</i> If the variable resolves to "c:\windows", Includes all the files in "c:\windows"

Directory	Format	Description	Examples
		the environment variable must be defined in Policy or Computer Editor > Settings > General > Environment Variable Overrides .	and all its subdirectories.
Comments	DIRECTORY #Comment	Allows you to add comments to your inclusion definitions.	<i>c:\abc #Include the abc directory</i>

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Directory Lists**.
2. Click **New > New Directory List**.
3. Type a name and, optionally, a description.
4. In the **Directory(s)** list, add the directory paths, one per line.
5. Click **OK**.

Import and export directory lists

You can export one or more directory lists to an XML or CSV file, and import lists from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Directory Lists**.
2. To export one or more lists, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all lists, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import lists, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

See which policies use a directory list

It is useful to see which policies use a directory list to be aware of which policies are affected by any changes you make. For example, you can ensure no policies use a directory list before deleting it.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Directory Lists**.
2. Select the directory list and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Assigned To** tab.

Create a list of file extensions for use in policies

Create lists of file extensions so that you can use them in multiple malware scan configurations. A single list is easier to manage than several identical lists that are each created in a different rule. For example, one list of file extensions can be used by multiple malware scan configurations as files to include in a scan. Another list of file extensions can be used by multiple malware scan configurations as files to exclude from a scan.

Tip: To create a file extension list that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the list and then edit it.

You can insert comments into your list by preceding the text with a pound sign ("#").

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > File Extension Lists**.
2. Click **New > New File Extension List**.
3. Type a name and, optionally, a description.
4. In the **File Extension(s)** list, add the extensions, one per line.
5. Click **OK**.

Import and export file extension lists

You can export one or more file extension lists to an XML or CSV file, and import lists from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > File Extension Lists**.
2. To export one or more lists, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all lists, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import lists, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

See which malware scan configurations use a file extension list

It is useful to see which malware scan configurations use a file extension list to be aware of which rules are affected by any changes you make. For example, you can ensure no scan configurations use a file extension list before deleting it.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > File Extension Lists**.
2. Select the list and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Assigned To** tab.

Create a list of files for use in policies

Create lists of file paths so that you can use them in multiple policies. A single list is easier to manage than several identical lists that are each created in a different policy. The most common use-cases for these lists are for Anti-Malware scan inclusions or exclusions. For more information, see ["Specify the files to scan" on page 574](#).

Tip: To create a file list that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the list and then edit it.

The following table describes the syntax for defining file list items. The use of forward slashes "/" and backslashes "\" are supported for both Windows and Linux conventions:

Inclusion	Format	Description	Example
File	FILE	Includes all files with the specified file name regardless of its location or directory.	<i>abc.doc</i> Includes all files named "abc.doc" in all directories. Does not include "abc.exe".
File path	FILEPATH	Includes the single file specified by the file path.	<i>C:\Documents\abc.doc</i> Includes only the file named "abc.doc" in the "Documents" directory.
File path with wildcard (*)	FILEPATH	Excludes all the files specified by the file path.	<i>C:\Documents\abc.co*</i> (For Windows Agent platforms only) Excludes any file that has file name of "abc" and extension beginning with ".co" in the "Documents" directory.
Filename is a wildcard (*)	FILEPATH*	Excludes all files under the path, but does not include the files in unspecified subdirectories	<i>C:\Documents*</i> Excludes all files under the directory C:\Documents\ <i>C:\Documents\SubDirName*</i> Excludes all files within subdirectories with a folder name that begins with "SubDirName". Does not exclude all files under C:\Documents\ or any other subdirectories. <i>C:\Documents**</i> Excludes all files within all direct subdirectories under C:\Documents. Does not exclude files in subsequent subdirectories.
File with wildcard (*)	FILE*	Includes all files with a matching pattern in the file name.	<i>abc*.exe</i> Includes any file that has prefix of "abc" and extension of ".exe". <i>*.db</i> <i>Matches:</i> 123.db abc.db

Inclusion	Format	Description	Example
			<i>Does not match:</i> 123db 123.abd cbc.dba *db <i>Matches:</i> 123.db 123db ac.db acdb db <i>Does not match:</i> db123 wxy*.db <i>Matches:</i> wxy.db wxy123.db <i>Does not match:</i> wxydb
File with wildcard (*)	FILE.EXT*	Includes all files with a matching pattern in the file extension.	abc.v* Includes any file that has file name of "abc" and extension beginning with ".v". abc.*pp <i>Matches:</i> abc.pp abc.app <i>Does not match:</i> wxy.app abc.a*p <i>Matches:</i> abc.ap abc.a123p <i>Does not match:</i> abc.pp abc.* <i>Matches:</i> abc.123 abc.xyz <i>Does not match:</i> wxy.123
File with wildcard (*)	FILE*.EXT*	Includes all files with a matching pattern in the file name and in the	a*c.a*p

Inclusion	Format	Description	Example
		extension.	<i>Matches:</i> ac.ap a123c.ap ac.a456p a123c.a456p <i>Does not match:</i> ad.aa
Environment variable	<code>\${ENV VAR}</code>	Includes files specified by an environment variable with the format <code>\${ENV VAR}</code> . These can be defined or overridden using Policy or Computer Editor > Settings > General > Environment Variable Overrides .	<code>\${myDBFile}</code> Includes the file "myDBFile".
Comments	FILEPATH #Comment	Allows you to add comments to your inclusion definitions.	<i>C:\Documents\abc.doc #This a comment</i>

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > File Lists**.
2. Click **New > New File List**.
3. Type a name and, optionally, a description.
4. In the **File(s)** list, add the file paths, one per line.
5. Click **OK**.

Import and export file lists

You can export one or more file lists to an XML or CSV file, and import lists from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > File Lists**.
2. To export one or more lists, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all lists, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import lists, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

See which policies use a file list

It is useful to see which policies use a file list to be aware of which policies are affected by any changes you make. For example, you can ensure no policies use a file list before deleting it.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > File Lists**.
2. Select the file list and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Assigned To** tab.

Create a list of IP addresses for use in policies

Create lists of IP addresses so that you can use them in multiple firewall rules. A single list is easier to manage than several identical lists that are each defined in a different rule.

Tip: To create an IP list that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the list and then edit it.

You can enter an individual IP address, or you can enter IP ranges and masked IPs. You can also insert comments into your IP list by preceding the text with a hash sign ("#").

Masked IP examples are 192.168.0/24, 192.168.2.0/255.255.255.0, and for IPV6 2001:0DB8::CD30:0:0:0/60. IP range examples are 192.168.0.2 - 192.168.0.125 and, for IPV6, FF01::101 - FF01::102

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > IP Lists**.
2. Click **New > New IP List**.
3. Type a name and, optionally, a description.
4. In the **IP(s)** list, add the IP addresses, masked IP addresses, or IP ranges (one per line).
5. Click **OK**.

Import and export IP lists

You can export one or more IP lists to an XML or CSV file, and import lists from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > IP Lists**.
2. To export one or more lists, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all lists, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import lists, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

See which rules use an IP list

It is useful to see which firewall rules use an IP list to be aware of which rules are affected by any changes you make. For example, you can ensure no firewall rules use an IP list before deleting it.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > IP Lists**.
2. Select the IP list and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Assigned To** tab.

Create a list of ports for use in policies

Create lists of port numbers so that you can use them in multiple rules. A single list is easier to manage than several identical lists that are each created in a different rule.

Tip: To create a port list that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the list and then edit it.

Individual ports and port ranges can be included on the list, for example 80, and 20-21. You can insert comments into your port list by preceding the text with a pound sign ("#").

Note: For a listing commonly accepted port number assignments, see the [Internet Assigned Numbers Authority \(IANA\)](#). For a list of port numbers used by Deep Security Manager, Relay, or Agent, see ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#).

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Port Lists**.
2. Click **New > New Port List**.
3. Type a name and, optionally, a description.
4. In the **Port(s)** list, add the port numbers, one per line.
5. Click **OK**.

Import and export port lists

You can export one or more port lists to an XML or CSV file, and import lists from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Port Lists**.
2. To export one or more lists, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all lists, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import lists, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

See which rules use a port list

It is useful to see which rules use a port list to be aware of which rules are affected by any changes you make. For example, you can ensure no rules use a port list before deleting it.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Port Lists**.
2. Select the port list and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Assigned To** tab.

Create a list of MAC addresses for use in policies

Create lists of MAC addresses so that you can use them in multiple policies. A single list is easier to manage than several identical lists that are each created in a different policy.

Tip: To create a MAC list that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the list and then edit it.

MAC lists support MAC addresses in both hyphen- and colon-separated formats, for example 0A-0F-FF-F0-A0-AF and 0A:0F:FF:F0:A0:AF. You can insert comments into your MAC list by preceding the text with a pound sign ("#").

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > MAC Lists**.
2. Click **New > New MAC List**.
3. Type a name and, optionally, a description.
4. In the **MAC(s)** list, add the MAC addresses, one per line.
5. Click **OK**.

Import and export MAC lists

You can export one or more MAC lists to an XML or CSV file, and import lists from an XML file.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > MAC Lists**.
2. To export one or more lists, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all lists, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import lists, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

See which policies use a MAC list

It is useful to see which policies use a MAC list to be aware of which policies are affected by any changes you make. For example, you can ensure no policies use a MAC list before deleting it.

1. Click **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > MAC Lists**.
2. Select the MAC list and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Assigned To** tab.

Define contexts for use in policies

Contexts are a powerful way of implementing different security policies depending on a computer's network environment.

Contexts are designed to be associated with firewall and intrusion prevention rules. If the conditions defined in the context associated with a rule are met, the rule is applied.

Configure settings used to determine whether a computer has internet connectivity

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Contexts**.
2. In the **URL for testing Internet Connectivity Status** box, enter the URL to which an HTTP request will be sent to test for internet connectivity. (You must include "http://".)
3. In the **Regular Expression for returned content used to confirm Internet Connectivity Status** box, enter a regular expression that will be applied to the returned content to confirm that HTTP communication was successful. (If you are certain of the returned content, you can use a simple string of characters.)
4. In the **Test Interval** list, select the time interval between connectivity tests.

For example, to test Internet connectivity, you could use the URL "**http://www.example.com**", and the string "**This domain is established to be used for illustrative examples in documents**" which is returned by the server at that URL.

Define a context

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Contexts** and then click **New > New Context**.
2. In the **General Information** area, enter the name and description of the context rule. This area also displays the earliest version of the Deep Security Agent the rule will be compatible with.
3. In the **Options** area, specify when the context will be applied:
 - **Context applies when connection is:** Specifying an option here will determine whether the Firewall rule is in effect depending on the ability of the computer to connect to its domain controller or its internet connectivity. (Conditions for testing internet connectivity can be configured in **Administration > System Settings > Contexts**.)

If the domain controller can be contacted directly (via ICMP), the connection is "Local". If it can be contacted via VPN only, then the connection is "Remote".

The time interval between domain controller connectivity tests is the same as the internet connectivity test interval, which is configurable in **Administration > System Settings > Contexts**. The internet connectivity test is only performed if the computer is unable to connect to its domain controller.

- **Context Applies to Interface Isolation Restricted Interfaces:** This context will apply to network interfaces on which traffic has been restricted through the use of interface isolation. This is primarily used for "Allow" or "Force Allow" Firewall rules. See ["Detect and configure the interfaces available on a computer" on page 449](#).

After you assign the context to a rule, it is displayed on the **Assigned To** tab for the context. (To link a security rule to a context, go to the **Options** tab in the security rule's **Properties** window and select the context from the "Context" list.)

Define stateful firewall configurations

Deep Security's stateful firewall configuration mechanism analyzes each packet in the context of traffic history, correctness of TCP and IP header values, and TCP connection state transitions. In the case of stateless protocols like UDP and ICMP, a pseudo-stateful mechanism is implemented based on historical traffic analysis. Packets are handled by the stateful mechanism as follows:

1. A packet is passed to the stateful routine if it has been allowed through by the static firewall rule conditions,
2. The packet is examined to determine whether it belongs to an existing connection, and
3. The TCP header is examined for correctness (e.g. sequence numbers, flag combinations, etc.).

To create a new stateful configuration, you need to:

1. ["Add a stateful configuration " below](#).
2. ["Enter stateful configuration information" on the next page](#).
3. ["Select packet inspection options" on the next page](#).

When you're done with your stateful configuration, you can also learn how to

- ["See policies and computers a stateful configuration is assigned to" on page 530](#)
- ["Export a stateful configuration " on page 529](#)
- ["Delete a stateful configuration " on page 530](#)

Add a stateful configuration

There are three ways to define a stateful configuration on the **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Firewall Stateful Configurations** page:

- Create a new configuration. Click **New > New Firewall Stateful Configuration**.
- Import a configuration from an XML file. Click **New > Import From File**.

- Copy and then modify an existing configuration. Right-click the configuration in the Firewall Stateful Configurations list and then click **Duplicate**. To edit the new configuration, select it and then click **Properties**.

Enter stateful configuration information

Enter a **Name** and **Description** for the configuration.

Select packet inspection options

You can define options for IP, TCP, UDP and ICMP packet inspection, and enable Active or Passive FTP.

IP packet inspection

Under the **General** tab, select the **Deny all incoming fragmented packets** to drop any fragmented packets. Dropped packets will bypass fragmentation analysis and generate an "IP fragmented packet" log entry. Packets with a total length smaller than the IP header length are dropped silently.

Warning: Attackers sometimes create and send fragmented packets in an attempt to bypass Firewall Rules.

Note: The Firewall Engine, by default, performs a series of checks on fragmented packets. This is default behavior and cannot be reconfigured. Packets with the following characteristics are dropped:

- **Invalid fragmentation flags/offset:** A packet is dropped when either the **DF** and **MF** flags in the IP header are set to 1, or the header contains the **DF** flag set to 1 and an **Offset** value different than 0.
- **First fragment too small:** A packet is dropped if its **MF** flag is set to 1, its **Offset** value is at 0, and it has total length of less than 120 bytes (the maximum combined header length).
- **IP fragment out of boundary:** A packet is dropped if its **Offset** flag value combined with the total packet length exceeds the maximum datagram length of 65535 bytes.
- **IP fragment offset too small:** A packet is dropped if it has a non-zero **Offset** flag with a value that is smaller than 60 bytes.

TCP packet inspection

Under the **TCP** tab, select which of the following options you would like to enable:

- **Deny TCP packets containing CWR, ECE flags:** These flags are set when there is network congestion.

Note: RFC 3168 defines two of the six bits from the Reserved field to be used for ECN (Explicit Congestion Notification), as follows:

- Bits 8 to 15: CWR-ECE-URG-ACK-PSH-RST-SYN-FIN
- TCP Header Flags Bit Name Reference:
 - Bit 8: CWR (Congestion Window Reduced) [RFC3168]
 - Bit 9: ECE (ECN-Echo) [RFC3168]

Warning: Automated packet transmission (such as that generated by a denial of service attack, among other things) will often produce packets in which these flags are set.

- **Enable TCP stateful inspection:** Enable stateful inspection at the TCP level. If you enable stateful TCP inspection, the following options become available:
 - **Enable TCP stateful logging:** TCP stateful inspection events will be logged.
 - **Limit the number of incoming connections from a single computer to:** Limiting the number of connections from a single computer can lessen the effect of a denial of service attack.
 - **Limit the number of outgoing connections to a single computer to:** Limiting the number of outgoing connections to a single computer can significantly reduce the effects of Nimda-like worms.
 - **Limit the number of half-open connections from a single computer to:** Setting a limit here can protect you from DoS attacks like SYN Flood. Although most servers have timeout settings for closing half-open connections, setting a value here can prevent half-open connections from becoming a significant problem. If the specified limit for SYN-SENT (remote) entries is reached, subsequent TCP packets from that specific computer will be dropped.

Note: When deciding on how many open connections from a single computer to allow, choose your number from somewhere between what you would consider a reasonable number of half-open connections from a single computer for the type of protocol being used, and how many half-open connections from a single computer your system can maintain without getting congested.

- **Enable ACK Storm protection when the number of already acknowledged packets exceeds:** Set this option to log an event that an ACK Storm attack has occurred.
 - **Drop Connection when ACK Storm detected:** Set this option to drop the connection if such an attack is detected.

Note: ACK Storm protection options are only available on Deep Security Agent 8.0 and earlier.

FTP Options

Under the **FTP Options** tab, you can enable the following options:

Note: The following FTP options are available in Deep Security Agent version 8.0 and earlier.

- **Active FTP**
 - **Allow Incoming:** Allow Active FTP when this computer is acting as a server.
 - **Allow Outgoing:** Allow Active FTP when this computer is acting as client.
- **Passive FTP**
 - **Allow Incoming:** Allow Passive FTP when this computer is acting as a server.
 - **Allow Outgoing:** Allow Passive FTP when this computer is acting as a client.

UDP packet inspection

Under the **UDP** tab, you can enable the following options:

- **Enable UDP stateful inspection:** Select to enable stateful inspection of UDP traffic.

Note: The UDP stateful mechanism drops unsolicited incoming UDP packets. For every outgoing UDP packet, the rule will update its UDP "stateful" table and will then only allow a UDP response if it occurs within 60 seconds of the request. If you wish to allow specific incoming UDP traffic, you will have to create a **Force Allow** rule. For example, if you are running a DNS server, you will have to create a **Force Allow** rule to allow incoming UDP packets to destination port 53.

Warning: Without stateful inspection of UDP traffic, an attacker can masquerade as a DNS server and send unsolicited UDP "replies" from source port 53 to computers behind a firewall.

- **Enable UDP stateful logging:** Selecting this option will enable the logging of UDP stateful inspection events.

ICMP packet inspection

Under the **ICMP** tab, you can enable the following options:

Note: ICMP stateful inspection is available in Deep Security Agent version 8.0 or earlier.

- **Enable ICMP stateful inspection:** Select to enable stateful inspection of ICMP traffic.

Note: The ICMP (pseudo-)stateful mechanism drops incoming unsolicited ICMP packets. For every outgoing ICMP packet, the rule will create or update its ICMP "stateful" table and will then only allow a ICMP response if it occurs within 60 seconds of the request. (ICMP pair types supported: Type 0 & 8, 13 & 14, 15 & 16, 17 & 18.)

Warning: With stateful ICMP inspection enabled, you can, for example, only allow an ICMP echo-reply in if an echo-request has been sent out. Unrequested echo-replies could be a sign of several kinds of attack including a Smurf amplification attack, a Tribe Flood Network communication between master and daemon, or a Loki 2 back-door.

- **Enable ICMP stateful logging:** Selecting this option will enable the logging of ICMP stateful inspection events.

Export a stateful configuration

You can export all stateful configurations to a .csv or .xml file by clicking **Export** and selecting the corresponding export action from the list. You can also export specific stateful configurations by first selecting them, clicking **Export** and then selecting the corresponding export action from the list.

Delete a stateful configuration

To delete a stateful configuration, right-click the configuration in the Firewall Stateful Configurations list, click **Delete** and then click **OK**.

Note: Stateful configurations that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

See policies and computers a stateful configuration is assigned to

You can see which policies and computers are assigned to a stateful inspection configuration on the **Assigned To** tab. Click on a policy or computer in the list to see their properties.

Define a schedule that you can apply to rules

Schedules are reusable timetables that you can assign to rules, agent upgrades, and more.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Schedules**.
2. Click **New > New Schedule**.
3. In the **General Information** area, enter a name and description used to identify the schedule.
4. Click a time block in the grid to select it. To deselect it, click it while pressing Shift. Schedule periods are defined by hour-long time blocks.

After you assign the schedule to a rule, it is displayed on the **Assigned To** tab for the schedule. To link a security rule to a schedule, go to the **Options** tab in the security rule's **Properties** window and select the schedule from the "Schedule" list.

Note: With agent-based protection, schedules use the same time zone as the protected computer's operating system. With agentless protection, schedules use the same time zone as the Deep Security Virtual Appliance.

Lock down software with application control

Note: You can enable application control for computers running Deep Security Agent 10.0 or higher. For a list of operating systems where application control is supported, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

Application control continuously monitors for software changes on your protected servers. Based on your policy configuration, application control either prevents unauthorized software from running until it is explicitly allowed, or allows unauthorized software until it is explicitly blocked. Which option you choose depends on the level of control you want over your environment.

Warning: Application control continuously monitors your server and logs an event whenever a software change occurs. It is not intended for environments with self-changing software or that normally creates executables, such as some web or mail servers. To ensure Application Control is appropriate for your environment, check ["What does application control detect as a software change?" on page 536](#).

Tip: You can automate Application Control creation and configuration using the Deep Security API. For more information, see the [Configure Application Control](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Key concepts

Targeted protection state: One of the main decisions you need to make when setting up application control is deciding your targeted protection state. Do you want to prevent all new or changed software from running, unless you manually specify that it is allowed? Or do you want it to run by default unless you specifically block it? One approach is to initially allow unrecognized software to run when you first enable application control and there's a lot of unrecognized software. As you add application control rules and the volume of unrecognized software decreases, you could switch to block mode.

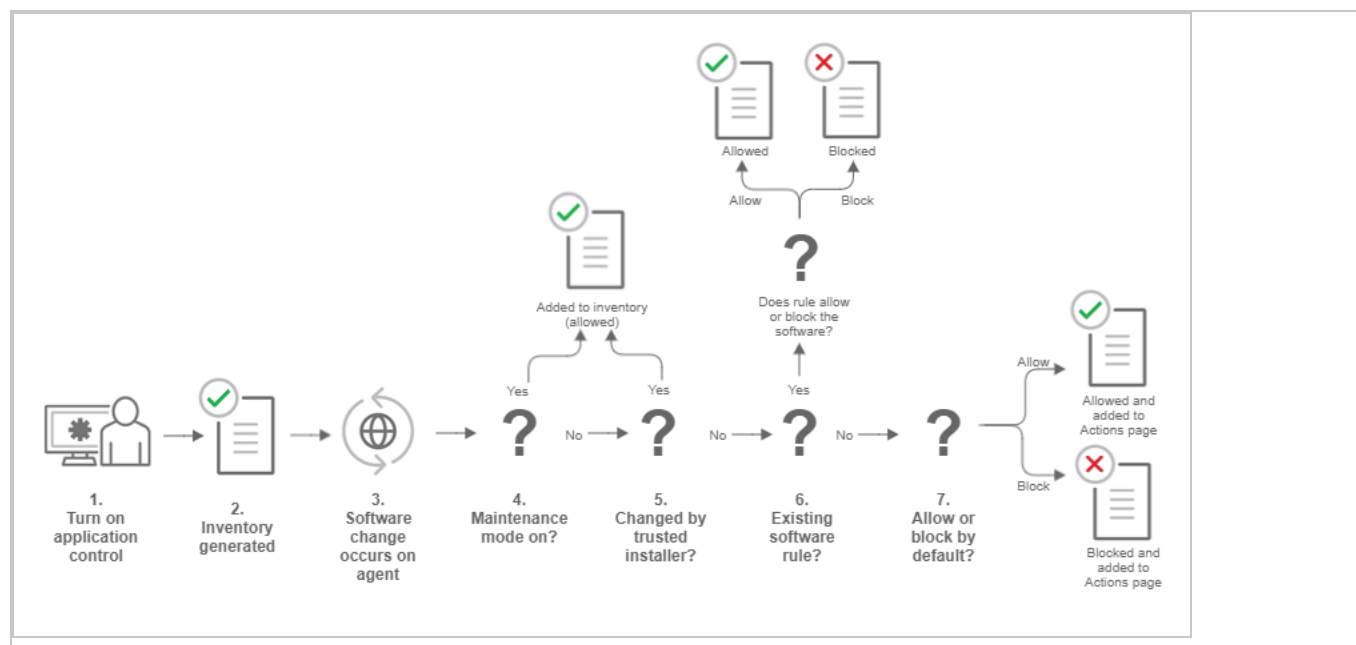
Application control rule: Rules specify whether software is allowed or blocked on a particular computer.

Inventory: Initial list of software that is installed on the computer. Make sure only software that you want to allow is installed on the computer. When you enable application control, all currently installed software is added to the computer's inventory and allowed to run. When a computer is in maintenance mode, any software changes made to the computer are added to the computer's inventory and allowed to run. A computer's software inventory is stored on the Deep Security Agent and is not displayed in Deep Security Manager.

Unrecognized software: Software that isn't in a computer's inventory and isn't already covered by an application control rule. See ["What does application control detect as a software change?" on page 536](#)

Maintenance mode: If you are planning to install or update software, we strongly advise that you turn on maintenance mode. In maintenance mode, application control continues to block software that is specifically blocked by an Application Control rule, but allows new or updated software to run and adds it to the computer's inventory. See ["Turn on maintenance mode when making planned changes" on page 542](#).

How does application control work?



1. You enable application control in a policy and assign the policy to a computer that is protected by a Deep Security Agent (see ["Turn on Application Control" on page 538](#)).
2. When the agent receives the policy, it creates an inventory of all software installed on the computer. All software listed in the inventory is assumed to be safe and is allowed to run on that computer. This inventory list is not visible from Deep Security Manager, which means you need to be absolutely certain that only good software is installed on a computer where you intend to enable application control.
3. After the inventory is finished, application control is aware of any software changes on the computer. A software change could be new software that appears on the computer or changes to existing software.
4. If the computer is in maintenance mode, the Deep Security Agent adds the software to its inventory list and it is allowed to run. This change is not visible in Deep Security Manager. See ["Turn on maintenance mode when making planned changes" on page 542](#).
5. If the change was made by a trusted installer, the Deep Security Agent adds the software to its inventory list and allows it to run. For example, when Microsoft Windows self-initiates a

component update, hundreds of new executable files may be installed. Application control auto-authorizes many file changes that are created by well-known Windows processes and does not list these changes in Deep Security Manager. Removing the "noise" associated with expected software changes provides you with clearer visibility into changes that may need your attention.

Note: The trusted installer feature is available with Deep Security Agent 10.2 or later.

6. If the computer's ruleset contains a rule for this exact piece of software, the software is allowed or blocked according to the rule that's in place. See ["What does application control detect as a software change?" on page 536](#)
7. If software is not in the computer's inventory and is not covered by an existing rule, it's considered unrecognized software. The policy assigned to the computer specifies how unrecognized software is handled. Depending on the policy configuration, it's either allowed to run or is blocked. If the software is blocked and it is able to produce error messages in the OS, an error message on the protected computer indicates that the software does not have permissions to run or that access is denied.

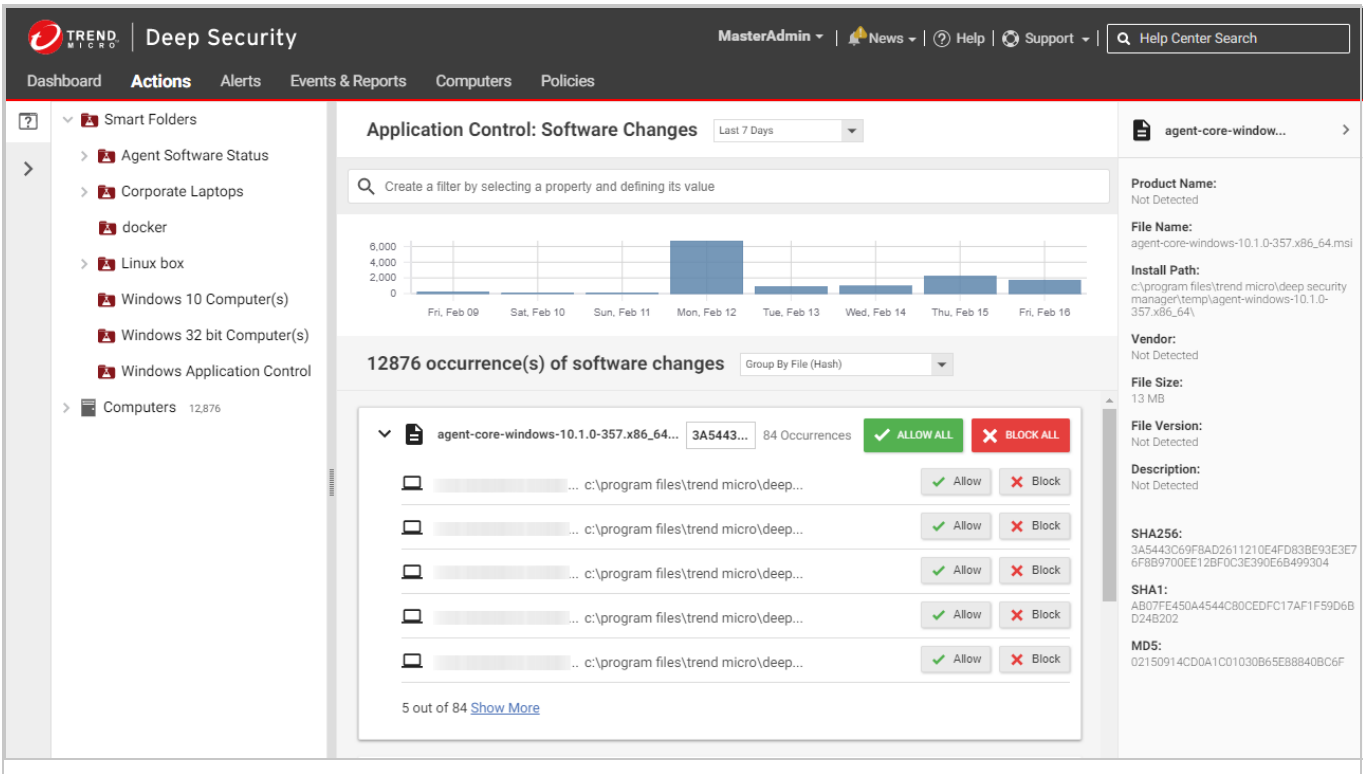
The unrecognized software appears on the **Application Control - Software Changes** page in Deep Security Manager. On that page, an administrator can click **Allow** or **Block** to create an allow or block rule for that piece of software on a particular computer. An allow or block rule takes precedence over the default action specified in the policy. See ["Monitor new and changed software" on page 539](#).

A tour of the application control interface

There are a few places in Deep Security Manager where you can see changes related to application control:

- ["Application Control: Software Changes \(Actions\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Application Control Rulesets" on page 535](#)
- ["Security Events" on page 536](#)

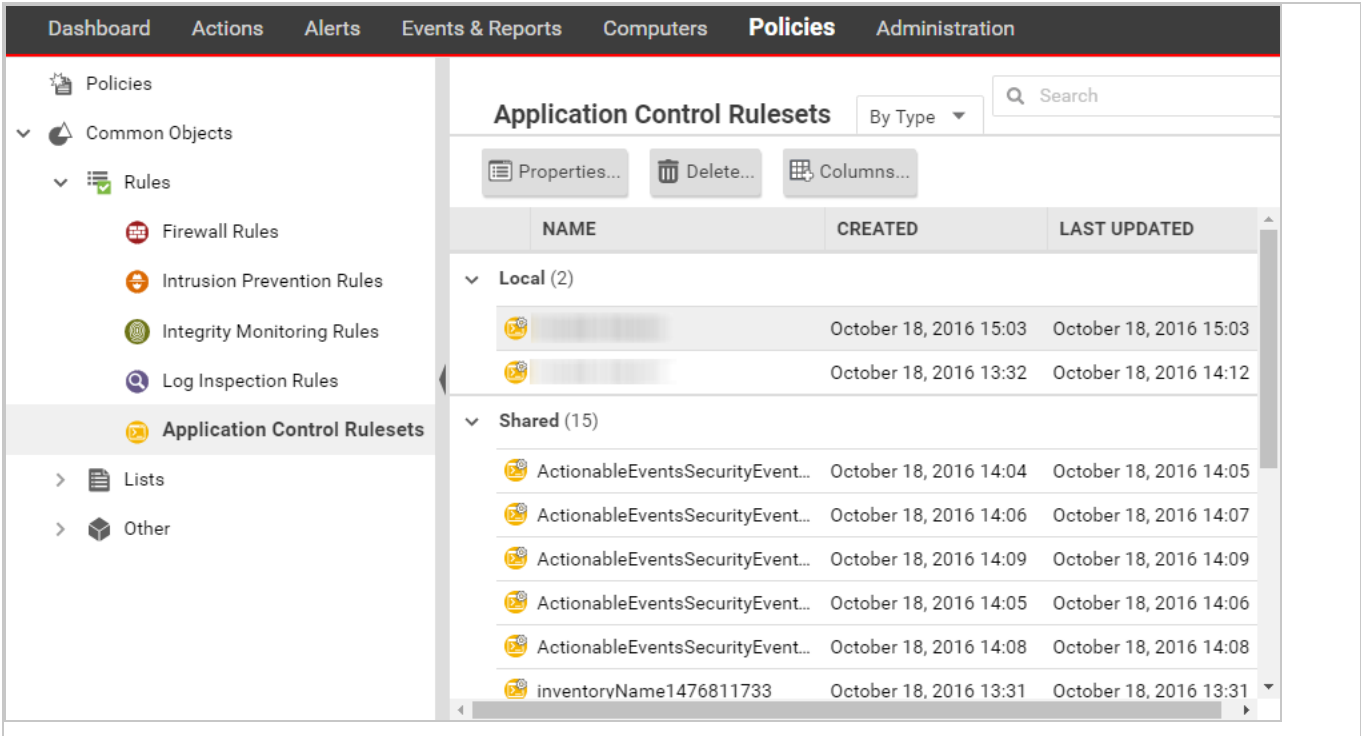
Application Control: Software Changes (Actions)



The **Application Control: Software Changes** page is displayed when you click **Actions** in Deep Security Manager. It displays all unrecognized software (software that isn't in a computer's inventory and doesn't have a corresponding application control rule). Software changes are allowed or blocked at the computer level, so if a particular piece of software is installed on fifty computers, it will appear on that page fifty times. However, if you know that a certain piece of software should be allowed or blocked everywhere, you can filter the **Actions** page to sort the changes by file hash and then click **Allow All** to allow it on all computers where the software is installed.

The policy applied to a computer specifies whether it will allow all unrecognized software to run by default, or block all unrecognized software, but no explicit application control rule is created until you click "Allow" or "Block" on the Actions page. When you click Allow or Block, a corresponding rule appears in the ruleset for the computer. The rulesets are displayed on the **Application Control Rulesets** page.

Application Control Rulesets



To see the ruleset for a computer, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Application Control Rulesets**. To see which rules are part of a ruleset, double-click the ruleset and go to the **Rules** tab. The Rules tab displays the pieces of software that have rules associated with them and enables you to change allow rules to block, and vice versa.

Security Events

The screenshot displays the 'Security Events' page in the Trend Micro Deep Security console. The left sidebar shows a hierarchy of event categories, with 'Security Events' selected. The main content area is titled 'Application Control Events' and includes filters for 'Period' (Last Hour) and 'Computers' (All Computers). A table of events is shown with columns for TIME, COMPUTER, EVENT, RULES, and RULESET. The events listed are 'Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed' occurring on February 16, 2018, at 12:30 and 12:40. Each event has a 'View rules...' link and a 'None' rule set. The bottom of the table shows 'Item 1 to 100 of 1,961'.

Events & Reports > Events > Application Control Events > Security Events displays all unrecognized software that either has been run on a computer or has been prevented from running by a block rule. You can filter this list by time period and other criteria.

For each event (except aggregated events), you can click **View rules** to change the rule from Allow to Block or vice versa. Deep Security Agent 10.2 or later includes event aggregation logic to reduce the volume of logs when the same event occurs repeatedly.

What does application control detect as a software change?

Unlike [integrity monitoring](#), which monitors any file, application control looks only for software files when examining the initial installation and monitoring for change.

Software can be:

- Windows applications (.exe, .com, .dll, .sys), Linux libraries (.so) and other compiled binaries and libraries
- Java .jar and .class files, and other compiled byte code
- PHP, Python, and shell scripts, and other web apps and scripts that are interpreted or compiled on the fly

- Windows PowerShell scripts, batch files (.bat), and other Windows-specific scripts (.wsf, .vbs, .js)

For example, WordPress and its plug-ins, Apache, IIS, nginx, Adobe Acrobat, app.war, and /usr/bin/ssh would all be detected as software.

Application control checks a file's extension to determine whether it's a script. Additionally, on Linux, application control treats any file with execute permissions as if it's a script.

Note: On Windows computers, application control tracks changes on the local file system, but not on network locations, CD or DVD drives, or USB devices.

Application control is integrated with the kernel (on Linux computers) and file system, so it has permissions to monitor the whole computer, including software installed by root or administrator accounts. The agent watches for disk write activity on software files, and for attempts to execute software.

Differences in how Deep Security Agent 10 and 11 compare files

To determine whether software is new or has changed, Deep Security 10 agents compare the file with the initially installed software's SHA-256 hash, file size, path, and file name (they have a "file-based" ruleset). Deep Security 11 (and newer) agents compare only the file's SHA-256 hash and file size (they have a "hash-based" ruleset). Because the rules created by Deep Security 11 (and newer) agents compare only the unique hash and file size, a rule will continue to be applied even if the software file is renamed or moved. As a result, using Deep Security 11 (and newer) agents reduces the number of software changes that you need to deal with.

A Deep Security 10 agent continues to use a file-based ruleset until it is upgraded to Deep Security 11.0 or newer. When you upgrade an agent to version 11.0 or newer, its ruleset is converted to use hash-based rules. If there are multiple file-based rules for the same hash value, they are consolidated into one hash-based rule. If the rules being consolidated conflict with each other (one rule blocks the file and another allows it), the new hash-based rule will be an "allow" rule.

Set up Application Control

Warning: Application Control continuously monitors your server and logs an event whenever a software change occurs. It is not intended for environments with self-changing software or that normally creates executables, such as some web or mail servers. To ensure Application Control

is appropriate for your environment, check ["What does application control detect as a software change?"](#) on page 536.

For information about how Application Control works, see ["Lock down software with application control"](#) on page 530.

To enable Application Control and monitor software changes:

1. ["Turn on Application Control"](#) below
2. ["Monitor new and changed software"](#) on the next page
3. ["Turn on maintenance mode when making planned changes"](#) on page 542

This article also provides ["Application Control tips and considerations"](#) on page 543 that you should be aware of when working with Application Control.

Once you've enabled Application Control, you can also learn how to:

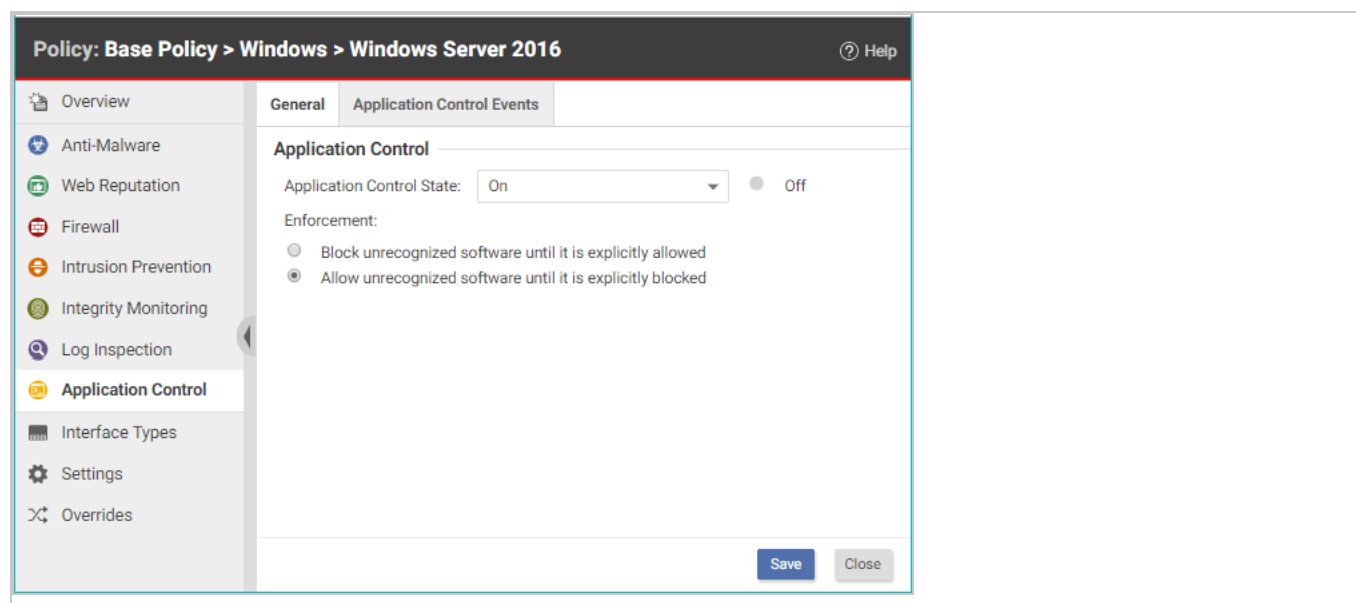
- ["View and change Application Control rulesets"](#) on page 548
- ["Reset application control after too much software change"](#) on page 552
- ["Monitor Application Control events"](#) on page 545
- ["Use the API to create shared and global rulesets"](#) on page 553

Turn on Application Control

You can enable Application Control in the settings for a computer or in policies:

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ and go to **Application Control > General**.
2. Set the **Application Control State** to "On" or "Inherited (On)".
3. Under **Enforcement**, select your targeted protection state:
 - **Block unrecognized software until it is explicitly allowed**
 - **Allow unrecognized software until it is explicitly blocked** (we recommend that you choose this option when initially setting up Application Control)
4. Click **Save**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).



The next time that the Deep Security Manager and agent connect, the agent scans and then generates an inventory of all software installed on the computer and creates rules that allow all the software that it finds. This initial inventory can take 15 minutes or longer, depending on your environment.

To check that Application Control is working as expected, follow the instructions in ["Verify that application control is enabled" on page 543](#).

Monitor new and changed software

Once an inventory has been created on a protected computer, any software executable files that are added or changed are classified as a "software change" and appear on the **Actions** page in Deep Security Manager. When unrecognized software runs, or attempts to run and is blocked, the event is listed under **Events & Reports > Events > Application Control Events > Security Events**. For more information, see ["Application Control events" on page 1052](#)

After you initially enable Application Control, you will likely see a lot of software changes on the **Actions** page. This can happen when allowed software creates new executables, renames files, or relocates files through the normal course of operation. As you add rules to tune Application Control, you should see fewer software changes.

To quickly find all software changes on all computers and easily create allow or block rules for them, use the **Actions** tab.

Tip: You can automate the creation of allow or block rules using the Deep Security API. For more information, see the [Allow or block unrecognized software](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Actions**.
2. There are several ways you can filter to see only specific occurrences of unrecognized software.

Tip: Instead of evaluating each software change on each computer individually, use the filters described below to find software changes that you know are good, and allow them in bulk.

The screenshot shows the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Dashboard', 'Actions', 'Alerts', 'Events & Reports', 'Computers', 'Policies', and 'Administration'. The 'Actions' tab is selected, and the 'Application Control: Software Changes' section is active. A dropdown menu shows 'Last 7 Days'. A search bar contains 'Host Name BEGINS WITH 10.203'. A bar chart displays software changes over time, with a callout indicating '15080 files'. Below the chart, a table lists software changes with columns for host name, file path, and actions (Allow/Block). The table shows four entries for 'curl-config.dpkg-new' on host '10.203'. The right sidebar provides details for the selected file, including file name, product name, install path, change event time, and user/process information. The bottom status bar shows 'Application Control Ruleset Update in Progress on 2 Computers' and 'Processing 19 Malware Scans'.

To reduce the number of software changes being displayed:

- From the drop-down list next to **Application Control: Software Changes**, select a time range such as **Last 7 Days**. You can also click a bar in the graph near the top of the page to display the changes for that time period.
- In the pane on the left, click **Computers** and select an individual computer or group, or click **Smart Folders** to display only the computers that are included in a particular smart

folder (see ["Group computers dynamically with smart folders" on page 1140](#)).

Note: Unlike the **Computers** tab, the **Software Changes** pane usually does not show all computers. It only displays computers where Application Control has detected software changes that don't already have allow or block rules.

- Enter search terms and operators in the search filter field. You search for these attributes: Change By Process, Change By User, File Name, Host Name, Install Path, MD5, SHA1, and SHA256. For example, you could find all changes made by a particular user that you trust and click **Allow All** to allow all of their changes. Or if a particular software update was installed across your organization (while [maintenance mode](#) was not enabled), filter the page according to the hash value of the file and click **Allow All** to allow all occurrences.

Tip: Details about a software change are displayed in the right pane. You can click the file name or computer name in the details to add it to your search filter.

- Select whether to **Group by File (Hash)** or **Group by Computer**.
3. Click either **Allow** or **Block** to add an allow or block rule on that computer, for that software. If you need more information to decide whether to allow or block, click the software name, then use the details panel on the right side.

The next time that the agent connects with the Deep Security Manager, it receives the new rules.

Tips for handling changes

- For most environments, we suggest that you select the **Allow unrecognized software until it is explicitly blocked** option to allow software changes by default when you first enable Application Control and add allow and block rules for changes that you see on the **Actions** page. Eventually, the rate of software changes should decrease. At that point, you could consider blocking software changes by default and creating allow rules for the software that you know is good. Some organizations prefer to continue to allow changes by default and monitor the **Actions** page for software that should be blocked.
- You may prefer to start by evaluating security events, rather than dealing with unrecognized software first. Security events show you which unrecognized software has run (or attempted to run). For information on security events, see ["Monitor Application Control events" on page 545](#).

- When an unrecognized file is allowed to execute and you want to continue to allow it, create an Allow rule. In addition to allowing the file's execution, the event is no longer logged for that file, which reduces noise and makes important events easier to find.
- When a known file's execution is blocked, consider cleaning that file from the computer, especially for repeated occurrences.
- Keep in mind that software changes are listed for each computer where they occur. You must allow or block the software for each computer.
- Rules are assigned to computers, not to policies. For example, if `helloworld.py` is detected on three computers, when you click **Allow All** or **Block All**, this would affect only three computers. It won't affect future detections on other computers, because they have their own rulesets.
- If you see changes related to software updates that you can control, use the maintenance mode feature when performing those updates. See ["Turn on maintenance mode when making planned changes" below](#).

Turn on maintenance mode when making planned changes

When you install patches, upgrade software, or deploy web applications, Application Control will detect them. Depending on your setting for how to handle unrecognized software, this could block that software until you use the **Actions** tab to create allow rules.

To avoid extra down time and alerts during deployment and maintenance windows, you can put Application Control into a mode designed for maintenance windows. While maintenance mode is enabled, Application Control will continue to enforce rules that block software, but it will allow new or updated software to run and automatically add it to the computer's inventory.

Tip: You can automate maintenance mode using the Deep Security API. For more information, see the [Configure maintenance mode during upgrades](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Computers**.
2. Select one or more computers, then click **Actions > Turn On Maintenance Mode**.
3. Select the duration of your maintenance window.

Maintenance mode will automatically disable itself when your maintenance window is scheduled to end. Alternatively, if you'd prefer to manually disable maintenance mode when updates are finished, select **Indefinite**.

On the **Dashboard**, the **Application Control Maintenance Mode Status** widget indicates whether the command succeeded.

4. Install or upgrade software.
5. If you chose to disable maintenance mode manually, remember to disable maintenance mode in order to start to detect software changes again.

Application Control tips and considerations

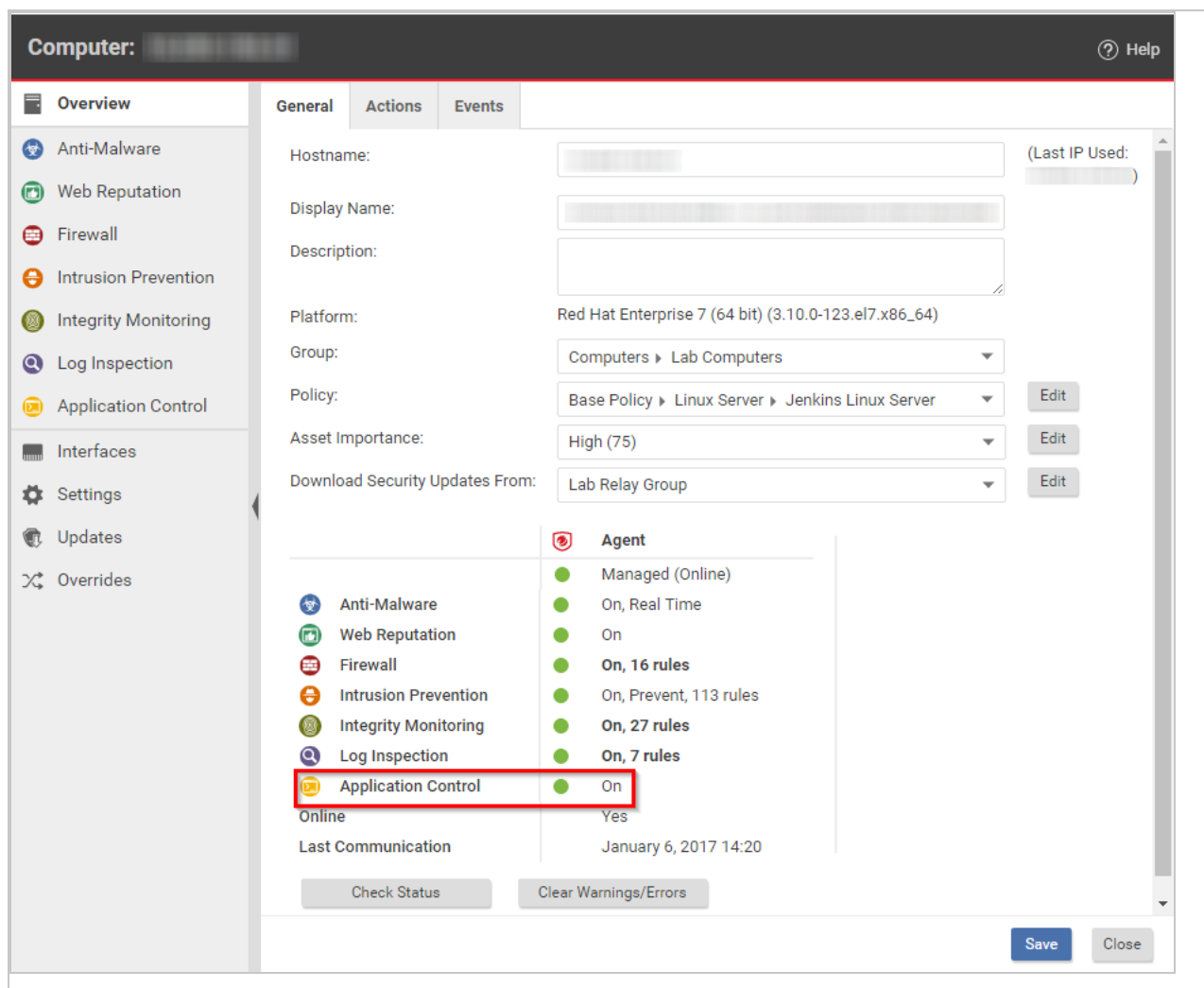
- For better performance with Application Control, use Deep Security anti-malware instead of Windows Defender. See ["Disable Windows Defender after installing Deep Security anti-malware on Windows Server 2016" on page 588](#).
- If you create a block rule for a batch file or PowerShell script, you will not be able to copy, move, or rename the file when using its associated interpreter (powershell.exe for PowerShell scripts or cmd.exe for batch files).
- If you add an allow or block rule, it is normally sent to the agent the next time the agent connects to Deep Security Manager. If you see an error saying that the ruleset upload was not successful, verify that network devices between the agent and the manager or relay allow communications on the [heartbeat port number](#) or [relay port numbers](#).
- To verify that a block rule is working, try to run the software that you just blocked. (For details on how Deep Security Agent detects changes, see ["What does application control detect as a software change?" on page 536](#))
- When blocked software remains installed, Application Control continues to record logs and show alerts when it blocks the software from running. To reduce the permission error logs on the computer and also reduce your attack surface, uninstall the software that Application Control is blocking. Once that is done, if you want to dismiss related alerts, either go to **Alerts** or go to **Dashboard**, click the alert, and then click **Dismiss Alert**. Not all alerts can be dismissed. For more information, see ["Predefined alerts" on page 999](#).
- For performance reasons, if the computer has too much software change, Application Control will continue to enforce existing rules, but stop detecting and displaying software changes. To resolve this, see ["Reset application control after too much software change" on page 552](#).

Verify that application control is enabled

For an overview of application control, see ["Lock down software with application control" on page 530](#). For initial configuration instructions, see ["Set up Application Control" on page 537](#).

When application control is enabled and has finished its initial software inventory scan:

- The **State** field indicates "On" or "On, Blocking unrecognized software".
- On **Computers**, the **Status** field changes from "Application Control Ruleset Build In Progress" to "Managed (Online)".
- **Events & Reports > Events > System Events** will record "Application Control Ruleset Build Started" and "Application Control Ruleset Build Completed". (If you don't see any logs, see ["Choose which Application Control events to log" on the next page.](#))



To verify that application control is working:

1. Copy an executable to the computer or add execute permissions to a plain text file. Try to run the executable.

Depending on your enforcement setting for unrecognized software, it should be either blocked or allowed. Once application control has built initial allow rules or downloaded a shared ruleset, if any change is detected, it should appear in the **Actions** tab, which you can use to create allow and block rules (see ["Monitor new and changed software" on page 539](#)). Depending on your alert configuration, you will also see an alert if unrecognized software is detected, or if application control blocks software from launching (see ["Monitor Application Control events" below](#)). The event should persist until the software change no longer exists, or until the oldest data has been removed from the database.

2. Add an allow or block rule for your test software and then try again. This time, application control should apply your allow or block rule.

Tip: If software is accidentally blocked because you've selected **Block unrecognized software until it is explicitly allowed** and the software isn't being recognized, the **Reason** column in application control event logs can help you to troubleshoot the cause.

Monitor Application Control events

For an overview of Application Control, see ["Lock down software with application control" on page 530](#). For initial configuration instructions, see ["Set up Application Control" on page 537](#).

By default, when you enable Application Control it logs events, such as when there are software changes or when it blocks software from executing. Application Control events appear on the **Actions** and **Events & Reports** pages. If configured, an alert appears on the **Alerts** page.

You can configure some of which Application Control event logs are recorded, and which are [forwarded to external SIEM systems, or syslog servers](#).

To monitor for software changes on computers:

1. ["Choose which Application Control events to log" below](#)
2. ["View Application Control event logs" on the next page](#)
3. ["Interpret aggregated security events" on the next page](#)
4. ["Monitor Application Control alerts" on page 547](#)

Choose which Application Control events to log

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > System Events**.
2. Scroll down to the Application Control events such as Event ID 7000 "Application Control Events Exported".

3. If you want to record event logs for that type of event, select **Record**.

When those events occur, they appear on **Events & Reports > Events > System Events**. Logs are kept until they meet maximum log age criteria. For details, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

Note: Events that appear on **Computers > Details > Application Control > Events** are not configured here. They are always logged.

4. If you want to forward event logs to a SIEM, or syslog server, select **Forward**.
5. If you use an external SIEM, you may need to load the list of possible Application Control event logs, and indicate what action to take. For a list of Application Control events, see ["System events" on page 1020](#) and ["Application Control events" on page 1052](#).

View Application Control event logs

Application Control generates system events and security events:

- **System event:** An audit event that provides a history of configuration changes or software updates. To see system events click **Events & Reports > Events > System Events**. For a list, see ["System events" on page 1020](#).
- **Security event:** An event that occurs on the agent when Application Control blocks or allows unrecognized software, or blocks software due to a block rule. To see security events, click **Events & Reports > Events > Application Control Events > Security Events**. For a list, see ["Application Control events" on page 1052](#).

Interpret aggregated security events

When an agent heartbeat includes several instances of the same security event, Deep Security aggregates the events in the Security Events log. Event aggregation reduces the number of items in the log, making it easier to find important events:

- When the event occurs for the same file, which is usually the case, the log includes the file name with the aggregated event. For example, a heartbeat includes 3 instances of the "Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed" event for the Test_6_file.sh file, and no other instances of that event. Deep Security aggregates these 3 events for the file Test_6_file.sh.

- When the event occurs for many files, the log omits the rules link, path, file name, and user name. For example, a heartbeat includes 21 instances of the "Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed" event that occurred for several different files. Deep Security aggregates the 21 events in a single event, but does not include a rules link, path, file name, or user name.

When aggregated events apply to multiple files, other occurrences of these events have likely been reported in other heartbeats. After you respond to other events where the file name is known, it is likely that no more aggregated events occur.

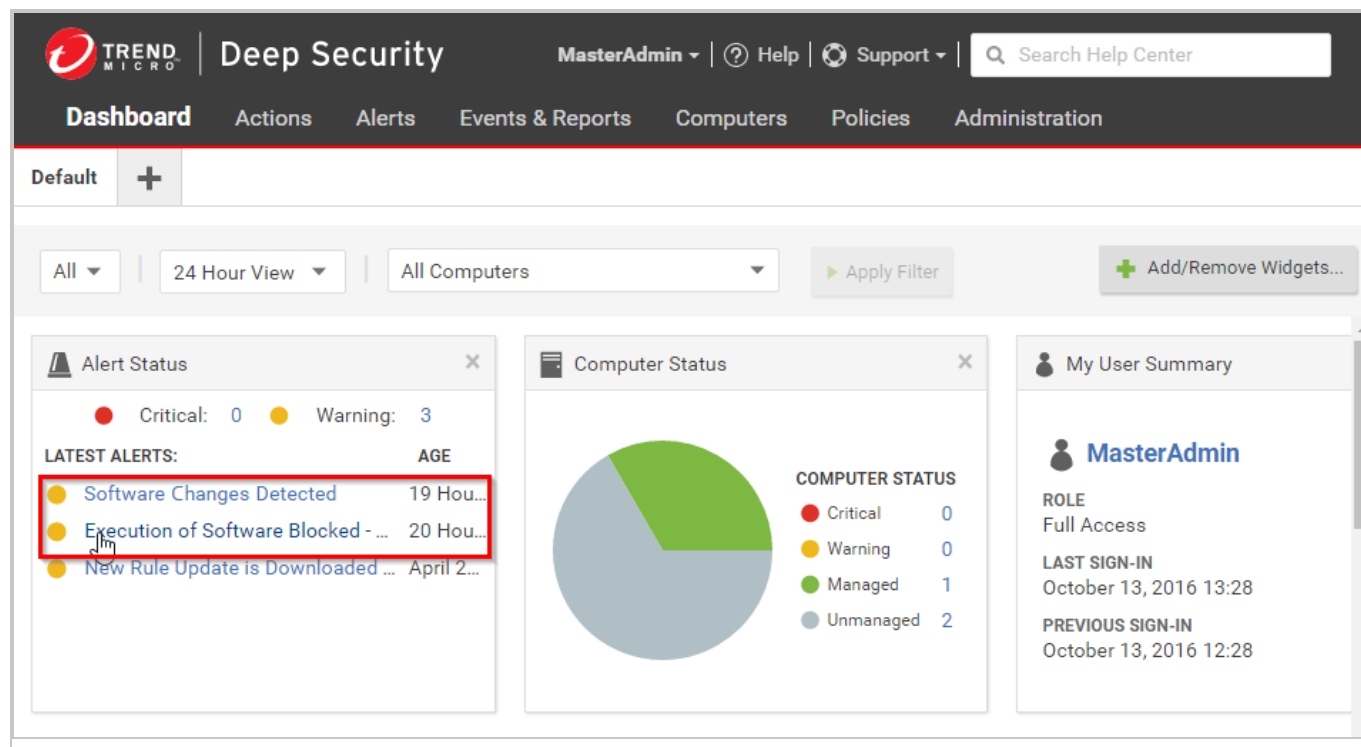
In the log, aggregated events use special icons, and the **Repeat Count** column indicates the number of events that are aggregated.

Application Control Events All No Grouping Search this page									
Period: Last 7 Days									
Computers: All Computers									
View Export Auto-Tagging... Columns...									
	TIME	COMPUTER	EVENT	RULES	RULESET	REPEAT COUNT	ACTION	REASON	FILE
	October 6, 2017 10:31:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	Test_4_file.sh
	October 6, 2017 10:30:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	Test_3_file.sh
	October 6, 2017 10:31:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	2	Allowed	N/A	Test_1_file.sh
	October 6, 2017 10:30:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	2	Allowed	N/A	Test_9_file.sh
	October 6, 2017 10:31:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	2	Allowed	N/A	Test_5_file.sh
	October 6, 2017 10:31:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	3	Allowed	N/A	Test_6_file.sh
	October 6, 2017 10:30:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	heartbeatSyn...
	October 5, 2017 15:04:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	Test_7_file.sh
	October 5, 2017 15:04:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	Test_3_file.sh
	October 5, 2017 15:04:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	Test_5_file.sh
	October 5, 2017 15:04:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	Change rules...	None	1	Allowed	N/A	heartbeatSyn...
	October 5, 2017 14:42:...		Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed	N/A	None	21	Allowed	N/A	N/A

Monitor Application Control alerts

To configure which Application Control events or severity levels cause an alert, go to the **Alerts** tab, click the **Configure Alerts** button, and then select an event and double-click **Properties**. For details, see ["Configure alerts" on page 858](#).

When alerts are enabled for Application Control events, any software change that the Application Control engine detects and any software that it blocks from executing appear in the **Alerts** tab. If you have enabled the **Alert Status** widget, Application Control alerts also appear on the Dashboard.



To monitor which computers are in maintenance mode, you can also click **Add/Remove Widgets** and enable the **Application Control Maintenance Mode** widget, which displays a list of the computers and their scheduled maintenance windows.

View and change Application Control rulesets

Each computer has its own Application Control ruleset. You can:

- ["View Application Control rulesets" on the next page](#) and find out which rules they include.

Tip: When you first enable Application Control for a computer, the software installed on the computer is added to the computer's inventory and allowed to run. However, you cannot see the rules associated with the inventory from Deep Security Manager unless you use the Deep Security legacy REST API to do so (see ["Use the API to create shared and global rulesets" on page 553](#)). In Deep Security Manager, a computer's ruleset appears empty until you create some allow/block rules for the computer.

- ["Change the action for an Application Control rule" on page 550](#) if a software file should no longer be allowed/blocked.

- ["Delete an individual Application Control rule" on page 551](#) if the software has been removed and isn't likely to return.
- ["Delete an Application Control ruleset" on page 552](#) if the computer associated with the ruleset has been removed.

Tip: If a user reports that Application Control is blocking software that they need to run on a particular computer, you can undo the block rule on that computer. Go to **Events & Reports > Application Control Events > Security Events**, find the computer, locate the block event, and then click **View Rules**. In the pop-up that appears, you can change the block rule to an allow rule.

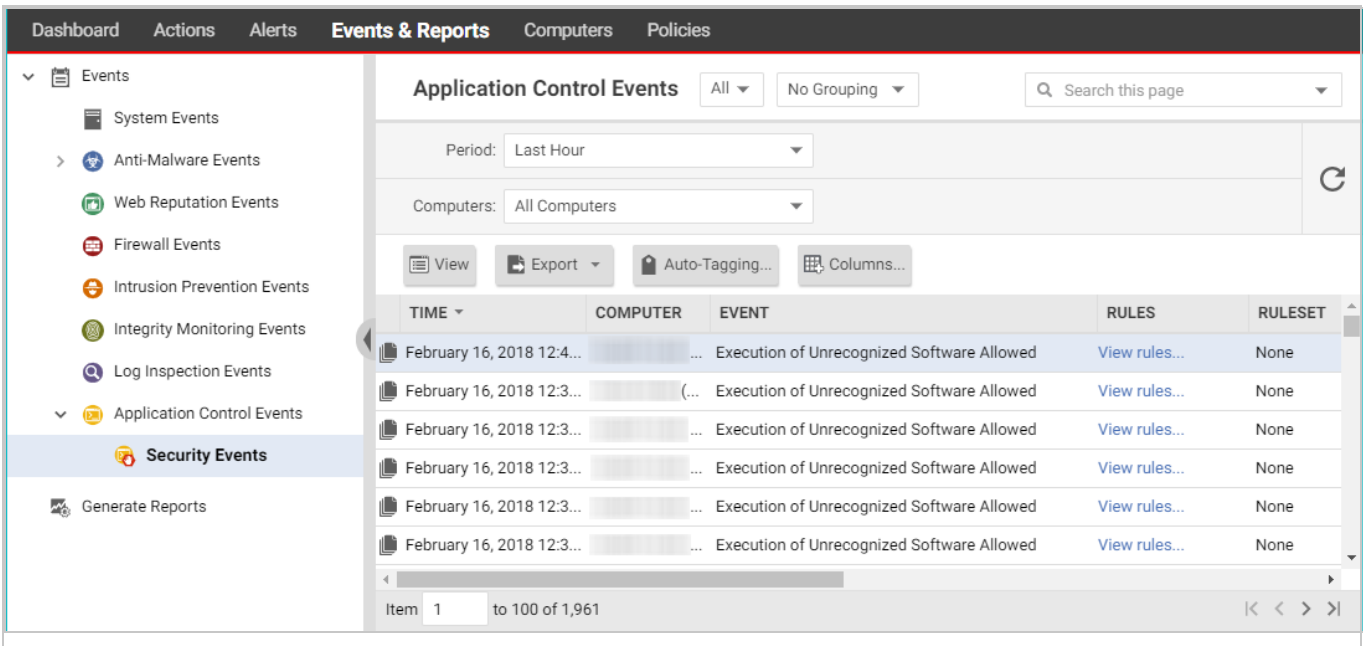
View Application Control rulesets

To view the list of Application Control rulesets, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Application Control Rulesets**.

NAME	CREATED	LAST UPDATED
Local (2)		
Local (2)	October 18, 2016 15:03	October 18, 2016 15:03
Local (1)	October 18, 2016 13:32	October 18, 2016 14:12
Shared (15)		
ActionableEventsSecurityEvent...	October 18, 2016 14:04	October 18, 2016 14:05
ActionableEventsSecurityEvent...	October 18, 2016 14:06	October 18, 2016 14:07
ActionableEventsSecurityEvent...	October 18, 2016 14:09	October 18, 2016 14:09
ActionableEventsSecurityEvent...	October 18, 2016 14:05	October 18, 2016 14:06
ActionableEventsSecurityEvent...	October 18, 2016 14:08	October 18, 2016 14:08
inventoryName1476811733	October 18, 2016 13:31	October 18, 2016 13:31

To see which rules are part of a ruleset, double-click the ruleset and go to the **Rules** tab. The Rules tab displays the software files that have rules associated with them and enables you to change allow rules to block, and vice versa. (See ["Change the action for an Application Control rule" on the next page.](#))

Security Events



Events & Reports > Events > Application Control Events > Security Events displays all unrecognized software that either was run on a computer or was actively blocked from running. You can filter this list by time period and other criteria. For more information, see ["Application Control events" on page 1052](#).

For each event (except aggregated events), you can click **View rules** to change the rule from Allow to Block or vice versa.

Deep Security Agent 10.2 or later includes event aggregation logic to reduce the volume of logs when the same event occurs repeatedly. (See ["Interpret aggregated security events" on page 546](#).)

Change the action for an Application Control rule

If you want to allow a software that you previously blocked (or the opposite), you can edit the action in the rule. If you need to undo the rule so that the software is not recognized by Application Control (in other words, delete the rule, not only change its action), see ["Delete an individual Application Control rule" on the next page](#) instead.

1. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Application Control Rulesets**.
2. Double-click to select the ruleset that contains the rule that you want to change.

- On the pop-up window that appears, go to the **Rules** tab.
- If you want to focus on software that was blocked (or allowed), then in the menu next to **Application Control Rules**, select **By Action** or **By Path** to group similar rules. Alternatively, you can use the search to filter the list.

If you want to change the action for a software file, but it has multiple different file names or paths, select **By File Name** or **By Path** to group related rules.

General

Rules

Assigned To

Application Control Rules

By Action

By Action

By Last Change By

No Grouping

Search this page

Allow

Block

Delete...

ACTION	HASH	FILE SIZE (B...	LAST CHANGE BY	LAST CHANGED
Allow (3)				
Allow	CDEFF41012D3C71FD3DD903B6D4BA0FFA24649115A2EB06E3FC9DDB83EFF7C88	93,258	MasterAdmin	February 1, 2019 07:40
Allow	49381F8DE40E2D2287807FB38D612CCF44D8215BBE9A99C39660D3E5C17A4DAB	92,971	MasterAdmin	February 1, 2019 07:40
Allow	620C6B9FC167162057F7C208D8BFD2F4D9B0ACE9FE926F29BFD3281A761B3311	344,742,846	MasterAdmin	February 7, 2019 05:43

- Find the row for the specific software that you want to allow or block.
- In the **Action** column, change the setting to allow or block, then click **OK**.

The next time that the agent connects with Deep Security Manager, the rule will be updated, and the version number will increase.

Delete an individual Application Control rule

If you want to undo a rule that you created, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Application Control Rulesets**, double-click the ruleset that contains the rule, go to the **Rules** tab, select the rule and then click **Delete**.

Some things to keep in mind:

- When the rules are not needed anymore, you can delete them to reduce the size of the ruleset. This improves performance by reducing RAM and CPU usage.
- If you delete a rule, Application Control will not recognize the software anymore. If the software is installed again, it will appear again on the **Actions** tab.

- If a software update is unstable and you might need to downgrade, keep rules that allow rollback to the previous software version until you have completed testing.
- To find the oldest rules, go to **Policies > Rules > Application Control Rulesets**, then click **Columns**. Select **Date/Time (Last Change)**, click **OK**, and then click that column's header to sort by date.

Delete an Application Control ruleset

If an Application Control ruleset is not being used anymore (for example, if the computer associated with the ruleset no longer exists), you can delete it.

To delete a ruleset, go to **Policies > Rules > Application Control Rulesets**, click a ruleset to select it, and click **Delete**.

Reset application control after too much software change

For an overview of application control, see ["Lock down software with application control" on page 530](#).

Application control is intended for use on stable servers that are not updated frequently, and not for workstations or servers that undergo a lot of software changes.

Too many changes make large rulesets that consume more RAM, unless you remove old rules. If you don't use maintenance mode during authorized software updates, too many changes can also result in high administrator workload because they must manually create allow rules for each change.

If unrecognized software changes exceed the maximum, application control will stop detecting and displaying all of the computer's software changes. This stoppage is designed to prevent out-of-memory and disk space errors that can occur if the ruleset grows too large.

When a stoppage occurs, Deep Security Manager will notify you through an alert ("Unresolved software change limit") and an event log ("Unresolved software change limit reached"). You must resolve the issue to continue detecting software changes.

1. Examine the computer's processes and security events. Verify that the computer has not been compromised. If you are not sure, or do not have enough time, the safest and fastest way is to restore the system from a backup or VM snapshot.

Warning: If you don't remove any unauthorized software (including zero-day malware), application control will ignore it when you reset application control. It won't appear on the Actions tab anymore and if its process has already executed and it is in RAM, application control won't log any events or alerts about it until you reboot the computer.

2. If the computer was running software updates, including auto-updates (for example, browser, Adobe Reader, or yum auto-updates), disable them or schedule them so that they occur only when you have enabled application control's maintenance mode (see ["Turn on maintenance mode when making planned changes" on page 542](#)).
3. Reset application control. To do this, disable application control in the **Computer editor**¹. Once the agent has acknowledged it and cleared the error status, enable application control again. The agent generates a new software inventory list.

Use the API to create shared and global rulesets

For an overview of Application Control, see ["Lock down software with application control" on page 530](#). For initial configuration instructions, see ["Set up Application Control" on page 537](#).

Using the Deep Security Manager API on the [Automation Center](#), you can create shared rulesets and global rules. You can use one type of ruleset, or a combination. For more information, see [Create a shared ruleset](#) and [Add global rules](#).

- **Local ruleset:** Rules that are added as part of a computer's software inventory or when in maintenance mode are stored only on the protected computer and are not visible in Deep Security Manager. Allow or block rules that you configure in Deep Security Manager are sent to the agent and stored in both places. Because agents don't transfer their inventory information to the manager, local rulesets offer better performance than shared rulesets.

To determine whether software is new or has changed, Deep Security 10 agents compare the file with the initially installed software's SHA-256 hash, file size, path, and file name (they have a "file-based" local ruleset). Deep Security 11 (or newer) agents compare only the file's SHA-256 hash and file size (they have a "hash-based" local ruleset). Because the rules created by Deep Security 11 (or newer) agents compare only the unique hash and file size, a rule will continue to be applied even if the software file is renamed or moved. As a result, using Deep Security 11 (or newer) agents reduces the number of software changes

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

that you need to deal with. A Deep Security 10 agent continues to use a file-based local ruleset until it is upgraded to Deep Security 11 or newer. When you upgrade an agent to version 11 or newer, its local ruleset is converted to use hash-based rules.

Note: If there are multiple file-based rules for the same hash value, they are consolidated into one hash-based rule. If the rules being consolidated conflict with each other (one rule blocks the file and another allows it), the new hash-based rule will be an "allow" rule.

- **Shared ruleset:** Syncs all of its rule data onto both agents and manager (and also relays, if enabled). This increases network and disk space usage. However, it may be easier if you need to verify the rules from the initial inventory scan or maintenance mode, or if you manage a server farm with many computers that should be identical. For example, if you have a server pool of identical LAMP web servers, or if they are virtual machines (VMs) that are part of an auto-scaling group, shared rulesets can be useful. It can also reduce administrator workload.

Warning: Don't use a shared ruleset if you enabled **Block unrecognized software until it is explicitly allowed**, and if computers are merely similar (but not identical). It will block all software on other computers that isn't in the first computer's ruleset. If those include critical files, it could break the OS. If that happens, you may be required to reinstall, revert to a backup, or use the OS recovery mode.

When you create a new shared ruleset using Deep Security 11.1 or newer, it can only contain hash-based rules (rules that compare only a file's hash and size). If you created a shared ruleset using Deep Security 11.0 or earlier, it contains file-based rules (rules that compare a file's name, path, size, and hash). Older shared rulesets will continue to use file-based rules until all agents using the shared ruleset are upgraded to Deep Security Agent 11.0 or newer. When all agents are version 11.0 or newer, the shared ruleset will be converted to use hash-based rules.

Warning: Don't create a new shared ruleset unless all agents using the ruleset are version 11.0 or newer. New shared rulesets are hash-based and are not compatible with 10.3 or earlier agents, which support only file-based rulesets.

Note: If there are multiple file-based rules for the same hash value, they are consolidated into one hash-based rule. If the rules being consolidated conflict with each other (one rule blocks the file and another allows it), the new hash-based rule will be an "allow" rule.

To create shared rules, see [Create a shared ruleset](#) on the Automation Center.

- **Global rules:** Like shared rulesets, global rules are distributed to agents by the manager (and also relays, if enabled). This increases network and disk space usage. However, because they are global, you don't need to spend time selecting them in each policy. Global rules aren't part of the rulesets you can see in Deep Security Manager. Global rules can only contain block rules, not allow rules.

Global rules require Deep Security Agent 10.2 or newer. The manager will not send the global ruleset to older agents. Global rulesets take precedence over all other Application Control rules and are enforced on all computers where Application Control is enabled. The rules in global rules are based on a file's SHA-256 hash. Because a software file's hash is unique, you can block specific software everywhere - regardless of file path, policy, or computer group, and regardless of whether Application Control has detected the software before.

Note: In a multi-tenant deployment, each tenant has a separate global rules. To block software for all tenants, create the same global rules for each tenant.

To create shared rules, see [Add global rules](#) on the Automation Center.

In this article:

- ["Create a shared ruleset" below](#)
- ["Change from shared to computer-specific allow and block rules" on the next page](#)
- ["Deploy Application Control shared rulesets via relays" on page 557](#)
- ["Considerations when using relays with share rulesets" on page 559](#)

Create a shared ruleset

You can use the API to create shared allow or block rules and apply the ruleset to other computers. This can be useful if you have many identical computers (such as a load balanced web server farm). **Shared rulesets should be applied only to computers with the exact same inventory.**

1. Use the API to build a computer's shared allow and block rules. For more information, see [Create a shared ruleset](#). If you want to examine the shared ruleset before you deploy it, see ["View and change Application Control rulesets" on page 548](#).
2. Go to **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Application Control**.
3. In the ruleset section, make sure **Inherit settings** is not selected and then select **Use a shared ruleset**. Indicate which shared rules to use.

Note: These settings are hidden until you use the API to create at least one shared ruleset. If you haven't created any shared rulesets, or if you keep the default settings, each computer will keep its own allow and block rules locally. Changes to local rules don't affect other computers.

4. Click **Save**.

The next time that the Deep Security Agent on the computer connects with Deep Security Manager, the agent applies those rules.

If you see an error saying that the ruleset upload was not successful, verify that network devices between the agent and the manager or relay allow communications on the [heartbeat port](#) or [relay port numbers](#).

Change from shared to computer-specific allow and block rules

If the computer is currently using shared allow or block rules created via the API, you can change it to use local rules. Application control scans the file system for all currently-installed software and creates an initial ruleset for it, similar to when you first enabled Application Control.

Warning: Before you start, verify that only good software is currently installed. Rebuilding the ruleset will allow all currently installed software, even if it is insecure or malware. If you are not sure what is installed, the safest approach is to make a clean install and then enable Application Control.

The steps below configure a computer's agent to use a local ruleset. If you want all computers to use local rules, edit the setting in the **Policies** tab instead.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

1. Go to **Computer editor**¹ > **Application Control**.
2. In the ruleset section, deselect **Inherit settings** (if necessary), and then select **Use local ruleset initially based on installed software**.
3. Click **Save**.

To verify the change, the next time the agent and Deep Security Manager connect, look for [event log messages about building the Application Control ruleset](#).

Deploy Application Control shared rulesets via relays

Each time you create an Application Control ruleset or change it, it must be distributed to all computers that use it. Shared rulesets are bigger than local rulesets. Shared rulesets are also often applied to many servers. If they all downloaded the ruleset directly from the manager at the same time, high load could cause slower performance. Global rulesets have the same considerations.

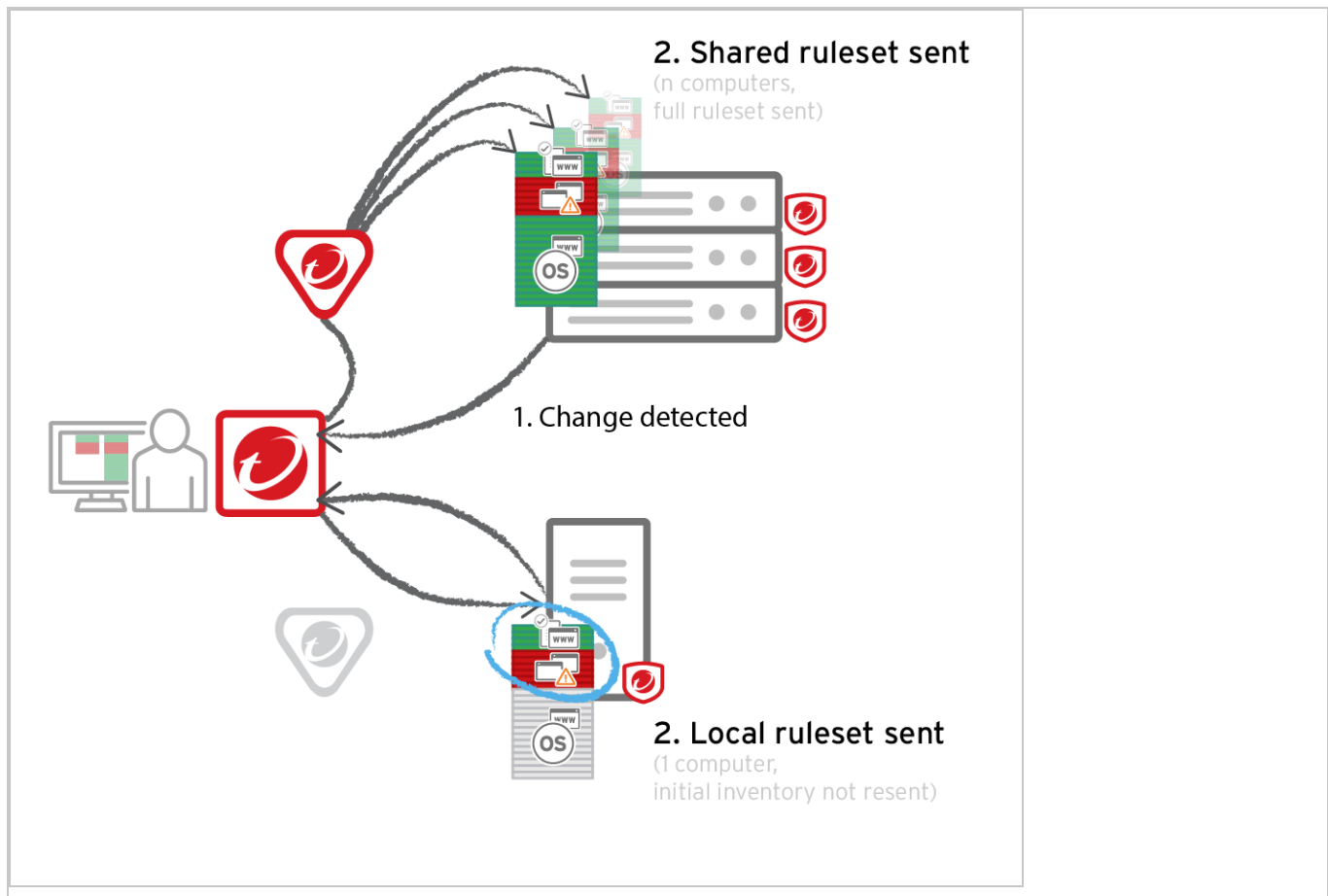
Using Deep Security Relays can solve this problem. (For information on configuring relays, see ["Distribute security and software updates with relays" on page 308](#).)

Steps vary depending whether or not you have a multi-tenant deployment.

Single tenant deployments

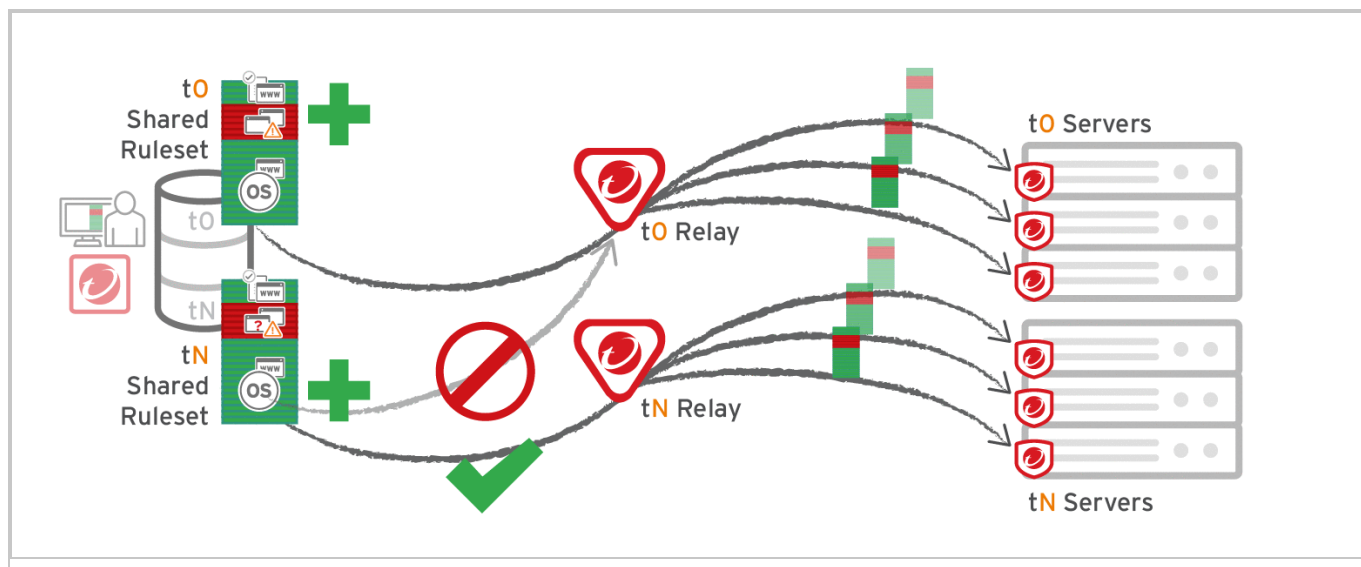
Go to **Administration > System Settings > Advanced** and then select **Serve Application Control rulesets from relays**.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).



Multi-tenant deployments

The primary tenant (t0) can't access other tenants' (tN) configurations, so t0 relays don't have tN Application Control rulesets. Other tenants (Tn) must create their own [relay group](#), then select **Serve Application Control rulesets from relays**.



Considerations when using relays with share rulesets

Before using relays, verify that they are compatible with your deployment. If the agent doesn't have any previously downloaded ruleset currently in effect, and **if it doesn't receive new Application Control rules, then the computer won't be protected by Application Control**. If Application Control ruleset download fails, a ruleset download failure event will be recorded on the manager and on the agent.

- If you are using a proxy to connect agents to a manager, you must use a relay.

Note: In Deep Security Agent 10.0 GM and earlier, agents didn't have support for connections through a proxy to relays. If a ruleset download fails due to a proxy, and if your agents require a proxy to access the relay or manager, then you must either:

- [update agents' software](#), then [configure the proxy](#)
 - bypass the proxy
 - add a relay and then select **Serve Application Control rulesets from relays**
- If you are using shared or global rulesets, a relay can result in faster performance.
 - If you are using local rulesets, a relay can cause slower performance,
 - Do not use a relay with multi-tenant configurations when non-primary tenants (tN) use the default, primary (t0) relay group.

Protect against malware

The Deep Security anti-malware module provides agent computers with both real-time and on-demand protection against file-based threats, including malware, viruses, Trojans, and spyware. To identify threats, the anti-malware module checks files on the local hard drive against a comprehensive threat database. The anti-malware module also checks files for certain characteristics, such as compression and known exploit code.

Portions of the threat database are hosted on Trend Micro servers or stored locally as patterns. Deep Security Agents periodically download anti-malware patterns and updates to ensure protection against the latest threats.

Note: A newly installed Deep Security Agent cannot provide anti-malware protection until it has contacted an update server to download anti-malware patterns and updates. Ensure that your Deep Security Agents can communicate with a Deep Security Relay or the Trend Micro Update Server after installation.

The anti-malware module eliminates threats while minimizing the impact on system performance. The anti-malware module can clean, delete, or quarantine malicious files. It can also terminate processes and delete other system objects that are associated with identified threats.

To turn on and configure the anti-malware module, see ["Enable and configure anti-malware" on page 567](#).

- ["Types of malware scans" below](#)
- ["Malware scan configurations" on page 562](#)
- ["Malware events" on page 563](#)
- ["SmartScan" on page 563](#)
- ["Predictive Machine Learning" on page 564](#)
- ["Types of malware scans" below](#)

Types of malware scans

The anti-malware module performs several types of scans. See also ["Select the types of scans to perform" on page 568](#).

Real-time scan

Scan immediately each time a file is received, opened, downloaded, copied, or modified, Deep Security scans the file for security risks. If Deep Security detects no security risk, the file remains in its location and users can proceed to access the file. If Deep Security detects a security risk, it displays a notification message that shows the name of the infected file and the specific security risk.

Real-time scans are in effect continuously unless another time period is configured using the Schedule option.

Tip: You can configure real-time scanning to run when it will not have a large impact on performance; for example, when a file server is scheduled to back up files.

This scan can run on all platforms supported by the anti-malware module.

Manual scan

Runs a full system scan on all processes and files on a computer. The time required to complete a scan depends on the number of files to scan and the computer's hardware resources. A manual scan requires more time than a Quick Scan.

A manual scan executes when **Full Scan for Malware** is clicked.

This scan can be run on all platforms supported by the anti-malware module.

Scheduled scan

Runs automatically on the configured date and time. Use scheduled scan to automate routine scans and improve scan management efficiency.

A scheduled scan runs according to the date and time you specify when you create a **Scan computers for Malware task** using scheduled tasks (see ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#)).

This scan can be run on all platforms supported by the anti-malware module.

Quick scan

Only scans a computer's critical system areas for currently active threats. A Quick Scan will look for currently active malware but it will not perform deep file scans to look for dormant or stored infected files. It is significantly faster than a Full Scan on larger drives. Quick scan is not configurable.

A Quick Scan runs when you click **Quick Scan for Malware**.

Note: Quick Scan can run only on Windows computers.

Scan objects and sequence

The following table lists the objects scanned during each type of scan and the sequence in which they are scanned.

Targets	Full Scan (Manual or Scheduled)	Quick Scan
Drivers	1	1
Trojan	2	2
Process Image	3	3
Memory	4	4
Boot Sector	5	-
Files	6	5
Spyware	7	6

Malware scan configurations

Malware scan configurations are sets of options that control the behavior of malware scans. When you configure anti-malware using a policy or for a specific computer, you select a malware scan configuration to use. You can create several malware scan configurations and use them with different policies when different groups of computers have different scan requirements.

Real-time, manual, and scheduled scans all use malware scan configurations. Deep Security provides a default malware scan configuration for each type of scan. These scan configurations are used in the default security policies. You can use the default scan configurations as-is, modify them, or create your own.

Note: Quick Scans are not configurable, and do not use malware scan configurations.

You can specify which files and directories are included or excluded during a scan and which actions are taken if malware is detected on a computer (for example, clean, quarantine, or delete).

For more information, see ["Configure malware scans" on page 570](#).

Malware events

When Deep Security detects malware it triggers an event that appears in the event log. From there you can see information about the event, or create an exception for the file in case of false positives. You can also restore files that are actually benign. (See ["Anti-malware events" on page 1054](#) and ["Handle malware" on page 600](#).)

SmartScan

Smart Scan uses threat signatures that are stored on Trend Micro servers and provides several benefits:

- Provides fast, cloud-based, real-time security status lookups
- Reduces the time required to deliver protection against emerging threats
- Reduces network bandwidth consumed during pattern updates (bulk of pattern definition updates only need to be delivered to the cloud, not to many computers)
- Reduces cost and overhead of corporate-wide pattern deployments
- Lowers kernel memory consumption on computers (consumption increases minimally over time)

When Smart Scan is enabled, Deep Security first scans locally for security risks. If Deep Security cannot assess the risk of the file during the scan, it will try to connect to a local Smart Scan server. If no local Smart Scan Server is detected, Deep Security will attempt to connect to the Trend Micro Global Smart Scan server. For more information on this feature, see ["Smart Protection in Deep Security" on page 597](#).

Predictive Machine Learning

Deep Security provides enhanced malware protection for unknown threats and zero-day attacks through Predictive Machine Learning. Trend Micro Predictive Machine Learning uses advanced machine learning technology to correlate threat information and perform in-depth file analysis to detect emerging security risks through digital DNA fingerprinting, API mapping, and other file features.

Predictive Machine Learning is effective in protecting against security breaches that result from targeted attacks using techniques such as phishing and spear phishing. In these cases, malware that is designed specifically to target your environment can bypass traditional malware scanning techniques.

During real-time scans, when Deep Security detects an unknown or low-prevalence file, Deep Security scans the file using the Advanced Threat Scan Engine (ATSE) to extract file features. It then sends the report to the Predictive Machine Learning engine on the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network. Through the use of malware modeling, Predictive Machine Learning compares the sample to the malware model, assigns a probability score, and determines the probable malware type that the file contains.

If the file is identified as a threat, Deep Security cleans, quarantines, or deletes the file to prevent the threat from continuing to spread across your network.

For information about using Predictive Machine Learning, see ["Detect emerging threats using Predictive Machine Learning" on page 588](#).

Malware types

The anti-malware module protects against many file-based threats. See also ["Scan for specific types of malware" on page 572](#) and ["Configure how to handle malware" on page 581](#)

Virus

Viruses infect files by inserting malicious code. Typically, when an infected file is opened the malicious code automatically runs and delivers a payload in addition to infecting other files. Below are some of the more common types of viruses:

- **COM and EXE infectors** infect DOS and Windows executable files, which typically have COM and EXE extensions.

- **Macro viruses** infect Microsoft Office files by inserting malicious macros.
- **Boot sector viruses** infect the section of hard disk drives that contain operating system startup instructions

The anti-malware module uses different technologies to identify and clean infected files. The most traditional method is to detect the actual malicious code that is used to infect files and strip infected files of this code. Other methods include regulating changes to infectable files or backing up such files whenever suspicious modifications are applied to them.

Trojans

Some malware does not spread by injecting code into other files. Instead, it has other methods or effects:

- **Trojans:** Malware files that execute and infect the system when opened (like the mythological Trojan horse).
- **Backdoors:** Malicious applications that open port numbers to allow unauthorized remote users to access infected systems.
- **Worms:** Malware programs that use the network to propagate from system to system. Worms are known to propagate by taking advantage of social engineering through attractively packaged email messages, instant messages, or shared files. They are also known to copy themselves to accessible network shares and spread to other computers by exploiting vulnerabilities.
- **Network viruses:** Worms that are memory-only or packet-only programs (not file-based). Anti-malware is unable to detect or remove network viruses.
- **Rootkits:** File-based malware that manipulate calls to operating system components. Applications, including monitoring and security software, need to make such calls for very basic functions, such as listing files or identifying running processes. By manipulating these calls, rootkits are able to hide their presence or the presence of other malware.

Packer

Packers are compressed and encrypted executable programs. To evade detection, malware authors often pack existing malware under several layers of compression and encryption. Anti-malware checks executable files for compression patterns associated with malware.

Spyware/grayware

Spyware and grayware comprises applications and components that collect information to be transmitted to a separate system or collected by another application. Spyware/grayware detections, although exhibiting potentially malicious behavior, may include applications used for legitimate purposes such as remote monitoring. Spyware/grayware applications that are inherently malicious, including those that are distributed through known malware channels, are typically detected as other Trojans.

Spyware and grayware applications are typically categorized as:

- **Spyware:** software installed on a computer to collect and transmit personal information.
- **Dialers:** malicious dialers are designed to connect through premium-rate numbers causing unexpected charges. Some dialers also transmit personal information and download malicious software.
- **Hacking tools:** programs or sets of programs designed to assist unauthorized access to computer systems.
- **Adware (advertising-supported software):** any software package that automatically plays, displays, or downloads advertising material.
- **Cookies:** text files stored by a Web browser. Cookies contain website-related data such as authentication information and site preferences. Cookies are not executable and cannot be infected; however, they can be used as spyware. Even cookies sent from legitimate websites can be used for malicious purposes.
- **Keyloggers:** software that logs user keystrokes to steal passwords and other private information. Some keyloggers transmit logs to remote systems.

What is grayware?

Although they exhibit what can be intrusive behavior, some spyware-like applications are considered legitimate. For example, some commercially available remote control and monitoring applications can track and collect system events and then send information about these events to another system. System administrators and other users may find themselves installing these legitimate applications. These applications are called "grayware".

To provide protection against the illegitimate use of grayware, the anti-malware module detects grayware but provides an option to "approve" detected applications and allow them to run.

Cookie

Cookies are text files stored by a web browser, transmitted back to the web server with each HTTP request. Cookies can contain authentication information, preferences, and (in the case of stored attacks from an infected server) SQL injection and XSS exploits.

Other threats

Other threats includes malware not categorized under any of the malware types. This category includes joke programs, which display false notifications or manipulate screen behavior but are generally harmless.

Possible malware

Possible malware is a file that appears suspicious but cannot be classified as a specific malware variant. When possible malware is detected, Trend Micro recommends that you contact your support provider for assistance in further analysis of the file. By default, these detections are logged and files are anonymously sent back to Trend Micro for analysis.

Enable and configure anti-malware

To use anti-malware, perform these basic steps:

1. ["Turn on the anti-malware module" on the next page.](#)
2. ["Select the types of scans to perform" on the next page.](#)
3. ["Configure scan exclusions" on the next page](#)
4. ["Ensure that Deep Security can keep up to date on the latest threats" on page 569.](#)

When you have completed these steps, review ["Configure malware scans" on page 570](#) and refine the anti-malware scan behavior.

Tip: For most anti-malware settings, you can either configure them for each individual computer or in a policy that applies to multiple computers (for example, to all Windows 2008 Servers). To make management easier, configure the settings in the policy (not individual computers) wherever possible. For more information, see ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434.](#)

Tip: CPU usage and RAM usage varies by your anti-malware configuration. To optimize anti-malware performance on Deep Security Agent, see ["Performance tips for anti-malware" on page 585](#).

For an overview of the anti-malware feature, see ["Protect against malware" on page 560](#).

Turn on the anti-malware module

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy for which you want to enable anti-malware.
3. Go to **Anti-Malware > General**.
4. From **Anti-Malware State**, select **On**.
5. Click **Save**.

Select the types of scans to perform

When anti-malware is turned on, Deep Security needs to know what type of scans it should perform (see ["Types of malware scans" on page 560](#)).

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy to configure.
3. Click **Anti-Malware > General**.
4. Enable or disable each type of scan:
 - a. To perform the scan using default settings, select **Default**.
 - b. To perform the scan using a malware scan configuration that you can customize, select a malware scan configuration.
 - c. To disable the scan, for the malware scan configuration select **No Configuration**.
5. Click **Save**.

Tip: Trend Micro recommends that you configure Deep Security to perform weekly scheduled scans on all protected servers. You can do this using Scheduled Tasks. (See ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#).)

Configure scan exclusions

To reduce scanning time and minimize the use of computing resources, you can configure Deep Security malware scans to exclude specific folders, files, and file types from all types of scans.

You can also exclude process image files from real-time malware scans that are run on Windows servers.

All of these exclusions are specified by selecting exclusion lists on the **Exclusions** tab of the Malware Scan Configuration editor. See ["Specify the files to scan" on page 574](#).

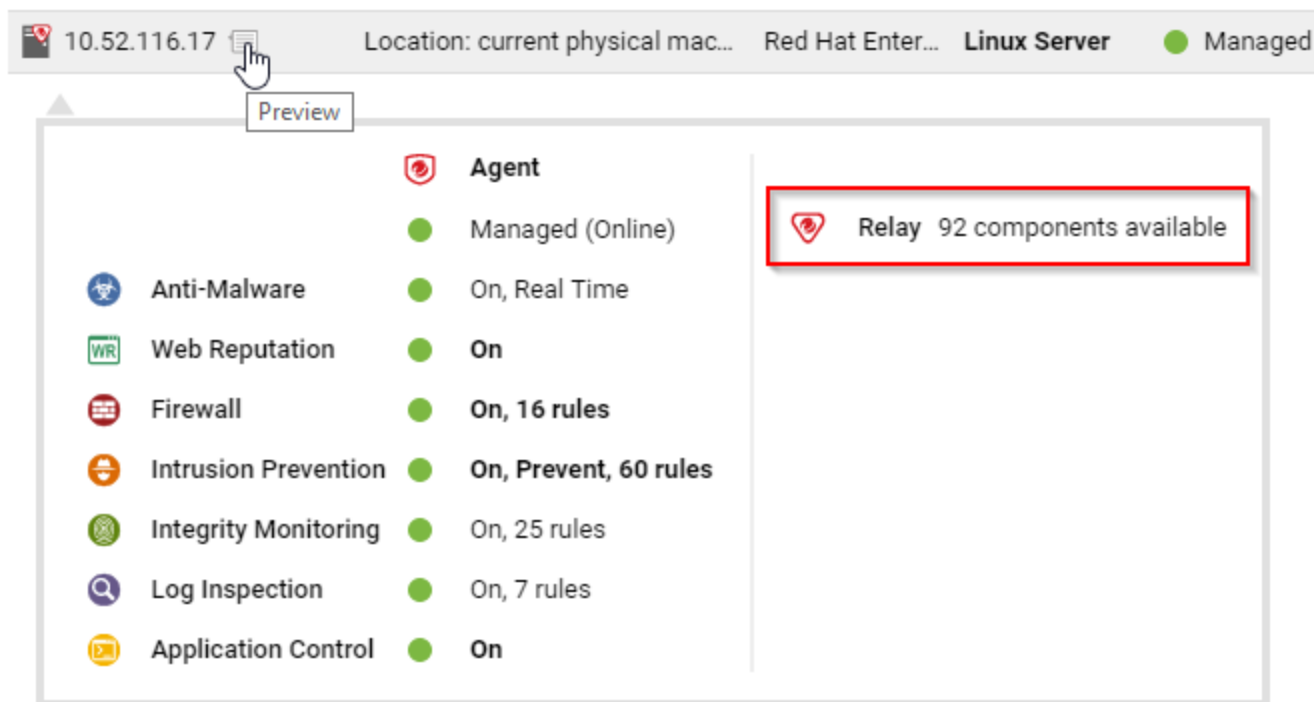
Tip: If any performance-related issues are experienced when Deep Security anti-malware protection is enabled, you can use exclusions to help troubleshoot these issues by excluding specific folders or files from scanning.

Ensure that Deep Security can keep up to date on the latest threats

To remain effective against new viruses and exploits, Deep Security Agents need to be able to download the latest software and security update packages from Trend Micro or indirectly, from your own Relay. These packages contain threat definitions and patterns. Relay-enabled agents, organized into relay groups (also managed and configured by the Deep Security Manager) retrieve security updates from Trend Micro, and then distribute them to other agents and appliances.

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Updates**.
2. Configure Deep Security's ability to retrieve security updates from Trend Micro. Make sure you have at least one relay-enabled agent, and it is assigned to the appropriate agents and appliances.

To determine if a Deep Security Agent is a relay, next to a computer, click **Preview**.



3. Go to **Administration > Scheduled Tasks**.
4. Verify that there is a scheduled task to regularly download available updates for both security and software updates.

Configure malware scans

Malware scan configurations are reusable saved settings that you can apply when configuring anti-malware in a policy or for a computer. A malware scan configuration specifies what types of malware scanning Deep Security performs and which files it scans. Some policy properties also affect the behavior of malware scans.

- ["Create or edit a malware scan configuration" on the next page](#)
- ["Scan for specific types of malware" on page 572](#)
- ["Specify the files to scan" on page 574](#)
- ["Specify when real-time scans occur" on page 581](#)
- ["Configure how to handle malware" on page 581](#)
- ["Identify malware files by file hash digest" on page 584](#)
- ["Configure notifications on the computer" on page 585](#)

The Deep Security [Best Practice Guide](#) also provides several recommendations for configuration malware scans.

Tip: CPU usage and RAM usage varies by your anti-malware configuration. To optimize anti-malware performance on the Deep Security Agent, see ["Performance tips for anti-malware" on page 585](#).

Create or edit a malware scan configuration

Create or edit a malware scan configuration to control the behavior of a real-time, manual, or scheduled scan. (For more information, see ["Malware scan configurations" on page 562](#).) You can create multiple malware scan configurations as required.

- After you create a malware scan configuration, you can then associate it with a scan in a policy or computer (see ["Select the types of scans to perform" on page 568](#))
- When you edit a malware scan configuration that a policy or computer is using, the changes affect the scans that are associated with the configuration.

Tip: To create a malware scan configuration that is similar to an existing one, duplicate the existing configuration and then edit it.

You can create two types of malware scan configurations according to the type of scan it controls (see ["Types of malware scans" on page 560](#)):

- **Real-time scan configuration:** Controls real-time scans. Some actions such as **Deny Access** are only available to real-time scan configurations
- **Manual/scheduled scan configuration:** Controls either manual or scheduled scans. Some options such as **CPU Usage** are only available to manual/scheduled scan configurations

Deep Security provides a default malware scan configuration for each type of scan.

1. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Malware Scan Configurations**.
2. To create a scan configuration, click **New** and then click **New Real-Time Scan Configuration** or **New Manual/Scheduled Scan Configuration**.
 - a. Type a name to identify the scan configuration. You see the name in a list when configuring malware scans in a policy.
 - b. (Optional) Type a description that explains the use case for the configuration.
3. To view and edit an existing scan configuration, select it and click **Properties**.
4. To duplicate a scan configuration, select it and click **Duplicate**.

Tip: To see the policies and computers that are using a malware scan configuration, see the AssignedTo tab of the properties.

Test malware scans

Before continuing with further Anti-Malware configuration steps, test real-time and manual/scheduled scans to ensure they're working correctly.

Test real-time scans:

1. Make sure the real-time scan is enabled and that a configuration is selected.
2. Go to the [EICAR site](#) and download their anti-malware test file. This standardized file will test the real-time scan's anti-virus capabilities. The file should be quarantined.
3. On Deep Security Manager, go to **Events & Reports > Anti-Malware Events** to verify the record of the EICAR file detection. If the detection is recorded, the Anti-Malware real-time scans are working correctly.

Test manual/scheduled scans:

Note: Before you begin, make sure the real-time scan is disabled before testing manual/scheduled scans.

1. Go to **Administration**.
2. Click **Scheduled tasks > New**.
3. Select **Scan Computers for Malware** from the drop-down menu and select a frequency. Complete the scan configuration with your desired specifications.
4. Go to the [EICAR site](#) and download their anti-malware test file. This standardized file will test the manual/scheduled scan's anti-virus capabilities.
5. Select the scheduled scan and click **Run Task Now**. The test file should be quarantined.
6. On Deep Security Manager, go to **Events & Reports > Anti-Malware Events** to verify the record of the EICAR file detection. If the detection is recorded, the Anti-Malware manual/scheduled scans are working correctly.

Scan for specific types of malware

- ["Scan for spyware and grayware" on the next page](#)
- ["Scan for compressed executable files \(real-time scans only\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Scan process memory \(real-time scans only\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Scan compressed files" on page 574](#)
- ["Scan embedded Microsoft Office objects" on page 574](#)

See also:

- ["Enhanced anti-malware and ransomware scanning with behavior monitoring" on page 589](#)

Scan for spyware and grayware

When spyware and grayware protection is enabled, the spyware scan engine quarantines suspicious files when they are detected.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **General** tab, select **Enable spyware/grayware protection**.
3. Click **OK**.

To identify a file that the spyware scan engine should ignore, see ["Create anti-malware exceptions" on page 608](#).

Scan for compressed executable files (real-time scans only)

Viruses often use real-time compression algorithms to attempt to circumvent virus filtering. The IntelliTrap feature blocks real-time compressed executable files and pairing them with other malware characteristics.

Note: Because IntelliTrap identifies such files as security risks and may incorrectly block safe files, consider quarantining (not deleting or cleaning) files when you enable IntelliTrap. (See ["Configure how to handle malware" on page 581](#).) If users regularly exchange real-time compressed executable files, disable IntelliTrap. IntelliTrap uses the virus scan engine, IntelliTrap Pattern, and IntelliTrap Exception Pattern.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **General** tab, select **Enable IntelliTrap**.
3. Click **OK**.

Scan process memory (real-time scans only)

Monitor process memory in real time and perform additional checks with the Trend Micro Smart Protection network to determine whether a suspicious process is known to be malicious. If the process is malicious, Deep Security terminates the process. For more information, see ["Smart Protection in Deep Security" on page 597](#)

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **General** tab, select **Scan process memory for malware**.
3. Click **OK**.

Scan compressed files

Extract compressed files and scan the contents for malware. When you enable the scan, you specify the maximum size and number of files to extract (large files can affect performance). You also specify the levels of compression to inspect so that you can scan compressed files that reside inside compressed files. Level 1 compression is a single compressed file. Compressed files inside that file are level two. You can scan a maximum of 6 compression levels, however higher levels can affect performance.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **Advanced** tab, select **Scan compressed files**.
3. Specify the maximum size of content files to extract, in MB, the levels of compression to scan, and the maximum number of files to extract.
4. Click **OK**.

Scan embedded Microsoft Office objects

Certain versions of Microsoft Office use Object Linking and Embedding (OLE) to insert files and other objects into Office files. These embedded objects can contain malicious code.

Specify the number of OLE layers to scan to detect objects that are embedded in other objects. To reduce the impact on performance, you can scan only a few layers of embedded objects within each file.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **Advanced** tab, select **Scan Embedded Microsoft Office Objects**.
3. Specify the number of OLE layers to scan.
4. Click **OK**.

Specify the files to scan

To specify the files to scan for malware, identify files and directories to include in the scan and then of those files and directories, identify exclusions. You can also scan network directories:

- ["Inclusions" below](#)
- ["Exclusions" on the next page](#)
- ["Scan a network directory \(real-time scan only\)" on page 581](#)

Inclusions

Specify the directories to scan as well as the files inside the directories to scan.

To identify directories to scan, you can specify all directories or a list of directories. The directory list uses patterns with a specific syntax to identify the directories to scan. (See ["Syntax for directory lists" on page 577.](#))

To identify the files to scan, use one of the following options:

- All files
 - File types that are identified by IntelliScan. IntelliScan only scans file types that are vulnerable to infection, such as .zip or .exe. IntelliScan does not rely on file extensions to determine file type but instead reads the header and content of a file to determine whether it should be scanned. Compared to scanning all files, Intelliscan reduces the number of files to scan and improves performance.
 - Files that have a file name extension that is included in a specified list: The file extension list uses patterns with a specific syntax. (See ["Syntax of file extension lists" on page 580.](#))
1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
 2. Click the **Inclusions** tab.
 3. To specify the directories to scan, select **All directories** or **Directory List**.
 4. If you selected Directory List, from the drop-down menu either select an existing list or select **New** to create one.
 5. To specify the files to scan, select either **All files**, **File types scanned by IntelliScan**, or **File Extension List**.
 6. If you selected File Extension List, from the drop-down menu either select an existing list or select **New** to create one.
 7. Click **OK**.

Exclusions

Exclude directories, files, and file extensions from being scanned. For real-time scans (except when performed by Deep Security Virtual Appliance), you can also exclude process image files from being scanned.

Examples of files and folders to exclude:

- If you are creating a malware scan configuration for a Microsoft Exchange server, you should exclude the SMEX quarantine folder to avoid re-scanning files that have already been confirmed to be malware.
- If you choose to run malware scans on database servers used by Deep Security Manager, exclude the data directory. The Deep Security Manager captures and stores intrusion

prevention data that might include viruses, which can trigger a quarantine by the Deep Security Agent, leading to database corruption.

- If you have large VMware images, exclude the directory containing these images if you experience performance issues.

To exclude directories, files, and process image files, you create a list that uses patterns to identify the item to exclude.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. Click the **Exclusions** tab.
3. Specify the directories to exclude:
 - a. Select **Directory List**.
 - b. Select a directory list or select New to create one. (See ["Syntax for directory lists" on the next page.](#))
 - c. If you created a directory list, select it in the directory list.
4. Similarly, specify the file list, file extension list, and process image file list to exclude. (See ["Syntax of file lists" on page 578](#), ["Syntax of file extension lists" on page 580](#), and ["Syntax of process image file lists \(real-time scans only\):" on page 581.](#))
5. Click **OK**.

Note:

When Deep Security Agent cannot determine the type of a target file, the Anti-Malware scan engine loads the file to memory to determine if it is a self-extracting file. If many large files are loaded to memory, scan engine performance can be affected. To exclude files over a specific size, you can use the following Deep Security Manager command:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
com.trendmicro.ds.antimalware:settings.configuration.maxSelfExtractRTS  
canSizeMB -value 512
```

In the example above, the file-size limitation is set to 512MB for loading target files. The scan engine will not add files larger than the set value to memory and instead scans them directly. To deploy this setting, you need to send the policy to your target Deep Security Agent after running the command in Deep Security Manager.

Test file exclusions

Before continuing with further Anti-Malware configuration steps, test file exclusions to ensure they're working correctly:

Note: Before you begin, make sure the real-time scan is enabled and a configuration is selected.

1. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Malware Scan Configurations**.
2. Click **New > New Real-time Scan Configuration**.
3. Go to the **Exclusions** tab, and select **New** from the directory list.
4. Name the directory list.
5. Under **Directory(s)** specify the path of the directory you want to exclude from the scan. For example, `c:\Test Folder\`. Click **OK**.
6. Go to the **General** tab, name the manual scan, and click **OK**.
7. Go to the [EICAR site](#) and download their anti-malware test file. Save the file in the folder specified in the previous step. The file should be saved and undetected by the Anti-Malware module.

Syntax for directory lists

Note: Directory list items accept either forward slash "/" or backslash "\" to support both Windows and Linux conventions.

Exclusion	Format	Description	Examples
Directory	DIRECTORY\	Excludes all files in the specified directory and all files in all subdirectories.	C:\Program Files\ Excludes all files in the "Program Files" directory and all subdirectories.
Directory with wildcard (*)	DIRECTORY*	Excludes all subdirectories except for the specified subdirectory and the files that it contains.	C:\abc* Excludes all files in all subdirectories of "abc" but does not exclude the files in the "abc" directory. C:\abc\wx*z\ <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wxz\ C:\abc\wx123z\ <i>Does not match:</i> C:\abc\wxz C:\abc\wx123z C:\abc*wx\ <i>Matches:</i> C:\abc\wx\ C:\abc\123wx\ <i>Does not match:</i>

Exclusion	Format	Description	Examples
			C:\abc\wx C:\abc\123wx
Directory with wildcard (*)	DIRECTORY*\	Excludes any subdirectories with a matching name, but does not exclude the files in that directory and any subdirectories.	C:\Program Files\SubDirName*\ Excludes any subdirectories with a folder name that begins with "SubDirName". Does not exclude all files under C:\Program Files\ or any other subdirectories.
Environment variable	\${ENV VAR}	Excludes all files and subdirectories defined by an environment variable. For a Virtual Appliance, the value pairs for the environment variable must be defined in Policy or Computer Editor > Settings > General > Environment Variable Overrides .	\${windir} If the variable resolves to "c:\windows", excludes all the files in "c:\windows" and all its subdirectories.
Comments	DIRECTORY #Comment	Adds a comment to your exclusion definitions.	c:\abc #Exclude the abc directory

Syntax of file lists

Exclusion	Format	Description	Example
File	FILE	Excludes all files with the specified file name regardless of its location or directory.	abc.doc Excludes all files named "abc.doc" in all directories. Does not exclude "abc.exe".
File path	FILEPATH	Excludes the single file specified by the file path.	C:\Documents\abc.doc Excludes only the file named "abc.doc" in the "Documents" directory.
File path with wildcard (*)	FILEPATH	Excludes all the files specified by the file path.	C:\Documents\abc.co* (For Windows Agent platforms only) Excludes any file that has file name of "abc" and extension beginning with ".co" in the "Documents" directory.
Filename is a wildcard (*)	FILEPATH*	Excludes all files under the path, but does not include the files in unspecified subdirectories	C:\Documents* Excludes all files under the directory C:\Documents\

Exclusion	Format	Description	Example
			<i>C:\Documents\SubDirName**</i> Excludes all files within subdirectories with a folder name that begins with "SubDirName". Does not exclude all files under C:\Documents\ or any other subdirectories. <i>C:\Documents**</i> Excludes all files within all direct subdirectories under C:\Documents. Does not exclude files in subsequent subdirectories.
File with wildcard (*)	FILE*	Excludes all files with a matching pattern in the file name.	<i>abc*.exe</i> Excludes any file that has prefix of "abc" and extension of ".exe". <i>*.db</i> <i>Matches:</i> 123.db abc.db <i>Does not match:</i> 123db 123.abd cbc.dba <i>*db</i> <i>Matches:</i> 123.db 123db ac.db acdb db <i>Does not match:</i> db123 <i>wxy*.db</i> <i>Matches:</i> wxy.db wxy123.db <i>Does not match:</i> wxydb

Exclusion	Format	Description	Example
File with wildcard (*)	FILE.EXT*	Excludes all files with a matching pattern in the file extension.	abc.v* Excludes any file that has file name of "abc" and extension beginning with ".v". abc.*pp Matches: abc.pp abc.app Does not match: wxy.app abc.a*p Matches: abc.ap abc.a123p Does not match: abc.pp abc.* Matches: abc.123 abc.xyz Does not match: wxy.123
File with wildcard (*)	FILE*.EXT*	Excludes all files with a matching pattern in the file name and in the extension.	a*c.a*p Matches: ac.ap a123c.ap ac.a456p a123c.a456p Does not match: ad.aa
Environment variable	\${ENV VAR}	Excludes files specified by an environment variable with the format \${ENV VAR}. These can be defined or overridden using Policy or Computer Editor > Settings > General > Environment Variable Overrides .	\${myDBFile} Excludes the file "myDBFile".
Comments	FILEPATH #Comment	Adds a comment to your exclusion definitions.	C:\Documents\abc.doc #This is a comment

Syntax of file extension lists

Exclusion	Format	Description	Example
File	EXT	Matches all files with a	doc

Exclusion	Format	Description	Example
Extension		matching file extension.	Matches all files with a ".doc" extension in all directories.
Comments	EXT #Comment	Adds a comment to your exclusion definitions.	doc #This a comment

Syntax of process image file lists (real-time scans only):

Exclusion	Format	Description	Example
File path	FILEPATH	Excludes the Process Image file specified by the file path.	C:\abc\file.exe Excludes only the file named "file.exe" in the "abc" directory.

Scan a network directory (real-time scan only)

If you want to scan files and folders in network shares and mapped network drives that reside in a Network File System (NFS), Server Message Block (SMB) or Common Internet File System (CIFS), select **Enable Network Directory Scan**. This option is available only for real-time scans.

Note: Resources accessed in "`~/gvfs`" via GVFS, a virtual file system available for the GNOME desktop, will be treated as local resources, not network drives.

Note: If a virus is detected when scanning a network folder on Windows, the agent may display some "clean failed" (delete failed) events.

Specify when real-time scans occur

Choose between scanning files when they are opened for reading, when they are written to, or both.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **Advanced** tab, select one of the options for the **Real-Time Scan** property.
3. Click **OK**.

Configure how to handle malware

Configure how Deep Security behaves when malware is detected:

- ["Customize malware remedial actions" on the next page](#)
- ["Generate alerts for malware detection" on page 584](#)

Customize malware remedial actions

When Deep Security detects malware, it performs a remedial action to handle the file. There are five possible actions that Deep Security can take when it encounters malware:

- **Pass:** Allows full access to the infected file without doing anything to the file. (An Anti-Malware Event is still recorded.)

Note: The remedial action **Pass** should never be used for a possible virus.

- **Clean:** Cleans an infected file before allowing full access to it. If the file can't be cleaned, it is quarantined.
- **Delete:** On Linux, the infected file is deleted without a backup. On Windows, the infected file is backed up and then deleted. Windows backup files can be [viewed and restored](#) in **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events > Identified Files**.
- **Deny Access:** This scan action can only be performed during Real-time scans. When Deep Security detects an attempt to open or execute an infected file, it immediately blocks the operation. The infected file is left unchanged. When the Access Denied action is triggered, the infected files stay in their original location.

Note: Do not use the remedial action **Deny Access** when **Real-Time Scan** is set to **During Write**. When **During Write** is selected, files are scanned when they are written and the action **Deny Access** has no effect.

- **Quarantine:** Moves the infected file to the quarantine directory on the computer or Virtual Appliance. The quarantined file can be [viewed and restored](#) in **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events > Identified Files**.

Note: Malware marked as **Quarantined** on Linux might be marked as **Deleted** on Windows, despite the malware being identical on both operating systems. In either case, the file can be [viewed and restored](#) in **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events > Identified Files**.

Note: On Windows, infected non-compressed files (for example, .txt files) are quarantined, while infected compressed files (for example, .zip files) are deleted. On Windows, both quarantined or deleted files have a backup that can be [viewed and restored](#) in **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events > Identified Files**. On Linux, all infected files (compressed or non-compressed) are quarantined, and can be

[viewed and restored](#) in **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events > Identified Files**.

The default remediation actions in the malware scan configurations are appropriate for most circumstances. However, you can customize the actions to take when Deep Security detects malware. You can either use the action that ActiveAction determines, or specify the action for each type of vulnerability.

ActiveAction is a predefined group of cleanup actions that are optimized for each malware category. Trend Micro continually adjusts the actions in ActiveAction to ensure that individual detections are handled properly. (See "[ActiveAction actions](#)" below.)

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **Advanced** tab, for **Remediation Actions** select Custom.
3. Specify the action to take:
 - a. To let ActiveAction decide which action to take, select **Use action recommended by ActiveAction**.
 - b. To specify an action for each type of vulnerability, select **Use custom actions**, and then select the actions to use.
4. Specify the action to take for Possible Malware.
5. Click **OK**.

ActiveAction actions

The following table lists the actions that ActiveAction takes:

Malware Type	Action
"Virus" on page 564	Clean . If a virus cannot be cleaned, it is deleted (Windows) or quarantined (Linux or Solaris). There is an exception to this behavior: On a Linux or Solaris agent, if a virus of type 'Test Virus' is found, access is denied to the infected file.
"Trojans" on page 565	Quarantine
"Packer" on page 565	Quarantine
"Spyware/grayware" on page 566	Quarantine
"Cookie" on page 567	Delete (Does not apply to real-time scans)
"Other threats" on page 567	Clean If a threat cannot be cleaned, it is handled as follows:

Malware Type	Action
	- on Windows, the infected file is deleted but can be viewed and restored, if needed - on Linux or Solaris, access is denied to the infected file Also, on a Linux or Solaris agent, if a virus of type 'Joke' is found, it is quarantined immediately. No attempt is made to clean it.
"Possible malware" on page 567	ActiveAction

Note: When the agent downloads virus pattern updates from an ActiveUpdate server or relay, it may change its ActiveAction scan actions.

Generate alerts for malware detection

When Deep Security detects malware, you can generate an alert.

1. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
2. On the **General** tab, for **Alert** select **Alert when this Malware Scan Configuration logs an event**.
3. Click **OK**.

Identify malware files by file hash digest

Deep Security can calculate the hash value of a malware file and display it on the **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events** page. Because a particular piece of malware can go by several different names, the hash value is useful because it uniquely identifies the malware. You can use the hash value when looking up information about the malware from other sources.

1. Open the policy or computer editor that you want to configure.
2. Click **Anti-Malware > Advanced**.
3. Under **File Hash Calculation**, clear the **Default** or **Inherited** check box. (**Default** is displayed for a root policy and **Inherited** is displayed for child policies).

Note: When **Inherited** is selected, the file hash settings are inherited from the current policy's parent policy.

Note: When **Default** is selected, Deep Security does not calculate any hash values.

4. Select the **Calculate hash values of all anti-malware events**.

5. By default, Deep Security will produce SHA-1 hash values. If you want to produce additional hash values, you can select one or both of **MD5** and **SHA256**.
6. You can also change the maximum size of malware files that will have hash values calculated. The default is to skip files that are larger than 128MB, but you can change the value to anything between 64 and 512 MB.

Configure notifications on the computer

On Windows-based agents, you might occasionally see onscreen notification messages alerting you of Deep Security actions you must take that are related to the anti-malware and web reputation modules. For example, you might see the message, `A reboot is required for Anti-Malware cleanup task`. You must click OK on the dialog box to dismiss it.

If you don't want these notifications to appear:

1. Go to the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
2. Click **Settings** on the left.
3. Under the **General** tab, scroll to the **Notifications** section.
4. Set **Suppress all pop-up notifications on host** to **Yes**. The messages still appear as alerts or events in Deep Security Manager. For more information about the notifier, see "[Deep Security Notifier](#)" on page 425.

Performance tips for anti-malware

To improve system resources utilization on Deep Security Agent, you can optimize these performance-related settings according to best practices.

See also:

- "[Create anti-malware exceptions](#)" on page 608
- "[Identify malware files by file hash digest](#)" on the previous page

Minimize disk usage

Reserve an appropriate amount of disk space for storing identified malware files. The space that you reserve applies globally to all computers: physical machines, virtual machines, and Deep

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Security Virtual Appliances. The setting can be overridden at the policy level and at the computer level.

Tip: Alerts are raised when there is not enough disk space to store an identified file.

1. Open the policy or computer editor that you want to configure.
2. Click **Anti-Malware > Advanced**.
3. Under **Identified Files**, clear **Default**.
4. Specify the disk space to use in the **Maximum disk space used to store identified files** box.
5. Click **Save**.

Optimize CPU usage

- Exclude files from real-time scans if they are normally safe but have high I/O, such as databases, Microsoft Exchange quarantines, and network shares (on Windows, you can use [procmon](#) to find files with high I/O). See ["Exclusions" on page 575](#).
- Do not scan network directories. See ["Scan a network directory \(real-time scan only\)" on page 581](#)
- Do not use Smart Scan if the computer doesn't have reliable network connectivity to the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network or your Smart Protection Server. See ["Smart Protection in Deep Security" on page 597](#).
- Reduce the CPU impact of malware scans by setting CPU Usage to **Medium** (Recommended; pauses between scanning files) or **Low** (pauses between scanning files for a longer interval than the medium setting).
 - a. Open the properties of the malware scan configuration.
 - b. On the **Advanced** tab, select the **CPU Usage** during which scans run.
 - c. Click **OK**.
- Create a scheduled task to run scans at a time when CPU resources are more readily available. See ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#).
- Reduce or keep small default values for the maximum file size to scan, maximum levels of compression from which to extract files, maximum size of individual extracted files, maximum number of files to extract, and OLE Layers to scan. See ["Scan for specific types of malware" on page 572](#).

Warning: Most malware is small, and nested compression indicates malware. But if you don't scan large files, there is a small risk that anti-malware won't detect some malware. You can mitigate this risk with other features such as integrity monitoring. See

- Use multi-threaded processing for manual and scheduled scans (real-time scans use multi-threaded processing by default). Multi-threaded processing is effective only on systems that support this capability. To apply the setting, after you have enabled it, restart the computer.

Note: Do not enable multi-threaded processing under the following circumstances:

- Resources are limited (for example, CPU-bound tasks)
- Resources should be held by only one operator at a time (for example, IO-bound tasks)

- a. Click **Policies**.
- b. Double-click to open the policy where you want to enable multi-threaded processing.
- c. Click **Anti-Malware > Advanced**.
- d. In the Resource Allocation for Malware Scans section, select **Yes**.
- e. Restart the computers on which you enabled multi-threaded processing for the setting to take effect.

Note: Multi-threaded processing may reduce the number of CPU cores available at a given time to the computer's other processes.

Optimize RAM usage

- Reduce or keep small default values for the maximum file size to scan, maximum levels of compression from which to extract files, maximum size of individual extracted files, maximum number of files to extract, and OLE Layers to scan. See ["Scan for specific types of malware" on page 572](#).

Warning: Most malware is small, and nested compression indicates malware. But if you don't scan large files, there is a small risk that anti-malware won't detect some malware. You can mitigate this risk with other features such as integrity monitoring. See ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#)

Disable Windows Defender after installing Deep Security anti-malware on Windows Server 2016

When you install the Anti-Malware module for a Deep Security 10.0 Agent on Windows Server 2016, the agent will automatically disable Windows Defender, but not all of the Windows processes related to the Windows Defender service. To do so, you need to reboot Windows Server 2016 after the Deep Security Anti-Malware module installation finishes. The Deep Security Agent will open a Windows message to let you know when to reboot.

Note: The agent will report a computer warning event ("Computer reboot is required for Anti-Malware protection") to the Deep Security Manager. This event will remain indefinitely, and will need to be manually dismissed by an administrator.

Installing the Anti-Malware module when Windows Defender is already disabled

If you disable Windows Defender before installing the Deep Security Anti-Malware module, the Deep Security Agent will not open a Windows reboot message. However, you still need to reboot Windows Server 2016 to ensure that Deep Security Anti-malware functions correctly.

Detect emerging threats using Predictive Machine Learning

Note: Predictive Machine Learning is supported with Deep Security Agent 11.0 +. For details on which platforms support this feature, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

Use Predictive Machine Learning to detect unknown or low-prevalence malware. (For more information, see ["Predictive Machine Learning" on page 564](#).)

Predictive Machine Learning uses the Advanced Threat Scan Engine (ATSE) to extract file features and sends the report to the Predictive Machine Learning engine on the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network. To enable Predictive Machine Learning, perform the following:

1. ["Ensure Internet connectivity" on the next page](#)
2. ["Enable Predictive Machine Learning" on the next page](#)

As with all detected malware, Predictive Machine Learning logs an event when it detects malware. (See ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).) You can also create an exception for any false positives. (See ["Create anti-malware exceptions" on page 608](#).)

Ensure Internet connectivity

Predictive Machine Learning requires access to the Global Census Service, Good File Reputation Service, and Predictive Machine Learning Service. These services are hosted in the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network. If your Deep Security Agents or Virtual Appliance cannot access the Internet directly, see ["Configure agents that have no internet access" on page 286](#) for workarounds.

Enable Predictive Machine Learning

Predictive Machine Learning is configured as part of a real-time scan configuration that is applied to a policy or individual computer. (See ["Configure malware scans" on page 570](#).) After you configure the scan configuration, apply it to a policy or computer.

Note: Predictive Machine Learning protects only the files and directories that real-time scan is configured to scan. See ["Specify the files to scan" on page 574](#).

These settings can only be applied to the real-time scan configuration for Windows computers.

1. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Malware Scan Configurations**.
2. Select the real-time scan configuration to configure and click **Details**.

You can also create a new real-time scan configuration if desired.

3. On the **General** tab, under **Predictive Machine Learning**, select **Enable Predictive Machine Learning**.
4. Click **OK**.
5. Open the policy or computer editor to which you want to apply the scan configuration and go to **Anti-Malware > General**.
6. Ensure that **Anti-Malware State** is **On** or **Inherited (On)**.
7. In the **Real-Time Scan** section, select the malware scan configuration.
8. Click **Save**.

Enhanced anti-malware and ransomware scanning with behavior monitoring

Deep Security provides security settings that you can apply to Windows machines that are protected by a Deep Security Agent to enhance your malware and ransomware detection and clean rate. These settings enable you to go beyond malware pattern matching and identify

suspicious files that could potentially contain emerging malware that hasn't yet been added to the anti-malware patterns (known as a zero-day attack).

In this article:

- ["How does enhanced scanning protect you?" below](#)
- ["How to enable enhanced scanning" on the next page](#)
- ["What happens when enhanced scanning finds a problem?" on page 592](#)
- ["What if my agents can't connect to the Internet directly?" on page 597](#)

For an overview of the anti-malware module, see ["Protect against malware" on page 560](#).

How does enhanced scanning protect you?

Threat detection: To avoid detection, some types of malware attempt to modify system files or files related to known installed software. These types of changes often go unnoticed because the malware takes the place of legitimate files. Deep Security can monitor system files and installed software for unauthorized changes to detect and prevent these changes from occurring.

Anti-exploit: Malware writers can use malicious code to hook in to user mode processes in order to gain privileged access to trusted processes and to hide the malicious activity. Malware writers inject code into user processes through DLL injection, which calls an API with escalated privilege. They can also trigger an attack on a software exploit by feeding a malicious payload to trigger code execution in memory. In Deep Security, the anti-exploit functionality monitors for processes that may be performing actions that are not typically performed by a given process. Using a number of mechanisms, including Data Execution Prevention (DEP), Structured Exception Handling Overwrite Protection (SEHOP), and heap spray prevention, Deep Security can determine whether a process has been compromised and then terminate the process to prevent further infection.

Extended ransomware protection: Recently, ransomware has become more sophisticated and targeted. Most organizations have a security policy that includes anti-malware protection on their endpoints, which offers a level of protection against known ransomware variants; however, it may not be sufficient to detect and prevent an outbreak for new variants. The ransomware protection offered by Deep Security can protect documents against unauthorized encryption or modification. Deep Security has also incorporated a data recovery engine that can optionally create copies of files being encrypted to offer users an added chance of recovering files that may have been encrypted by a ransomware process.

How to enable enhanced scanning

Enhanced scanning is configured as part of the anti-malware settings that are applied to a policy or individual computer. For general information on configuring anti-malware protection, see ["Enable and configure anti-malware" on page 567](#).

Note: These settings can only be applied to Windows machines that are protected by a Deep Security Agent.

Warning: Enhanced scanning may have a performance impact on agent computers running applications with heavy loads. We recommend reviewing the ["Performance tips for anti-malware" on page 585](#) before deploying Deep Security Agents with enhanced scanning enabled.

The first step is to enable enhanced scanning in a real-time malware scan configuration:

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Malware Scan Configurations**.
2. Double-click an existing real-time scan configuration to edit it (for details on malware scan configurations, see ["Configure malware scans" on page 570](#)).
3. On the **General** tab, select these options:
 - **Detect suspicious activity and unauthorized changes (incl. ransomware):** Enables the threat detection, anti-exploit, and ransomware detection features that are described above.
 - **Back up and restore ransomware-encrypted files:** When this option is selected, Deep Security will create backup copies of files that are being encrypted, in case they are being encrypted by a ransomware process.
4. Click **OK**.

Note: By default, real-time scans are set to scan all directories. If you change the scan settings to scan a directory list, the enhanced scanning may not work as expected. For example, if you set **Directories to scan** to scan "Folder1" and ransomware occurs in Folder1, it may not be detected if the encryption associated with the ransomware happens to files outside of Folder1.

Next, apply the malware scan configuration to a policy or an individual computer:

1. In the **Computer or Policy editor**¹, go to **Anti-Malware > General**.
2. Ensure that the **Anti-Malware State** is **On** or **Inherited (On)**.
3. The General tab contains sections for **Real-Time Scan**, **Manual Scan**, and **Scheduled Scan**. In the appropriate sections, use the **Malware Scan Configuration** list to select the scan configuration that you created above.
4. Click **Save**.

What happens when enhanced scanning finds a problem?

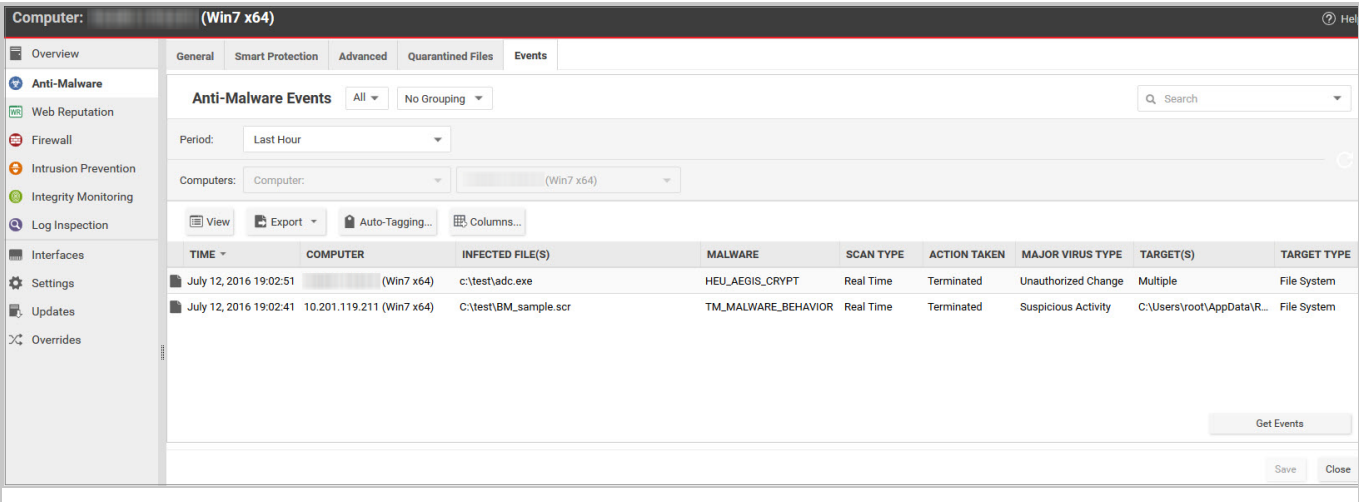
When Deep Security discovers activity or files that match the enhanced scan settings you have enabled, it will log an event (go to **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events** to see a list of events). The event will be identified as "Suspicious activity" or "Unauthorized change" in the **Major Virus Type** column and details will be displayed in the **Target(s)** and **TargetType** columns.

Deep Security performs many types of checks related to the enhanced scan settings, and the actions that it takes depend on the type of check that finds an issue. Deep Security may "Deny Access", "Terminate", or "Clean" a suspicious object. These actions are determined by Deep Security and are not configurable, with the exception of the "Clean" action:

- **Deny Access:** When Deep Security detects an attempt to open or execute a suspicious file, it immediately blocks the operation and records an anti-malware event.
- **Terminate:** Deep Security terminates the process that performed the suspicious operation and records an anti-malware event.
- **Clean:** Deep Security checks the Malware Scan Configuration and performs the action specified for Trojans on the Actions tab. One or more additional events will be generated relating to the action performed on the Trojan files.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

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Double-click an event to see details:

General

Tags

General Information

Computer: (Win7 x64)

Origin: Agent

Malware Information

Detection Time: July 12, 2016 19:02:41

Malware: TM_MALWARE_BEHAVIOR

Infected File(s): C:\test\BM_sample.scr

Scan Type: Real Time

Action Taken: Terminated

Reason: Default Real-Time Scan Configuration

Major Virus Type: Suspicious Activity

Behavior Monitoring Information

Target: C:\Users\root\AppData\Roaming\Microsoft\Windows\Start Menu\Programs\Startup\StartupFile.exe

TargetType: File System

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Close

Events related to ransomware have an additional **Targeted Files** tab:

General

Targeted Files

Tags

General Information

Computer: (Win7 x64)

Origin: Agent

Malware Information

Detection Time: July 12, 2016 19:02:51

Malware: HEU_AEGIS_CRYPT

Infected File(s): c:\test\adc.exe

Scan Type: Real Time

Action Taken: Terminated

Reason: Default Real-Time Scan Configuration

Major Virus Type: Unauthorized Change

Behavior Monitoring Information

Target: Multiple

TargetType: File System

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GeneralTargeted FilesTags

Targeted Files Information

Export to CSV...

ATTACKING PROGRAM ^	TARGET	RESTORE RESULT
c:\test\adc.exe	c:\users\ds\documents\outloo...	Success
c:\test\adc.exe	c:\users\ds\documents\outloo...	Success
c:\test\adc.exe	c:\users\ds\documents\outloo...	Success

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Close

If you investigate and find that an identified file is not harmful, you can right-click the event and click **Allow** to add the file to a scan exclusion list for the computer or policy. You can check the scan exclusion list in the policy or computer editor, under **Anti-Malware > Advanced > Behavior Monitoring Protection Exceptions**.

What if my agents can't connect to the Internet directly?

The enhanced scanning features described in this article require Internet access to check files against the Global Census Server and Good File Reputation Service. If your Deep Security Agents cannot access the Internet directly, see ["Configure agents that have no internet access" on page 286](#) for workarounds.

Smart Protection in Deep Security

Smart Protection Network integration is available for your computers and workloads through anti-malware and web reputation modules. Smart Feedback, which is set at the system level, allows you to provide continuous feedback to the Smart Protection Network.

For more about Trend Micro's Smart Protection Network, see [Smart Protection Network](#).

In this topic:

- ["Anti-malware and Smart Protection" below](#)
- ["Web Reputation and Smart Protection" on page 599](#)
- ["Smart Feedback" on page 600](#)

See also [Deploy a Smart Protection Server in AWS](#) for AWS deployment instructions, and the [Smart Protection Server documentation](#) for instructions on manually deploying the server.

Anti-malware and Smart Protection

- [Benefits of Smart Scan](#)
- ["Enable Smart Scan" on the next page](#)
- ["Smart Protection Server for File Reputation Service" on page 599](#)

Benefits of Smart Scan

Smart Scan provides the following features and benefits:

- Provides fast, real-time security status lookup capabilities in the cloud.
- Reduces the overall time it takes to deliver protection against emerging threats.
- Reduces network bandwidth consumed during pattern updates. The bulk of pattern

definition updates only needs to be delivered to the cloud, not to many endpoints.

- Reduces the cost and overhead associated with corporate-wide pattern deployments.

Enable Smart Scan

Smart Scan is available in the anti-malware module. It leverages Trend Micro's [Smart Protection Network](#) to allow local pattern files to be small and reduces the size and number of updates required by agents and Appliances. When Smart Scan is enabled, the agent downloads a small version of the much larger full malware pattern from a Smart Protection Server. This smaller pattern can quickly identify files as either "confirmed safe", or "possibly dangerous". "Possibly dangerous" files are compared against the larger complete pattern files stored on Trend Micro Smart Protection Servers to determine with certainty whether they pose a danger or not.

Without Smart Scan enabled, your relay agents must download the full malware pattern from a Smart Protection Server to be used locally on the agent. The pattern will only be updated as scheduled security updates are processed. The pattern is typically updated once per day for your agents to download and is around 120 MB.

Note: Verify that the computer can reliably connect to the global Trend Micro Smart Protection Network URLs (see ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#) for a list of URLs). If connectivity is blocked by a firewall, proxy, or AWS security group or if the connection is unreliable, it will reduce anti-malware performance.

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click a policy.
3. Go to **Anti-Malware > Smart Protection**.
4. In the **Smart Scan** section, either:
 - select **Inherited** (if the parent policy has Smart Scan enabled)
 - deselect **Inherited**, and then select either **On** or **On for Deep Security Agent, Off for Virtual Appliance**.
5. Click **Save**.

Note: A computer that is configured to use Smart Scan will not download full anti-malware patterns locally. Therefore if your anti-malware license expires while a computer is configured to use Smart Scan, switching Smart Scan off will not result in local patterns being used to scan for malware since no anti-malware patterns will be present locally.

Smart Protection Server for File Reputation Service

Smart Protection Server for File Reputation Service is available in the anti-malware module. It supplies file reputation information required by Smart Scan.

To edit Smart Protection Server for File Reputation Service:

1. Go to **Computers** or **Policies > Anti-Malware > Smart Protection**.
2. You can select to connect directly to Trend Micro's Smart Protection Server or to connect to one or more locally installed Smart Protection Servers.
3. If you want to use a proxy for communication between agents and the Smart Protection Network, we recommend that you create a proxy server specifically for the Smart Protection Network. You can view and edit the list of available proxies on the **Proxies** tab on the **Administration > System Settings** page. For information on proxy protocols, see ["Proxy protocols supported by Deep Security" on page 293](#).

Note: After you select a proxy, you will need to restart any agents that will be using it.

4. Select the **When off domain, connect to global Smart Protection Service (Windows only)** option to use the global Smart Protection Service if the computer is off domain. The computer is considered to be off domain if it cannot connect to its domain controller. (This option is for Windows agents only.)

Note: If you have a locally installed Smart Protection Server, this option should be set to **Yes** on at least one computer so that you are notified if there is a problem with the Smart Protection Server itself.

5. Set the **Smart Protection Server Connection Warning** to generate error events and alerts when a computer loses its connection to the Smart Protection Server.

Web Reputation and Smart Protection

Smart Protection Server for Web Reputation supplies web reputation information required by the web reputation module.

To edit Smart Protection Server for Web Reputation Service:

1. Go to **Computers** or **Policies > Web Reputation > Smart Protection**.
2. You can select to connect directly to Trend Micro's Smart Protection Server or to connect to one or more locally installed Smart Protection Servers.
3. If you want to use a proxy for communication between agents and the Smart Protection Network, we recommend that you create a proxy server specifically for the Smart Protection

Network. You can view and edit the list of available proxies on the **Proxies** tab on the **Administration > System Settings** page. For information on proxy protocols, see ["Proxy protocols supported by Deep Security" on page 293](#).

Note: After you select a proxy, you will need to restart any agents that will be using it.

4. Select the **When off domain, connect to global Smart Protection Service (Windows only)** option to use the global Smart Protection Service if the computer is off domain. The computer is considered to be off domain if it cannot connect to its domain controller. (This option is for Windows agents only.)

Note: If you have a locally installed Smart Protection Server, this option should be set to **Yes** on at least one computer so that you are notified if there is a problem with the Smart Protection Server itself.

5. Set the **Smart Protection Server Connection Warning** to generate error events and alerts when a computer loses its connection to the Smart Protection Server.

Smart Feedback

Trend Micro Smart Feedback provides continuous communication between Trend Micro products and the company's 24/7 threat research centers and technologies. With Smart Feedback, products become an active part of the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network, where large amounts of threat data is shared and analyzed in real time. This interconnection enables never before possible rates of analysis, identification, and prevention of new threats—a level of responsiveness that addresses the thousands of new threats and threat variants released daily.

Trend Micro Smart Feedback is a system setting in the Deep Security Manager. When enabled, Smart Feedback shares anonymous threat information with the Smart Protection Network, allowing Trend Micro to rapidly identify and address new threats. By default, Smart Feedback is enabled. You can disable it or adjust its settings by going to **Administration > System Settings > Smart Feedback**.

Note: Smart Feedback will use the agents, appliances, and relays (security updates) proxy selected in the Proxy Server Use section on the **Administration > System Settings > Proxies** tab.

Handle malware

You can perform the following tasks to handle malware that the anti-malware module detects:

- ["View and restore identified malware" below](#)
- ["Create anti-malware exceptions" on page 608](#)
- ["Increase debug logging for anti-malware in protected Linux instances" on page 611](#)

See also ["Generate alerts for malware detection" on page 584](#).

For an overview of the anti-malware module, see ["Protect against malware" on page 560](#).

View and restore identified malware

An identified file is a file that has been found to be or to contain malware and has therefore been encrypted and moved to a special folder. Whether or not an infected file can be viewed and restored depends on the anti-malware configuration, and the operating system on which the file was found:

- On Windows agents, you can view and restore ["Customize malware remedial actions" on page 582](#) files.
- On Linux agents, you can view and restore only quarantined files.

Topics on this page:

- ["See a list of identified files" below](#)
- ["Working with identified files" on the next page](#)
- ["Search for an identified file" on page 603](#)
- ["Restore identified files " on page 605](#)
- ["Manually restore identified files" on page 608](#)

For information about events that are generated when malware is encountered, see ["Anti-malware events" on page 1054](#).

See a list of identified files

The Events and Reports page provides a list of identified files. From there you can see the details for any of those files.

1. Click **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events > Identified Files**.
2. To see the details of a file, select the file and click **View**.

The list of identified files includes the following columns of information:

- **Infected File:** Shows the name of the infected file and the specific security risk.
- **Malware:** Names the malware infection.
- **Computer:** Indicates the name of the computer with the suspected infection.

The Details window provides the following information:

- **Detection Time:** The date and time on the infected computer that the infection was detected.
- **Infected File(s):** The name of the infected file.
- **File SHA-1:** The SHA-1 hash of the file.
- **Malware:** The name of the malware that was found.
- **Scan Type:** Indicates whether the malware was detected by a Real-time, Scheduled, or Manual scan.
- **Action Taken:** The result of the action taken by Deep Security when the malware was detected.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this file was found. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Container Name:** Name of the Docker container where the malware was found.
- **Container ID:** ID of the Docker container where the malware was found.
- **Container Image Name:** Image name of the Docker container where the malware was found.

Working with identified files

The **Identified Files** page allows you to manage tasks related to identified files. Using the menu bar or the right-click context menu, you can:

-  **Restore** identified files back to their original location and condition.
-  **Download** identified files from the computer or Virtual Appliance to a location of your choice.
-  **Analyze** identified files from the computer or Virtual Appliance.
-  **Delete** one or more identified files from the computer or Virtual Appliance.
-  **Export** information about the identified file(s) (not the file itself) to a CSV file.

-  **View** the details of an identified file.
-  **Computer Details** displays the screen of the computer on which the malware was detected.
-  **View Anti-Malware Event** displays the anti-malware event associated with this identified file.
-  **Add or Remove Columns** by clicking **Add/Remove**.
-  **Search** for a particular identified file.

Note:

Identified files are automatically deleted from a Deep Security Virtual Appliance when a:

- VM is moved to another ESXi host by vMotion. Identified files associated with that VM will be deleted from the virtual appliance.
- VM is deactivated from the Deep Security Manager. Identified files associated with that VM will be deleted from the virtual appliance.
- Deep Security Virtual Appliance is deactivated from the Deep Security Manager. All the identified files stored on that virtual appliance will be deleted.
- Deep Security Virtual Appliance is deleted from the vCenter. All the identified files stored on that virtual appliance will also be deleted.

Search for an identified file

- Use the **Period** drop-down menu to see only the files that were identified within a specific time frame.
- Use the **Computers** drop-down menu to organize files by Computer Groups or Computer Policies.
- Click **Search this page > Open Advanced Search** to toggle the display of the advanced search options:

Identified Files

No Grouping ▼

Q Search th

Period: Last Hour ▼

Computers: All Computers ▼

Search: Infected File(s) ▼

Contains ▼

Delete...

View

Export ▼

Restore...

Download...

Columns...

Advanced searches include one or more search criteria for filtering identified files. Each criterion is a logical statement comprised of the following items:

- The characteristic of the identified file to filter on, such as the type of file (infected file or malware) or the computer that was affected.
- An operator:
 - **Contains:** The entry in the selected column contains the search string.
 - **Does Not Contain:** The entry in the selected column does not contain the search string.
 - **Equals:** The entry in the selected column exactly matches the search string.
 - **Does Not Equal:** The entry in the selected column does not exactly match the search string.
 - **In:** The entry in the selected column exactly matches one of the comma-separated search string entries.
 - **Not In:** The entry in the selected column does not exactly match any of the comma-separated search string entries.
- A value.

To add a criterion, click the "plus" button (+) to the right of the topmost criterion. To search, click the Search button (the circular arrow).

Note: Searches are not case-sensitive.

Restore identified files

Create a scan exclusion for the file

Before you can restore a file to its original location, you have to create a scan exclusion so that Deep Security doesn't immediately re-identify the file when it reappears on the computer.

Note: The following instructions describe how to create an exclusion for the file on an individual computer but you can make the same configuration changes at the policy level.

1. Open the Computers page and go to **Anti-Malware > Identified Files** and double click the identified file to view its properties.
2. Note the file's exact name and original location.
3. Still in the Computers page, go to **Anti-Malware > General** and click the Edit button next to each Malware Scan that's in effect to open the Malware Scan Configuration properties

window.

Computer: laptop_adaggs (lap)

Overview | **Anti-Malware** | Web Reputation | Firewall | Intrusion Prevention | Integrity Monitoring | Log Inspection | Interfaces | Settings | Updates | Overrides

General | Smart Protection | Advanced | Quarantined Files | Events

Anti-Malware

Configuration: Inherited (On) ▼

State: ● On, matching module plug-in not found, Real Time

Real-Time Scan

☒ Inherited

Malware Scan Configuration: Default Real-Time Scan Configuration ▼ **Edit**

Schedule: Every Day All Day ▼ **Edit**

Manual Scan

☒ Inherited

Malware Scan Configuration: Default Manual Scan Configuration ▼ **Edit**

Scheduled Scan

☒ Inherited

Malware Scan Configuration: Default Scheduled Scan Configuration ▼ **Edit**

Malware scan

Last Manual Scan for Malware: N/A

Last Scheduled Scan for Malware: N/A

Quick Scan for Malware Full Scan for Malware Cancel M

4. In the **Malware Scan Configuration** properties window, click on the **Exclusions** tab.
5. In the **Scan Exclusions** area, select **File List** and then either press edit if a file list is already selected, or select **New** from the menu to create a new File List.

6. In the **File List** properties window, enter the file path and name of the file to be restored. Click **OK** to close the File List properties window.

General | Assigned To

General Information

Name:

Description:

File(s): (One file per line)

Supported Formats:

NOTE The "Process Image File List" only handles full path, other formats are ignored.

File:

FILE	Example: testfile.doc
FILEPATH	Example: C:\Documents\testfile.doc

File with WildCard (*):

FILE*	Example: MyApp*.vApp
FILE.EXT*	Example: MyApp.v*

Environment Variable:

\${ENV VAR}	Example: \${myDBFile}

Comments:

FILEPATH #Comment	Example: C:\temp\file.txt #Exclude

OK Cancel

7. Close the **Malware Scan Configuration** properties window by clicking **OK**.
8. When you've edited all the **Malware Scan Configurations**, click **Save** in the Computers page to save your changes. You're now ready to restore your file.

Restore the file

1. Still in the Computers page, go to the **Anti-Malware > Identified Files** tab.
2. Right-click the identified file and select **Actions > Restore** and follow the steps in the wizard.

Your file is restored to its original location.

Manually restore identified files

To manually restore an identified file, download the file to your computer. The **Identified File** wizard will display a link to an **Administration Utility** which you can use to decrypt, examine, or restore the file. Use the quarantined file decryption utility to decrypt the file and then move it back to its original location.

The decryption utility is in a zip file, **QFAdminUtil_win32.zip**, located in the "util" folder under the Deep Security Manager root directory. The zipped file contains two utilities which perform the same function: **QDecrypt.exe** and **QDecrypt.com**. Running **QDecrypt.exe** invokes an open file dialog that lets you select the file for decryption. **QDecrypt.com** is a command-line utility with the following options:

- **/h, --help**: show this help message
- **--verbose**: generate verbose log messages
- **/i, --in=<str>**: quarantined file to be decrypted, where **<str>** is the name of the quarantined file
- **/o, --out=<str>**: decrypted file output, where **<str>** is the name given to the resulting decrypted file

Note: This utility is supported on Windows 32-bit and Windows 64-bit systems.

Create anti-malware exceptions

Files that are not malicious can be falsely identified as malware if they share certain characteristics with malware. If a file is known to be benign and is identified as malware, you can create an exception for that file. When an exception is created, the file does not trigger an event when Deep Security scans the file.

For an overview of the anti-malware module, see ["Protect against malware" on page 560](#).

Note: You can also exclude files from real-time, manual, and scheduled scans. See ["Specify the files to scan" on page 574](#).

Exceptions can be created for the following types of malware and malware scans:

- Predictive Machine Learning scans (for information, see ["Detect emerging threats using Predictive Machine Learning" on page 588](#).)
- Scans for spyware and grayware (for information, see ["Scan for spyware and grayware" on page 573](#))
- Behavior monitoring protection (for information, see ["Enhanced anti-malware and ransomware scanning with behavior monitoring" on page 589](#))

Deep Security maintains a list of exceptions for each type of malware scan in policy and computer properties.

1. To see the lists of exceptions, open the policy or computer editor.
2. Click **Anti-Malware > Advanced**.

The exceptions are listed in the **Allowed Spyware/Grayware**, **Document Exploit Protection Rule Exceptions**, **Predictive Machine Learning Detection Exceptions**, and **Behavior Monitoring Protection Exceptions** sections.

See also ["Scan exclusion recommendations" on the next page](#).

Create an exception from an anti-malware event

When a file is identified as malware, Deep Security generates an anti-malware event. If you know that the file is benign, you can create an exception for the file from the event report.

1. Click **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events** and locate the malware detection event.
2. Right-click the event.
3. Select **Allow**.

Manually create an anti-malware exception

You can manually create anti-malware exceptions for spyware or grayware, document exploit protection rules, predictive machine learning, and behavior monitoring exceptions. To add the exception, you need specific information from the anti-malware event that the scan generated. The type of malware or scan determines the information that you need:

- **Spyware or grayware:** The value in the "MALWARE" field, for example `SPY_CCFR_CPP_TEST.A`
 - **Document exploit protection rules:** The value in the "MALWARE" field, for example `HEUR_OLEP.EXE`
 - **Predictive machine learning:** The SHA1 digest of the file from the "FILE SHA-1" field, for example `3395856CE81F2B7382DEE72602F798B642F14140`
 - **Behavior monitoring:** The process image path, for example `C:\test.exe`
1. Click **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events** and copy the field value that is required to identify the malware.
 2. Open the policy or computer editor where you want to create the exception.
 3. Click **Anti-Malware > Advanced**.
 4. In the **Allowed Spyware/Grayware, Document Exploit Protection Rule Exceptions, Predictive Machine Learning Detection Exceptions, or Behavior Monitoring Protection Exceptions** section, enter the information from the event in the text box.
 5. Click **Add**.

Exception strategies for spyware and grayware

When spyware is detected, the malware can be immediately cleaned, quarantined, or deleted, depending on the malware scan configuration that controls the scan. After you create the exception for a spyware or grayware event, you might have to restore the file. (See ["Restore identified files" on page 605](#).)

Alternatively, you can temporarily scan for spyware and grayware with the action set to "Pass" so that all spyware and grayware detections are recorded on the Anti-Malware Events page but not cleaned, quarantined, or deleted. You can then create exceptions for the detected spyware and grayware. When your exception list is robust, you can set the action to "Clean", "Quarantine", or "Delete" modes.

For information about setting the action, see ["Configure how to handle malware" on page 581](#).

Scan exclusion recommendations

The best and most comprehensive source for scan exclusions is from the software vendor. The following are some high-level scan exclusion recommendations:

- Quarantine folders (such as `SMEX` on Microsoft Windows Exchange Server) should be excluded to avoid rescanning files that have already been confirmed to be malware.

- Large databases and database files (for example, dsm.mdf and dsm.ldf) should be excluded because scanning could impact database performance. If it is necessary to scan database files, you can create a scheduled task to scan the database during off-peak hours. Since Microsoft SQL Server databases are dynamic, exclude the directory and backup folders from the scan list:

For Windows:

```
${ProgramFiles}\Microsoft SQL Server\MSSQL\Data\
```

```
${Windir}\WINNT\Cluster\ # if using SQL Clustering
```

```
Q:\ # if using SQL Clustering
```

For Linux:

```
/var/lib/mysql/ # if path is set to this Data Location of MySQL in the machine.
```

```
/mnt/volume-mysql/ # if path is set to this Data Location of MySQL in the machine.
```

For a list of recommended scan exclusions, see the [Trend Micro recommended scan exclusion list](#). Microsoft also maintains an [Anti-Virus Exclusion List](#) that you can use as a reference for excluding files from scanning on Windows servers.

Increase debug logging for anti-malware in protected Linux instances

You can increase or decrease verbosity of the anti-malware (AM) debug logging used to diagnose any issue related to AM when running on a Linux operating system.

Anti-malware debug logs are automatically included when you create a diagnostic package for technical support.

For information on creating a diagnostic package, see ["Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239](#).

To increase the anti-malware debug log level, enter the following command in a shell on the Linux instance as a superuser:

```
killall -USR1 ds_am
```

This command will increase the level one unit. By default the level is 6 and the maximum is 8.

To decrease the anti-malware debug log level, enter the following command in a shell on the Linux instance as a superuser:

```
killall -USR2 ds_am
```

This command decreases the level by one unit. The minimum level is 0.

Note: If your Linux distribution doesn't use `killall` you can substitute it with the `pkill` command.

Block exploit attempts using Intrusion Prevention

The Intrusion Prevention module protects your computers from known and zero-day vulnerability attacks as well as against SQL injections attacks, cross-site scripting attacks, and other web application vulnerabilities.

When patches are not available for known vulnerabilities in applications or operating systems, Intrusion Prevention rules can intercept traffic that is trying to exploit the vulnerability. It identifies malicious software that is accessing the network and it increases visibility into, or control over, applications that are accessing the network. Therefore your computers are protected until patches that fix the vulnerability are released, tested, and deployed.

Protection is available for file sharing and messaging software such as Skype, but also web applications with vulnerabilities such as SQL injection and cross-site scripting (XSS). In this way, Intrusion Prevention can also be used as a lightweight web application firewall (WAF).

To enable and configure Intrusion Prevention, see ["Set up Intrusion Prevention" on page 616](#).

Intrusion Prevention rules

Intrusion Prevention rules define a set of conditions that are compared to the payload session and application layers of network packets (such as DNS, HTTP, SSL, and SMTP), as well as the sequence of those packets according to those higher-layer protocols.

Tip: Firewall rules examine the network and transport layers of a packet (IP, TCP, and UDP, for example).

When Deep Security Agents scan network traffic and the traffic meets a rule's match conditions, the agent handles it as a possible or confirmed attack and performs one of the following actions, depending on the rule:

- Completely drop packets
- Reset the connection

Intrusion Prevention rules are assigned to policies and computers. Therefore you can enforce sets of rules on groups of computers based on the policy that they use, and override policies as required. (See ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434.](#))

For information about how you can affect the functionality of rules, see ["Configure intrusion prevention rules" on page 623.](#)

Application types

Application types organize rules by the application that they are associated with. Application types can also store property values that rules can reference as required, such as protocols used for communications, and port numbers. Some application types have configurable properties. For example, the Database Microsoft SQL application type contains rules that are associated with Microsoft SQL Server. You can configure this application type to specify the ports used to connect to the database.

For more information, see ["Application types" on page 644.](#)

Rule updates

Trend Micro creates Intrusion Prevention rules for application vulnerabilities as they are discovered. Security updates can include new or updated rules and application types. When a rule is already assigned to a policy, and an update includes rules upon which the assigned rule depends, you can choose to automatically assign the updated rules.

Tip: Intrusion Prevention rules from Trend Micro include information about the vulnerability against which it protects.

Intrusion Prevention rules from Trend Micro are not directly editable through Deep Security Manager. However some rules are configurable, and some rules require configuration. (See ["Setting configuration options \(Trend Micro rules only\)" on page 629.](#))

Recommendation scans

You can use recommendation scans to discover the Intrusion Prevention rules that you should assign to your policies and computers. (See ["Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439.](#))

Use behavior modes to test rules

Intrusion Prevention works in either Detect or Prevent mode:

- **Detect:** Intrusion Prevention uses rules to detect matching traffic and generate events, but does not block traffic. Detect mode is useful to test that Intrusion Prevention rules do not interfere with legitimate traffic.
- **Prevent:** Intrusion Prevention uses rules to detect matching traffic, generate events, and block traffic to prevent attacks.

When you first apply new Intrusion Prevention rules, use Detect mode to verify that they don't accidentally block normal traffic (false positives). When you are satisfied that no false positives occur, you can use Prevent mode to enforce the rules and block attacks. (See ["Enable Intrusion Prevention in Detect mode" on page 617](#) and ["Switch to Prevent mode" on page 622.](#))

Tip: Similar to using Intrusion Prevention in Detect mode, the Deep Security network engine can run in tap mode for testing purposes. In tap mode, Intrusion Prevention detects rule-matching traffic and generates events, but doesn't block traffic. Also, tap mode affects the Firewall and Web Reputation modules. You can use Detect mode to test Intrusion Prevention rules separately.

You use tap mode with Intrusion Prevention in the same way that tap mode is used for testing Firewall rules. See ["Test Firewall rules before deploying them" on page 658.](#)

Override the behavior mode for rules

By selecting Detect mode on individual rules, you can selectively override Prevent mode behavior set at the computer or policy level. This is useful for testing new Intrusion Prevention rules that are applied to a policy or computer. For example, when a policy is configured such that Intrusion Prevention works in Prevent mode, you can bypass the Prevent mode behavior for an individual rule by setting that rule to Detect mode. For that rule only, Intrusion Prevention merely logs the

traffic, and enforces other rules that do not override the policy's behavior mode. (See ["Override the behavior mode for a rule" on page 631.](#))

Note: While Prevent mode at the computer or policy level can be overridden by contradictory rule settings, Detect mode cannot. Selecting Detect mode at the computer or policy level enforces Detect mode behavior regardless of rule settings.

Some rules issued by Trend Micro use Detect mode by default. For example, mail client rules generally use Detect mode because in Prevent mode they block the downloading of all mail. Some rules trigger an alert only when a condition occurs a large number of times, or a certain number of times within a certain period of time. These types of rules apply to traffic that constitutes suspicious behavior only when a condition recurs, and a single occurrence of the condition is considered normal.

Warning:

To prevent blocking legitimate traffic and interrupting network services, when a rule requires configuration, keep it in Detect mode until you've configured the rule. Switch a rule to Prevent mode only after configuration and testing.

Intrusion Prevention events

By default, the Deep Security Manager collects Firewall and Intrusion Prevention event logs from the Deep Security **Agents and Appliances**¹ at every heartbeat. Once collected by the Deep Security Manager, event logs are kept for a period of time which can be configured. The default setting is one week. (See ["Log and event storage best practices" on page 882.](#)) You can configure event logging for individual rules as required. (See ["Configure event logging for rules" on page 628.](#))

Event tagging can help you to sort events. You can manually apply tags to events or automatically tag them. You can also use the auto-tagging feature to group and label multiple events. For more information on event tagging, see ["Apply tags to identify and group events" on page 887.](#)

¹The Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Virtual Appliance are the components that enforce the Deep Security policies that you have defined. Agents are deployed directly on a computer. Appliances are used in VMware vSphere environments to provide agentless protection. They are not available with Deep Security as a Service.

Support for secure connections

The Intrusion Prevention module supports inspecting packets over secure connections. See ["Inspect SSL or TLS traffic" on page 646](#).

Contexts

Contexts are a powerful way of implementing different security policies depending on the computer's network environment. You typically use contexts to create policies that apply different Firewall and Intrusion Prevention rules to computers (usually mobile laptops) depending on whether that computer is in the office or away.

To determine a computer's location, contexts examine the nature of the computer's connection to its domain controller. For more information, see ["Define contexts for use in policies" on page 523](#).

Interface tagging

You can use interface types when you need to assign Firewall or Intrusion Prevention rules to a specific interface when a machine has multiple network interfaces. By default, Firewall and Intrusion Prevention rules are assigned to all interfaces on a computer. For example, to apply special rules only to the wireless network interface, use interface types to accomplish this. For more information, see ["Configure a policy for multiple interfaces" on page 450](#).

Set up Intrusion Prevention

Enable the Intrusion Prevention module and monitor network traffic for exploits using Detect mode. When you are satisfied with how your Intrusion Prevention rules are assigned, switch to Prevent mode.

1. ["Enable Intrusion Prevention in Detect mode" on the next page](#)
2. ["Test Intrusion Prevention" on page 619](#)
3. ["Apply recommended rules" on page 620](#)
4. ["Monitor your system" on page 621](#)
5. ["Enable 'fail open' for packet or system failures" on page 622](#)
6. ["Switch to Prevent mode" on page 622](#)
7. ["Implement best practices for specific rules" on page 623](#)

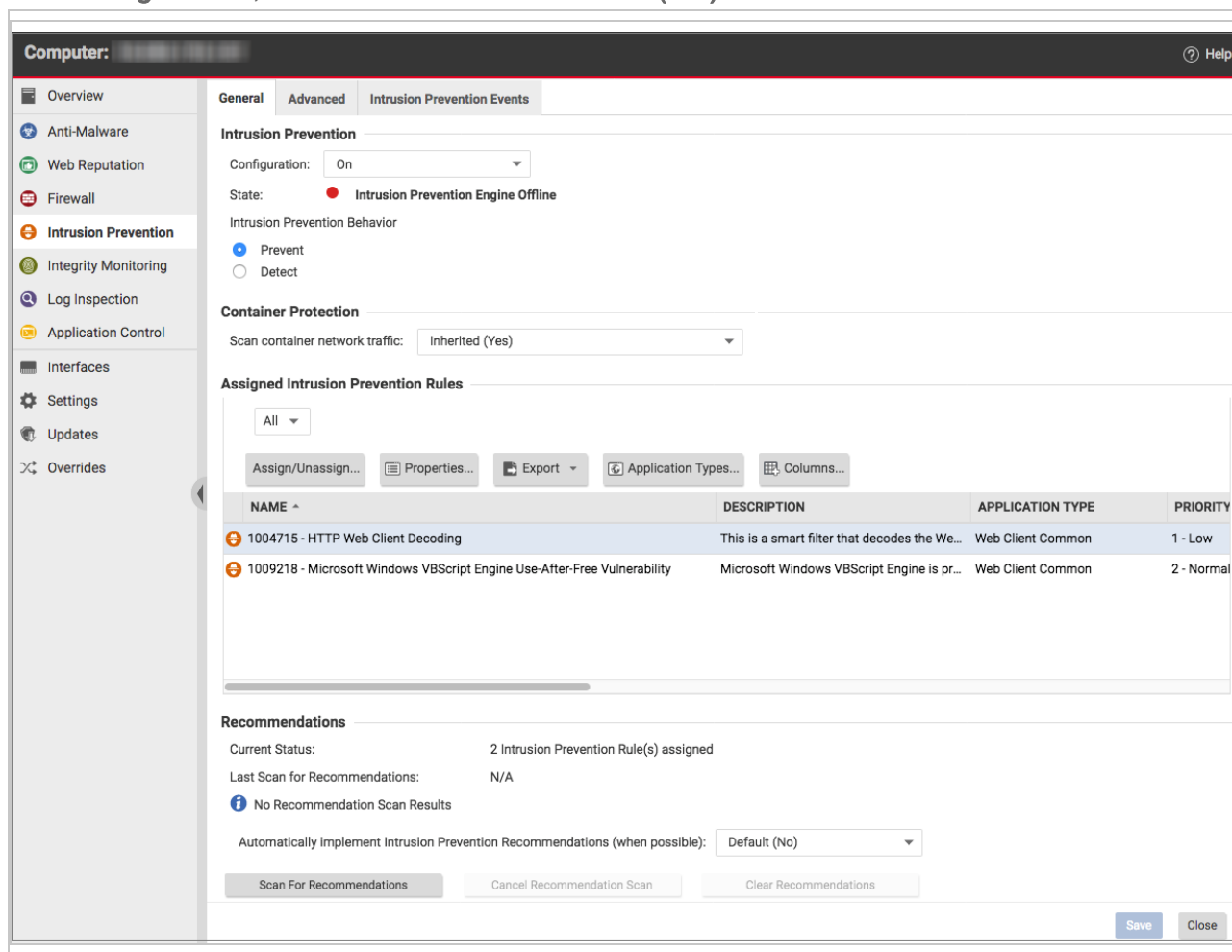
Note: CPU usage and RAM usage varies by your IPS configuration. To optimize IPS performance on Deep Security Agent, see ["Performance tips for intrusion prevention" on page 654](#).

For an overview of the Intrusion Prevention module, see ["Block exploit attempts using Intrusion Prevention" on page 612](#).

Enable Intrusion Prevention in Detect mode

Enable Intrusion Prevention and use Detect mode for monitoring. Configure Intrusion Prevention using the appropriate policies to affect the targeted computers. You can also configure individual computers.

1. Go to **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Intrusion Prevention** > **General**.
2. For **Configuration**, select either **On** or **Inherited (On)**.



3. For **Intrusion Prevention Behavior**, select **Detect**.
4. With Deep Security Agent 11.1 and earlier, the Intrusion Prevention module inspects traffic that passes through the host computer's network interface to containers. With Deep Security Agent 11.2 or later, it can also inspect traffic between containers. When the **Scan container network traffic** setting is set to **Yes**, Deep Security scans the traffic that goes through both containers and hosts. When it is set to **No**, Deep Security scans only the traffic that goes through the host network interface.
5. Click **Save**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Tip: If the behavior settings are not available, **Network Engine Mode** may be set to **Tap**. (See ["Test Firewall rules before deploying them" on page 658.](#))

For more fine-grained control, when you assign Intrusion Prevention rules, you can override the global behavior mode and configure specific rules to either prevent or detect. (See ["Override the behavior mode for a rule" on page 631.](#))

Test Intrusion Prevention

You should test that the Intrusion Prevention module is working properly before continuing with further steps.

1. If you have an agent-based deployment, make sure you have a computer that has an agent running. For an agentless deployment, make sure your Deep Security Virtual Appliance is running normally.
2. Turn off the Web Reputation module. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers**, then double-click the computer where you'll test Intrusion Prevention. In the computer's dialog box, click **Web Reputation**, and select **Off**. Web Reputation is now disabled and won't interfere with the Intrusion Prevention functionality.
3. Make sure bad traffic is blocked. Still in the computer's dialog box, click **Intrusion Prevention**, and under the **General** tab, select **Prevent**. (If it is shaded, set the **Configuration** drop-down list to **Inherited (On)**.)
4. Assign the EICAR test policy. Still in the computer's dialog box, click **Intrusion Prevention**. Click **Assign/Unassign**. Search for `1005924`. The **1005924 - Restrict Download of EICAR Test File Over HTTP** policy appears. Select its check box and click **OK**. The policy is now assigned to the computer.
5. Try to download the EICAR file (you can't, if Intrusion Prevention is running properly). On Windows, go to this link: <http://files.trendmicro.com/products/eicar-file/eicar.com>. On Linux, enter this command: `curl -O http://files.trendmicro.com/products/eicar-file/eicar.com`
6. Check the Intrusion Prevention events for the computer. Still in the computer's dialog box, click **Intrusion Prevention > Intrusion Prevention Events**. Click **Get Events** to see events that have occurred since the last heartbeat. An event appears with a **Reason** of **1005924 - Restrict Download of EICAR Test File Over HTTP**. The presence of this event indicates that Intrusion Prevention is working.
7. Revert your changes to return your system to its previous state. Turn on the Web Reputation module (if you turned it off), reset the **Prevent** or **Detect** option, and remove the EICAR policy from the computer.

Apply recommended rules

To maximize performance, only assign the Intrusion Prevention rules that are required by your policies and computers. You can use a recommendation scan to obtain a list of rules that are appropriate.

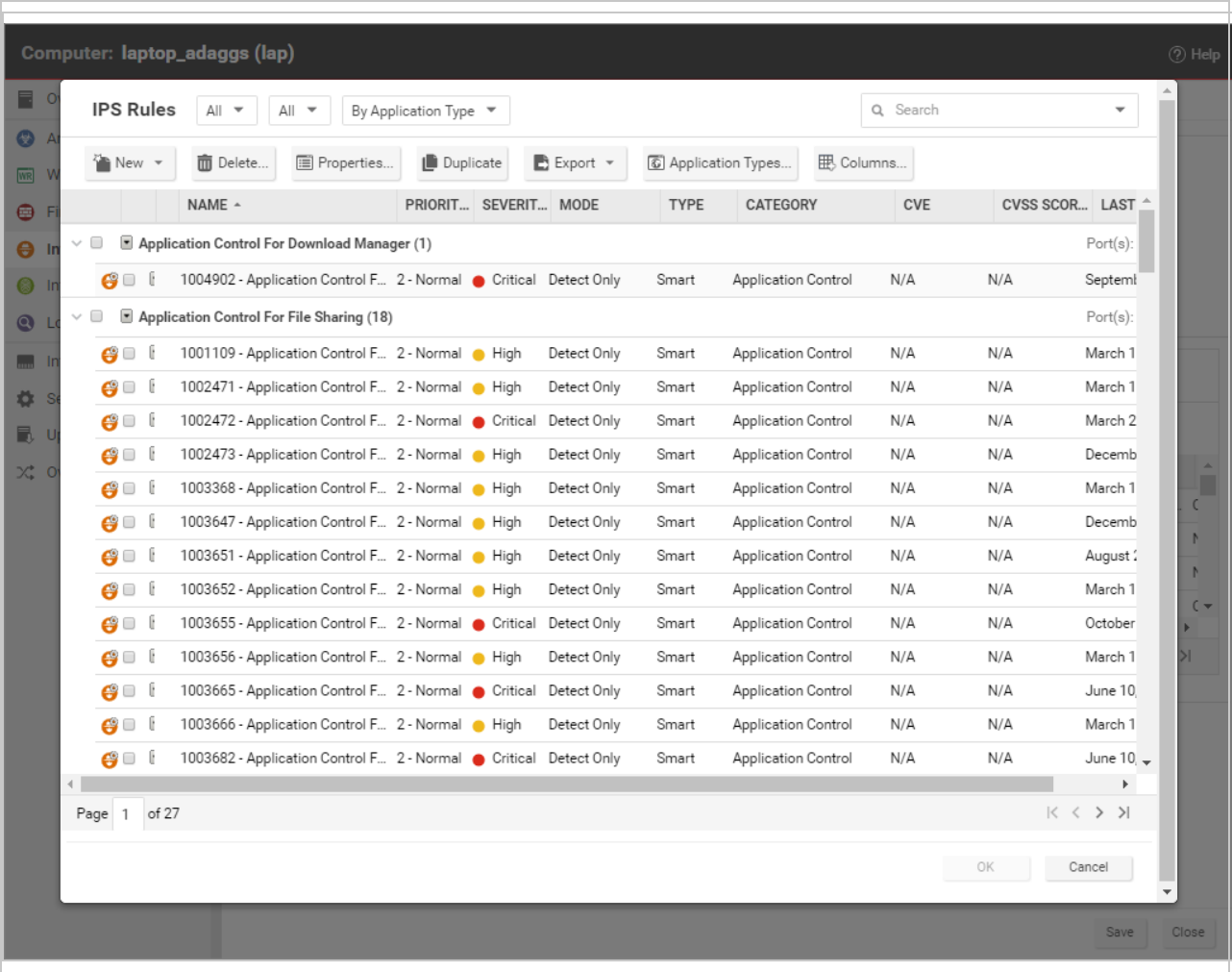
Note: Although recommendation scans are performed for a specific computer, you can assign the recommendations to a policy that the computer uses.

For more information, see ["Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439](#).

1. Open the properties for the computer to scan. Run the recommendation scan as described in ["Manually run a recommendation scan" on page 444](#).

Note: You can configure Deep Security to ["Automatically implement recommendations" on page 445](#) scan results when it is appropriate to do so.

2. Open the policy to which you want to assign the rules, and complete the rule assignments as described in ["Check scan results and manually assign rules" on page 446](#).



Tip: To automatically and periodically fine tune your assigned Intrusion Prevention rules, you can schedule recommendation scans. See ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#).

Monitor your system

After you apply Intrusion Prevention rules, monitor system performance and Intrusion Prevention event logs.

Monitor system performance

Monitor CPU, RAM, and network usage to verify that system performance is still acceptable. If not, you can modify some settings and deployment aspects to improve performance. (See ["Performance tips for intrusion prevention" on page 654.](#))

Check Intrusion Prevention events

Monitor Intrusion Prevention events to ensure that rules are not matching legitimate network traffic. If a rule is causing false positives you can unassign the rule. (See ["Assign and unassign rules" on page 627.](#))

To see Intrusion Prevention events, click **Events & Reports > Intrusion Prevention Events**.

Enable 'fail open' for packet or system failures

The Intrusion Prevention module includes a network engine that might block packets before Intrusion Prevention rules can be applied. This might lead to downtime or performance issues with your services and applications. You can change this behavior so that packets are allowed through when system or internal packet failures occur. For details, see ["Enable 'fail open' behavior" on page 659.](#)

Switch to Prevent mode

When you are satisfied that Intrusion Prevention is not finding false positives, configure your policy to use Intrusion Prevention in Prevent mode so that rules are enforced and related events are logged.

1. Go to **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Intrusion Prevention > General**.
2. For **Intrusion Prevention Behavior**, select **Prevent**.
3. Click **Save**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Implement best practices for specific rules

HTTP Protocol Decoding rule

The HTTP Protocol Decoding rule is the most important rule in the "Web Server Common" Application Type. This rule decodes the HTTP traffic before the other rules inspect it. This rule also allows you to control various components of the decoding process.

This rule is required when you use any of the Web Application Common or Web Server Common rules that require it. The Deep Security Manager automatically assigns this rule when it is required by other rules. As each web application is different, the policy that uses this rule should run in Detect mode for a period of time before switching to Prevent mode to determine if any configuration changes are required.

Quite often, changes are required to the list of illegal characters.

Refer to the following Knowledge Base articles for more details on this rule and how to tune it:

- <https://success.trendmicro.com/solution/1098016>
- <https://success.trendmicro.com/solution/1054481>
- <https://success.trendmicro.com/solution/1096566>

Cross-site scripting and generic SQL injection rules

Two of the most common application-layer attacks are SQL injection and cross-site scripting (XSS). Cross-site scripting and SQL injection rules intercept the majority of attacks by default, but you may need to adjust the drop score for specific resources if they cause false positives.

Both rules are smart filters that need custom configuration for web servers. If you have output from a Web Application Vulnerability Scanner, you should leverage that information when applying protection. For example, if the user name field on the login.asp page is vulnerable to SQL injection, ensure that the SQL injection rule is configured to monitor that parameter with a low threshold to drop on.

For more information, see <https://success.trendmicro.com/solution/1098159>

Apply NSX security tags

Configure intrusion prevention rules

Perform the following tasks to configure and work with intrusion prevention rules:

- ["See the list of intrusion prevention rules" below](#)
- ["See information about an intrusion prevention rule" on the next page](#)
- ["See information about the associated vulnerability \(Trend Micro rules only\)" on page 627](#)
- ["Assign and unassign rules" on page 627](#)
- ["Automatically assign updated required rules" on page 628](#)
- ["Configure event logging for rules" on page 628](#)
- ["Generate alerts" on page 629](#)
- ["Setting configuration options \(Trend Micro rules only\)" on page 629](#)
- ["Schedule active times" on page 630](#)
- ["Exclude from recommendations" on page 630](#)
- ["Set the context for a rule" on page 631](#)
- ["Override the behavior mode for a rule" on page 631](#)
- ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 632](#)
- ["Export and import rules" on page 632](#)
- ["Configure an SQL injection prevention rule" on page 633](#)

For an overview of the intrusion prevention module, see ["Block exploit attempts using Intrusion Prevention" on page 612](#).

See the list of intrusion prevention rules

The Policies page provides a list of intrusion prevention rules. You can search for intrusion prevention rules, and open and edit rule properties. In the list, rules are grouped by application type, and some rule properties appear in different columns.

Tip: The "TippingPoint" column contains the equivalent Trend Micro TippingPoint rule ID. In the Advanced Search for intrusion prevention, you can search on the TippingPoint rule ID. You can also see the TippingPoint rule ID in the list of assigned intrusion prevention rules in the policy and computer editor.

To see the list, click **Policies**, and then below **Common Objects/Rules** click **Intrusion Prevention Rules**.

See information about an intrusion prevention rule

The properties of intrusion prevention rules include information about the rule and the exploit against which it protects.

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.

General Information

- **Name:** The name of the intrusion prevention rule.
- **Description:** The description of the intrusion prevention rule.
- **Minimum Agent/Appliance Version:** The minimum version of the Deep Security **Agent or Appliance**¹ required to support this intrusion prevention rule.

Details

Clicking **New** () or **Properties** () displays the **Intrusion Prevention Rule Properties** window.

Note: Note the **Configuration** tab. Intrusion Prevention Rules from Trend Micro are not directly editable through Deep Security Manager. Instead, if the Intrusion Prevention Rule requires (or allows) configuration, those configuration options will be available on the **Configuration** tab. Custom Intrusion Prevention Rules that you write yourself will be editable, in which case the **Rules** tab will be visible.

See the list of intrusion prevention rules

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also see the TippingPoint rule ID in the list of assigned intrusion prevention rules in the policy and computer editor.

To see the list, click **Policies**, and then below **Common Objects/Rules** click **Intrusion Prevention Rules**.

General Information

- **Application Type:** The application type under which this intrusion prevention rule is grouped.

Tip: You can edit application types from this panel. When you edit an application type from here, the changes are applied to all security elements that use it.

- **Priority:** The priority level of the rule. Higher priority rules are applied before lower priority rules.
- **Severity:** Setting the severity of a rule has no effect on how the rule is implemented or applied. Severity levels can be useful as sorting criteria when viewing a list of intrusion prevention rules. More importantly, each severity level is associated with a severity value; this value is multiplied by a computer's Asset Value to determine the Ranking of an Event. (See **Administration > System Settings > Ranking**.)
- **CVSS Score:** A measure of the severity of the vulnerability according the [National Vulnerability Database](#).

Identification (Trend Micro rules only)

- **Type:** Can be either Smart (one or more known and unknown (zero day) vulnerabilities), Exploit (a specific exploit, usually signature based), or Vulnerability (a specific vulnerability for which one or more exploits may exist).
- **Issued:** The date the rule was released. This does not indicate when the rule was downloaded.
- **Last Updated:** The last time the rule was modified either locally or during Security Update download.
- **Identifier:** The rule's unique identification tag.

See information about the associated vulnerability (Trend Micro rules only)

Rules that Trend Micro provides can include information about the vulnerability against which the rule protects. When applicable, the Common Vulnerability Scoring System (CVSS) is displayed. (For information on this scoring system, see the CVSS page at the [National Vulnerability Database](#).)

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Vulnerabilities** tab.

Assign and unassign rules

To apply intrusion prevention rules during agent scans, you assign them to the appropriate policies and computers. When the rule is no longer necessary because the vulnerability has been patched you can unassign the rule.

If you cannot unassign intrusion prevention rules from a **Computer editor**¹, it is likely because the rules are currently assigned in a policy. Rules assigned at the policy level must be removed using the **Policy editor**² and cannot be removed at the computer level.

When you make a change to a policy, it affects all computers using the policy. For example, when you unassign a rule from a policy you remove the rule from all computers that are protected by that policy. To continue to apply the rule to other computers, create a new policy for that group of computers. (See "[Policies, inheritance, and overrides](#)" on page 434.)

Tip: To see the policies and computers to which a rule is assigned, see the Assigned To tab of the rule properties.

1. Go to the **Policies** page, right-click the policy to configure and click **Details**.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > General**.
The list of rules that are assigned to the policy appear in the **Assigned Intrusion Prevention Rules** list.
3. Under **Assigned Intrusion Prevention Rules**, click **Assign/Unassign**.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

²To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

4. To assign a rule, select the check box next to the rule.
5. To unassign a rule, deselect the check box next to the rule.
6. Click **OK**.

Automatically assign updated required rules

Security updates can include new or updated application types and intrusion prevention rules which require the assignment of secondary intrusion prevention rules. Deep Security can automatically assign these rules if they are required. You enable these automatic assignments in the the policy or computer properties.

1. Go to the **Policies** page, right-click the policy to configure and click **Details**.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > Advanced**.
3. To enable the automatic assignments, in the **Rule Updates** area, select **Yes**.
4. Click **OK**.

Configure event logging for rules

Configure whether events are logged for a rule, and whether to include packet data in the log.

Note: Deep Security can display X-Forwarded-For headers in intrusion prevention events when they are available in the packet data. This information can be useful when the Deep Security Agent is behind a load balancer or proxy. The X-Forwarded-For header data appears in the event's Properties window. To include the header data, include packet data in the log. In addition, rule 1006540 "Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging" must be assigned.

Because it would be impractical to record all packet data every time a rule triggers an event, Deep Security records the data only the first time the event occurs within a specified period of time. The default time is five minutes, however you can change the time period using the "Period for Log only one packet within period" property of a policy's Advanced Network Engine settings. (See [Advanced Network Engine Options](#).)

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 632](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.

3. On the General tab, go to the Events area and select the desired options:
 - To disable logging for the rule, select **Disable Event Logging**.
 - To log an event when a packet is dropped or blocked, select **Generate Event on Packet Drop**.
 - To include the packet data in the log entry, select **Always Include Packet Data**.
 - To log several packets that precede and follow the packet that the rule detected, select **Enable Debug Mode**. Use debug mode only when your support provider instructs you to do so.

Additionally, to include packet data in the log, the policy to which the rule is assigned must allow rules to capture packet data:

1. On the Policies page, open the policy that is assigned the rule.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > Advanced**.
3. In the **Event Data** area, select **Yes**.

Generate alerts

Generate an alert when an intrusion prevention rule triggers an event.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 632](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the Options tab, and in the **Alert** area select **On**.
4. Click **OK**.

Setting configuration options (Trend Micro rules only)

Some intrusion prevention rules that Trend Micro provides have one or more configuration options such as header length, allowed extensions for HTTP, or cookie length. Some options require you to configure them. If you assign a rule without setting a required option, an alert is generated that informs you about the required option. (This also applies to any rules that are downloaded and automatically applied by way of a Security Update.)

Intrusion prevention rules that have configuration options appear in the Intrusion Prevention Rules list with a small gear over their icon .

Note: Custom intrusion prevention rules that you write yourself include a **Rules** tab where you can edit the rules.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 632](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Configuration** tab.
4. Configure the properties and then click **OK**.

Schedule active times

Schedule a time during which an intrusion prevention rule is active. Intrusion prevention rules that are active only at scheduled times appear in the Intrusion Prevention Rules page with a small clock over their icon .

Note: With Agent-based protection, schedules use the same time zone as the endpoint operating system. With Agentless protection, schedules use the same time zone as the Deep Security Virtual Appliance..

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 632](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Options** tab.
4. In the **Schedule** area, select **New** or select a frequency.
5. Edit the schedule as required.
6. Click **OK**.

Exclude from recommendations

Exclude intrusion prevention rules from rule recommendations of recommendation scans.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on the next page](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Options** tab.
4. In the **Recommendations Options** area, select **Exclude from Recommendations**.
5. Click **OK**.

Set the context for a rule

Set the context in which the rule is applied.

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on the next page](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Click the **Options** tab.
4. In the **Context** area, select **New** or select a context.
5. Edit the context as required.
6. Click **OK**.

Override the behavior mode for a rule

Set the behavior mode of an intrusion prevention rule to Detect when testing new rules. In Detect mode, the rule creates a log entry prefaced with the words "detect only:" and does not interfere with traffic. Some intrusion prevention rules are designed to operate only in Detect mode. For these rules, you cannot change the behavior mode.

Note: If you disable logging for the rule, the rule activity is not logged regardless of the behavior mode.

For more information about behavior modes, see ["Use behavior modes to test rules" on page 614](#).

The configuration performed in the following procedure affects all policies. For information about configuring a rule for one policy, see ["Override rule and application type configurations" on the next page](#).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Select a rule and click **Properties**.
3. Select **Detect Only**.

Override rule and application type configurations

From a **Computer or Policy editor**¹, you can edit an intrusion prevention rule so that your changes apply only in the context of the policy or computer. You can also edit the rule so that the changes apply globally so that the changes affect other policies and computers that are assigned the rule. Similarly, you can configure application types for a single policy or computer, or globally.

1. Go to the **Policies** page, right-click the policy to configure and click **Details**.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention**.
3. To edit a rule, right-click the rule and select one of the following commands:
 - **Properties**: Edit the rule only for the policy.
 - **Properties (Global)**: Edit the rule globally, for all policies and computers.
4. To edit the application type of a rule, right-click the rule and select one of the following commands:
 - **Application Type Properties**: Edit the application type only for the policy.
 - **Application Type Properties (Global)**: Edit the application type globally, for all policies and computers.
5. Click **OK**.

Tip: When you select the rule and click **Properties**, you are editing the rule only for the policy that you are editing.

Note: You cannot assign one port to more than eight application types. If they are, the rules will not function on that port.

Export and import rules

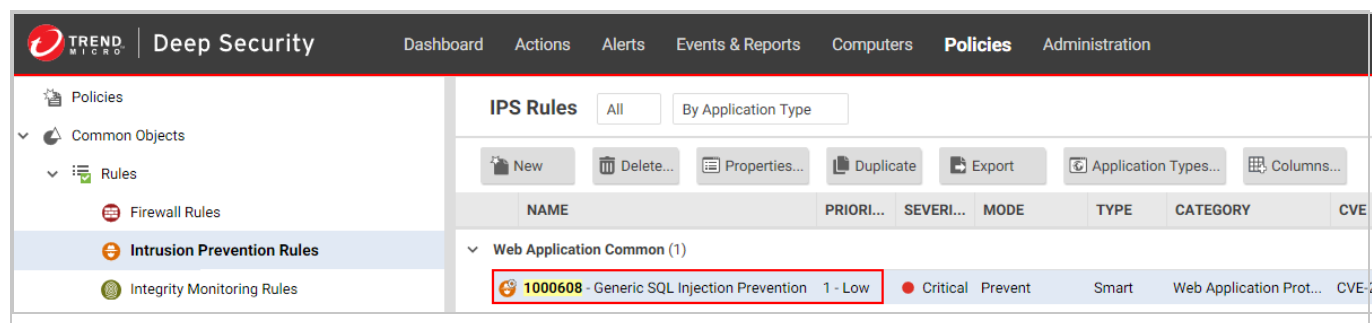
You can export one or more intrusion prevention rules to an XML or CSV file, and import rules from an XML file.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the **Policies** page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click **Details**). To change the settings for a computer, go to the **Computers** page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click **Details**).

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. To export one or more rules, select them and click **Export > Export Selected to CSV** or **Export > Export Selected to XML**.
3. To export all rules, click **Export > Export to CSV** or **Export > Export to XML**.
4. To import rules, click **New > Import From File** and follow the instructions on the wizard.

Configure an SQL injection prevention rule

Deep Security's intrusion prevention module includes a built-in rule that detects SQL injection attacks and drops the connection or logs it depending on its characteristics. The rule is called **1000608 - Generic SQL Injection Prevention** and can be configured to suit your organization's needs. For example, you can change the sensitivity of the rule by modifying the drop threshold.



Topics in this article:

- ["What is an SQL injection attack?" below](#)
- ["What are common characters and strings used in SQL injection attacks?" on the next page](#)
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What is an SQL injection attack?

An SQL injection attack, or SQL phishing attack, is a method of attacking data-driven applications wherein an attacker includes portions of SQL statements in an entry field. The newly-formed rogue SQL command is passed by the website to your database where it is executed. The command can result in the attacker being able to read, add, delete, or change information in the database.

What are common characters and strings used in SQL injection attacks?

Here are some commonly used characters and strings. The list is not exhaustive.

- (
- %27
- \x22
- %22
- char
- ;
- ascii
- %3B
- %2B
- --
- %2D%2D
- /*
- %2F%2A
- */
- %2A%2F
- substring
- drop table
- drop+table
- insert into
- insert+into
- version(
- values
- group by
- group+by
- create table
- create+table
- delete

- update
- bulk insert
- bulk+insert
- load_file
- shutdown
- union
- having
- select
- declare
- exec
- and
- or
- like
- @@hostname
- @@tmpdir
- is null
- is+null
- is not null
- is+not+null
- %3D
- CONCAT
- %40%40basedir
- version%28,user(
- user%28,system_user(
- (,%28,)
- %29
- @
- %40
- cast

How does the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule work?

To detect SQL injection attacks, the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule uses a scoring system. It works like this:

1. Packets from your application arrive at the Deep Security Agent for analysis.
2. The Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule looks at the packets and determines whether any of the strings shown in the table below are present. Notice that the strings are separated by commas and divided into ten groups.
3. If strings are found, a score is calculated as follows:
 - If a single string is found, then the score associated with its group constitutes the total score.
 - If multiple strings are found in *different* groups, then the scores of those groups are added together.
 - If multiple strings are found in the *same* group, then the score of that group is counted only once.

See ["Examples of the rule and scoring system in action" on the next page](#) for clarification.
4. Using the total score, Deep Security determines whether to drop the connection or log it. If the total score exceeds the **Drop Threshold** score, then the connection is dropped, and if it exceeds the **Log Threshold** score, then it is logged.

Note: Trend Micro frequently updates its rules, so the strings in the table below might not match exactly the ones in Deep Security Manager.

Note: The use of '\w' in the lines below means 'followed by a non-alphanumeric character'.

Group	Score
drop table,drop+table,insert into,insert+into,values\W,create table,create+table,delete\W,update\W,bulk insert,bulk+insert,shutdown\W,from\W	2
declare\W,select\W	2
cast\W,exec\W,load_file	2
union\W,group by,group+by,order by,order+by,having\W	2
and\W,or\W,like\W,is null,is+null,is not null,is+not+null,where\W	1

Group	Score
--,%2D%2D,/*,%2F%2A,*/*,%2A%2F	1
',%27,\x22,%22,char\W	1
;;,%3B	1
%2B,CONCAT\W	1
%3D	1
(,%28,)%29,@,%40	1
ascii,substring	1
version(,version%28,user(,user%28,system_user(,system_user%28,database (,database%28,@@hostname,%40%40hostname,@@basedir,%40%40basedir,@ @tmpdir,%40%40tmpdir, @@datadir,%40%40datadir	2

Examples of the rule and scoring system in action

Below are some examples of how the scores are tallied and what actions are undertaken in each scenario.

Example 1: Logged and dropped traffic

Let's assume you are using this rule configuration (where the score for the group comes after the colon (":")):

```
drop table,drop+table,insert into,insert+into,values\W,create
table,create+table,delete\W,update\W,bulk
insert,bulk+insert,shutdown\W,from\W:2
declare\W,select\W:2
cast\W,exec\W,load_file:2
union\W,group by,group+by,order by,order+by,having\W:2
and\W,or\W,like\W,is null,is+null,is not null,is+not+null,where\W:1
--,%2D%2D,/*,%2F%2A,*/,%2A%2F:1
',%27,\x22,%22,char\W:1
;;,%3B:1
%2B,CONCAT\W:1
```

```
%3D:1
(,%28,),%29,@,%40:1
ascii,substring:1
version(,version%28,user(,user%28,system_user(,system_user%28,databas
(,database%28,@hostname,%40%40hostname,@basedir,%40%40basedir,@tmpdir,%40
%40tmpdir,@datadir,
%40%40datadir:2

Log Threshold: 3
Drop Threshold: 4
```

And this attack string is encountered:

```
productID=BB10735166+UNION/**/+SELECT+FROM+user
```

Then the total score is 5 (2+1+0+2) because:

- The string `UNION/` matches the fourth group for a score of 2.
- The string `/*` matches the sixth group for a score of 1.
- The string `*/` matches the sixth group for a score of 0 (because the score of the sixth group has already been counted).
- The string `SELECT+` matches the second group for a score of 2.

With a total score of 5, a log is generated and the traffic is dropped.

Example 2: No logged or dropped traffic

Let's assume you are using this rule configuration (where the `select\W` string has been moved to the same line as `union\W`):

```
drop table,drop+table,insert into,insert+into,values\W,create
table,create+table,delete\W,update\W,bulk
insert,bulk+insert,shutdown\W,from\W:2
declare\W:2
cast\W,exec\W,load_file:2
union\W,select\W,group by,group+by,order by,order+by,having\W:2
and\W,or\W,like\W,is null,is+null,is not null,is+not+null,where\W:1
--, %2D%2D, /*, %2F%2A, */, %2A%2F:1
', %27, \x22, %22, char\W:1
;, %3B:1
%2B, CONCAT\W:1
%3D:1
```

```
(,%28,)%29,@,%40:1
ascii,substring:1
version(,version%28,user(,user%28,system_user(,system_user%28,databas
(,database%28,@@hostname,%40%40hostname,@@basedir,%40%40basedir,@@tmpdir,
%40%40tmpdir,@@datadir,%40%40datadir:2

Log Threshold: 3
Drop Threshold: 4
```

And this attack string is encountered:

```
productID=BB10735166+UNION/**/+SELECT+FROM+user
```

Then the total score is 3 (2+1+0+0) because:

- The string `UNION/` matches the fourth group for a score of 2.
- The string `/*` matches the sixth group for a score of 1.
- The string `*/` matches the sixth group for a score of 0 (because the score of the sixth group has already been counted).
- The string `SELECT+` matches the fourth group for a score of 0 (because the score of the fourth group has already been counted).

With a total score of 3, no log is generated and no traffic is dropped. The score must *exceed* the thresholds for them to take effect.

Configure the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule

You can configure the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule to suit your organization's needs. The configurable options are shown in the image below.

Generic SQL Injection Prevention Properties - Microsoft Edge

app.deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/com.trendmicro.ds.network--PayloadFilter2Pro

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SQL Injection Patterns. One group per line separated by ','. The score for the group is at the end of the line after ':'. For ',' use '\x2c' and for '"' use '\x22'. The Maximum number of groups is 32.
eg. script, object, embed:2

drop table,drop+table,insert
into,insert+into,values\W,create
table,create+table,delete\W,update\W,bulk
insert,bulk+insert,shutdown\W,from\W:2
declare\W,select\W:2

Drop Threshold (if the score exceeds this value, the connection will be dropped):

4

Log Threshold (if the score exceeds this value, a log will be generated):

4

Max distance between matches (if this many characters go by without seeing a pattern in any group, the score is reset to 0):

35

Note: If Log Threshold is greater or equal to Drop Threshold then only Drop events will be generated. In the default configuration both are equal.

Pages (resource) with a non-default score to drop on. The score for each resource is at the end of the line after ':'. eg. /index.html:5 : (One per line)

/example/questionnaire.html:8

Form parameters with a non-default score to drop on. Each line begins with the resource name followed by the resource parameters separated by a ':'. The score for each parameter is set at the end of the parameter after '='.
eg. /index.html:userid=5,passwd=7 (One per line).

/example/login.html:username=10

View Rules...

OKCancelApply

To configure the rule:

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
2. At the top, click **Policies**.
3. In the search box on the right, enter `1000608` which is the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule's numeric identifier. Press Enter. The rule appears in the main pane.
4. Double-click the rule.
5. Click the **Configuration** tab. You see the SQL injection pattern in the text box at the top.
6. Update the SQL injection pattern with the latest version, if you haven't customized it yet. To update to the latest pattern, go to the **Details** tab, copy the text under the **Default SQL Pattern** heading and paste it into the **SQL Injection Patterns** text box on the **Configuration** tab. You are now working with the most up-to-date pattern from Trend Micro.
7. Edit the fields as follows:
 - **SQL Injection Patterns:** This is where you to specify the list of characters and strings used in SQL injection attacks. Characters and strings are grouped and assigned a score. If you want to add or change the strings, make sure to use the proper encoding. See ["Character encoding guidelines" on the next page](#) below for details.
 - **Drop Threshold:** This is where you specify the drop score. The connection is dropped when the score exceeds this threshold. (If the score equals the drop threshold, the connection is maintained.) The default is `4`.
 - **Log Threshold:** This is where you specify the log score. The connection is logged when the score exceeds this threshold. (If the score equals the log threshold, nothing is logged.) The default is `4`.
 - **Max distance between matches:** This is where you specify the number of bytes that can pass without a match to reset the score to `0`. The default is `35`.
 - **Note:** Consider using the next two options to create overrides for pages and fields that might cause the normal thresholds to be exceeded.
 - **Pages (resource) with a non-default score to drop on:** This is where you can override the **Drop Threshold** for specific resources. For example, if your **Drop Threshold** is `4`, but you want a drop score of `8` for a questionnaire page, specify `/example/questionnaire.html:8`. With this configuration, `/example/questionnaire.html` needs to have a score *higher than* `8` in order for the connection to be dropped, while all other resources only need a score higher than `4`. Specify each resource on a separate line.
 - **Form parameters with a non-default score to drop on:** This is where you can override the thresholds defined in **Drop Threshold** or the **Pages (resources)with a non-default**

score to drop on fields for specific form fields. For example, if your **Drop Threshold** score is 4, but you want a higher drop score of 10 for a username field, specify `/example/login.html:username=10`, where `/example/login.html` is replaced with the path and name of the page where the username field appears, and `username` is replaced with the username field used by your application. With this configuration, the username field needs to have a score *higher than* 10 for the connection to be dropped, while the page itself only needs a score higher than 4. Specify each form field on a separate line.

Note: The Log Threshold does not take effect when connections are dropped due to a match on the **Pages (resources) with a non-default score to drop on** or **Form parameters with a non-default score to drop on** fields. For example, if you set the form parameter field to `/example/login.html:username=10`, and the username field scores 11, the connection is dropped but there is no log of this event.

8. Click **OK**.

You have now configured the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule.

Character encoding guidelines

If you want to change or add strings to the Generic SQL Injection Prevention rule, you must encode them properly. For example, if you want to use the quote character `'` in your pattern, you must enter `\x22`.

The table below shows characters and their encoded equivalents, as well as character classes that you can use to denote extended patterns.

Enter this string...	To denote...
<code>\a</code>	alphabetic characters, a-z A-Z
<code>\A</code>	non-alphabetic characters
	example: <code>delete\a</code> means "the word 'delete' followed by alphabetical characters"
<code>\w</code>	alphanumeric characters, a-z A-Z 0-9
<code>\W</code>	non-alphanumeric characters

Enter this string...	To denote...
	example: <code>delete\W</code> means "the word 'delete' followed by non-alphanumeric characters"
<code>\d</code> <code>\D</code>	digits 0-9 non-digit characters example: <code>delete\d</code> means "the word 'delete' followed by digits between zero and nine"
<code>\s</code> <code>\S</code>	whitespace not whitespace [<code>\r,\n,\t,0x32</code>] example: <code>delete\S</code> means "the word 'delete' followed by non-whitespace"
<code>\p</code> <code>\P</code>	punctuation character, printable ascii other than above non-punctuation character example: <code>delete\p</code> means "the word 'delete' followed by a punctuation character or printable ascii"
<code>\c</code> <code>\C</code>	control character, below 32, or greater than or equal to 127, not including whitespace non-control character You can find details on control characters here .
<code>\.</code>	any
<code>\xDD</code>	hex byte 0xDD
<code>\x2c</code>	comma character (,)
<code>\x22</code>	double-quotes character (")
<code>\\</code>	escaped backslash (\)

Enter this string...	To denote...
\	escaped pipe ()
xx xx xx...	hex pipe (byte sequence)

Application types

The applications defined by Application Types are identified by the direction of traffic, the protocol being used, and the port number through which the traffic passes. Application Types are useful for grouping intrusion prevention rules that have a common purpose. Rule groups simplify the process of selecting a set of intrusion prevention rules to assign to a computer. For example, consider the set of rules required to protect HTTP traffic to an Oracle Report Server. Simply select the rules in the "Web Server Common" and "Web Server Oracle Report Server" application types and then exclude unneeded rules, such as the rules that are specific to IIS servers.

See a list of application types

Open the list of application types where you can see the properties of existing application types, as well as configure, export, and duplicate them. You can export to XML or CSV files. You can import XML files. You can also create and delete application types.

1. Click **Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Click **Application Types**.
3. To apply a command to an application type, select the type and click the appropriate button.

Tip: Application types that have configurable properties have an icon with a gear. 

See also ["Override rule and application type configurations" on page 632](#).

General Information

The name and description of the Application Type. "Minimum Agent/Appliance Version" tells you what version of the Deep Security **agent or appliance**¹ is required to support this Application

¹The Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Virtual Appliance are the components that enforce the Deep Security policies that you have defined. Agents are deployed directly on a computer. Appliances are used in VMware vSphere environments to provide agentless protection. They are not available with Deep Security as a Service.

Type.

Connection

- **Direction:** The direction of the initiating communication. That is, the direction of the first packet that establishes a connection between two computers. For example, if you wanted to define an Application Type for Web browsers, you would select "Outgoing" because it is the Web browser that sends the first packet to a server to establish a connection (even though you may only want to examine traffic traveling from the server to the browser). The Intrusion Prevention Rules associated with a particular Application Type can be written to examine individual packets traveling in either direction.
- **Protocol:** The protocol this Application Type applies to.
- **Port:** The port(s) this Application Type monitors. (*Not* the port(s) over which traffic is exclusively allowed.)

Configuration

The **Configuration** tab displays options that control how Intrusion Prevention Rules associated with this Application Type behave. For example, the "Web Server Common" Application Type has an option to "Monitor responses from Web Server". If this option is deselected, Intrusion Prevention Rules associated with this Application Type will not inspect response traffic.

Options

Items in the **Options** tab control how the Deep Security Manager uses and applies the Application Type. For example, most Application Types have an option to exclude them from Recommendation Scans. This means that if the "Exclude from Recommendations" options is selected, a Recommendation Scan will not recommend this Application Type and its associated Intrusion Prevention Rules for a computer even if the application in question is detected.

Assigned To

The **Assigned To** tab lists the Intrusion Prevention Rules associated with this Application Type.

Inspect SSL or TLS traffic

For the Intrusion Prevention module, you can configure SSL inspection for a given credential-port pair on one or more interfaces of your protected computer.

Note: SSL inspection is not supported with compressed traffic or if the Deep Security network engine is operating in tap mode. For more information about operating in inline or tap mode, see ["Network engine settings" on page 458](#).

Credentials can be imported in PKCS#12 or PEM format. The credential file must include the private key. Windows computers can use CryptoAPI directly.

For an overview of the Intrusion Prevention module, see ["Block exploit attempts using Intrusion Prevention" on page 612](#).

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Configure SSL inspection

1. In Deep Security Manager, select the computer to configure and click **Details** to open the computer editor.
2. In the left pane of the computer editor, click **Intrusion Prevention > Advanced > View SSL Configurations**, and click **View SSL Configurations** to open the SSL computer Configurations window.
3. Click **New** to open the SSL Configuration wizard.
4. Specify the interface to which to apply the configuration on this computer:
 - To apply to all interfaces on this computer, select **All Interface(s)**.
 - To apply to specific interfaces, select **Specific Interface(s)**.
5. Select **Port(s)** or **Ports List** and select a list, then click **Next**.
6. On the IP Selection screen, select **All IPs** or provide a **Specific IP** on which to perform SSL inspection, then click **Next**.

7. On the Credentials screen, select how to provide the credentials:
 - **I will upload credentials now**
 - **The credentials are on the computer**

Note: The credential file must include the private key.

8. If you chose the option to upload credentials now, enter their type, location, and pass phrase (if required).

If the credentials are on the computer, provide Credential Details.

- If you are using PEM or PKCS#12 credential formats stored on the computer, identify the location of the credential file and the file's pass phrase (if required).
 - If you are using Windows CryptoAPI credentials, choose the credentials from the list of credentials found on the computer.
9. Provide a name and description for this configuration.
 10. Review the summary and close the SSL Configuration Wizard. Read the summary of the configuration operation and click **Finish** to close the wizard.

Change port settings

Change the port settings for the computer to ensure that the agent is performing the appropriate Intrusion Prevention filtering on the SSL-enabled ports. The changes you make are applied to a specific application type, such as Web Server Common, on the agent computer. The changes do not affect the application type on other computers.

1. Go to **Intrusion Prevention Rules** in the computer's Details window to see the list of Intrusion Prevention rules being applied on this computer.
2. Sort the rules by **Application Type** and locate the "Web Server Common" application type. (You can perform these changes to similar application types as well.)
3. Right-click a rule in the application type and click **Application Type Properties**.
4. Override the inherited "HTTP" Port List so that you include the port you defined during the SSL Configuration setup as well as port 80. Enter the ports as comma-separated values. For example, if you use port 9090 in the SSL configuration, enter 9090, 80.
5. To improve performance, on the **Configuration** tab, deselect **Inherited and Monitor responses from Web Server**.
6. Click **OK** to close the dialog.

Use Intrusion Prevention when traffic is encrypted with Perfect Forward Secrecy (PFS)

[Perfect Forward Secrecy \(PFS\)](#) can be used to create a communication channel that cannot be decrypted if, at a later time, the server's private key is compromised. Since the intent of Perfect Forward Secrecy is to prevent decryption after the session is over, it also prevents SSL inspection through the Intrusion Prevention module.

To work around this issue, we recommend you do the following:

1. Use Perfect Forward Secrecy for TLS traffic between the Internet and your load balancer (or reverse proxy).
2. Terminate the Perfect Forward Secrecy session at your load balancer (or reverse proxy).
3. Use a non-PFS cipher suite (see ["Supported cipher suites" on the next page](#) below) for traffic between the load balancer (or reverse proxy) and the web server or application server, so that the Intrusion Prevention module on the server can decrypt the TLS sessions and inspect them.
4. Restrict traffic to the web server for application server ports that do not use Perfect Forward Secrecy.

Special considerations for Diffie-Hellman ciphers

Perfect Forward Secrecy relies on the Diffie-Hellman key exchange algorithm. On some web servers, Diffie-Hellman might be the default, which means that SSL inspection won't work properly. It is therefore important to check the server's configuration file and disable Diffie-Hellman ciphers for TLS traffic between the web server and load balancer (or reverse proxy). For example, to disable Diffie-Hellman on an Apache server:

1. Open the server's configuration file. The file name and location of web server configuration files vary by operating system (OS) and distribution. For example, the path could be:
 - **Default installation on RHEL4:** `/etc/httpd/conf.d/ssl.conf`
 - **Apache 2.2.2 on Red Hat Linux:** `/apache2/conf/extra/httpd-ssl.conf`
2. In the configuration file, find the "SSLCipherSuite" variable.
3. Add `!DH:!EDH:!ADH:` to these fields, if this string does not already appear. (The "!" tells Apache to "not" use this cipher.)
4. For example, you might edit the Apache configuration file's cipher suite to look like this:

```
SSLCipherSuite
```

```
!DH:!EDH:!ADH:!EXPORT56:RC4+RSA:+HIGH:+MEDIUM:+LOW:+SSLv2:+EXP:+eNULL
```

For more information, see the Apache Documentation for `SSLCipherSuite` :

http://httpd.apache.org/docs/2.0/mod/mod_ssl.html#sslcipherSuite.

Supported cipher suites

Hex Value	OpenSSL Name	IANA Name	NSS Name
0x00,0x04	RC4-MD5	TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5	SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_MD5
0x00,0x05	RC4-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA	SSL_RSA_WITH_RC4_128_SHA
0x00,0x09	DES-CBC-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA	SSL_RSA_WITH_DES_CBC_SHA
0x00,0x0A	DES-CBC3-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA	SSL_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA
0x00,0x2F	AES128-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA
0x00,0x35	AES256-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA
0x00,0x3C	AES128-SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
0x00,0x3D	AES256-SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256
0x00,0x41	CAMELLIA128-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_128_CBC_SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_128_CBC_SHA
0x00,0x84	CAMELLIA256-SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_256_CBC_SHA	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_256_CBC_SHA

Hex Value	OpenSSL Name	IANA Name	NSS Name
0x00,0xBA	CAMELLIA128-SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_128_CBC_SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_128_CBC_SHA256
0x00,0xC0	not implemented	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_256_CBC_SHA256	TLS_RSA_WITH_CAMELLIA_256_CBC_SHA256

Supported protocols

The following protocols are supported:

- SSL 3.0
- TLS 1.0
- TLS 1.1
- TLS 1.2

Configure anti-evasion settings

Anti-evasion settings control the network engine handling of abnormal packets that may be attempting to evade analysis. Anti evasion settings are configured in a policy or an individual computer. The Security Posture setting controls how rigorous intrusion prevention analyzes packets, and can be set to one of the following values:

- **Normal:** Prevents the evasion of intrusion prevention rules without false positives. This is the default value.
- **Strict:** Performs more stringent checking than Normal mode but can produce some false-positive results. Strict mode is useful for penetration testing but should not be enabled under normal circumstances.
- **Custom:** If you select **Custom**, additional settings are available that enable you to specify how Deep Security will handle issues with packets. For these settings (with the exception of **TCP Timestamp PAWS Window**), the options are **Allow** (Deep Security sends the packet through to the system), **Log Only** (same behavior as Allow, but an event is logged), **Deny**

(Deep Security drops the packet and logs an event), or **Deny Silent** (same behavior as Deny, but no event is logged):

Note: If you changed the posture to "Custom" in Deep Security 10.1 or earlier, all default values for the anti-evasion settings were set to "Deny". This led to a dramatic increase in block events. The default custom values have changed in Deep Security 10.2, as indicated in the table below.

Setting	Description	Normal value	Strict value	Default custom value (pre-10.2)	Default custom value (10.2 or later)
Invalid TCP Timestamps	Action to take when a TCP timestamp is too old	Ignore and Log (same function as Log Only)	Deny	Deny	Ignore and Log (same function as Log Only)
TCP Timestamp PAWS Window	Packets can have timestamps. When a timestamp has an earlier timestamp than the one that came before it, it can be suspicious. The tolerance for the difference in timestamps depends on the operating system. For Windows systems, select 0 (the system will only accept packets with a timestamp that is equal to or newer than the	1 for Linux agents, otherwise 0	1 for Linux agents, otherwise 0	0	1 for Linux agents, otherwise 0

Setting	Description	Normal value	Strict value	Default custom value (pre-10.2)	Default custom value (10.2 or later)
	previous packet). For Linux systems, select 1 (the system will accept packets with a timestamp that is a maximum of one second earlier than the previous packet).				
Timestamp PAWS Zero Allowed	Action to take when a TCP timestamp is zero	Deny for Linux agents or NDIS5, otherwise Allow	Deny for Linux agents or NDIS5, otherwise Allow	Deny	Deny for Linux agents or NDIS5, otherwise Allow
Fragmented Packets	Action to take when a packet is fragmented	Allow	Allow	Deny	Allow
TCP Zero Flags	Action to take when a packet has zero flags set	Deny	Deny	Deny	Deny
TCP Congestion Flags	Action to take when a packet has congestion flags set	Allow	Allow	Deny	Allow
TCP Urgent Flags	Action to take when a packet has urgent flags set	Allow	Deny	Deny	Allow
TCP Syn Fin	Action to take	Deny	Deny	Deny	Deny

Setting	Description	Normal value	Strict value	Default custom value (pre-10.2)	Default custom value (10.2 or later)
Flags	when a packet has both SYN and FIN flags set				
TCP Syn Rst Flags	Action to take when a packet has both SYN and RST flags set	Deny	Deny	Deny	Deny
TCP Rst Fin Flags	Action to take when a packet has both RST and FIN flags set	Deny	Deny	Deny	Deny
TCP Syn with Data	Action to take when a packet has a SYN flag set and also contains data	Deny	Deny	Deny	Deny
TCP Split Handshake	Action to take when a SYN is received instead of SYNACK, as a reply to a SYN.	Deny	Deny	Deny	Deny
RST Packet Out of Connection	Action to take for a RST packet without a known connection	Allow	Deny	Deny	Allow
FIN Packet Out of Connection	Action to take for a FIN packet without a known connection	Allow	Deny	Deny	Allow

Setting	Description	Normal value	Strict value	Default custom value (pre-10.2)	Default custom value (10.2 or later)
OUT Packet Out of Connection	Action to take for an outgoing packet without a known connection	Allow	Deny	Deny	Allow
Evasive Retransmit	Action to take for a packet with duplicated or overlapping data	Allow	Deny	Deny	Allow
TCP Checksum	Action to take for a packet with an invalid checksum	Allow	Deny	Deny	Allow

Performance tips for intrusion prevention

To improve system resources utilization on Deep Security Agent, optimize certain performance-related settings.

For an overview of the intrusion prevention module, see ["Block exploit attempts using Intrusion Prevention" on page 612](#).

System resource	Settings that impact performance
CPU usage	- Log an event when a packet is dropped or blocked. Logging packet modifications may result in a lot of log entries. (See "Configure event logging for rules" on page 628) - Include packet data in the event log only during troubleshooting. (See "Configure event logging for rules" on page 628) - Assign only intrusion prevention rules that apply to the computer's OS and applications. See "Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439 for information about using recommendation scans to discover applicable vulnerabilities and rules.

System resource	Settings that impact performance
	Don't assign more than 300 rules.
Network usage or throughput	- Log an event when a packet is dropped or blocked. Logging packet modifications may result in a lot of log entries. (See "Configure event logging for rules" on page 628) - Include packet data in the event log only during troubleshooting. (See "Configure event logging for rules" on page 628) - Do not monitor HTTP responses from the web server, especially if the policy has many signatures applied: - Click Policies > Intrusion Prevention Rules. - Right-click a rule in the Web Server Common application type and click Application Type Properties. - On the Configuration tab, deselect Inherited and Monitor responses from Web Server.
Disk usage	Include packet data in the event log only during troubleshooting. (See "Configure event logging for rules" on page 628)

Maximum size for configuration packages

When an agent is assigned a large number of intrusion prevention rules, the size of the configuration package can exceed the maximum allowed size. When the allowed size is exceeded, the status of the agent changes to "Agent configuration package too large" and the event message "Configuration package too large" appears.

Note: There is a configuration limit of 20 MB in Windows 32-bit platform because it has smaller kernel memory available. For other platforms, the limit is 32 MB.

For performance reasons, you should have less than 350 intrusion prevention rules assigned to a computer. To minimize the number of required rules, ensure all available patches are applied to the computer operation system and any third-party software that is installed.

1. Apply available patches to the computer operating system.
2. Apply available patches to any third-party software that is installed.

3. Apply only the intrusion prevention rules that a recommendation scan recommends. Remove any rules from the computer or the assigned policy that are recommended for unassignment. (See ["Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439.](#))
4. If you are managing intrusion prevention at the policy level and the configuration package is still too large, configure intrusion prevention in one of the following ways:
 - Make the policy more granular, so that all servers in that policy have the same operating system and applications.
 - Manage intrusion prevention at the server level so that rules are added and removed automatically for the computer.

Use the following procedure to manage intrusion prevention at the server level.

1. Open the editor for the policy that is assigned to the computer.
2. Click **Intrusion Prevention > General**.
3. In the **Recommendations** section, set **Automatically implement Intrusion Prevention Recommendations (when possible)** to **Yes**.
4. Remove any intrusion prevention rules from the policy.
5. Run a recommendation scan on the computer.

Control endpoint traffic using the firewall

The firewall module provides bidirectional stateful inspection of incoming and outgoing traffic. Firewall rules define what actions to take on individual packets in that traffic. Packets can be filtered by IP and MAC address, port and packet flag across all IP-based protocols and frame types. The firewall module can also help prevent denial of service attacks and detect and prevent reconnaissance scans.

To enable and configure the firewall, see ["Set up the Deep Security firewall" on the next page.](#)

Firewall rules

Firewall rules can process traffic using one of the following actions, listed in order of precedence:

- Bypass
- Log Only
- Force Allow
- Deny
- Allow

Rules also have a priority level between 4 (highest priority) to 0 (lowest priority). Within a specific priority level rules are processed in order based on the precedence of the action type of the rule as listed above. This means that unlike what you may have experienced when configuring other firewalls, the Deep Security firewall processes rules independently of their assignment order.

For more information on how rule priorities and actions determine processing order, see ["Firewall rule actions and priorities" on page 677](#).

For more detailed information on how to create firewall rules, see ["Create a firewall rule" on page 670](#).

Note: When creating your rules, make sure to test them using the Tap and Inline modes of the firewall module before deploying them. For information on how to do so, see the "Test firewall rules before deploying them" section of ["Set up the Deep Security firewall" below](#).

Set up the Deep Security firewall

The Deep Security Firewall is a highly flexible Firewall that you can configure to be restrictive or permissive. Like the intrusion prevention and web reputation modules, the Firewall module can also be run in two modes: inline or tap. It is recommended that you test your Firewall rules in tap mode and then switch to inline mode when everything is working correctly.

The configuration and administration of your Firewall must be performed carefully and there is no one set of rules that fits all environments. Make sure you understand the Firewall rule actions and rule priorities before creating your rules and proceed with extra caution when creating Allow rules because they implicitly deny everything else not defined.

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Test Firewall rules before deploying them

The Firewall module (as well as the intrusion prevention and web reputation modules) includes a Deep Security network engine that decides whether to block or allow packets. For the Firewall and intrusion prevention modules, the network engine performs a packet sanity check and also makes sure each packet passes the Firewall and intrusion prevention rules. The network engine operates in one of two modes:

- **Tap mode:** Packet streams are not modified. The traffic is still processed by the Firewall and/or intrusion prevention modules, if they are enabled. However any issues detected do not result in packet or connection drops. When in Tap mode, Deep Security offers no protection beyond providing a record of events.
- **Inline mode:** Packet streams pass directly through the Deep Security network engine. All rules are applied to the network traffic before they proceed up the protocol stack.

It's important to test your Firewall rules in either Tap mode or Inline mode with the action for the rules set to Log Only before deploying them. This allows you to preview the effect of the rules on traffic, without any action being taken. If rules aren't properly tested before deployment, all traffic could become blocked and your computer could become inaccessible.

Test in Tap mode

Tap mode allows you to test your Firewall rules, without disturbing the flow of traffic.

1. Go to **Computers** or **Policies** in the Deep Security Manager.
2. Right-click a computer (or policy) and select **Details** to open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
3. Go to **Settings > Advanced > Network Engine Mode**.
4. Select **Tap** from the list and click **Save**.

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5. Create your rules and click **OK**. To check your rules, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Firewall Events**.

Note: It is not necessary to set the action of the rule to Log Only in Tap mode.

Once you are satisfied with your Firewall rules, go back to the **Computer or Policy editor**¹, select **Inline** from the drop-down list, and click **Save**.

Test in Inline mode

In most situations, Tap mode is a good way to test your Firewall rules without disturbing traffic. However, you can also test your rules in Inline mode, if the action of the rule is set to Log Only. This way, the real world process of analyzing the traffic takes place without having to perform any action, such as blocking or denying packets.

1. Go to **Computers** or **Policies** in the Deep Security Manager.
2. Right-click a computer (or policy) and select **Details** to open the **Computer or Policy editor**².
3. Go to **Settings > Advanced > Network Engine Mode**.
4. Select **Inline** from the drop down menu and click **Save**.
5. While you're creating your rule, ensure the action is set to **Log Only**.
6. To check your rules, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Firewall Events**.

Once you are satisfied with your Firewall rules, change the action from Log Only to your desired action and click **OK**.

Enable 'fail open' behavior

In some cases, the network engine blocks packets before the Firewall rules (or intrusion prevention rules) can be applied. By default, the network engine blocks packets if the:

- agent or virtual appliance has a system problem, such as if it's out of memory
- packet sanity check fails

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This 'fail closed' behavior offers a high level of security: it ensures that cyber attacks cannot penetrate your network when an agent or virtual appliance is not functioning properly, and safeguards against potentially malicious packets. The disadvantage to 'fail closed' is that your services and applications might become unavailable because of problems on the agent or virtual appliance. You might also experience performance issues if a large number of packets are being dropped unnecessarily as a result of the packet sanity check (too many false-positives).

If you have concerns about service availability, consider changing the default behavior to allow packets through (or 'fail open') for system and packet check failures, as explained below.

1. Go to **Computers** or **Policies** in the Deep Security Manager.
2. Right-click a computer (or policy) and select **Details** to open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
3. Click **Settings** on the left.
4. Click the **Advanced** tab.
5. Under **Network Engine Settings**, set the **Failure Response** settings as follows:
6. Set **Network Engine System Failure** to **Fail open** to allow packets through if the Deep Security network engine experiences problems, such as out-of-memory failures, allocated memory failures, and network engine deep packet inspection (DPI) decoding failures. Consider using fail open here if your agent or virtual appliance frequently encounters network exceptions because of heavy loads or a lack of resources. With fail open, the network engine allows the packet through, does not perform rules checking, and logs an event. Your services and applications remain available despite the problems on the agent or virtual appliance.
7. Set **Network Packet Sanity Check Failure** to **Fail open** to allow packets through that fail the network engine's packet sanity checks. Examples of packet sanity checks: Firewall sanity checks, network layer 2, 3, or 4 attribute checks, and TCP state checks. Consider using fail open here if you want do rules checking only on 'good' packets that pass the sanity check. With fail open, the network engine allows the failed packet through, does not perform rules checking on it, and logs an event.
8. Click **Save**.

You have now enabled fail open behavior for system or packet check failures.

Turn on Firewall

To enable Firewall functionality on a computer:

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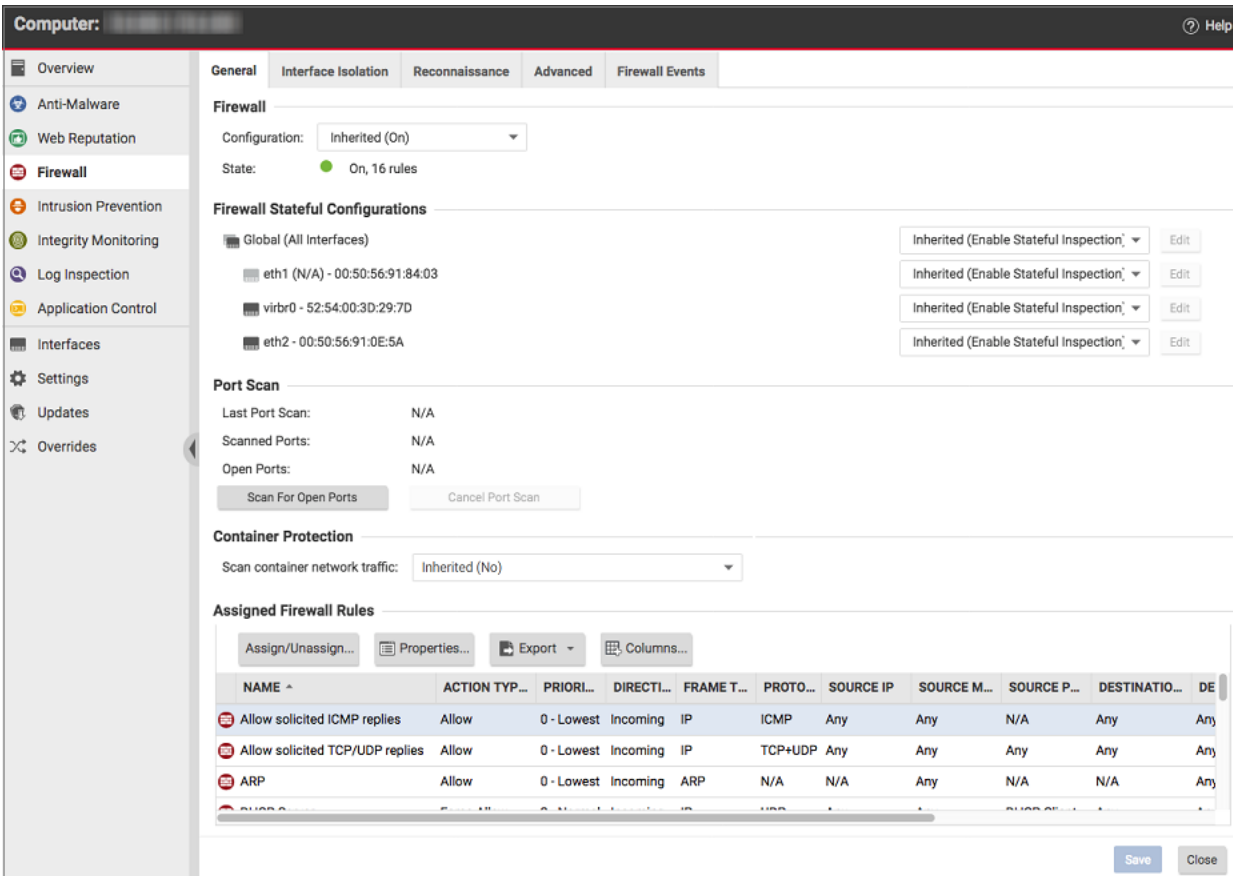
1. In the **Computer or Policy editor**¹, go to **Firewall > General**.
2. With Deep Security Agent 11.1 and earlier, the Firewall module inspects traffic that passes through the host computer's network interface to containers. With Deep Security Agent 11.2 or later, it can also inspect traffic between containers. When the **Scan container network traffic** setting is set to **Yes**, Deep Security scans the traffic that goes through both containers and hosts. When it is set to **No**, Deep Security scans only the traffic that goes through the host network interface.
3. Select **On** and then click **Save**.

Default Firewall rules

No outbound rules are assigned to the policies that come with Deep Security by default but several recommended inbound rules are. You can view the default inbound rules assigned to each policy by going to the **Firewall** tab in the relevant operating system policy. The example below shows the default assigned Firewall rules for the Windows 10 Desktop policy. You can configure these Firewall rules to meet the needs of your environment, but we have provided several default rules for you to get you started.

Tip: To minimize the impact on system performance, try not to assign more than 300 Firewall rules. It is also good practice to document all Firewall rule changes in the "Description" field of the Firewall rule. Make a note of when and why rules were created or deleted for easier Firewall maintenance.

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Default Bypass rule for Deep Security Manager Traffic

The Deep Security Manager automatically implements a **Priority 4 Bypass Rule** that opens the listening port number of the agent for heartbeats on computers running Deep Security Agent. A priority of 4 ensures that this rule is applied before any Deny rule, and Bypass guarantees that the traffic is never impaired. The Bypass rule is not explicitly shown in the Firewall rule list because the rule is created internally.

This rule, however, accepts traffic from any IP address and any MAC address. To harden the Deep Security Agent's listening ports, you can create an alternative, more restrictive, Bypass rule for this port. The agent will override the default Deep Security Manager traffic rule with the new custom rule if it has these settings:

- **Priority:** 4 - Highest
- **Packet direction:** Incoming
- **Frame type:** IP

- **Protocol:** TCP
- **Packet Destination Port:** [Agent's listening port for heartbeats](#)

The custom rule must use the above parameters to replace the default rule. Ideally, the IP address or MAC address of the actual Deep Security Manager should be used as the packet source for the rule.

Restrictive or permissive Firewall design

Typically, Firewall policies are based on one of two design strategies. Either they permit any service unless it is expressly denied or they deny all services unless expressly allowed. It is best practice to decide what type of Firewall you would like to implement. This helps reduce administrative overhead in terms of creating and maintaining the rules.

Restrictive Firewall

A restrictive Firewall is the recommended best practice from a security perspective. All traffic is stopped by default and only traffic that has been explicitly allowed is permitted. If the primary goal of your planned Firewall is to block unauthorized access, the emphasis needs to be on restricting rather than enabling connectivity. A restrictive Firewall is easier to maintain and more secured. Allow rules are used only to permit certain traffic across the Firewall and deny everything else.

Note: As soon as you assign a single outgoing Allow rule, the outgoing Firewall will operate in restrictive mode. This is also true for the inbound Firewall: as soon as you assign a single incoming Allow rule, the inbound Firewall will operate in restrictive mode.

Permissive Firewall

A permissive Firewall permits all traffic by default and only blocks traffic known bad port/protocol based on what deny firewall rules configured. A permissive Firewall is easy to implement but it provides minimal security and requires complex rules. Deny rules are used to explicitly block traffic.

Firewall rule actions

You can configure the Firewall to take the following actions:

Warning: If you assign only incoming rules, all outgoing traffic will be allowed. If you assign a single outgoing Allow rule, the outgoing Firewall will operate in restrictive mode. There is one

exception to this: ICMPv6 traffic is always permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a Deny rule.

Allow	Explicitly allows traffic that matches the rule to pass and then implicitly denies everything else. Note: You should use an Allow action with caution because it implicitly denies everything else not defined. Be careful when creating Allow rules without defining the related rules correctly because doing so can cause all traffic to be blocked except for the traffic that the Allow rule is created for. Traffic that is not explicitly allowed by an Allow rule is dropped and gets recorded as a 'Out of "allowed" Policy' Firewall event.
Bypass	Allows traffic to bypass both Firewall and intrusion prevention analysis. Bypass rules should always be created in pairs (for both incoming and outgoing traffic). A Bypass rule can be based on IP, port, traffic direction, and protocol. The Bypass rule is designed for media-intensive protocols or traffic originating from trusted sources.
Deny	Explicitly blocks traffic that matches the rule.
Force Allow	If a packet matches a force allow rule, it is passed but still filtered by intrusion prevention. No events are logged. This type of Firewall rule action must be used for UDP and ICMP traffic.
Log only	Traffic will only be logged. No other action will be taken.

For more information on how to create a Firewall rule, see ["Create a firewall rule" on page 670](#).

Firewall rule priorities

Rule priority determines the order in which filters are applied. This means that high priority rules get applied before low priority rules. When actions share the same priority, the orders of precedence for rules are: Bypass, Force Allow, and then Deny. However, a Deny action with a higher priority will take precedence over a Bypass action with a lower priority. For more information on how rule priorities and actions determine processing order, see ["Firewall rule actions and priorities" on page 677](#).

To simplify the administration of Firewall rules, consider reserving certain priority levels for specific actions. For example, apply a default of priority 3 to rules that use Bypass, priority 2 for Force Allow rules, and priority 1 for Deny rules. This reduces the potential for rule conflicts.

Allow rules

Allow rules can only have a priority of 0. This is to ensure it is processed after all Force Allow and Deny rules at higher priorities. Keep this in mind when using Allow rules to implicitly deny traffic (any traffic not matching the Allow rules are denied). This means that when a Deny rule is assigned, it will take precedence over all of the existing assigned Allow rules.

Force Allow rules

Force Allow rules are recommended for traffic that must always be allowed, such as Address Resolution Protocol (ARP). The Force Allow action only acts as a trump card to a deny rule at the same or higher priority. For example, if you have a Deny rule at priority 3 that prevents access to an allowed port number from the 10.0.0.0/8 subnet, and you want to allow host 10.102.12.56 to access that, you must create a Force Allow rule at priority 3 or 4 to trump the Deny rule at priority 3. Once a packet triggers this rule, it is immediately allowed and the lower priority rules will not process it anymore.

Bypass rules

The Bypass rule is a special type of rule that allows a packet to bypass both the Firewall and Deep Packet Inspection (DPI) engines. This rule must be priority 4 and created in pairs, one rule for each traffic direction.

Recommended Firewall policy rules

We recommend that you make the following rules mandatory for all of your Firewall policies:

- **ARP:** Allows incoming ARP requests so that the computer can reply to queries for its MAC address. If you do not assign this rule, no devices on the network can query the host for its MAC address and it will be inaccessible from the network.
- **Allow solicited TCP/UDP replies:** Allows the computer to receive replies to its own TCP connections and UDP messages. This works in conjunction with TCP and UDP stateful Firewall configuration.
- **Allow solicited ICMP replies:** Allows the computer to receive replies to its own ICMP messages. This works in conjunction with ICMP stateful Firewall configuration.

- **DNS Server:** Allows DNS servers to receive inbound DNS queries.
- **Remote Access RDP:** Allows the computer to accept Remote Desktop connections.
- **Remote Access SSH:** Allows the computer to accept SSH connections.

Test Firewall rules

Before continuing with further Firewall configuration steps, test the recommended Firewall rules to ensure they're working correctly.

Test the remote access SSH rule:

1. Try to establish a SSH connection to the computer. If the Firewall is enabled and the Remote Access SSH rule is not enabled, the connection will be denied. Go to **Events & Reports > Firewall Events** to view the denied event.
2. Go to the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Firewall**. Under **Assigned Firewall Rules**, click **Assign/Unassign**.
3. Search for Remote Access SSH and enable the rule. Click **OK** and **Save**.
4. Try to establish a SSH connection to the computer. The connection should be allowed.

Test the remote access RDP rule:

1. Try to establish a RDP connection to the computer. If the Firewall is enabled and the Remote Access RDP rule is not enabled, the connection will be denied. Go to **Events & Reports > Firewall** events to view the denied event.
2. Go to the **Computer or Policy editor**² > **Firewall**. Under **Assigned Firewall Rules**, click **Assign/Unassign**.
3. Search for Remote Access RDP and enable the rule. Click **OK** and **Save**.
4. Try to establish a RDP connection to the computer. The connection should be allowed.

Reconnaissance scans

You can configure the Firewall to detect possible reconnaissance scans and help prevent attacks by blocking traffic from the source IPs for a period of time. Once an attack has been detected, you

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can instruct agents and appliances to block traffic from the source IPs for a period of time. Use the Block Traffic lists on the **Policy or Computer Editor > Firewall > Reconnaissance** tab to set the number of minutes.

- **Computer OS Fingerprint Probe:** The agent or appliance detects an attempt to discover the computer's OS.
- **Network or Port Scan:** The agent or appliance reports a network or port scan if it detects that a remote IP is visiting an abnormal ratio of IPs to ports. Normally, an agent or appliance computer will only see traffic destined for itself, so a port scan is the most common type of probe that will be detected. The statistical analysis method used in computer or port scan detection is derived from the "TAPS" algorithm proposed in the paper "Connectionless Port Scan Detection on the Backbone" presented at IPCCC in 2006.
- **TCP Null Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packages with no flags set.
- **TCP SYNFIN Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packets with only the SYN and FIN flags set.
- **TCP Xmas Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packets with only the FIN, URG, and PSH flags set or a value of 0xFF (every possible flag set).

For each type of attack, the agent or appliance can be instructed to send the information to the Deep Security Manager where an alert will be triggered by selecting the option **Notify DSM Immediately**. For this option to work, the agents and appliances must be configured for agent or appliance-initiated or bidirectional communication in **Policy / Computer Editor > Settings > General > Communication Direction**. If enabled, the agent or appliance will initiate a heartbeat to the Deep Security Manager immediately upon detecting the attack or probe.

Note: If you want to enable reconnaissance protection, you must also enable the Firewall and stateful inspection on the **Policy or Computer Editor > Firewall > General** tab. You should also go to the **Policy or Computer Editor > Firewall > Advanced** tab and enable the **Generate Firewall Events** for packets that are 'Out of Allowed Policy' setting. This will generate Firewall events that are required for reconnaissance.

Note: The reconnaissance scans detection requires there to be at least one active Firewall rule assigned to the policy of the agent.

For information on how to handle reconnaissance warnings, see ["Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100](#).

Stateful inspection

Deep Security Firewall stateful configuration mechanism should be enabled when the Firewall is on. This mechanism analyzes each packet in the context of traffic history, correctness of TCP and IP header values, and TCP connection state transitions. In the case of stateless protocols like UDP and ICMP, a pseudo-stateful mechanism is implemented based on historical traffic analysis.

Packets are handled by the stateful mechanism as follows:

1. A packet is passed to the stateful routine if it has been allowed through by the static Firewall rule conditions.
2. The packet is examined to determine whether it belongs to an existing connection.
3. The TCP header is examined for correctness (for example, sequence numbers, flag combinations, and so on).

The Deep Security Firewall stateful configuration enables protection against attacks such as denial of service, provided that a default configuration with stateful TCP, ICMP, or UDP protocol is enabled and only solicited replies are allowed. If the UDP stateful option is enabled, Force Allow must be used when running UDP servers (for example, DHCP). If there is no DNS or WINS server configured for the Deep Security Agents, a Force Allow Incoming UDP Ports 137 rule might be required for NetBIOS.

Stateful logging should be disabled unless required for ICMP or UDP protocols.

Example

This is an example of how a simple Firewall policy can be created for a web server:

1. Enable stateful inspection for TCP, UDP, and ICMP using a global Firewall stateful configuration with these options enabled.
2. Add a Firewall rule to allow TCP and UDP replies to requests originated on the workstation. To do this create an incoming Allow rule with the protocol set to **TCP + UDP** and select **Not** and **Syn** under **Specific Flags**. At this point the policy only allows TCP and UDP packets that are replies to requests initiated by a user on the workstation. For example, in conjunction with the stateful analysis options enabled in step 1, this rule allows a user on this computer to perform DNS lookups (via UDP) and to browse the Web via HTTP (TCP).
3. Add a Firewall rule to allow ICMP replies to requests originated on the workstation. To do this, create an incoming Allow rule with the protocol set to **ICMP** and select the **Any Flags** check box. This means that a user on this computer can ping other workstations and receive a reply but other users will not be able to ping this computer.

4. Add a Firewall rule to allow incoming TCP traffic to port 80 and 443 with the **Syn** check box checked in the **Specific Flags** section. This means that external users can access a Web server on this computer.

At this point we have a basic Firewall policy that allows solicited TCP, UDP and ICMP replies and external access to the Web server on this computer all other incoming traffic is denied.

For an example of how Deny and Force Allow rule actions can be used to further refine this policy consider how we may want to restrict traffic from other computers in the network. For example, we may want to allow access to the Web server on this computer to internal users but deny access from any computers that are in the DMZ. This can be done by adding a Deny rule to prohibit access from servers in the DMZ IP range.

5. Add a Deny rule for incoming TCP traffic with source IP 10.0.0.0/24 which is the IP range assigned to computers in the DMZ. This rule denies any traffic from computers in the DMZ to this computer.

We may, however, want to refine this policy further to allow incoming traffic from the mail server which resides in the DMZ.

6. Use a Force Allow for incoming TCP traffic from source IP 10.0.0.100. This Force Allow overrides the Deny rule we created in the previous step to permit traffic from this one computer in the DMZ.

Important things to remember

- All traffic is first checked against Firewall rules before being analyzed by the stateful inspection engine. If the traffic clears the Firewall rules, the traffic is then analyzed by the stateful inspection engine (provided stateful inspection is enabled in the Firewall Stateful Configuration).
- Allow rules are prohibitive. Anything not specified in the Allow rules is automatically dropped. This includes traffic of other frame types so you need to remember to include rules to allow other types of required traffic. For example, don't forget to include a rule to allow ARP traffic if static ARP tables are not in use.
- If UDP stateful inspection is enabled a Force Allow rule must be used to allow unsolicited UDP traffic. For example, if UDP stateful inspection is enabled on a DNS server then a Force Allow for port 53 is required to allow the server to accept incoming DNS requests.

- If ICMP stateful inspection is enabled a Force Allow rule must be used to allow unsolicited ICMP traffic. For example, if you wish to allow outside ping requests a Force Allow rule for ICMP type 3 (Echo Request) is required.
- A Force Allow acts as a trump card only within the same priority context.
- If you do not have a DNS or WINS server configured (which is common in test environments) a "Force Allow incoming UDP port 137" rule may be required for NetBIOS (Windows shares).

Note: When troubleshooting a new Firewall policy the first thing you should do is check the Firewall rule logs on the **agent or appliance**¹. The Firewall rule logs contain all the information you need to determine what traffic is being denied so that you can further refine your policy as required.

Create a firewall rule

Firewall rules examine the control information in individual packets, and either block or allow them according to the criteria that you define. Firewall rules can be assigned to a policy or directly to a computer.

Note: This article specifically covers how to create a firewall rule. For information on how to configure the firewall module, see ["Set up the Deep Security firewall" on page 657](#).

To create a new firewall rule, you need to:

1. ["Add a new rule" on the next page](#).
2. ["Select the behavior and protocol of the rule" on the next page](#).
3. ["Select a Packet Source and Packet Destination" on page 673](#).

When you're done with your firewall rule, you can also learn how to:

- ["Configure rule events and alerts" on page 675](#)
- ["Set a schedule for the rule" on page 675](#)

¹The Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Virtual Appliance are the components that enforce the Deep Security policies that you have defined. Agents are deployed directly on a computer. Appliances are used in VMware vSphere environments to provide agentless protection. They are not available with Deep Security as a Service.

- ["See policies and computers a rule is assigned to" on page 675](#)
- ["Assign a context to the rule " on page 675](#)

Add a new rule

There are three ways to add a new firewall rule on the **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Firewall Rules** page. You can:

- Create a new rule. Click **New > New Firewall Rule**.
- Import a rule from an XML file. Click **New > Import From File**.
- Copy and then modify an existing rule. Right-click the rule in the Firewall Rules list and then click **Duplicate**. To edit the new rule, select it and then click **Properties**.

Select the behavior and protocol of the rule

1. Enter a **Name** and **Description** for the rule.

Tip: It is good practice to document all firewall rule changes in the Description field of the firewall rule. Make a note of when and why rules were created or deleted for easier firewall maintenance.

2. Select the **Action** that the rule should perform on packets. You can select from one of the following five actions:

Note: Only one rule action is applied to a packet, and rules (of the same priority) are applied in the order of precedence listed below.

- The rule can allow traffic to **bypass** the firewall. A bypass rule allows traffic to pass through the firewall and intrusion prevention engine at the fastest possible rate. Bypass rules are meant for traffic using media intensive protocols where filtering may not be desired or for traffic originating from trusted sources.

Tip: For an example of how to create and use a bypass rule for trusted sources in a policy, see ["Allow trusted traffic to bypass the firewall" on page 676](#).

Note: Bypass rules are unidirectional. Explicit rules are required for each direction of traffic.

Tip: You can achieve maximum throughput performance on a bypass rule with the following settings:

- **Priority:** Highest
- **Frame Type:** IP
- **Protocol:** TCP, UDP, or other IP protocol. (Do not use the "Any" option.)
- **Source and Destination IP and MAC:** all "Any"
- If the protocol is TCP or UDP and the traffic direction is "incoming", the destination ports must be one or more specified ports (not "Any"), and the source ports must be "Any".
- If the protocol is TCP or UDP and the traffic direction is "outgoing", the source ports must be one or more specified ports (Not "Any"), and the destination ports must be "Any".
- **Schedule:** None.

- The rule can **log only**. This action will make entries in the logs but will not process traffic.
- The rule can **force allow** defined traffic (it will allow traffic defined by this rule without excluding any other traffic.)
- The rule can **deny** traffic (it will deny traffic defined by this rule.)
- The rule can **allow** traffic (it will exclusively allow traffic defined by this rule.)

Note: If you have no allow rules in effect on a computer, all traffic is permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a deny rule. Once you create a single allow rule, all other traffic is blocked unless it meets the requirements of the allow rule. There is one exception to this: ICMPv6 traffic is always permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a deny rule.

3. Select the **Priority** of the rule. The priority determines the order in which rules are applied. If you have selected "force allow", "deny", or "bypass" as your rule action, you can set a priority of 0 (low) to 4 (highest). Setting a priority allows you to combine the actions of rules to achieve a cascading rule effect.

Note: Log only rules can only have a priority of 4, and Allow rules can only have a priority of 0.

Note: High priority rules get applied before low priority rules. For example, a port 80 incoming deny rule with a priority of 3 will drop a packet before a port 80 incoming force allow rule with a priority of 2 gets applied to it.

For detailed information on how actions and priority work together, see ["Firewall rule actions and priorities" on page 677](#).

4. Select a **Packet Direction**. Select whether this rule will be applied to **incoming** (from the network to the computer) or **outgoing**(from the computer to the network) traffic.

Note: An individual firewall rule only apply to a single direction of traffic. You may need to create incoming and outgoing firewall rules in pairs for specific types of traffic.

5. Select an Ethernet **Frame Type**. The term "frame" refers to Ethernet frames, and the available protocols specify the data that the frame carries. If you select "Other" as the frame type, you need to specify a [frame number](#).

6. **Note:** IP covers both IPv4 and IPv6. You can also select **IPv4** or **IPv6** individually

Note: Linux Agents will only examine packets with IP or ARP frame types. Packets with other frame types will be allowed through. Note that the Virtual Appliance does not have these restrictions and can examine all frame types, regardless of the operating system of the virtual machine it is protecting.

If you select the Internet Protocol (IP) frame type, you need to select the transport **Protocol**. If you select "Other" as the protocol, you also need to enter a [protocol number](#).

Select a Packet Source and Packet Destination

Select a combination of **IP** and **MAC** addresses, and if available for the frame type, **Port** and **Specific Flags** for the Packet Source and Packet Destination.

Tip: You can use a previously created [IP](#), [MAC](#) or [port](#) list.

Support for IP-based frame types is as follows:

	IP	MAC	Port	Flags
Any	✓	✓		

	IP	MAC	Port	Flags
ICMP	✓	✓		✓
ICMPV6	✓	✓		✓
IGMP	✓	✓		
GGP	✓	✓		
TCP	✓	✓	✓	✓
PUP	✓	✓		
UDP	✓	✓	✓	
IDP	✓	✓		
ND	✓	✓		
RAW	✓	✓		
TCP+UDP	✓	✓	✓	✓

Note: ARP and REVARP frame types only support using MAC addresses as packet sources and destinations.

You can select **Any Flags** or individually select the following flags:

- URG
- ACK
- PSH
- RST
- SYN
- FIN

Configure rule events and alerts

When a firewall rule is triggered, it logs an event in the Deep Security Manager and records the packet data.

Note: Note that rules using the "Allow", "Force Allow" and "Bypass" actions will not log any events.

Alerts

You can configure rules to also trigger an alert if they log an event. To do so, open the properties for a rule, click on **Options**, and then select **Alert when this rule logs an event**.

Note: Only firewall rules with an action set to "Deny" or "Log Only" can be configured to trigger an alert.

Set a schedule for the rule

Select whether the firewall rule should only be active during a scheduled time.

For more information on how to do so, see ["Define a schedule that you can apply to rules" on page 530](#).

Assign a context to the rule

Rule contexts allow you to set firewall rules uniquely for different network environments. Contexts are commonly used to allow for different rules to be in effect for laptops when they are on and off-site.

For more information on how to create a context, see ["Define contexts for use in policies" on page 523](#).

Tip: For an example of a policy that implements firewall rules using contexts, look at the properties of the "Windows Mobile Laptop" Policy.

See policies and computers a rule is assigned to

You can see which policies and computers are assigned to a firewall rule on the **Assigned To** tab. Click on a policy or computer in the list to see their properties.

Export a rule

You can export all firewall rules to a .csv or .xml file by clicking **Export** and selecting the corresponding export action from the list. You can also export specific rules by first selecting them, clicking **Export** and then selecting the corresponding export action from the list.

Delete a rule

To delete a rule, right-click the rule in the Firewall Rules list, click **Delete** and then click **OK**.

Note: Firewall Rules that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

Allow trusted traffic to bypass the firewall

You can set up Deep Security to allow trusted traffic to bypass the firewall.

To configure this, the basic steps are as follows:

1. ["Create a new IP list of trusted traffic sources" below](#)
2. ["Create incoming and outbound firewall rules for trusted traffic using the IP list" on the next page](#)
3. ["Assign the firewall rules to a policy used by computers that trusted traffic flows through" on the next page](#)

After the firewall rules have been assigned to a policy, Deep Security will allow traffic from trusted sources in the IP list and will not scan the traffic for stateful issues or vulnerabilities.

Create a new IP list of trusted traffic sources

1. Click **Policies**.
2. In the left pane, click **Lists > IP Lists**.
3. Click **New > New IP List**.
4. Enter a name for the IP list.
5. Paste the IP addresses for your trusted sources into the **IP(s)** box, one per line.
6. Click **OK**.

Create incoming and outbound firewall rules for trusted traffic using the IP list

1. Click **Policies**.
2. In the left pane, click **Rules**.
3. Click **Firewall Rules > New > New Firewall Rule**.
4. Create a firewall rule for incoming trusted traffic using the values in the below:

Name:	<i>source name</i> Traffic - Incoming
Action:	Bypass
Protocol:	Any
Packet Source:	IP List (select the IP list created above)

5. Create a firewall rule for outgoing trusted traffic using the values in the below:

Name:	<i>source name</i> Traffic - Outgoing
Action:	Bypass
Protocol:	Any
Packet Destination:	IP List (select the IP list created above)

Assign the firewall rules to a policy used by computers that trusted traffic flows through

1. Click **Policies**.
2. In the left pane, click **Policies**.
3. Double-click a policy to open its properties window.
4. In the left pane of the policy's properties window, click **Firewall**.
5. Click **Assign/Unassign**.
6. Ensure your view at the top left shows **All** firewall rules.
7. Use the search window to find the rules you created and select them.
8. Click **OK**.
9. Repeat the steps above for each computer that trusted traffic flows through.

Firewall rule actions and priorities

In this article:

- ["Firewall rule actions" on the next page](#)
- ["Firewall rule sequence" on page 680](#)

- ["How firewall rules work together" on page 682](#)
- ["Rule priority" on page 684](#)
- ["Putting rule action and priority together" on page 684](#)

Firewall rule actions

Firewall rules can take the following actions:

- **Allow:** Explicitly allows traffic that matches the rule to pass, and then implicitly denies everything else.
- **Bypass:** Allows traffic to bypass both firewall and intrusion prevention analysis. Use this setting for media-intensive protocols or for traffic originating from trusted sources. A bypass rule can be based on IP, port, traffic direction, and protocol.
- **Deny:** Explicitly blocks traffic that matches the rule.
- **Force Allow:** Forcibly allows traffic that would otherwise be denied by other rules.

Note: Traffic permitted by a Force Allow rule will still be subject to analysis by the intrusion prevention module.

- **Log only:** Traffic will only be logged. No other action will be taken.

More about Allow rules

Allow rules have two functions:

1. Permit traffic that is explicitly allowed.
2. Implicitly deny all other traffic.

Note: Traffic that is not explicitly allowed by an Allow rule is dropped, and gets recorded as an 'Out of "Allowed" Policy' firewall event.

Commonly applied Allow rules include:

- **ARP:** Permits incoming Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) traffic .
- **Allow solicited TCP/UDP replies:** Allow the computer to receive replies to its own TCP and UDP messages. This works in conjunction with TCP and UDP stateful configuration.
- **Allow solicited ICMP replies:** Allow the computer to receive replies to its own ICMP messages. This works in conjunction with ICMP stateful configuration.

More about Bypass rules

The Bypass rule is designed for media-intensive protocols or for traffic originating from trusted sources where filtering by the firewall or intrusion prevention modules is neither required nor desired.

A packet that matches the conditions of a Bypass rule:

- Is not subject to conditions of stateful configuration settings.
- Bypasses both firewall and Intrusion prevention analysis.

Since stateful inspection is not applied to bypassed traffic, bypassing traffic in one direction does not automatically bypass the response in the other direction. Bypass rules should always be created and applied in pairs, one rule for incoming traffic and another for outgoing.

Note: Bypass rule events are not recorded. This is not a configurable behavior.

Tip: If the Deep Security Manager uses a remote database that is protected by a Deep Security Agent, intrusion prevention-related false alarms may occur when the Deep Security Manager saves intrusion prevention rules to the database. The contents of the rules themselves could be misidentified as an attack. One of the workarounds for this is to create a bypass rule for traffic from the Deep Security Manager to the database.

Default Bypass rule for Deep Security Manager traffic

The Deep Security Manager automatically implements a priority 4 Bypass rule that opens incoming TCP traffic on the agent's listening port for heartbeats (see ["Configure the heartbeat" on page 273](#)) on computers running Deep Security Agent. Priority 4 ensures that this rule is applied before any Deny rules, and Bypass guarantees that the traffic is never impaired. The Bypass rule is not explicitly shown in the firewall rule list because the rule is created internally.

This rule, however, accepts traffic from any IP address and any MAC address. To harden the agent's security on this port, you can create an alternative, more restrictive bypass rule for this port. The agent will actually disable the default Deep Security Manager traffic rule in favor of the new custom rule provided it has these characteristics:

- **Priority:** 4 - Highest
- **Packet direction:** Incoming
- **Frame type:** IP

- **Protocol:** TCP
- **Packet Destination Port:** agent's listening port number for heartbeats from the Manager

The custom rule must use the above parameters to replace the default rule. Ideally, the IP address or MAC address of the actual Deep Security Manager should be used as the packet source for the rule.

More about Force Allow rules

The Force Allow option excludes a sub-set of traffic that could otherwise have been covered by a Deny action. Its relationship to other actions is illustrated below. Force Allow has the same effect as a Bypass rule. However, unlike Bypass, traffic that passes the firewall because of this action is still subject to inspection by the intrusion prevention module. The Force Allow action is particularly useful for making sure that essential network services are able to communicate with the DSA computer. Generally, Force Allow rules should only be used in conjunction with Allow and rules to Allow a subset of traffic that has been prohibited by the Allow and Deny rules. Force Allow rules are also required to Allow unsolicited ICMP and UDP traffic when ICMP and UDP stateful are enabled.

Note: When using multiple Deep Security Managers in a multi-node arrangement, it may be useful to define an IP list for these servers, and then create a custom Deep Security Manager traffic rule with that list.

Firewall rule sequence

Packets arriving at a computer get processed first by firewall rules, then the firewall stateful configuration conditions, and finally by the intrusion prevention rules.

This is the order in which firewall rules are applied (incoming and outgoing):

1. Firewall rules with priority **4 (highest)**
 - a. **Bypass**
 - b. **Log Only** (Log Only rules can only be assigned a priority of **4 (highest)**)
 - c. **Force Allow**
 - d. **Deny**
2. Firewall rules with priority **3 (high)**
 - a. **Bypass**
 - b. **Force Allow**
 - c. **Deny**

3. Firewall rules with priority **2 (normal)**
 - a. **Bypass**
 - b. **Force Allow**
 - c. **Deny**
4. Firewall rules with priority **1 (low)**
 - a. **Bypass**
 - b. **Force Allow**
 - c. **Deny**
5. Firewall rules with priority **0 (lowest)**
 - a. **Bypass**
 - b. **Force Allow**
 - c. **Deny**
 - d. **Allow**(Note that an Allow rule can only be assigned a priority of **0 (lowest)**)

Note: If you have no Allow rules in effect on a computer, all traffic is permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a Deny rule. Once you create a single Allow rule, all other traffic is blocked unless it meets the conditions of the Allow rule. There is one exception to this: ICMPv6 traffic is always permitted unless it is specifically blocked by a Deny rule.

Within the same priority context, a Deny rule will override an Allow rule, and a Force Allow rule will override a Deny rule. By using the rule priorities system, a higher priority Deny rule can be made to override a lower priority Force Allow rule.

Consider the example of a DNS server policy that makes use of a Force Allow rule to Allow all [incoming DNS queries](#). Creating a Deny rule with a higher priority than the Force Allow rule lets you specify a particular range of IP addresses that must be prohibited from accessing the same public server.

Priority-based rule sets allow you set the order in which the rules are applied. If a Deny rule is set with the highest priority, and there are no Force Allow rules with the same priority, then any packet matching the Deny rule is automatically dropped and the remaining rules are ignored. Conversely, if a Force Allow rule with the highest priority flag set exists, any incoming packets matching the Force Allow rule will be automatically allowed through without being checked against any other rules.

A note on logging

Bypass rules will never generate an event. This is not configurable.

Log Only rules will only generate an event if the packet in question is not subsequently stopped by either:

- a Deny rule, or
- an Allow rule that excludes it.

If the packet is stopped by one of those two rules, those rules will generate the Event and not the Log Only rule. If no subsequent rules stop the packet, the Log Only rule will generate an event.

How firewall rules work together

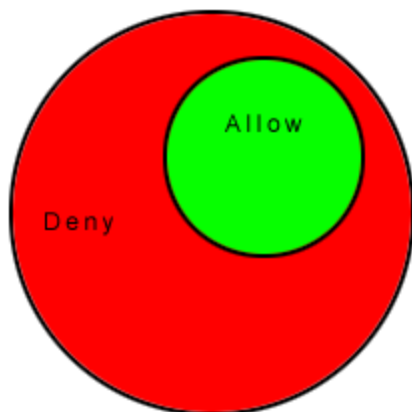
Deep Security firewall rules have both a rule action and a rule priority. Used in conjunction, these two properties allow you to create very flexible and powerful rule-sets. Unlike rule-sets used by other firewalls, which may require that the rules be defined in the order in which they should be run, Deep Security Firewall rules are run in a deterministic order based on the rule action and the rule priority, which is independent of the order in which they are defined or assigned.

Rule Action

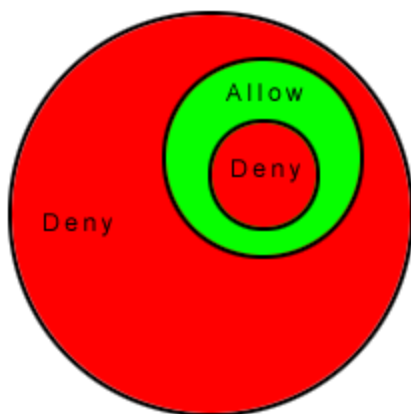
Each rule can have one of four actions.

1. **Bypass:** if a packet matches a Bypass rule, it is passed through both the firewall *and the Intrusion Prevention Engine* regardless of any other rule (at the same priority level).
2. **Log Only:** if a packet matches a Log Only rule it is passed and the event is logged.
3. **Force Allow:** if a packet matches a Force Allow rule it is passed regardless of any other rules (at the same priority level).
4. **Deny:** if a packet matches a Deny rule it is dropped.
5. **Allow:** if a packet matches an Allow rule, it is passed. Any traffic not matching one of the Allow rules is denied.

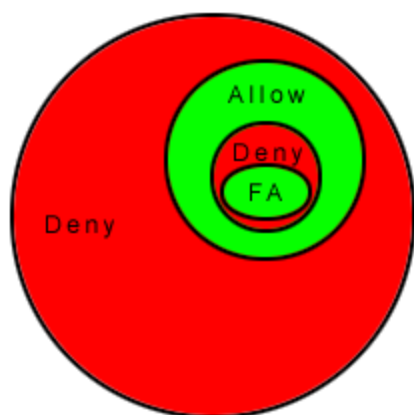
Implementing an Allow rule will cause all other traffic not specifically covered by the Allow rule to be denied:



A Deny rule can be implemented over an Allow to block specific types of traffic:



A Force Allow rule can be placed over the denied traffic to Allow certain exceptions to pass through:



Rule priority

Rule actions of type Deny and Force Allow can be defined at any one of 5 priorities to allow further refinement of the permitted traffic defined by the set of Allow rules. Rules are run in priority order from highest (Priority 4) to lowest (Priority 0). Within a specific priority level the rules are processed in order based on the rule action (Force Allow, Deny, Allow, log only).

The priority context Allows a User to successively refine traffic controls using Deny and Force Allow rule combinations. Within the same priority context, an Allow rule can be negated with a Deny rule, and a Deny rule can be negated by a Force Allow rule.

Note: Rule actions of type Allow run only at priority 0 while rule actions of type Log Only run only at priority 4.

Putting rule action and priority together

Rules are run in priority order from highest (Priority 4) to lowest (Priority 0). Within a specific priority level the rules are processed in order based on the rule action. The order in which rules of equal priority are processed is as follows:

- Bypass
- Log Only
- Force Allow
- Deny
- Allow

Note: Remember that rule actions of type Allow run only at priority 0 while rule actions of type Log Only run only at priority 4.

Note: It is important to remember that if you have a Force Allow rule and a Deny rule at the same priority the Force Allow rule takes precedence over the Deny rule and therefore traffic matching the Force Allow rule will be permitted.

Firewall settings

The **Firewall** module provides bidirectional stateful firewall protection. It prevents denial of service attacks and provides coverage for all IP-based protocols and frame types as well as filtering for ports and IP and MAC addresses.

The Firewall section of the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ has the following tabbed sections:

- "General" below
- "Interface Isolation" on page 687
- "Reconnaissance" on page 687
- "Advanced" on page 690
- "Events" on page 690

General

Firewall

You can configure this policy or computer to inherit its firewall On/Off state from its parent policy or you can lock the setting locally.

Firewall Stateful Configurations

Select which firewall stateful configuration to apply to this policy. If you have defined multiple Interfaces for this policy (above), you can specify independent configurations for each interface. For more information on creating a stateful configuration see ["Define stateful firewall configurations" on page 696](#).

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Port Scan (Computer Editor only)

Last Port Scan: The last time that the Deep Security manager ran a port scan on this computer.

Scanned Ports: The ports that were scanned during the most recent port scan.

Open Ports: Listed beneath the IP address of the local computer will be a list of ports that were found to be open.

The **Scan For Open Ports** and the **Cancel Port Scan** buttons let you initiate or cancel a port scan on this computer. Deep Security Manager will scan the range of ports defined in **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Settings** > **General** > **Open Ports** > **Ports to Scan**.

Note: Regardless of the ports configured to be scanned, Deep Security Manager will always scan the [agent or appliance's listening port number for heartbeat connections from the Manager](#).

Assigned Firewall Rules

Displays the firewall rules that are in effect for this policy or computer. To add or remove firewall rules, click **Assign/Unassign**. This will display a window showing all available firewall rules from which you can select or deselect rules.

From a **Computer or Policy editor**² window, you can edit a firewall rule so that your changes apply only locally in the context of your editor, or you can edit the rule so that the changes apply globally to all other policies and computers that are using the rule.

To edit the Rule locally, right-click the rule and click **Properties**.

To edit the Rule globally, right-click the rule and click **Properties (Global)**.

For more information on creating firewall rules, see ["Create a firewall rule" on page 670](#).

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Interface Isolation

Interface Isolation

You can configure this policy or computer to inherit its Interface Isolation enabled or disabled state from its parent policy or you can lock the setting locally.

Warning: Before you enable Interface Isolation make sure that you have configured the interface patterns in the proper order and that you have removed or added all necessary string patterns. Only interfaces matching the highest priority pattern will be permitted to transmit traffic. Other interfaces (which match any of the remaining patterns on the list) will be "restricted". Restricted Interfaces will block all traffic unless an Allow Firewall Rule is used to allow specific traffic to pass through.

Interface Patterns

When Interface Isolation is enabled, the firewall will try to match the regular expression patterns to interface names on the local computer.

Note: Deep Security uses POSIX basic regular expressions to match interface names. For information on basic POSIX regular expressions, see https://pubs.opengroup.org/onlinepubs/009695399/basedefs/xbd_chap09.html#tag_09_03

Only interfaces matching the highest priority pattern will be permitted to transmit traffic. Other interfaces (which match any of the remaining patterns on the list) will be "restricted". Restricted Interfaces will block all traffic unless an **Allow** firewall rule is used to allow specific traffic to pass through.

Selecting **Limit to one active interface** will restrict traffic to only a single interface (even if more than one interface matches the highest priority pattern).

Reconnaissance

Reconnaissance Scans

The **Reconnaissance** page allows you to enable and configure traffic analysis settings on your computers. This feature can detect possible reconnaissance scans that attackers often use to discover weaknesses before beginning a targeted attack.

Note: Reconnaissance scans do not work in TAP mode. Reconnaissance scans can only be detected on IPv4 traffic.

- **Reconnaissance Scan Detection Enabled:** Turn the ability to detect reconnaissance scans on or off.
- **Computers/Networks on which to perform detection:** Choose from the list the IPs to protect. Choose from existing IP Lists. (You can use the **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > IP Lists** page to create an IP List specifically for this purpose.)
- **Do not perform detection on traffic coming from:** Select from a set of IP Lists which computers and networks to ignore. (As above, you can use the **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > IP Lists** page to create an IP List specifically for this purpose.)

Note: If you want to enable reconnaissance protection, you must also enable the Firewall and Stateful Inspection on the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Firewall > General** tab. You should also go to the **Computer or Policy editor**² > **Firewall > Advanced** tab and enable the **Generate Firewall Events for packets that are 'Out of Allowed Policy'** setting. This will generate firewall events that are required for reconnaissance.

For each type of attack, the **agent or appliance**³ can be instructed to send the information to the Deep Security Manager where an alert will be triggered. You can configure the Deep Security Manager to send an email notification when the alerts are triggered. (See **Administration > System Settings > Alerts**. The alerts are: "Network or Port Scan Detected", "Computer OS Fingerprint Probe Detected", "TCP Null Scan Detected", "TCP FIN Scan Detected", and "TCP Xmas Scan Detected.") Select **Notify DSM Immediately** for this option.

Note: For the "Notify DSM Immediately" option to work, the agents and appliances must be configured for **agent or appliance-initiated** or **bidirectional** communication in **Computer or**

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Policy editor¹ > **Settings** > **General**.) If enabled, the agent or appliance will initiate a heartbeat to the Deep Security Manager immediately upon detecting the attack or probe.

Once an attack has been detected, you can instruct the agents and appliances to block traffic from the source IPs for a period of time. Use the **Block Traffic** lists to set the number of minutes.

- **Computer OS Fingerprint Probe:** The agent or appliance detects an attempt to discover the computers OS.
- **Network or Port Scan:** The agent or appliance reports a network or port scan if it detects that a remote IP is visiting an abnormal ratio of IPs to ports. Normally, an agent or appliance computer will only see traffic destined for itself, so a port scan is the most common type of probe that will be detected. The statistical analysis method used in computer or port scan detection is derived from the "TAPS" algorithm proposed in the paper "Connectionless Port Scan Detection on the Backbone" presented at IPCCC in 2006.
- **TCP Null Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packages with no flags set.
- **TCP SYNFIN Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packets with only the SYN and FIN flags set.
- **TCP Xmas Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packets with only the FIN, URG, and PSH flags set or a value of 0xFF (every possible flag set).

Note: "Network or Port Scans" differs from the other types of reconnaissance in that it cannot be recognized by a single packet and requires Deep Security to watch traffic for a period of time.

The agent or appliance reports a computer or port scan if it detects that a remote IP is visiting an abnormal ratio of IPs to ports. Normally an agent or appliance computer will only see traffic destined for itself, so a port scan is by far the most common type of probe that will be detected. However, if a computer is acting as a router or bridge it could see traffic destined for a number of other computers, making it possible for the agent or appliance to detect a computer scan (ex. scanning a whole subnet for computers with port 80 open).

Detecting these scans can take several seconds since the agent or appliance needs to be able to track failed connections and decide that there are an abnormal number of failed connections coming from a single computer in a relatively short period of time.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: Deep Security Agents running on Windows computers with browser applications may occasionally report false-positive reconnaissance scans due to residual traffic arriving from closed connections.

For information on how to handle reconnaissance warnings, see ["Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100](#).

Advanced

Events

Set whether to generate events for packets that are "Out of Allowed Policy". These are packets that have been blocked because they have not been specifically allowed by an **Allow** firewall rule. Setting this option to **Yes** may generate a large number of events depending on the firewall rules you have in effect.

Events

Firewall events are displayed the same way as they are in the main Deep Security Manager window except that only events relating to this policy or specific computer are displayed.

Firewall settings with Oracle RAC

Deep Security supports:

- SUSE Linux Enterprise Server 11 SP3 with Oracle RAC 12c Release 1 (v12.1.0.2.0)
- Red Hat Linux Enterprise Server 6.6 with Oracle RAC 12c Release 1 (v12.1.0.2.0)
- Red Hat Linux Enterprise Server 7.0 with Oracle RAC 12c Release 1 (v12.1.0.2)

The default Linux Server Deep Security policy is compatible with the Oracle RAC environment, with the exception of firewall settings. Because there are complex communication channels between RAC nodes, the RAC nodes will fail to create a virtual NIC and scan the NIC, due to firewall interference. As a result, Oracle Clusterware would fail to start on some nodes. You can disable the firewall or customize the firewall settings.

Add a rule to allow communication between nodes

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Policies** tab.
2. Right-click the **Linux Server** policy and click **Duplicate**.
3. Click the new **Linux Server_2** policy and click **Details**.
4. Give the policy a new name, for example, "Oracle RAC" and click **Save**.
5. Click **Firewall**.
6. Click **Assign/Unassign**.
7. Click **New > New Firewall Rule**.
8. Under **General Information**, set the **Name** to something descriptive, like "Allow communication with Oracle nodes". Set **Action** to "Force Allow" and set **Protocol** to "Any".
9. Under **Packet Source**, set **MAC** to "MAC List". In the **Select MAC List** that appears, select "New". A "New MAC List Properties" dialog box appears.
10. Give the MAC list a name, like "Oracle RAC MAC list". Under **MAC(s): (One MAC per line)**, add all of the MAC addresses used by all Oracle nodes (including MACs from both private and public NICs). Click **OK** when finished.
11. Under **Packet Destination**, set **MAC** to "MAC List". In the **Select MAC List** that appears, select the MAC list you created in step 10 and then click **OK**.
12. In the Firewall Rules list for the policy, ensure that this new rule is selected and click **OK** and then click **Save**.

Add a rule to allow UDP port 42424

Follow the steps described in the procedure above to add a new rule that allows UDP port 42424. This [port number](#) is used by the Cluster Synchronization Service daemon (CSSD), Oracle Grid Interprocess Communication (GIPCD) and Oracle HA Services daemon (OHASD).

Note: Please note that the MAC list that you created above may not be able to cover this rule. This rule is essential for Oracle RAC.

GeneralOptionsAssigned To

General Information

Name:

New Firewall Rule

Description:

Action:

Force Allow

Priority:

0 - Lowest

Packet direction:

Incoming

Frame Type:

IP

☐ Not

Protocol:

UDP

☐ Not

Packet Source

IP:

Any

☐ Not

MAC:

Any

☐ Not

Port:

Any

☐ Not

Packet Destination

IP:

Any

☐ Not

MAC:

Any

☐ Not

Port:

Port(s):

42424

☐ Not

OK

Cancel

Allow other RAC-related packets

Oracle RAC will send a very large number of packets with Frame Type C08A and 0ACB. Blocking them may cause some unpredictable behavior.

- **Allow TCP port 6200:** Add the public IP addresses of the RAC nodes in the **IP** fields under **Packet Source** and **Packet Destination** and set destination port to 6200. This [port number](#) is used by Oracle Notification Services (ONS). This port is configurable, so check the value on your system set the correct port number if it is something other than 6200.

The screenshot shows the 'General' tab of a rule configuration window. The rule is named 'RAC_TCP 6200_suse'. The 'General Information' section includes fields for Name, Description, Action (set to 'Allow'), Priority (set to '0 - Lowest'), and Packet direction (set to 'Incoming'). Below this, the 'Frame Type' is set to 'IP' and the 'Protocol' is set to 'TCP'. The 'Packet Source' section shows 'IP' set to 'Any', 'MAC' set to 'Any', and 'Port' set to '6200'. There are checkboxes for 'Not' next to each of these fields. The window has 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom right.

General	Options	Assigned To
General Information		
Name:	RAC_TCP 6200_suse	
Description:		
Action:	Allow	
Priority:	0 - Lowest	
Packet direction:	Incoming	
Frame Type:	IP	☐ Not
Protocol:	TCP	☐ Not
Packet Source		
IP:	Any	☐ Not
MAC:	Any	☐ Not
Port:	Port(s): 6200	☐ Not

OK Cancel

- **Allow Frame Type C0A8:** Add a rule with the **Frame Type** set to "Other" and the **Frame no** set to "C0A8".

The screenshot shows a configuration window for a security rule. It has three tabs: 'General', 'Options', and 'Assigned To'. The 'General' tab is active, showing 'General Information'. The 'Name' field is 'RAC_C0A8'. The 'Description' field is empty. The 'Action' is set to 'Allow'. The 'Priority' is '0 - Lowest'. The 'Packet direction' is 'Incoming'. The 'Frame Type' is 'Other:' and the 'Frame no' is 'CA08'. There are two unchecked checkboxes labeled 'Not'. The 'Protocol' is 'Any'. At the bottom right are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

General	Options	Assigned To
General Information Name: RAC_C0A8 Description: Action: Allow Priority: 0 - Lowest Packet direction: Incoming Frame Type: Other: Frame no: CA08 Protocol: Any ☐ Not ☐ Not OK Cancel		

- **Allow Frame Type 0ACB:** Add a rule with the **Frame Type** set to "Other" and the **Frame no** set to "0ACB".
- **Allow Frame Type 0AC9:** Add a rule with the **Frame Type** set to "Other" and the **Frame no** set to "0AC9".

- **Allow IGMP protocol:** Add a rule with the **Protocol** set to "IGMP".

The screenshot shows the 'General' tab of a firewall rule configuration window. The rule is named 'RAC_allow_IGMP'. The 'Action' is set to 'Allow', 'Priority' is '0 - Lowest', and 'Packet direction' is 'Incoming'. The 'Frame Type' is 'IP' and the 'Protocol' is 'IGMP'. There are two checkboxes labeled 'Not' on the right side of the 'Frame Type' and 'Protocol' fields. The 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons are at the bottom right.

General	Options	Assigned To
General Information		
Name:	RAC_allow_IGMP	
Description:		
Action:	Allow	
Priority:	0 - Lowest	
Packet direction:	Incoming	
Frame Type:	IP	☐ Not
Protocol:	IGMP	☐ Not
OK Cancel		

Please refer to the following link to check whether there are additional RAC-related components in your system that need extra firewall rules to allow certain ports:

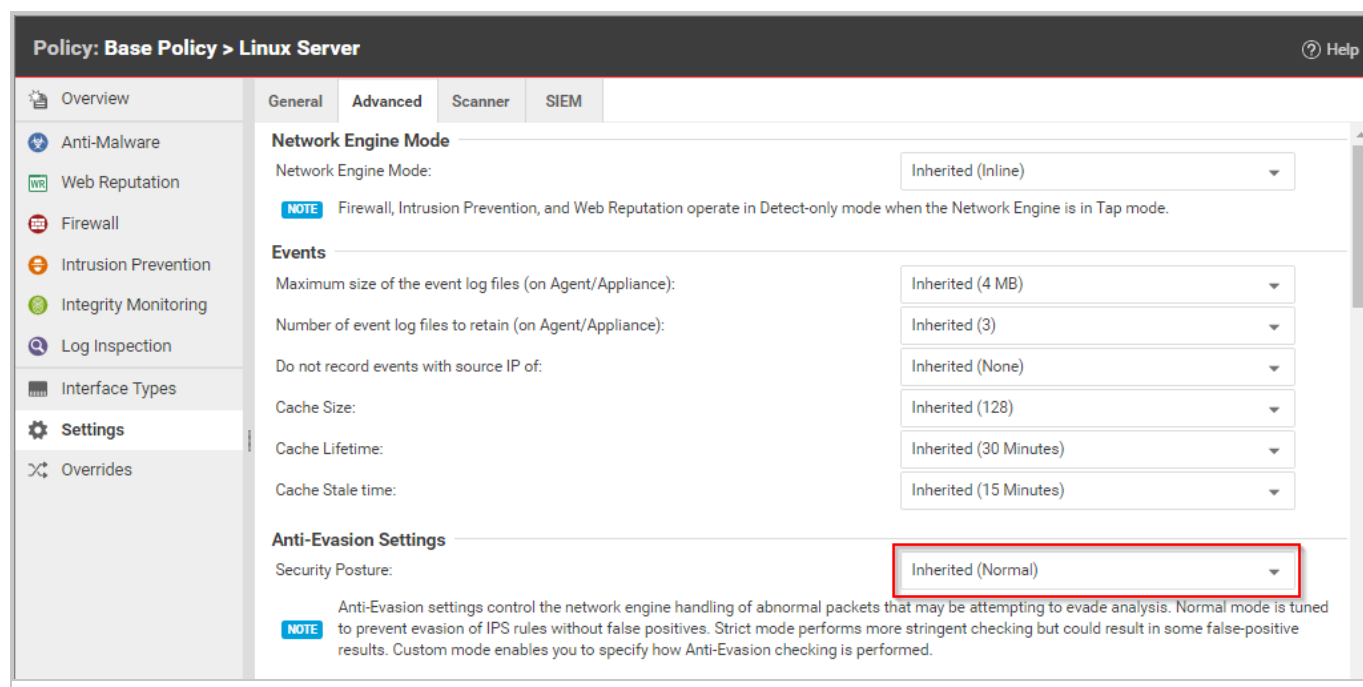
<https://docs.oracle.com/database/121/RILIN/ports.htm#RILIN1178>

Ensure that the Oracle SQL Server rule is assigned

Check that the "Oracle SQL Server" Firewall rule is assigned to the Linux Server policy. This is a pre-defined Deep Security Firewall rule that allows port 1521.

Ensure that anti-evasion settings are set to "Normal"

In the properties for the Linux Server policy, **Settings > Network Engine > Anti-Evasion Settings** are set to "Normal" by default. If this setting is set to "Strict", the RAC database response will be extremely slow.



Define stateful firewall configurations

Deep Security's stateful firewall configuration mechanism analyzes each packet in the context of traffic history, correctness of TCP and IP header values, and TCP connection state transitions. In the case of stateless protocols like UDP and ICMP, a pseudo-stateful mechanism is implemented based on historical traffic analysis. Packets are handled by the stateful mechanism as follows:

1. A packet is passed to the stateful routine if it has been allowed through by the static firewall rule conditions,
2. The packet is examined to determine whether it belongs to an existing connection, and
3. The TCP header is examined for correctness (e.g. sequence numbers, flag combinations, etc.).

To create a new stateful configuration, you need to:

1. ["Add a stateful configuration " on the next page.](#)
2. ["Enter stateful configuration information" on the next page.](#)
3. ["Select packet inspection options" on the next page.](#)

When you're done with your stateful configuration, you can also learn how to

- ["See policies and computers a stateful configuration is assigned to" on page 701](#)
- ["Export a stateful configuration " on page 701](#)

- ["Delete a stateful configuration " on page 701](#)

Add a stateful configuration

There are three ways to define a stateful configuration on the **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Firewall Stateful Configurations** page:

- Create a new configuration. Click **New > New Firewall Stateful Configuration**.
- Import a configuration from an XML file. Click **New > Import From File**.
- Copy and then modify an existing configuration. Right-click the configuration in the Firewall Stateful Configurations list and then click **Duplicate**. To edit the new configuration, select it and then click **Properties**.

Enter stateful configuration information

Enter a **Name** and **Description** for the configuration.

Select packet inspection options

You can define options for IP, TCP, UDP and ICMP packet inspection, and enable Active or Passive FTP.

IP packet inspection

Under the **General** tab, select the **Deny all incoming fragmented packets** to drop any fragmented packets. Dropped packets will bypass fragmentation analysis and generate an "IP fragmented packet" log entry. Packets with a total length smaller than the IP header length are dropped silently.

Warning: Attackers sometimes create and send fragmented packets in an attempt to bypass Firewall Rules.

Note: The Firewall Engine, by default, performs a series of checks on fragmented packets. This is default behavior and cannot be reconfigured. Packets with the following characteristics are dropped:

- **Invalid fragmentation flags/offset:** A packet is dropped when either the **DF** and **MF** flags in the IP header are set to 1, or the header contains the **DF** flag set to 1 and an **Offset**

value different than 0.

- **First fragment too small:** A packet is dropped if its **MF** flag is set to 1, its **Offset** value is at 0, and it has total length of less than 120 bytes (the maximum combined header length).
- **IP fragment out of boundary:** A packet is dropped if its **Offset** flag value combined with the total packet length exceeds the maximum datagram length of 65535 bytes.
- **IP fragment offset too small:** A packet is dropped if it has a non-zero **Offset** flag with a value that is smaller than 60 bytes.

TCP packet inspection

Under the **TCP** tab, select which of the following options you would like to enable:

- **Deny TCP packets containing CWR, ECE flags:** These flags are set when there is network congestion.

Note: RFC 3168 defines two of the six bits from the Reserved field to be used for ECN (Explicit Congestion Notification), as follows:

- Bits 8 to 15: CWR-ECE-URG-ACK-PSH-RST-SYN-FIN
- TCP Header Flags Bit Name Reference:
 - Bit 8: CWR (Congestion Window Reduced) [RFC3168]
 - Bit 9: ECE (ECN-Echo) [RFC3168]

Warning: Automated packet transmission (such as that generated by a denial of service attack, among other things) will often produce packets in which these flags are set.

- **Enable TCP stateful inspection:** Enable stateful inspection at the TCP level. If you enable stateful TCP inspection, the following options become available:
 - **Enable TCP stateful logging:** TCP stateful inspection events will be logged.
 - **Limit the number of incoming connections from a single computer to:** Limiting the number of connections from a single computer can lessen the effect of a denial of service attack.
 - **Limit the number of outgoing connections to a single computer to:** Limiting the number of outgoing connections to a single computer can significantly reduce the effects of Nimda-like worms.

- **Limit the number of half-open connections from a single computer to:** Setting a limit here can protect you from DoS attacks like SYN Flood. Although most servers have timeout settings for closing half-open connections, setting a value here can prevent half-open connections from becoming a significant problem. If the specified limit for SYN-SENT (remote) entries is reached, subsequent TCP packets from that specific computer will be dropped.

Note: When deciding on how many open connections from a single computer to allow, choose your number from somewhere between what you would consider a reasonable number of half-open connections from a single computer for the type of protocol being used, and how many half-open connections from a single computer your system can maintain without getting congested.

- **Enable ACK Storm protection when the number of already acknowledged packets exceeds:** Set this option to log an event that an ACK Storm attack has occurred.
 - **Drop Connection when ACK Storm detected:** Set this option to drop the connection if such an attack is detected.

Note: ACK Storm protection options are only available on Deep Security Agent 8.0 and earlier.

FTP Options

Under the **FTP Options** tab, you can enable the following options:

Note: The following FTP options are available in Deep Security Agent version 8.0 and earlier.

- **Active FTP**
 - **Allow Incoming:** Allow Active FTP when this computer is acting as a server.
 - **Allow Outgoing:** Allow Active FTP when this computer is acting as client.
- **Passive FTP**
 - **Allow Incoming:** Allow Passive FTP when this computer is acting as a server.
 - **Allow Outgoing:** Allow Passive FTP when this computer is acting as a client.

UDP packet inspection

Under the **UDP** tab, you can enable the following options:

- **Enable UDP stateful inspection:** Select to enable stateful inspection of UDP traffic.

Note: The UDP stateful mechanism drops unsolicited incoming UDP packets. For every outgoing UDP packet, the rule will update its UDP "stateful" table and will then only allow a UDP response if it occurs within 60 seconds of the request. If you wish to allow specific incoming UDP traffic, you will have to create a **Force Allow** rule. For example, if you are running a DNS server, you will have to create a **Force Allow** rule to allow incoming UDP packets to destination port 53.

Warning: Without stateful inspection of UDP traffic, an attacker can masquerade as a DNS server and send unsolicited UDP "replies" from source port 53 to computers behind a firewall.

- **Enable UDP stateful logging:** Selecting this option will enable the logging of UDP stateful inspection events.

ICMP packet inspection

Under the **ICMP** tab, you can enable the following options:

Note: ICMP stateful inspection is available in Deep Security Agent version 8.0 or earlier.

- **Enable ICMP stateful inspection:** Select to enable stateful inspection of ICMP traffic.

Note: The ICMP (pseudo-)stateful mechanism drops incoming unsolicited ICMP packets. For every outgoing ICMP packet, the rule will create or update its ICMP "stateful" table and will then only allow a ICMP response if it occurs within 60 seconds of the request. (ICMP pair types supported: Type 0 & 8, 13 & 14, 15 & 16, 17 & 18.)

Warning: With stateful ICMP inspection enabled, you can, for example, only allow an ICMP echo-reply in if an echo-request has been sent out. Unrequested echo-replies could be a sign of several kinds of attack including a Smurf amplification attack, a Tribe Flood Network communication between master and daemon, or a Loki 2 back-door.

- **Enable ICMP stateful logging:** Selecting this option will enable the logging of ICMP stateful inspection events.

Export a stateful configuration

You can export all stateful configurations to a .csv or .xml file by clicking **Export** and selecting the corresponding export action from the list. You can also export specific stateful configurations by first selecting them, clicking **Export** and then selecting the corresponding export action from the list.

Delete a stateful configuration

To delete a stateful configuration, right-click the configuration in the Firewall Stateful Configurations list, click **Delete** and then click **OK**.

Note: Stateful configurations that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

See policies and computers a stateful configuration is assigned to

You can see which policies and computers are assigned to a stateful inspection configuration on the **Assigned To** tab. Click on a policy or computer in the list to see their properties.

Scan for open ports

The Deep Security Manager can be instructed to scan a computer for open ports by right-clicking the computer and selecting **Actions > Scan for Open ports**, or by clicking the **Scan for Open Ports** button in the **Firewall** page of the **Computer editor**¹ window (where the results of the latest scan are displayed).

(Port scans can also be initiated by right-clicking an existing computer on the Manager's **Computers** page and choosing "Scan for Open Ports". Another way to initiate port scans is to create a **Scheduled Task** to regularly carry out port scans on a list of computers.)

By default, the range of ports that are scanned is the range known as the "Common Ports", 1-1024, but you can define a different set of ports to scan.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: [The agent's port number for incoming heartbeat connections from the Manager](#) is always scanned regardless of port range settings. It is the port on the computer to which communications initiated by the Manager are sent. If communication direction is set to "Agent/Appliance Initiated" for a computer (**Computer or Policy editor**¹ > Settings > General), however, that port number will be closed.

1. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > Port Lists** and click **New** in the menu bar. The **New Port List** window will appear.
2. Type a name and description for the new port list and then define the ports in the **Port(s)** text box using the accepted formats. (For example, to scan ports 100, 105, and 110 through 120, you would type "100" on the first line "105" on the second, and "110-120" on the third.) Click **OK**.
3. Go to **Computer or Policy editor**² > Settings > General and click the "Ports to Scan" menu. Your newly defined Port List will be one of the choices.

Container Firewall rules

If you are using Deep Security Agent 11.2 or higher to protect containers that use an overlay network, you may need to add some Firewall rules to allow network traffic for the Swarm or Kubernetes services because the default Firewall rules block that traffic.

Kubernetes Firewall rules

If you are using Kubernetes, add the following rules to bypass the k8s communication traffic and export service traffic:

Name	Action Type	Priority	Direction	Frame Type	Protocol	Source IP	Source Port	Destination IP	Destination Port
HTTP incoming TCP 80	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	TCP	Any	N/A	Any	80

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

²You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Name	Action Type	Priority	Direction	Frame Type	Protocol	Source IP	Source Port	Destination IP	Destination Port
destination port HTTP outgoing TCP 80 source port K8s incoming TCP 10054 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	80	Any	Any
K8s outgoing TCP 10054 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	10054
K8s outgoing TCP 10054 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	10054
K8s outgoing TCP 443 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	443
K8s outgoing TCP 6443 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	6443
K8s outgoing TCP 6443 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	6443
K8s outgoing TCP 8081 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	8081
K8s outgoing TCP 8081 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	8081
K8s outgoing UDP 8472 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	UDP	Any	Any	Any	8472

Name	Action Type	Priority	Direction	Frame Type	Protocol	Source IP	Source Port	Destination IP	Destination Port
K8s outgoing UDP 8285 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	UDP	Any	Any	Any	8285
K8s outgoing UDP 8285 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	UDP	Any	Any	Any	8285

Swarm Firewall rules

If you are using Swarm, add the following rules to bypass the k8s communication traffic and export service traffic:

Name	Action Type	Priority	Direction	Frame Type	Protocol	Source IP	Source Port	Destination IP	Destination Port
HTTP incoming TCP 80 destination port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	TCP	Any	N/A	Any	80
HTTP outgoing TCP 80 source port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	80	Any	Any
Swarm outgoing TCP 443 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP	Any	Any	Any	443
Swarm incoming TCP 2377, 4789, 7946, 60012 port	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Incoming	IP	TCP+UDP	Any	Any	Any	2377, 4789, 7946, 60012
Swarm outgoing TCP	Force Allow	0 - Lowest	Outgoing	IP	TCP+UDP	Any	2377, 4789, 7946,	Any	Any

Name	Action Type	Priority	Direction	Frame Type	Protocol	Source IP	Source Port	Destination IP	Destination Port
2377, 4789, 7946, 60012 port							60012		

Monitor for system changes with integrity monitoring

The integrity monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to registry values, registry keys, services, processes, installed software, ports and files on Deep Security Agents. Using a baseline secure state as a reference, the integrity monitoring module performs scans on the above and logs an event (and an optional alert) if it detects any unexpected changes.

To enable and configure integrity monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" below](#).

To more information on creating integrity monitoring rules, see ["Create an integrity monitoring rule" on page 713](#). You can create a rule from a file or registry monitoring template, or by using the Deep Security XML-based ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#).

Set up integrity monitoring

The Integrity Monitoring protection module detects changes to files and critical system areas like the Windows registry that could indicate suspicious activity. It does this by comparing current conditions to a baseline reading it has previously recorded. Deep Security ships with predefined Integrity Monitoring rules and new Integrity Monitoring rules are provided in security updates.

Note: Integrity Monitoring detects changes made to the system, but will not prevent or undo the changes.

How to enable Integrity Monitoring

You can enable Integrity Monitoring in policies or at the computer level. To do so, you will need to:

1. ["Turn on Integrity Monitoring" on the next page](#).
2. ["Run a Recommendation scan" on page 707](#).
3. ["Apply the Integrity Monitoring rules" on page 708](#).
4. ["Build a baseline for the computer" on page 710](#).

5. ["Periodically scan for changes" on page 710.](#)
6. ["Test Integrity Monitoring" on page 710.](#)

Once you've enabled Integrity Monitoring, you can also learn more about:

- ["When Integrity Monitoring scans are performed" on page 711](#)
- ["Integrity Monitoring scan performance settings" on page 712](#)
- ["Integrity Monitoring event tagging" on page 713](#)

The following is a typical procedure for enabling Integrity Monitoring:

Turn on Integrity Monitoring

You can enable Integrity Monitoring in the settings for a computer or in policies. To do this, open the Policy or Computer editor and go to **Integrity Monitoring > General**. Set the Configuration to "On" or "Inherited (On)" and then click **Save**.

Computer: laptop_adaggs (lap) (?) Help

General | Advanced | Events

Integrity Monitoring

Configuration: Inherited (On)

State: ● On, matching module plug-in not found, 28 rules

Enable real-time scan

☐ Real Time

Integrity Scan

Last Full Scan For Integrity: N/A

Scan For Integrity

Baseline

Last Integrity Baseline Created: N/A

Rebuild Baseline View Baseline

Assigned Integrity Monitoring Rules

Assign/Unassign... Properties... Export Columns...

NAME	SEVERIT...	TYPE	LAST UPDAT...
1002767 - Microsoft Windows - ...	● High	Defined	July 28, 2009
1002773 - Microsoft Windows - ...	● High	Defined	May 25, 2010
1002774 - Microsoft Windows - ...	● Medium	Defined	June 23, 2009
1002775 - Microsoft Windows - ...	● High	Defined	July 14, 2009

Recommendations

Current Status: 28 Integrity Monitoring Rule(s) assigned

Last Scan for Recommendations: N/A

i No Recommendation Scan Results

Automatically implement Integrity Monitoring Rule Recommendations (when possible): Inherited (No)

Scan For Recommendations Cancel Recommendation Scan Clear Recommendations

Save Close

Run a Recommendation scan

Run a Recommendation scan on the computer to get recommendations about which rules would be appropriate. To do this, open the Computer editor and go to **Integrity Monitoring > General**. In the Recommendations section, click **Scan for Recommendations**. You can optionally specify that Deep Security should implement the rule recommendations that it finds.

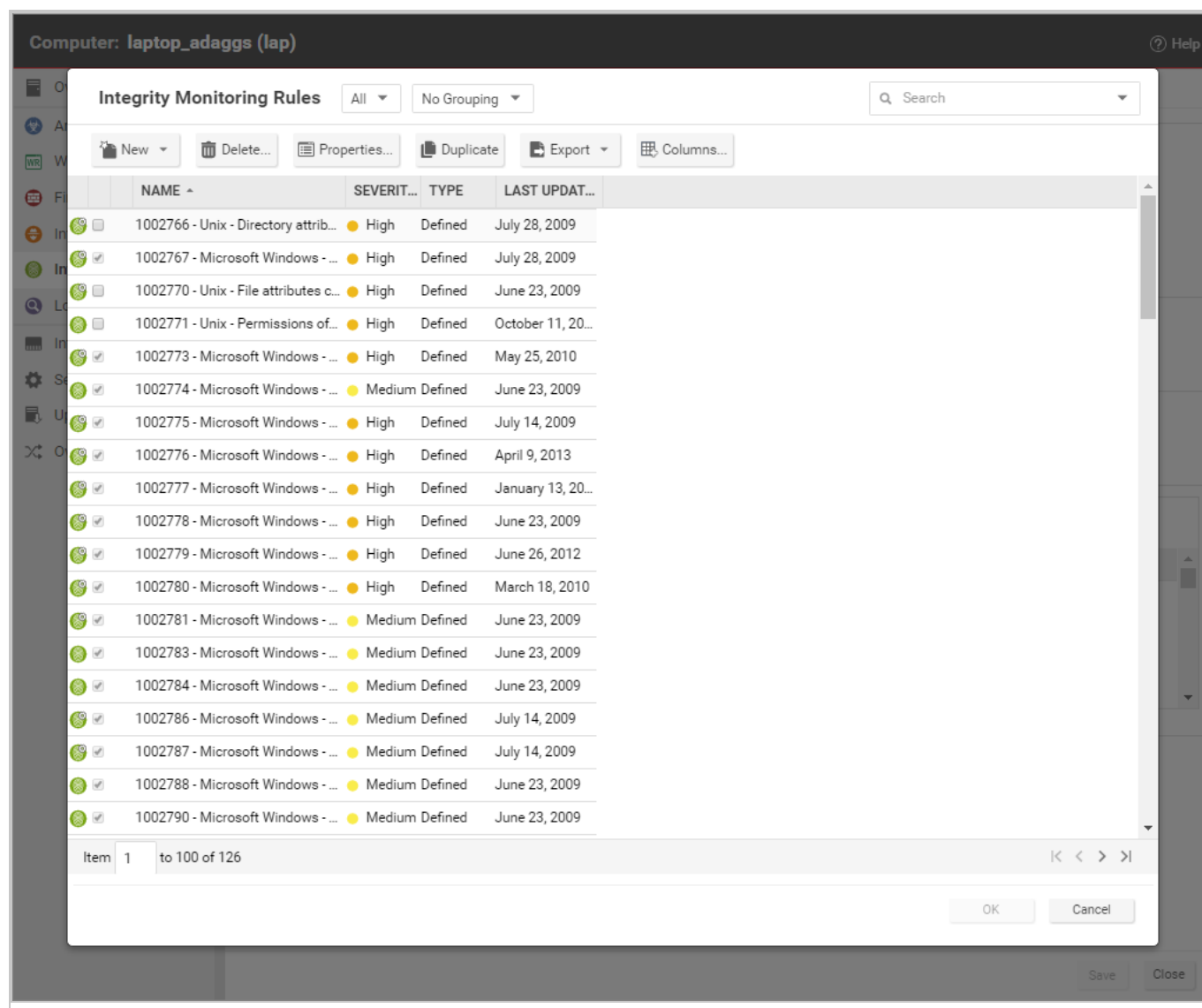
Recommended Integrity Monitoring rules may result in too many monitored entities and attributes. The best practice is to decide what is critical and should be monitored, then create custom rules or tune the predefined rules. Pay extra attention to rules that monitor frequently-changed properties such as process IDs and source port numbers because they can be noisy and may need some tuning.

If you have enabled real-time integrity monitoring scans and find that some recommended rules produce too many events because they are monitoring directories that change frequently, you can disable real-time scanning for those rules. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Integrity Monitoring Rules** and double-click the rule. On the **Options** tab, clear the **Allow Real Time Monitoring** checkbox.

Apply the Integrity Monitoring rules

As described above, when you run a Recommendation scan, you can have Deep Security implement the recommended rules automatically. You can also manually assign rules.

In the Computer or Policy editor, go to **Integrity Monitoring > General**. The "Assigned Integrity Monitoring Rules" section displays the rules that are in effect for this policy or computer. To add or remove Integrity Monitoring Rules, click **Assign/Unassign**. This will display a window showing all available Integrity Monitoring Rules, from which you can select or deselect rules.



Some Integrity Monitoring rules written by Trend Micro require local configuration to function properly. If you assign one of these rules to your computers or one of these rules gets assigned automatically, an alert will be raised to notify you that configuration is required.

You can edit an Integrity Monitoring rule locally so that the changes apply only to the computer or policy being edited, or globally so that the changes apply to all other policies or computers that are using the rule. To edit a rule locally, right-click it and click **Properties**. To edit a rule globally, right-click it and click **Properties (Global)**.

You can also create custom rules to monitor for specific changes that concern your organization, such as a new user being added or new software being installed. For information on how to create a custom rule, see ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#).

Tip: Integrity Monitoring rules should be as specific as possible to improve performance and to avoid conflicts and false positives. For example, do not create a rule that monitors the entire hard drive.

Build a baseline for the computer

The baseline is the original secure state that an Integrity Scan's results will be compared against. To create a new baseline for Integrity Scans on a computer, open the Computer editor, go to **Integrity Monitoring > General** and click **Rebuild Baseline**.

To view the current baseline data, click **View Baseline**.

Tip: It's a best practice to run a new baseline scan after applying patches.

Periodically scan for changes

Periodically scan for changes. To perform an on-demand scan, open the Computer editor, go to **Integrity Monitoring > General** and click **Scan for Integrity**. You can also create a [scheduled task](#) that performs scans on a regular basis.

Test Integrity Monitoring

Before continuing with further Integrity Monitoring configuration steps, test that the rules and baseline are working correctly:

1. Ensure Integrity Monitoring is enabled.
2. Go to the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Integrity Monitoring > Assigned Integrity Monitoring Rules**. Click **Assign/Unassign**.
3. If you're a Windows user:
 - Search for **1002773 - Microsoft Windows - 'Hosts' file modified** and enable the rule. This rule raises an alert when changes are made to `C:\windows\system32\drivers\etc\hosts`.

If you're a Linux user

- Search for **1003513 - Unix - File attributes changes in /etc location** and enable the rule. This rule raises an alert when changes are made to the `/etc/hosts` file.

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4. Modify the above file and save the changes.
5. Go to **Computer editor**¹ > **Integrity Monitoring** > **General** and click **Scan for Integrity**.
6. Go to **Events & Reports** > **Integrity Monitoring Events** to verify the record of the modified host file. If the detection is recorded, the Integrity Monitoring module is working correctly.

When Integrity Monitoring scans are performed

There are three options for performing Integrity Monitoring scans:

- **On-demand scans:** You can initiate an on-demand integrity monitoring scan as needed by opening the **Computer editor**², and going to **Integrity Monitoring** > **General**. In the Integrity Scan section, click **Scan for Integrity**.
- **Scheduled scans:** You can schedule integrity monitoring scans just like other Deep Security operations. Deep Security checks the entities that are being monitored and identifies and records an event for any changes since the last time it performed a scan. Multiple changes to monitored entities between scans will not be tracked; only the last change will be detected. To detect and report multiple changes to an entity's state, consider increasing the frequency of scheduled scans (for example, daily instead of weekly) or enable real-time scanning for entities that change frequently. To enable scheduled integrity monitoring scans, go to **Administration** > **Scheduled Tasks** > **New**. In the New Scheduled Task Wizard, select **Scan Computers for Integrity Changes** and the frequency for the scheduled scan. Fill in the information requested by the New Scheduled Task Wizard with your desired specifications. For more information on scheduled tasks, see ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#).
- **Real-time scans:** You can enable real-time scanning. When this option is selected, Deep Security monitors entities for changes in real time and raises integrity monitoring events when it detects changes. Events are forwarded in real time via syslog to the SIEM or when the next heartbeat communication to the Deep Security Manager occurs. To enable real-time scans, go to the **Computer or Policy Editor**³ > **Integrity Monitoring** > **General** and select **Real Time**. With Deep Security Agent 11.0 or higher on 64-bit Linux platforms and

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with Deep Security Agent 11.2 or higher on 64-bit Windows servers, the real-time scan results indicate the user and process that changed the file. For details about which platforms support this feature, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

Note: Real-time monitoring of an entire disk for changes to any file would affect performance and result in too many integrity monitoring events. As a safeguard, if you choose to monitor the root drive (C:\) in real time, Deep Security will only monitor executable files and scripts. If you want to perform real-time monitoring of all files, specify a folder other than the root drive.

Integrity Monitoring scan performance settings

Changing the following settings may help to improve the performance of Integrity Monitoring scans:

Limit CPU usage

Integrity Monitoring uses local CPU resources during the system scan that leads to the creation of the initial baseline and during the system scan that compares a later state of the system to the previously created baseline. If you are finding that Integrity Monitoring is consuming more resources than you want it to, you can restrict the CPU usage to the following levels:

- **High:** Scans files one after another without pausing
- **Medium:** Pauses between scanning files to conserve CPU resources
- **Low:** Pauses between scanning files for a longer interval than the medium setting

To change the **Integrity Monitoring CPU Usage Level** setting, open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ and go to **Integrity Monitoring > Advanced**.

Change the content hash algorithm

You can select the hash algorithm(s) that will be used by the Integrity Monitoring module to store baseline information. You can select more than one algorithm, but this is not recommended because of the detrimental effect on performance.

You can change the content hash algorithm

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Enable a VM Scan Cache configuration

Using scan caching for Integrity Monitoring improves the efficiency of scans by eliminating the unnecessary scanning of identical content across multiple VMs in large VMware deployments. To select which scan cache configuration is used by a virtual machine, open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ and go to **Integrity Monitoring > Advanced > VM Scan Cache**.

Integrity Monitoring event tagging

The events generated by the Integrity Monitoring module are displayed in Deep Security Manager, under **Events & Reports > Integrity Monitoring Events**. Event tagging can help you to sort events and determine which ones are legitimate and which ones need to be investigated further.

You can manually apply tags to events by right-clicking the event and then clicking **Add Tag(s)**. You can choose to apply the tag to only the selected event or to any similar Integrity Monitoring events.

You can also use the auto-tagging feature to group and label multiple events. To configure this feature in the Deep Security Manager, go to **Events and Reports > Integrity Monitoring Events > Auto-Tagging > New Trusted Source**. There are three sources that you can use to perform the tagging:

- A Local Trusted Computer.
- The Trend Micro Certified Safe Software Service.
- A Trusted Common Baseline, which is a set of file states collected from a group of computers.

For more information on event tagging, see ["Apply tags to identify and group events" on page 887](#).

Create an integrity monitoring rule

Integrity Monitoring rules describe how Deep Security Agents should scan for and detect changes to a computer's files, directories, and registry keys and values, as well as changes in installed

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software, processes, listening ports, and running services. Integrity Monitoring rules can be assigned directly to computers or can be made part of a policy.

Note: This article specifically covers how to create an Integrity Monitoring rule. For information on how to configure the Integrity Monitoring module, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

There are two types of Integrity Monitoring rules: those that you have created, and those that are issued by Trend Micro. For more information on how to configure rules issued by Trend Micro, see the ["Configure Trend Micro Integrity Monitoring rules" on page 716](#) section.

To create a new Integrity Monitoring rule, you need to:

1. ["Add a new rule" below](#).
2. ["Enter Integrity Monitoring rule information " on the next page](#).
3. ["Select a rule template and define rule attributes" on the next page](#).

When you're done with your rule, you can also learn how to

- ["Configure rule events and alerts" on page 717](#)
- ["See policies and computers a rule is assigned to" on page 718](#)
- ["Export a rule" on page 718](#)
- ["Delete a rule" on page 718](#)

Add a new rule

There are three ways to add an Integrity Monitoring rule on the **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Integrity Monitoring Rules** page. You can:

- Create a new rule. Click **New > New Integrity Monitoring Rule**.
- Import a rule from an XML file. Click **New > Import From File**.
- Copy and then modify an existing rule. Right-click the rule in the Integrity Monitoring Rules list and then click **Duplicate**. To edit the new rule, select it and then click **Properties**.

Enter Integrity Monitoring rule information

1. Enter a **Name** and **Description** for the rule.

Tip: It is good practice to document all Integrity Monitoring rule changes in the Description field of the rule. Make a note of when and why rules were created or deleted for easier maintenance.

2. Set the **Severity** of the rule.

Note: Setting the severity of a rule has no effect on how the rule is implemented or applied. Severity levels can be useful as sorting criteria when viewing a list of Integrity Monitoring rules. More importantly, each severity level is associated with a severity value; this value is multiplied by a computer's Asset Value to determine the ranking of an event. (See [Administration > System Settings > Ranking](#).)

Select a rule template and define rule attributes

Go to the **Content** tab and select from one of the following three templates:

Registry Value template

Create an Integrity Monitoring rule to specifically monitor changes to registry values.

Note: The Registry Value template is only for Windows-based computers .

1. Select the **Base Key** to monitor and whether or not to monitor contents of sub keys.
2. List **Value Names** to be included or excluded. You can use "?" and "*" as wildcard characters.
3. Enter **Attributes** to monitor. Entering "STANDARD" will monitor changes in registry size, content and type. For more information on Registry Value template attributes see the ["RegistryValueSet" on page 750](#) documentation.

File template

Create an Integrity Monitoring rule to specifically monitor changes to files.

1. Enter a **Base Directory** for the rule (for example, `C:\Program Files\MySQL .`) Select **Include Sub Directories** to include the contents of all subdirectories relative to the base

directory. Wildcards are not supported for base directories.

2. Use the **File Names** fields to include or exclude specific files. You can use wildcards (" ? " for a single character and " * " for zero or more characters).

Note: Leaving the **File Names** fields blank will cause the rule to monitor all files in the base directory. This can use significant system resources if the base directory contains numerous or large files.

3. Enter **Attributes** to monitor. Entering "STANDARD" will monitor changes in file creation date, last modified date, permissions, owner, group, size, content, flags (Windows), and SymLinkPath (Linux). For more information on File template attributes see the ["FileSet" on page 734](#) documentation.

Custom (XML) template

Create a custom Integrity Monitoring rule template to monitor [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) using the Deep Security XML-based ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#).

Tip: You can create your rule in your preferred text editor and paste it to the **Content** field when you are done.

Configure Trend Micro Integrity Monitoring rules

Integrity Monitoring rules issued by Trend Micro cannot be edited in the same way as the custom rules you create. Some Trend Micro rules cannot be modified at all, while other rules may offer limited configuration options. Both of these rule types will show as "Defined" under the "Type" column, but rules that can be configured will display a gear in the Integrity Monitoring icon ().

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NAME	SEVERITY	TYPE	LAST UPDATED
 New Integrity Monitoring Rule	 Medium	Custom	N/A
 1002784 - Microsoft Windows - IE A...	 Medium	Defined	June 23, 2009
 1002781 - Microsoft Windows - Attri...	 Medium	Defined	June 23, 2009
 1002778 - Microsoft Windows - Syst...	 High	Defined	June 23, 2009

You can access the configuration options for a rule by opening the properties for the rule and clicking on the **Configuration** tab.

Rules issued by Trend Micro also show the following additional information under the **General** tab:

- When the rule was first issued and last updated, as well as a unique identifier for the rule.
- The minimum versions of the Agent and the Deep Security Manager that are required for the rule to function.

Although you cannot edit rules issued by Trend Micro directly, you can duplicate them and then edit the copy.

Configure rule events and alerts

Any changes detected by an Integrity Monitoring rule is logged as an event in the Deep Security Manager.

Real-time event monitoring

By default, events are logged at the time they occur. If you only want events to be logged when you manually perform a scan for changes, deselect **Allow Real Time Monitoring**.

Alerts

You can also configure the rules to trigger an alert when they log an event. To do so, open the properties for a rule, click on **Options**, and then select **Alert when this rule logs an event**.

See policies and computers a rule is assigned to

You can see which policies and computers are assigned to an Integrity Monitoring rule on the **Assigned To** tab. Click on a policy or computer in the list to see their properties.

Export a rule

You can export all Integrity Monitoring rules to a .csv or .xml file by clicking **Export** and selecting the corresponding export action from the list. You can also export specific rules by first selecting them, clicking **Export** and then selecting the corresponding export action from the list.

Delete a rule

To delete a rule, right-click the rule in the Integrity Monitoring Rules list, click **Delete** and then click **OK**.

Note: Integrity Monitoring rules that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

Integrity monitoring rules language

The Integrity Monitoring rules language is a declarative XML-based language that describes the system components and associated attributes that should be monitored by Deep Security. It also provides a means to specify what components within a larger set of components should be excluded from monitoring.

Tip: If you only need to monitor for unauthorized changes to files or the Windows registry, you can use File and Registry rule templates instead of creating a custom one. For more information on using these templates, see ["Create an integrity monitoring rule" on page 713](#).

To create a new custom Integrity Monitoring rule, start with the procedure in ["Create an integrity monitoring rule" on page 713](#) (selecting **Custom (XML)** as the template type), then create your custom rule according to the Integrity Monitoring rules language, as covered in the following sections:

- ["Entity Sets" below](#)
- ["Hierarchies and wildcards" on the next page](#)
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- ["Registry values" on page 730](#)
- ["Use of ".." on page 731](#)
- ["Best practices" on page 731](#)

Entity Sets

System components included in an Integrity Monitoring rule are referred to as "Entities". Each type of component is a class of Entity. For example, files, registry keys, and processes are each a class of Entity. The Integrity Monitoring Rules language provides a tag for describing a set of Entities (an Entity Set) for each class of Entity. The following **Entity Set** types are available to be used in a rule:

- ["DirectorySet" on page 732](#): rules will scan the integrity of directories
- ["FileSet" on page 734](#): rules will scan the integrity of files
- ["GroupSet" on page 739](#): rules will scan the integrity of groups
- ["InstalledSoftwareSet" on page 740](#): rules will scan the integrity of installed software
- ["PortSet" on page 742](#): rules will scan the integrity of listening ports
- ["ProcessSet" on page 746](#): rules will scan the integrity of processes
- ["RegistryKeySet" on page 749](#): rules will scan registry keys
- ["RegistryValueSet" on page 750](#): rules will scan registry values

- ["ServiceSet" on page 753](#): rules will scan the integrity of services
- ["UserSet" on page 755](#): rules will scan the integrity of users
- ["WQLSet" on page 760](#): rules will monitor the integrity of the results of a [Windows Management Instrumentation](#) WQL query statement

A single Integrity Rule can contain multiple Entity Sets. This allows you to, for example, secure an application with a single rule that monitors multiple files and registry entries.

Hierarchies and wildcards

For Entity Sets that represent a hierarchical data type such as FileSet and RegistryKeySet, section-based pattern matching is supported:

- `/` (forward slash) : demarcates sections of the pattern to be applied to levels of the hierarchy
- `**` (two stars) : matches zero or more sections

The following wildcards are supported:

- `?` (question mark) : matches one character
- `*` (one star) : matches zero or more characters

"Escaping" characters is also supported:

- `\` (back slash) : escapes the next character

The pattern is divided into sections using the `" / "` character, with each section of the pattern being applied to successive levels of the hierarchy as long as it continues to match. For example, if the pattern:

```
/a?c/123/*.java
```

is applied to the path:

```
/abc/123/test.java
```

Then:

- `"a?c"` matches `"abc"`
- `"123"` matches `"123"`

- `"*.java"` matches `"test.java"`

When the pattern is applied to the path:

```
/abc/123456/test.java
```

Then:

- `"a?c"` matches `"abc"`
- `"123"` does *not* match `"123456"`, and so no more matching is performed

The `"**"` notation pattern matches zero or more sections, and so:

```
/abc/**/*.java
```

matches both `"abc/123/test.java"` and `"abc/123456/test.java"`. It would also match `"abc/test.java"` and `"abc/123/456/test.java"`.

Syntax and concepts

This section will present some example Integrity Monitoring rules. The examples will use the **FileSet** Entity Set but the topics and components described are common to all Entity Sets. A minimal Integrity Monitoring rule could look like this:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">  
</FileSet>
```

The `"base"` attribute specifies the base directory for the FileSet. Everything else about the rule will be relative to this directory. If nothing further is added to the rule, everything (including subdirectories) below the `"base"` will be monitored for changes.

Note: The `"*"` and `"?"` wildcards can be used in a `"base"` attribute string, but only in the last path component of the base. So this is valid:

```
base="C:\program files\CompanyName * Web Server"
```

but this is not:

```
base="C:\* files\Microsoft Office"
```

Within an Entity Set, "include" and "exclude" tags can be used to control pattern matching. These tags have a "key" attribute that specifies the pattern to match against. The source of the key varies by Entity Set. For example, for Files and Directories it is their path, while for Ports it is the unique protocol/IP/portNumber tuple.

Note: If a path supplied in an include or exclude rule is syntactically invalid, the Agent will generate an "Integrity Monitoring Rule Compile Issue" Agent Event and supply the rule ID and the path (after expansion) as parameters. An example of an invalid path would be

C:\test1\D:\test2 since a file name may not contain two volume identifiers.

Include tag

The include tag is essentially an allow list. Using it means that only those Entities matched by it (or other include tags) will be included. By adding an include tag, the following rule now only monitors changes to files with the name "*.exe" in the "C:\Program Files\MySQL" folder and sub folders:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**/*.exe"/>
</FileSet>
```

"Includes" can be combined. The following rule will monitor changes to files with the names "*.exe" and "*.dll" in the "C:\Program Files\MySQL" folder and sub folders:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**/*.exe"/>
  <include key="**/*.dll"/>
</FileSet>
```

It is also possible to combine multiple criteria in a single include block, in which case **all** criteria must be true for a given Entity to be included. The following "include" tag requires that an Entity both end in ".exe" and start with "sample" to be included. Although this requirement could be represented more succinctly, the usefulness of this becomes more apparent as key patterns are combined with other features of the Entity, as described in the "Features" section below.

```
<include>
  <key pattern="**/*.exe"/>
  <key pattern="**/sample*"/>
</include>
```

The following is another way to express the same requirements:

```
<include key="**/*.exe">
  <key pattern="**/sample*" />
</include>
```

Exclude tag

The exclude tag functions as a block list, removing files from the set that would otherwise be returned. The following (unlikely) example would place everything but temp files under watch.

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**" />
  <exclude key="**/*.tmp" />
</FileSet>
```

The following rule excludes the "MySQLInstanceConfig.exe" from the set of EXEs and DLLs:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**/*.exe" />
  <include key="**/*.dll" />
  <exclude key="**/MySQLInstanceConfig.exe" />
</FileSet>
```

Like the "include" tag, the "exclude" tag can be written to require multiple criteria. The following example shows a multi-criteria "exclude" tag.

```
<exclude>
  <key pattern="**/MySQLInstanceConfig*" />
  <key pattern="**/*.exe" />
</exclude>
```

Case sensitivity

The case sensitivity of pattern matching for an include or exclude tag may be controlled by the "casesensitive" attribute. The attribute has three allowed values:

- **true**
- **false**
- **platform**

The default value for this attribute is "platform", which means that the case sensitivity of the pattern will match the platform on which it is running. In the following example, both "Sample.txt" and "sample.txt" would be returned on a Windows system, but only "Sample.txt" would be returned on a Unix system:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**/*Sample*" />
</FileSet>
```

In this example, only "Sample.txt" would be returned on Windows and Unix:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**/*Sample*" casesensitive="true" />
</FileSet>
```

Note: A case sensitive setting of "true" is of limited use on a platform such as Windows which is case insensitive when it comes to most object names.

Entity features

The inclusion and exclusion of Entities based on features other than their "key" is also supported for some Entity types. The set of features differs by Entity type. The following example will include all executable files. It does not depend on the file extension as previous examples using file extensions did, but instead will check the first few hundred bytes of the file to determine if it is executable on the given OS.

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL">
  <include key="**" executable="true" />
</FileSet>
```

Feature attributes must appear in an "include" or "exclude" tag. To use them as part of a multi-criteria include or exclude, they must be specified as attributes of the enclosing include or exclude tag. The following example includes all files that contain the string "MySQL" in their name and are also executable:

```
<include executable="true">
  <key pattern="**/*MySQL*" />
</include>
```

The previous example can be more succinctly expressed as:

```
<include key="**/*MySQL*" executable="true" />
```


Some feature attributes are simply matches against the value of one of the Entity's attributes. In such cases, wildcard matches using " * " and " ? " are sometimes supported. The help pages for the individual ["Entity Sets" on page 719](#) indicate which attributes can be used in include or exclude rules in this way, and whether they support wildcard matching or simple string matching.

Note: Where wildcard matches *are* supported, it is important to note that the match is against the string value of the attribute and that no normalization takes place. Constructs available for Entity key matches such as " ** " and the use of " / " to separate hierarchical components don't apply. Matching a path name on Windows requires the use of " \ " since that is the character which appears in the value of the attribute being tested, whereas Unix systems will use " / " in path values so matches against Unix paths need to use " / ".

The following is an example of a feature match using the "state" attribute:

```
<ServiceSet>
  <include state="running"/>
</ServiceSet>
```

Note: Wildcards are not supported in state matches.

The following example matches any processes where the path of the binary ends in "\notepad.exe":

```
<ProcessSet>
  <include path="*\notepad.exe"/>
</ProcessSet>
```

The following example matches any processes where the command-line begins with "/sbin/":

```
<ProcessSet>
  <include commandLine="/sbin/*"/>
</ProcessSet>
```

Note: Be careful when using wildcards. A wildcard expression like " ** " will look at every file in every sub directory beneath "base". Creating a baseline for such an expression can take a lot of time and resources.

ANDs and ORs

It is possible to express logical ANDs and ORs through the use of multi-criteria includes and excludes and multiple includes and excludes.

There are several ways that a multi criteria include or exclude can be used to express an AND. The most straightforward is to include multiple criteria within a single enclosing tag. The following example shows a simple multi-criteria AND-ing:

```
<include>
  <key pattern="**/*MySQL*" />
  <key pattern="**/*.exe"/>
</include>
```

As well, any criteria expressed as an attribute of the including tag will be grouped with the enclosed criteria as part of the multi-criteria requirement. The following example shows the previous multi-criteria "include" re-written in this way:

```
<include key="**/*.exe">
  <key pattern="**/*MySQL*" />
</include>
```

Finally, if multiple criteria are expressed as attributes of an include or exclude they are treated as an AND:

```
<include executable="true" key="**/*MySQL*" />
```

ORs are expressed simply by the inclusion of multiple include or exclude tags. The following code includes files if their extensions are ".exe" OR ".dll":

```
<include key="**/*.dll" />
<include key="**/*.exe" />
```

Order of evaluation

All "includes" are processed first, regardless of order of appearance in the rule. If an object name matches at least one "include" tag, it is then tested against the "exclude" tags. It is removed from the set of monitored objects if it matches at least one "exclude" tag.

Entity attributes

A given Entity has a set of attributes that can be monitored. If no attributes are specified for an Entity Set (i.e. the attributes wrapper tag is not present) then the STANDARD set of attributes for that Entity is assumed. (See the *Shorthand Attributes* sections for the individual ["Entity Sets"](#) on [page 719](#).)

However, for a given Entity Set only certain attributes of the Entity may be of interest for Integrity Monitoring. For example, changes to the contents of a log file are most likely expected and allowed. However changes to the permissions or ownership should be reported.

The "attributes" tag of the Entity Sets allows this to be expressed. The "attributes" tag contains a set of tags enumerating the attributes of interest. The set of allowed "attribute" tags varies depending on the Entity Set for which they are being supplied.

Note: If the "attributes" tag is present, but contains no entries, then the Entities defined by the rule are monitored for existence only.

The following example monitors executable files in "C:\Program Files\MySQL" whose name includes "SQL" for changes to their "last modified", "permissions", and "owner" attributes:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL" >
  <include key="**/*SQL*" executable="true"/>
  <attributes>
    <lastModified/>
    <permissions/>
    <owner/>
  </attributes>
</FileSet>
```

The following example monitors the "permissions", and "owner" attributes of log files in "C:\Program Files\MySQL":

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL" >
  <attributes>
    <permissions/>
    <owner/>
  </attributes>
  <include key="**/*.log" />
</FileSet>
```

In the following example, the STANDARD set of attributes will be monitored. (See Shorthand Attributes, below)

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL" >
  <include key="**/*.log" />
</FileSet>
```

In the following example, no attributes will be monitored. Only the existence of the Entities will be tracked for change.

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL" >
  <attributes/>
  <include key="**/*.log" />
</FileSet>
```

Shorthand attributes

Shorthand attributes provide a way to specify a group of attributes using a single higher level attribute. Like regular attributes the set of allowed values differs based on the Entity Set for which they are being supplied.

Shorthand Attributes are useful in cases where a set of attributes naturally group together, in cases where exhaustively listing the set of attributes would be tedious, and in cases where the set of attributes represented by the high level attribute may change with time or system configuration. An example of each case follows:

Attribute	Description
STANDARD	The set of attributes to monitor for the Entity Set. This is different than "every possible attribute" for the Entity Set. For example, it would not include every possible hash algorithm, just the ones deemed sufficient. For the list of "standard" attributes for each Entity Set, see sections for the individual "Entity Sets" on page 719 .
CONTENTS	This is Shorthand for the hash, or set of hashes, of the contents of the file. Defaults to SHA-1.

onChange attribute

An EntitySet may be set to monitor changes in real time. If the onChange attribute of an EntitySet is set to true (the default value) then the entities returned by the EntitySet will be monitored for changes in real time. When a change is detected the Entity is immediately compared against its baseline for variation. If the onChange attribute of an EntitySet is set to false, it will be run only when a baseline is built or when it is triggered via a scheduled task or on demand by the Deep Security Manager.

The following sample monitors the MySQL binaries in real time:

```
<FileSet base="C:\Program Files\MySQL" onChange="true">
  <include key="**/*.exe"/>
  <include key="**/*.dll" />
</FileSet>
```

Environment variables

Environment variables can be included in the base value used in Entity Sets. They are enclosed in "\${}". The variable name itself is prefaced with "env.".

The following example sets the base directory of the FileSet to the path stored in the PROGRAMFILES environment variable:

```
<FileSet base="${env.PROGRAMFILES}"/>
```

Note: The values of referenced environment variables are read and stored by the Deep Security Agent on Agent startup. If the value of an environment variable changes, the Agent must be restarted to register the change.

If a referenced environment variable is not found, the Entity Sets referencing it are not scanned or monitored, but the rest of the configuration is used. An alert is triggered indicating that the variable is not present. The Agent reports an invalid environment variable using Agent event "Integrity Monitoring Rule Compile Issue". The ID of the Integrity Monitoring rule and the environment variable name are supplied as parameters to the event.

The following are the default environment variables that Integrity Monitoring uses:

Name	Value
ALLUSERSPROFILE	C:\ProgramData
COMMONPROGRAMFILES	C:\Program Files\Common Files
PROGRAMFILES	C:\Program Files
SYSTEMDRIVE	C:
SYSTEMROOT	C:\Windows
WINDIR	C:\Windows

Environment variable overrides

Override environment variables when non-standard locations are used in the Windows operating system. For example, the **Microsoft Windows - 'Hosts' file modified** Integrity Monitoring rule, which monitors changes to the Windows `hosts` file, looks for that file in the

`C:\WINDOWS\system32\drivers\etc` folder. However not all Windows installations use the

C:\WINDOWS\ directory, so the Integrity Monitoring rule uses the WINDIR environment variable and represents the directory as %WINDIR%\system32\drivers\etc.

Note: Environment variables are used primarily by the virtual appliance when performing agentless Integrity Monitoring on a virtual machine. This is because the virtual appliance has no way of knowing if the operating system on a particular virtual machine is using standard directory locations.

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ where you want to override an environment variable.
2. Click **Settings > Advanced**.
3. In the **Environment Variable Overrides** section, click **View Environment Variables** to display the **Environment Variable Overrides** page.
4. Click **New** in the menu bar and enter a new name-value pair (for example, WINDIR and D:\Windows) and click **OK**.

Registry values

Registry values can be included in the base value used in Entity Sets. They are enclosed in \${}. The path to the registry value itself is prefaced with "reg.". The following example sets the base directory of the FileSet to the path stored in the "HKLM\Software\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\InstallationFolder" registry value:

```
<FileSet base="${reg.HKLM\Software\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\InstallationFolder}"/>
```

The values of referenced registry values are read when a new or changed rule is received by the Agent. The Agent also checks all rules at startup time and will rebuild the baseline for affected Rules if any referenced registry values change.

If a referenced registry value is not found, the EntitySets referencing it are not scanned or monitored, but the rest of the configuration is used. An alert notifying that the variable is not present is raised. The Agent reports an invalid environment variable expansion using Agent Event 8012. The ID of the Integrity Monitoring rule and the registry value path are supplied as parameters to the event.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: A wildcard is allowed only in the last hierarchical component of a base name. For example, `base="HKLM\Software\ATI*"` is valid and will find both "HKLM\Software\ATI" and "HKLM\Software\ATI Technologies"; however, `base="HKLM\*\Software\ATI*"` is invalid.

Use of ".."

The ".." convention for referencing a parent directory is supported in all current versions of the Agent. The Agent will attempt to normalize base directory names for FileSet and DirectorySet elements by resolving ".." references and converting Windows short names to long names. For example, on some newer versions of Windows the following FileSet would have a base directory of `C:\Users`. On earlier versions of Windows it would be `C:\Documents and Settings`.

```
<FileSet base="${env.USERPROFILE}\..">
  <include key="*/Start Menu/Programs/Startup/*"/>
</FileSet>
```

Best practices

Rules should be written to only include objects and attributes that are of significance. This will ensure that no events are reported if other attributes of the object change. For example, your change monitoring policy may place restrictions on permission and ownership of files in `/bin`. Your Integrity Monitoring rule should monitor owner, group, and permissions, but not other attributes like lastModified or hash values.

When using Integrity Monitoring rules to detect malware and suspicious activity, monitor services, watch for use of NTFS data streams, and watch for executable files in unusual places such as `/tmp` "or" `${env.windir}\temp`.

Always be as specific as possible when specifying what objects to include in a rule. The fewer objects you include, the less time it will take to create your baseline and the less time it will take to scan for changes. Exclude objects which are expected to change and only monitor the attributes you are concerned about.

When creating a rule, do not:

- Use `**/...` from a top-level of the hierarchy such as `/`, `C:\`, or `HKLM\Software`.
- Use more than one content hash type unless absolutely necessary.

- Reference user-specific locations such as `HKEY_CURRENT_USER` , `${env.USERPROFILE}` , or `${env.HOME}` .

Any of these statements in your integrity monitoring rules will cause performance issues as the Deep Security Agent searches through many items in order to match the specified patterns.

DirectorySet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

The DirectorySet tag describes a set of Directories.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
base	Sets the base directory of the DirectorySet. Everything else in the tag is relative to this directory	Yes	N/A	String values resolving to syntactically valid path (Path is not required to exist) Note: UNC paths are allowed by Windows Agents, but require that the remote system allow access by the "LocalSystem" account of the Agent computer. The Agent is a Windows service and runs as LocalSystem, aka NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM. When accessing a network resource, the LocalSystem uses the computer's credentials, which is an account named <i>DOMAINMACHINE\$</i> . The access token presented to the remote computer also contains the "Administrators" group for the computer, so remote shares must grant read privileges to either the Agent computer's account, the Agent computer's Administrators group, or "Everyone". If the base value is not syntactically valid, the FileSet will not be processed. The rest of the config will be evaluated.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Whether the directories returned should be monitored in real time.	No	false	true, false
followLinks	Will this DirectorySet follow symbolic links.	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that may be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

- **Created:** Timestamp when the directory was created
- **LastModified:** Timestamp when the directory was last modified
- **LastAccessed:** Timestamp when the directory was last accessed. On Windows this value does not get updated immediately, and recording of the last accessed timestamp can be disabled as a performance enhancement. See [File Times](#) for details. The other problem with this attribute is that the act of scanning a directory requires that the Agent open the directory, which will change its last accessed timestamp.
- **Permissions:** The directory's security descriptor (in [SDDL](#) format) on Windows or Posix-style ACLs on Unix systems that support ACLs, otherwise the Unix style rwxrwxrwx file permissions in numeric (octal) format.
- **Owner:** User ID of the directory owner (commonly referred to as the "UID" on Unix)
- **Group:** Group ID of the directory owner (commonly referred to as the "GID" on Unix)
- **Flags:** Windows-only. Flags returned by the [GetFileAttributes\(\)](#) Win32 API. Windows Explorer calls these the "Attributes" of the file: Read-only, Archived, Compressed, etc.
- **SymLinkPath:** If the directory is a symbolic link, the path of the link is stored here. On Windows, use the SysInternals "junction" utility to create the Windows equivalent of symbolic links.
- **InodeNumber** (Unix and Linux only): Inode number of the disk on which the inode associated with the file is stored
- **DeviceNumber** (Unix and Linux only): Device number of the disk on which the inode associated with the directory is stored

Short Hand Attributes

The following are the Short Hand Attributes, and the attributes to which they map.

- **STANDARD:**
 - Created
 - LastModified
 - Permissions
 - Owner
 - Group
 - Flags (Windows only)
 - SymLinkPath

Meaning of "Key"

Key is a pattern to match against the path of the directory relative to the directory specified by "dir". This is a hierarchical pattern, with sections of the pattern separated by "/" matched against sections of the path separated by the file separator of the given OS.

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of Include and Exclude for their allowed attributes and sub elements. Only information specific to includes and excludes relating to this EntitySet class are included here.

FileSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

The FileSet tag describes a set of Files.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
base	Sets the base directory of the FileSet. Everything else in the tag is relative to this directory.	Yes	N/A	String values resolving to syntactically valid path (Path is not required to exist). Note: UNC paths are allowed by Windows Agents, but require that the remote system allow access by the "LocalSystem" account of the Agent computer. The Agent is a Windows service and runs as LocalSystem, aka NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM. When accessing a network resource, the LocalSystem uses the computer's credentials, which is an account named <i>DOMAINMACHINE\$</i> . The access token presented to the remote computer also contains the "Administrators" group for the computer, so remote shares must grant read privileges to either the Agent computer's account, the Agent computer's Administrators group, or "Everyone". If the base value is not syntactically valid, the FileSet will not be processed. The rest of the config will be evaluated.
onChange	Whether the files returned should be monitored in real time.	No	false	true, false
followLinks	Will this FileSet follow symbolic links.	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the FileSet that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

- **Created:** Timestamp when the file was created
- **LastModified:** Timestamp when the file was last modified
- **LastAccessed:** Timestamp when the file was last accessed. On Windows this value does not get updated immediately, and recording of the last accessed timestamp can be disabled

as a performance enhancement. See [File Times](#) for details. The other problem with this attribute is that the act of scanning a file requires that the Agent open the file, which will change its last accessed timestamp. On Unix, the Agent will use the O_NOATIME flag if it is available when opening the file, which prevents the OS from updating the last accessed timestamp and speeds up scanning.

- **Permissions:** The file's security descriptor (in [SDDL](#) format) on Windows or Posix-style ACLs on Unix systems that support ACLs, otherwise the Unix style rwxrwxrwx file permissions in numeric (octal) format.
- **Owner:** User ID of the file owner (commonly referred to as the "UID" on Unix)
- **Group:** Group ID of the file owner (commonly referred to as the "GID" on Unix)
- **Size:** size of the file
- **Sha1:** SHA-1 hash
- **Sha256:** SHA-256 hash
- **Md5:** MD5 hash (deprecated)
- **Flags:** Windows-only. Flags returned by the [GetFileAttributes\(\)](#) Win32 API. Windows Explorer calls these the "Attributes" of the file: Read-only, Archived, Compressed, etc.
- **SymLinkPath** (Unix and Linux only): If the file is a symbolic link, the path of the link is stored here. Windows NTFS supports Unix-like symlinks, but only for directories, not files. Windows shortcut objects are not true symlinks since they are not handled by the OS; the Windows Explorer handles shortcut files (*.lnk) but other applications that open a *.lnk file will see the contents of the lnk file.
- **InodeNumber** (Unix and Linux only): Inode number of the disk on which the inode associated with the file is stored
- **DeviceNumber** (Unix and Linux only): Device number of the disk on which the inode associated with the file is stored
- **BlocksAllocated** (Linux and Unix only): The number of blocks allocated to store the file.
- **Growing:** If the size of the file stays the same or increases between scans the value is "true", otherwise "false". This is mainly useful for log files that have data appended to them. Note that rolling over a log file will trigger a change in this attribute.
- **Shrinking:** If the size of the file stays the same or decreases between scans the value is "true", otherwise "false".

Short Hand Attributes

The following are the Short Hand Attributes, and the attributes to which they map.

- **CONTENTS:** Resolves to the content hash algorithm set in **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Integrity Monitoring > Advanced**.
- **STANDARD:** Created, LastModified, Permissions, Owner, Group, Size, Contents, Flags (Windows only), SymLinkPath (Unix only)

Drives Mounted as Directories

Drives mounted as directories are treated as any other directory, unless they are a network drive in which case they are ignored.

Alternate Data Streams

NTFS based file systems support the concept of alternate data streams. When this feature is used it behaves conceptually like files within the file.

Note: To demonstrate this, type the following at the command prompt:

```
echo plain > sample.txt
echo alternate > sample.txt:s
more < sample.txt
more < sample.txt:s
```

The first "more" will show only the text "plain", the same text that will be displayed if the file is opened with a standard text editor, such as notepad. The second "more", which accesses the "s" stream of sample.txt will display the string "alternate".

For FileSets, if no stream is specified, then all streams are included. Each stream is a separate Entity entry in the baseline. The available attributes for streams are:

- **size**
- **Sha1**
- **Sha256**
- **Md5** (deprecated)
- **Contents**

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

The following example would include both streams from the demonstration above:

```
<include key="**/sample.txt" />
```

To include or exclude specific streams, the ":" notation is used. The following example matches only the "s" stream on sample.txt and not the main sample.txt stream:

```
<include key="**/sample.txt:s" />
```

Pattern matching is supported for the stream notation. The following example would include sample.txt, but exclude all of its alternate streams:

```
<include key="**/sample.txt" />  
<exclude key="**/sample.txt:*" />
```

Meaning of "Key"

Key is a pattern to match against the path of the file relative to the directory specified by "base". This is a hierarchical pattern, with sections of the pattern separated by "/" matched against sections of the path separated by the file separator of the given OS

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of Include and Exclude for their allowed attributes and sub elements. Only information specific to includes and excludes relating to the FileSet Entity Set class are included here.

Special attributes of Include and Exclude for FileSets:

executable

Determines if the file is executable. This does not mean that its permissions allow it to be executed. Instead the contents of the file are checked, as appropriate for platform, to determine if the file is an executable file.

Note: This is a relatively expensive operation since it requires the Agent to open the file and examine the first kilobyte or two of its content looking for a valid executable image header. Opening and reading every file is much more expensive than simply scanning directories and

matching file names based on wild card patterns, so any include and exclude rules using "executable" will result in slower scan times than those that do not use it.

GroupSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

GroupSet represents a set of groups. Note these are local groups only.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Will be monitored in real time	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the entity that can be monitored:

- **Description:** (Windows only) The textual description of the group.
- **Group:** The group ID and name. The group name is part of the entity key, but it's still important to be able to monitor the group ID-name pairing in case groups are renamed and given new IDs. Operating systems generally enforce security based on its ID.
- **Members:** A comma separated list of the members of the group.
- **SubGroups:** (Windows only) A comma separated list of sub-groups of the group.

Short Hand Attributes

- **Standard:** Group Members SubGroups

Meaning of "Key"

The key is the group's name. This is not a hierarchical Entity Set. Patterns are applied only to the group name. As a result the "*" pattern is not applicable. The following example monitors the

"Administrators" group for additions and deletions. (The "Member" attribute is included implicitly because it is a part of the STANDARD set, and no attributes are explicitly listed.)

```
<GroupSet>
  <include key="Administrators" />
</GroupSet>
```

Include and Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of Include and Exclude and their allowed attributes and sub elements.

InstalledSoftwareSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

Represents a set of installed software. The "key" used to uniquely identify an installed application is platform-specific, but it is often a shorthand version of the application name or a unique numeric value.

On Windows, the key can be something readable like "FogBugz Screenshot_is1" or it can be a GUID like "{90110409-6000-11D3-8CFE-0150048383C9}". You can examine these by looking at the sub-keys of HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Uninstall

On Linux the key is the RPM package name, as shown by the command:

```
rpm -qa --qf "%{NAME}\n"
```

On Solaris the key is the package name as shown by the **pkginfo** command.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the computer where Integrity Monitoring is enabled.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Will be monitored in real time	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules. Presence of the attributes is dependent on both the platform and the application itself - installation programs do not necessarily populate all of the attributes.

- **Manufacturer:** The publisher or manufacturer of the application
- **Name:** The friendly name or display name of the application. (Not available on Linux.)
- **InstalledDate:** Date of installation. This is normally returned as YYYY-MM-DD [HH:MM:SS], but many installers on Windows format the date string in a different manner so this format is not guaranteed. (Not available on AIX.)
- **InstallLocation:** The directory where the application is installed. (Only available on Windows and Solaris.)
- **Parent:** For patches and updates, this gives the key name of this item's parent. (Only available on Windows.)
- **Size:** The estimated size of the application, if available. On Windows this attribute is read from the "EstimatedSize" registry value under HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Microsoft\Windows\CurrentVersion\Uninstall*. The value in that location is expressed in KB, so the Agent multiplies it by 1024 before returning the value. Note that not all Windows applications populate the EstimatedSize field in the registry. (Not available on AIX.)
- **Version:** The version of the installed application. On Windows, this comes from the "DisplayVersion" registry value.

Short Hand Attributes

These are the short hand attributes of the Entity and the attributes to which they resolve

- **STANDARD:** InstalledDate, Name, Version

Meaning of "Key"

The key is the name of the installed software. This is not a hierarchical key, so the ** pattern does not apply. On Windows the key is often a GUID, especially for anything installed via the Windows Installer (aka MSI). Use the name="XXX" feature if you need to include or exclude based on the display name rather than the GUID.

The following example would monitor for the addition and deletion of new software.

```
<InstalledSoftwareSet>
  <include key="*" />
```

```
<attributes/>
</InstalledSoftwareSet>
```

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See "[Integrity monitoring rules language](#)" on page 718 for a general description of Include and Exclude for their allowed attributes and sub elements. Only information specific to includes and excludes relating to this EntitySet class are included here.

Special attributes of Include and Exclude for InstalledSoftwareSets:

name (Windows only)

Allows wildcard matching using ? and * on the display name of the application (the "name" attribute of the Entity). For example:

```
<InstalledSoftwareSet>
  <include name="Microsoft*" />
</InstalledSoftwareSet>
```

will match all installed applications whose display name (as shown by the Control Panel) starts with "Microsoft".

manufacturer

Allows wildcard matching using ? and * on the publisher or manufacturer of the application. For example:

```
<InstalledSoftwareSet>
  <include manufacturer="* Company " />
</InstalledSoftwareSet>
```

will match all installed applications whose manufacturer ends with " Company ".

PortSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the

[WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

Represents a set of listening ports.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Will be monitored in real time	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

- **Created:** Windows only - XP SP2+ and Server 2003 SP1+ required. Returned by the GetExtendedTcpTable() or GetExtendedUdpTable() functions of the Windows API. Indicates when the bind operation that created this TCP or UDP link occurred.
- **Listeners:** The number of active listeners on this protocol, IP address, and port number combination. This reflects the number of sockets bound-to and listening-on the given port, and may be greater than the number of processes listening on the port if processes bind multiple sockets to the port. This attribute has no value if only one socket is bound to the given port.
- **Path:** (Windows only - XP SP2+ and Server 2003 SP1+ required.) Gives the full path, if available, of the module that owns the port. On Windows this comes from the GetOwnerModuleFromXxxEntry() functions of the Windows API. According to Microsoft documentation, the resolution of connection table entries to owner modules is a best practice.
- **Process:** (Windows only - XP SP2+ and Server 2003 SP1+ required.) Gives the short name, if available, of the module that owns the port. On Windows this comes from the GetOwnerModuleFromXxxEntry() functions of the Windows API. According to Microsoft documentation, the resolution of connection table entries to owner modules is a best practice. In a few cases, the owner module name returned can be a process name, such as "svchost.exe", a service name (such as "RPC"), or a component name, such as "timer.dll".
- **ProcessId:** (Windows only - XP SP2+ and Server 2003 SP1+ required.) Gives the PID of the process that issued the bind for this port.
- **User:** (Linux only). Gives the user that owns the port.

Meaning of "Key"

The key is in the following format:

<PROTOCOL>/<IP ADDRESS>/<PORT>

For example:

```
tcp/172.14.207.94/80
udp/172.14.207.94/68
```

IPV6

If the IP address is IPv6 the key is in the same format, but the protocol is TCP6 or UDP6 and the IP address is an IPv6 address as returned by the getnameinfo command:

```
tcp6/3ffe:1900:4545:3:200:f8ff:fe21:67cf/80
udp6/3ffe:1900:4545:3:200:f8ff:fe21:67cf/68
```

Matching of the Key

This is not a hierarchical key, so ** is not applicable. Unix-style glob matching is possible using * and ?. The following pattern matches port 80 on the IP addresses 72.14.207.90 through 72.14.207.99:

```
*/72.14.207.9?/80
```

The following pattern matches port 80 on the IP addresses 72.14.207.2, 72.14.207.20 through 72.14.207.29 as well as 72.14.207.200 through 72.14.207.255:

```
*/72.14.207.2*/80
```

The following pattern matches port 80 on any IP.

```
*/80
```

The following example would monitor for any change in the listening ports but ignore port 80 for TCP in IPv4 and IPv6:

```
<PortSet>
  <include key="*/"/>
  <exclude key="tcp*/*/80"/>
</PortSet>
```

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of Include and Exclude and their allowed attributes and sub elements. Only information specific to includes and excludes relating to this EntitySet class are included here.

Special attributes of Include and Exclude for PortSets:

Various other attributes of the port may be used in include and exclude feature tests. These tests compare a value against the value of an attribute of the port; take note of the platform support for various attributes - not all attributes are available across platforms or even platform revisions, hence the use of these tests in include and exclude tags is of limited use. The feature tests support Unix glob-style wildcarding with * and ?, and there is no normalization of path separators or other characters - it is a simple match against the value of the attribute.

Path

Checks for a wildcard match against the path attribute of the port. The following example would monitor ports owned by processes running the main IIS binary:

```
<PortSet>
  <include path="*\system32\inetsrv\inetinfo.exe"/>
</PortSet>
```

Process

Checks for a wildcard match against the process attribute of the port. The following example would monitor ports owned by anything running in a svchost.exe or outlook.* binary:

```
<PortSet>
  <include process="svchost.exe"/>
  <include process="outlook.*"/>
</PortSet>
```

User

Checks for a wildcard match against the user attribute of the port. The following example would monitor ports on a Unix system that were owned by the super-user (root):

```
<PortSet>
  <include user="root"/>
</PortSet>
```

ProcessSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

Represents a set of processes.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Will be monitored in real time	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

- **CommandLine:** The full command-line as shown by "ps -f" (Unix), "ps w" (Linux), or Process Explorer (Windows).
- **Group:** The group under which the process is running.
 - Under Unix this is the "effective" group ID of the process, which determines shared resource access and, in some cases, file access. Group ID can change if the process drops privileges or otherwise switches its effective group credentials. For example, a program could change group IDs temporarily and obtain write privileges to copy installation files into a directory where the user has read-only privileges.
 - On Windows this is the "current" Primary Group of the process as established by a user-specific access token created at login, which sets access and resource privileges for the user and any processes they execute.

Note: In addition to a Primary Group, Windows processes typically have one or more additional group credentials associated with them. These additional group credentials are not monitored by the Agent - they can be viewed in the Security tab of the process properties in [Process Explorer](#).

- **Parent:** The PID of the process that created this process.
- **Path:** The full path to the binary of the process. On Windows, this comes from the `GetModuleFileNameEx()` API. On Linux and Solaris 10, it comes from reading the symlink `/proc/{pid}/exe` or `/proc/{pid}/path/a.out` respectively. (Not available on Solaris 9 and AIX.)
- **Process:** The short name of the process binary (no path). For example, for `"c:\windows\notepad.exe"` it would be `"notepad.exe"` and for `"/usr/local/bin/httpd"` it would be `"httpd"`.
- **Threads:** The number of threads currently executing in the process.
- **User:** The user under which the process is running. Under Unix this is the "effective" user ID of the process, which can change over time if the process drops privileges or otherwise switches its effective user credentials.

Short Hand Attributes

- **STANDARD:** CommandLine, Group, Parent, Path (where available), Process User

Meaning of "Key"

The key is a combination of the "Process" attribute (the short name of the executable) and the PID. The PID is appended to the name with a path separator in between, ex. `notepad.exe\1234` on Windows and `httpd/1234` on Unix. The use of the path separator is to allow include or exclude matching of `key="abc/*"` to work as expected.

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of include for their allowed attributes and sub elements. Only information specific to includes and excludes relating to this EntitySet class are included here.

Special attributes of Include and Exclude for ProcessSets:

The following example would monitor the set of running processes for notepad.exe regardless of the PID.

```
<ProcessSet>
  <include key="notepad.exe\" />
</ProcessSet>
```

Various other attributes of a process can be used in include and exclude feature tests. The feature tests support Unix glob-style wildcarding with * and ?, and there is no normalization of path separators or other characters - it is a simple glob-style match against the value of the attribute.

CommandLine

Checks for a wildcard match against the commandLine attribute of the process. The following example would monitor any process whose command-line matches "*httpd *":

```
<ProcessSet>
  <include commandLine="*httpd *" />
</ProcessSet>
```

Group

Checks for a wildcard match against the group attribute of the process. The text version of the group name is used rather than the numeric form: use "daemon" rather than "2" to test for the daemon group on Linux. The following example would monitor any process running as one of the groups root, daemon, or lp:

```
<ProcessSet>
  <include group="root" />
  <include group="daemon" />
  <include group="lp" />
</ProcessSet>
```

Path

Checks for a wildcard match against the path attribute of the process. The path attribute is not available on some platforms. The following example would monitor any process whose binary resides under System32:


```
<ProcessSet>
  <include path="*\System32\*" />
</ProcessSet>
```

User

Checks for a wildcard match against the user attribute of the process. The text version of the user name is used rather than the numeric form: use "root" rather than "0" (zero) to test for the superuser on Unix. The following example would monitor any process running as one of the built in system users (ex. NT AUTHORITY\SYSTEM, NT AUTHORITY\LOCAL SERVICE, NT AUTHORITY\NETWORK SERVICE):

```
<ProcessSet>
  <include user="NT AUTHORITY\*" />
</ProcessSet>
```

RegistryKeySet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

The RegistryKeySet tag describes a set keys in the registry (Windows only).

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
base	Sets the base key of the RegistryKeySet. Everything else in the tag is relative to this key. The base must begin with one of the following registry branch names: HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT (or HKCR), HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE (or HKLM), HKEY_USERS (or HKU), HKEY_CURRENT_CONFIG (or HKCC)	Yes	N/A	String values resolving to syntactically valid registry key path

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

- Owner
- Group
- Permissions
- LastModified ("LastWriteTime" in Windows registry terminology)
- Class
- SecurityDescriptorSize

Short Hand Attributes

- **STANDARD:** Group, Owner, Permissions, LastModified

Meaning of "Key"

Registry Keys are stored hierarchically in the registry, much like directories in a file system. For the purpose of this language the "key path" to a key is considered to look like the path to a directory. For example the "key path" to the "Deep Security Agent" key of the Agent would be:

```
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent
```

The "key" value for includes and excludes for the RegistryValueSet is matched against the key path. This is a hierarchical pattern, with sections of the pattern separated by "/" matched against sections of the key path separated by "\".

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See "[Integrity monitoring rules language](#)" on page 718 for a general description of include for their allowed attributes and sub elements.

RegistryValueSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the

[WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see "[Set up integrity monitoring](#)" on page 705.

A set of Registry values (Windows only).

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself as opposed to the attributes of the entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
base	Sets the base key of the RegistryValueSet. Everything else in the tag is relative to this key. The base must begin with one of the registry branch names: HKEY_CLASSES_ROOT (or HKCR), HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE (or HKLM), HKEY_USERS (or HKU), HKEY_CURRENT_CONFIG (or HKCC)	Yes	N/A	String values resolving to syntactically valid registry key

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules:

- Size
- Type
- Sha1
- Sha256
- Md5 (deprecated)

Short Hand Attributes

- **CONTENTS:** Resolves to the content hash algorithm set in [Computer or Policy editor](#)¹ > Integrity Monitoring > Advanced.
- **STANDARD:** Size, Type, Contents

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Meaning of "Key"

Registry Values are name-value pairs stored under a key in the registry. The key under which they are stored may in turn be stored under another key, very much like files and directories on a file system. For the purpose of this language the "key path" to a value is considered to look like the path to a file. For example, the "key path" to the InstallationFolder value of the Agent would be:

```
HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\SOFTWARE\Trend Micro\Deep Security
Agent\InstallationFolder
```

The "key" value for includes and excludes for the RegistryValueSet is matched against the key path. This is a hierarchical pattern, with sections of the pattern separated by "/" matched against sections of the key path separated by "\"

Default Value

Each registry key has an unnamed or default value.

This value can be explicitly specified for inclusion and exclusion by using a trailing "/" in patterns. For example, "***/" will match all subordinate unnamed values, and "**Agent/**/" will match all unnamed values below a key matching "**Agent".

Note: Registry value names can contain any printable character, including quotes, backslash, the "@" symbol, etc.

The Agent deals with this in Entity key names by using backslash as an escape character, but only backslashes themselves are escaped. It does this so that it can tell the difference between a value name containing a backslash and a backslash that occurs as part of the registry path. This means that value names which end with a backslash character will match rules designed to match the default or unnamed value.

See the table below for example registry value names and the resulting Entity key.

Value	Escaped Form	Example
Hello	Hello	HKLM\Software\Sample\Hello
"Quotes"	"Quotes"	HKLM\Software\Sample\"Quotes"
back\slash	back\\slash	HKLM\Software\Sample\back\\slash
trailing\	trailing\\	HKLM\Software\Sample\trailing\\
		HKLM\Software\Sample\
@	@	HKLM\Software\Sample\@

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of Include and Exclude for their allowed attributes and sub elements.

ServiceSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the [WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

The ServiceSet element represents a set of services (Windows only). Services are identified by the "service name", which is not the same as the "name" column shown in the Services administrative tool. The service name can be seen in the service properties and is often shorter than the value shown in the "name" column, which is actually the "Display Name" of the service. For example, the Agent has a service name of "ds_agent" and a display name of "Trend Micro Deep Security Agent".

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Will be monitored in real time	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the Entity that can be monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

- **Permissions:** The service's security descriptor in [SDDL](#) format.
- **Owner:** User ID of the service owner
- **Group:** Group ID of the service owner
- **BinaryPathName:** The path plus optional command-line arguments that Windows uses to start the service.

- **DisplayName:** The "display name" of the service as shown in the properties panel of the service.
- **Description:** Description as it appears in the Services panel
- **State:** The current state of the service. One of: stopped, starting, stopping, running, continuePending, pausePending, paused
- **StartType:** How is the service started? One of: automatic, disabled, manual.
- **LogOnAs:** The name of the account that the service process will be logged on as when it runs.
- **FirstFailure:** Action to take the first time the service fails. Format is "delayInMsec,action", where action is one of None, Restart, Reboot, RunCommand.
- **SecondFailure:** Action to take the second time the service fails. Format is "delayInMsec,action", where action is one of None, Restart, Reboot, RunCommand.
- **SubsequentFailures:** Action to take if the service fails for a third or subsequent time. Format is "delayInMsec,action", where action is one of None, Restart, Reboot, RunCommand.
- **ResetFailCountAfter:** Time after which to reset the failure count to zero if there are no failures, in seconds.
- **RebootMessage:** Message to broadcast to server users before rebooting in response to the "Reboot" service controller action.
- **RunProgram:** Full command line of the process to execute in response to the RunCommand service controller action.
- **DependsOn:** Comma separated list of components that the service depends on
- **LoadOrderGroup:** The load ordering group to which this service belongs. The system startup program uses load ordering groups to load groups of services in a specified order with respect to the other groups. The list of load ordering groups is contained in the following registry value: HKEY_LOCAL_MACHINE\System\CurrentControlSet\Control\ServiceGroupOrder
- **ProcessId:** This is the numeric ID of the process that hosts the service. Many services may exist in a single Windows process, but for those that run in their own process, the monitoring of this attribute will allow the system to log service restarts.

Short Hand Attributes

These are the short hand attributes of the Entity and the attributes to which they resolve

- **STANDARD:** Permissions, Owner, Group, BinaryPathName, Description, State, StartType, LogOnAs, FirstFailure, SecondFailure, SubsequentFailures, ResetFailCountAfter, RunProgram, DependsOn, LoadOrderGroup, ProcessId

Meaning of "Key"

The key is the Service's name, which is not necessarily the same as the "name" column shown in the Services administrative tool (that tool shows the "display name" of the service). The service name can be seen in the service properties and is often shorter than the value shown in the "name" column.

Note: This is not a hierarchical Entity Set. Patterns are applied only to the service name. As a result the ** pattern is not applicable.

Sub Elements

- Include
- Exclude

See "[Integrity monitoring rules language](#)" on page 718 for a general description of include for their allowed attributes and sub elements. Only information specific to includes and excludes relating to this Entity Set class are included here.

Special attributes of Include and Exclude for ServiceSets:

state

Include or exclude based on whether the state of the service (stopped, starting, stopping, running, continuePending, pausePending, paused). The following example would monitor the set of running services for change:

```
<ServiceSet>
  <include state="running"/>
</ServiceSet>
```

UserSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the

[WQL](#) query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

The UserSet element represents a set of users. On a Windows system it operates on users local to the system - the same users displayed by the "Local Users and Groups" MMC snap-in. Note that these are *local* users only if the Deep Security Agent is running on something other than a domain controller. On a domain controller, a UserSet element will enumerate all of the domain users, which may not be advisable for extremely large domains.

On Unix systems, the users monitored are whatever the "getpwent_r()" and "getspnam_r()" APIs have been configured to return. On AIX systems specifically, the users monitored are those listed in the `/etc/passwd` file.

Tag Attributes

These are XML attributes of the tag itself, as opposed to the attributes of the Entity monitored by Integrity Monitoring Rules.

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
onChange	Will be monitored in real time	No	false	true, false

Entity Set Attributes

These are the attributes of the entity that can be monitored:

Common Attributes

- **cannotChangePassword:** True or false indicating if the user is permitted to change their password.
- **disabled:** True or false indicating if the account has been disabled. On Windows systems this reflects the "disabled" check box for the user. On Unix systems this will be true if the user's account has expired or if their password has expired and they've exceeded the inactivity grace period for changing it.
- **fullName:** The display name of the user.
- **groups:** A comma-separated list of the groups to which the user belongs.
- **homeFolder:** The path to the home folder or directory.
- **lockedOut:** True or false indicating if the user has been locked out, either explicitly or due to excessive failed password attempts.

- **passwordHasExpired:** True or false indicating if the user's password has expired. Note that on Windows this attribute is only available on Windows XP and newer operating systems.
- **passwordLastChanged:** The timestamp of the last time the user's password was changed. This is recorded by the Deep Security Agent as the number of milliseconds since Jan 1 1970 UTC - Deep Security Manager renders the timestamp in local time based on this value. Note that on Unix platforms, the resolution of this attribute is one day, so the time component of the rendered timestamp is meaningless. (Not supported by AIX.)
- **passwordNeverExpires:** True or false indicating if the password does not expire.
- **user:** The name of the user as known to the operating system. For example, "Administrator" or "root".

Windows-only Attributes

- **description:** The primary group the user belongs to.
- **homeDriveLetter:** The drive letter to which a network share is mapped as the user's home folder.
- **logonScript:** The path to a script that executes every time the user logs in.
- **profilePath:** A network path if roaming or mandatory Windows user profiles are being used.

Linux, AIX, and Solaris Attributes

- **group:** The primary group the user belongs to.
- **logonShell:** The path to the shell process for the user.
- **passwordExpiredDaysBeforeDisabled:** The number of days after the user's password expires that the account is disabled. On Solaris, this attribute refers to the number of inactive days before the user is disabled. (Not supported by AIX.)
- **passwordExpiry:** The date on which the user's account expires and is disabled.
- **passwordExpiry:** The date on which the user's account expires and is disabled.
- **passwordExpiryInDays:** The number of days after which the user's password must be changed.
- **passwordMinDaysBetweenChanges:** The minimum number of days permitted between password changes.
- **passwordWarningDays:** The number of days before the user's password is to expire that user is warned.

Short Hand Attributes

- **Standard:**
 - cannotChangePassword
 - disabled
 - groups
 - homeFolder
 - passwordHasExpired
 - passwordLastChanged
 - passwordNeverExpires
 - user
 - logonScript (Windows-only)
 - profilePath (Windows-only)
 - group (Linux-only)
 - logonShell (Linux-only)
 - passwordExpiryInDays (Linux-only)
 - passwordMinDaysBetweenChanges (Linux-only)

Meaning of "Key"

The key is the username. This is not a hierarchical EntitySet. Patterns are applied only to the user name. As a result the "*" pattern is not applicable.

The following example monitors for any user creations or deletions. (Note that attributes are explicitly excluded so group membership would not be tracked):

```
<UserSet>
  <Attributes/>
  <include key="*" />
</UserSet>
```

The following example would track the creation and deletion of the "jsmith" account, along with any changes to the STANDARD attributes of the account (since the STANDARD set for this EntitySet is automatically included if no specific attribute list is included):

```
<UserSet>
  <include key="jsmith" />
</UserSet>
```

Sub Elements

Include and Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of include for their allowed attributes and sub elements.

Special attributes of Include and Exclude for UserSets

Various other attributes of the user may be used in include and exclude feature tests. These tests compare a value against the value of an attribute of the user; take note of the platform support for various attributes - not all attributes are available across platforms or even platform revisions, hence the use of these tests in include and exclude elements is of limited use. The feature tests support Unix glob-style wildcarding with * and ?, and there is no normalization of path separators or other characters - it is a simple match against the value of the attribute.

- **Disabled:** Does true or false match the disabled attribute of the user. The following example monitors users with a primary group of either "users" or "daemon":

```
<UserSet>
  <include disabled="true"/>
</UserSet>
```

- **Group:** Does a wildcard match against the primary group of the user. This test is only applicable on Unix systems. The following example would monitor users with a primary group of either "users" or "daemon".

```
<UserSet>
  <include group="users"/>
  <include group="daemon"/>
</UserSet>
```

- **LockedOut:** Does a true or false match against the lockedOut attribute of the user.
- **PasswordHasExpired:** Does a true or false match against the passwordHasExpired attribute of the user.
- **PasswordNeverExpires:** Does a true or false match against the passwordNeverExpires attribute of the user.

WQLSet

Note: The Integrity Monitoring module scans for unexpected changes to [directories](#), [registry values](#), [registry keys](#), [services](#), [processes](#), [installed software](#), [ports](#), [groups](#), [users](#), [files](#), and the WQL query statement on Deep Security Agents. To enable and configure Integrity Monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

The WQLSet element describes a result set from a [Windows Management Instrumentation](#) WQL query statement. [WQL](#) allows SQL-like queries to be made against many different object classes, with the results forming a table of rows where each row represents an object and each column represents the value of a specific attribute of the object.

Note: Many WMI queries consume a large amount of time and computer resources. It is easy to inadvertently issue a query that takes several minutes to complete and returns thousands of rows. It is highly recommended that all queries be tested before use in a WQLSet using a program like Powershell or [WMI Explorer](#).

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
namespace	Sets the namespace of the WMI query.	Yes	N/A	String values representing a valid WMI namespace. The "root\cimv2" namespace is the one most commonly used when querying Windows operating system objects, but others such as "root\directory\LDAP" and "root\Microsoft\SqlServer\ComputerManagement" can be used. See here for a small script called GetNamespaces.vbs that enumerates the available WMI namespaces on a given computer.
wql	A WQL query string.	Yes	N/A	A valid WQL string. The query must include the __Path attribute for each returned object; the Agent uses the __Path attribute as the entity key when storing and reporting results, so each returned WMI object must include a __Path. If using a query string such as "SELECT * FROM ..." the __Path attribute will be available, but if using a more selective query such as "SELECT Name FROM ..." you must explicitly include __Path by writing the query as "SELECT __Path,Name

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
				FROM ...".
onChange	Whether the files returned should be monitored in real time.	No	false	true, false
provider	Optionally specifies an alternative WMI namespace provider to use.	No	none	RsopLoggingModeProvider At present this is only required/supported for group policy queries, and "RsopLoggingModeProvider" is the only supported value. Group policy queries are special since it's recommended that the RsopLoggingModeProvider be used to create a snapshot of the policy data that is present on a computer. If you create a snapshot of the policy data, the query can be performed against a consistent set of data before the system overwrites or deletes it during a refresh of policy. Creating a snapshot actually creates a new WMI namespace, so when using provider="RsopLoggingModeProvider" in a WQLSet, the namespace attribute should specify the suffix to be added to the created namespace. For example, a typical temporary namespace created by the RsopLoggingModeProvider would be "\\.\Root\Rsop\NS71EF4AA3_FB96_465F_AC1C_DF9A3E9010". Specify namespace="Computer" to query "\\.\Root\Rsop\NS71EF4AA3_FB96_465F_AC1C_DF9A3E9010\Computer". Since the temporary namespace is a one-time value, it hampers the ability of the Agent to detect changes since the value appears in the entity key. To avoid this, the Agent will remove the portion of the returned __Path value after \Rsop\ and up to the next backslash when the RsopLoggingModeProvider is used. Entity keys will therefore have prefixes like "\\.\Root\Rsop\Computer" rather than "\\.\Root\Rsop\NS71EF4AA3_FB96_465F_AC1C_DF9A3E9010\Computer".
timeout	Specifies a per-row timeout in	No	5000	1-60000

Attribute	Description	Required	Default Value	Allowed Values
	milliseconds.			The WMI query is performed in semisynchronous mode, where result rows are fetched one at a time and there is a timeout on the fetching of a single row. If this parameter is not specified, 5000 (5 seconds) is used as the timeout value.

Entity Set Attributes

Each "row" returned by the WQL query is treated as a single Entity for Integrity Monitoring purposes, with the returned columns representing the attributes of the entity. Since WMI/WQL is an open-ended specification, there is no set list of available or supported attributes. The query and the schema of the WMI object being queried will determine the attributes being monitored.

For example, the WQLSet:

```
<WQLSet namespace="Computer" wql="select * from RSOP_SecuritySettings where precedence=1" provider="RsopLoggingModeProvider" />
```

will return attributes of:

```
ErrorCode, GPOID, KeyName, SOMID, Setting, Status, id, precedence
```

whereas a WQLSet that queries network adapters such as:

```
<WQLSet namespace="root\cimv2" wql="select * from Win32_NetworkAdapter where AdapterTypeId = 0" />
```

will return attributes such as:

```
AdapterType, AdapterTypeId, Availability, Caption, ConfigManagerErrorCode, ConfigManagerUserConfig, CreationClassName Description, DeviceID, Index, Installed, MACAddress, Manufacturer, MaxNumberControlled, Name, PNPDeviceID, PowerManagementSupported, ProductName, ServiceName, SystemCreationClassName, SystemName, TimeOfLastReset
```

In order to reduce the load on the Agent, it is advisable to explicitly include only the attributes that require monitoring rather than use "select * ..." in queries. This also has the benefit that changes to the WMI schema to add or remove attributes will not be reported as changes to the object unless the attributes are part of the set being monitored. With "select * from Win32_Foobar", a patch to Windows that adds a new attribute to the Win32_Foobar object class would result in the

next integrity scan reporting a change for every object of that class since a new attribute has appeared.

The following are some example WMI queries which return desirable Windows system entities.

Query for Windows mounted storage devices: (selecting for * will typically result in 80% returned attributes being null or duplicate values)

```
<WQLSet namespace="root\cimv2" wql="SELECT __
Path,DeviceID,VolumeName,VolumeSerialNumber,DriveType,FileSystem,Access,Media
Type,Size,FreeSpace FROM Win32_LogicalDisk" />
```

To further the preceding query, the DriveType can be specified to isolate only certain types of mounted logical storage devices, such as type 2 which is a "Removable Disk": (like a removable USB storage drive)

```
<WQLSet namespace="root\cimv2" wql="SELECT __
Path,DeviceID,VolumeName,VolumeSerialNumber,DriveType,FileSystem,Access,Media
Type,Size,FreeSpace FROM Win32_LogicalDisk WHERE DriveType=2" />
```

(See [here](#) for details on the Win32_LogicalDisk class)

USB Storage Device notes: U3 USB devices will mount both a type 2 "Removable Disk" device and a type 3 "Compact Disc" device. Also, the above query is for storage devices only. USB non-storage devices will not be included. USB memory card adapters may appear as a type 1 "No Root Directory" device. A badly or Windows incompatible USB storage device may appear as a type 1 "Unknown" device.

Query for all known System Directories where the Drive is "F:" for relevant attributes:

```
<WQLSet namespace="root\cimv2" wql="SELECT __
Path,CreationDate,LastAccessed,LastModified,Drive,Path,FileName,Caption,File
Type,Readable,Writeable FROM Win32_Directory WHERE Drive='F:'" />
```

Query for all known System Files where the Drive is "F:" for relevant attributes:

```
<WQLSet namespace="root\cimv2" wql="SELECT __
Path,CreationDate,LastAccessed,LastModified,Drive,Path,FileName,Name,FileType
e,Readable,Writeable FROM CIM_DataFile WHERE Drive='F:'" />
```

Meaning of Key

The key is the "__Path" attribute of the returned WMI object, which is generally of the form:

```
SystemName\Namespace:WmiObjectClass.KeyAttribute=Value  
[,KeyAttribute=Value...]
```

Some examples:

```
\\TEST-DESK\root\cimv2:Win32_QuickFixEngineering.HotFixID="KB958215-  
IE7",ServicePackInEffect="SP0"  
\\TEST-DESK\ROOT\RsoP\NSF49B36AD_10A3_4F20_9541_B4C471907CE7\Computer:RSOP_  
RegistryValue.  
  
Path="MACHINE\\Software\\Microsoft\\Windows\\CurrentVersion\\Policies\\Syste  
m\\LegalNoticeText",precedence=1  
\\TEST-DESK\root\cimv2:BRM_NetworkAdapter.DeviceID="8"
```

Include Exclude

See ["Integrity monitoring rules language" on page 718](#) for a general description of "include" and "exclude" for their allowed attributes and sub elements.

For WQLSet, "include" and "exclude" sub elements should typically not be required. It is preferable to use WQL to specify the exact set of objects to be monitored since that limits the amount of work done by both the agent and the computer's WMI implementation.

The use of any include or exclude sub elements can only reduce the set of objects returned by the query; the WQL must be changed in order to return additional objects. If it is necessary to use include or exclude elements to further restrict the WQL results, "*" and "?" characters can be used as simple wildcards to match against values of the entity key.

Analyze logs with log inspection

Note: For a list of operating systems where log inspection is supported, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

The log inspection protection module helps you identify important events that might be buried in your operating system and application logs. These events can be sent to a security information and event management (SIEM) system or centralized logging server for correlation, reporting, and archiving. All events are also securely collected in the Deep Security Manager. For more information about logging and forwarding events, see ["Configure log inspection event forwarding and storage" on page 768](#).

For information on forwarding events to a syslog server or SIEM, see ["Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server" on page 897](#).

The log inspection module lets you:

- Meet PCI DSS log monitoring requirements.
- Detect suspicious behavior.
- Collect events across heterogeneous environments containing different operating systems and diverse applications.
- View events such as error and informational events (disk full, service start, service shutdown, etc.).
- Create and maintain audit trails of administrator activity (administrator login or logout, account lockout, policy change, etc.).

To enable and configure log inspection, see ["Set up log inspection" below](#).

The log inspection feature in Deep Security enables real-time analysis of third party log files. The log inspection rules and decoders provide a framework to parse, analyze, rank and correlate events across a wide variety of systems. As with intrusion prevention and integrity monitoring, log inspection content is delivered in the form of rules included in a security update. These rules provide a high level means of selecting the applications and logs to be analyzed. To configure and examine log inspection rules, see ["Define a Log Inspection rule for use in policies" on page 769](#).

Set up log inspection

To use log inspection, perform these basic steps:

1. ["Turn on the log inspection module" on the next page](#)
2. ["Run a recommendation scan" on the next page](#)
3. ["Apply the recommended log inspection rules" on the next page](#)
4. ["Test Log Inspection" on page 767](#)
5. ["Configure log inspection event forwarding and storage" on page 768](#)

For an overview of the log inspection module, see ["Analyze logs with log inspection" on the previous page](#).

Turn on the log inspection module

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy for which you want to enable log inspection.
3. Click **Log Inspection > General**.
4. For **Log Inspection State**, select **On**.
5. Click **Save**.

Run a recommendation scan

Rules should be set to gather security events relevant to your requirements. When improperly set, events for this feature can overwhelm the Deep Security database if too many log entries are triggered and stored. Run a recommendation scan on the computer for recommendations about which rules are appropriate to apply.

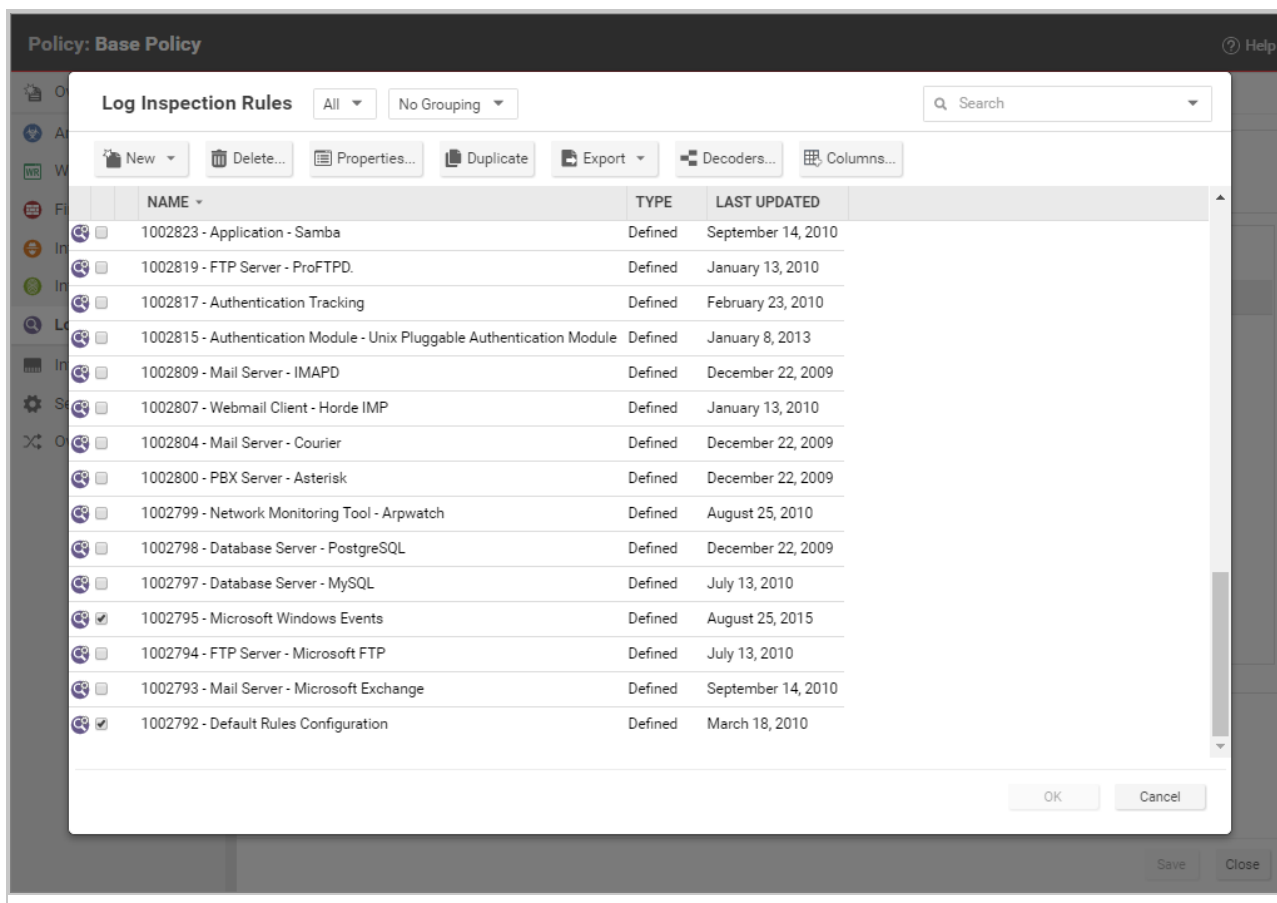
1. Go to **Computers** and double-click the appropriate computer.
2. Click **Log Inspection > General**.
3. For **Automatically implement Log Inspection Rule Recommendations (when possible)**, you can decide whether Deep Security should implement the rules it finds by selecting **Yes** or **No**.
4. In the **Recommendations** section, click **Scan For Recommendations**. Some log inspection rules written by Trend Micro require local configuration to function properly. If you assign one of these rules to your computers or one of these rules gets assigned automatically, an alert will be raised to notify you that configuration is required.

For more information about recommendation scans, see ["Manage and run recommendation scans" on page 439](#).

Apply the recommended log inspection rules

Deep Security ships with many pre-defined rules covering a wide variety of operating systems and applications. When you run a recommendation scan, you can choose to have Deep Security [automatically implement the recommended rules](#), or you can choose to manually select and assign the rules by following the steps below:

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy that you want to configure.
3. Click **Log Inspection > General**.
4. In the **Assigned Log Inspection Rules** section, the rules in effect for the policy are displayed. To add or remove log inspection rules, click **Assign/Unassign**.



5. Select or deselect the checkboxes for the rules you want to assign or unassign. You can edit the log inspection rule by right-clicking the rule and selecting **Properties** to edit the rule locally or **Properties (Global)** to apply the changes to all other policies that are using the rule. For more information, see ["Examine a Log Inspection rule" on page 791](#).
6. Click **OK**.

Although Deep Security ships with log inspection rules for many common operating systems and applications, you also have the option to create your own custom rules. To create a custom rule, you can either use the "Basic Rule" template, or you can write your new rule in XML. For information on how to create a custom rule, see ["Define a Log Inspection rule for use in policies" on page 769](#).

Test Log Inspection

Before continuing with further Log Inspection configuration steps, test that the rules are working correctly:

1. Ensure Log Inspection is enabled.
2. Go to **Computer or Policies editor > Log Inspection > Advanced**. Change **Store events at the Agent/Appliance for later retrieval by DSM when they equal or exceed the following severity level** to **Low (3)** and click **Save**.
3. Go to the **General** tab, and click **Assign/Unassign**. Search for and enable:
 - 1002792 - Default Rules Configuration - This is required for all other Log Inspection rules to work.

If you're a Windows user, enable:

- 1002795 - Microsoft Windows Events - This logs events every time the Windows auditing functionality registers an event.

If you're a Linux user, enable:

- 1002831 - Unix - Syslog - This inspects the syslog for events.
4. Click **OK**, and then click **Save** to apply the rules to the policy.
 5. Attempt to log in to the server with an account that does not exist.
 6. Go to **Events & Reports > Log Inspection Events** to verify the record of the failed login attempt. If the detection is recorded, the Log Inspection module is working correctly.

Configure log inspection event forwarding and storage

When a log inspection rule is triggered, an event is logged. To view these events, go to **Events & Reports > Log Inspection Events** or **Policy editor > Log Inspection > Log Inspection Events**. For more information on working with log inspection events, see ["Log inspection events" on page 1073](#).

Depending on the severity of the event, you can choose to send them to a syslog server (For information on enabling this feature, see ["Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server" on page 897](#).) or to store events in the database by using the severity clipping feature.

There are two "severity clipping" settings available:

- **Send Agent events to syslog when they equal or exceed the following severity level:** This setting determines which events triggered by those rules get sent to the syslog server, if syslog is enabled.
- **Store events at the Agent for later retrieval by Deep Security Manager when they equal or exceed the following severity level:** This setting determines which log inspection events are kept in the database and displayed in the **Log Inspection Events** page.

To configure severity clipping:

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy you want to configure.
3. Click **Log Inspection > Advanced**.
4. For **Send Agent/Appliance events to syslog when they equal or exceed the following severity level**, choose a severity level between **Low (0)** and **Critical (15)**.
5. For **Store events at the Agent/Appliance for later retrieval by DSM when they equal or exceed the following severity level**, choose a severity level between **Low (0)** and **Critical (15)**.
6. Click **Save**.

Define a Log Inspection rule for use in policies

The OSSEC Log Inspection engine is integrated into Deep Security Agents and gives Deep Security the ability to inspect the logs and events generated by the operating system and applications running on the computer. Deep Security Manager ships with a standard set of OSSEC Log Inspection rules that you can assign to computers or policies. You can also create custom rules if there is no existing rule that fits your requirements.

Log Inspection Rules issued by Trend Micro are not editable (although you can duplicate them and then edit them.)

Note: Log Inspection Rules that are assigned to one or more computers or that are part of a policy cannot be deleted.

To create Log Inspection rules, perform these basic steps:

- ["Create a new Log Inspection rule" on the next page](#)
- ["Decoders" on page 772](#)
- ["Subrules" on page 773](#)
- ["Real world examples" on page 781](#)
- ["Log Inspection rule severity levels and their recommended use" on page 789](#)
- ["strftime\(\) conversion specifiers " on page 790](#)
- ["Examine a Log Inspection rule" on page 791](#)

For an overview of the Log Inspection module, see ["Analyze logs with log inspection" on page 764](#).

Create a new Log Inspection rule

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules**.
2. Click **New > New Log Inspection Rule**.
3. On the **General** tab, enter a name and an optional description for the rule.
4. The **Content** tab is where you define the rule. The easiest way to define a rule is to select **Basic Rule** and use the options provided to define the rule. If you need further customization, you can select **Custom (XML)** to switch to an XML view of the rule that you are defining.

Note: Any changes you make in the Custom (XML) view will be lost if you switch back to the Basic Rule view.

For further assistance in writing your own Log Inspection rules using the XML-based language, consult the [OSSEC](#) documentation or contact your support provider.

These options are available for the Basic Rule template:

- **Rule ID:** The Rule ID is a unique identifier for the rule. OSSEC defines 100000 - 109999 as the space for user-defined rules. Deep Security Manager will pre-populate the field with a new unique Rule ID.
- **Level:** Assign a level to the rule. Zero (0) means the rule never logs an event, although other rules that watch for this rule may fire.
- **Groups:** Assign the rule to one or more comma-separated groups. This can be useful when dependency is used because you can create rules that fire on the firing of a rule, or a rule that belongs to a specific group.
- **Rule Description:** Description of the rule.
- **Pattern Matching:** This is the pattern the rule will look for in the logs. The rule will be triggered on a match. Pattern matching supports Regular Expressions or simpler String Patterns. The "String Pattern" pattern type is faster than RegEx but it only supports three special operations:

- **^ (caret)**: specifies the beginning of text
- **\$ (dollar sign)**: specifies the end of text
- **| (pipe)**: to create a "OR" between multiple patterns

For information on the regular expression syntax used by the Log Inspection module, see <https://www.ossec.net/docs/syntax/regex.html>.

- **Dependency**: Setting a dependency on another rule will cause your rule to only log an event if the rule specified in this area has also triggered.
- **Frequency** is the number of times the rule has to match within a specific time frame before the rule is triggered.
- **Time Frame** is the period of time in seconds within which the rule has to trigger a certain number of times (the frequency, above) to log an event.

Note: The **Content** tab only appears for Log Inspection rules that you create yourself. Log Inspection rules issued by Trend Micro have a **Configuration** tab instead that displays the Log Inspection rule's configuration options (if any).

1. On the **Files** tab, type the full path to the file(s) you want your rule to monitor and specify the type of file it is.
2. On the **Options** tab, in the **Alert** section, select whether this rule triggers an alert in the Deep Security Manager.

Alert Minimum Severity sets the minimum severity level that will trigger an Alert for rules made using the Basic Rule or Custom (XML) template.

Note: The Basic Rule template creates one rule at a time. To write multiple rules in a single template you can use the Custom (XML) template. If you create multiple rules with different Levels within a Custom (XML) template, you can use the **Alert Minimum Severity** setting to select the minimum severity that will trigger an Alert for all of the rules in that template.

3. The **Assigned To** tab lists the policies and computers that are using this Log Inspection rule. Because you are creating a new rule, it has not been assigned yet.
4. Click **OK**. The rule is ready to be assigned to policies and computers.

Decoders

A Log Inspection rule consists of a list of files to monitor for changes and a set of conditions to be met for the rule to trigger. When the Log Inspection engine detects a change in a monitored log file, the change is parsed by a decoder. Decoders parse the raw log entry into the following fields:

- **log**: the message section of the event
- **full_log**: the entire event
- **location**: where the log came from
- **hostname**: hostname of the event source
- **program_name**: program name from the syslog header of the event
- **srcip**: the source IP address within the event
- **dstip**: the destination IP address within the event
- **srcport**: the source port number within the event
- **dstport**: the destination port number within the event
- **protocol**: the protocol within the event
- **action**: the action taken within the event
- **srcuser**: the originating user within the event
- **dstuser**: the destination user within the event
- **id**: any ID decoded as the ID from the event
- **status**: the decoded status within the event
- **command**: the command being called within the event
- **url**: the URL within the event
- **data**: any additional data extracted from the event
- **systemname**: the system name within the event

Rules examine this decoded data looking for information that matches the conditions defined in the rule.

If the matches are at a sufficiently high severity level, any of the following actions can be taken:

- An alert can be raised. (Configurable on the **Options** tab of the Log Inspection Rule's **Properties** window.)
- The event can be written to syslog. (Configurable in the **SIEM** area on **Administration > System Settings > Event Forwarding** tab.)

- The event can be sent to the Deep Security Manager. (Configurable in the **Log Inspection Syslog Configuration** setting on the **Policy or Computer Editor > Settings > Event Forwarding** tab.)

Subrules

A single Log Inspection rule can contain multiple subrules. These subrules can be of two types: atomic or composite. An atomic rule evaluates a single event and a composite rule examines multiple events and can evaluate frequency, repetition, and correlation between events.

Groups

Each rule, or grouping of rules, must be defined within a `<group></group>` element. The attribute name must contain the rules you want to be a part of this group. In the following example we have indicated that our group contains the syslog and sshd rules:

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
</group>
```

Note: Notice the trailing comma in the group name. Trailing commas are required if you intend to use the `<if_group></if_group>` tag to conditionally append another sub-rule to this one.

Note: When a set of Log Inspection rules are sent to an agent, the Log Inspection engine on the agent takes the XML data from each assigned rule and assembles it into what becomes essentially a single long Log Inspection rule. Some group definitions are common to all Log Inspection rules written by Trend Micro. For this reason Trend Micro has included a rule called "Default Rules Configuration" which defines these groups and which always gets assigned along with any other Trend Micro rules. (If you select a rule for assignment and haven't also selected the "Default Rules Configuration" rule, a notice will appear informing you that the rule will be assigned automatically.) *If you create your own Log Inspection rule and assign it to a Computer without assigning any Trend Micro-written rules, you must either copy the content of the "Default Rules Configuration" rule into your new rule, or also select the "Default Rules Configuration" rule for assignment to the Computer.*

Rules, ID, and Level

A group can contain as many rules as you require. The rules are defined using the `<rule></rule>` element and must have at least two attributes, the **id** and the **level**. The **id** is a unique identifier for

that signature and the **level** is the severity of the alert. In the following example, we have created two rules, each with a different rule ID and level:

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
  <rule id="100120" level="5">
  </rule>
  <rule id="100121" level="6">
  </rule>
</group>
```

Note: Custom rules must have ID values of 100,000 or greater.

You can define additional subgroups within the parent group using the `<group></group>` tag. This subgroup can reference any of the groups listed in the following table:

Group Type	Group Name	Description
Reconnaissance	connection_attempt web_scan recon	Connection attempt Web scan Generic scan
Authentication Control	authentication_success authentication_failed invalid_login login_denied authentication_failures adduser account_changed	Success Failure Invalid Login Denied Multiple Failures User account added User Account changed or removed
Attack/Misuse	automatic_attack exploit_attempt invalid_access spam multiple_spam sql_injection attack virus	Worm (nontargeted attack) Exploit pattern Invalid access Spam Multiple spam messages SQL injection Generic attack Virus detected
Access Control	access_denied access_allowed unknown_resource firewall_drop multiple_drops client_misconfig client_error	Access denied Access allowed Access to nonexistent resource Firewall drop Multiple firewall drops Client misconfiguration Client error
Network Control	new_host ip_spoof	New computer detected Possible ARP spoofing
System Monitor	service_start system_error system_shutdown	Service start System error Shutdown

Group Type	Group Name	Description
	logs_cleared	Logs cleared
	invalid_request	Invalid request
	promisc	Interface switched to promiscuous mode
	policy_changed	Policy changed
	config_changed	Configuration changed
	low_diskspace	Low disk space
	time_changed	Time changed

Note: If event auto-tagging is enabled, the event will be labeled with the group name. Log Inspection rules provided by Trend Micro make use of a translation table that changes the group to a more user-friendly version. So, for example, "login_denied" would appear as "Login Denied". Custom rules will be listed by their group name as it appears in the rule.

Description

Include a `<description></description>` tag. The description text will appear in the event if the rule is triggered.

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
  <rule id="100120" level="5">
    <group>authentication_success</group>
    <description>SSHD testing authentication success</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100121" level="6">
    <description>SSHD rule testing 2</description>
  </rule>
</group>
```

Decoded As

The `<decoded_as></decoded_as>` tag instructs the Log Inspection engine to only apply the rule if the specified decoder has decoded the log.

```
<rule id="100123" level="5">
  <decoded_as>sshd</decoded_as>
  <description>Logging every decoded sshd message</description>
</rule>
```

Note: To view the available decoders, go to the **Log Inspection Rule** page and click **Decoders**. Right-click on **1002791-Default Log Decoders** and select **Properties**. Go the **Configuration** tab and click **View Decoders**.

Match

To look for a specific string in a log, use the `<match></match>`. Here is a Linux sshd failed password log:

```
Jan 1 12:34:56 linux_server sshd[1231]: Failed password for invalid
user jsmith from 192.168.1.123 port 1799 ssh2
```

Use the `<match></match>` tag to search for the "password failed" string.

```
<rule id="100124" level="5">
  <decoded_as>sshd</decoded_as>
  <match>^Failed password</match>
  <description>Failed SSHD password attempt</description>
</rule>
```

Note: Notice the regex caret ("`^`") indicating the beginning of a string. Although "Failed password" does not appear at the beginning of the log, the Log Inspection decoder will have broken up the log into sections. See ["Decoders" on page 772](#) for more information. One of those sections is "log" which is the message part of the log as opposed to "full_log" which is the log in its entirety.

The following table lists supported regex syntax:

Regex Syntax	Description
<code>\w</code>	A-Z, a-z, 0-9 single letters and numerals
<code>\d</code>	0-9 single numerals
<code>\s</code>	single space
<code>\t</code>	single tab
<code>\p</code>	<code>()*+,-.~;<=>?[]</code>
<code>\W</code>	not <code>\w</code>
<code>\D</code>	not <code>\d</code>
<code>\S</code>	not <code>\s</code>
<code>\.</code>	anything
<code>+</code>	match one or more of any of the above (for example, <code>\w+</code> , <code>\d+</code>)
<code>*</code>	match zero or more of any of the above (for example, <code>\w*</code> , <code>\d*</code>)
<code>^</code>	indicates the beginning of a string (<code>^somestring</code>)
<code>\$</code>	specify the end of a string (<code>somestring\$</code>)
<code> </code>	indicate an "OR" between multiple strings

Conditional Statements

Rule evaluation can be conditional upon other rules having been evaluated as true. The `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag instructs the Log Inspection engine to only evaluate this subrule if the rule identified in the tag has been evaluated as true. The following example shows three rules: 100123, 100124, and 100125. Rules 100124 and 100125 have been modified to be children of the 100123 rule using the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag:

```
<group name="syslog,sshd,">
  <rule id="100123" level="2">
    <decoded_as>sshd</decoded_as>
    <description>Logging every decoded sshd message</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100124" level="7">
    <if_sid>100123</if_sid>
    <match>^Failed password</match>
    <group>authentication_failure</group>
    <description>Failed SSHD password attempt</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100125" level="3">
    <if_sid>100123</if_sid>
    <match>^Accepted password</match>
    <group>authentication_success</group>
    <description>Successful SSHD password attempt</description>
  </rule>
</group>
```

Hierarchy of Evaluation

The `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag essentially creates a hierarchical set of rules. That is, by including an `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag in a rule, the rule becomes a child of the rule referenced by the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag. Before applying any rules to a log, the Log Inspection engine assesses the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tags and builds a hierarchy of parent and child rules.

Note: The hierarchical parent-child structure can be used to improve the efficiency of your rules. If a parent rule does not evaluate as true, the Log Inspection engine will ignore the children of that parent.

Note: Although the `<if_sid></if_sid>` tag can be used to refer to subrules within an entirely different Log Inspection rule, you should avoid doing this because it makes the rule very difficult to review later on.

The list of available atomic rule conditional options is shown in the following table:

Tag	Description	Notes
match	A pattern	Any string to match against the event (log).
regex	A regular expression	Any regular expression to match against the event(log).
decoded_as	A string	Any prematched string.
srcip	A source IP address	Any IP address that is decoded as the source IP address. Use "!" to negate the IP address.
dstip	A destination IP address	Any IP address that is decoded as the destination IP address. Use "!" to negate the IP address.
srcport	A source port number	Any source port (match format).
dstport	A destination port number	Any destination port (match format).
user	A username	Any username that is decoded as a username.
program_name	A program name	Any program name that is decoded from the syslog process name.
hostname	A system hostname	Any hostname that is decoded as a syslog hostname.
time	A time range in the format hh:mm - hh:mm or hh:mm am - hh:mm pm	The time range that the event must fall within for the rule to trigger.
weekday	A weekday (sunday, monday, tuesday, etc.)	Day of the week that the event must fall on for the rule to trigger.
id	An ID	Any ID that is decoded from the event.
url	A URL	Any URL that is decoded from the event.

Use the `<if_sid>100125</if_sid>` tag to make this rule depend on the 100125 rule. This rule will be checked only for sshd messages that already matched the successful login rule.

```
<rule id="100127" level="10">
  <if_sid>100125</if_sid>
  <time>6 pm - 8:30 am</time>
  <description>Login outside business hours.</description>
  <group>policy_violation</group>
</rule>
```

Restrictions on the Size of the Log Entry

The following example takes the previous example and adds the **maxsize** attribute which tells the Log Inspection engine to only evaluate rules that are less than the maxsize number of characters:

```
<rule id="100127" level="10" maxsize="2000">
  <if_sid>100125</if_sid>
  <time>6 pm - 8:30 am</time>
  <description>Login outside business hours.</description>
  <group>policy_violation</group>
</rule>
```

The following table lists possible atomic rule tree-based options:

Tag	Description	Notes
if_sid	A rule ID	Adds this rule as a child rule of the rules that match the specified signature ID.
if_group	A group ID	Adds this rule as a child rule of the rules that match the specified group.
if_level	A rule level	Adds this rule as a child rule of the rules that match the specified severity level.
description	A string	A description of the rule.
info	A string	Extra information about the rule.
cve	A CVE number	Any Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures (CVE) number that you would like associated with the rule.
options	alert_by_email no_email_alert no_log	Additional rule options to indicate if the Alert should generate an e-mail, alert_by_email, should not generate an email, no_email_alert, or should not log anything at all, no_log.

Composite Rules

Atomic rules examine single log entries. To correlate multiple entries, you must use composite rules. Composite rules are supposed to match the current log with those already received. Composite rules require two additional options: the **frequency** option specifies how many times an event or pattern must occur before the rule generates an alert, and the **timeframe** option tells the Log Inspection engine how far back, in seconds, it should look for previous logs. All composite rules have the following structure:

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="x" timeframe="y">
</rule>
```

For example, you could create a composite rule that creates a higher severity alert after five failed passwords within a period of 10 minutes. Using the `<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>` tag you can indicate which rule needs to be seen within the desired frequency and timeframe for your new rule to create an alert. In the following example, the **frequency** attribute is set to trigger when

five instances of the event are seen and the **timeframe** attribute is set to specify the time window as 600 seconds.

The **<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>** tag is used to define which other rule the composite rule will watch:

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="600">
  <if_matched_sid>100124</if_matched_sid>
  <description>5 Failed passwords within 10 minutes</description>
</rule>
```

There are several additional tags that you can use to create more granular composite rules. These rules, as shown in the following table, allow you to specify that certain parts of the event must be the same. This allows you to tune your composite rules and reduce false positives:

Tag	Description
same_source_ip	Specifies that the source IP address must be the same.
same_dest_ip	Specifies that the destination IP address must be the same.
same_dst_port	Specifies that the destination port must be the same.
same_location	Specifies that the location (hostname or agent name) must be the same.
same_user	Specifies that the decoded username must be the same.
same_id	Specifies that the decoded id must be the same.

If you wanted your composite rule to alert on every authentication failure, instead of a specific rule ID, you could replace the **<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>** tag with the **<if_matched_group></if_matched_group>** tag. This allows you to specify a category, such as **authentication_failure**, to search for authentication failures across your entire infrastructure.

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="600">
  <if_matched_group>authentication_failure</if_matched_group>
  <same_source_ip />
  <description>5 Failed passwords within 10 minutes</description>
</rule>
```

In addition to **<if_matched_sid></if_matched_sid>** and **<if_matched_group></if_matched_group>** tags, you can also use the **<if_matched_regex></if_matched_regex>** tag to specify a regular expression to search through logs as they are received.

```
<rule id="100130" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="600">
  <if_matched_regex>^Failed password</if_matched_regex>
  <same_source_ip />
```



```
<description>5 Failed passwords within 10 minutes</description>  
</rule>
```

Real world examples

Deep Security includes many default Log Inspection rules for dozens of common and popular applications. Through Security Updates, new rules are added regularly. In spite of the growing list of applications supported by Log Inspection rules, you may find the need to create a custom rule for an unsupported or custom application.

In this section we will walk through the creation of a custom CMS (content management system) hosted on Microsoft Windows Server with IIS and .Net platform, with a Microsoft SQL Server database as the data repository.

The first step is to identify the following application logging attributes:

1. Where does the application log to?
2. Which Log Inspection decoder can be used to decode the log file?
3. What is the general format of a log file message?

For our custom CMS example the answers are as follows:

1. Windows Event Viewer
2. Windows Event Log (eventlog)
3. Windows Event Log Format with the following core attributes:
 - Source: CMS
 - Category: None
 - Event: <Application Event ID>

The second step is to identify the categories of log events by application feature, and then organize the categories into a hierarchy of cascading groups for inspection. Not all inspected groups need to raise events; a match can be used as a conditional statement. For each group, identify the log format attributes which the rule can use as matching criteria. This can also be performed by inspecting all application logs for patterns and logical groupings of log events.

For example, the CMS application supports the following functional features which we will create Log Inspection rules for:

- CMS Application Log (Source: CMS)
 - Authentication (Event: 100 to 119)
 - User Login successful (Event: 100)
 - User Login unsuccessful (Event: 101)
 - Administrator Login successful (Event: 105)
 - Administrator Login unsuccessful (Event: 106)
 - General Errors (Type: Error)
 - Database error (Event: 200 to 205)
 - Runtime error (Event: 206-249)
 - Application Audit (Type: Information)
 - Content
 - New content added (Event: 450 to 459)
 - Existing content modified (Event: 460 to 469)
 - Existing content deleted (Event: 470 to 479)
 - Administration
 - User
 - New User created (Event: 445 to 446)
 - Existing User deleted (Event: 447 to 449)

This structure will provide you with a good basis for rule creation. Now to create a new Log Inspection rule in Deep Security Manager.

To create the new CMS Log Inspection Rule:

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules** and click **New** to display the **New Log Inspection Rule Properties** window.
2. Give the new rule a name and a description, and then click the **Content** tab.
3. The quickest way to create a new custom rule is to start with a basic rule template. Select the **Basic Rule** radio button.
4. The **Rule ID** field will be automatically populated with an unused ID number of 100,000 or greater, the IDs reserved for custom rules.
5. Set the **Level** setting to **Low (0)**.
6. Give the rule an appropriate Group name. In this case, "cms".

7. Provide a short rule description.

General	Content	Files	Options	Assigned To
Template ☒ Basic Rule ☐ Custom (XML)				
General Information Rule ID: 100000 Level: Low (0) Groups (comma separated): cms Rule Description: windows events for 'cms' group				
Pattern Matching Pattern to Match: Pattern Type: String Pattern				
Dependency ☒ None ☐ Trigger event on the triggering of another rule: ☐ Trigger event on the triggering of any rule belonging to a specific group:				
Composite (optional) Only trigger if this rule matches its dependent rule the specified frequency of times in the specified time frame (in seconds). Frequency (1 to 128): Time Frame (1 to 86400):				
OK Cancel				

8. Now select the **Custom (XML)** option. The options you selected for your "Basic" rule will be converted to XML.

General Content Files Options Assigned To

Template

☐ Basic Rule

☒ Custom (XML)

Content:

```
<group name="cms">
  <rule id="100000" level="0">
    <description>windows events for 'cms' groups</description>
  </rule>
</group>
```

OK Cancel

9. Click the **Files** tab and click the **Add File** button to add any application log files and log types which the rule will be applied to. In this case, "Application", and "eventlog" as the file type.

General Content Files Options Assigned To

Files:

Application eventlog Remove

Add File

OK Cancel

Note: Eventlog is a unique file type in Deep Security because the location and filename of the log files don't have to be specified. Instead, it is sufficient to type the log name as it is displayed in the Windows Event Viewer. Other log names for the eventlog file type

might be "Security", "System", "Internet Explorer", or any other section listed in the Windows Event Viewer. Other file types will require the log file's location and filename. (C/C++ *strftime()* conversion specifiers are available for matching on filenames. See the table below for a list of some of the more useful ones.)

10. Click **OK** to save the basic rule.
11. Working with the basic rule Custom (XML) created, we can begin adding new rules to the group based on the log groupings identified previously. We will set the base rule criteria to the initial rule. In the following example, the CMS base rule has identified Windows Event Logs with a Source attribute of "CMS":

```
<group name="cms">
  <rule id="100000" level="0">
    <category>windows</category>
    <extra_data>^CMS</extra_data>
    <description>Windows events from source 'CMS' group
messages.</description>
  </rule>
```

12. Now we build up subsequent rules from the identified log groups. The following example identifies the authentication and login success and failure and logs by Event IDs.

```
<rule id="100001" level="0">
  <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
  <id>^100|^101|^102|^103|^104|^105|^106|^107|^108|^109|^110</id>
  <group>authentication</group>
  <description>CMS Authentication event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100002" level="0">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>100</id>
  <description>CMS User Login success event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100003" level="4">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>101</id>
  <group>authentication_failure</group>
  <description>CMS User Login failure event.</description>
</rule>
```

```
<rule id="100004" level="0">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>105</id>
  <description>CMS Administrator Login success event.</description>
</rule>
<rule id="100005" level="4">
  <if_group>authentication</if_group>
  <id>106</id>
  <group>authentication_failure</group>
  <description>CMS Administrator Login failure event.</description>
</rule>
```

13. Now we add any composite or correlation rules using the established rules. The following example shows a high severity composite rule that is applied to instances where the repeated login failures have occurred 5 times within a 10 second time period:

```
<rule id="100006" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="10">
  <if_matched_group>authentication_failure</if_matched_group>
  <description>CMS Repeated Authentication Login failure
event.</description>
</rule>
```

14. Review all rules for appropriate severity levels. For example, error logs should have a severity of level 5 or higher. Informational rules would have a lower severity.
15. Finally, open the newly created rule, click the **Configuration** tab and copy your custom rule XML into the rule field. Click **Apply** or **OK** to save the change.

Once the rule is assigned to a policy or computer, the Log Inspection engine should begin inspecting the designated log file immediately.

The complete Custom CMS Log Inspection Rule:

```
<group name="cms">
  <rule id="100000" level="0">
    <category>windows</category>
    <extra_data>^CMS</extra_data>
    <description>Windows events from source 'CMS' group
messages.</description>
  </rule>
  <rule id="100001" level="0">
    <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
    <id>^100|^101|^102|^103|^104|^105|^106|^107|^108|^109|^110</id>
    <group>authentication</group>
```

```

        <description>CMS Authentication event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100002" level="0">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>100</id>
        <description>CMS User Login success event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100003" level="4">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>101</id>
        <group>authentication_failure</group>
        <description>CMS User Login failure event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100004" level="0">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>105</id>
        <description>CMS Administrator Login success event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100005" level="4">
        <if_group>authentication</if_group>
        <id>106</id>
        <group>authentication_failure</group>
        <description>CMS Administrator Login failure event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100006" level="10" frequency="5" timeframe="10">
        <if_matched_group>authentication_failure</if_matched_group>
        <description>CMS Repeated Authentication Login failure
event.</description>
    </rule>

    <rule id="100007" level="5">
        <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
        <status>^ERROR</status>
        <description>CMS General error event.</description>
        <group>cms_error</group>

```

```

</rule>

<rule id="100008" level="10">
  <if_group>cms_error</if_group>
  <id>^200|^201|^202|^203|^204|^205</id>
  <description>CMS Database error event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100009" level="10">
  <if_group>cms_error</if_group>
  <id>^206|^207|^208|^209|^230|^231|^232|^233|^234|^235|^236|^237|^238|^239|^240|^241|^242|^243|^244|^245|^246|^247|^248|^249</id>
  <description>CMS Runtime error event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100010" level="0">
  <if_sid>100000</if_sid>
  <status>^INFORMATION</status>
  <description>CMS General informational event.</description>
  <group>cms_information</group>
</rule>

<rule id="100011" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^450|^451|^452|^453|^454|^455|^456|^457|^458|^459</id>
  <description>CMS New Content added event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100012" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^460|^461|^462|^463|^464|^465|^466|^467|^468|^469</id>
  <description>CMS Existing Content modified event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100013" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^470|^471|^472|^473|^474|^475|^476|^477|^478|^479</id>
  <description>CMS Existing Content deleted event.</description>
</rule>

```



```

<rule id="100014" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^445|^446</id>
  <description>CMS User created event.</description>
</rule>

<rule id="100015" level="5">
  <if_group>cms_information</if_group>
  <id>^447|449</id>
  <description>CMS User deleted event.</description>
</rule>

</group>

```

Log Inspection rule severity levels and their recommended use

Level	Description	Notes
Level 0	Ignored, no action taken	Primarily used to avoid false positives. These rules are scanned before all the others and include events with no security relevance.
Level 1	no predefined use	
Level 2	System low priority notification	System notification or status messages that have no security relevance.
Level 3	Successful or authorized events	Successful login attempts, firewall allow events, etc.
Level 4	System low priority errors	Errors related to bad configurations or unused devices or applications. They have no security relevance and are usually caused by default installations or software testing.
Level 5	User-generated errors	Missed passwords, denied actions, etc. These messages typically have no security relevance.
Level 6	Low relevance attacks	Indicate a worm or a virus that provide no threat to the system such as a Windows worm attacking a Linux server. They also include frequently triggered IDS events and common error events.
Level 7	no predefined use	
Level 8	no predefined use	
Level 9	Error from invalid source	Include attempts to login as an unknown user or from an invalid source. The message might have security relevance especially if repeated. They also include errors regarding the admin or root account.

Level	Description	Notes
Level 10	Multiple user generated errors	Include multiple bad passwords, multiple failed logins, etc. They might indicate an attack, or it might be just that a user forgot his or her credentials.
Level 11	no predefined use	
Level 12	High-importance event	Include error or warning messages from the system, kernel, etc. They might indicate an attack against a specific application.
Level 13	Unusual error (high importance)	Common attack patterns such as a buffer overflow attempt, a larger than normal syslog message, or a larger than normal URL string.
Level 14	High importance security event	Typically the result of the correlation of multiple attack rules and indicative of an attack.
Level 15	Attack Successful	Very small chance of false positive. Immediate attention is necessary.

***strftime()* conversion specifiers**

Specifier	Description
%a	Abbreviated weekday name (e.g., Thu)
%A	Full weekday name (e.g., Thursday)
%b	Abbreviated month name (e.g., Aug)
%B	Full month name (e.g., August)
%c	Date and time representation (e.g., Thu Sep 22 12:23:45 2007)
%d	Day of the month (01 - 31) (e.g., 20)
%H	Hour in 24 h format (00 - 23) (e.g., 13)
%I	Hour in 12 h format (01 - 12) (e.g., 02)
%j	Day of the year (001 - 366) (e.g., 235)
%m	Month as a decimal number (01 - 12) (e.g., 02)
%M	Minute (00 - 59) (e.g., 12)
%p	AM or PM designation (e.g., AM)
%S	Second (00 - 61) (e.g., 55)
%U	Week number with the first Sunday as the first day of week one (00 - 53) (e.g., 52)
%w	Weekday as a decimal number with Sunday as 0 (0 - 6) (e.g., 2)
%W	Week number with the first Monday as the first day of week one (00 - 53) (e.g., 21)
%x	Date representation (e.g., 02/24/79)
%X	Time representation (e.g., 04:12:51)
%y	Year, last two digits (00 - 99) (e.g., 76)
%Y	Year (e.g., 2008)
%Z	Time zone name or abbreviation (e.g., EST)
%%	A % sign (e.g., %)

More information can be found at the following websites:

<https://www.php.net/manual/en/function.strftime.php>

www.cplusplus.com/reference/clibrary/ctime/strftime.html

Examine a Log Inspection rule

Log Inspection rules are found in the Deep Security Manager at **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules**.

Log Inspection rule structure and the event matching process

This screen shot displays the contents of the **Configuration** tab of the Properties window of the "Microsoft Exchange" Log Inspection rule:

General **Configuration** Options Assigned To

Configuration Options

Log Files to monitor:

Add Remove

Type of Log File(s): **syslog**

This rule matches events decoded as: msexchange

3800 - Grouping of Exchange rules

3801 - E-mail RCPT is not valid (invalid account)

3851 - Multiple e-mail attempts to an invalid account

Frequency (1 to 128): 10

Time Frame (1 to 86400): 120 secs

Time to ignore this rule after triggering it once - to avoid excessive logs (1 to 86400): 120 secs

3802 - E-mail 500 error code

3852 - Multiple e-mail 500 error code (spam)

Frequency (1 to 128): 12

Time Frame (1 to 86400): 120 secs

Time to ignore this rule after triggering it once - to avoid excessive logs (1 to 86400): 240 secs

View Rules...

OK Cancel Apply

Here is the structure of the rule:

- 3800 - Grouping of Exchange Rules - Ignore
 - 3801 - Email rcpt is not valid (invalid account) - Medium (4)
 - 3851 - Multiple email attempts to an invalid account - High (9)
 - Frequency - 10
 - Time Frame - 120
 - Ignore - 120
 - 3802 - Email 500 error code - Medium (4)
 - 3852 - Email 500 error code (spam) - High (9)
 - Frequency - 12
 - Time Frame - 120
 - Ignore - 240

The Log Inspection engine will apply log events to this structure and see if a match occurs. For example, if an Exchange event occurs, and this event is an email receipt to an invalid account, the event will match line 3800 (because it is an Exchange event). The event will then be applied to line 3800's sub-rules: 3801 and 3802.

If there is no further match, this "cascade" of matches will stop at 3800. Because 3800 has a severity level of "Ignore", no Log Inspection event would be recorded.

However, an email receipt to an invalid account does match one of 3800's sub-rules: sub-rule 3801. Sub-rule 3801 has a severity level of "Medium(4)". If the matching stopped here, a Log Inspection event with a severity level of "Medium(4)" would be recorded.

But there is still another sub-rule to be applied to the event: sub-rule 3851. Sub-rule 3851 with its three attributes will match if the same event has occurred 10 times within the last 120 seconds. If so, a Log Inspection event with a severity "High(9)" is recorded. (The "Ignore" attribute tells sub-rule 3851 to ignore individual events that match sub-rule 3801 for the next 120 seconds. This is useful for reducing "noise".)

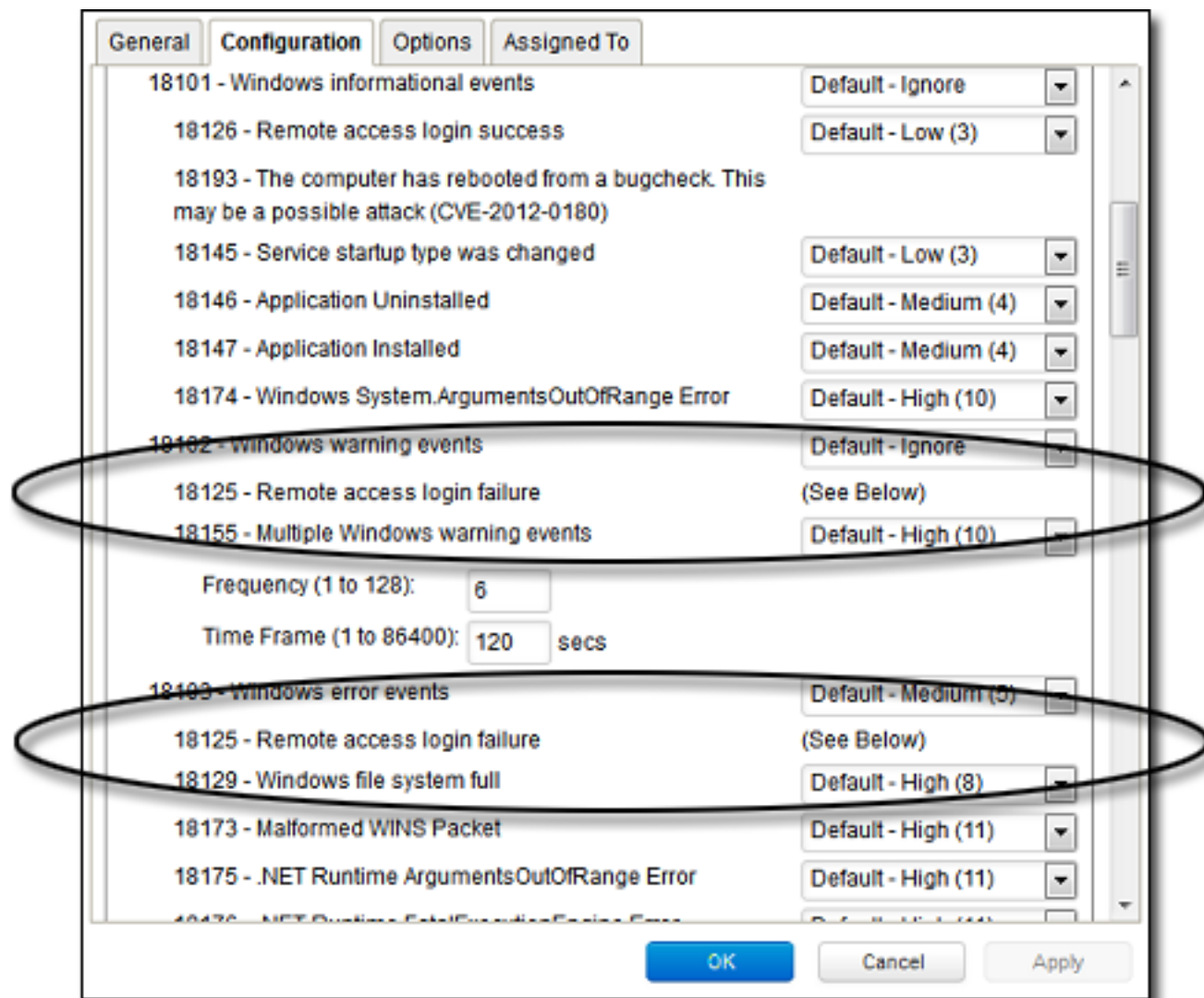
Assuming the parameters of sub-rule 3851 have been matched, a Log Inspection event with Severity "High(9)" is now recorded.

Looking at the Options tab of the Microsoft Exchange Rule, we see that Deep Security Manager will raise an alert if any sub-rules with a severity level of "Medium(4)" have been matched. Since this is the case in our example, the alert will be raised (if "Alert when this rule logs an event" is selected).

Duplicate Sub-rules

Some Log Inspection rules have duplicate sub-rules. To see an example, open the "Microsoft Windows Events" rule and click on the **Configuration** tab. Note that sub-rule 18125 (Remote access login failure) appears under sub-rules 18102 and 18103. Also note that in both cases sub-rule 18125 does not have a severity value, it only says "See Below".

Instead of being listed twice, Rule 18125 is listed once at the bottom of the **Configuration** page:



Block access to malicious URLs with web reputation

Note: For a list of operating systems where web reputation is supported, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

The web reputation module protects against web threats by blocking access to malicious URLs. Deep Security uses Trend Micro's Web security databases from [Smart Protection Network](#) sources to check the reputation of websites that users are attempting to access. The website's reputation is correlated with the specific web reputation policy enforced on the computer. Depending on the [security level](#) being enforced, Deep Security will either block or allow access to the URL.

Note: The web reputation module does not block HTTPS traffic.

To enable and configure web reputation, perform the basic steps below:

1. ["Turn on the web reputation module" below](#)
2. ["Switch between inline and tap mode" below](#)
3. ["Enforce the security level" on the next page](#)
4. ["Create exceptions" on page 797](#)
5. ["Configure the Smart Protection Server" on page 798](#)
6. ["Edit advanced settings" on page 799](#)
7. ["Test Web Reputation" on page 800](#)

To suppress messages that appear to users of agent computers, see ["Configure notifications on the computer" on page 585](#)

Turn on the web reputation module

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy for which you want to enable web reputation.
3. Click **Web Reputation > General**.
4. For **Web Reputation State**, select **On**.
5. Click **Save**.

Switch between inline and tap mode

Web reputation uses the Deep Security Network Engine which can operate in one of two modes:

- **Inline:** Packet streams pass directly through the Deep Security network engine. All rules are applied to the network traffic before they proceed up the protocol stack.
- **Tap mode:** Packet streams are not modified. The traffic is still processed by Web Reputation, if it's enabled. However any issues detected do not result in packet or connection drops. When in Tap mode, Deep Security offers no protection beyond providing a record of events.

In tap mode, the live stream is not modified. All operations are performed on the replicated stream. When in tap mode, Deep Security offers no protection beyond providing a record of events.

To switch between inline and tap mode, open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ and go to **Settings > Advanced > Network Engine Mode**.

For more on the network engine, see ["Test Firewall rules before deploying them" on page 658](#).

Enforce the security level

Web addresses that are known to be or are suspected of being malicious are assigned a **risk level** of:

- **Dangerous:** Verified to be fraudulent or known sources of threats
- **Highly suspicious:** Suspected to be fraudulent or possible sources of threats
- **Suspicious:** Associated with spam or possibly compromised

Security levels determine whether Deep Security will allow or block access to a URL, based on the associated risk level. For example, if you set the security level to low, Deep Security will only block URLs that are known to be web threats. As you set the security level higher, the web threat detection rate improves but the possibility of false positives also increases.

To configure the security level:

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy that you want to edit.
3. Click **Web Reputation > General**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

4. Select one of the following security levels:

- **High:** Blocks pages that are:
 - Dangerous
 - Highly suspicious
 - Suspicious
- **Medium:** Blocks pages that are:
 - Dangerous
 - Highly Suspicious
- **Low:** Blocks pages that are:
 - Dangerous

5. Click **Save**.

Create exceptions

You can override the block and allow behavior dictated by the Smart Protection Network's assessments with your lists of URLs that you want to block or allow.

Note: The **Allowed** list takes precedence over the **Blocked** list. URLs that match entries in the **Allowed** list are not checked against the **Blocked** list.

To create URL exceptions:

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy that you want to edit.
3. Click **Web Reputation > Exceptions**.
4. To allow URLs:
 - a. Go to the **Allowed** section.
 - b. In the blank under **URLs to be added to the Allowed list (one per line)**, enter your desired URL. Multiple URLs can be added at once but they must be separated by a line break.
 - c. Select either:
 - **Allow URLs from the domain:** Allow all pages from the domain. Sub-domains are supported. Only include the domain (and optionally sub-domain) in the entry. For example, "example.com" and "another.example.com" are valid entries.

- **Allow the URL::** The URL as entered will be allowed. Wildcards are supported. For example, "example.com/shopping/coats.html", and "example.com/shopping/*" are valid entries.

d. Click **Add**.

To block URLs:

- a. Go to the **Blocked** section
- b. In the blank under **URLs to be added to the Blocked list (one per line)**, enter your desired URL. Multiple URLs or keywords can be added at once but they must be separated by a line break.
- c. Select either:
 - **Block URLs from the domain:** Block all pages from the domain. Sub-domains are supported. Only include the domain (and optionally sub-domain) in the entry. For example, "example.com" and "another.example.com" are valid entries.
 - **Block the URL:** The URL as entered will be blocked. Wildcards are supported. For example, "example.com/shopping/coats.html", and "example.com/shopping/*" are valid entries.
 - **Block URLs containing this keyword:** Any URL containing the keyword will be blocked.

d. Click **Add**.

5. Click **Save**.

Configure the Smart Protection Server

Smart Protection Service for web reputation supplies web information required by the web reputation module. For more information, see [Smart Protection Network - Global Threat Intelligence](#).

To configure Smart Protection Server:

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy you'd like to edit.
3. Click **Web Reputation > Smart Protection**.
4. Select whether to connect directly to Trend Micro's Smart Protection service:
 - a. Select **Connect directly to Global Smart Protection Service**.
 - b. Optionally select **When accessing Global Smart Protection Service, use proxy**. Select **New** from the drop down menu and enter your desired proxy.

Or to connect to one or more locally installed Smart Protection Servers:

- a. Select **Use locally installed Smart Protection Server (ex: "http://[server]:5274")**.
- b. Enter the Smart Protection Server URL into the field and click **Add**. To find the Smart Protection Server URL, do one of the following:
 - Log in to the Smart Protection Server, and in the main pane, look under **Real Time Status**. The Smart Protection Server's HTTP and HTTPS URLs are listed in the **Web Reputation** row. The HTTPS URL is only supported with 11.0 Deep Security Agents and up. If you have 10.3 or earlier agents, use the HTTP URL.

Or

- If you [deployed the Smart Protection Server in AWS](#), go to the AWS **CloudFormation** service, select the check box next to the Smart Protection Server stack, and in the bottom pane, click the **Outputs** tab. The Smart Protection Server's HTTP and HTTPS URLs appear in the **WRSurl** and **WRSHTTPSurl** fields. The WRSHTTPSurl is only supported with 11.0 Deep Security Agents and up. If you have 10.3 or earlier agents, use the WRSurl URL.
- c. Optionally select **When off domain, connect to global Smart Protection Service. (Windows only)**.

5. Click **Save**.

Smart Protection Server Connection Warning

This option determines whether error events are generated and alerts are raised if a computer loses its connection to the Smart Protection Server. Select either **Yes** or **No** and click **Save**.

Note: If you have a locally installed Smart Protection Server, this option should be set to **Yes** on at least one computer so that you are notified if there is a problem with the Smart Protection Server itself.

Edit advanced settings

Blocking Page

When users attempt to access a blocked URL, they will be redirected to a blocking page. In the blank for **Link**, provide a link that users can use to request access to the blocked URL.

Alert

Decide to raise an alert when a web reputation event is logged by selecting either **Yes** or **No**.

Ports

Select specific ports to monitor for potentially harmful web pages from the drop down list next to **Ports to monitor for potentially harmful web pages**.

Test Web Reputation

Before continuing, test that the Web Reputation is working correctly:

1. Ensure Web Reputation is enabled.
2. Go to the **Computer or Policy editor > Web Reputation > Exceptions**.
3. Under **Blocked**, enter *http://www.speedtest.net* and click **Add**. Click **Save**.
4. Open a browser and attempt to access the website. A message denying the access should appear.
5. Go to **Events & Reports > Web Reputation** to verify the record of the denied web access. If the detection is recorded, the Web Reputation module is working correctly.

Deep Security Best Practice Guide

The Deep Security 12 Best Practice Guide is currently [available in PDF format](#) and includes the following:

- Deployment considerations and recommendations
- Upgrade guidelines and scenarios
- Sizing considerations and recommendations
- Recommended configurations to maximize system performance and reduce administrative overhead
- Best practice tips for VDI, private, and public cloud environments

Maintain

Check your license information

Note: Does not apply to a multi-tenant configuration that inherits licensing from the parent tenant.

Displays details about your Trend Micro Deep Security product licenses. Deep Security consists of six module packages:

- Anti-Malware and Web Reputation
- Firewall and Intrusion Prevention
- Integrity Monitoring
- Log Inspection
- Multi-Tenancy

Each module package can be licensed fully or for a trial basis. You can see an individual package's license status by clicking **View Details**. Contact Trend Micro if you wish to upgrade your license. If Trend Micro has provided you with a new activation code, click **Enter New Activation Code** and enter it there. Newly licensed features are immediately available.

When a license expires, existing functionality persists but updates are no longer delivered.

Alerts are raised if any module is about to expire or has expired.

Licensing for Azure Marketplace

- **Deep Security Manager (BYOL)** is for customers who have already obtained a license to use Deep Security from another source. If you are using this type of license, you need to enter the license string or activation code in Deep Security Manager after it is installed.

Back up and restore your database

If you have a database backup, you can restore your Deep Security deployment if there is a catastrophic failure or if you move Deep Security Manager to another computer.

Back up your database

Consult your database vendor's documentation for instructions on how to back up your database.

Tip: For RDS, follow the instructions provided by AWS for backing up your database to an S3 bucket. For example, see [Amazon RDS for SQL Server - Support for Native Backup/Restore to Amazon S3](#).

Restore the database only

1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service.
2. Restore the database.
This must be a database from the same version number of the Deep Security Manager.
3. Start the Deep Security Manager service.
4. Verify contents restored.
5. Update all of the computers to ensure they have the proper configuration.

Restore both the Deep Security Manager and the database

1. Remove any remnants of the lost or corrupted Deep Security Manager. When uninstalling Deep Security Manager, don't choose to keep configuration files.
2. Restore the database.
3. Find the version of the Deep Security Manager installer that supports your database content and install it. During the installation, in the Database options, select the **Add a new Manager node** option.
4. After installing Deep Security Manager successfully, open the Deep Security Manager console, go to **Administration > Manager Nodes**, and decommission the old offline Manager node.

Export objects in XML or CSV format

- **Events:** Go to one of the Events pages and use the Advanced Search options to filter the event data. For example, you could search for all firewall events for computers in the Computers > Laptops computer group that were logged within the last hour whose reason column contains the word spoofed.

Firewall Events All No Grouping

Search

Period: Last Hour

Computers: In Group: Computers > Laptops

Search: Reason Contains spoofed +

Click the submit button (with the right-facing arrow) to execute the "query". Then click **Export** to export the filtered data in CSV format. You can export all the displayed entries or just selected data. The exporting of logs in this format is primarily for integration with third-party reporting tools.

- **Computer Lists:** Computers lists can be exported in XML or CSV format from the **Computers** page. You might want to do this if you find you are managing too many computers from a single Deep Security Manager and are planning to set up a second Deep Security Manager to manage a collection of computers. Exporting a list of selected computers will save you the trouble of rediscovering all of the computers again and arranging them into groups.

Note: Policy, firewall rule, and intrusion prevention rule settings will *not* be included. You will have to export your firewall rules, intrusion prevention rules, firewall stateful configurations, and policies as well and then reapply them to your computers.

- **Policies:** To export these in XML format, go to **Policies**.

Note: When you export a selected policy to XML, any child policies the policy might have are included in the exported package. The export package contains all of the actual objects associated with the policy except: intrusion prevention rules, log inspection rules, integrity monitoring rules, and application types.

- **Firewall Rules:** Firewall rules can be exported to an XML or CSV file using the same searching and filtering techniques as above.
- **Firewall Stateful Configurations:** Firewall stateful configurations can be exported to an XML or CSV file using the same searching and filtering techniques as above.
- **Intrusion Prevention Rules:** Intrusion prevention rules can be exported to an XML or CSV file using the same searching and filtering techniques as above.

- **Integrity Monitoring Rules:** Integrity monitoring rules can be exported to an XML or CSV file using the same searching and filtering techniques as above.
- **Log Inspection Rules:** Log inspection rules can be exported to an XML or CSV file using the same searching and filtering techniques as above.
- **Other Common Objects :** All the reusable components common objects can be exported to an XML or CSV file the same way.

When exporting to CSV, only displayed column data is included. Use the Columns tool to change which data is displayed. Grouping is ignored so the data might not be in same order as on the screen.

Import objects

To import each of the individual objects into Deep Security, next to **New** in the object page's toolbar, select **Import From File**.

Restart the Deep Security Manager

Linux

To restart the Deep Security Manager, open a CLI and run the following command:

```
sudo systemctl restart dsm_s
```

Windows

To restart the Deep Security Manager, first log in to the Windows instance on which the Deep Security Manager is running and then follow the steps below for the ["Windows desktop" below](#), the ["Command prompt" on the next page](#) or ["PowerShell" on the next page](#):

Windows desktop

1. Open the Windows Task Manager.
2. Click the **Services** tab.
3. Right click the **Trend Micro Deep Security Manager** service, and then click **Restart**.

Command prompt

Open the command prompt (`cmd.exe`) and run the following commands:

1. `net stop "Trend Micro Deep Security Manager"`
2. `net start "Trend Micro Deep Security Manager"`

PowerShell

Open PowerShell and run the following commands:

1. `Stop-Service 'Trend Micro Deep Security Manager'`
2. `Start-Service 'Trend Micro Deep Security Manager'`

Upgrade Deep Security

About upgrades

To ensure maximum protection, upgrade your software, security rules and malware patterns when updates are available. Upgrade types include:

- **Software upgrades:** A package of new software such as the Deep Security Manager, Agent and Relay. See ["Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace" on page 813](#) and ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#), and ["Upgrade the Deep Security Relay" on page 807](#).
- **Security update:** An update to the security rules and malware patterns that Deep Security uses to identify potential threats. See ["Get and distribute security updates" on page 816](#).

Relays distribute both software updates and security updates to your agents. Software updates (but not security updates) can alternatively be [distributed by a local mirror web server](#).

Warning: All Deep Security Relays must be upgraded before upgrading the Deep Security Agent. If you do not upgrade your relays first, security component upgrades and software upgrades may fail. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Relay" on page 807](#) for details.

In this topic:

- ["How agents validate the integrity of updates" below](#)
- ["How Deep Security Manager checks for software upgrades" below](#)

How agents validate the integrity of updates

All security updates are verified for integrity by Deep Security using methods that include digital signatures and checksums (hashes) as well as other, non-disclosed methods. Software updates are digitally signed.

Agent Amazon ▼ Show All Versions

Software	Release Type	Build	Release Date	File Size	Download
1  Deep Security Agent 10.0.0-2775 for amzn1-x86_64	Update: 10.0_U9	10.0.0-2775	2018-04-04	64 MB	
2 Filename: Agent-amzn1-10.0.0-2775.x86_64.zip SHA256: ae057659377494c3275a87ef49332e10ab86c2ad2daf6538d73f268d4dba993b MD5: 38467af6e4aa681b00a279cd1e02b1ab Release Notes					

If you want to manually validate signatures or the checksums available on the [Download Center](#), you can also use a tool such as:

- sha256sum (Linux)
- Checksum Calculator (Windows)
- jarsigner (Java Development Kit (JDK))

For example, you could enter this command to verify a download's signature:

```
jarsigner -verify <filename>.zip
```

How Deep Security Manager checks for software upgrades

Deep Security Manager periodically connects to Trend Micro update servers to check for updates to software that you have [imported into the Deep Security Manager database](#), such as:

- Deep Security Agent
- Deep Security Manager

The check is made against the local inventory, not against what is available on the Download Center. (There is a separate alert for new software on the Download Center.)

Note: Deep Security will only inform you of **minor** version updates-not major-of software. For example, if you have agent version **9.6.100**, and Trend Micro releases agent version **9.6.200**, an alert will tell you that software updates are available. However, if Trend Micro then releases agent version **10.0.xxx** (a major version difference) and you don't have any **10.0** agents in the database, no alert will appear (even though **10.0** is newer than **9.6.100**).

An alert on the manager will notify you that software updates are available. The "Trend Micro Download Center" section on **Administration > Updates > Software** also indicates whether there are updates available. Once you import (download) software into the Deep Security Manager database, you can upgrade the software in your deployment. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on the next page](#).

Tip: To see *all* software packages that are available for download (even if you haven't imported it before), go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Download Center**.

To determine when the last check was performed, whether it was successful, or to manually initiate a check for updates, go to **Administration > Updates > Software** and view the "Deep Security" section. If you have configured a scheduled task to check for updates, the date and time of the next scheduled check is also listed here. See ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#)

When imported, software is stored in the Deep Security Manager database. Imported software is periodically replicated to relay-enabled agents.

Upgrade the Deep Security Relay

Upgrading the Deep Security Relay is identical to [upgrading the Deep Security Agent](#) because the two pieces of software are the same.

Warning: All Deep Security Relays must be upgraded before upgrading the Deep Security Agent. If you do not upgrade your relays first, security component upgrades and software upgrades may fail.

Follow these instructions to upgrade a relay:

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager.
 2. Identify your relays using one of these methods:
 - Go to **Computers** . In the main pane, look for computers with the relay icon (). These are your relays. If the relay icon is shown next to your Deep Security Manager computer, it is because a relay is installed on Deep Security Manager and this relay can be updated.
- OR
- Go to **Administration**. On the left, click **Updates > Relay Management**. In the main pane, expand a **Relay Group**. Your relays are displayed with the relay icon (.
3. Double-click a relay. A dialog box appears showing the details of the relay computer.
 4. Click the **Actions** tab.
 5. Click **Upgrade Agent**. A wizard appears. For details on how to proceed through the wizard, see the explanations of the wizard pages in ["Initiate an agent upgrade" on the next page](#). Your relay is upgraded.
 6. Upgrade all your relays before starting your agent upgrades.

Upgrade the Deep Security Agent

Software upgrades can be initiated through Deep Security Manager, manually, or a third-party deployment system.

Tip: If your environment includes Deep Security Agents installed on Linux computers, you can choose to automatically upgrade those agents to the latest software version that's compatible with your Deep Security Manager when the agent is activated or reactivated. For details, see ["Automatically upgrade agents on activation" on page 270](#).

Warning: All Deep Security Relays must be upgraded before upgrading the Deep Security Agent. If you do not upgrade your relays first, security component upgrades and software upgrades may fail. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Relay" on the previous page](#) for details.

Warning: Before upgrading the Deep Security Agent on a Linux platform, confirm the OS kernel is supported by the latest version of the agent. See ["Deep Security Agent Linux kernel support" on page 197](#)

In this topic:

- ["Upgrade the agent starting from an alert" below](#)
- ["Initiate an agent upgrade" below](#)
- ["Manually upgrade the agent" on the next page](#)

Upgrade the agent starting from an alert

When a new agent software version is available, a message appears on **Alerts**.



1. In the alert, click **Show Details** and then click **View all out-of-date computers**. **Computers** opens with all computers showing a **Software Update Status** of **Out-of-Date**.
2. Continue with ["Initiate an agent upgrade" below](#) or ["Manually upgrade the agent" on the next page](#).

Initiate an agent upgrade

Tip: Upgrade when the server is less busy.

Warning: On Solaris 11 computers, the `trendmicro` publisher may have been left set as a result of previous upgrades. To avoid the upgrade failing, run the following command before upgrading agents on Solaris 11:

```
pkg unset-publisher trendmicro  
rm -rf /var/opt/ds_agent/ips_repo
```

On **Administration > Updates > Software**, the "Computers" section indicates whether any computers are running agents for which upgrades are available. The check is only performed against software that has been imported into Deep Security, not against software available from the Download Center. If any computers are out of date, either:

- To upgrade all out-of-date computers, click **Upgrade Agent / Appliance Software**.
- To upgrade a specific agent computer:
 - a. Go to **Computers**, select the computers that you want to upgrade, and click **Actions > Upgrade Agent Software**.

Warning: You must upgrade your relays before your agents to prevent failures.

[Learn more](#). To identify a relay, look for the relay icon ().

- b. In the dialog box that appears, select the **Agent Version**. We recommend that you select the default **Use the latest version for platform (X.Y.Z.NNNN)**. Click **Next**.

Note: An upgrade on Solaris may take five minutes or longer to complete in some cases.

Manually upgrade the agent

Sometimes you may not be able to upgrade the agent software from the Deep Security Manager because of connectivity restrictions, or you may prefer to deploy upgrades using a third-party system. If so, you can upgrade the agent software using an installer that you have copied to the computer.

Download the new agent software either from the [Download Center](#), or by exporting it from the Deep Security Manager (see "[Get Deep Security Agent software](#)" on page 251). Then run the installer. Method varies by operating system.

Warning: You must upgrade your relays before your agents to prevent failures. [Learn more](#). To identify a relay, look for the relay icon ().

Manually upgrade the agent on Windows

1. Disable agent self-protection. To do this, on the Deep Security Manager, go to **Computer editor**¹ > **Settings** > **General**. In **Agent Self Protection**, and then either deselect **Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent** or enter a password for local override.
2. Copy the agent installer to the computer.
3. Run the agent installer. It will detect the previous agent and perform the upgrade.

Manually upgrade the agent on Linux

1. Copy the agent installer to the computer.
2. Run the following command:

```
rpm -U <new agent installer rpm>
```

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

(The "-U" argument instructs the installer to perform an upgrade.)

Manually upgrade the agent on Solaris

Warning: On Solaris 11, if you are upgrading from Deep Security Agent 9.0, you must first upgrade to Deep Security Agent 9.0.0-5616 or a later 9.0 agent, and from there, upgrade to Deep Security Agent 11.0. If you upgrade from an earlier build, the agent may fail to start. If this problem occurs, see ["Fix the upgrade issue on Solaris 11" on page 1218](#).

Due to the critical nature of workloads running on many Solaris servers, we recommend that you follow these best practices when upgrading:

- Test the upgrade procedure first in a staging environment before upgrading production servers.
- When upgrading production servers, upgrade one server at a time for the first few servers. Allow a soak period in between each server upgrade.
- After individually upgrading a number of production servers for a given Solaris version and Application Role (for example, Reverse Proxy, Web Server, Middleware, and so on), upgrade the remaining servers of that version and Application Role in groups.

To manually upgrade the agent on Solaris:

- Solaris 11, one zone (run in the global zone):

```
x86: pkg update -g file:///mnt/Agent-Solaris_5.11-9.x.x-xxxx.x86_64/Agent-Core-Solaris_5.11-9.x.x-xxxx.x86_64.p5p pkg:/security/ds-agent
```

```
SPARC: pkg update -g file:///mnt/Agent-Solaris_5.11-9.x.x-xxxx.x86_64/Agent-Solaris_5.11-9.x.x-xxxx.sparc.p5p pkg:/security/ds-agent
```

- Solaris 11, multiple zones (run in the global zone):

```
pkg unset-publisher trendmicro
```

```
rm -rf <path>
```

```
mkdir <path>
```

```
pkgrepo create <path>
```

```
pkgrecv -s file://<dsa core p5p file location> -d <path> '*'
```

```
pkg set-publisher -g <path> trendmicro
```

```
pkg update pkg://trendmicro/security/ds-agent
```

```
pkg unset-publisher trendmicro
```

```
rm -rf <path>
```

- **Solaris 10:** Create an installation configuration file named `ds_adm.file` with the following content, and then save it in the root directory. Next, run this command to install the package:

```
pkgadd -G -v -a /root/ds_adm.file -d Agent-Core-Solaris_5.10_U7-10.0.0-1783.x86_64.pkg
```

Content of `ds_adm.file`

```
mail=
```

```
instance=overwrite
```

```
partial=nocheck
```

```
runlevel=quit
```

```
idepend=nocheck
```

```
rdepend=quit
```

```
space=quit
```

```
setuid=nocheck
```

```
conflict=quit
```

```
action=nocheck
```

```
proxy=
```

```
basedir=default
```

Manually upgrade the agent on AIX

Due to the critical nature of workloads running on many AIX servers, we recommend that you follow these best practices when upgrading:

- Test the upgrade procedure first in a staging environment before upgrading production servers.
- When upgrading production servers, upgrade one server at a time for the first few servers. Allow a soak period in between each server upgrade.

- After individually upgrading a number of production servers for a given AIX version and Application Role (for example, Reverse Proxy, Web Server, Middleware, and so on), upgrade the remaining servers of that version and Application Role in groups.

To manually upgrade the agent on AIX:

1. Copy the latest AIX agent installer file (BFF file) to a temporary folder such as `/tmp` on the AIX computer. For detailed instructions, see ["Install an AIX agent" on page 260](#).
2. Upgrade the agent. Use these commands:

```
/tmp> rm -f ./ .toc
```

```
/tmp> installp -a -d /tmp/<agent_BFF_file_name> ds_agent
```

where `<agent_BFF_file_name>` is replaced with the name of the BFF installer file you extracted.

Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace

To determine which version of Deep Security Manager you have, go to **Support > About**. The version number of the currently available version is listed on the description page for the Deep Security Manager in Azure Marketplace. Compare these two numbers to determine if you need to upgrade.

Each node must have the same version of Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace. If you are planning on adding a new node, the version of the new node must match the version used by the existing nodes. This might mean that you have to upgrade the version on the existing nodes to make sure they match the new node.

Will my virtual machines still be protected during the upgrade?

Your virtual machines will still continue to be protected throughout the entire upgrade process. There will be a brief outage for the Deep Security Manager nodes when they are upgraded but all existing Deep Security Agents will continue to function normally during this period. New agents cannot be activated until the Deep Security Manager services have been restored.

Before you begin

Before you upgrade to the latest version of Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace, ensure that you have the following information about your current version:

- Resource group name
- Database credentials: hostname, name, admin name, and admin password
- License type: You can view this by going to **Administration > Licenses** in the Deep Security Manager console.

Upgrade to the latest version

1. Log in to your Azure portal, go to the resource group that contains your Deep Security Manager, click the Deep Security virtual machine and click **Stop**.
2. Go back to the resource group that contains your Deep Security Manager, click the value in **Public IP address**, click **Dissociate**, and then click **Delete**.

This step ensure that the DNS name will stay the same after the upgrade and this is recommended to ensure that the agents keep functioning properly.

3. Click the **Marketplace** blade in the Azure portal, click the **Security + Identity** blade, and then search for Deep Security Manager.
4. Click the version of Deep Security you want to use from the search results and click **Create**.

Note: License types cannot be mixed so make sure you select the same license type that you are currently using.

5. Follow the steps of the Create Deep Security Manager journey to create a Deep Security virtual machine.
 - a. Specify the name of the Deep Security Manager VM and configure other general settings on the Basics blade and then click **OK**.
 - The credentials you specify in this blade are what you will use to log on to the Deep Security Manager virtual machine.
 - Depending on the type of authentication you select, you have to enter a strong password or an SSH public key.
 - Enter a name into **Resource Group** to create a new resource group or click **Select existing** to use an empty resource group that you are using for your current version.

Note: Azure does not allow VMs to be deployed into existing resource groups if it contains other resources. Either a new resource group must be created or the existing resource group must be empty.

- Select an Azure region from the **Location** list. Make sure you select the same location when setting up multiple nodes.
- b. Select a virtual machine size, configure the Deep Security Manager URL and ports on the Deep Security Manager VM blade, and then click **OK**.
 - Enter the DNS name you dissociated in step 2 in **Deep Security Manager URL** and the port for logging into Deep Security Manager.
- c. Click **Use Existing** on the Database Settings blade and enter the credentials you recorded in the Before you begin section above and then click **OK**.
- d. Enter the name of the administrator account you currently use to sign in to Deep Security Manager on the Deep Security Credentials blade and enter and confirm the password for that account and click **OK**.

Note: You have to provide the current credentials for the Deep Security Manager here and log into the new Deep Security Manager with these original credentials. Any new credentials will be ignored.

- e. Click the arrows to review the settings for the new virtual network and the subnet for the Deep Security Manager VM on the Network Settings blade and click **OK** twice.
- f. Review the information on the Summary blade and click **OK** when Validation passed appears at the top of the summary to finish creating the virtual machine.

 Validation passed

- g. Click **Terms of use**, **privacy policy**, and **Azure Marketplace Terms** on the Buy blade to review them and then click **Create**.

It will take several minutes before your new virtual machine is running.

6. When installation has completed, open a browser and go to the following address: `https://[DNS_name]:8443`
 - The DNS name is the name you specified on the Deep Security Manager blade. You can view the DNS name for your Deep Security virtual machine by clicking the value in **Public IP address/DNS name label** in the **Settings** blade.

7. Verify that the upgrade was successful by checking the version number **Support > About** in Deep Security Manager and confirming that the older Deep Security Manager node is now offline (**Administration > Manager Nodes**).
8. After confirming that the upgrade was successful, remove the resources that belonged to the older node by purging them. These resources include the following:
 - Virtual machine
 - Network interface
 - Network security group
 - Virtual network

Error: The installer could not establish a secure connection to the database server

When installing or upgrading Deep Security Manager, the following error message can occur if you are using Microsoft SQL Server as your Deep Security database:

The installer could not establish a secure connection to the database server. Please upgrade or configure your database server to support TLS 1.2 encryption.

The error message appears if the `java.security` file on the Deep Security Manager includes `TLSv1` and `TLSv1.1` in the `jdk.tls.disabledAlgorithms=` setting, which disables early TLS and only allows TLS 1.2. (The `java.security` file is set this way if you are doing a fresh install of Deep Security Manager 11.1 or higher, where only TLS 1.2 is allowed, or if you are upgrading and previously [enforced TLS 1.2](#).) During the upgrade or installation, the database drivers on the manager try to communicate with the SQL Server using TLS 1.2, and if your SQL Server version does not support TLS 1.2, you'll see this error.

To solve the problem, you must upgrade your SQL Server database to a version that supports TLS 1.2 and then retry the Deep Security Manager installation or upgrade. For a list of SQL Server versions that support TLS 1.2, see [this Microsoft article](#).

Get and distribute security updates

You must keep your Deep Security deployment up to date with the security updates that Deep Security uses to identify potential threats. Security updates for Deep Security Agent 12.0 and later are digitally signed to prove that they came from Trend Micro and to ensure that they were not tampered with in transit to the agent.

There are two types of security updates:

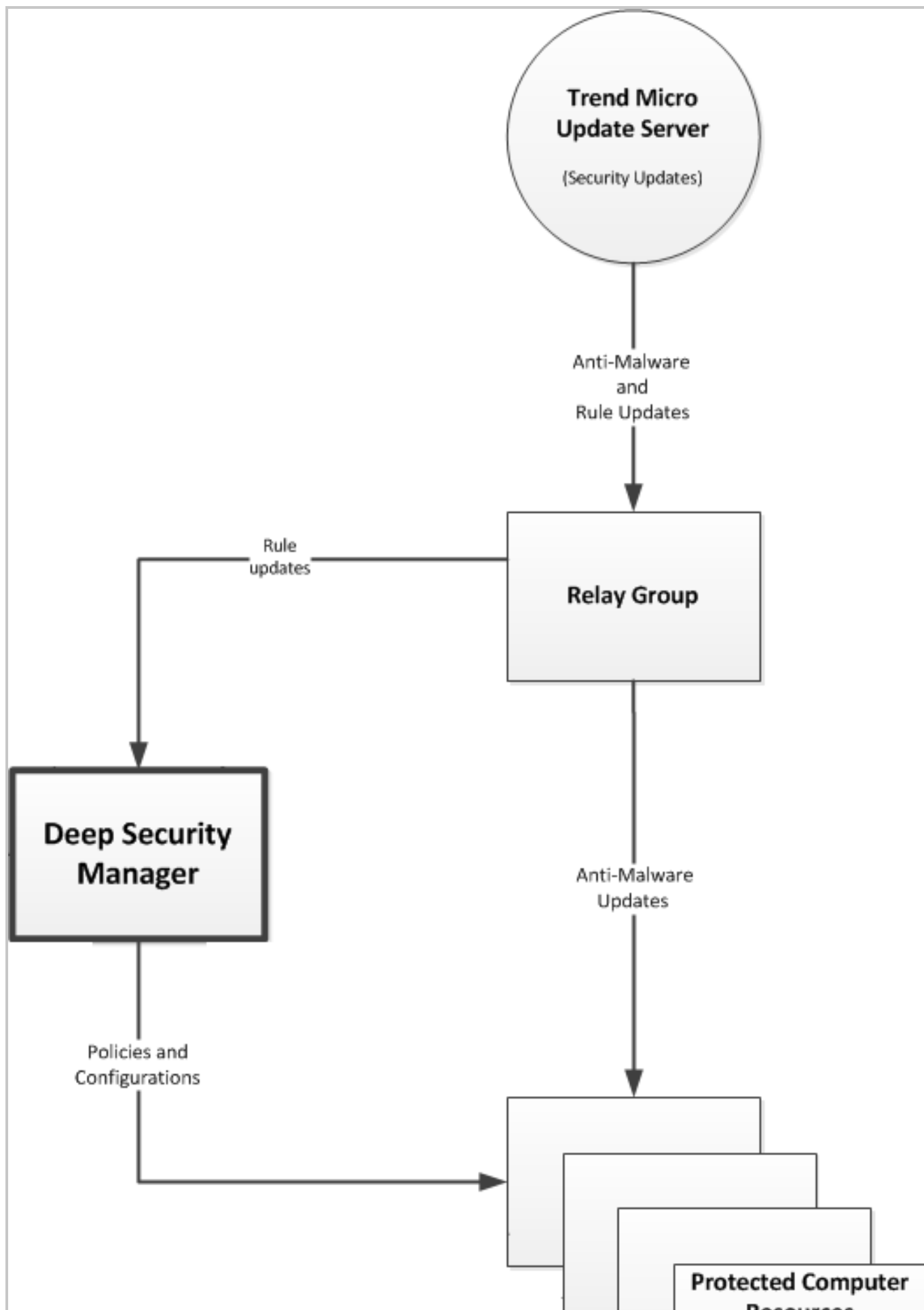
- **Pattern Updates** are used by the anti-malware module.
- **Rule Updates** are used by these modules:
 - Firewall
 - Intrusion Prevention
 - Integrity Monitoring
 - Log Inspection Security

Trend Micro releases new rule updates every Tuesday, with additional updates as new threats are discovered. You can get information about the latest updates from the Trend Micro [Threat Encyclopedia](#).

To configure security updates, you will need to:

1. ["Configure a security update source and settings" on page 819](#)
2. ["Configure Anti-Malware Engine Update" on page 820](#)
3. Organize your relay-enabled agents into relay groups, assign relay groups to your agents and appliances, and configure relay settings for security and software updates. (See ["Distribute security and software updates with relays" on page 308](#).)
4. ["Perform security updates" on page 820](#)
5. ["Special case: configure updates on a relay-enabled agent in an air-gapped environment" on page 821](#)

At any time, you can ["Check your security update status" on page 821](#).



Note: Alerts are raised if a rule update has been downloaded from Trend Micro and available for more than thirty minutes but computers have yet to be updated.

Note: Alerts are raised if a pattern update has been downloaded from Trend Micro and available for more than an hour but computers have yet to be updated.

Configure a security update source and settings

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Updates**.
2. Set your **Primary Security Update Source**. By default this will be the **Trend Micro Update Server** accessed over the internet. Unless your support provider has told you to do otherwise, leave the setting as is. If you were given an alternative source for updates, enter the URL, including "http://" or "https://" in the **Other update source** box.
3. Set your pattern updates under **Secondary Source**. Normally, agents connect to a relay-enabled agent to get security updates. But if you have agents installed on roaming computers that are not always in contact with a Deep Security Manager or relay, you can select **Allow Agents/Appliances to download security updates directly from Primary Security Update Source if Relays are not accessible** to allow agents to use the update source specified in the previous step when their relay group is not available.
4. Normally, the Deep Security Manager instructs agents or appliances to download pattern updates. When **Allow Agents/Appliances to download security updates when Deep Security Manager is not accessible** is selected, even though an agent cannot communicate with the Deep Security Manager, it will continue to download updates from its configured source.

Tip: You may want to deselect this option on computers where you do not want to risk a potentially problematic security update when the computer is not in contact with a manager and therefore possibly far away from any support services.

5. Trend Micro will occasionally issue an update to an existing Deep Security rule. The **Automatically apply Rule Updates to Policies** setting determines whether updated rules will automatically be applied to Deep Security policies. If this option is not selected, you will have to manually apply downloaded rule updates to policies from the **Administration > Updates > Security** page by clicking on the **Apply Rules to Policies** button.

Tip: Updates to existing rules are either improvements to the efficiency of the rule or bug fixes. So although it's a good idea to test new rules (either in detect-only mode or in a

test environment) before deploying them to a production environment, automatically applying updates to existing rules is usually a safe option.

Note: By default, changes to policies are automatically applied to computers. You can change this behavior by opening a **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > **Settings** > **General** window and changing the **Automatically send Policy changes to computers** setting in the **Send Policy Changes Immediately** area.

6. You can configure amount of time that can pass between an instruction to perform a security update being sent and the instruction being carried out before an alert is raised. Click **Administration** > **System Settings** > **Alerts** and change the value for **Length of time an Update can be pending before raising an Alert**.

Configure Anti-Malware Engine Update

You can choose to automatically update the Anti-Malware engine separately from the Deep Security Agent for more secure protection. By default, this setting is turned off and appears as N/A in the **Is Latest** section on **Computer Details** > **Updates** > **Advanced Threat Scan Engine**.

To turn the Anti-Malware engine update on:

1. Go to **Computers or Policies** and double-click the computer or policy you want to update.
2. Go to **Settings** > **Engine Update**. Next to **Automatically update anti-malware engine**, select **Yes** from the drop-down menu.

Note: Relays always receive the latest Anti-Malware engine updates in order to keep the relay's local protection and engine update source for the same relay group up-to-date. Therefore, you cannot enable or disable engine updates directly on a relay.

Perform security updates

The recommended way to check for security updates is to set up a "Check for Security Updates" scheduled task that performs a check on a regular basis. For details, see ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#)

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

You can also manually initiate security updates:

- To perform security updates on specific agents, go to **Computers**, select the agent, then right-click and select **Actions > Download Security Update**.

Special case: configure updates on a relay-enabled agent in an air-gapped environment

In a typical environment, at least one relay-enabled agent is configured and able to download updates from the Trend Micro Update Server and the rest of the agents and appliances connect to that relay-enabled agent for update distribution. However, if your relay-enabled agent cannot connect to the Update Server over the Internet, you'll need to set up a relay in your [demilitarized zone \(DMZ\)](#) that can obtain the security updates, which you can then copy to your air-gapped relays. For details, see "[Configure agents that have no internet access](#)" on page 286.

Check your security update status

The Security Updates Overview page (**Administration > Updates > Security**) displays the state of your security updates:

- **Trend Micro Update Server:** Indicates whether relays can connect to the Trend Micro Update Server to check for the latest security updates.
- **Deep Security:** Indicates when the last successful check and download were performed, and when the next schedule check will be performed.

Tip: **All Relays are in sync** indicates that all relays are distributing the latest successfully downloaded pattern updates. Relays that are out of sync are usually in that state because they cannot communicate with Trend Update Servers. This could be because they are intentionally "air-gapped" and need to be manually updated or because of network connectivity problems. If any relays are out of sync, a link to those relays will be provided.

- **Computers:** Indicates whether any computers are out of date *with respect to the Pattern Updates being stored in the Relays*. You can click **Send Patterns to Computers** to instruct all computers to retrieve the latest pattern updates from their assigned relays.

See details about pattern updates

The **Administration > Updates > Security > Patterns** page displays a list of the components that make up a pattern update. This page is displayed only when Deep Security has an active relay.

- **Component:** The type of update component.
- **Product Name:** The Deep Security product this component is intended for.
- **Platform:** The operating system for which the update is intended.
- **Current Version:** The version of the component within the Update currently downloaded from Trend Micro to Deep Security and being distributed by the relays and the Deep Security Manager.
- **Last Updated:** When the currently downloaded security update was retrieved from Trend Micro.

Tip: You can find the version numbers of the security update components in effect on a specific computer on **Computer Editor > Updates**.

See details about rule updates

The **Administration > Updates > Security > Rules** page displays a list of the most recent Intrusion Prevention, Integrity Monitoring, and Log Inspection Rules that have been downloaded to the Deep Security Manager database.

From this page, you can:

- **View details about a rule update:** Select a rule update and click **View** to see details, including a list of the specific rules included in the update.
- **Roll back a rule update:** If a recent rule update has caused problems in your environment, you may want to roll back to a previous rule update. If you roll back to a previous update, all policies affected by the rollback will be immediately updated on *all computers using those policies*. Select the rule update that you want to roll back to and click **Rollback**. Deep Security Manager generates a summary of changes that will take place so that you can confirm the changes before finalizing the rollback.
- **Reapply the current rule set:**  indicates that a rule update has been applied. To reapply that rule update to computers being protected by Deep Security, right-click the rule update and click **Reapply**.
- **Import a rule update:** Rule updates are automatically imported into Deep Security during the "Check for Security Updates" scheduled task, or when you click **Check for Updates and Download** on the **Administration > Updates > Security** page. The only time you might have to manually import a rule update is if your installation has no connectivity to the Trend Micro Update Servers or if you are asked to do so by your support provider.

- **Export a rule update:** Under normal circumstances you should not have to export a rule update unless asked to do so by your support provider.
- **Delete a rule update:** Click **Delete** to remove the selected rule update from the Deep Security Manager database.

Tip: You can configure the number of rule updates that are kept in the Deep Security Manager database by going to the **Administration > System Settings > Storage** tab.

Tip: If the relay functionality is enabled for a computer, the **Computer editor > Security Updates** page displays the components that the relay is currently distributing to the agents and appliances that rely on it for security updates. If the anti-malware module is enabled for a computer, the security updates page also displays the set of patterns that are in effect locally on this computer. From this page, you can also download or roll back security updates.

Use a web server to distribute software updates

Deep Security software updates are normally hosted and distributed by relays. However, if you already have a web server, you can provide software updates via the web server instead of a relay. To do this, you must mirror the software repository of the relay on your web server.

Note: Although Deep Security Agents can download their *software* updates from the web server, at least one relay is still required to distribute *security* package updates such as anti-malware and IPS signatures (see "[Get and distribute security updates](#)" on page 816).

Note: Even though you are using your own web servers to distribute software, you must still go to **Administration > Updates > Software** and import software into the Deep Security Manager's database. Then you must ensure that your software web server contains the same software that has been imported into Deep Security Manager. Otherwise the alerts and other indicators that tell you about available updates will not function properly.

Web server requirements

Disk Space: 20 GB

Ports: [Web server port](#), [relay port](#)

Copy the folder structure

Mirror the folder structure of the software repository folder on a relay-enabled agent. Methods vary by platform and network. For example, you could use `rsync` over SSH for a Linux computer and network that allows SSH.

On Windows, the default location for the relay-enabled agent's software repository folder is:

```
C:\ProgramData\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\relay\www\dsa\
```

On Linux, the default location for the Relay's software repository folder is:

```
/var/opt/ds_agent/relay/www/dsa/
```

The structure of the folder is like this:

```
|-- dsa
|   |-- <Platform>.<Architecture>
|       |-- <Filename>
|       |-- <Filename>
|       |-- ...
|
|   |-- <Platform>.<Architecture>
|       |-- <Filename>
|       |-- <Filename>
|       |-- ...
```

For example:

```
|-- dsa
|   |-- CentOS_<version>.x86_64
|       |-- Feature-AM-CentOS_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|       |-- Feature-DPI-CentOS_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|       |-- Feature-FW-CentOS_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|       |-- Feature-IM-CentOS_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|       |-- ...
|
|   |-- RedHat_EL6.x86_64
|       |-- Agent-Core-RedHat_<version>.x86_64.rpm
```

```

|           |-- Feature-AM-RedHat_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Feature-DPI-RedHat_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Feature-FW-RedHat_<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- ...
|           |-- Plugin-Filter_2_6_32_131_0_15_el6_x86_64-RedHat_
<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Plugin-Filter_2_6_32_131_12_1_el6_x86_64-RedHat_
<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- ...
|
|       |-- Windows.x86_64
|           |-- Agent-Core-Windows-<version>.x86_64.msi
|           |-- Agent-Core-Windows-<version>.x86_64.msi
|           |-- Feature-AM-Windows-<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Feature-AM-Windows-<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Feature-DPI-Windows-<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Feature-DPI-Windows-<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- ...
|           |-- Plugin-Filter-Windows-<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- Plugin-Filter-Windows-<version>.x86_64.dsp
|           |-- ...

```

The example above shows only a few files and folders. Inside a complete `dsa` folder, there are more. If you need to save disk space or bandwidth, you don't need to mirror all of them. You're only required to mirror the files that apply to your computers' platforms.

Configure agents to use the new software repository

When the mirror on the web server is complete, configure Deep Security Agents to get their software updates from your web server.

1. On Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Updates**.
2. In the Software Updates section, enter the URL(s) of the mirror folder(s) on your web server (s).
3. Click **Save**.

Note: Verify that connectivity between agents and your web server is reliable. If the connection is blocked, agents will instead use the relay.

Disable emails for New Pattern Update alerts

The "New Pattern Update is Downloaded and Available" alert is raised when a security update has not been applied to an agent one hour after Deep Security Manager has downloaded it. The one-hour time span is not configurable. The alert is sent via email when the alert is raised by default.

If you are receiving too many of these email alerts because one hour is not long enough to disperse the updates, you can disable email notifications for this alert. Instead, you can receive email messages for the "Computer Not Receiving Updates" alert for which you can configure the time that passes before the alert is raised.

1. To ensure that Deep Security Manager is configured to automatically download security updates, in Deep Security Manager, click **Administration > Scheduled Tasks**.
2. If there is no scheduled task of type Check for Security Updates, create one (see "[Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks](#)" on page 346).
3. Click **Administration > System Settings > Updates**. In the Rules section under Security Updates, make sure **Automatically apply Rule Updates to Policies** is selected.
4. Click **Alerts > Configure Alerts**.
5. In the Alert Configuration window, click the **New Pattern Update is Downloadable and Available** alert and then click **Properties**.
6. On the Alert Information window, deselect **Send Email to notify when this alert is raised** and then click **OK**.
7. Click the **Computer Not Receiving Updates** alert and then click **Properties**.
8. Make sure **Send Email to notify when this alert is raised** is selected, and click **OK**.
The alert is raised when an update is pending for 7 days.
9. To raise the alert after a different amount of time has passed since the update was pending, click **Administration > System Settings > Alerts**.
10. In the alerts area, use the drop-down to select the period of time, and then click **Save**.

Agent package integrity check

Deep Security verifies your signature on the Deep Security Agent to ensure that the software files have not changed since the time of signing. An integrity check occurs when:

1. You're upgrading the Deep Security Agent.
2. You're enabling a new security module so the kernel support is being updated.

If the validation fails, plugin installations and agent upgrades are blocked.

Troubleshoot

ID	Event	Reason	Solution
5302	Agent/Plugin package signature download failed.	The signature files used to check the integrity of the agent are not available in your update source. Your Deep Security Relay might not be upgraded to the required version.	1. On the Alerts page, check for the "Relay Upgrade Required For Agent Integrity Check" alert. If the alert exists, see "Supported Deep Security Relay versions" on the next page and "Upgrade the Deep Security Relay" on page 807 accordingly. Confirm signature files sync to your update source. 2. Confirm your signature files have synced to your update source. 3. Attempt to upgrade your agent or send your updated policy again. 4. If the issue isn't resolved, "Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239 and send it to the Trend Micro support team.
5300	Agent/Plugin package signature validation failed.	The agent package might have been tampered with or something is wrong on the package.	1. Backup and delete the possibly tampered file from your update source. 2. Delete the corresponding agent package from Deep Security Manager. 3. Re-download the agent package from the Download Center and import it to Deep Security Manager. 4. Confirm the package has synced to your update source. 5. Attempt to upgrade your agent or send your updated policy again. 6. If the issue isn't resolved, "Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239 and send it to the Trend Micro support team.
5301	Agent/Plugin package validation failed.		
5303	Agent/Plugin package signature mismatch with the one in our policy.		

Supported Deep Security Relay versions

The following Deep Security Relay versions are supported:

- Deep Security 12.0 update 8 (12.0.0.967)
- Deep Security 11.0 update 23 (11.0.1617)

Harden Deep Security

There are several measures you can take to increase the security of your Deep Security deployment.

- ["Protect Deep Security Manager with an agent" below](#)
- ["Replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate" on page 830](#)
- ["Encrypt communication between the Deep Security Manager and the database" on page 835](#)
- ["Change the Deep Security Manager database password" on page 842](#)
- ["Configure HTTP security headers" on page 845](#)
- ["Enforce user password rules" on page 850](#)

Protect Deep Security Manager with an agent

To protect the server where Deep Security Manager is installed, install an agent on it and apply the Deep Security Manager policy.

1. Install an agent on the same computer as the manager.
2. Go to **Computers**.
3. Add the manager's computer. Do not choose to apply a policy yet.
4. Double-click the new computer to display its **Details** window and go to **Intrusion Prevention > Advanced > SSL Configurations**.
5. Click **New** to start the wizard to create a new SSL Configuration.
6. Specify the interface used by the manager. Click **Next**.
7. On the **Port** page, select whether to protect the Deep Security Manager GUI's port number. Click **Next**.
8. Specify whether SSL Intrusion Prevention analysis should take place on all IP addresses for this computer, or just one. (This feature can be used to set up multiple virtual computers on a single computer.)

9. Select **Use the SSL Credentials built into the Deep Security Manager**. (This option only appears when creating an SSL Configuration for the Manager's computer.) Click **Next**.
10. Finish the wizard and close the **SSL Configuration** page.
11. Return to the computer's **Details** window. Apply the **Deep Security Manager Policy**, which includes the Firewall Rules and Intrusion Prevention Rules required to protect the Deep Security Manager's GUI port number.

You have now protected the Manager's computer and are now filtering the traffic (including SSL) to the Manager.

Note: After configuring the Agent to filter SSL traffic, you may notice that the Deep Security Agent will return several **Renewal Error** events. These are certificate renewal errors caused by the new SSL certificate issued by the Manager computer. To fix this, refresh the web page and reconnect to the Deep Security Manager's GUI.

The **Deep Security Manager Policy** has the basic Firewall Rules assigned to enable remote use of the Manager. Additional Firewall Rules may need to be assigned if the Manager's computer is being used for other purposes. The Policy also includes the Intrusion Prevention Rules in the **Web Server Common** Application Type. Additional Intrusion Prevention Rules can be assigned as desired.

Because the **Web Server Common** Application Type typically filters on the **HTTP** Port List and does not include the Deep Security Manager GUI's port number, it is added as an override to the ports setting in the **Intrusion Prevention Rules** page of the Policy's **Details** window.

For more information on SSL data inspection, see ["Inspect SSL or TLS traffic" on page 646](#).

Protect Deep Security Agent

If you have enabled manager-initiated communication (see ["Agent-manager communication" on page 273](#) for details), and by extension, manager-initiated activation, it is highly recommended that you bind the agent to a specific manager during this activation. For details, see the section below.

Bind Deep Security Agent to a specific Deep Security Manager

If manager-initiated activation is enabled between Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Manager, Trend Micro strongly recommends that you protect the agent by allowing it to only be

contacted by a known and specific manager during the activation. This configuration should be used if you are in an environment that might include malicious Deep Security Managers.

To bind the agent to a manager, you'll need to export the SSL certificate that is used for securing agent-manager communication, and then add it to the agent computer. Follow these instructions:

1. On the Deep Security Manager, export the Deep Security Manager SSL certificate by running this command:

```
dsm_c -action exportdsmcert -output ds_agent_dsm.crt
```

where:

- `ds_agent_dsm.crt` must be specified exactly as shown (you cannot use another name). It is the name of the Deep Security Manager SSL certificate that is used to secure the communication between the agent and manager.
- 2. On the computer where the agent that you want to activate is installed, put the `ds_agent_dsm.crt` file in one of these locations:
 - Windows: `%ProgramData%\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_core`
 - Linux: `/var/opt/ds_agent/dsa_core`

You have now added the Deep Security Manager certificate to the agent. The agent now only accepts activations from the Deep Security Manager that owns the certificate.

Note: After completing these steps, the agent enters a 'pre-activated' state. While in this state, operations initiated by other Deep Security Managers or by the agent's local `dsa_control` utility do not work properly, by design. After the agent is fully activated, all normal operation resumes.

Note: After resetting or deactivating an agent, the Deep Security Manager certificate is cleared, so the above steps must be re-applied.

Replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate

During installation, Deep Security Manager auto-generates a self-signed TLS certificate for web console access. You can replace this default certificate with a certificate from a trusted certificate authority (CA) after the installation is complete.

Tip: The certificates are maintained when you upgrade Deep Security Manager.

Warning: Replacing the default certificate with an invalid certificate or an incomplete certificate chain can cause Deep Security Manager to become unreachable. Before replacing the certificate, carefully read the instructions in this section.

Follow the steps in either Option A or Option B to replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate:

Option A - Request a brand new certificate for the Deep Security Manager domain name

This is the most reliable way to replace the certificate.

1. If you have enabled FIPS mode (see ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#)), disable FIPS mode before replacing the certificate and then re-enable FIPS mode when you're finished.
2. ["Generate the private key and keystore" below.](#)
3. ["Generate a CSR and request a certificate" on page 833.](#)
4. ["Import the signed certificate into the keystore" on page 833.](#)
5. ["Configure Deep Security to use the signed certificate store" on page 835.](#)

Option B - Use an existing Java Key Store file

This scenario covers situations where the file was backed up from a previous installation or created for a common domain such as a wildcard certificate.

1. Ensure you have the complete certificate chain. If necessary, consult with the CA that issued your certificate.
2. If you have enabled FIPS mode (see ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#)), disable FIPS mode before replacing the certificate and then re-enable FIPS mode when you're finished.
3. ["Configure Deep Security to use the signed certificate store" on page 835.](#)

Learn about Java Keystores

Java Keystores are used to contain certificates used by Java-based applications. If you're not familiar with Java Keystores and Keytool, DigitalOcean provides a good explanation of the concepts in their article, [Java Keytool Essentials: Working with Java Keystores](#).

Generate the private key and keystore

1. On the computer where Deep Security Manager is running, open a command prompt as an administrator.

2. Change the directory to:

- **Windows:**

```
C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\jre\bin
```

- **Linux:**

```
/opt/dsm/jre/bin
```

3. Run the following command to generate a private key and a new key store.

- **Windows:**

```
keytool -genkey -keyalg RSA -alias tomcat -keystore  
C:\Users\Administrator\.keystore -validity 365 -keysize 2048
```

- **Linux:**

```
keytool -genkey -keyalg RSA -alias tomcat -keystore ~/.keystore -  
validity 365 -keysize 2048
```

```
Enter keystore password:
```

```
What is your first and last name?
```

```
[Unknown]: <HOSTNAME>
```

```
What is the name of your organizational unit?
```

```
[Unknown]: <COMPANY_OU>
```

```
What is the name of your organization?
```

```
[Unknown]: <COMPANY_NAME>
```

```
What is the name of your City or Locality?
```

```
[Unknown]: <CITY>
```

```
What is the name of your State or Province?
```

```
[Unknown]: <STATE_IF_APPLIES>
```

```
What is the two-letter country code for this unit?
```

```
[Unknown]: <COUNTRY_CODE>
```

```
Is CN=<HOSTNAME>... correct?
```

```
[no]: yes
```

```
Enter key password for <tomcat>
```

```
(RETURN if same as keystore password):
```

Re-enter new password:

4. You will get a warning. Run the following command to export the keystore to PKCS #12 format.

Note: This command creates a second keystore in PKCS #12 format, named `.keystore2`, which we will use in the remaining examples.

- **Windows:**

```
keytool -importkeystore -srckeystore
C:\Users\Administrator\.keystore -destkeystore
C:\Users\Administrator\.keystore2 -deststoretype pkcs12
```

- **Linux:**

```
keytool -importkeystore -srckeystore ~/.keystore -destkeystore
~/.keystore2 -deststoretype pkcs12
```

Generate a CSR and request a certificate

Use the command below to generate a certificate signing request (CSR), which is a file that you can send to a CA to request a signed certificate. In this example, the file is named

`<HOSTNAME>.csr`:

- **Windows:**

```
keytool -keystore C:\Users\Administrator\.keystore2 -certreq -alias
tomcat -keyalg rsa -file <HOSTNAME>.csr
```

- **Linux:**

```
keytool -keystore ~/.keystore2 -certreq -alias tomcat -keyalg rsa -file
<HOSTNAME>.csr
```

Next, request a signed certificate from the CA of your choice, using the CSR file. When you receive the signed certificate from the CA, you can continue on to ["Import the signed certificate into the keystore" below](#).

Import the signed certificate into the keystore

Once you have obtained the signed certificate from the CA, import the certificate reply into the keystore.

Warning: Certificates are issued in a chain of trust, starting with a root CA and then one or more intermediate CAs, before getting to your actual signed certificate. **You must import all of**

the CA certificates in the correct order. If you aren't sure what you need to import, please check with the CA that issued your signed certificate.

The examples below assume that the certificates are in .crt format.

1. Use the following command to import the root CA into the keystore. (Skip this step if your signed certificate was signed with a root CA that is already located in the keystore.)

- **Windows:**

```
keytool -import -keystore c:\Users\Administrator\.keystore2 -
storepass <YOUR_PASSWORD> -alias rootCA -file
c:\Users\Administrator\<RootCA>.crt
```

- **Linux:**

```
keytool -import -keystore ~/.keystore2 -storepass <YOUR_PASSWORD> -
alias rootCA -file ~/<RootCA>.crt
```

2. Your signed certificate may have been signed by one or more intermediate CAs. If all intermediate CAs are in the keystore, you can skip this step. Otherwise, use the following command to import each missing intermediate CA into the keystore.

- **Windows:**

```
keytool -import -keystore c:\Users\Administrator\.keystore2 -
storepass <YOUR_PASSWORD> -trustcacerts -alias intermediateCA -file
c:\Users\Administrator\<IntermediateCA>.crt
```

- **Linux:**

```
keytool -import -keystore ~/.keystore2 -storepass <YOUR_PASSWORD> -
trustcacerts -alias intermediateCA -file ~/<IntermediateCA>.crt
```

3. Finally, use the following command to import your signed certificate into the keystore.

- **Windows:**

```
keytool -import -keystore c:\Users\Administrator\.keystore2 -
storepass <YOUR_PASSWORD> -trustcacerts -alias tomcat -file
c:\Users\Administrator\<HOSTNAME>.crt
```

- **Linux:**

```
keytool -import -keystore ~/.keystore2 -storepass <YOUR_PASSWORD> -
trustcacerts -alias tomcat -file ~/<HOSTNAME>.crt
```

If the import was successful, you will see this message:

```
Certificate reply was installed in keystore
```

Configure Deep Security to use the signed certificate store

The examples below assume that the new keystore is named `.keystore2`.

1. Back up the (Windows) `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\configuration.properties` or (Linux) `/opt/dsm/configuration.properties` file.
2. Back up the old keystore file:
 - **Windows:**

```
copy "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\.keystore" "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\.keystore.bak"
```
 - **Linux:**

```
cp /opt/dsm/.keystore /opt/dsm/.keystore.bak
```
3. Replace the old keystore file with the new file:
 - **Windows:**

```
copy "c:\Users\Administrator\.keystore2" "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\.keystore"
```
 - **Linux:**

```
cp ~/.keystore2 /opt/dsm/.keystore
```

Note: You must replace the default keystore file. If you choose to change the path in the configuration file instead, the configuration file will reset to the default location the next time you upgrade Deep Security Manager, which will undo the change.

4. Update the keystore password in (Windows) `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\configuration.properties` or (Linux) `/opt/dsm/configuration.properties` as follows:

```
...<OTHER_SETTINGS>
```

```
keystorePass=<YOUR_PASSWORD>
```

5. Restart the Deep Security Manager service.

Encrypt communication between the Deep Security Manager and the database

Communication between the Deep Security Manager and the database is not encrypted by default. This is for performance reasons and because the channel between the manager and the

database may already be secure (either they are running on the same computer or they are connected by crossover cable, a private network segment, or tunneling via IPSec).

However, if the communication channel between the Deep Security Manager and the database is not secure, you should encrypt the communications between them. Do this by editing the

`dsm.properties` file located in `\[Deep Security Manager install directory]\webclient\webapps\ROOT\WEB-INF\`

The instructions vary depending on the database you are using:

- ["Microsoft SQL Server database \(Linux\)" below](#)
- ["Microsoft SQL Server \(Windows\)" on page 838](#)
- ["Oracle Database" on page 839](#)
- ["PostgreSQL" on page 840](#)

Note: If you are running the Deep Security Manager in multi-node mode, these changes must be made on each node.

This section also provides information on ["Running an agent on the database server" on page 840](#) and how to ["Disable encryption between the manager and database" on page 841](#).

Encrypt communication between the manager and database

Microsoft SQL Server database (Linux)

Prerequisite: Make sure you have a certificate from a trusted Certificate Authority (CA) ready and assigned to the Microsoft SQL Server before proceeding with these steps. For details, see [Enable Encrypted Connections to the Database Engine](#) on the Microsoft MSDN site.

1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service:

```
# service dsm_s stop
```

2. Edit `/opt/dsm/webclient/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/dsm.properties` to add the following lines:

```
database.SqlServer.encrypt=true
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustServerCertificate=true
```

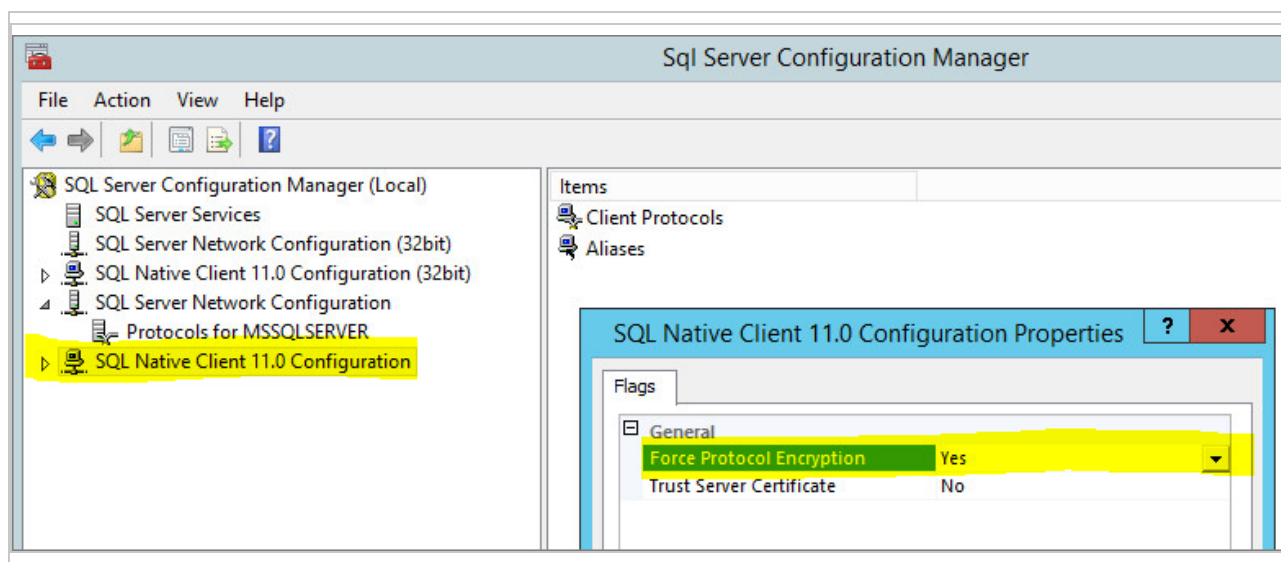
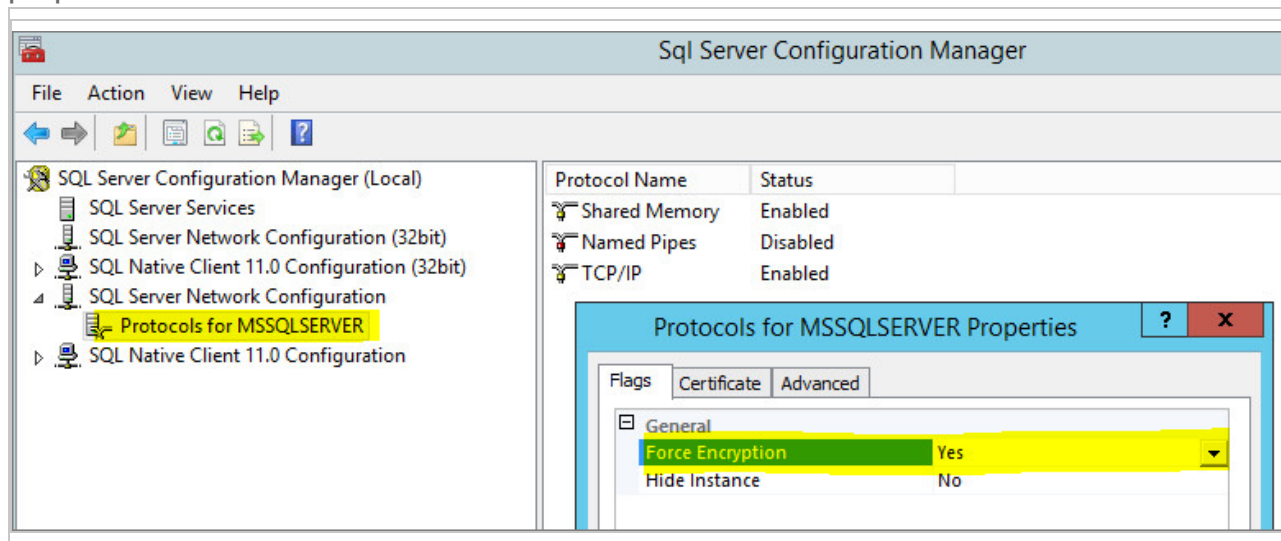
Note: If you upgraded from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version, and your connection to the database uses named pipes as the transport, add the following line instead:

```
database.SqlServer.ssl=require
```


- If you upgraded from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version, and your connection to the database uses named pipes as the transport, under `/opt/dsm`, create a file named `dsm_s.vmoptions` that contains the following line:

```
-Djsse.enableCBCProtection=false
```

- In the SQL Server Configuration Manager, enable "Force Encryption" in the protocol properties for the instance:



- Start the Deep Security Manager service:

```
# service dsm_s start
```

Microsoft SQL Server (Windows)

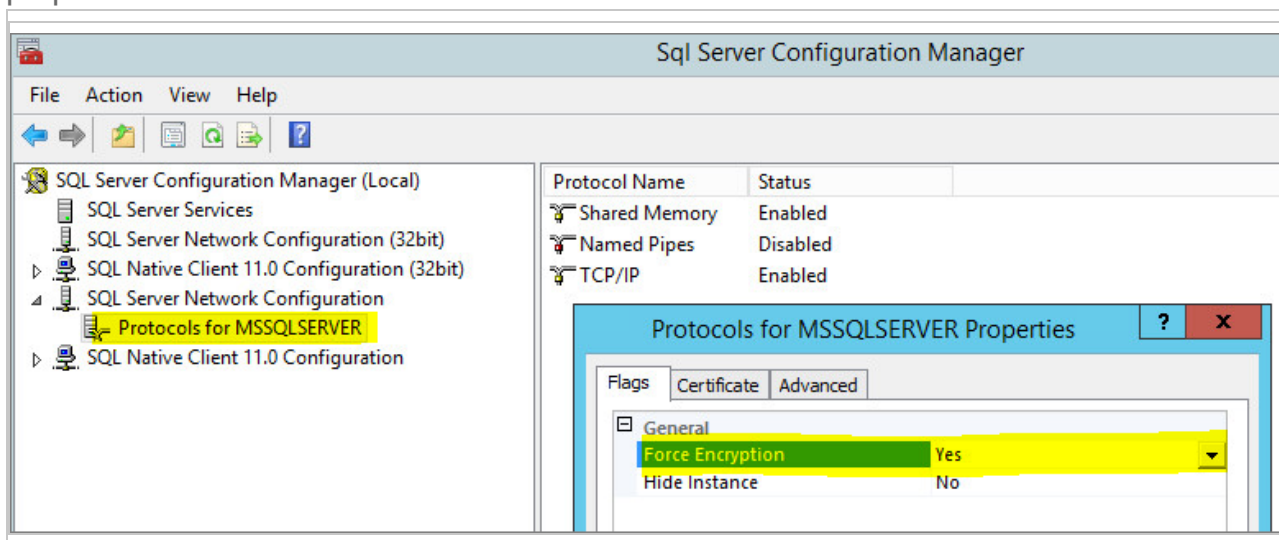
Prerequisite: Make sure you have a certificate from a trusted Certificate Authority (CA) ready and assigned to the Microsoft SQL Server before proceeding with these steps. For details, see [Enable Encrypted Connections to the Database Engine](#) on the Microsoft MSDN site.

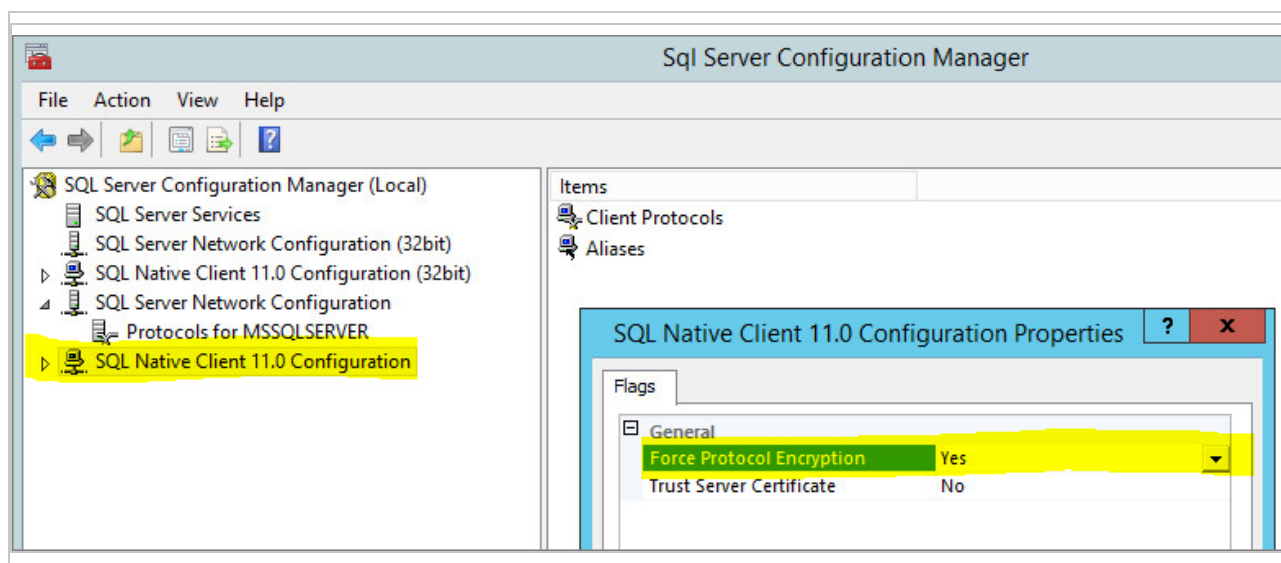
1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service.
2. Edit `\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\webclient\webapps\ROOT\WEB-INF\dsm.properties` to add the following line:
`database.SqlServer.encrypt=true`
`database.SqlServer.trustServerCertificate=true`

Note: If you upgraded from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version, and your connection to the database uses named pipes as the transport, add the following line instead:

`database.SqlServer.ssl=require`

3. If you upgraded from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version, and your connection to the database uses named pipes as the transport, under `\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager`, create a file named `Deep Security Manager.vmoptions` that contains the following line:
`-Djsse.enableCBCProtection=false`
4. In the SQL Server Configuration Manager, enable "Force Encryption" in the protocol properties for the instance:





5. Start the Deep Security Manager service.

Oracle Database

1. Add the following lines to `dsm.properties` (example):


```
database.Oracle.oracle.net.encryption_types_client=(AES256)
database.Oracle.oracle.net.encryption_client=REQUIRED
database.Oracle.oracle.net.crypto_checksum_types_client=(SHA1)
database.Oracle.oracle.net.crypto_checksum_client=REQUIRED
```
2. Save and close the file. ["Restart the Deep Security Manager" on page 804](#) service.

(All parameters prefixed with `database.Oracle.` will be passed to the Oracle driver.)

Possible values for the `encryption_types_client` are:

- AES256
- AES192
- AES128
- 3DES168
- 3DES112
- DES56C
- DES40C
- RC4_256
- RC4_128

- RC4_40
- RC4_56

Possible values for `crypto_checksum_types_client` are:

- MD5
- SHA1

For additional options consult: https://docs.oracle.com/cd/B28359_01/java.111/b31224/clntsec.htm

PostgreSQL

1. Turn on SSL in PostgreSQL. For information, on how to do this for an on-premise PostgreSQL database, see [Secure TCP/IP Connections with SSL](#). For an Amazon RDS for PostgreSQL, see [Using SSL with a PostgreSQL DB Instance](#).
2. Stop the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service.
3. In the `dsm.properties` file, add the following line:

```
database.PostgreSQL.connectionParameters=ssl=true
```

4. Restart the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service.
5. To check that the manager is connecting using TLS, use the following query and check the SSL column:

```
select a.client_addr, a.application_name, a.username, s.* from pg_stat_
ssl s join pg_stat_activity a using (pid) where a.datname='<Deep
Security database name>';
```

Note: If you are using a self-signed certificate or are planning to rotate your certificate, you must import your certificate to cacerts before starting Deep Security Manager.

1. Back up your trusted CA: `<DSM directory>\jre\lib\security\cacerts`.

2. Import your certificate to cacerts (replace [Certificate File] with the certificate file name):

```
\[Deep Security Manager install directory]\jre\bin\keytool -import -alias
rds-root -keystore \[Deep Security Manager install
directory]\jre\lib\security\cacerts -file [Certificate File] -storepass
changeit.
```

Running an agent on the database server

Encryption should be enabled if you are using an agent to protect the database. When you perform a security update, the Deep Security Manager stores new intrusion prevention rules in

the database. The rule names themselves will almost certainly generate false positives as they get parsed by the agent if the data is not encrypted.

Disable encryption between the manager and database

In rare cases, you may need to disable encryption between Deep Security Manager and the database. For example, if you're using an older version of SQL Server, you may need to disable encryption to avoid connection errors. For details, see ["Error: The installer could not establish a secure connection to the database server" on page 816](#).

Follow the instructions for your database type to disable encryption.

Microsoft SQL Server database (Linux)

1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service:

```
# service dsm_s stop
```

2. Edit the `/opt/dsm/webclient/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/dsm.properties` to remove the following lines:

```
database.SqlServer.encrypt=true
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustServerCertificate=true
```

Note: If you upgraded from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version, and your connection to the database uses named pipes as the transport, remove the following line instead:

```
database.SqlServer.ssl=require
```

3. In the SQL Server Configuration Manager, disable "Force Encryption" in the protocol properties for the instance:
4. Start the Deep Security Manager service:

```
# service dsm_s start
```

Microsoft SQL Server (Windows)

1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service.
2. Edit `\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\webclient\webapps\ROOT\WEB-INF\dsm.properties` to remove the following lines:

```
database.SqlServer.encrypt=true
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustServerCertificate=true
```

Note: If you upgraded from Deep Security 10.1 or a previous version, and your connection to the database uses named pipes as the transport, remove the following line instead:

```
database.SqlServer.ssl=require
```

3. In the SQL Server Configuration Manager, disable "Force Encryption" in the protocol properties for the instance:
4. Start the Deep Security Manager service.

Oracle Database

1. Remove the following lines from `dsm.properties` (example):

```
database.Oracle.oracle.net.encryption_types_client=(AES256)
database.Oracle.oracle.net.encryption_client=REQUIRED
database.Oracle.oracle.net.crypto_checksum_types_client=(SHA1)
database.Oracle.oracle.net.crypto_checksum_client=REQUIRED
```

2. Save and close the file. ["Restart the Deep Security Manager" on page 804](#) service.

PostgreSQL

1. Stop the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service.
2. In the `dsm.properties` file, remove the following line:

```
database.PostgreSQL.connectionParameters=ssl=true
```
3. Restart the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service.

Change the Deep Security Manager database password

Your organization's security policies may require that you periodically change the password that Deep Security Manager uses to access the database.

- ["Change your Microsoft SQL Server password" on the next page](#)
- ["Change your Oracle password" on the next page](#)
- ["Change your PostgreSQL password" on page 844](#)

Change your Microsoft SQL Server password

1. On Windows, stop the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service on each of your Deep Security Manager instances.

On Linux, the command to stop the service is:

```
# service dsm_s stop
```

2. Use SQL Server Management Studio to change the SQL user password.
3. On each Deep Security Manager instance, modify the `/opt/dsm/webclient/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/dsm.properties` file to specify the new password. When you open this file, you will see an obfuscated value for the password, similar to this:

```
database.SqlServer.password=$1$4ec04f9550e0bf378fa6b1bc9698d0bbc59ac010b  
fef7ea1e6e47f30394800b1a9554fe206a3ee9ba5f774d205ba03bb86c91c0664c7f05f8  
c467e03e0d8ebbe
```

Overwrite that value with your new password (the new password will be obfuscated when the service restarts):

```
Database.SqlServer.password=NEW PASSWORD GOES HERE
```

4. On Windows, start the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service on each of your Deep Security Manager instances.

On Linux, the command to start the service is:

```
# service dsm_s start
```

Change your Oracle password

1. On Windows, stop the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service on each of your Deep Security Manager instances.

On Linux, the command to stop the service is:

```
# service dsm_s stop
```

2. Use your Oracle tools to change the password.
3. On each Deep Security Manager instance, modify the `/opt/dsm/webclient/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/dsm.properties` file to specify the new password. When you open this file, you will see an obfuscated value for the password,

similar to this:

```
database.Oracle.password=$1$4ec04f9550e0bf378fa6b1bc9698d0bbc59ac010bfef7ea1e6e47f30394800b1a9554fe206a3ee9ba5f774d205ba03bb86c91c0664c7f05f8c467e03e0d8ebbe
```

Overwrite that value with your new password (the new password will be obfuscated when the service restarts):

```
Database.Oracle.password=NEW PASSWORD GOES HERE
```

4. On Windows, start the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service on each of your Deep Security Manager instances.

On Linux, the command to start the service is:

```
# service dsm_s start
```

Change your PostgreSQL password

1. On Windows, stop the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service on each of your Deep Security Manager instances.

On Linux, the command to stop the service is:

```
# service dsm_s stop
```

2. Follow instructions from your PostgreSQL documentation to change the password.
3. On each Deep Security Manager instance, modify the `/opt/dsm/webclient/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/dsm.properties` file to specify the new password. When you open this file, you will see an obfuscated value for the password, similar to this:

```
database.PostgreSQL.password=$1$4ec04f9550e0bf378fa6b1bc9698d0bbc59ac010bfef7ea1e6e47f30394800b1a9554fe206a3ee9ba5f774d205ba03bb86c91c0664c7f05f8c467e03e0d8ebbe
```

Overwrite that value with your new password (the new password will be obfuscated when the service restarts):

```
Database.PostgreSQL.password=NEW PASSWORD GOES HERE
```

4. On Windows, start the Trend Micro Deep Security Manager service on each of your Deep Security Manager instances.

On Linux, the command to start the service is:

```
# service dsm_s start
```

Configure HTTP security headers

Security headers are directives used by web applications to configure security defenses in web browsers. Based on these directives, browsers can make it harder to exploit client-side vulnerabilities such as Cross-Site Scripting or Clickjacking. Headers can also be used to configure the browser to only allow valid TLS communication and enforce valid certificates, or even enforce using a specific server certificate.

The sections below detail the various security headers and support for them in Deep Security:

- ["Customizable security headers" below](#)
- ["Enforced security headers" on page 848](#)
- ["Unsupported security headers" on page 849](#)

Customizable security headers

The following headers can be enabled and configured based on specific environment requirements:

- ["HTTP Strict Transport Security \(HSTS\)" below](#)
- ["Content Security Policy \(CSP\)" on the next page](#)
- ["HTTP Public Key Pinning \(HPKP\)" on page 847](#)

Note: As the primary tenant, you can ["Enable customizable security headers" on page 847](#) in the Deep Security Manager or ["Reset your configuration" on page 847](#).

HTTP Strict Transport Security (HSTS)

HTTP Strict Transport Security is a header that configures the web browser to always use a valid secure connection with the web application. If the server TLS certificate suddenly becomes expired or untrusted, the browser will no longer connect to the web application. Also, if the user attempts to access the web application using an `http://` url, the browser will automatically change it to `https://`. These countermeasures help prevent Man-in-the-middle attacks as well as other attacks such as Session Hijacking.

On install, the Deep Security Manager console has a self-signed (untrusted) certificate and HSTS is turned off. This is because each organization must configure the Deep Security web application with a specific certificate that matches the manager hostname. This can also be achieved by configuring a Load Balancer with TLS termination such as AWS ELB/ALB.

Once a valid TLS configuration is in place, the HTTP Strict Transport Security Header can be enabled from **Administration > System Settings > Security**.

For instructions on enabling HTTP Strict Transport Security (HSTS), see ["Enable customizable security headers" on the next page](#).

Content Security Policy (CSP)

Content Security Policy includes a comprehensive set of directives that help prevent client-side attacks, such as Cross-Site Scripting and Clickjacking, by restricting the type of content the browser is allowed to include or execute.

Note: Enabling CSP can have adverse effects. For example, embedded scripts might stop working or certain types of images required by third-party components such as jQuery might not load.

When you enable CSP, it is always a good idea to run it in **Report only** first and observe if any violations are reported to the provided URL for expected application functionality.

The Deep Security CSP can be configured under **Administration > System Settings > Security**.

Deep Security works best with the following settings:

```
default-src 'self'
```

```
script-src 'self' 'unsafe-eval' 'unsafe-inline'
```

```
frame-src 'self'
```

```
frame-ancestors 'self'
```

```
style-src 'self' 'unsafe-inline' blob:
```

```
form-action 'self'
```

```
img-src 'self' data:
```

```
report-uri https://your_report_uri.org/DS_CSP_Violation
```

Note: By default, the **Report only** check box is selected. Once you confirm that the CSP does not break the expected application functionality, you can deselect **Report only** to enforce the policy.

For instructions on enabling Content Security Policy (CSP), see ["Enable customizable security headers" below](#).

HTTP Public Key Pinning (HPKP)

The HPKP header forces browsers to only trust a specific certificate or certificate authority for secure communications. This prevents attacks that leverage a trusted certificate authority which has been compromised or maliciously installed on the client.

Note: Enabling HPKP can leave browsers unable to connect if a certificate is changed without its header also being changed.

For instructions on enabling HTTP Public Key Pinning (HPKP), see ["Enable customizable security headers" below](#).

Enable customizable security headers

Note: In multi-tenant mode, security header settings are only available to the primary tenant.

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Security**.
2. Enter your HTTP Strict Transport Security (HSTS), Content Security Policy (CSP), or HTTP Public Key Pinning (HPKP) directive(s) in the corresponding field(s).

Note: Before you enable settings, you can test them by selecting the **Report Only** option and verifying that the policy violation reports are correct.

Tip: You can enter individual policy directives on separate lines.

3. Click **Save** at the bottom of the page.

Reset your configuration

If you experience trouble while configuring your directive and cannot correct it in the Deep Security Manager, SSH into the manager and run the corresponding commands to reset your configuration:

HTTP Strict Transport Security

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.enableHttpStrictTransportSecurity -value ""
```

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.enableHttpStrictTransportSecurity -value "false"
```

Content Security Policy

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.contentSecurityPolicy -value ""
```

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.contentSecurityPolicyReportOnly -value "true"
```

Public Key Pinning Policy

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name settings.configuration.publicKeyPinPolicy -  
value ""
```

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.publicKeyPinPolicyReportOnly -value "true"
```

Enforced security headers

The following headers are enforced by default and cannot be changed:

- ["Cache-Control and Pragma" below](#)
- ["X-XSS-Protection" on the next page](#)
- ["X-Frame-Options" on the next page](#)

Cache-Control and Pragma

These headers configure how the browser caches content. Caching sensitive content from an authenticated application can be a security vulnerability if the content is cached on a machine that is used by multiple users or if an attacker gains access to an unlocked machine after the user has logged out of the application. For this reason, Deep Security disables caching on all content that is not static by enforcing the `no-cache` and `no-store` values.

X-XSS-Protection

This XSS-Protection header forces the browser's Cross-Site Scripting (XSS) heuristics to detect XSS attacks. Deep Security enforces this header in block mode by default. This means that if the browser detects a potential XSS attack it will stop the page from loading altogether—a safer approach than the alternative of trying to sanitize the page by replacing potentially malicious elements.

Note: XSS-Protection does not work for all types of attacks and not all browsers have an XSS filter.

X-Frame-Options

This header helps to prevent Clickjacking attacks. The Deep Security Manager enforces the `SAMEORIGIN` value for this header, only allowing it to be embedded in web applications that are hosted on the same domain.

Note: This header has the same effect as the frame-ancestors CSP directive. The frame-ancestors directive will override the value of the X-Frame-Options header.

Unsupported security headers

The following header type is unsupported.

X-Content-Type-Options

This header with the `nosniff` value helps protect against mime type sniffing. Mime type sniffing attacks are only effective in specific scenarios where they cause the browser to interpret text or binary content as HTML. For example, if a user uploads an avatar file named `xss.html` and the web application does not set a Content-type header when serving the image, the browser will try to determine the content type and will likely treat `xss.html` as an HTML file. The attacker can then direct users to `xss.html` and conduct a Cross-Site Scripting attack.

Deep Security does not currently support enabling this header as it has been observed to cause adverse effects on redirects, however the relevant attack scenarios are not likely to impact the manager web application and its usual functionality.

Enforce user password rules

You can specify password requirements for Deep Security Manager passwords, and other settings related to user authentication.

Specify password requirements

Note: For greater security, enforce stringent password requirements: minimum 8 characters, include both numbers and letters, use upper and lower case, include non-alphanumeric characters, and expire regularly.

Go to **Administration > System Settings > Security**. In the **User Security** section, you can change these settings:

- **Session idle timeout:** Specify the period of inactivity after which a user will be required to sign in again.
- **Maximum session duration:** Maximum length of time that a user can be signed into the Deep Security Manager before they'll be required to sign in again.
- **Number of incorrect sign-in attempts allowed (before lock out):** The number of times an individual user (i.e. with a specific username) can attempt to sign in with an incorrect password before they are locked out. Only a user with "Can Edit User Properties" rights can unlock a locked-out user (see ["Define roles for users" on page 1106](#)).

Note: If a user gets locked out for a particular reason (too many failed sign-in attempts, for example), and no user remains with the sufficient rights to unlock that account, please contact Trend Micro for assistance.

- **Number of concurrent sessions allowed per User:** Maximum number of simultaneous sessions allowed per user.

Note: A note about being signed in as two users at once: Remember that Firefox sets session cookies on a per-process basis, and not on a per-window basis. This means that if for some reason you want to be signed in as two users at the same time, you will either have to use two different browsers (if one of them is Firefox), or sign in from two separate computers.

- **Action when concurrent session limit is exceeded:** Specifies what happens when a user reaches the maximum number of concurrent sessions.

- **User password expires:** Number of days that passwords are valid. You can also set passwords to never expire.
- **User password minimum length:** The minimum number of characters required in a password.
- **User password requires both letters and numbers:** Letters (a-z, A-Z) as well as numbers (0-9) must be used as part of the password.
- **User password requires both upper and lower case characters:** Upper and lower case characters must be used.
- **User password requires non-alphanumeric characters:** Passwords must include non-alphanumeric characters.
- **Send email when a user's password is about the expire:** Before a user's password expires, they will receive an email message. To use this feature, you must ["Configure SMTP settings for email notifications" on page 250](#).

Use another identity provider for sign-on

You can also configure Deep Security to use SAML single sign-on. For details, see ["Configure SAML single sign-on" on page 1127](#).

Add a message to the Deep Security Manager Sign In page

On the **Administration > System Settings > Security** page, use **Sign-In Page Message** to enter text that will be displayed on the Deep Security Manager's sign in page.

Present users with terms and conditions

You can configure Deep Security Manager so that users must agree to terms and conditions before they can sign in to the Deep Security Manager.

To enable this feature, select **User must agree to the terms and conditions** on the **Administration > System Settings > Security** page. In the two text boxes, enter a title and the list of terms and conditions that will be displayed when a user clicks the **Terms and Conditions** link on the Sign In page.

Other Security settings

The **Administration > System Settings > Security** page also enables you to:

- ["Manage trusted certificates" on page 296](#)
- ["Configure HTTP security headers" on page 845](#)

Set up multi-factor authentication

The Deep Security Manager allows you the option to use multi-factor authentication (MFA). MFA is a method of access control requiring more than a user name and password that is recommended as a best practice.

In this article:

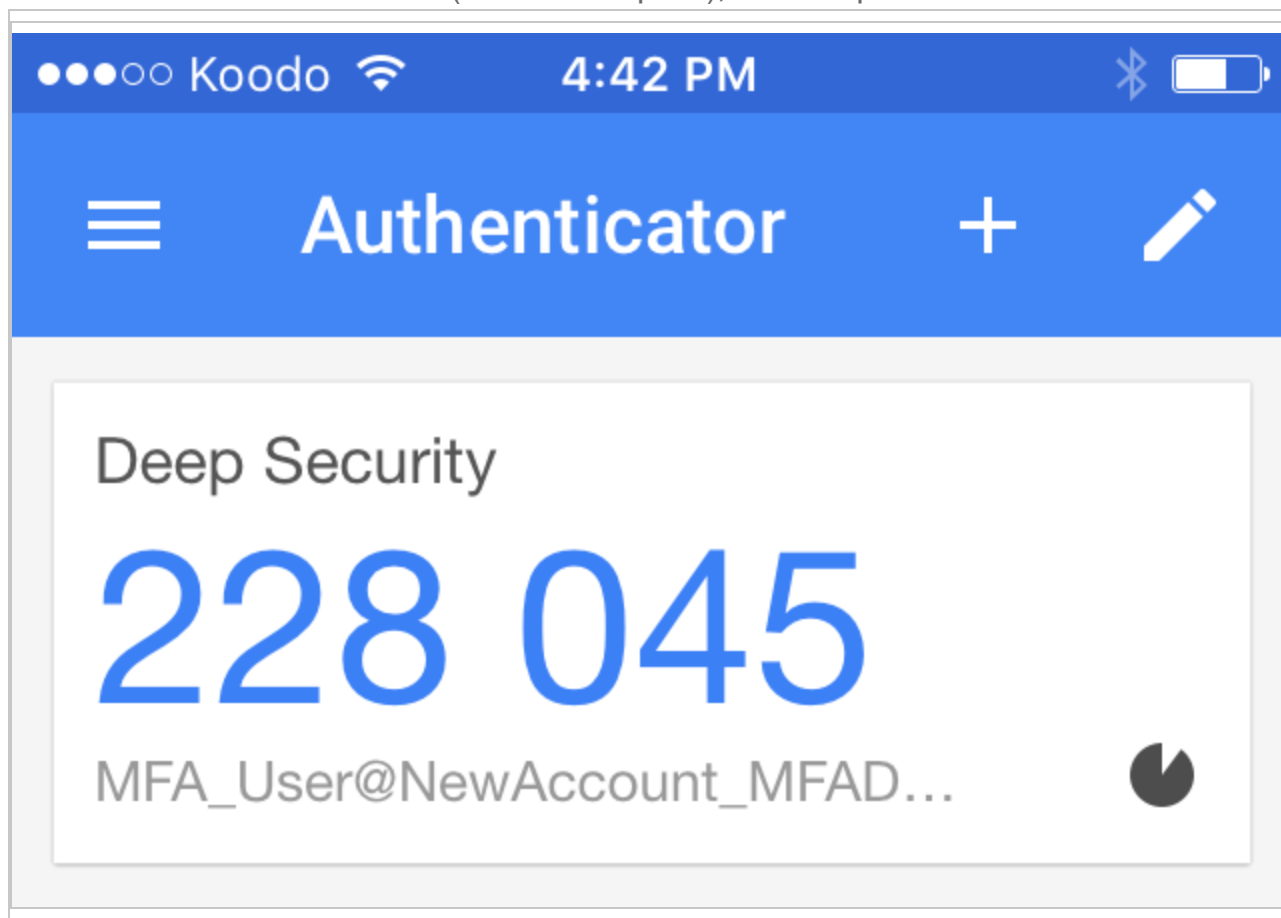
- ["Enable multi-factor authentication" below](#)
- ["Disable multi-factor authentication" on page 855](#)
- ["Supported multi-factor authentication \(MFA\) applications" on page 855](#)
- ["Troubleshooting MFA" on page 856](#)

Enable multi-factor authentication

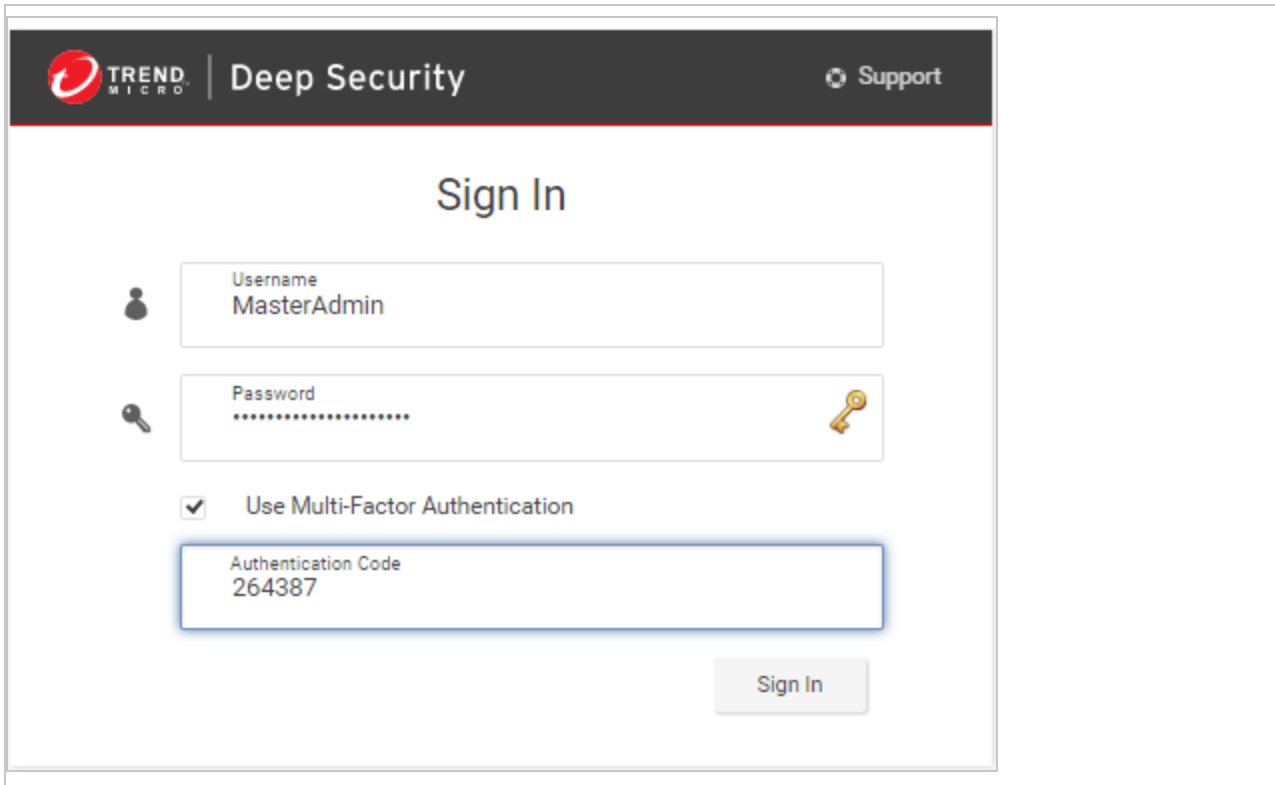
1. In Deep Security Manager, select **User Properties** from the menu under your user name in the upper-right corner.
2. On the **General** tab, click the **Enable MFA** button. This will open the **Enable Multi-Factor Authentication** wizard to guide you through the rest of the process.
3. The first screen of the wizard will remind you to install a compatible virtual MFA application, such as Google Authenticator. For more information, see ["Supported multi-factor authentication \(MFA\) applications" on page 855](#) at the bottom of this article.
4. If your device supports scanning QR codes, you can use your camera to configure your MFA application and click **Next**.

Otherwise, you can choose **My device does not support scanning QR codes. Show secret key for manual time-based configuration**.

5. Enter the **Authentication Code** (without the space), for example: 228045.



6. If the authorization code is correct, MFA will be enabled for your account and you will be required to enter a new MFA code each time you sign in.

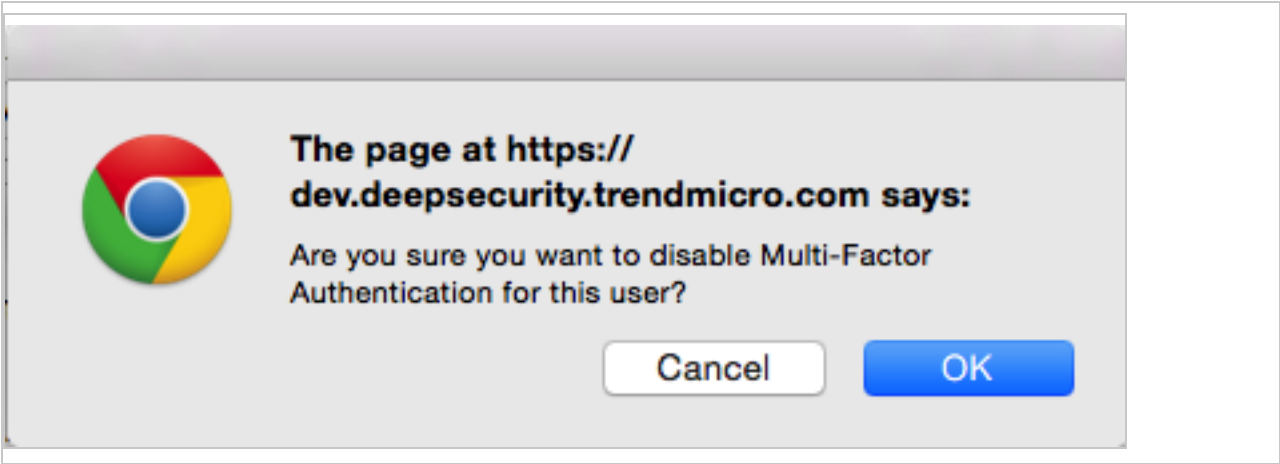


The screenshot shows the 'Sign In' page for Trend Micro Deep Security. The page has a dark header with the Trend Micro logo and 'Deep Security' text, and a 'Support' link. The main content area is white and contains the following elements:

- Sign In** title centered at the top.
- Username** field: Labeled 'Username' with a person icon, containing the text 'MasterAdmin'.
- Password** field: Labeled 'Password' with a key icon, containing a masked password (dots) and a toggle key icon.
- Use Multi-Factor Authentication** checkbox: A checked checkbox with the label 'Use Multi-Factor Authentication'.
- Authentication Code** field: Labeled 'Authentication Code', containing the text '264387'.
- Sign In** button: A button located at the bottom right of the form.

Disable multi-factor authentication

- 1. In the Deep Security Manager, select **User Properties** from the menu under your user name in the upper-right corner.
- 2. On the **General** tab, click the **Disable MFA** button.
- 3. Click **OK** on the confirmation screen to disable MFA.



- 4. Your user properties screen displays with a note to indicate the changes to MFA. Click **OK** to close the screen.

Supported multi-factor authentication (MFA) applications

The following smartphones and applications are actively supported for MFA. However, any application implementing an RFC 6238 compliant Time-base One-time Password Algorithm should work.

Smartphone	MFA App
Android	Google Authenticator , Duo
iPhone	Google Authenticator , Duo
Blackberry	Google Authenticator

Troubleshooting MFA

What if my MFA is enabled but not working?

The most common source of MFA login issues is caused by the time on your Deep Security Manager being out of sync with your device.

Follow the instructions below for your chosen operating system to make sure the time is properly synced:

If your Deep Security Manager is Linux:

Check that NTP is working correctly by entering `ntpstat` in the command line. To view the current system time and date, enter `date`.

If your Deep Security Manager is Windows:

Check that the Windows Time Service is working correctly. To view the current system time and date, enter `time` and `date` in the command line.

What if my MFA device is lost or stops working?

If your MFA device is lost, destroyed, or stops working, you'll need to have MFA disabled for your account in order to be able to sign in.

1. Get in touch with the person who provided you with your sign in credentials and ask them to follow the instructions in ["Disable multi-factor authentication" on the previous page](#). (You'll then be able to sign in with just your user name and password.)
2. After you've signed in, change your password.
3. Follow the instructions for ["Enable multi-factor authentication" on page 852](#).

Manage AWS regions

Add an Amazon Web Services region

If the Amazon Web Services (AWS) region hosting your EC2 resources does not appear when you try to add a cloud account using the **Add AWS Cloud Account** wizard, manually add the region.

On the server that is hosting Deep Security Manager, enter the command:

1. `dsm_c -action addregion -region REGION -display DISPLAY -endpoint`

ENDPOINT

where the parameters are:

Parameter	Description	Example
REGION	The Amazon Web Services identifier for the region.	ca-east-1
DISPLAY	The display string to use for the region in the Add AWS Cloud Account wizard.	Canada East (Ottawa)
ENDPOINT	The fully-qualified domain name of the Amazon Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2) endpoint to use for the region.	ec2.ca-east-1.amazonaws.com

Note: If Deep Security Manager is running on a Linux server, you must run the command with `sudo` or use a superuser account such as root.

2. If the specific AWS region requires that you import a trusted certificate (most don't), see ["Manage trusted certificates" on page 296](#).

Viewing your Amazon Web Services regions

You can view any AWS regions that you have added using the CLI.

On the server that is hosting Deep Security Manager, enter the command:

```
dsm_c -action listregions
```

Note: If Deep Security Manager is running on a Linux server, you must run the command with `sudo` or use a superuser account such as root.

Removing an Amazon Web Services region

You can delete any AWS regions that you have added using the CLI. Any existing cloud accounts for the region will continue to work unless you remove them, but administrators won't be able to create new cloud accounts for the region.

1. On the server that is hosting Deep Security Manager, enter the command:

```
dsm_c -action listregions
```

2. Find the identifier for the that you want to remove.
3. Enter the command:

```
dsm_c -action removeregion -region REGION
```

The `REGION` parameter is required.

Parameter	Description	Example
REGION	The Amazon Web Services identifier for the region.	ca-east-1

Note: If Deep Security Manager is running on a Linux server, you must run the command with `sudo` or use a superuser account such as `root`.

Configure alerts

Alerts are generated when Deep Security requires your attention, such as an administrator-issued command failing, or a hard disk running out of space. Deep Security includes a pre-defined set of alerts (for a list, see ["Predefined alerts" on page 999](#)). Additionally, when you create protection module rules, you can configure them to generate alerts if they are triggered.

There are several ways to see which alerts have been triggered:

- They're displayed in the "Alert Status" dashboard widget in Deep Security Manager.
- They're displayed on the Alerts page in Deep Security Manager (see ["View alerts in Deep Security Manager" below](#)).
- You can get an email notification when an alert is triggered (see ["Set up email notification for alerts" on the next page.](#))
- You can generate alert reports (see ["Generate reports about alerts and other activity" on page 864](#)).

Unlike security events and system events, alerts are not purged from the database after a period of time. Alerts remain until they are dismissed, either manually or automatically.

View alerts in Deep Security Manager

The **Alerts** page in Deep Security Manager displays all alerts that have been triggered, but not yet responded to. You can display alerts in a summary view that groups similar alerts together, or in

list view, which lists all alerts individually. To switch between the two views, use the menu next to "Alerts" in the page's title. You can also sort the alerts by time or by severity.

In summary view, expanding an Alert panel (by clicking **Show Details**) displays all the computers (or users) that have generated that particular alert. Clicking the computer will display the computer's **Details** window. If an alert applies to more than five computers, an ellipsis ("...") appears after the fifth computer. Clicking the ellipsis displays the full list. Once you have taken the appropriate action to deal with an alert, you can dismiss the alert by selecting the check box next to the target of the alert and clicking **Dismiss**. (In list view, right-click the alert to see the list of options in the context menu.)

Alerts that can't be dismissed (like "Relay Update Service Not Available") will be dismissed automatically when the condition no longer exists.

Note: In cases where an alert condition occurs more than once on the same computer, the alert will show the timestamp of the first occurrence of the condition. If the alert is dismissed and the condition reoccurs, the timestamp of the first re-occurrence will be displayed.

Tip: Use the Computers filtering bar to view only alerts for computers in a particular computer group, with a particular policy, etc.

Unlike security events and system events, alerts are not purged from the database after a period of time. Alerts remain until they are dismissed, either manually or automatically.

Configure alert settings

To configure the settings for individual alerts, go to the **Alerts** page in Deep Security Manager and click **Configure Alerts**. This displays a list of all alerts. A green check mark next to an alert indicates that it is enabled. An alert will be triggered if the corresponding situation occurs, and it will appear in the Deep Security Manager.

You can select an alert and click **Properties** to change other settings for the alert, such as the severity level and email notification settings.

Set up email notification for alerts

Deep Security Manager can send emails to specific users when selected alerts are triggered.

To enable email notifications:

1. Give Deep Security Manager access to an SMTP mail server (see ["Configure SMTP settings for email notifications" on page 250](#)).
2. Specify which alerts cause email notifications to be sent. For example, you can send email only for the most critical alerts. Most alerts send email notifications by default. (see ["Turn alert emails on or off" on the next page](#)).
3. Specify who will receive email notifications. You can configure user accounts so that they receive alert emails (see ["Configure an individual user to receive alert emails" on page 863](#)). You can also configure alerts to specify the email account of a user or a distribution list. With this option, email is sent regardless of the configuration of the user accounts (see ["Configure recipients for all alert emails" on page 864](#)).

Turn alert emails on or off

1. Go to the **Alerts** page and click **Configure Alerts** to display the list of alerts.

Alert Configuration No Grouping ▾			
Properties...			
ALERT ▾	SEVERITY	ON	
 Abnormal Restart Detected	Warning	✓	
 Activation Failed	Critical	✓	
 Agent configuration package too large	Warning	✓	
 Agent Installation Failed	Critical	✓	
 Agent Upgrade Recommended (Incompatible with Appliance)	Warning	✓	
 Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended	Warning	✓	
 Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended (Incompatible Security U...	Warning	✓	
 Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended (New Version Available)	Warning	✓	
 Agent/Appliance Upgrade Required	Warning	✓	
 An update to the Rules is available	Warning	✓	
 Anti-Malware Alert	Warning	✓	
 Anti-Malware Component Failure	Critical	✓	
 Anti-Malware Component Update Failed	Warning	✓	
 Anti-Malware Engine Offline	Critical	✓	
 Anti-Malware protection is absent or out of date	Warning	✓	
 Anti-Malware Quarantine Alert for Storage Limit	Warning	✓	
 Application Control Engine Offline	Critical	✓	
 Application Type Misconfiguration	Warning	✓	
 Application Type Recommendation	Warning		
 Azure AD Application Need Renew	Critical	✓	
 Azure AD Application Password Expires Soon	Warning	✓	
 Azure Key Pair Expired	Critical	✓	
 Azure Key Pair Expires Soon	Warning	✓	
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2. A green check mark next to an alert indicates that it is enabled. An alert will be triggered if the corresponding situation occurs, and appear in the Deep Security Manager GUI. If you also want to receive email about the alert, double-click on an alert to display its Properties window, then select at least one of the "Send Email" check boxes.

General

Alert Information

Alert: Anti-Malware Alert

Description: A Malware Scan Configuration that is configured for alerting has raised an event on one or more computers.

Dismissible: Yes

☒ On
When on, the alert will be raised when the conditions are met.

Options

Severity: Warning

☐ Alert for all rules (Regardless of rule settings)

☒ Send Email to notify when this alert is raised.

☒ Send Email to notify when conditions for this alert change (such as the # of items).

☒ Send Email to notify when this alert no longer exists.

☐ Off
When off, the alert will not be raised. Use this setting if you do not wish this condition to raise an alert.

OK Cancel Apply

Configure an individual user to receive alert emails

1. Go to **Administration > User Management > Users** and double-click a user account to display its Properties window.
2. On the **Contact Information** tab, enter an email address and select **Receive Alert Emails**.

Configure recipients for all alert emails

Note: All alert emails will be sent to this address or email distribution list, even if the recipients have not been set up in their user account properties to receive email notifications.

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Alerts**.
2. For **Alert Email Address - The email address to which all alert emails should be sent**, provide an email address or a distribution list email address.

Generate reports about alerts and other activity

Deep Security Manager produces reports in PDF or RTF formats. Most of the reports have configurable parameters such as date range or reporting by computer group. Parameter options will be disabled for reports to which they don't apply. You can set up a one-time report (see ["Set up a single report" below](#)) or set up a schedule to run a report on a regular basis (see ["Set up a recurring report" on page 867](#)).

Set up a single report

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Events & Reports** tab and then in the left pane, click **Generate Reports > Single Report**.
2. In the **Report** list, select the type of report that you want to generate. Depending on which protection modules you are using, these reports may be available:
 - **Alert Report:** List of the most common alerts
 - **Anti-Malware Report:** List of the top 25 infected computers
 - **Attack Report:** Summary table with analysis activity, divided by mode. For details about what's included, see [About attack reports](#).
 - **AWS Metered Billing Report:** Summary table of AWS Metered Billing consumption in hours per day by instance size and deployment type
 - **Computer Report:** Summary of each computer listed on the Computers tab
 - **DPI Rule Recommendation Report:** Intrusion prevention rule recommendations. This report can be run for only one security policy or computer at a time
 - **Firewall Report:** Record of firewall rule and stateful configuration activity
 - **Forensic Computer Audit Report:** Configuration of an agent on a computer

- **Integrity Monitoring Baseline Report:** Baseline of the computer(s) at a particular time, showing Type, Key, and Fingerprinted Date
 - **Integrity Monitoring Detailed Change Report:** Details about the changes detected
 - **Integrity Monitoring Report:** Summary of the changes detected
 - **Intrusion Prevention Report:** Record of intrusion prevention rule activity
 - **Log Inspection Detailed Report:** Details of log data that has been collected
 - **Log Inspection Report:** Summary of log data that has been collected
 - **Recommendation Report:** Record of recommendation scan activity
 - **Security Module Usage Cumulative Report:** Current computer usage of protection modules, including a cumulative total and the total in blocks of 100
 - **Security Module Usage Report:** Current computer usage of protection modules
 - **Summary Report:** Consolidated summary of Deep Security activity
 - **Suspicious Application Activity Report:** Information about suspected malicious activity
 - **System Event Report:** Record of system (non-security) activity
 - **System Report:** Overview of computers, contacts, and users
 - **Tenant Report:** Overview of tenants
 - **User and Contact Report:** Content and activity detail for users and contacts
 - **Web Reputation Report:** List of computers with the most web reputation events
3. Select the **Format** for the report, either PDF or RTF. (The "Security Module Usage Report" and "Security Module Usage Cumulative Report" are exceptions and are always output as CSV files.)
 4. You can also add an optional **Classification** to PDF or RTF reports: BLANK, TOP SECRET, SECRET, CONFIDENTIAL, FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY, LAW ENFORCEMENT SENSITIVE (LES), LIMITED DISTRIBUTION, UNCLASSIFIED, INTERNAL USE ONLY.
 5. You can use the **Tag Filter** area to filter the report data using event tags (if you have selected a report that contains event data). Select **All** for all events, **Untagged** for only untagged events, or select **Tag(s)** and specify one or more tags to include only those events with your selected tag(s).

Note: If you apply multiple contradicting tags, the tags will counteract each other, rather than combine. For example, if you select "User Signed In" and "User Signed Out", there will be no system events.

6. You can use the **Time Filter** area to set a time filter for any period for which records exist.

This is useful for security audits. Time filter options:

- **Last 24 Hours:** Includes events from the past 24 hours, starting and ending at the top of the hour. For example if you generate a report on December 5th at 10:14am, you will get a report for events that occurred between December 4th at 10:00am and December 5th at 10:00am.
- **Last 7 Days:** Includes events from the past week. Weeks start and end at midnight (00:00). For example if you generate a report on December 5th at 10:14am, you will get a report for events that occurred between November 28th at 0:00am and December 5th at 0:00am.
- **Previous Month:** Includes events from the last full calendar month, starting and ending at midnight (00:00). For example, if you select this option on November 15, you will receive a report for events that occurred between midnight October 1 to midnight November 1.
- **Custom Range:** Enables you to specify your own date and time range for the report. In the report, the start time may be changed to midnight if the start date is more than two days ago.
- **Note:** Reports use data stored in counters. Counters are data aggregated periodically from Events. Counter data is aggregated on an hourly basis for the most recent three days. Data from the current hour is not included in reports. Data older than three days is stored in counters that are aggregated on a daily basis. For this reason, the time period covered by reports for the last three days can be specified at an hourly level of granularity, but beyond three days, the time period can only be specified on a daily level of granularity.

7. In the **Computer Filter** area, select the computers whose data will be included in the report.

- **All Computers:** Every computer in Deep Security Manager
- **My Computers:** If the signed in user has restricted access to computers based on their user role's rights settings, these are the computers the signed in User has view access right to.
- **In Group:** The computers in a Deep Security group.
- **Using Policy:** The computers using a specific protection Policy.
- **Computer:** A single computer.

Note: To generate a report on specific computers from multiple computer groups, create a user who has viewing rights only to the computers in question and then either create a scheduled task to regularly generate an "All Computers" report for that user or sign in as that user and run an "All Computers" report. Only the computers to which that user has viewing rights will be included in the report.

8. In the **Encryption** area, you can protect the report with the password of the currently signed in user or with a new password for this report only:
 - **Disable Report Password:** Report is not password protected.
 - **Use Current User's Report Password:** Use the current user's PDF report password. To view or modify the user's PDF report password, go to **Administration > User Management > Users > Properties > Settings > Reports**.
 - **Use Custom Report Password:** Create a one-time-only password for this report. The password does not have any complexity requirements.

Set up a recurring report

Recurring reports are scheduled tasks that periodically generate and distribute reports to any number of users and contacts.

To set up a recurring report, go to the **Events & Reports** tab and then in the left pane, click **Generate Reports > Recurring Reports**. Click **New**. The New Scheduled Task wizard opens and will step you through the configuration process. Most of the options are identical to those for single reports, with the exception of Time Filter:

The screenshot shows the configuration options for a recurring report. Under the **Time Filter** section, there is a 'Last' input field with the value '1' and a dropdown menu currently set to 'Hour(s)'. The dropdown menu is open, showing options: 'Hour(s)' (highlighted in blue), 'Day(s)', 'Week(s)', and 'Month(s)'. Below this, the **Computer Filter** section shows a radio button selected for 'All Comput'.

- **Last [N] Hour(s):** When [N] is less than 60, the start and end times will be at the top of the specified hour. When [N] is more than 60, hourly data is not available for the beginning of the time range, so the start time in the report will be changed to midnight (00:00) of the start day.
- **Last [N] Day(s):** Includes data from midnight [N] days ago to midnight of the current day.

- **Last [N] Week(s):** Includes events from the last [N] weeks, starting and ending at midnight (00:00).
- **Last [N] Month(s):** Includes events from the last [N] full calendar month, starting and ending at midnight (00:00). For example, if you select "Last 1 Month(s)" on November 15, you will receive a report for events that occurred between midnight October 1 to midnight November 1.

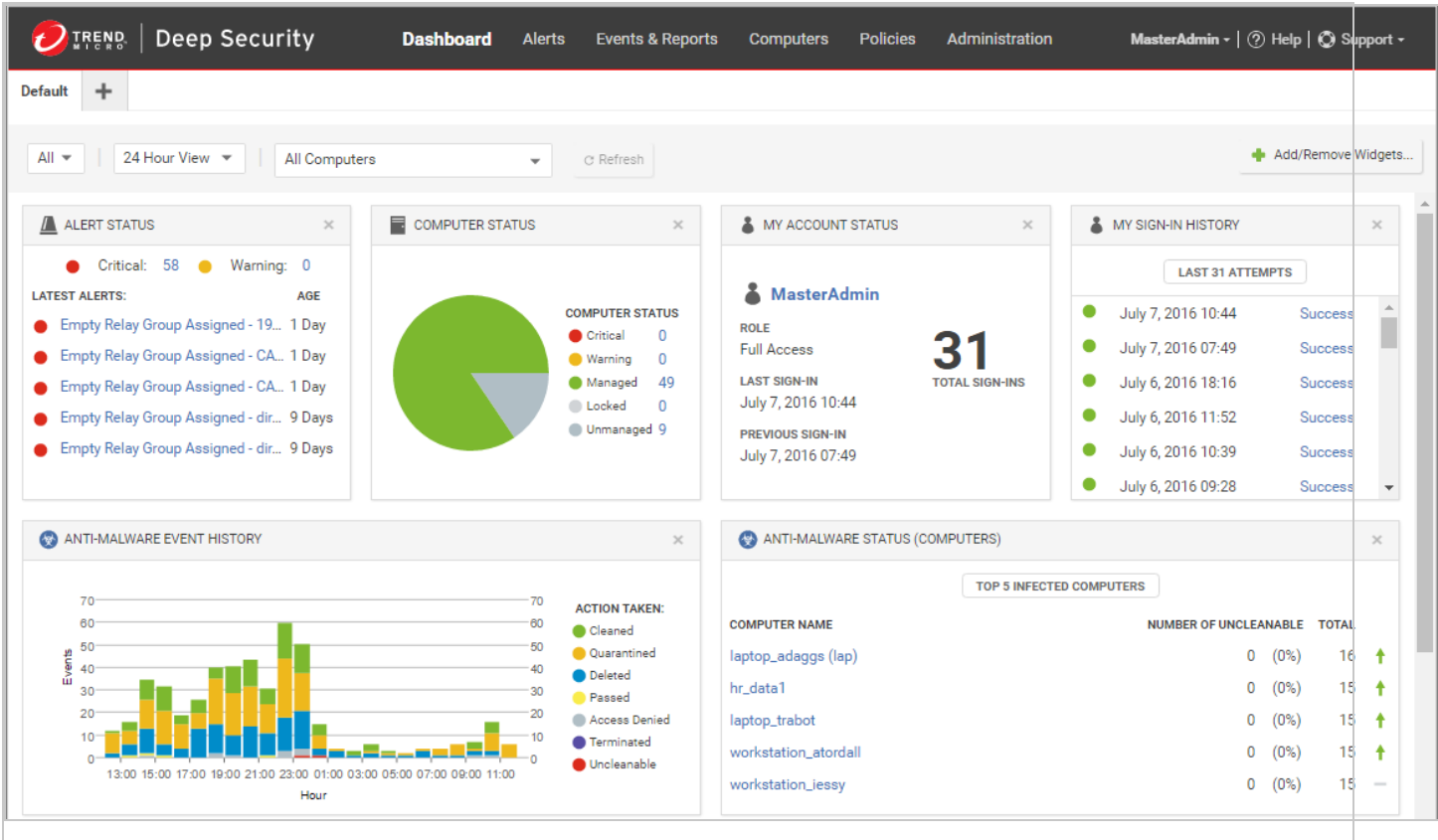
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For more information on scheduled tasks, see the ["Schedule Deep Security to perform tasks" on page 346](#).

Customize the dashboard

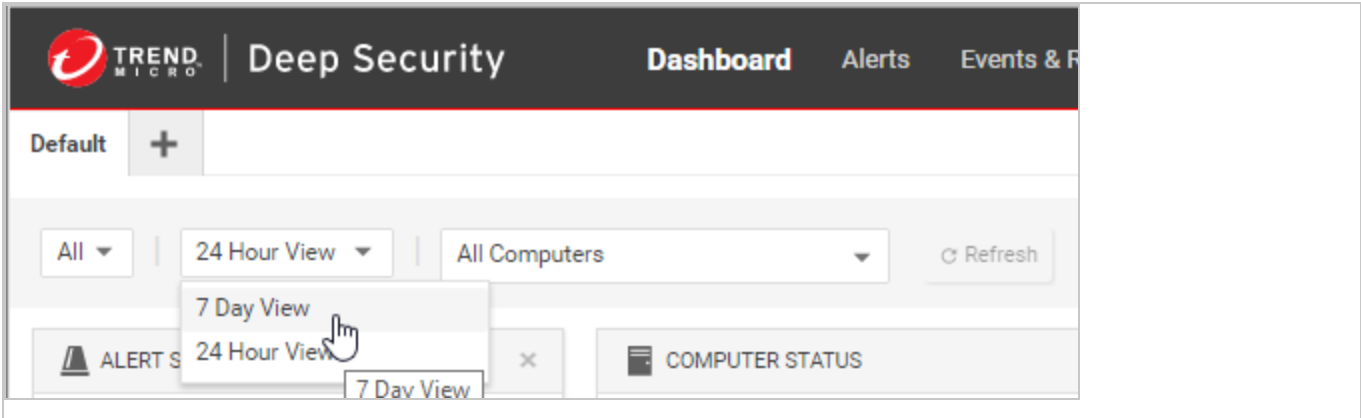
The dashboard is the first page that appears after you log into Deep Security Manager.

Each user can customize the contents and layout of their dashboard. Deep Security Manager automatically saves your settings, and will remember your dashboard the next time that you log in. You can also configure the data's time period, and which computer's or computer group's data is displayed.



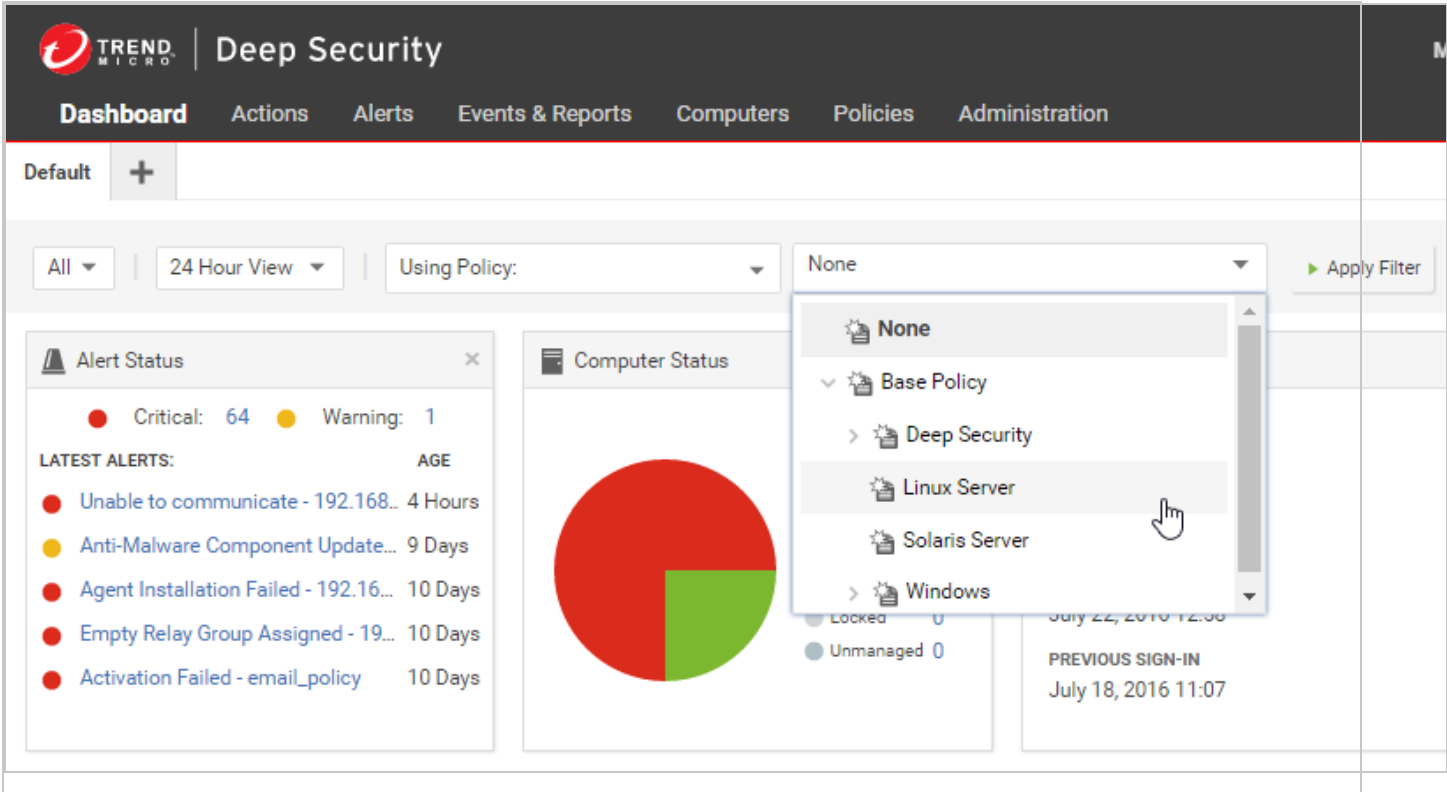
Date and time range

The dashboard can display data from either the last 24 hours, or the last seven days.



Computers and computer groups

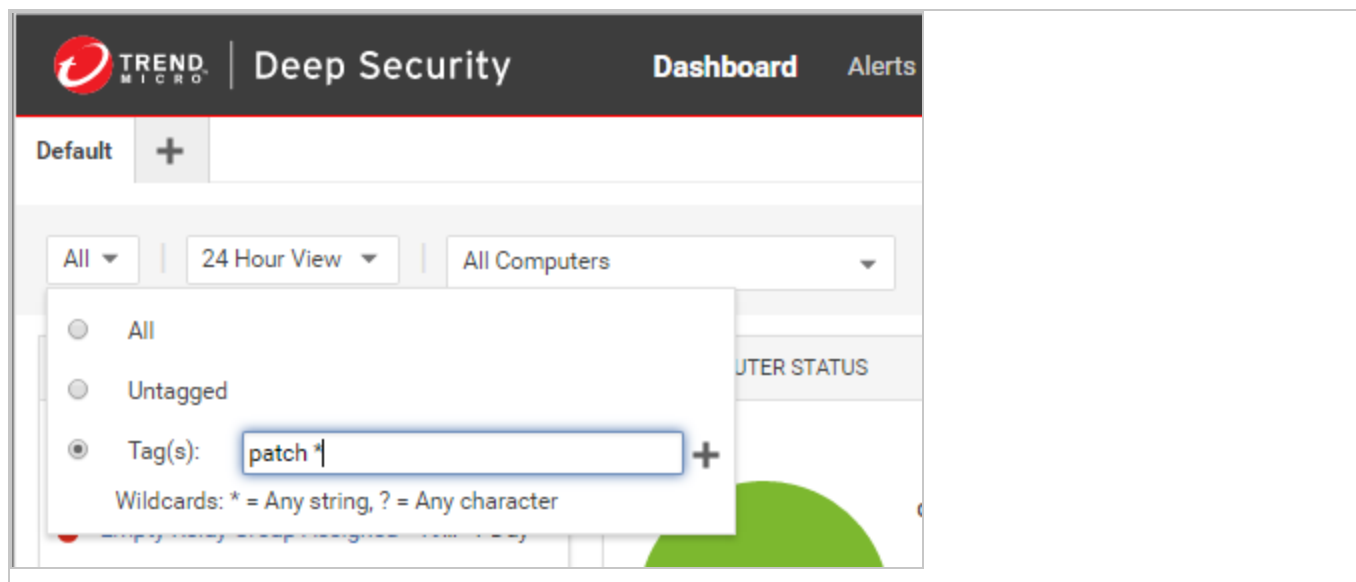
Use the **Computer** menu to filter the displayed data to display only data from specific computers. For example, only those using the **Linux Server** security policy:



Filter by tags

In Deep Security, a **Tag** is a unit of meta-data that you can apply to an Event in order to create an additional attribute for the Event that is not originally contained within the Event itself. Tags can be used to filter Events in order to simplify the task of Event monitoring and management. A typical use of tagging is to distinguish between Events that require action and those that have been investigated and found to be benign.

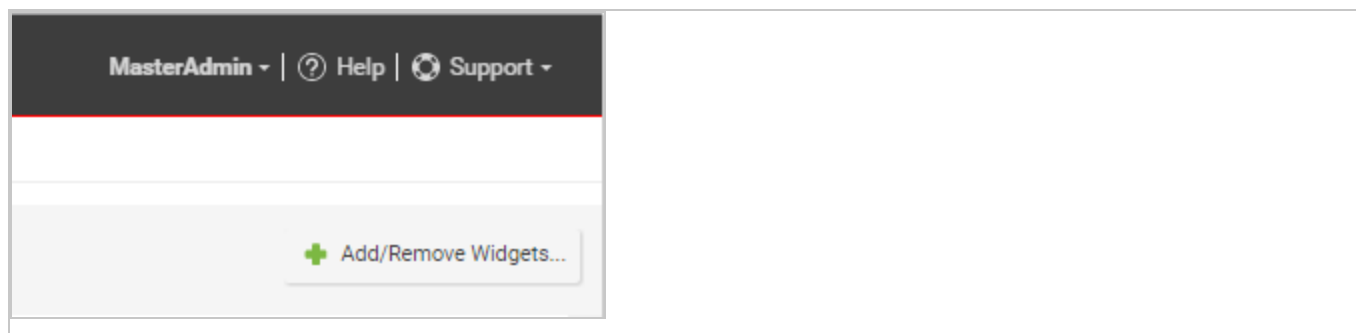
The data displayed in the Dashboard can be filtered by tags:



For more information on tagging see ["Apply tags to identify and group events" on page 887](#).

Select dashboard widgets

Click **Add/Remove Widgets** to display the widget selection window and choose which widgets to display.



Note: If widgets take up extra space on the dashboard (more than 1x1), their dimensions are listed next to their names.

The following widgets are available:

Monitoring:

- **Activity Overview:** Overview of activity, including the number of protected hours and size of database.

- **Alert History [2x1]:** Displays recent alert history, including the severity of alerts.
- **Alert Status:** Summary of alerts, including their age and severity.
- **Computer Status:** Summary of computers, including whether they are managed or unmanaged, and if there are any warnings or critical alerts.
- **Manager Node Status [3x1]:** Displays the name, CPU usage, memory, jobs, and system events on the manager node.
- **Security Update Status:** Displays the update status of computers, including the number of computers that are up-to-date, out-of-date, and unknown.
- **Tenant Database Usage:** Displays the top five tenants ranked by their database size.
- **Tenant Job Activity:** Displays the top five tenants ranked by their total number of jobs.
- **Tenant Protection Activity:** Displays the top five tenants ranked by the hours they've been protected.
- **Tenant Security Event Activity:** Displays the top five tenants ranked by their total number of security events.
- **Tenant Sign-In Activity:** Displays the top five tenants ranked by their sign-in activity.
- **Tenant System Event Activity:** Displays the top five tenants ranked by their total number of system events.
- **Tenants:** Displays tenant information, including the number of tenants and the amount of hours they've been protected.

System:

- **My Sign-in History:** Displays the last 50 sign-in attempts and whether or not they were successful.
- **My User Summary [2x1]:** Displays a summary of the user, including name, role, and sign-in information.
- **Software Updates:** Displays out-of-date computers.
- **System Event History [2x1]:** Displays recent system event history, including the number of events that are categorized as info, warning, or error.

Ransomware:

- **Ransomware Event History [3x1]:** Displays recent ransomware event history, including the event type.

- **Ransomware Status:** Displays the status of ransomware, including the number of ransomware events that occurred in the last 24 hours, the last 7 days, or the last 13 weeks.

Anti-Malware:

- **Anti-Malware Event History [2x1]:** Displays recent Anti-Malware event history, including the action taken for the events.
- **Anti-Malware Protection Status:** Displays a summary of Anti-Malware Protection status on computers, including whether they are protected, unprotected, or not capable of being protected.
- **Anti-Malware Status (Computers) [2x1]:** Displays the top five infected computers, including the amount of uncleanable files and the total number of files affected.
- **Anti-Malware Status (Malware) [2x1]:** Displays the top five detected malware, including their name, amount of uncleanable files, and number of times it was triggered.
- **Malware scan Status [2x1]:** Displays the top five appliances with incomplete scheduled malware scans.

Web Reputation:

- **Web Reputation Computer Activity:** Displays the top five computers with Web Reputation events, including the number of events.
- **Web Reputation Event History [2x1]:** Displays recent Web Reputation event history, including the events severity.
- **Web Reputation URL Activity:** Displays the top five URLs that triggered Web Reputation events, including the number of times they were accessed.

Firewall:

- **Firewall Activity (Detected):** Displays the top five reasons packets were detected, including the number of times.
- **Firewall Activity (Prevented):** Displays the top five reasons packets were prevented, including the number of times.
- **Firewall Computer Activity (Detected):** Displays the top five computers that generated detected Firewall events and the number of times they occurred.

- **Firewall Computer Activity (Prevented)**: Displays the top five computers that generated prevented Firewall events and the number of times they occurred.
- **Firewall Event History [2x1]**: Displays recent Firewall event history, including if the events were detected or prevented.
- **Firewall IP Activity (Detected)**: Displays the top five source IPs that generated detected Firewall events and the number of times they occurred.
- **Firewall IP Activity (Prevented)**: Displays the top five source IPs that generated prevented Firewall events and the number of times they occurred.
- **Firewall Port Activity (Detected)**: Displays the top five destination ports for detected Firewall events and the number of times they occurred.
- **Firewall Port Activity (Prevented)**: Displays the top five computers that generated prevented Firewall events and the number of times they occurred.
- **Reconnaissance Scan Activity**: Displays the top five detected reconnaissance scans, including the number of times they occurred.
- **Reconnaissance Scan Computers**: Displays the top five computers where reconnaissance scans occurred and the number of times they occurred.
- **Reconnaissance Scan History [2x1]**: Displays recent reconnaissance scan history, including the type of scan that occurred.

Intrusion Prevention:

- **Application Type Activity (Detected)**: Displays the top five detected application types, including the number of times they were triggered.
- **Application Type Activity (Prevented)**: Displays the top five prevented application types, including the number of times they were triggered.
- **Application Type Treemap (Detected) [2x2]**: Displays a map of detected application types. Hover over the boxes to display the severity of the events, the number of times it was triggered, and the percentage for each severity level.
- **Application Type Treemap (Prevented) [2x2]**: Displays a map of prevented application types. Hover over the boxes to display the severity of the events, the number of times it was triggered, and the percentage for each severity level.
- **IPS Activity (Detected)**: Displays the top five reasons Intrusion Prevention events were detected, including the number of times it was triggered.
- **IPS Activity (Prevented)**: Displays the top five reasons Intrusion Prevention events were prevented, including the number of times it was triggered.

- **IPS Computer Activity (Detected):** Displays the top five computers with detected Intrusion Prevention events.
- **IPS Computer Activity (Prevented):** Displays the top five computers with prevented Intrusion Prevention events.
- **IPS Event History [2x1]:** Displays recent Intrusion Prevention event history, including if the events were detected or prevented.
- **IPS IP Activity (Detected):** Displays the top five source IPs that generated detected Intrusion Prevention events.
- **IPS IP Activity (Prevented):** Displays the top five source IPs that generated prevented Intrusion Prevention events.
- **Latest IPS Activity (Detected):** Displays the top five reasons Intrusion Prevention events were detected since the latest update.
- **Latest IPS Activity (Prevented):** Displays the top five reasons Intrusion Prevention events were prevented since the latest update.

Integrity Monitoring:

- **Integrity Monitoring Activity:** Displays the top five reasons Integrity Monitoring events occurred, including the number of times. In this case, the reason refers to the rule that was triggered.
- **Integrity Monitoring Computer Activity:** Displays the top five computers where Integrity Monitoring events occurred, including the number of events.
- **Integrity Monitoring Event History [2x1]:** Displays recent Integrity Monitoring event history, including the severity of events.
- **Integrity Monitoring Key Activity:** Displays the top five keys for Integrity Monitoring events. The source of the key varies by Entity Set - for files and directories it's their path, whereas for ports it's their unique protocol, IP, port number, or tuple.

Log Inspection:

- **Log Inspection Activity:** Displays the top five reasons Integrity Monitoring events occurred, including the number. In this case, the reason refers to the rule that was triggered.
- **Log Inspection Computer Activity:** Displays the top five computers where Log Inspection events occurred, including the number of events.

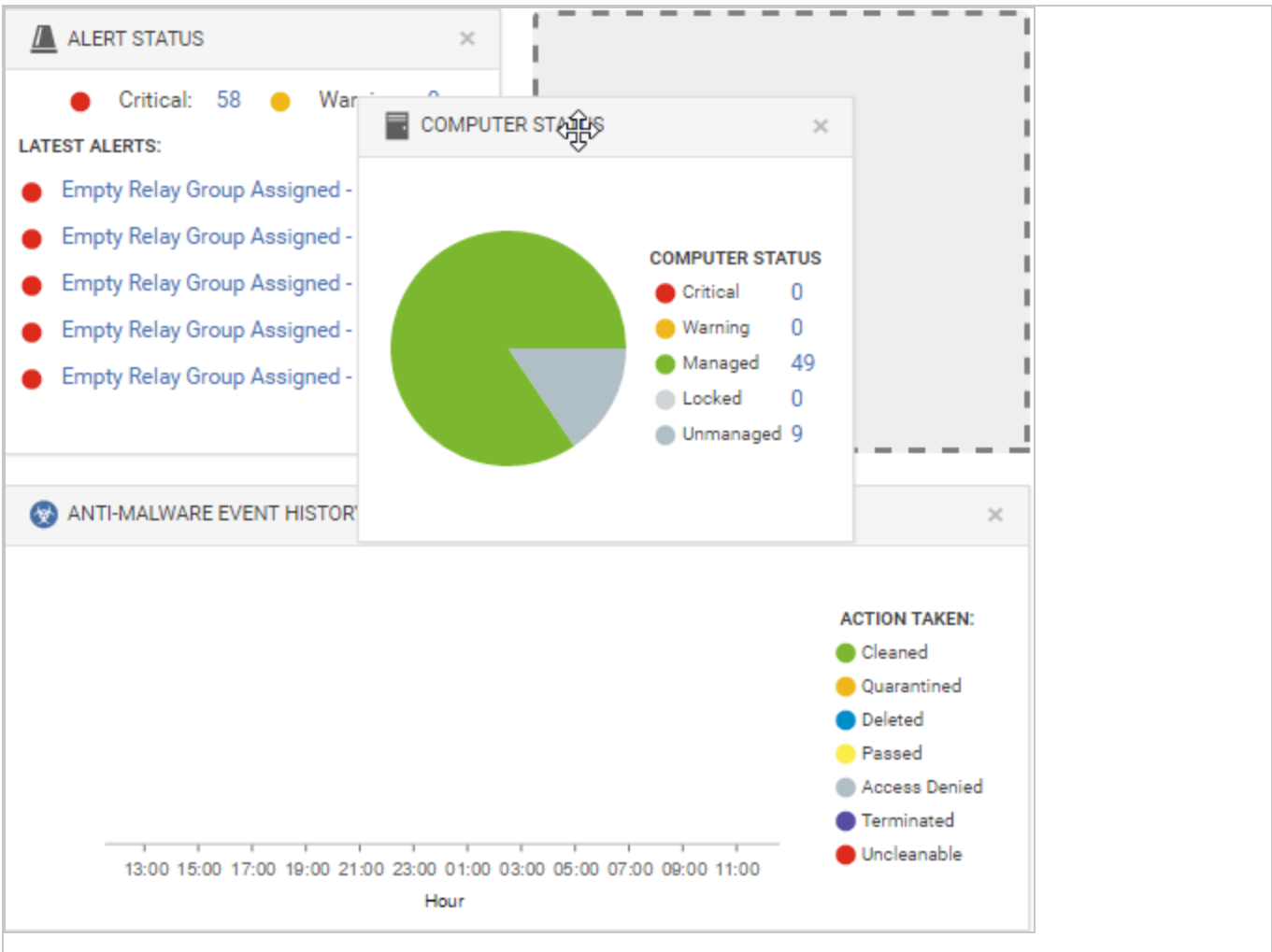
- **Log Inspection Description Activity:** Displays the top five descriptions for Log Inspection events, including the number of times they occurred. The description refers to the event that was triggered.
- **Log Inspection Event History [2x1]:** Displays recent Log Inspection event history, including the severity of events.

Application Control:

- **Application Control Maintenance Mode Status [2x1]:** Displays the computers in maintenance mode, including their start and end time.

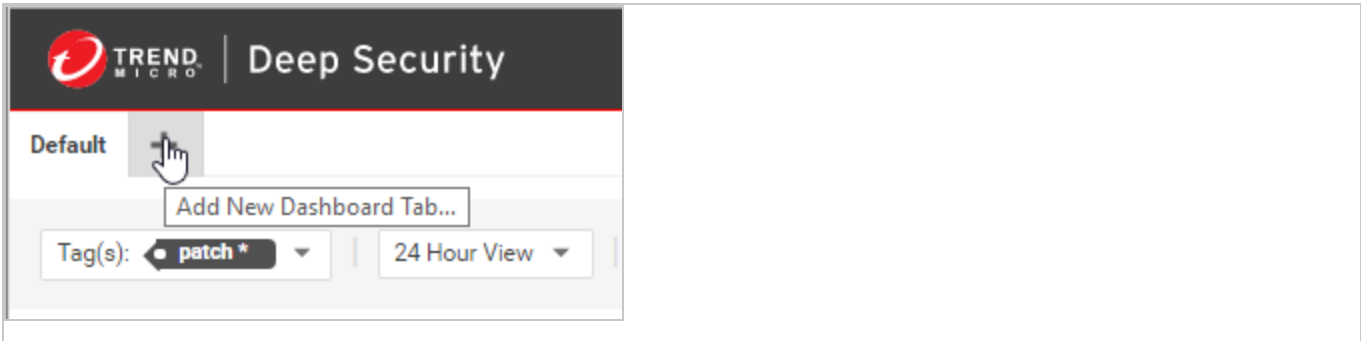
Change the layout

The selected widgets can be moved around the dashboard by dragging them by their title bar. Move the widget over an existing one and they will exchange places. (The widget that is about to be displaced will temporarily gray out.)



Save and manage dashboard layouts

You can create multiple dashboard layouts and save them as separate tabs. Your Dashboard settings and layouts will not be visible to other Users after you sign out. To create a new Dashboard tab, click the "plus" symbol to the right of the last tab on the Dashboard:



Events in Deep Security

Deep Security Agents record when a protection module rule or condition is triggered (a "security event"). Agents and Deep Security Manager also records when administrative or system-related events occur (a "system event"), such as an administrator logging in, or agent software being upgraded. Event data is used to populate the various reports and graphs in Deep Security Manager.

To view events, go to **Events & Reports** in Deep Security Manager.

Where are event logs on the agent?

Location varies by the computer's operating system. On Windows, event logs are stored in this location:

```
C:\Program Data\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\Diag
```

On Linux, event logs are stored here:

```
/var/opt/ds_agent/diag
```

Note: These locations only contain standard-level logs; diagnostic debug-level logs have a different location. For performance reasons, debug-level logging is not enabled by default. You should only enable debug logging if diagnosing an issue with Trend Micro technical support, and make sure to disable debug logging when you are done. For more information, see [Enabling detailed logging on Deep Security Agent \(DSA\)](#).

When are events sent to the manager?

Most events that take place on a computer are sent to the Deep Security Manager during the next heartbeat operation except the following, which will be sent right away if communication settings allow relays/agents to initiate communication:

- Smart Scan Server is offline
- Smart Scan Server is back online
- Integrity Monitoring scan is complete
- Integrity Monitoring baseline created
- Unrecognized elements in an Integrity Monitoring Rule

- Elements of an Integrity Monitoring Rule are unsupported on the local platform
- Abnormal restart detected
- Low disk space warning
- Log Inspection offline
- Log Inspection back online
- Reconnaissance scan detected (if the setting is enabled in **Computer or Policy editor**¹ > Firewall > Reconnaissance

How long are events stored?

Once collected by the Deep Security Manager, events are kept for a period of time, which is specified on the **Administration > System Settings > Storage** page. For details, see ["Log and event storage best practices" on page 882](#).

System events

All the Deep Security system events are listed and can be configured on the **Administration > System Settings > System Events** tab. You can set whether to record the individual events and whether to forward them to a SIEM system. For details on system events, see ["System events" on page 1020](#).

Security events

Each protection module generates events when rules are triggered or other configuration conditions are met. Some of this security event generation is configurable. For information on specific types of security events, refer to these articles:

- ["Anti-malware events" on page 1054](#)
- ["View and restore identified malware" on page 601](#)
- ["Application Control events" on page 1052](#)
- ["Firewall events" on page 1056](#)
- ["Integrity monitoring events" on page 1069](#)

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

- ["Intrusion prevention events" on page 1064](#)
- ["Log inspection events" on page 1073](#)
- ["Web reputation events" on page 1074](#)

The firewall stateful configuration in effect on a computer can be modified to enable or disable TCP, UDP, and ICMP event logging. To edit the properties of a stateful firewall configuration, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Firewall Stateful Configurations**. The logging options are in the **TCP**, **UDP**, and **ICMP** tabs of the firewall stateful configuration's **Properties** window. For more information about firewall events, see ["Firewall events" on page 1056](#).

See the events associated with a policy or computer

The **Policy editor**¹ and the **Computer editor**² both have **Events** tabs for each protection module. The policy editor displays events associated with the current policy. The computer editor displays events specific to the current computer.

View details about an event

To see details about an event, double-click it.

The **General** tab displays:

- **Time:** The time according to the system clock on the computer hosting the Deep Security Manager.
- **Level:** The severity level of event that occurred. Event levels include **Info**, **Warning**, and **Error**.
- **Event ID:** The event type's unique identifier.
- **Event:** The name of the event (associated with the event ID.)
- **Target:** The system object associated with the event will be identified here. Clicking the object's identification will display the object's properties sheet.
- **Event Origin:** The Deep Security component from which the event originated.
- **Action Performed By:** If the event was initiated by a user, that user's username will be displayed here. Clicking the username will display the **User Properties** window.

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

²To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

- **Manager:** The hostname of the Deep Security Manager computer.
- **Description:** If appropriate, the specific details of what action was performed to trigger this event are displayed here.

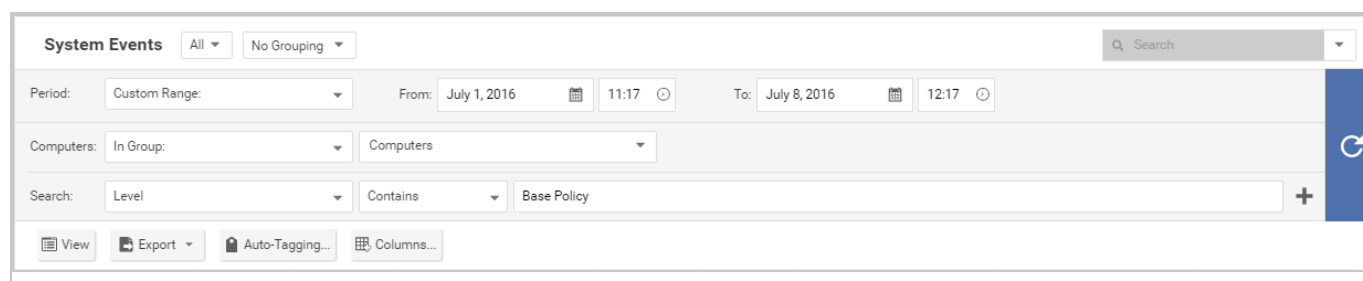
The **Tags** tab displays tags that have been attached to this event. For more information on event tagging, see **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Tags**, and ["Apply tags to identify and group events" on page 887](#).

Filter the list to search for an event

The **Period** toolbar lets you filter the list to display only those events that occurred within a specific timeframe.

The **Computers** toolbar lets you organize the display of event log entries by computer groups or computer policies.

Clicking **Search > Open Advanced Search** toggles the display of the advanced search bar.



The screenshot shows the 'System Events' toolbar. It includes a search bar with a magnifying glass icon and a dropdown arrow. Below the search bar, there are two rows of filters. The first row has 'Period:' followed by a 'Custom Range' dropdown, and 'From:' and 'To:' date and time pickers. The second row has 'Computers:' followed by an 'In Group' dropdown and a 'Computers' dropdown. Below these, there is a 'Search:' section with a 'Level' dropdown, a 'Contains' dropdown, and a text input field containing 'Base Policy'. To the right of the text input is a plus sign (+). At the bottom of the toolbar, there are buttons for 'View', 'Export', 'Auto-Tagging...', and 'Columns...'. A blue vertical bar with a white 'C' icon is on the right side of the toolbar.

Clicking the "Add Search Bar" button (+) to the right of the search bar will display an additional search bar so you can apply multiple parameters to your search. When you are ready, press the "Submit Request" button (at the right of the toolbars with the right-arrow on it).

Export events

You can export displayed events to a CSV file. (Paging is ignored, all pages will be exported.) You have the option of exporting the displayed list or the selected items.

Improve logging performance

Here are some suggestions to help maximize the performance of event collection:

- Reduce or disable log collection for computers that are not of interest.
- Consider reducing the logging of firewall rule activity by disabling some logging options in the firewall stateful configuration **Properties** window. For example, disabling the UDP logging will eliminate the "Unsolicited UDP" log entries.

Log and event storage best practices

Best practices for log and event data storage depend on the data compliance regulations you must meet, such as PCI and HIPAA. Also consider optimizing the use of your database. Storing too much data may affect database performance and size requirements.

If you're storing too much data in your database, these symptoms may occur:

- Error messages that systems may be experiencing loss of database activity
- Inability to import software updates
- General slow-down in Deep Security

To avoid those symptoms:

1. Store system events according to the compliance standard requirement.
2. Forward system and security events to external storage. See ["Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server" on page 897](#). Then you can reduce how long events are kept in the local database.
3. Set thresholds in the log inspection module for event storage or event forwarding. **Severity clipping** allows you to send events to a Syslog server (if enabled) or to store events based on the severity level of the log inspection rule. See ["Configure log inspection event forwarding and storage" on page 768](#).

Default local storage settings are in the table below. To change these settings, go to **Administration > System Settings > Storage**. To delete software versions or older rule updates, go to **Administration > Updates > Software > Local** or **Administration > Updates > Security > Rules**.

Tip: To reduce database disk space usage, forward events to an external Syslog server or SIEM and reduce the local event retention time. Only keep counters locally.

Data type settings	Data pruning default setting
Automatically delete Anti-Malware Events older than	7 Days
Automatically delete Web Reputation Events older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete Firewall Events older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete Intrusion Prevention Events older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete Integrity Monitoring Events older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete Log Inspection Events older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete Application Control Events older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete System Events older than:	53 Weeks
Automatically delete Server Logs older than:	7 Days
Automatically delete Counters older than:	13 Weeks
Number of older software versions to keep per platform:*	5
Number of older Rule Updates to keep:	10

* If multi-tenancy is enabled, this setting will not be available.

Note: If using a PostgreSQL database, old events might not be pruned immediately. PostgreSQL maintenance jobs periodically remove the old events' database partitions. Pruning will occur during the next scheduled job.

Events are records of individual events. They populate the **Events** pages.

Counters are the number of times individual events have occurred. They populate the dashboard widgets (number of firewall events over the last 7 days, etc.) and the reports.

Server log files are from Deep Security Manager's web server. They don't include event logs from agents installed on your network's web servers.

Troubleshooting

During troubleshooting, it may be useful to increase the logging level and record more detailed events.

Increased logging can significantly increase disk space usage. Reduce the logging level again when you have finished troubleshooting.

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
2. Go to **Settings > General > Logging Level**.
3. Choose whether to inherit the logging override settings from the policy assigned to this computer (**Inherited**), to not override logging settings (**Do Not Override**), to log all triggered firewall rules (**Full Firewall Event Logging**), to log all triggered intrusion prevention rules (**Full Intrusion Prevention Event Logging**), or to log all triggered rules (**Full Logging**).
4. Click **Save**.

Limit log file sizes

You can set the maximum size of each individual log file and how many of the most recent files are kept. Event log files will be written to until they reach the maximum allowed size, at which point a new file will be created and written to until it reaches the maximum size and so on. Once the maximum number of files is reached, the oldest will be deleted before a new file is created. Event log entries usually average around 200 bytes in size and so a 4 MB log file will hold about 20,000 log entries. How quickly your log files fill up depends on the number of rules in place.

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**² for the policy that you want to configure.
2. Go to **Settings > Advanced > Events**.
3. Configure these properties:
 - **Maximum size of the event log files (on Agent/Appliance):** Maximum size that the log file can reach before a new log file is created.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

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- **Number of event log files to retain (on Agent/Appliance):** Maximum number of log files that will be kept. Once the maximum number of log files is reached, the oldest file will be deleted before a new one is created.
- **Do Not Record Events with Source IP of:** This option is useful if you don't want Deep Security to make record events for traffic from certain trusted computers.

Note: The following three settings let you fine tune event aggregation. To save disk space, Deep Security Agents and Appliances will take multiple occurrences of identical events and aggregate them into a single entry and append a "repeat count", a "first occurrence" timestamp, and a "last occurrence" timestamp. To aggregate event entries, Deep Security Agents and Appliances need to cache the entries in memory and then write them to disk.

- **Cache Size:** Determines how many types of events to track at any given time. Setting a value of 10 means that 10 types of events will be tracked (with a repeat count, first occurrence timestamp, and last occurrence timestamp). When a new type of event occurs, the oldest of the 10 aggregated events will be flushed from the cache and written to disk.
- **Cache Lifetime:** Determines how long to keep a record in the cache before flushing it to disk. If this value is 10 minutes and nothing else causes the record to be flushed, any record that reaches an age of 10 minutes gets flushed to disk.
- **Cache Stale time:** Determines how long to keep a record whose repeat count has not been recently incremented. If Cache Lifetime is 10 minutes and Cache Staletime is 2 minutes, an event record which has gone 2 minutes without being incremented will be flushed and written to disk.

Note: Regardless of the above settings, the cache is flushed whenever events are sent to the Deep Security Manager.

4. Click **Save**.

Event logging tips

- On computers that are less important, modify the amount of logs collected. This can be done in the **Events** and **Advanced Network Engine Options** areas on the **Computer or**

Policy editor¹ > **Settings** > **Advanced** tab.

- Consider reducing the event logging of firewall rule activity by disabling the event logging options in the firewall stateful configuration. (For example, if you disable UDP logging, it will eliminate unsolicited UDP log entries.)
- For intrusion prevention rules, the best practice is to log only dropped packets. If you log packet modifications, it may cause too many log entries.
- For intrusion prevention rules, only include packet data (an option in the intrusion prevention rule's **Properties** window) when you are interested in examining the behavior of a specific attack. Packet data increases log sizes, so it shouldn't be used for everything.

Anti-Malware scan failure events

The following section contains information on Anti-Malware scan failure events, including recommended actions to help you deal with these events when they occur.

Note: Scan failure events can occur for Manual, Quick, or Scheduled scans.

Event reason	Description	Recommended action
Empty configuration	Malware Scan could not be started. This is caused by an empty Malware Scan configuration.	1. From the Computer or Policy editor, go to Anti-Malware > General. 2. Make sure a Malware Scan configuration is assigned to the Scheduled scan. 3. Rerun the scan.
Anti-Malware module is off	Malware Scan could not be started. This is because the Anti-Malware module is turned off.	1. From the Computer or Policy editor, go to Anti-Malware > General. 2. Make sure the Anti-Malware state is "On" or "Inherited (On)." 3. Rerun the scan.
Anti-Malware service stops	Malware Scan failed because the Anti-Malware service is being terminated.	1. From the Computer or Policy editor, go to Overview > General, and click Check Status.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Event reason	Description	Recommended action
		2. If the Anti-Malware Status is "Anti-Malware Engine Offline," follow the procedure to solve the "Error: Anti-Malware Engine Offline" on page 1081 issue. 3. Rerun the scan.
Anti-Malware engine is offline	Malware Scan failed because the Anti-Malware engine is offline.	1. Follow the procedure to solve the "Error: Anti-Malware Engine Offline" on page 1081 issue. 2. Rerun the scan.
Fail to access configuration	Malware Scan failed because of an inaccessible Anti-Malware configuration. (This may be due to an unexpected internal error or timing issue.)	1. From the Computers page, right-click the target computer and go to Actions > Assign Policy. 2. Rerun the scan.
Other scan task is running	Malware Scan failed because another scan task is in progress. (This may be due to an unexpected internal error or timing issue.)	1. From the Computers page, check the Task(s) column for the target computer to see if another Malware Scan is in progress. 2. If yes, either wait for the current scan task to complete or right-click the target computer and go to Actions > Cancel Malware Scan. 3. Rerun the scan.
Unknown reason on agent	Malware Scan failed for an unknown reason.	1. Collect the system event information and follow the procedure to "Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239. 2. Contact support.

Apply tags to identify and group events

Deep Security enables you to create tags that you can use to identify and sort events. For example, you might use tags to separate events that are benign from those that require further investigation. You can use tags to create customized dashboards and reports.

Although you can use event tagging for a variety of purposes, it was designed to ease the burden of event management. After you have analyzed an event and determined that it is benign, you can look through the event logs of the computer (and any other similarly configured and tasked computers) to find similar events and apply the same label to them, eliminating the need to analyze each event individually.

To view tags that are currently in use, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Tags**.

Note: Tags do not alter the data in the events themselves, nor do they allow users to delete events. They are simply extra attributes provided by the manager.

You can perform tagging the following ways:

- **"Manual tagging" below** lets you tag specific events as needed.
- **"Auto-tagging" below** lets you use an existing event as the model for auto-tagging similar events on the same or other computers. You define the parameters for "similarity" by selecting which event attributes have to match the model event attributes for a tag to be applied.
- **"Trusted source tagging" on page 890** lets you auto-tag integrity monitoring events based on their similarity to known-good events from a trusted source.

Note: An important difference between standard tagging and trusted source tagging is that "Run on Existing Events Now" can only be done with standard event tagging

Manual tagging

1. Go to **Events & Reports > Events** and select an event list. Right-click the event (or select multiple events and right-click) and select **Add Tag(s)**.
2. Type a name for the tag. Deep Security Manager will suggest matching names of existing tags as you type.
3. Select **The Selected [Event Type] Event**. Click **Next**.
4. Enter some optional comments and click **Finish**.

In the events list, you can see your tag in the **TAG(S)** column.

Auto-tagging

Deep Security Manager enables you to define rules that apply the same tag to similar events automatically. To view existing saved auto-tagging rules, click **Auto-Tagging** in the menu bar on

any **Events** page. You can run saved rules manually from this page.

1. Go to **Events & Reports > Events** and select an event list. Right-click a representative event and select **Add Tag(s)**.
2. Type a name for the tag. Deep Security Manager will suggest matching names of existing tags as you type.
3. Select **Apply to selected and similar [Event Type] Events** and click **Next**.
4. Select the computers where you want to auto-tag events and click **Next**. When applying tags to system events, this page is skipped.
5. Select which attributes will be examined to determine whether events are similar. For the most part, the attribute options are the same as the information displayed in the columns of the **Events** list pages. When you have selected which attributes to include in the event selection process, click **Next**.
6. On the next page, specify when events should be tagged. If you select **Existing [Event Type] Events**, you can select **Apply Auto-Tag Rule now** to apply the auto-tagging rule immediately, or **Apply Auto-Tag Rule in the background** to have it run in the background at a lower priority. Select **Future [Event Type] Events** to apply the auto-tagging rule to events that will happen in the future. You can also save the auto-tagging rule by selecting **Save Auto-Tag Rule** and optionally entering a name. Click **Next**.
7. Review the summary of your auto-tagging rule and click **Finish**.

In the events list, you can see that your original event and all similar events have been tagged

Note: Event tagging only occurs after events have been retrieved from the agents or appliances to the Deep Security Manager database.

Set the precedence for an auto-tagging rule

Once an auto-tagging rule is created, you can assign it a **Precedence** value. If the auto-tagging rule has been configured to run on future events, the rule's precedence determines the order in which all auto-tagging rules are applied to incoming events. For example, you can have a rule with a precedence value of "1" that tags all "User Signed In" events as "suspicious", and a rule with a precedence value of "2" that removes the "suspicious" tag from all "User Signed In" events where the target (user) is you. This will result in a "suspicious" tag being applied to all future "User Signed In" events where the user is not you.

1. In an events list, click **Auto-Tagging** to display a list of saved auto-tagging rules.
2. Right-click an auto-tagging rule and select **Details**.
3. In the **General** tab, select a **Precedence** for the rule.

Auto-tagging log inspection events

Log inspection events are auto-tagged based upon their grouping in the log file structure. This simplifies and automates the processing of log inspection events within Deep Security Manager. You can use auto-tagging to automatically apply tags for the log inspection groups. Log inspection rules have groups associated with them in the rules. For example:

```
<rule id="18126" level="3">
  <if_sid>18101</if_sid>
  <id>^20158</id>
  <description>Remote access login success</description>
  <group>authentication_success,</group>
</rule>

<rule id="18127" level="8">
  <if_sid>18104</if_sid>
  <id>^646|^647</id>
  <description>Computer account changed/deleted</description>
  <group>account_changed,</group>
</rule>
```

Each group name has a "friendly" name string associated with it. In the above example, "authentication_success" would be "Authentication Success", "account_changed" would be "Account Changed". When this checkbox is set, the friendly names are automatically added as a tag for that event. If multiple rules trigger, multiple tags will be attached to the event.

Trusted source tagging

Note: Trusted source event tagging can only be used with events generated by the integrity monitoring protection module.

The integrity monitoring module allows you to monitor system components and associated attributes on a computer for changes. ("Changes" include creation and deletion as well as edits.) Among the components that you can monitor for changes are files, directories, groups, installed software, listening port numbers, processes, registry keys, and so on.

Trusted source event tagging is designed to reduce the number of events that need to be analyzed by automatically identifying events associated with authorized changes.

In addition to auto-tagging similar events, the integrity monitoring module allows you to tag events based on their similarity to events and data found on **Trusted Sources**. A trusted source can be either:

1. A **local trusted computer**,
2. The **Trend Micro Certified Safe Software Service**, or
3. A **trusted common baseline**, which is a set of file states collected from a group of computers.

Local trusted computer

A trusted computer is a computer that will be used as a "model" computer that you know will only generate benign or harmless events. A "target" computer is a computer that you are monitoring for unauthorized or unexpected changes. The auto-tagging rule examines events on target computers and compares them to events from the trusted computer. If any events match, they are tagged with the tag defined in the auto-tagging rule.

You can establish auto-tagging rules that compare events on protected computers to events on a trusted computer. For example, a planned rollout of a patch can be applied to the trusted computer. The events associated with the application of the patch can be tagged as "Patch X". Similar events raised on other systems can be auto-tagged and identified as acceptable changes and filtered out to reduce the number of events that need to be evaluated.

How does Deep Security determine whether an event on a target computer matches an event on a trusted source computer?

Integrity monitoring events contain information about transitions from one state to another. In other words, events contain *before* and *after* information. When comparing events, the auto-tagging engine will look for matching before and after states; if the two events share the same before and after states, the events are judged to be a match and a tag is applied to the second event. This also applies to creation and deletion events.

Note: Remember that when using a trusted computer for trusted source event tagging, the events being tagged are events generated by integrity monitoring rules. This means that the integrity monitoring rules that are generating events on the target computer must also be running on the trusted source computer.

Note: Trusted source computers must be scanned for malware before applying trusted source event tagging.

Note: Utilities that regularly make modifications to the content of files on a system (prelinking on Linux, for example) can interfere with trusted source event tagging.

Tag events based on a local trusted computer

1. Make sure the trusted computer is free of malware by running a full anti-malware scan.
2. Make sure the computer(s) on which you want to auto-tag events are running the same (or some of the same) integrity monitoring rules as the trusted source computer.
3. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Events & Reports > Integrity Monitoring Events** and click **Auto-Tagging** in the toolbar.
4. In the **Auto-Tag Rules (Integrity Monitoring Events)** window, click **New Trusted Source** to display the **Tag Wizard**.
5. Select **Local Trusted Computer** and click **Next**.
6. From the list, select the computer that will be the trusted source and click **Next**.
7. Specify one or more tags to apply to events on target computers when they match events on this trusted source computer. Click **Next**.

Note: You can enter the text for a new tag or select from a list of existing tags.

8. Identify the target computers whose events will be matched to those of the trusted source. Click **Next**.
9. Optionally, give the rule a name and click **Finish**.

Tag events based on the Trend Micro Certified Safe Software Service

The Certified Safe Software Service is a list of known-good file signatures maintained by Trend Micro. This type of trusted source tagging will monitor target computers for file-related integrity monitoring events. When an event has been recorded, the file's signature (after the change) is compared to Trend Micro's list of known good file signatures. If a match is found, the event is tagged.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Events & Reports > Integrity Monitoring Events** and click **Auto-Tagging** in the toolbar.
2. In the **Auto-Tag Rules (Integrity Monitoring Events)** window, click **New Trusted Source** to display the **Tag Wizard**.
3. Select **Certified Safe Software Service** and click **Next**.
4. Specify one or more tags to apply to events on target computers when they match the Certified Safe Software Service. Click **Next**.
5. Identify the target computers whose events will be matched to the Certified Safe Software Service. Click **Next**.
6. Optionally, give the rule a name and click **Finish**.

Tag events based on a trusted common baseline

The trusted common baseline method compares events within a group of computers. A group of computers is identified and a common baseline is generated based on the files and system states targeted by the integrity monitoring rules in effect on the computers in the group. When an integrity monitoring event occurs on a computer within the group, the signature of the file after the change is compared to the common baseline. If the file's new signature has a match elsewhere in the common baseline, a tag is applied to the event. In trusted computer method, the before and after states of an integrity monitoring event are compared, but in the trusted common baseline method, only the after state is compared.

Note: This method relies on all the computers in the common group being secure and free of malware. A full anti-malware scan should be run on all the computers in the group before the common baseline is generated.

Note: When an integrity monitoring baseline is generated for a computer, Deep Security will first check if that computer is part of a trusted common baseline group. If it is, it will include the computer's baseline data in the trusted common baseline for that group. For this reason, the trusted common baseline auto-tagging rule must be in place before any integrity monitoring rules have been applied to the computers in the common baseline group.

1. Make sure all the computers that will be in the group that will make up the trusted common baseline are free of malware by running a full anti-malware scan on them.
2. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Events & Reports > Integrity Monitoring Events** and click **Auto-Tagging** in the toolbar.
3. In the **Auto-Tag Rules (Integrity Monitoring Events)** window, click **New Trusted Source** to display the **Tag Wizard**.
4. Select **Trusted Common Baseline** and click **Next**.
5. Specify one or more tags to apply to events when they have a match in the trusted common baseline and click **Next**.
6. Identify the computers to include in the group used to generate the trusted common baseline. Click **Next**.
7. Optionally, give this rule a name and click **Finish**.

Delete a tag

1. In an events list, right-click the events with the tag you want to delete, and select **Remove Tag(s)**.

2. Select the tag you'd like to remove. Choose to remove the tag from **The Selected [Event Type] Event** or to **Apply to selected similar [Event Type] Events**. Click **Next**.
3. Enter some optional comments and click **Finish**.

Reduce the number of logged events

To reduce the number of events being logged, the Deep Security Manager can be configured to operate in one of several **Advanced Logging Policy** modes. These modes are set in the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ on the **Settings > Advanced > Advanced Network Engine Settings** area.

The following table lists the types of events that are ignored in four of the more complex Advanced Logging Policy modes:

Mode	Ignored Events
Stateful and Normalization Suppression	Out Of Connection Invalid Flags Invalid Sequence Invalid ACK Unsolicited UDP Unsolicited ICMP Out Of Allowed Policy Dropped Retransmit
Stateful, Normalization, and Frag Suppression	Out Of Connection Invalid Flags Invalid Sequence Invalid ACK Unsolicited UDP Unsolicited ICMP Out Of Allowed Policy CE Flags Invalid IP Invalid IP Datagram Length Fragmented Invalid Fragment Offset First Fragment Too Small Fragment Out Of Bounds Fragment Offset Too Small IPv6 Packet Max Incoming Connections

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Mode	Ignored Events
	Max Outgoing Connections Max SYN Sent License Expired IP Version Unknown Invalid Packet Info Maximum ACK Retransmit Packet on Closed Connection Dropped Retransmit
Stateful, Frag, and Verifier Suppression	Out Of Connection Invalid Flags Invalid Sequence Invalid ACK Unsolicited UDP Unsolicited ICMP Out Of Allowed Policy CE Flags Invalid IP Invalid IP Datagram Length Fragmented Invalid Fragment Offset First Fragment Too Small Fragment Out Of Bounds Fragment Offset Too Small IPv6 Packet Max Incoming Connections Max Outgoing Connections Max SYN Sent License Expired IP Version Unknown Invalid Packet Info Invalid Data Offset No IP Header Unreadable Ethernet Header Undefined Same Source and Destination IP Invalid TCP Header Length Unreadable Protocol Header Unreadable IPv4 Header Unknown IP Version Maximum ACK Retransmit Packet on Closed Connection Dropped Retransmit
Tap Mode	Out Of Connection Invalid Flags Invalid Sequence Invalid ACK Maximum ACK Retransmit Packet on Closed Connection

Mode	Ignored Events
	Dropped Retransmit

Rank events to quantify their importance

The ranking system provides a way to quantify the importance of events. By assigning "asset values" to computers, and assigning severity or risk values to rules, the importance ("rank") of an event is calculated by multiplying the two values together. This allows you to sort events by rank.

Note: Unlike the other modules, Anti-Malware does not use asset values to rank event importance.

Web Reputation event risk values

Risk values for Web Reputation events are linked to the three levels of risk used by the Web Reputation settings on the **General** tab of the **Web Reputation** page:

- **Dangerous:** corresponds to "A URL that has been confirmed as fraudulent or a known source of threats."
- **Highly Suspicious:** corresponds to "A URL that is suspected to be fraudulent or a known source of threats."
- **Suspicious:** corresponds to "A URL that is associated with spam or possibly compromised."
- **Blocked by Administrator:** A URL that is on the Web Reputation Service **Blocked** list.
- **Untested:** A URL that does not have a risk level.

Firewall rule severity values

Severity values for Firewall rules are linked to their actions: Deny, Log Only, and Packet Rejection. (The latter refers to packets rejected because of a Firewall stateful configuration setting.) Use this panel to edit the severity values which will be multiplied by a computer's asset value to determine the rank of a Firewall event. (A Firewall rule's actions can be viewed and edited in the rule's **Properties** window.)

Intrusion Prevention rule severity values

Intrusion Prevention rule severity values are linked to their severity levels: Critical, High, Medium, Low, or Error. Use this panel to edit their values which will be multiplied by a computer's asset value to determine the rank of an Intrusion Prevention event. An Intrusion Prevention rule's severity setting can be viewed in the rule's **Properties** window.

Integrity Monitoring rule severity values

Integrity Monitoring rule severity values are linked to their severity levels: Critical, High, Medium, or Low. Use this panel to edit their values which will be multiplied by a computer's asset value to determine the rank of an Integrity Monitoring event. An Integrity Monitoring rule's severity can be viewed in the rule's **Properties** window.

Log Inspection rule severity values

Log Inspection rule severity values are linked to their severity levels: Critical, High, Medium, or Low. Use this panel to edit their values which will be multiplied by a computer's asset value to determine the rank of a Log Inspection event. A Log Inspection rule's severity level can be viewed and edited from the rule's **Properties** window.

Asset values

Asset values are not associated with any of their other properties like Intrusion Prevention rules or Firewall rules. Instead, asset values are properties in themselves. A computer's asset value can be viewed and edited from the computer's **Details** window. To simplify the process of assigning asset values, you can predefine some values that will appear in the **Asset Importance** list in the first page of the computer's **Details** window. To view existing predefined computer asset values, click the **View Asset Values** button in this panel. The **Asset Values** window displays the predefined settings. These values can be changed, and new ones can be created. (New settings will appear in the list for all computers.)

Forward Deep Security events to a Syslog or SIEM server

You can send events to an external Syslog or Security Information and Event Management (SIEM) server. This can be useful for centralized monitoring, custom reporting, or to free local disk space on Deep Security Manager.

Note: Even if you enable event forwarding to an external server, Deep Security Manager still records system and security events locally in order to display them in reports and graphs. Therefore if you need to reduce disk space usage, event forwarding is not enough; you should also configure [how long to keep events locally](#).

Tip: Alternatively, if you want to publish events to Amazon SNS, see ["Access events with Amazon SNS" on page 955](#).

Basic steps include:

1. ["Allow event forwarding network traffic" below](#)
2. ["Request a client certificate" below](#)
3. ["Define a Syslog configuration" on the next page](#)
4. ["Forward system events" on page 901](#) and/or ["Forward security events" on page 902](#)

Allow event forwarding network traffic

All routers, firewalls, and security groups must allow inbound traffic from Deep Security Manager (and, for direct forwarding of security events, inbound traffic from agents) to your Syslog server. See also ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#).

Request a client certificate

If you want to forward events securely (over TLS), and if your Syslog server requires client authentication, then you must generate a *client* (not server) certificate signing request (CSR). Deep Security Manager will use this certificate to identify and authenticate itself when it connects as a client to the Syslog server. For details on how to request a client certificate, contact your certificate authority (CA).

Note: Some Syslog servers do not accept self-signed server certificates (such as Deep Security Manager's default). A CA-signed, client certificate is required.

Use either a CA that the Syslog server trusts, or an intermediate CA whose certificate was signed, directly or indirectly, by a trusted root CA. (This is also called a "trust chain" or "signing chain".)

Once you receive the signed certificate from your CA, to upload it to Deep Security Manager, continue with ["Define a Syslog configuration" on the next page](#).

Define a Syslog configuration

Syslog configurations define the destination and settings that can be used when forwarding system or security events.

If you configured SIEM or Syslog settings before January 26th, 2017, they have been converted to Syslog configurations. Identical configurations were merged.

1. Go to **Policies > Common Objects > Other > Syslog Configurations**.
2. Click **New > New Configuration**.

3. On the **General** tab, configure:

- **Name:** Unique name that identifies the configuration.
- **Description:** Optional description of the configuration.
- **Log Source Identifier:** Optional identifier to use instead of Deep Security Manager's hostname.

If Deep Security Manager is multi-node, each server node has a different hostname. Log source IDs can therefore be different. If you need the IDs to be the same regardless of hostname (for example, for filtering purposes), you can configure their shared log source ID here.

This setting does not apply to events sent directly by Deep Security Agent, which always uses its hostname as the log source ID.

- **Server Name:** Hostname or IP address of the receiving Syslog or SIEM server.
- **Server Port:** Listening port number on the SIEM or Syslog server. For UDP, the IANA standard port number is 514. For TLS, it's usually port 6514. See also ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#).
- **Transport:** Whether the transport protocol is secure (TLS) or not (UDP).

With UDP, Syslog messages are limited to 64 KB. If the message is longer, data may be truncated.

With TLS, the manager and Syslog server must trust each other's certificates. The connection from the manager to the Syslog server is encrypted with TLS 1.2, 1.1, or 1.0.

Note:

TLS requires that you set **Agents should forward logs to Via the Deep Security Manager** (indirectly). Agents do not support forwarding with TLS.

- **Event Format:** Whether the log message's format is LEEF, CEF, or basic Syslog. See ["Syslog message formats" on page 904](#)

Note: LEEF format requires that you set **Agents should forward logs to Via the Deep Security Manager** (indirectly).

Note: Basic Syslog format is not supported by Deep Security Anti-Malware, Web Reputation, Integrity Monitoring, and Application Control.

- **Include time zone in events:** Whether to add the full date (including year and time zone) to the event.

Example (selected): 2018-09-14T01:02:17.123+04:00.

Example (deselected): Sep 14 01:02:17.

Note: Full dates require that you set **Agents should forward logs to Via the Deep Security Manager** (indirectly).

- **Facility:** Type of process that events will be associated with. Syslog servers may prioritize or filter based upon a log message's facility field. See also [What are Syslog Facilities and Levels?](#)
- **Agents should forward logs:** Whether to send events **Directly to the Syslog server** or **Via the Deep Security Manager** (indirectly).

When forwarding logs directly to the Syslog server, agents use clear text UDP. Logs contain sensitive information about your security system. If logs will travel over an untrusted network such as the Internet, consider adding a VPN tunnel or similar to prevent reconnaissance and tampering.

Note: If you forward logs via the manager, they do not include Firewall and Intrusion Prevention packet data unless you configure Deep Security Manager to include it. For instructions, see [Sending packet data to syslog via Deep Security Manager \(DSM\)](#).

4. If the Syslog or SIEM server requires TLS clients to do client authentication (also called bilateral or mutual authentication; see ["Request a client certificate" on page 898](#)), then on the **Credentials** tab, configure:
 - **Private Key:** Paste the private key of Deep Security Manager's client certificate.
 - **Certificate:** Paste the **client** certificate that Deep Security Manager will use to identify itself in TLS connections to the Syslog server. Use PEM, also known as Base64-encoded format.
 - **Certificate Chain:** If an intermediate CA signed the client certificate, but the Syslog server doesn't know and trust that CA, then paste CA certificates which prove a relationship to a trusted root CA. Press Enter between each CA certificate.
5. Click **Apply**.
6. If you selected the TLS transport mechanism, verify that both Deep Security Manager and the Syslog server can connect and trust each other's certificates.
 - a. Click **Test Connection**.

Deep Security Manager tries to resolve the hostname and connect. If that fails, an error message appears.

If the Syslog or SIEM server certificate is not yet trusted by Deep Security Manager, the connection fails and an **Accept Server Certificate?** message should appear. The message shows the contents of the Syslog server's certificate.
 - b. Verify that the Syslog server's certificate is correct, and then click **OK** to accept it.

The certificate is added to the manager's list of trusted certificates on **Administration > System Settings > Security**. Deep Security Manager can accept self-signed certificates.
 - c. Click **Test Connection** again.

Now the TLS connection should succeed.
7. Continue by selecting which events to forward. See ["Forward system events" below](#) and/or ["Forward security events" on the next page](#).

Forward system events

Deep Security Manager generates system events (such as administrator logins or upgrading agent software).

1. Go to **Administration > System Settings > Event Forwarding**.
2. From **Forward System Events to a remote computer (via Syslog)** using configuration, either select an existing configuration or select **New**. For details, see ["Define a Syslog configuration" on page 899](#).
3. Click **Save**.

Note: If Deep Security Manager is multi-node, system events are only sent from one node to avoid duplicates.

Forward security events

Deep Security Agent protection features generate security events (such as detecting malware or triggering an IPS rule). You can forward events either:

- Directly
- Indirectly, via Deep Security Manager

[Some event forwarding options](#) require forwarding agent events indirectly, via Deep Security Manager.

Like other policy settings, you can override event forwarding settings for specific policies or computers. See ["Policies, inheritance, and overrides" on page 434](#).

1. Go to **Policies**.
2. Double-click the policy used by the computers.
3. Select **Settings** and then the **Event Forwarding** tab.
4. From **Period between sending of events**, select how often to forward events.
5. From **Anti-Malware Syslog Configuration** and other protection modules' drop-down menus, either select which Syslog configuration to use, click **Edit** to change it, select **None** to disable it, or click **New**. For details, see ["Define a Syslog configuration" on page 899](#).
6. Click **Save**.

Troubleshoot event forwarding

"Failed to Send Syslog Message" alert

If there is a problem with your Syslog configuration, you might see this alert:

```
Failed to Send Syslog Message
The Deep Security Manager was unable to forward messages to a Syslog Server.
Unable to forward messages to a Syslog Server
```

The alert also contains a link to the affected Syslog configuration. Click the link to open the configuration and then click **Test Connection** to get more diagnostic information. It will either indicate that the connection was successful or display an error message with more details about the cause.

Can't edit Syslog configurations

If you can see the Syslog configurations but can't edit them, the role associated with your account might not have the appropriate rights. An administrator who is able to configure roles can check your permissions by going to **Administration > User Management**. Then select your name and click **Properties**. On the **Other Rights** tab, the **Syslog Configurations** setting controls your ability to edit Syslog configurations. For more information on users and roles, see ["Create and manage users" on page 1101](#).

Syslog not transferred due to an expired certificate

Valid certificates are required to connect securely via TLS. If you set up TLS client authentication and the certificate expires, messages are not sent to the Syslog server. To fix this problem, get a new certificate, update the Syslog configuration with the new certificate values, test the connection, and then save the configuration.

Syslog not delivered due to an expired or changed server certificate

Valid certificates are required to connect securely via TLS. If the Syslog server's certificate has expired or changed, open the Syslog configuration and click **Test Connection**. You are prompted to accept the new certificate.

Compatibility

Deep Security has been tested with the enterprise version of:

- Splunk 6.5.1
- IBM QRadar 7.2.8 Patch 3 (with the TLS protocol patch, PROTOCOL-TLSSyslog-7.2-20170104125004.noarch)
- HP ArcSight 7.2.2 (with a TLS Syslog-NG connector created using the ArcSight-7.2.2.7742.0-Connector tool)

Other standard Syslog software might work, but has not been verified.

Tip: If you are using Splunk, you can use the [Deep Security app for Splunk](#) to get dashboards and saved searches.

Syslog message formats

Common Event Format (CEF) and Log Event Extended Format (LEEF) log message formats are slightly different. For example, the "Source User" column in the GUI corresponds to a field named "suser" in CEF; in LEEF, the same field is named "usrName" instead. Log message fields also vary by whether the event originated on the Deep Security Agent or Manager and which feature created the log message.

Note: If your syslog messages are being truncated, it may be because you're using User Datagram Protocol (UDP). To prevent truncation, transfer your syslog messages over Transport Layer Security (TLS) instead. For instructions on switching to TLS, see ["Define a Syslog configuration" on page 899](#).

Note: Basic syslog format is not supported by the Anti-Malware, Web Reputation, Integrity Monitoring, and Application Control protection modules.

If the syslog messages are sent from the manager, there are several differences. In order to preserve the original Deep Security Agent hostname (the source of the event), a new extension ("dvc" or "dvchost") is present. "dvc" is used if the hostname is an IPv4 address; "dvchost" is used for hostnames and IPv6 addresses. Additionally, the extension "TrendMicroDsTags" is used if the events are tagged. (This applies only to auto-tagging with run on future, since events are forwarded via syslog only as they are collected by the manager.) The product for logs relayed through the manager will still read "Deep Security Agent"; however, the product version is the version of the manager.

CEF syslog message format

All CEF events include 'dvc=IPv4 Address' or 'dvchost=Hostname' (or the IPv6 address) for the purposes of determining the original Deep Security Agent source of the event. This extension is important for events sent from a Deep Security Virtual Appliance or Manager, since in this case the syslog sender of the message is not the originator of the event.

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

To determine whether the log entry comes from the Deep Security Manager or a Deep Security Agent, look at the "Device Product" field:

Sample CEF Log Entry: Jan 18 11:07:53 dsmhost CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Manager|<DSM version>|600|Administrator Signed In|4|suser=Master...

Note: Events that occur on a VM that is protected by a virtual appliance, but that don't have an in-guest agent, will still be identified as coming from an agent.

To further determine what kind of rule triggered the event, look at the "Signature ID" and "Name" fields:

Sample Log Entry: Mar 19 15:19:15 root CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|123|Out Of Allowed Policy|5|cn1=1...

The "Signature ID" value indicates what kind of event has been triggered:

Signature IDs	Description
10	Custom Intrusion Prevention (IPS) rule
20	Log-only Firewall rule
21	Deny Firewall rule
30	Custom Integrity Monitoring rule
40	Custom Log Inspection rule
100-7499	System events
100-199	Policy Firewall rule and Firewall stateful configuration
200-299	IPS internal errors
300-399	SSL/TLS events
500-899	IPS normalization
1,000,000-1,999,999	Trend Micro IPS rule. The signature ID is the same as the IPS rule ID.
2,000,000-2,999,999	Integrity Monitoring rule. The signature ID is the Integrity Monitoring rule ID + 1,000,000.
3,000,000-3,999,999	Log Inspection rule. The signature ID is the Log Inspection rule ID + 2,000,000.
4,000,000-4,999,999	Anti-Malware events. Currently, only these signature IDs are used: 4,000,000 - Anti-Malware - Real-Time Scan 4,000,001 - Anti-Malware - Manual Scan 4,000,002 - Anti-Malware - Scheduled Scan 4,000,003 - Anti-Malware - Quick Scan 4,000,010 - Anti-Spyware - Real-Time Scan 4,000,011 - Anti-Spyware - Manual Scan 4,000,012 - Anti-Spyware - Scheduled Scan 4,000,013 - Anti-Spyware - Quick Scan 4,000,020 - Suspicious Activity - Real-Time Scan 4,000,030 - Unauthorized Change - Real-Time Scan

Signature IDs	Description
5,000,000-5,999,999	Web Reputation events. Currently, only these signature IDs are used: • 5,000,000 - Web Reputation - Blocked • 5,000,001 - Web Reputation - Detect Only
6,000,000-6,999,999	Application Control events. Currently, only these signature IDs are used: • 6,001,100 - Application Control - Detect Only, in block list • 6,001,200 - Application Control - Detect Only, not in allow list • 6,002,100 - Application Control - Blocked, in block list • 6,002,200 - Application Control - Blocked, not in allow list

Note: Log entries don't always have all CEF extensions described in the event log format tables below. CEF extensions also may not be always in the same order. If you are using regular expressions (regex) to parse the entries, make sure your expressions do not depend on each key-value pair to exist, or to be in a specific order.

Note: Syslog messages are limited to 64 KB by the syslog protocol specification. If the message is longer, data may be truncated. The basic syslog format is limited to 1 KB.

LEEF 2.0 syslog message format

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF 2.0 Log Entry (DSM System Event Log Sample): LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Manager|<DSA version>|192|cat=System name=Alert Ended desc=Alert: CPU Warning Threshold Exceeded\nSubject: 10.201.114.164\nSeverity: Warning sev=3 src=10.201.114.164 usrName=System msg=Alert: CPUWarning Threshold Exceeded\nSubject: 10.201.114.164\nSeverity:Warning TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary

Events originating in the manager

System event log format

Base CEF Format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Manager|<DSM version>|600|User Signed In|3|src=10.52.116.160 suser=admin target=admin msg=User signed in from 2001:db8::5

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF 2.0 Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Manager|<DSA version>|192|cat=System name=Alert Ended desc=Alert: CPU Warning Threshold Exceeded\nSubject: 10.201.114.164\nSeverity: Warning sev=3 src=10.201.114.164 usrName=System msg=Alert: CPU Warning Threshold Exceeded\nSubject: 10.201.114.164\nSeverity: Warning TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary

Note: LEEF format uses a reserved "sev" key to show severity and "name" for the Name value.

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
src	src	Source IP Address	Deep Security Manager IP address.	src=10.52.116.23
suser	usrName	Source User	Deep Security Manager administrator's account.	suser=MasterAdmin
target	target	Target Entity	The subject of the event. It can be the administrator account logged into Deep Security Manager, or a computer.	target=MasterAdmin target=server01
targetID	targetID	Target Entity ID	The identifier added in the manager.	targetID=1
targetType	targetType	Target Entity Type	The event target entity type.	targetType=Host
msg	msg	Details	Details of the system event. May contain a verbose	msg=User password incorrect for username MasterAdmin on an attempt to sign in from 127.0.0.1 msg=A Scan for

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			description of the event.	Recommendations on computer (localhost) has completed...
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Event Tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant Name	Deep Security tenant	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=3
None	cat	Category	Event category	cat=System
None	name	Name	Event name	name=Alert Ended
None	desc	Description	Event description	desc:Alert: CPU Warning Threshold Exceeded

Events originating in the agent

Anti-Malware event format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|4000000|Eicar_test_file|6|cn1=1 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=hostname cn2=205 cn2Label=Quarantine File Size cs6=ContainerImageName | ContainerName | ContainerID cs6Label=Container filePath=C:\\Users\\trend\\Desktop\\leicar.exe act=Delete msg=Realtime TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget=N/A TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=N/TrendMicroDsFileMD5=44D88612FEA8A8F36DE82E1278ABB02F TrendMicroDsFileSHA1=3395856CE81F2B7382DEE72602F798B642F14140 TrendMicroDsFileSHA256=275A021BBFB6489E54D471899F7DB9D1663FC695EC2FE2A2C4538AABF651FD0F TrendMicroDsDetectionConfidence=95 TrendMicroDsRelevantDetectionNames=Ransom_CERBER.BZC;Ransom_CERBER.C;Ransom_CRYPNISCA.SM

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF Log Entry: LEEF: 2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|4000030|cat=Anti-Malware name=HEU_AEGIS_CRYPT desc=HEU_AEGIS_CRYPT sev=6 cn1=241 cn1Label=Host ID dvc=10.0.0.1 TrendMicroDsTags=FS TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 filePath=C:\\Windows\\System32\\virus.exe act=Terminate msg=Realtime TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget=Multiple TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=File System TrendMicroDsFileMD5=1947A1BC0982C5871FA3768CD025453E#011 TrendMicroDsFileSHA1=5AD084DDCD8F80FBF2EE3F0E4F812E812DEE60C1#011 TrendMicroDsFileSHA256=25F231556700749F8F0394CAABDED83C2882317669DA2C01299 B45173482FA6E TrendMicroDsDetectionConfidence=95 TrendMicroDsRelevantDetectionNames=Ransom_CERBER.BZC;Ransom_CERBER.C;Ransom_CRYPNISCA.SM

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=1
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID
cn2	cn2	File Size	The size of the quarantine file.	cn2=100
cn2Label	cn2Label	File Size	The name label for the	cn2Label=Quarantine File Size

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			field cn2.	
cs3	cs3	Infected Resource	The path of the spyware item. This field is only for spyware detection events.	cs3=C:\test\atse_samples\SPYW_Test_Virus.exe
cs3Label	cs3Label	Infected Resource	The name label for the field cs3. This field is only for spyware detection events.	cs3Label=Infected Resource
cs4	cs4	Resource Type	Resource Type values: 10=Files and Directories	cs4=10

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			11=System Registry	
			12=Internet Cookies	
			13=Internet URL Shortcut	
			14=Programs in Memory	
			15=Program Startup Areas	
			16=Browser Helper Object	
			17=Layered Service	

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	N a m e	Desc ription	Examples
			Provider	
			18=Hosts File	
			19=Windows Policy Settings	
			20=Browser	
			23=Windows Shell Setting	
			24=IE Downloaded Program Files	
			25=Add/Remove Programs	
			26=Services	
			other=	

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	N a m e	Desc ription	Examples
			Other For example, if there's a spyware file named spy.exe that creates a registry run key to keep its persistence after system reboot, there will be two items in the spyware report: the item	

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			for spy.exe has cs4=10 (Files and Directories), and the item for the run key registry has cs4=11 (System Registry). This field is only for spyware detection events.	
cs4Label	cd4Label	Res	The	cs4Label=Resource Type

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
		Source Type	name label for the field cs4. This field is only for spyware detection events.	
cs5	cs5	Risk Level	Risk level values: 0=Very Low 25=Low 50=Medium 75=High 100=Very High This field is only for spywa	cs5=25

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			re detection events.	
cs5Label	cs5Label	Risk Level	The name label for the field cs5. This field is only for spyware detection events.	cs5Label=Risk Level
cs6	cs6	Container	The image name of the Docker container, container name, and container ID where the malware was detected.	cs6=ContainerImageName ContainerName ContainerID
cs6Label	cs6Label	Container	The name	cs6Label=Container

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			label for the field cs6.	
filePath	filePath	File Path	The location of the malware file.	filePath=C:\\Users\\Mei\\Desktop\\virus.exe
act	act	Action	The action performed by the Anti-Malware engine. Possible values are: Deny Access, Quarantine, Delete, Pass, Clean, Terminate, and Unspecified.	act=Clean act=Pass
msg	msg	Message	The type of scan. Possible values	msg=Realtime msg=Scheduled

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			are: Realtime, Scheduled, and Manual.	
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses dvcho st instead.)	dvc=10.1.144.199
dvcho st	dvcho st	Device host name	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1.	dvcho st=www.example.com dvcho st=fe80::f018:a3c6:20f9:afa6%5

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			Does not appear if the source is an IPv4 address. (Uses dvc field instead.)	
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Events tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant name	Deep Security tenant	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget	TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget	Target(s)	The file, process, or registry key	TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget=N/A TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget=C:\\Windows\\System32\\cmd.exe TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget=HKCU\\Software\\Microsoft\\Windows\\CurrentVersion\\Internet Settings TrendMicroDsMalwareTarget=Multiple

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			(if any) that the malware was trying to affect. If the malware was trying to affect more than one, this field will contain the value "Multiple." Only suspicious activity monitoring and unauthorized	

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			change monitoring have values for this field.	
TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType	TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType	Target Type	The type of system resource that this malware was trying to affect, such as the file system, a process, or Windows registry. Only suspicious	TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=N/A TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=Exploit TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=File System TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=Process TrendMicroDsMalwareTargetType=Registry

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			activity monitoring and unauthorized change monitoring have values for this field.	
TrendMicroDsFileMD5	TrendMicroDsFileMD5	File MD5	The MD5 hash of the file	TrendMicroDsFileMD5=1947A1BC0982C5871FA3768CD025453E
TrendMicroDsFileSHA1	TrendMicroDsFileSHA1	File SHA1	The SHA1 hash of the file	TrendMicroDsFileSHA1=5AD084DDCD8F80FBF2EE3F0E4F812E812DEE60C1
TrendMicroDsFileSHA256	TrendMicroDsFileSHA256	File SHA256	The SHA256 hash of the file	TrendMicroDsFileSHA256=25F231556700749F8F0394CAABDED83C2882317669DA2C01299B45173482FA6E
TrendMicroDsDetectionConfidence	TrendMicroDsDetectionConfidence	Threat Probability	Indicates how closely (in %) the file matched the malware model	TrendMicroDsDetectionConfidence=95

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
TrendMicroDsRelevantDetectionNames	TrendMicroDsRelevantDetectionNames	Probable Threat Type	Indicates the most likely type of threat contained in the file after Predictive Machine Learning compared the analysis to other known threats (separate by semicolon";")	TrendMicroDsRelevantDetectionNames=Ransom_CERBER.BZC;Ransom_CERBER.C;Ransom_CRYPNISCA.SM
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=6
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=Anti-Malware
None	name	Name	Event	name=SPYWARE_KEYL_ACTIVE

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
		me	name	
None	desc	Description	Event description. Anti-Malware uses the event name as the description.	desc=SPYWARE_KEYL_ACTIVE

Application Control event format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Example CEF Log Entry: CEF: 0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|10.2.229|6001200|AppControl detectOnly|6|cn1=202 cn1Label=Host ID dvc=192.168.33.128 TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 fileHash=80D4AC182F97D2AB48EE4310AC51DA5974167C596D133D64A83107B9069745E0 suser=root suid=0 act=detectOnly filePath=/home/user1/Desktop/Directory1//heartbeatSync.sh fsize=20 aggregationType=0 repeatCount=1 cs1=notWhitelisted cs1Label=actionReason cs2=0CC9713BA896193A527213D9C94892D41797EB7C cs2Label=sha1 cs3=7EA8EF10BEB2E9876D4D7F7E5A46CF8D cs3Label=md5

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Example LEEF Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|10.0.2883|60|cat=AppControl name=blocked desc=blocked sev=6 cn1=2 cn1Label=Host ID dvc=10.203.156.39 TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 fileHash=E3B0C44298FC1C149AFBF4C8996FB92427AE41E4649B934CA495991B7852B855 suser=root suid=0 act=blocked filePath=/bin/my.jar fsize=123857 aggregationType=0 repeatCount=1 cs1=notWhitelisted cs1Label=actionReason

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=2
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID
cs1	cs1	Reason	The reason why application control performed the specified action, such as "notWhitelisted" (the software did not have a matching rule, and application control was configured to block unrecognized software).	cs1=notWhitelisted
cs1Label	cs1Label		The name label for the field	cs1Label=actionReason

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			cs1.	
cs2	cs2		If it was calculated, the SHA-1 hash of the file.	cs2=156F4CB711FDBD668943711F853FB6DA89581AAD
cs2Label	cs2Label		The name label for the field cs2.	cs2Label=sha1
cs3	cs3		If it was calculated, the MD5 hash of the file.	cs3=4E8701AC951BC4537F8420FDAC7EFBB5
cs3Label	cs3Label		The name label for the field cs3.	cs3Label=md5
act	act	Action	The action performed by the Application Control engine. Possible values are: Blocked, Allowed.	act=blocked
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the	dvc=10.1.1.10

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses dvchost instead.)	
dvchost	dvchost	Device hostname	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv4 address. (Uses dvc field instead.)	dvchost=www.example.com dvchost=2001:db8::5
suid	suid	User ID	The account ID number of the user name.	suid=0
suser	suser	User Name	The name of the user account that installed the software on the protected	suser=root

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			computer.	
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant name	Deep Security tenant name.	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID number.	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
fileHash	fileHash	File hash	The SHA 256 hash that identifies the software file.	fileHash=E3B0C44298FC1C149AFBF4C8996FB92427AE41E4649B934CA495991B7852B855
filePath	filePath	File Path	The location of the malware file.	filePath=/bin/my.jar
fsize	fsize	File Size	The file size in bytes.	fsize=16
aggregationType	aggregationType	Aggregation Type	An integer that indicates how the event is aggregated: 0: The event is not	aggregationType=2

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Nam e	Descrip tion	Examples
			ag gre gat ed 1: Th e eve nt is ag gre gat ed bas ed on file na me, pat h, and eve nt typ e. 2: Th e eve nt is ag	

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Nam e	Descrip tion	Examples
			gre gat ed bas ed on eve nt typ e. For informati on, about event aggregat ion, see "View Applicati on Control event logs" on page 546 .	
repeatCount	repeatCount	Repe at Count	The number of occurren ces of the event. Non- aggregat ed events have a value of	repeatCount=4

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			1. Aggregated events have a value of 2 or more.	
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=6
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=AppControl
None	name	Name	Event name	name=blocked
None	desc	Description	Event description. Application Control uses the action as the description.	desc=blocked

Firewall event log format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|20|Log for TCP Port 80|0|cn1=1 cn1Label=Host ID dvc=hostname act=Log dmac=00:50:56:F5:7F:47 smac=00:0C:29:EB:35:DE TrendMicroDsFrameType=IP src=192.168.126.150 dst=72.14.204.147 out=1019 cs3=DF MF cs3Label=Fragmentation Bits proto=TCP spt=49617 dpt=80 cs2=0x00 ACK PSH cs2Label=TCP Flags cnt=1 TrendMicroDsPacketData=AFB...

Sample LEEF Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|21|cat=Firewall name=Remote Domain Enforcement (Split Tunnel) desc=Remote Domain Enforcement (Split Tunnel) sev=5 cn1=37 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=www.example.com TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 act=Deny dstMAC=67:BF:1B:2F:13:EE srcMAC=78:FD:E7:07:9F:2C TrendMicroDsFrameType=IP src=10.0.110.221 dst=105.152.185.81 out=177 cs3= cs3Label=Fragmentation Bits proto=UDP srcPort=23 dstPort=445 cnt=1 TrendMicroDsPacketData=AFB...

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
act	act	Action		act=Log act=Deny
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=113
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID
cnt	cnt	Repeat Count	The number of times this event was sequentially repeated.	cnt=8
cs2	cs2	TCP Flags		cs2=0x10 ACK cs2=0x14 ACK RST
cs2Label	cs2Label	TCP Flags	The name label for the field cs2.	cs2Label=TCP Flags
cs3	cs3	Packet Fragmentation Information		cs3=DF cs3=MF cs3=DF MF
cs3Label	cs3Label	Fragmentation Bits	The name label for the field cs3.	cs3Label=Fragmentation Bits
cs4	cs4	ICMP Type and Code	(For the ICMP protocol only) The ICMP type and code, delimited by a space.	cs4=11 0 cs4=8 0

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
cs4Label	cs4Label	ICMP	The name label for the field cs4.	cs4Label=ICMP Type and Code
dmac	dstMAC	Destination MAC Address	MAC address of the destination computer's network interface.	dmac= 00:0C:29:2F:09:B3
dpt	dstPort	Destination Port	(For TCP and UDP protocol only) Port number of the destination computer's connection or session.	dpt=80 dpt=135
dst	dst	Destination IP Address	IP address of the destination computer.	dst=192.168.1.102 dst=10.30.128.2
in	in	Inbound Bytes Read	(For inbound connections only) Number of inbound bytes read.	in=137 in=21
out	out	Outbound Bytes Read	(For outbound connections only) Number of outbound bytes read.	out=216 out=13
proto	proto	Transport protocol	Name of the transport protocol used.	proto=tcp proto=udp proto=icmp
smac	srcMAC	Source MAC Address	MAC address of the source	smac= 00:0E:04:2C:02:B3

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			computer's network interface.	
spt	srcPort	Source Port	(For TCP and UDP protocol only) Port number of the source computer's connection or session.	spt=1032 spt=443
src	src	Source IP Address	The packet's source IP address at this event.	src=192.168.1.105 src=10.10.251.231
TrendMicroDsFrameType	TrendMicroDsFrameType	Ethernet frame type	Connection ethernet frame type.	TrendMicroDsFrameType=IP TrendMicroDsFrameType=ARP TrendMicroDsFrameType=RevARP TrendMicroDsFrameType=NetBEUI
TrendMicroDsPacketData	TrendMicroDsPacketData	Packet data	The packet data, represented in Base64.	TrendMicroDsPacketData=AFB...
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses	dvc=10.1.144.199

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			dvchost instead.)	
dvchost	dvchost	Device host name	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv4 address. (Uses dvc field instead.)	dvchost=exch01.example.com dvchost=2001:db8::5
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Event Tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant Name	Deep Security tenant	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=5
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=Firewall
None	name	Name	Event name	name=Remote Domain Enforcement (Split Tunnel)
None	desc	Description	Event description. Firewall events use the event	desc=Remote Domain Enforcement (Split Tunnel)

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			name as the description.	

Integrity Monitoring log event format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|30|New Integrity Monitoring Rule|6|cn1=1 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=hostname act=updated filePath=c:\\windows\\message.dll suser=admin msg=lastModified,sha1,size

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|2002779|cat=Integrity Monitor name=Microsoft Windows - System file modified desc=Microsoft Windows - System file modified sev=8 cn1=37 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=www.example.com TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 act=updated suser=admin

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
act	act	Action	The action detected by the integrity rule. Can contain: created, updated, deleted or renamed.	act=created act=deleted
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=113
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
filePath	filePath	Target Entity	The integrity rule target entity. May contain a file or directory path, registry key, etc.	filePath=C:\WINDOWS\system32\drivers\etc\hosts
suser	suser	Source User	Account of the user who changed the file being monitored.	suser=WIN-038M7CQDHIN\Administrator
msg	msg	Attribute changes	(For "renamed" action only) A list of changed attribute names. If "Relay via Manager" is selected, all event action types include a full description.	msg=lastModified,sha1,size
oldfilePath	oldfilePath	Old target entity	(For "renamed" action only) The previous integrity rule target entity to capture	oldFilePath=C:\WINDOWS\system32\logfiles\ds_agent.log

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			the rename action from the previous target entity to the new, which is recorded in the filePath field.	
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses dvchost instead.)	dvc=10.1.144.199
dvchost	dvchost	Device host name	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv4 address. (Uses dvc field instead.)	dvchost=www.example.com dvchost=2001:db8::5

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Events tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant name	Deep Security tenant	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=8
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=Integrity Monitor
None	name	Name	Event name	name=Microsoft Windows - System file modified
None	desc	Description	Event description. Integrity Monitoring uses the event name as the description.	desc=Microsoft Windows - System file modified

Intrusion Prevention event log format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|1001111|Test Intrusion Prevention Rule|3|cn1=1 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=hostname dmac=00:50:56:F5:7F:47 smac=00:0C:29:EB:35:DE TrendMicroDsFrameType=IP src=192.168.126.150 dst=72.14.204.105 out=1093 cs3=DF MF cs3Label=Fragmentation Bits proto=TCP spt=49786 dpt=80 cs2=0x00 ACK PSH cs2Label=TCP Flags cnt=1 act=IDS:Reset

cn3=10 cn3Label=Intrusion Prevention Packet Position cs5=10 cs5Label=Intrusion Prevention Stream Position cs6=8 cs6Label=Intrusion Prevention Flags
TrendMicroDsPacketData=R0VUIC9zP3...

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|1000940|cat=Intrusion Prevention name=Sun Java RunTime Environment Multiple Buffer Overflow Vulnerabilities desc=Sun Java RunTime Environment Multiple Buffer Overflow Vulnerabilities sev=10 cn1=6 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=exch01 TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 dstMAC=55:C0:A8:55:FF:41 srcMAC=CA:36:42:B1:78:3D TrendMicroDsFrameType=IP src=10.0.251.84 dst=56.19.41.128 out=166 cs3= cs3Label=Fragmentation Bits proto=ICMP srcPort=0 dstPort=0 cnt=1 act=IDS:Reset cn3=0 cn3Label=DPI Packet Position cs5=0 cs5Label=DPI Stream Position cs6=0 cs6Label=DPI Flags TrendMicroDsPacketData=R0VUIC9zP3...

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
act	act	Action	(IPS rules written before Deep Security version 7.5 SP1 could additionally perform Insert, Replace, and Delete actions. These actions are no longer performed. If an older IPS Rule is triggered which still attempts to perform those actions, the event	act=Block

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			will indicate that the rule was applied in detect-only mode.)	
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=113
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID
cn3	cn3	Intrusion Prevention Packet Position	Position within packet of data that triggered the event.	cn3=37
cn3Label	cn3Label	Intrusion Prevention Packet Position	The name label for the field cn3.	cn3Label=Intrusion Prevention Packet Position
cnt	cnt	Repeat Count	The number of times this event was sequentially repeated.	cnt=8
cs1	cs1	Intrusion Prevention Filter Note	(Optional) A note field which can contain a short binary or text note associated with the payload	cs1=Drop_data

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			file. If the value of the note field is all printable ASCII characters, it will be logged as text with spaces converted to underscores. If it contains binary data, it will be logged using Base-64 encoding.	
cs1Label	cs1Label	Intrusion Prevention Note	The name label for the field cs1.	cs1Label=Intrusion Prevention Note
cs2	cs2	TCP Flags	(For the TCP protocol only) The raw TCP flag byte followed by the URG, ACK, PSH, RST, SYN and FIN fields may be present if the TCP header was set.	cs2=0x10 ACK cs2=0x14 ACK RST
cs2Label	cs2Label	TCP Flags	The name label for the field	cs2Label=TCP Flags

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			cs2.	
cs3	cs3	Packet Fragmentation Information		cs3=DF cs3=MF cs3=DF MF
cs3Label	cs3Label	Fragmentation Bits	The name label for the field cs3.	cs3Label=Fragmentation Bits
cs4	cs4	ICMP Type and Code	(For the ICMP protocol only) The ICMP type and code stored in their respective order delimited by a space.	cs4=11 0 cs4=8 0
cs4Label	cs4Label	ICMP	The name label for the field cs4.	cs4Label=ICMP Type and Code
cs5	cs5	Intrusion Prevention Stream Position	Position within stream of data that triggered the event.	cs5=128 cs5=20
cs5Label	cs5Label	Intrusion Prevention Stream Position	The name label for the field cs5.	cs5Label=Intrusion Prevention Stream Position
cs6	cs6	Intrusion Prevention Filter Flags	A combined value that includes the sum of the flag values:	The following example would be a summed combination of 1 (Data truncated) and 8 (Have Data): cs6=9

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			1 - Data truncated - Data could not be logged. 2 - Log Overflow - Log overflowed after this log. 4 - Suppressed - Logs threshold suppressed after this log. 8 - Have Data - Contains packet data 16 - Reference Data - References previously logged data.	
cs6Label	cs6Label	Intrusion Prevention Flags	The name label for the field cs6.	cs6=Intrusion Prevention Filter Flags
dmac	dstMAC	Destination MAC Address	Destination computer network interface MAC address.	dmac= 00:0C:29:2F:09:B3
dpt	dstPort	Destination Port	(For TCP and UDP protocol	dpt=80 dpt=135

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			only) Destination computer connection port.	
dst	dst	Destination IP Address	Destination computer IP Address.	dst=192.168.1.102 dst=10.30.128.2
xff	xff	X-Forwarded-For	The IP address of the last hub in the X-Forwarded-For header. This is typically originating IP address, beyond the proxy that may exist. See also the src field. To include xff in events, enable the "1006540 - Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging" Intrusion Prevention rule .	xff=192.168.137.1
in	in	Inbound Bytes Read	(For inbound	in=137 in=21

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			connections only) Number of inbound bytes read.	
out	out	Outbound Bytes Read	(For outbound connections only) Number of outbound bytes read.	out=216 out=13
proto	proto	Transport protocol	Name of the connection transport protocol used.	proto=tcp proto=udp proto=icmp
smac	srcMAC	Source MAC Address	Source computer network interface MAC address.	smac= 00:0E:04:2C:02:B3
spt	srcPort	Source Port	(For TCP and UDP protocol only) Source computer connection port.	spt=1032 spt=443
src	src	Source IP Address	Source computer IP Address. This is the IP of the last proxy server, if it exists, or the client IP. See also the xff	src=192.168.1.105 src=10.10.251.231

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			field.	
TrendMicroDsFrameType	TrendMicroDsFrameType	Ethernet frame type	Connection ethernet frame type.	TrendMicroDsFrameType=IP TrendMicroDsFrameType=ARP TrendMicroDsFrameType=RevARP TrendMicroDsFrameType=NetBUI
TrendMicroDsPacketData	TrendMicroDsPacketData	Packet data	The packet data, represented in Base64.	TrendMicroDsPacketData=R0VUIC9zP3...
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses dvchost instead.)	dvc=10.1.144.199
dvchost	dvchost	Device host name	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv4 address.	dvchost=www.example.com dvchost=2001:db8::5

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			(Uses dvc field instead.)	
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Event tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=Suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant name	Deep Security tenant name	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=10
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=Intrusion Prevention
None	name	Name	Event name	name=Sun Java RunTime Environment Multiple Buffer Overflow Vulnerabilities
None	desc	Description	Event description. Intrusion Prevention events use the event name as the description.	desc=Sun Java RunTime Environment Multiple Buffer Overflow Vulnerabilities

Log Inspection event format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA

version>|3002795|Microsoft Windows Events|8|cn1=1 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=hostname
 cs1Label=LI Description cs1=Multiple Windows Logon Failures fname=Security src=127.0.0.1
 duser=(no user) shost=WIN-RM6HM42G65V msg=WinEvtLog Security: AUDIT_FAILURE
 (4625): Microsoft-Windows-Security-Auditing: (no user): no domain: WIN-RM6HM42G65V: An
 account failed to log on. Subject: ..

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character,
 optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA

version>|3003486|cat=Log Inspection name=Mail Server - MDaemon desc=Server Shutdown.
 sev=3 cn1=37 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=exch01.example.com TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
 TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 cs1=Server Shutdown. cs1Label=LI Description fname= shost= msg=

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=113
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID
cs1	cs1	Specific Sub-Rule	The Log Inspection sub-rule which triggered this event.	cs1=Multiple Windows audit failure events
cs1Label	cs1Label	LI Description	The name label for the field cs1.	cs1Label=LI Description
duser	duser	User Information	(If parse-able username exists) The name of the target user initiated the log entry.	duser=(no user) duser=NETWORK SERVICE
fname	fname	Target entity	The Log Inspection rule target entity. May contain a file	fname=Application fname=C:\Program Files\CMS\logs\server0.log

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			or directory path, registry key, etc.	
msg	msg	Details	Details of the Log Inspection event. May contain a verbose description of the detected log event.	msg=WinEvtLog: Application: AUDIT_FAILURE(20187): pgEvent: (no user): no domain: SERVER01: Remote login failure for user 'xyz'
shost	shost	Source Hostname	Source computer hostname.	shost=webserver01.corp.com
src	src	Source IP Address	Source computer IP address.	src=192.168.1.105 src=10.10.251.231
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses dvchost instead.)	dvc=10.1.144.199
dvchost	dvchost	Device host name	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv4 address. (Uses dvc	dvchost=www.example.com dvchost=2001:db8::5

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			field instead.)	
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Events tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant name	Deep Security tenant	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=3
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=Log Inspection
None	name	Name	Event name	name=Mail Server - MDAemon
None	desc	Description	Event description.	desc=Server Shutdown

Web Reputation event format

Base CEF format: CEF:Version|Device Vendor|Device Product|Device Version|Signature ID|Name|Severity|Extension

Sample CEF Log Entry: CEF:0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|5000000|WebReputation|5|cn1=1 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=hostname request=example.com msg=Blocked By Admin

Base LEEF 2.0 format: LEEF:2.0|Vendor|Product|Version|EventID|(Delimiter Character, optional if the Delimiter Character is tab)|Extension

Sample LEEF Log Entry: LEEF:2.0|Trend Micro|Deep Security Agent|<DSA version>|5000000|cat=Web Reputation name=WebReputation desc=WebReputation sev=6 cn1=3 cn1Label=Host ID dvchost=exch01.example.com TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary TrendMicroDsTenantId=0 request=http://yw.olx5x9ny.org.it/HvuauRH/eighgSS.htm msg=Suspicious

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
cn1	cn1	Host Identifier	The agent computer's internal unique identifier.	cn1=1
cn1Label	cn1Label	Host ID	The name label for the field cn1.	cn1Label=Host ID
request	request	Request	The URL of the request.	request=http://www.example.com/index.php
msg	msg	Message	The type of action. Possible values are: Realtime, Scheduled, and Manual.	msg=Realtime msg=Scheduled
dvc	dvc	Device address	The IPv4 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source is an IPv6 address or hostname. (Uses dvchost instead.)	dvc=10.1.144.199
dvchost	dvchost	Device host name	The hostname or IPv6 address for cn1. Does not appear if the source	dvchost=www.example.com dvchost=2001:db8::5

CEF Extension Field	LEEF Extension Field	Name	Description	Examples
			is an IPv4 address. (Uses dvc field instead.)	
TrendMicroDsTags	TrendMicroDsTags	Events tags	Deep Security event tags assigned to the event	TrendMicroDsTags=suspicious
TrendMicroDsTenant	TrendMicroDsTenant	Tenant name	Deep Security tenant	TrendMicroDsTenant=Primary
TrendMicroDsTenantId	TrendMicroDsTenantId	Tenant ID	Deep Security tenant ID	TrendMicroDsTenantId=0
None	sev	Severity	The severity of the event. 1 is the least severe; 10 is the most severe.	sev=6
None	cat	Category	Category	cat=Web Reputation
None	name	Name	Event name	name=WebReputation
None	desc	Description	Event description. Web Reputation uses the event name as the description.	desc=WebReputation

Configure Red Hat Enterprise Linux to receive event logs

Set up a Syslog on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 or 7

The following steps describe how to configure rsyslog on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 or 7 to receive logs from Deep Security.

1. Log in as root
2. Execute:
`vi /etc/rsyslog.conf`
3. Uncomment the following lines near the top of the `rsyslog.conf` to change them from:

```
#ModLoad imudp
#UDPServerRun 514

#ModLoad imtcp
#InputTCPServerRun 514

to
```

```
$ModLoad imudp
$UDPServerRun 514

$ModLoad imtcp
$InputTCPServerRun 514
```

4. Add the following two lines of text to the end of the `rsyslog.conf`:
 - `#Save Deep Security Manager logs to DSM.log`
 - `Local4.* /var/log/DSM.log`

Note: You may need to replace `Local4` with another value, depending on your Manager settings.

5. Save the file and exit
6. Create the `/var/log/DSM.log` file by typing `touch /var/log/DSM.log`
7. Set the permissions on the DSM log so that syslog can write to it
8. Save the file and exit
9. Restart syslog:
 - On Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6: `service rsyslog restart`
 - On Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7: `systemctl restart rsyslog`

When Syslog is functioning you will see logs populated in: `/var/log/DSM.log`

Set up a Syslog on Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5

The following steps describe how to configure Syslog on Red Hat Enterprise Linux to receive logs from Deep Security.

1. Log in as root
2. Execute:

```
vi /etc/syslog.conf
```

3. Add the following two lines of text to the end of the `syslog.conf` :
 - `#Save Deep Security Manager logs to DSM.log`
 - `Local4.* /var/log/DSM.log`

Note: You may need to replace `Local4` with another value, depending on your Manager settings.

4. Save the file and exit
5. Create the `/var/log/DSM.log` file by typing `touch /var/log/DSM.log`
6. Set the permissions on the DSM log so that syslog can write to it
7. Execute:

```
vi /etc/sysconfig/syslog
```
8. Modify the line " `SYSLOGD_OPTIONS` " and add a " `-r` " to the options
9. Save the file and exit
10. Restart syslog: `/etc/init.d/syslog restart`

When Syslog is functioning you will see logs populated in: `/var/log/DSM.log`

Access events with Amazon SNS

If you have an AWS account, you can take advantage of the Amazon Simple Notification Service (SNS) to publish notifications about Deep Security events and deliver them to subscribers. For details about SNS, see <https://aws.amazon.com/sns/>.

To set up Amazon SNS:

1. ["Create an AWS user" below.](#)
2. ["Create an Amazon SNS topic" on the next page.](#)
3. ["Enable SNS" on the next page.](#)
4. ["Create subscriptions" on page 957.](#)

See the sections below for details on how to perform these tasks.

Create an AWS user

In order to use Amazon SNS with Deep Security, you need to create an AWS user with the appropriate permissions for SNS. Note the access key and secret key for the user, because you will need that information for step 3, below.

The AWS user will need the "sns:Publish" permission on all SNS topics that Deep Security will publish to. This is an example of a policy with this permission:

```
{
  "Version": "2012-10-17",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Action": [
        "sns:Publish"
      ],
      "Effect": "Allow",
      "Resource": "*"
    }
  ]
}
```

If you want to limit publishing rights to a single topic, you can replace `"Resource": "*" with "Resource": "TOPIC ARN".`

For more information, see [Controlling User Access to Your AWS Account](#) and [Special Information for Amazon SNS Policies](#) in the Amazon AWS documentation.

Create an Amazon SNS topic

In AWS, create an SNS topic where the events will be published. For instructions on how to create an Amazon SNS topic, see "Create a Topic" in the [Amazon SNS documentation](#). Note the SNS Topic ARN because you will need this information in step 3, below.

Enable SNS

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Event Forwarding**.
2. In the Amazon SNS section, select **Publish Events to Amazon Simple Notification Service**.
3. Enter this information:
 - **Access Key:** The access key of the AWS user you created in section 1.
 - **Secret Key:** The secret key of the AWS user you created in section 1.

- **SNS Topic ARN:** The SNS Topic ARN that events will be sent to. This is the ARN that you noted in section 2.
4. Select the types of events that you want to forward to SNS.

Selecting the events automatically generates a JSON SNS configuration.
 5. (Optional) You can also click **Edit JSON SNS configuration** to edit the JSON SNS configuration directly if you want to filter the events in greater detail and configure the forwarding instructions for each filter. For details on the configuration language, see "[SNS configuration in JSON format](#)" below.

Note: If you edit the JSON, the event check boxes will become unavailable. If you want to select or deselect any of the event check boxes, you can click **Revert to basic SNS configuration**, but any customizations you have made to the JSON SNS configuration will be discarded.
 6. Click **Save**.

Create subscriptions

Now that SNS is enabled and events are being published to the topic, go to the Amazon SNS console and subscribe to the topic to access the events. There are several ways that you can subscribe to events, including [email](#), [SMS](#), and [Lambda endpoints](#).

Note: Lambda is not available in all AWS regions.

SNS configuration in JSON format

You can edit the [JSON](#) configuration that is used when you have [enabled event forwarding to Amazon SNS topics](#). It defines which conditions an event must meet in order to be published to a topic. The configuration language is modeled after [Amazon's Policy language for SNS](#).

Each field is specified below. Basic SNS configuration looks like:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [statement1, statement2, ...]
}
```

For examples, see "[Example SNS configurations](#)" on page 971.

Version

The **Version** element specifies the version of the configuration language.

Note: The only currently valid value of "Version" is the string "2014-09-24".

```
"Version": "2014-09-24",
```

Statement

The **Statement** element is an array of individual statements. Each individual statement is a distinct JSON object giving the SNS topic to send to if an event meets given conditions.

```
"Statement": [{...}, {...}, ...]
```

An individual statement has the form:

```
{
  "Topic": "destination topic",
  "Condition": {conditions event must meet to be published to the
destination topic}
}
```

Topic

The **Topic** element must be the Amazon Resource Name of the SNS Topic to publish to.

```
"Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic"
```

Condition

The **Condition** element is the most complex part of the configuration. It contains one or more conditions an event must match in order to be published to the topic.

Each condition can have one or more key-value pairs that the event must match (or not match, depending on the type of condition) to be included in the topic. Keys are any valid event property.

(For event properties, see ["Events in JSON format" on page 973](#)). Valid values vary by key. Some keys support multiple values.

```
"Condition": {
  "ConditionName": {
    "key1": [value1, value2],
    "key2": value3
  },
  "ConditionName2": {
    "key3": [value4]
  },
  ...
}
```

Valid condition names and their syntax are described below.

Bool

The **Bool** condition performs Boolean matching. To match, an event must have a property with the desired Boolean value. If the property in the event exists but is not itself a Boolean value, the property is tested as follows:

- Numbers equal to 0 evaluate to false. Numbers not equal to 0 evaluate to true.
- Empty strings and the special strings "false" and "0" evaluate to false. Other strings evaluate to true.
- Any other property value in an event cannot be converted to a Boolean and will not match.

Allows for multiple values? No

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events that have a "DetectOnly" property with a value false:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
```

```

    "Condition": {
      "Bool": {
        "DetectOnly": false
      }
    }
  }
]
}

```

Exists

The **Exists** condition tests for the existence or non-existence of a property in an event. The value of the property is not considered.

Allows for multiple values? No

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Severity" but does not have the property "Title":

```

{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "Exists": {
          "Severity": true,
          "Title": false
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

IpAddress

The **IpAddress** condition tests the value of an event's property is an IP address in a range given in CIDR format, or exactly equals a single IP address.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "DestinationIP" with an IP address in the range 10.0.1.0/24, or to 10.0.0.5:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "IpAddress": {
          "DestinationIP": ["10.0.1.0/24", "10.0.0.5"]
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

NotIpAddress

The **NotIpAddress** condition tests the value of an event's property is not an IP address in any of the specified IP address ranges.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "DestinationIP" with an IP address not in the range 10.0.0.0/8:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
```

```

{
  "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
  "Condition": {
    "NotIpAddress": {
      "DestinationIP": "10.0.0.0/8"
    }
  }
}
]
}

```

NumericEquals

The **NumericEquals** condition tests the numeric value of an event's property equals one or more desired values. If the property in the event exists but is not itself a numeric value, the property is tested as follows:

- Strings are converted to numbers. Strings that cannot be converted to numbers will not match.
- Any other property value in an event cannot be converted to a number and will not match.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Protocol" with the value 6 or 17:

```

{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericEquals": {
          "Protocol": [6, 17]
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

```

    }
  ]
}

```

NumericNotEquals

The **NumericNotEquals** condition tests the numeric value of an event's property is not equal to any one of an undesired set of values.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Protocol" not equal to 6, and the property "Risk" not equal to 2 or 3:

```

{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericNotEquals": {
          "Protocol": 6,
          "Risk" : [2, 3]
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

NumericGreaterThan

The **NumericGreaterThan** condition tests the numeric value of an event's property is strictly greater than a desired value. If the property in the event exists but is not itself a numeric value it is converted to a number as described for NumericEquals.

Allows for multiple values? No

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Protocol" with the value greater than 6:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericGreaterThan": {
          "Protocol": 6
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

NumericGreaterThanEquals

The **NumericGreaterThanEquals** condition tests the numeric value of an event's property is greater than or equal to a desired value. If the property in the event exists but is not itself a numeric value it is converted to a number as described for NumericEquals.

Allows for multiple values? No

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Number" with a value greater than or equal to 600:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericGreaterThanEquals": {
          "Number": 600
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```



```

        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

NumericLessThan

The **NumericLessThan** condition tests the numeric value of an event's property is strictly less than a desired value. If the property in the event exists but is not itself a numeric value it is converted to a number as described for **NumericEquals**.

Allows for multiple values? No

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Number" with a value greater than 1000:

```

{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericLessThan": {
          "Number": 1000
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

NumericLessThanEquals

The **NumericLessThanEquals** condition tests the numeric value of an event's property is less than or equal to a desired value. If the property in the event exists but is not itself a numeric value

it is converted to a number as described for `NumericEquals`.

Allows for multiple values? No

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Number" with a value less than or equal to 500:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericLessThanEquals": {
          "Number": 500
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

StringEquals

The **StringEquals** condition tests the string value of an event's property is strictly equal to or more desired values.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "EventType" equal to "SystemEvent" and property "TargetType" equal to "User" or "Role":

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
```

```

    "Condition": {
      "StringEquals": {
        "EventType": ["SystemEvent"],
        "TargetType" : ["User", "Role"]
      }
    }
  }
]
}

```

StringNotEquals

The **StringNotEquals** condition tests the string value of an event's property does not equal any of an undesired set of values.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "EventType" not equal to "PacketLog" or "IntegrityEvent":

```

{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringNotEquals": {
          "EventType": ["PacketLog", "IntegrityEvent"]
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

StringEqualsIgnoreCase

The **StringEqualsIgnoreCase** condition is the same as the **StringEquals** condition, except string matching is performed in a case-insensitive manner.

StringNotEqualsIgnoreCase

The **StringNotEqualsIgnoreCase** condition is the same as the **StringNotEquals** condition, except string matching is performed in a case-insensitive manner.

StringLike

The **StringLike** condition tests the string value of an event's property is equal to or more desired values, where the desired values may include the wildcard '*' to match any number of characters or '?' to match a single character. String comparisons are case-sensitive.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Title" which contains the string "User" or "Role":

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringLike": {
          "Title": ["*User*", "*Role*"]
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

StringNotLike

The **StringNotLike** condition tests that the string value of an event's property is not equal to any of an undesired set of values, where the values may include the wildcard '*' to match any number of characters or '?' to match a single character. String comparisons are case-sensitive.

Allows for multiple values? Yes

The following example shows a configuration that publishes all events except the "System Settings Saved" event:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringNotLike": {
          "Title": "System Settings Saved"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

The next example shows a configuration that publishes events when the event has the property "Title" that does not start with "User" and does not end with "Created":

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringNotLike": {
          "Title": ["User*", "*Created"]
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

```

        }
    }
}
]
}

```

Multiple statements vs. multiple conditions

If you create multiple statements for the same SNS topic, those statements are evaluated as if they are joined by "or". If a statement contains multiple conditions, those conditions are evaluated as if they are joined by "and".

Multiple statements

This is an example of what not to do. The first statement says to forward all events other than "System Settings Saved". The second statement says to forward all "System Settings Saved" events. The result is that all events will be forwarded because any event will match either the condition in the first statement **or** the one in the second statement:

```

{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringNotLike" : {
          "Title" : "System Settings Saved"
        }
      }
    },
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringLike" : {
          "Title" : "System Settings Saved"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}

```

```
    }
  }
]
}
```

Multiple conditions

This is another example of what not to do. The first condition says to forward all events other than "System Settings Saved". The second condition says to forward all "System Settings Saved" events. The result is that no events will be forwarded because no events will match both the condition in the first statement **and** the one in the second statement:

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringNotLike" : {
          "Title" : "System Settings Saved"
        },
        "StringLike" : {
          "Title" : "System Settings Saved"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

Example SNS configurations

These configurations send matching events for some specific scenarios. For more event property names and values that you can use to filter SNS topics, see ["Events in JSON format" on page 973](#).

Send all critical intrusion prevention events to an SNS topic

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:myTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "NumericEquals": {
          "Severity": 4
        },
        "StringEquals" : {
          "EventType" : "PayloadLog"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

Send different events to different SNS topics

This example shows sending all system events to one topic and all integrity monitoring events to a different topic.

```
{
  "Version": "2014-09-24",
  "Statement": [
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:systemEventsTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringEquals" : {
          "EventType" : "SystemEvent"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```



```
    },
    {
      "Topic": "arn:aws:sns:us-east-1:012345678901:integrityTopic",
      "Condition": {
        "StringEquals" : {
          "EventType" : "IntegrityEvent"
        }
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

Events in JSON format

When published to Amazon SNS, events are sent in the SNS `Message` as an array of JSON objects that are encoded as strings. Each object in the array is one event.

Valid properties vary by the type of event. For example, `MajorVirusType` is a valid property only for Deep Security Anti-Malware events, not system events etc. Valid property values vary for each property. For examples, see ["Example events in JSON format" on page 995](#).

Event property values can be used to filter which events are published to the SNS topic. For details, see ["SNS configuration in JSON format" on page 957](#).

Valid event properties

Note: Some events don't have all of the properties that usually apply to their event type.

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
Action	String (enum)	Action taken for the application control event, such as "Execution of Software Blocked by Rule", "Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed" (due to detect-only mode) or "Execution of Unrecognized Software Blocked".	Application control events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
Action	Integer (enum)	Action taken for the firewall event. "Detect Only" values show what would have happened if the rule had been enabled. 0=Unknown, 1=Deny, 6=Log Only, 0x81=Detect Only: Deny.	Firewall events
Action	Integer (enum)	Action taken for the intrusion prevention event. 0=Unknown, 1=Deny, 2=Reset, 3=Insert, 4=Delete, 5=Replace, 6=Log Only, 0x81=Detect Only: Deny, 0x82=Detect Only: Reset, 0x83=Detect Only: Insert, 0x84=Detect Only: Delete, 0x85=Detect Only: Replace.	Intrusion prevention events
ActionBy	String	Name of the Deep Security Manager user who performed the event, or "System" if the event was not generated by a user.	System events
ActionString	String	Conversion of Action to a readable string.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
AdministratorID	Integer	Unique identifier of the Deep Security user who performed an action. Events generated by the system and not by a user will not have an identifier.	System events
AggregationType	Integer (enum)	Whether or not the Application Control event occurred repeatedly. If "AggregationType" is not "0", then the number of occurrences is in	Application control events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		"RepeatCount." 0=Not aggregated, 1=Aggregated based on file name, path and event type, 2=Aggregated based on event type	
ApplicationType	String	Name of the network application type associated with the Intrusion Prevention rule, if available.	Intrusion prevention events
BlockReason	Integer (enum)	A reason that corresponds to the Action. 0=Unknown, 1=Blocked due to rule, 2=Blocked due to unrecognized	Application control events
Change	Integer (enum)	What type of change was made to a file, process, registry key, etc. for an Integrity Monitoring event. 1=Created, 2=Updated, 3=Deleted, 4=Renamed.	Integrity monitoring events
ContainerID	String	ID of the Docker container where the malware was found.	Anti-malware events
ContainerImageName	String	Image name of the Docker container where the malware was found.	Anti-malware events
ContainerName	String	Name of the Docker container where the malware was found.	Anti-malware events
Description	String	Description of the change made to the entity (created, deleted, updated) along with details about the attributes changed.	Integrity monitoring events
Description	String	Brief description of what	System

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		happened during an event.	events
DestinationIP	String (IP)	The IP address of the destination of a packet.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
DestinationMAC	String (MAC)	The MAC address of the destination of a packet.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
DestinationPort	Integer	The network port number a packet was sent to.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
DetectionCategory	Integer (enum)	The detection category for a web reputation event. 12=User Defined, 13=Custom, 91=Global.	Web reputation events
DetectOnly	Boolean	Whether or not the event was returned with the Detect Only flag turned on. If true, this indicates that the URL was not blocked, but access was detected.	Web reputation events
Direction	Integer (enum)	Network packet direction. 0=Incoming, 1=Outgoing.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
DirectionString	String	Conversion Direction to a readable string.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
DriverTime	Integer	The time the log was generated as recorded by the driver.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
EndLogDate	String (Date)	The last log date recorded for repeated events. Will not be present for events that did not repeat.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
EngineType	Integer	The Anti-Malware engine type.	Anti-malware events
EngineVersion	String	The Anti-Malware engine version.	Anti-malware events
EntityType	String (enum)	The type of entity an integrity monitoring event applies to: Directory, File, Group, InstalledSoftware, Port, Process, RegistryKey, RegistryValue, Service, User, or Wql	Integrity monitoring events
ErrorCode	Integer	Error code for malware scanning events. If non-zero the scan failed, and the scan action and scan result fields contain more details.	Anti-malware events
EventID	Integer	The identifier of the event. Identifiers are unique per event type, but events of different types may share the same identifier. For example, it is possible for events with both EventType firewall and ips to have EventID equal to 1. The combination of EventID, EventType and TenantID are required to	All event types

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		completely, uniquely identify an event in Deep Security. Note that this property is not related to the "Event ID" property of a System Event in the Deep Security Manager.	
EventType	String (enum)	The type of the event. One of: "SystemEvent", "PacketLog", "PayloadLog", "AntiMalwareEvent", "WebReputationEvent", "IntegrityEvent", "LogInspectionEvent", "AppControlEvent".	All event types
FileName	String	File name of the software that was allowed or blocked, such as "script.sh". (The full path is separate, in "Path".)	Application control events
Flags	String	Flags recorded from a network packet; a space-separated list of strings.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
Flow	Integer (enum)	Network connection flow. Possible values: -1=Not Applicable, 0=Connection Flow, 1=Reverse Flow	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
FlowString	String	Conversion of Flow to a readable string.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
Frame	Integer (enum)	Frame type. -1=Unknown, 2048=IP, 2054=ARP, 32821=REVARP, 33169=NETBEUI,	Firewall events, intrusion prevention

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		0x86DD=IPv6	events
FrameString	String	Conversion of Frame to a readable string.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
GroupID	String	The group ID, if any, of the user account that tried to start the software, such as "0".	Application control events
GroupName	String	The group name, if any, of the user account that tried to start the software, such as "root".	Application control events
HostAgentVersion	String	The version of the Deep Security Agent that was protecting the computer where the event was detected.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events
HostAgentGUID	String	The global unique identifier (GUID) of the Deep Security Agent when activated with the Deep Security Manager.	Application control events
HostAssetValue	Integer	The asset value assigned to the computer at the time the event was generated.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
			monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events, application control events
HostGroupID	Integer	The unique identifier of the Computer Group of the computer where the event was detected.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events
HostGroupName	String	The name of the Computer Group of the computer where the event was detected. Note that Computer Group names may not be unique.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events
HostID	Integer	Unique identifier of the computer where the event	Anti-malware

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		occurred.	events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events, application control events
HostInstanceId	String	The cloud instance ID of the computer where the event was detected. This property will only be set for computers synchronized with a Cloud Connector.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events
Hostname	String	Hostname of the computer on which the event was generated.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
			events, application control events
HostOS	String	The operating system of the computer where the event was detected.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events, application control events
HostOwnerID	String	The cloud account ID of the computer where the event was detected. This property will only be set for computers synchronized with a Cloud Connector.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events
HostSecurityPolicyID	Integer	The unique identifier of the Deep Security policy applied to the computer where the event was detected.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
			events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events, application control events
HostSecurityPolicyName	String	The name of the Deep Security policy applied to the computer where the event was detected. Note that security policy names may not be unique.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events, application control events
HostVCUID	String	The vCenter UUID of the computer the event applies to, if known.	Anti-malware events, web reputation events, integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall events, intrusion prevention events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
InfectedFilePath	String	Path of the infected file in the case of malware detection.	Anti-malware events
InfectionSource	String	The name of the computer that's the source of a malware infection, if known.	Anti-malware events
Interface	String (MAC)	MAC address of the network interface sending or receiving a packet.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
IPDatagramLength	Integer	The length of the IP datagram.	Intrusion prevention events
IsHash	String	The SHA-1 content hash (hexadecimal encoded) of the file after it was modified.	Integrity monitoring events
Key	String	The file or registry key an integrity event refers to.	Integrity monitoring events
LogDate	String (Date)	The date and time when the event was recorded. For Deep Security Agent-generated events (Firewall, IPS, etc.), the time is when the event was recorded by the agent, not when the event was received by Deep Security Manager.	All event types
MajorVirusType	Integer (enum)	The classification of malware detected. 0=Joke, 1=Trojan, 2=Virus, 3=Test, 4=Spyware, 5=Packer, 6=Generic, 7=Other	Anti-malware events
MajorVirusTypeString	String	Conversion of MajorVirusType to a	Anti-malware events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		readable string.	
MalwareName	String	The name of the malware detected.	Anti-malware events
MalwareType	Integer (enum)	The type of malware detected. 1=General malware, 2=Spyware. General malware events will have an InfectedFilePath, spyware events will not.	Anti-malware events
ManagerNodeID	Integer	Unique identifier of the Deep Security Manager Node where the event was generated.	System events
ManagerNodeName	String	Name of the Deep Security Manager Node where the event was generated.	System events
MD5	String	The MD5 checksum (hash) of the software, if any.	Application control events
Number	Integer	System events have an additional ID that identifies the event. Note that in the Deep Security Manager, this property appears as "Event ID".	System events
Operation	Integer (enum)	0=Unknown, 1=Allowed due to detect-only mode, 2=Blocked	Application control
Origin	Integer (enum)	The origin of the event. - 1=Unknown, 0=Deep Security Agent, 1=In-VM guest agent, 2=Deep Security Appliance, 3=Deep Security Manager	All event types

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
OriginString	String	Conversion of Origin to a human-readable string.	All event types
OSSEC_Action	String	OSSEC action	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Command	String	OSSEC command	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Data	String	OSSEC data	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Description	String	OSSEC description	Log inspection events
OSSEC_DestinationIP	String	OSSEC dstip	Log inspection events
OSSEC_DestinationPort	String	OSSEC dstport	Log inspection events
OSSEC_DestinationUser	String	OSSEC dstuser	Log inspection events
OSSEC_FullLog	String	OSSEC full log	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Groups	String	OSSEC groups result (e.g. syslog, authentication_failure)	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Hostname	String	OSSEC hostname. This is the name of the host as read from a log entry, which is not necessarily the same as the	Log inspection events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		name of the host on which the event was generated.	
OSSEC_ID	String	OSSEC id	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Level	Integer (enum)	OSSEC level. An integer in the range 0 to 15 inclusive. 0-3=Low severity, 4-7=Medium severity, 8-11=High severity, 12-15=Critical severity.	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Location	String	OSSEC location	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Log	String	OSSEC log	Log inspection events
OSSEC_ProgramName	String	OSSEC program_name	Log inspection events
OSSEC_Protocol	String	OSSEC protocol	Log inspection events
OSSEC_RuleID	Integer	OSSEC rule id	Log inspection events
OSSEC_SourceIP	Integer	OSSEC srcip	Log inspection events
OSSEC_SourcePort	Integer	OSSEC srcport	Log inspection events
OSSEC_SourceUser	Integer	OSSEC srcuser	Log inspection

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
			events
OSSEC_Status	Integer	OSSEC status	Log inspection events
OSSEC_SystemName	Integer	OSSEC systemname	Log inspection events
OSSEC_URL	Integer	OSSEC url	Log inspection events
PacketData	Integer	Hexadecimal encoding of captured packet data, if the rule was configured to capture packet data.	Intrusion prevention events
PacketSize	Integer	The size of the network packet.	Firewall events
Path	String	Directory path of the software file that was allowed or blocked, such as "/usr/bin/". (The file name is separate, in "FileName".)	Application control events
PatternVersion	Integer (enum)	The malware detection pattern version.	Anti-malware events
PayloadFlags	Integer	Intrusion Prevention Filter Flags. A bitmask value that can include the following flag values: 1 - Data truncated - Data could not be logged. 2 - Log Overflow - Log overflowed after this log. 4 - Suppressed - Logs threshold suppressed after this log. 8 - Have Data - Contains packet data. 16 - Reference Data - References previously	Intrusion prevention events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		logged data.	
PosInBuffer	Integer	Position within packet of data that triggered the event.	Intrusion prevention events
PosInStream	Integer	Position within stream of data that triggered the event.	Intrusion prevention events
Process	String	The name of the process that generated the event, if available.	Integrity monitoring events
ProcessID	Integer	The identifier (PID) of the process that generated the event, if available.	Application control events
ProcessName	String	The name of the process that generated the event, if available, such as "/usr/bin/bash".	Application control events
Protocol	Integer (enum)	The numerical network protocol identifier. - 1=Unknown, 1=ICMP, 2=IGMP, 3=GGP, 6=TCP, 12=PUP, 17=UDP, 22=IDP, 58=ICMPv6, 77=ND, 255=RAW	Firewall events, Intrusion prevention events
ProtocolString	String	Conversion of Protocol to a readable string.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
Rank	Integer	The numerical rank of the event; the product of the computer's assigned asset value and the severity value setting for an event of this severity.	Integrity monitoring events, log inspection events, firewall

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
			events, intrusion prevention events
Reason	String	Name of the Deep Security rule or configuration object that triggered the event, or (for Firewall and Intrusion Prevention) a mapping of Status to String if the event was not triggered by a rule. For Application Control, "Reason" may be "None"; see "BlockReason" instead.	Firewall, intrusion prevention, integrity monitoring, log inspection, anti-malware, and application control events
RepeatCount	Integer	The number of times this event occurred repeatedly. A repeat count of 1 indicates the event was only observed once and did not repeat.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events, application control events
Risk	Integer (enum)	Translated risk level of the URL accessed. 2=Suspicious, 3=Highly Suspicious, 4=Dangerous, 5=Untested, 6=Blocked by Administrator	Web reputation events
RiskLevel	Integer	The raw risk level of the URL from 0 to 100. Will not be present if the URL was blocked by a block rule.	Web reputation events
RiskString	String	Conversion of Risk to a readable string.	Web reputation events
ScanAction1	Integer	Scan action 1. Scan action 1 & 2 and scan result actions 1	Anti-malware events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		& 2 and ErrorCode are combined to form the single "summaryScanResult".	
ScanAction2	Integer	Scan action 2.	Anti-malware events
ScanResultAction1	Integer	Scan result action 1.	Anti-malware events
ScanResultAction2	Integer	Scan result action 2.	Anti-malware events
ScanResultString	String	Malware scan result, as a string. A combination of ScanAction 1 and 2, ScanActionResult 1 and 2, and ErrorCode.	Anti-malware events
ScanType	Integer (enum)	Malware scan type that created the event. 0=Real-Time, 1=Manual, 2=Scheduled, 3=Quick Scan	Anti-malware events
ScanTypeString	String	Conversion of ScanType to a readable string.	Anti-malware events
Severity	Integer	1=Info, 2=Warning, 3=Error	System events
Severity	Integer (enum)	1=Low, 2=Medium, 3=High, 4=Critical	Integrity monitoring events, intrusion prevention events
SeverityString	String	Conversion of Severity to a human-readable string.	System events, integrity monitoring events, intrusion

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
			prevention events
SeverityString	String	Conversion of OSSEC_Level to a human-readable string.	Log inspection events
SHA1	String	The SHA-1 checksum (hash) of the software, if any.	Application control events
SHA256	String	The SHA-256 checksum (hash) of the software, if any.	Application control events
SourceIP	String (IP)	The source IP address of a packet.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
SourceMAC	String (MAC)	The source MAC Address of the packet.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
SourcePort	Integer	The network source port number of the packet.	Firewall events, intrusion prevention events
Status	Integer	If this event was not generated by a specific Firewall rule, then this status is one of approximately 50 hard-coded rules, such as 123=Out Of Allowed Policy	Firewall events
Status	Integer	If this event was not generated by a specific IPS rule, then this status is one of	Intrusion prevention events

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
		approximately 50 hard-coded reasons, such as - 504=Invalid UTF8 encoding	
Tags	String	Comma-separated list of tags that have been applied to the event. This list will only include tags that are automatically applied when the event is generated.	All event types
TagSetID	Integer	Identifier of the group of tags that was applied to the event.	All event types
TargetID	Integer	Unique identifier of the target of the event. This identifier is unique for the targets of the same type within a tenant. It is possible for target IDs to be reused across different types, for example, both a Computer and a Policy may have target ID 10.	System events
TargetIP	String (IP)	IP Address that was being contacted when a Web Reputation Event was generated.	Web reputation events
TargetName	String	The name of the target of the event. The target of a system event can be many things, including computers, policies, users, roles, and tasks.	System events
TargetType	String	The type of the target of the event.	System events
TenantID	Integer	Unique identifier of the tenant associated with the event.	All event types

Property Name	Data Type	Description	Applies To Event Type(s)
TenantName	String	Name of the tenant associated with the event.	All event types
Title	String	Title of the event.	System events
URL	String (URL)	The URL being accessed that generated the event.	Web reputation events
User	String	The user account that was the target of an integrity monitoring event, if known.	Integrity monitoring events
UserID	String	The user identifier (UID), if any, of the user account that tried to start the software, such as "0".	Application control events
UserName	String	The user name, if any, of the user account that tried to start the software, such as "root".	Application control events

Data types of event properties

Events forwarded as JSON usually use strings to encode other data types.

Data Type	Description
Boolean	JSON <code>true</code> or <code>false</code> .
Integer	JSON <code>int</code>. Deep Security does not output floating point numbers in events. Note: Integers in events may be more than 32 bits. Verify the code that processes events can handle this. For example, JavaScript's Number data type cannot safely handle larger than 32-bit integers.
Integer (enum)	JSON <code>int</code> , restricted to a set of enumerated values.

Data Type	Description
String	JSON <code>string</code> .
String (Date)	JSON <code>string</code> , formatted as a date and time in the pattern YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.sssZ (ISO 8601). 'Z' is the time zone. 'sss' are the three digits for sub-seconds. See also the W3C note on date and time formats .
String (IP)	JSON <code>string</code> , formatted as an IPv4 or IPv6 address.
String (MAC)	JSON <code>string</code> , formatted as a network MAC address.
String (URL)	JSON <code>string</code> , formatted as a URL.
String (enum)	JSON <code>string</code> , restricted to a set of enumerated values.

Example events in JSON format

System event

```
{
  "Type" :          "Notification",
  "MessageId" :     "123abc-123-123-123-123abc",
  "TopicArn" :      "arn:aws:sns:us-west-2:123456789:DS_Events",
  "Message" :       "[
    {
      "ActionBy": "System",
      "Description": "Alert: New Pattern Update
is Downloaded and Available\\nSeverity: Warning\\",
      "EventID": 6813,
      "EventType": "SystemEvent",
      "LogDate": "2018-12-04T15:54:24.086Z",
      "ManagerNodeID": 123,
      "ManagerNodeName": "job7-123",
      "Number": 192,
      "Origin": 3,
```

```

        "OriginString": "Manager",
        "Severity": 1,
        "SeverityString": "Info",
        "Tags": "\",
        "TargetID": 1,
        "TargetName": "ec2-12-123-123-123.us-west-
2.compute.amazonaws.com",
        "TargetType": "Host",
        "TenantID": 123,
        "TenantName": "Umbrella Corp.",
        "Title": "Alert Ended"
    }
],
"Timestamp" : "2018-12-04T15:54:25.130Z",
"SignatureVersion" : "1",
"Signature" : "500PER10NG5!gnaTURE==",
"SigningCertURL" : "https://sns.us-west-
2.amazonaws.com/SimpleNotificationService-abc123.pem",
"UnsubscribeURL" : "https://sns.us-west-
2.amazonaws.com/?Action=Unsubscribe&SubscriptionArn=arn:aws:sns:us-
west-2:123456:DS_Events:123abc-123-123-123-123abc"
}

```

Anti-malware events

Multiple virus detection events can be in each SNS `Message`. (For brevity, repeated event properties are omitted below, indicated by "...".)

```

{
    "Type" : "Notification",
    "MessageId" : "123abc-123-123-123-123abc",
    "TopicArn" : "arn:aws:sns:us-west-2:123456789:DS_Events",
    "Message" : "[
        {

```



```

"AMTargetTypeString":"N/A",
"ATSEDetectionLevel":0,
"CreationTime":"2018-12-04T15:57:18.000Z",
"EngineType":1207959848,
"EngineVersion":"10.0.0.1040",
"ErrorCode":0,
"EventID":1,
"EventType":"AntiMalwareEvent",
"HostAgentGUID":"4A5BF25A-4446-DD8B-DFB7-
564C275F5F6B",
"HostAgentVersion":"11.1.0.163",
"HostID":1,
"HostOS":"Amazon Linux (64 bit) (4.14.62-
65.117.amzn1.x86_64) ",
"HostSecurityPolicyID":3,
"HostSecurityPolicyName":"PolicyA",
"Hostname":"ec2-12-123-123-123.us-west-
2.compute.amazonaws.com",
"InfectedFilePath":"/tmp/eicar_
1543939038890.txt",
"LogDate":"2018-12-04T15:57:19.000Z",
"MajorVirusType":2,
"MajorVirusTypeString":"Virus",
"MalwareName":"Eicar_test_file",
"MalwareType":1,
"ModificationTime":"2018-12-
04T15:57:18.000Z",
"Origin":0,
"OriginString":"Agent",
"PatternVersion":"14.665.00",
"Protocol":0,
"Reason":"Default Real-Time Scan
Configuration",

```

```

        "ScanAction1":4,
        "ScanAction2":3,
        "ScanResultAction1":-81,
        "ScanResultAction2":0,
        "ScanResultString":"Quarantined",
        "ScanType":0,
        "ScanTypeString":"Real Time",
        "Tags":"\",
        "TenantID":123,
        "TenantName":"Umbrella Corp."},
    {
        "AMTargetTypeString":"N/A",
        "ATSEDetectionLevel":0,
        "CreationTime":"2018-12-04T15:57:21.000Z",
        ...},
    {
        "AMTargetTypeString":"N/A",
        "ATSEDetectionLevel":0,
        "CreationTime":"2018-12-04T15:57:29.000Z",
        ...
    }
],
"Timestamp" :      "2018-12-04T15:57:50.833Z",
"SignatureVersion" : "1",
"Signature" :      "500PER10NG5!gnaTURE==",
"SigningCertURL" :  "https://sns.us-west-
2.amazonaws.com/SimpleNotificationService-abc123.pem",
"UnsubscribeURL" :  "https://sns.us-west-
2.amazonaws.com/?Action=Unsubscribe&SubscriptionArn=arn:aws:sns:us-
west-2:123456:DS_Events:123abc-123-123-123-123abc"
}

```

Forward system events to a remote computer via SNMP

Deep Security supports SNMP for forwarding system events to a computer from Deep Security Manager. On Windows, the MIB file ("DeepSecurity.mib") is located in \Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\util. On Linux, the default location is /opt/dsm/util.

Lists of events and alerts

The following sections list all of the Deep Security alerts and events you could encounter.

- ["Predefined alerts" below](#)
- ["Agent events" on page 1016](#)
- ["System events" on page 1020](#)
- ["Application Control events" on page 1052](#)
- ["Anti-malware events" on page 1054](#)
- ["Firewall events" on page 1056](#)
- ["Intrusion prevention events" on page 1064](#)
- ["Integrity monitoring events" on page 1069](#)
- ["Log inspection events" on page 1073](#)

Predefined alerts

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
Abnormal Restart Detected	Warning	Yes	An abnormal restart has been detected on the computer. This condition may be caused by a variety of conditions. If the agent/appliance is suspected as the root cause then the diagnostics package (located in the Support section of the Computer Details dialog) should be invoked. This alert indicates that the Deep Security Agent service was restarted abnormally. You can safely dismiss this alert, or, if the

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			alert reoccurs, create a diagnostics package and open a case with Technical Support.
Activation Failed	Critical	No	This may indicate a problem with the agent/appliance, but it also can occur if agent self-protection is enabled. On the Deep Security Manager, go to Computer editor ¹ > Settings > General . In Agent Self Protection , and then either deselect Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent or enter a password for local override.
A Deep Security Relay cannot download security components	Critical	No	A Deep Security Relay can't successfully download security components. This might be due to network connectivity issues or misconfigurations in Deep Security Manager under Administration > System Settings > Updates . Check your network configurations (for example, the proxy settings of the relay group) and System Settings , and then manually initiate an update on the relay using the Download Security Update option on the Administration > Updates > Software page.
Agent configuration package too large	Warning	Yes	This is usually caused by too many firewall and intrusion prevention rules being assigned. Run a recommendation scan on the computer to determine if any rules can be safely unassigned.
Agent Installation Failed	Critical	Yes	The agent failed to install successfully on one or more computers. Those computers are currently unprotected. You must reboot the computers which will automatically restart the agent install program.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			This may indicate a problem with the agent/appliance, but it also can occur if agent self-protection is enabled. On the Deep Security Manager, go to Computer editor ¹ > Settings > General . In Agent Self Protection , and then either deselect Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent or enter a password for local override.
Agent Upgrade Recommended (Incompatible with Appliance)	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected a computer with a version of the agent that is not compatible with the appliance. The appliance will always filter network traffic in this configuration resulting in redundant protection. (Deprecated in 9.5)
Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended	Warning	No	The Deep Security Manager has detected an older agent/appliance version on the computer that does not support all available features. An upgrade of the agent/appliance software is recommended. (Deprecated in 9.5)
Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended (Incompatible Security Update(s))	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected a computer with a version of the agent/appliance that is not compatible with one or more security updates assigned to it. An upgrade of the agent/appliance software is recommended.
Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended (New Version Available)	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected one or more computers with a version of the agent/appliance that is older than the latest version imported into the manager. An upgrade of the agent/appliance software is recommended.
Agent/Appliance Upgrade Required	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected a computer with a version of the agent/appliance that is not compatible with this version of the manager. An upgrade of the agent/appliance software is required.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
An update to the Rules is available	Warning	No	Updated rules have been downloaded but not applied to your policies. To apply the rules, go to Administration > Updates > Security and in the Rule Updates column, click Apply Rules to Policies .
Anti-Malware Alert	Warning	Yes	A malware scan configuration that is configured for alerting has raised an event on one or more computers.
Anti-Malware Component Failure	Critical	Yes	An anti-malware component failed on one or more computers. See the event descriptions on the individual computers for specific details.
Anti-Malware Component Update Failed	Warning	No	One or more agent or relay failed to update anti-malware components. See the affected computers for more information.
Anti-Malware Engine Offline	Critical	No	The agent or appliance has reported that the anti-malware engine is not responding. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the cause of the failure.
Anti-Malware protection is absent or out of date	Warning	No	The agent on this computer has not received its initial anti-malware protection package, or its anti-malware protection is out of date. Make sure a relay is available and that the agent has been properly configured to communicate with it. To configure relays and other update options, go to Administration > System Settings > Updates .
Anti-malware module maximum disk space used to store identified files exceeded	Warning	Yes	The Anti-Malware module was unable to analyze or quarantine a file because the maximum disk space used to store identified files was reached. To change the maximum disk space for identified files setting, open the computer or policy editor and go to the Anti-malware > Advanced tab.
API Key Locked Out	Warning	No	API Keys can be locked out manually, or by repeated failed validation attempts.
Application Control Engine Offline	Critical	No	The agent has reported that the Application Control engine failed to initialize. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the cause of the failure.
Application Control Ruleset is incompatible	Critical	No	An application control ruleset could not be

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
with agent version			assigned to one or more computers because the ruleset is not supported by the installed version of the agent. Typically, the problem is that a hash-based ruleset (which is compatible only with Deep Security Agent 11.0 or newer) has been assigned to an older Deep Security Agent. Deep Security Agent 10.x supports only file-based rulesets. (For details, see "Differences in how Deep Security Agent 10 and 11 compare files" on page 537.) To fix this issue, upgrade the Deep Security Agent to version 11.0 or newer. Alternatively, if you are using local rulesets, reset application control for the agent. Or if you are using a shared ruleset, use a shared ruleset that was created with Deep Security 10.x until all agents using the shared ruleset are upgraded to Deep Security Agent 11.0 or newer.
Application Type Misconfiguration	Warning	No	Misconfiguration of application types may prevent proper security coverage.
Application Type Recommendation	Warning	Yes	Deep Security Manager has determined that a computer should be assigned an application type. This could be because an agent was installed on a new computer and vulnerable applications were detected, or because a new vulnerability has been discovered in an installed application that was previously thought to be safe. To assign the application type to the computer, open the 'Computer Details' dialog box, click on 'Intrusion Prevention Rules', and assign the application type.
AWS Contract License Exceeded	Critical	No	AWS Contract License expired or AWS Contract entitlements have been exceeded.
Azure AD Application Needs Renew	Critical	No	The Azure AD application can not sync the cloud data now. Maybe the application password is expired or the application is deleted. Please renew the application via Computers > Properties (right click on the target group) > Renew Application Now.
Azure AD Application Expires Soon	Warning	No	The Azure AD application password will expire soon. You can remove this alert by

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			renewing the application via Computers > Properties (right click on the target group) > Renew Application Now.
Azure Key Pair Expired	Critical	No	The key pair for Azure service(s) has expired. You can remove this alert by updating your key pair on the Azure service's property page.
Azure Key Pair Expires Soon	Warning	No	The key pair for Azure service(s) will expire soon. You can remove this alert by updating your key pair on the Azure service's property page.
Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Disconnected	Warning	Yes	Disconnected from Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service. Please see the event details below for possible solutions. Refer to "Warning: Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Disconnected" on page 1098 for troubleshooting tips.
Certified Safe Software Service Offline	Warning	No	A Deep Security Manager node cannot connect to the Trend Micro Certified Safe Software Service to perform file signature comparisons for the integrity monitoring module. A locally cached database will be used until connectivity is restored. Make sure the manager node has internet connectivity and that proxy settings (if any) are correct.
Clock Change Detected	Warning	Yes	A clock change has been detected on the computer. Unexpected clock changes may indicate a problem on the computer and should be investigated before the alert is dismissed.
Cloud Computer Not Managed as Part of Cloud Account	Warning	Yes	An agent was activated on one or more Amazon WorkSpace but WorkSpaces are not enabled for your AWS account. To enable WorkSpaces, click 'Edit AWS Account' above, and select the 'Include Amazon WorkSpaces' check box. Your WorkSpace(s) are moved into the WorkSpaces folder of the AWS Account.
Communications Problem Detected	Warning	Yes	A communications problem has been detected on the computer.

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			Communications problems indicate that the computer cannot initiate communication with the Deep Security Manager(s) because of network configuration or load reasons. Please check the system events in addition to verifying communications can be established to the Deep Security Manager(s) from the computer. The cause of the issue should be investigated before the alert is dismissed.
Computer Not Receiving Updates	Warning	No	These computer(s) have stopped receiving updates. Manual intervention may be required.
Computer Reboot Required	Critical	Yes	The agent software upgrade was successful, but the computer must be rebooted for the install to be completed. The computer(s) should be manually updated before the alert is dismissed.
Computer Reboot Required for Anti-Malware Protection	Critical	No	The anti-malware protection on the agent has reported that the computer needs to be rebooted. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the reason for the reboot.
Computer Reboot Required for Application Control Protection	Critical	No	The Application Control protection on Agent has reported that the computer needs to be rebooted. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the reason for the reboot.
Computer Reboot Required for Integrity Monitoring Protection	Critical	No	The Integrity Monitoring protection on Agent has reported that the computer needs to be rebooted. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the reason for the reboot.
Configuration Required	Warning	No	One or more computers are using a policy that defines multiple interface types where not all interfaces have been mapped.
Connection to Filter Driver Failure	Critical	No	An appliance has reported a failure connecting to the filter driver. This may indicate a configuration issue with the filter driver running on the ESXi or with the appliance. The appliance must be able to connect to the filter driver in order to protect guests. The cause of the issue should be investigated and resolved.
CPU Critical Threshold	Critical	No	The CPU critical threshold has been

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
Exceeded CPU Warning Threshold Exceeded	Warning	No	exceeded. The CPU warning threshold has been exceeded.
Duplicate Computer Detected	Warning	Yes	A duplicate computer has been activated or imported. Please remove the duplicate computer and reactivate the original computer if necessary.
Duplicate Unique Identifiers Detected	Warning	No	Duplicate UUIDs have been detected. Please remove the duplicate UUID.
Empty Relay Group Assigned	Critical	No	These computers have been assigned an empty relay group. Assign a different relay group to the computers or add relays to the empty relay group(s).
Events Suppressed	Warning	Yes	The agent/appliance encountered an unexpectedly high volume of events. As a result, one or more events were not recorded (suppressed) to prevent a potential denial of service. Check the firewall events to determine the cause of the suppression.
Events Truncated	Warning	Yes	Some events were lost because the data file grew too large for the agent/appliance to store. This may have been caused by an unexpected increase in the number of events being generated, or the inability of the agent/appliance to send the data to the Deep Security Manager. For more information, see the properties of the "Events Truncated" system event on the computer.
Execution of Software Blocked	Warning	Yes	Execution of software was blocked on one or more computers. See the Application Control Events on the following computers for more information.
Failed to Send SNS Message	Critical	No	The Deep Security Manager was unable to forward messages to Amazon SNS
Failed to Send Syslog Message	Warning	No	The Deep Security Manager was unable to forward messages to one or more Syslog Servers.
Files Could Not Be Scanned for Malware	Warning	No	Files could not be scanned for malware because the file path exceeded the maximum file path length limit or the directory depth exceeded the maximum directory depth limit. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the reason.

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
Firewall Engine Offline	Critical	No	The agent/appliance has reported that the firewall engine is offline. Please check the status of the engine on the agent/appliance.
Firewall Rule Alert	Warning	Yes	A firewall rule that is selected for alerting has been encountered on one or more computers.
Firewall Rule Recommendation	Warning	Yes	Deep Security Manager has determined that a computer on your network should be assigned a firewall rule. This could be because an agent was installed on a new computer and vulnerable applications were detected, or because a new vulnerability has been discovered in an installed application that was previously thought to be safe. To assign the firewall rule to the computer, open the 'Computer Details' dialog box, click on the 'Firewall Rules' node, and assign the firewall rule.
Heartbeat Server Failed	Warning	No	The heartbeat server failed to start properly. This may be due to a port number conflict. Agents/appliances will not be able to contact the manager until this problem is resolved. To resolve this problem ensure that another service is not using the port number reserved for use by the heartbeat server and "Restart the Deep Security Manager" on page 804 service. If you do not wish to use the heartbeat you can turn this alert off in the Alert Configuration section.
Incompatible Agent/Appliance Version	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected a more recent agent/appliance version on the computer that is not compatible with this version of the manager. An upgrade of the manager software is recommended.
Insufficient Disk Space	Warning	Yes	The agent/appliance has reported that it was forced to delete an old log file to free up disk space for a new log file. Please immediately free up disk space to prevent loss of intrusion prevention, firewall and agent/appliance events. See "Warning: Insufficient disk space" on page 1099 .
Integrity Monitoring Engine Offline	Critical	No	The agent/appliance has reported that the integrity monitoring engine is not responding. Please check the system

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			events for the computer to determine the cause of the failure.
Integrity Monitoring information collection has been delayed	Warning	No	The rate at which integrity monitoring information is collected has been temporarily delayed due to an increased amount of integrity monitoring data. During this time the baseline and integrity event views may not be current for some computers. This alert will be dismissed automatically once integrity monitoring data is no longer being delayed.
Integrity Monitoring Rule Alert	Warning	Yes	An integrity monitoring rule that is selected for alerting has been encountered on one or more computers.
Integrity Monitoring Rule Compilation Error	Critical	No	An error was encountered compiling an integrity monitoring rule on a computer. This may result in the integrity monitoring rule not operating as expected.
Integrity Monitoring Rule Recommendation	Warning	Yes	Deep Security Manager has determined that a computer on your network should be assigned an integrity monitoring rule. To assign the integrity monitoring rule to the computer, open the 'Computer Details' dialog box, click on the 'Integrity Monitoring > Integrity Monitoring Rules' node, and assign the integrity monitoring rule.
Integrity Monitoring Rule Requires Configuration	Warning	No	An integrity monitoring rule that requires configuration before use has been assigned to one or more computers. This rule will not be sent to the computer(s). Open the integrity monitoring rule properties and select the Configuration tab for more information.
Integrity Monitoring Trusted Platform Module Not Enabled	Warning	Yes	Trusted platform module not enabled. Please ensure the hardware is installed and the BIOS setting is correct.
Integrity Monitoring Trusted Platform Module Register Value Changed	Warning	Yes	Trusted platform module register value changed. If you have not modified the ESXi hypervisor configuration this may represent an attack.
Intrusion Prevention Engine Offline	Critical	No	The agent/appliance has reported that the intrusion prevention engine is offline. Please check the status of the engine on the agent/appliance.
Intrusion Prevention Rule	Warning	Yes	An intrusion prevention rule that is

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
Alert			selected for alerting has been encountered on one or more computers.
Intrusion Prevention Rule Compilation Failed	Critical	Yes	This is usually caused by a misconfigured IPS Rule. The Rule name can be found in the Event's Properties window. To resolve this issue, identify the Rule and unassign it or contact Trend Micro Support for assistance.
Intrusion Prevention Rule Requires Configuration	Warning	No	An intrusion prevention rule that requires configuration before use has been assigned to one or more computers. This rule will not be sent to the computer(s). Open the intrusion prevention rule properties and select the Configuration tab for more information.
Invalid System Settings Detected	Critical	No	The Deep Security Manager detected invalid values for one or more system settings
Legacy Agent Software Detected	Warning	Yes	We have detected software whose version is less than 9.5, and is no longer supported. Please import the latest software to replace it. For details, see "Get Deep Security Agent software" on page 251 .
Log Inspection Engine Offline	Critical	No	The agent/appliance has reported that the log inspection engine has failed to initialize. Please check the system events for the computer to determine the cause of the failure.
Log Inspection Rule Alert	Warning	Yes	A log inspection rule that is selected for alerting has been encountered on one or more computers.
Log Inspection Rule Recommendation	Warning	Yes	Deep Security Manager has determined that a computer on your network should be assigned a log inspection rule. To assign the log inspection rule to the computer, open the 'Computer Details' dialog box, click on the 'Log Inspection > Log Inspection Rules' node, and assign the log inspection rule.
Log Inspection Rule Requires Configuration	Warning	No	A log inspection rule that requires configuration before use has been assigned to one or more computers. This

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			rule will not be sent to the computer(s). Open the Log Inspection Rule properties and select the Configuration tab for more information.
Low Disk Space	Warning	No	A Deep Security Manager Node has less than 10% remaining disk space. Please free space by deleting old or unnecessary files, or add more storage capacity.
Maintenance Mode Active	Warning	No	Maintenance mode is currently active for application control on one or more computers. While this mode is active, application control continues to enforce block rules (if you selected Block unrecognized software until it is explicitly allowed), but will allow software updates, and automatically add them to the inventory part of the ruleset. When the software update is finished for each computer, disable maintenance mode so that unauthorized software is not accidentally added to the ruleset.
Manager Offline	Warning	No	A Deep Security Manager node is offline. It is possible the computer has a hardware or software problem, or has simply lost network connectivity. Please check the status of the manager's computer.
Manager Time Out of Sync	Critical	No	The clock on each manager node must be synchronized with the clock on the database. If the clocks are too far out of sync (more than 30 seconds) the manager node will not perform its tasks correctly. Synchronize the clock on your manager node with the clock on the database.
Memory Critical Threshold Exceeded	Critical	No	The memory critical threshold has been exceeded.
Memory Warning Threshold Exceeded	Warning	No	The memory warning threshold has been exceeded.
Multiple Activated Appliances Detected	Warning	Yes	The appliance has reported that multiple connections have been made to the filter driver on the same ESXi. This indicates that there may be multiple activated Appliances running on the same ESXi, which is not supported. The cause of the issue should be investigated before the alert is dismissed.
Network Engine Mode	Warning	No	Setting "Network Engine Mode" to "Tap" is

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
Incompatibility			only available on agent versions 5.2 or higher. Review and update the agent's configuration or upgrade the agent to resolve the incompatibility.
New Pattern Update is Downloaded and Available	Warning	No	New patterns are available as part of a security update. The patterns have been downloaded to Deep Security but have not yet been applied to your computers. To apply the update to your computers, go to the Administration > Updates > Security page.
New Rule Update is Downloaded and Available	Warning	No	New rules are available as part of a security update. The rules have been downloaded to Deep Security but have not yet been applied to policies and sent to your computers. To apply the update and send the updated policies to your computers, go to the Administration > Updates > Security page.
Newer Version of Deep Security Manager is Available	Warning	No	A new version of the Deep Security Manager is available. Download the latest version from the Trend Micro Download Center at http://downloadcenter.trendmicro.com/
Newer Versions of Software Available	Warning	No	New software is available. Software can be downloaded from the Download Center.
Number of Computers exceeds database limit	Warning	No	The number of activated computers has exceeded the recommended limit for an embedded database. Performance will degrade rapidly if more computers are added and it is strongly suggested that another database option (Oracle or SQL Server) be considered at this point. Please contact Trend Micro for more information on upgrading your database.
Protection Module Licensing Expired	Warning	Yes	The protection module license has expired.
Protection Module Licensing Expires Soon	Warning	No	The protection module licensing will expire soon. You can remove this alert by changing your license on the Administration > Licenses page.

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
Recommendation	Warning	Yes	Deep Security Manager has determined that the security configuration of one of your computers should be updated. To see what changes are recommended, open the Computer editor ¹ and look through the module pages for warnings of unresolved recommendations. In the Assigned Rules area, click Assign/Unassign to display the list of available rules and then filter them using the "Show Recommended for Assignment" viewing filter option. (Select "Show Recommended for Unassignment" to display rules that can safely be unassigned.)
Reconnaissance Detected: Computer OS Fingerprint Probe	Warning	Yes	The agent or appliance detected an attempt to identify the computer operating system via a "fingerprint" probe. Such activity is often a precursor to an attack that targets specific vulnerabilities. Check the computer's events to see the details of the probe and see "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100 .
Reconnaissance Detected: Network or Port Scan	Warning	Yes	The agent or appliance detected network activity typical of a network or port scan. Such activity is often a precursor to an attack that targets specific vulnerabilities. Check the computer's events to see the details of the probe and see "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100 .
Reconnaissance Detected: TCP Null Scan	Warning	Yes	The agent or appliance detected a TCP "Null" scan. Such activity is often a precursor to an attack that targets specific vulnerabilities. Check the computer's events to see the details of the probe and see "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100 .
Reconnaissance Detected: TCP SYNFIN Scan	Warning	Yes	The agent or appliance detected a TCP "SYNFIN" scan. Such activity is often a precursor to an attack that targets specific vulnerabilities. Check the computer's events to see the details of the probe and see "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected"

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Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			on page 1100 .
Reconnaissance Detected: TCP Xmas Scan	Warning	Yes	The agent or appliance detected a TCP "Xmas" scan. Such activity is often a precursor to an attack that targets specific vulnerabilities. Check the computer's events to see the details of the probe and see "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100 .
SAML Identity Provider Certificate expired	Critical	No	One or more SAML Identity Provider Certificate(s) expired.
SAML Identity Provider Certificate expires soon	Warning	No	One or more SAML Identity Provider Certificate(s) expire soon.
Scheduled Malware Scan Missed	Warning	No	Scheduled malware scan tasks were initiated on computers that already had pending scan tasks. This may indicate a scanning frequency that is too high. Consider lowering the scanning frequency, or selecting fewer computers to scan during each scheduled scan job.
Send Policy Failed	Critical	No	Inability to send policy may indicate a problem with the agent/appliance. Please check the affected computers.
Smart Protection Server Connection Failed	Warning	Yes	Failed to connect to a Smart Protection Server. This could be due to a configuration issue, or due to network connectivity.
Software Package Not Found	Critical	No	An agent software package is required for the proper operation of one or more virtual appliance(s). Please import a Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 (64 bit) agent software package with the correct version for each appliance. If the required version is not available then please import the latest package and upgrade the appliance to match.
Software Updates Available for Import	Warning	No	New software is available. To import new software to Deep Security, go to Administration > Updates > Software > Download Center.
Unable to communicate	Critical	No	Deep Security Manager has been unable to query the agent/appliance for its status within the configured period. Please check your network configuration and the affected computer's connectivity.
Unable to Upgrade the Agent Software	Warning	Yes	Deep Security Manager was unable to

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			upgrade the agent software on the computer. This may indicate a problem with the agent/appliance, but it also can occur if agent self-protection is enabled. On the Deep Security Manager, go to Computer editor¹ > Settings > General. In Agent Self Protection, and then either deselect Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent or enter a password for local override.
Software Changes Detected	Warning	No	During ongoing file system monitoring, application control detected that new software had been installed, and it did not match any configured allow or block rule. If your system administrators did not install the software, and no other users have permissions to install software, this could indicate a security compromise. If the software tries to launch, depending on your lockdown configuration at that time, it may or may not be allowed to execute.
Unresolved software change limit reached	Critical	No	Software changes detected on the file system exceeded the maximum amount. Application control will continue to enforce existing rules, but will not record any more changes, and it will stop displaying any of that computer's software changes. You must resolve and prevent excessive software change.
Upgrade of the Deep Security Manager Software Recommended (Incompatible Security Update(s))	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected a computer that is using security updates that are not compatible with the current version of Deep Security Manager. An upgrade of Deep Security Manager software is recommended.
Upgrade of the Filter	Warning	No	Deep Security Manager has detected one

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Driver Recommended (New Version Available)			or more ESXi Servers with a version of the filter driver that does not match the latest version available. An upgrade of the filter driver is recommended.
User Locked Out	Warning	No	Users can be locked out manually, by repeated incorrect sign-in attempts, if their password expires, or if they have been imported but not yet unlocked.
User Password Expires Soon	Warning	No	The password expiry setting is enabled and one or more users have passwords that will expire within the next 7 days.
Virtual Appliance is Incompatible With Filter Driver	Warning	No	The appliance is incompatible with the filter driver. Please ensure both are upgraded to their latest versions.
Virtual Machine Interfaces Out of Sync	Warning	No	One or more of the virtual machines monitored by a Deep Security Virtual Appliance has reported that its interfaces are out of sync with the filter driver. This means that the appliance may not be properly monitoring the virtual machine's interfaces. The virtual machine may require manual intervention such as a configuration change, or a restart, to correct the issue.
Virtual Machine Moved to Unprotected ESXi Server	Warning	Yes	A virtual machine was moved to an ESXi Server that does not have an activated Deep Security Virtual Appliance.
Virtual Machine Unprotected after move to another ESXi	Warning	Yes	A virtual machine that was appliance-protected has been unprotected during or after it was moved to another ESXi. This may be due to an appliance reboot or power off during the move, or it may indicate a configuration issue. The cause of the issue should be investigated before the alert is dismissed.
VMware Tools Not Installed	Critical	Yes	A protected virtual machine in an NSX environment does not have VMware Tools installed. VMware Tools is required to protect virtual machines in an NSX environment.
Web Reputation Event Alert	Warning	Yes	A web reputation event has been encountered on one or more computers that are selected for alerting.
WorkSpaces Disabled for AWS Account	Warning	Yes	An agent was activated on one or more Amazon WorkSpaces but WorkSpaces are not enabled for your AWS account. To

Alert	Default Severity	Dismissible	Description
			enable WorkSpaces, click 'Edit AWS Account' above, and select the 'Include Amazon WorkSpaces' check box. Your WorkSpace(s) will be moved into the WorkSpaces folder of the AWS account.

Agent events

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
Special Events			
0	Error	Unknown Agent/Appliance Event	
Driver-Related Events			
1000	Error	Unable To Open Engine	
1001	Error	Engine Command Failed	
1002	Warning	Engine List Objects Error	
1003	Warning	Remove Object Failed	
1004	Error	Driver Upgrade Stalled	
1005	Warning	Upgrading Driver	
1006	Error	Driver Upgrade Requires Reboot	
1007	Warning	Driver Upgrade Succeeded	
1008	Error	Kernel Unsupported	
Configuration-Related Events			
2000	Info	Policy Sent	
2001	Warning	Invalid Firewall Rule Assignment	
2002	Warning	Invalid Firewall Stateful Configuration	
2003	Error	Save Security Configuration Failed	
2004	Warning	Invalid Interface Assignment	
2005	Warning	Invalid Interface Assignment	
2006	Warning	Invalid Action	
2007	Warning	Invalid Packet Direction	
2008	Warning	Invalid Rule Priority	
2009	Warning	Unrecognized IP Format	
2010	Warning	Invalid Source IP List	
2011	Warning	Invalid Source Port List	
2012	Warning	Invalid Destination IP List	
2013	Warning	Invalid Destination Port List	
2014	Warning	Invalid Schedule	
2015	Warning	Invalid Source MAC List	
2016	Warning	Invalid Destination MAC List	
2017	Warning	Invalid Schedule Length	
2018	Warning	Invalid Schedule String	

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2019	Warning	Unrecognized IP Format	
2020	Warning	Object Not Found	
2021	Warning	Object Not Found	
2022	Warning	Invalid Rule Assignment	
2050	Warning	Firewall Rule Not Found	
2075	Warning	Traffic Stream Not Found	
2076	Warning	Intrusion Prevention Rule Not Found	
2077	Warning	Pattern List Not Found	
2078	Warning	Traffic Stream Conversion Error	
2080	Warning	Conditional Firewall Rule Not Found	
2081	Warning	Conditional Intrusion Prevention Rule Not Found	
2082	Warning	Empty Intrusion Prevention Rule	
2083	Warning	Intrusion Prevention Rule XML Rule Conversion Error	
2085	Error	Security Configuration Error	
2086	Warning	Unsupported IP Match Type	
2087	Warning	Unsupported MAC Match Type	
2088	Warning	Invalid SSL Credential	
2089	Warning	Missing SSL Credential	
2090	Error	Security Configuration Error	
2091	Error	Security Configuration Error	
Hardware-Related Events			
3000	Warning	Invalid MAC Address	
3001	Warning	Get Event Data Failed	
3002	Warning	Too Many Interfaces	
3003	Error	Unable To Run External Command	
3004	Error	Unable To Read External Command Output	
3005	Error	Operating System Call Error	
3006	Error	Operating System Call Error	
3007	Error	File Error	
3008	Error	Machine-Specific Key Error	
3009	Error	Unexpected Agent/Appliance Shutdown	
3010	Error	Agent/Appliance Database Error	
3300	Warning	Get Event Data Failed	Linux error.
3302	Warning	Get Security Configuration Failed	Linux error.
3303	Error	File Mapping Error	Linux error. File type error.
3600	Error	Get Windows System Directory Failed	
3601	Warning	Read Local Data Error	Windows error.
3602	Warning	Windows Service Error	Windows error.
3603	Error	File Mapping Error	Windows error. File size error.

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
3700	Warning	Abnormal Restart Detected	Windows error.
3701	Info	System Last Boot Time Change	Windows error.
Communications-Related Events			
4000	Warning	Invalid Protocol Header	Content length out of range.
4001	Warning	Invalid Protocol Header	Content length missing.
4002	Info	Command Session Initiated	
4003	Info	Configuration Session Initiated	
4004	Info	Command Received	
4011	Warning	Failure to Contact Manager	
4012	Warning	Heartbeat Failed	
Agent-Related Events			
5000	Info	Agent/Appliance Started	
5001	Error	Thread Exception	
5002	Error	Operation Timed Out	
5003	Info	Agent/Appliance Stopped	
5004	Warning	Clock Changed	
5005	Info	Agent/Appliance Auditing Started	
5006	Info	Agent/Appliance Auditing Stopped	
5007	Info	Appliance Protection Change	
5008	Warning	Filter Driver Connection Failed	
5009	Info	Filter Driver Connection Success	
5010	Warning	Filter Driver Informational Event	
5100	Info	Protection Module Deployment Started	
5101	Info	Protection Module Deployment Succeeded	
5102	Error	Protection Module Deployment Failed	
5103	Info	Protection Module Download Succeeded	
5104	Info	Protection Module Disablement Started	
5105	Info	Protection Module Disablement Succeeded	
5106	Error	Protection Module Disablement Failed	
5107	Info	Agent Self-Protection enabled	
5108	Info	Agent Self-Protection disabled	
5109	Error	FIPS verification Error	
5200	Info	File Backup Completed	
5201	Error	Failure to Backup File	
Logging-Related Events			
6000	Info	Log Device Open Error	
6001	Info	Log File Open Error	
6002	Info	Log File Write Error	
6003	Info	Log Directory Creation Error	
6004	Info	Log File Query Error	

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
6005	Info	Log Directory Open Error	
6006	Info	Log File Delete Error	
6007	Info	Log File Rename Error	
6008	Info	Log Read Error	
6009	Warning	Log File Deleted Due To Insufficient Space	
6010	Warning	Events Were Suppressed	
6011	Warning	Events Truncated	
6012	Error	Insufficient Disk Space	See "Warning: Insufficient disk space" on page 1099 .
6013	Warning	Agent configuration package too large	
Attack-, Scan-, and Probe-Related Events			
7000	Warning	Computer OS Fingerprint Probe	
7001	Warning	Network or Port Scan	
7002	Warning	TCP Null Scan	
7003	Warning	TCP SYNFIN Scan	
7004	Warning	TCP Xmas Scan	
Download Security Update Events			
9050	Info	Update of Anti-Malware Component on Agent Succeeded	
9051	Error	Update of Anti-Malware Component on Agent Failed	
9100	Info	Security Update Successful	
9101	Error	Security Update Failure	
9102	Error	Security Update Failure	Specific information recorded in error message.
Relay Events			
9103	Info	Relay Web Server Disabled	
9104	Info	Relay Web Server Enabled	
9105	Error	Enable Relay Web Server Failed	
9106	Error	Disable Relay Web Server Failed	
9107	Error	Relay Web Server failed	
9108	Info	Unable to Connect to Update Source	
9109	Error	Component Update Failure	
9110	Error	Anti-Malware license is expired	
9111	Info	Security Update Rollback Success	
9112	Error	Security Update Rollback Failure	
9113	Info	Relay Replicated All Packages	
9114	Error	Relay Failed to Replicate All Packages	
9115	Info	Failed to download from the Relay Web Server	
Integrity Scan Status Events			
9201	Info	Integrity Scan Started	

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
9203	Info	Integrity Scan Terminated Abnormally	
9204	Info	Integrity Scan Paused	
9205	Info	Integrity Scan Resumed	
9208	Warning	Integrity Scan failed to start	
9209	Warning	Integrity Scan Stalled	
Smart Protection Server Status Events			
9300	Warning	Smart Protection Server Disconnected for Web Reputation	See "Troubleshoot 'Smart Protection Server disconnected' errors" on page 1077.
9301	Info	Smart Protection Server Connected for Web Reputation	See "Troubleshoot 'Smart Protection Server disconnected' errors" on page 1077.
9302	Warning	Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Disconnected	
9303	Info	Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Connected	

System events

To view system events, go to **Events & Reports > Events**.

To configure system events, go to the **Administration > System Settings > System Events** tab. On this tab you can set whether to record individual events and whether to [forward them to a SIEM server](#). If you select **Record**, then the event is saved to the database. If you deselect **Record**, then the event won't appear under the **Events & Reports** tab (or anywhere in Deep Security Manager) and it won't be forwarded either.

Depending on whether it's a system configuration change or security incident, each log will appear in either the **System Events** sub-menu, or the sub-menu corresponding to the event's protection module, such as **Anti-Malware Events**.

These events sometimes also appear in the Status column on **Computers**.

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
0	Error	Unknown Error	
100	Info	Deep Security Manager Started	
101	Info	License Changed	
102	Info	Trend Micro Deep Security Customer Account Changed	
103	Warning	Check For Updates Failed	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
104	Warning	Automatic Software Download Failed	
105	Warning	Scheduled Rule Update Download and Apply Failed	
106	Info	Scheduled Rule Update Downloaded and Applied	
107	Info	Rule Update Downloaded and Applied	
108	Info	Script Executed	
109	Error	Script Execution Failed	
110	Info	System Events Exported	
111	Info	Firewall Events Exported	
112	Info	Intrusion Prevention Events Exported	
113	Warning	Scheduled Rule Update Download Failed	
114	Info	Scheduled Rule Update Downloaded	
115	Info	Rule Update Downloaded	
116	Info	Rule Update Applied	
117	Info	Deep Security Manager Shutdown	
118	Warning	Deep Security Manager Offline	
119	Info	Deep Security Manager Back Online	
120	Error	Heartbeat Server Failed	The server within Deep Security Manager that listens for incoming agent heartbeats did not start. Check that the manager's incoming heartbeat port number is not in use by another application on the server. Once the port is free, the manager's heartbeat server should bind to it, and this error should be fixed.
121	Error	Scheduler Failed	
122	Error	Manager Message Thread Failed	An internal thread has failed. There is no resolution for this error. If it persists, please contact customer support.
123	Info	Deep Security Manager Forced Shutdown	
124	Info	Rule Update Deleted	
130	Info	Credentials Generated	
131	Warning	Credential Generation Failed	
140	Info	Discover Computers	
141	Warning	Discover Computers Failed	
142	Info	Discover Computers Requested	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
143	Info	Discover Computers Canceled	
150	Info	System Settings Saved	
151	Info	Software Added	
152	Info	Software Deleted	
153	Info	Software Updated	
154	Info	Software Exported	
155	Info	Software Platforms Changed	
156	Error	Agent Installer Digital Signature Verification Failed	'<agent>.zip' has been deleted because the digital signature verification failed. The failure indicates that the file may have been tampered with. Details: <detailed_message> Please contact Trend Micro support for more help. See "Check digital signatures on software packages" on page 232 for details.
160	Info	Authentication Failed	
161	Info	Rule Update Exported	
162	Info	Log Inspection Events Exported	
163	Info	Anti-Malware Event Exported	
164	Info	Security Update Successful	
165	Error	Security Update Failed	
166	Info	Check for New Software Success	
167	Error	Check for New Software Failed	
168	Info	Manual Security Update Successful	
169	Error	Manual Security Update Failed	
170	Error	Manager Available Disk Space Too Low	The manager does not have enough free disk space to function and will shut down. Either expand the disk space or delete unused files to free some disk space, then "Restart the Deep Security Manager" on page 804.
171	Info	Anti-Malware Spyware Item Exported	
172	Info	Web Reputation Events Exported	
173	Info	Anti-Malware Identified Files List Exported	
174	Info	Anti-Malware Unauthorized Change Targeted Item Exported	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
180	Info	Alert Type Updated	
190	Info	Alert Started	
191	Info	Alert Changed	
192	Info	Alert Ended	
197	Info	Alert Emails Sent	
198	Warning	Alert Emails Failed	An alert email could not be sent. Verify that your SMTP settings are correct.
199	Error	Alert Processing Failed	The current alert status could be inaccurate because an alert was not completely processed. If the problem persists, contact your support provider.
248	Info	Software Update: Disable Relay Requested	
249	Info	Software Update: Enable Relay Requested	
250	Info	Computer Created	
251	Info	Computer Deleted	
252	Info	Computer Updated	
253	Info	Policy Assigned to Computer	
254	Info	Computer Moved	
255	Info	Activation Requested	
256	Info	Send Policy Requested	
257	Info	Locked	
258	Info	Unlocked	
259	Info	Deactivation Requested	
260	Info	Scan for Open Ports	
261	Warning	Scan for Open Ports Failed	
262	Info	Scan for Open Ports Requested	
263	Info	Scan for Open Ports Canceled	
264	Info	Agent Software Upgrade Requested	
265	Info	Agent Software Upgrade Cancelled	
266	Info	Warnings/Errors Cleared	
267	Info	Check Status Requested	
268	Info	Get Events Requested	
269	Info	Computer Added to Cloud Connector	
270	Error	Computer Creation Failed	
271	Info	Agent Software Upgrade Timed Out	
272	Info	Appliance Software Upgrade Timed Out	
273	Info	Security Update: Security Update Check and Download Requested	
274	Info	Security Update: Security Update	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
		Rollback Requested	
275	Warning	Duplicate Computer	
276	Info	Update: Summary Information	
277	Info	Auto Agent Software Upgrade Skipped	The agent was eligible for an automatic upgrade, but the upgrade did not occur. For more information, see "Automatically upgrade agents on activation" on page 270.
278	Info	Software Update: Reboot to Complete Agent Software Upgrade	
280	Info	Computers Exported	
281	Info	Computers Imported	
286	Info	Computer Log Exported	
287	Info	Relay Group Assigned to Computer	
290	Info	Group Added	
291	Info	Group Removed	
292	Info	Group Updated	
293	Info	Interface Renamed	
294	Info	Computer Bridge Renamed	
295	Info	Interface Deleted	
296	Info	Interface IP Deleted	
297	Info	Recommendation Scan Requested	
298	Info	Recommendations Cleared	
299	Info	Asset Value Assigned to Computer	
300	Info	Recommendation Scan Completed	
301	Info	Agent Software Deployment Requested	
302	Info	Agent Software Removal Requested	
303	Info	Computer Renamed	
305	Info	Scan for Integrity Requested	
306	Info	Rebuild Baseline Requested	
307	Info	Cancel Update Requested	
308	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Compile Issue	
309	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Compile Issue Resolved	
310	Info	Directory Added	
311	Info	Directory Removed	
312	Info	Directory Updated	
320	Info	Directory Synchronization	
321	Info	Directory Synchronization Finished	
322	Error	Directory Synchronization Failed	
323	Info	Directory Synchronization	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
		Requested	
324	Info	Directory Synchronization Cancelled	
325	Info	User Synchronization	Synchronization of the user accounts with Microsoft Active Directory has been started.
326	Info	User Synchronization Finished	Synchronization of the user accounts with Microsoft Active Directory has completed.
327	Error	User Synchronization Failed	
328	Info	User Synchronization Requested	
329	Info	User Synchronization Cancelled	
330	Info	SSL Configuration Created	
331	Info	SSL Configuration Deleted	
332	Info	SSL Configuration Updated	
333	Info	Host Merge Finished	
334	Error	Host Merge Failed	
338	Warning	Directory Synchronization Limit Exceeded	Reached the limit of total group members for Active Directory synchronization. Skipping any remaining members.
350	Info	Policy Created	
351	Info	Policy Deleted	
352	Info	Policy Updated	
353	Info	Policies Exported	
354	Info	Policies Imported	
355	Info	Scan for Recommendations Canceled	
360	Info	VMware vCenter Added	
361	Info	VMware vCenter Removed	
362	Info	VMware vCenter Updated	
363	Info	VMware vCenter Synchronization	
364	Info	VMware vCenter Synchronization Finished	
365	Error	VMware vCenter Synchronization Failed	
366	Info	VMware vCenter Synchronization Requested	
367	Info	VMware vCenter Synchronization Cancelled	
368	Warning	Interfaces Out of Sync	Interfaces reported by the Deep Security Virtual Appliance are different than the interfaces reported by the vCenter. This can typically be resolved by rebooting the VM.

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369	Info	Interfaces in Sync	
370	Info	Filter Driver Installed	
371	Info	Filter Driver Removed	The VMware ESXi server has been restored to the state it was in before the filter driver software was installed.
372	Info	Filter Driver Upgraded	
373	Info	Virtual Appliance Deployed	
374	Info	Virtual Appliance Upgraded	
375	Warning	Virtual Appliance Upgrade Failed	
376	Warning	Virtual Machine Moved to Unprotected ESXi	
377	Info	Virtual Machine Moved to Protected ESXi	
378	Warning	Virtual Machine unprotected after move to another ESXi	A VM was moved to an ESXi where there is no Deep Security Virtual Appliance.
379	Info	Virtual Machine unprotected after move to another ESXi Resolved	
380	Error	Filter Driver Offline	The filter driver on an ESXi server is offline. Use the VMware vCenter console to troubleshoot problems with the hypervisor and the ESXi.
381	Info	Filter Driver Back Online	
382	Info	Filter Driver Upgrade Requested	
383	Info	Appliance Upgrade Requested	
384	Warning	Prepare ESXi Failed	
385	Warning	Filter Driver Upgrade Failed	
386	Warning	Removal of Filter Driver from ESXi Failed	
387	Error	Connection to Filter Driver Failure	
388	Info	Connection to Filter Driver Success	
389	Error	Multiple Activated Appliances Detected	
390	Info	Multiple Activated Appliances Detected Resolved	
391	Error	Network Settings Out of Sync With vCenter Global Settings	
392	Info	Network Settings in Sync With vCenter Global Settings	
393	Error	Anti-Malware Engine Offline	The anti-malware protection module is not functioning. This is probably because the VMware environment does not meet the requirements. See "System requirements" on page 198 .
394	Info	Anti-Malware Engine Back Online	

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395	Error	Virtual Appliance is Incompatible With Filter Driver	
396	Info	Virtual Appliance is Incompatible With Filter Driver Resolved	
397	Warning	VMware NSX Callback Authentication Failed	
398	Error	VMware Tools Not Installed	
399	Info	VMware Tools Not Installed Resolved	
410	Info	Firewall Rule Created	
411	Info	Firewall Rule Deleted	
412	Info	Firewall Rule Updated	
413	Info	Firewall Rule Exported	
414	Info	Firewall Rule Imported	
420	Info	Firewall Stateful Configuration Created	
421	Info	Firewall Stateful Configuration Deleted	
422	Info	Firewall Stateful Configuration Updated	
423	Info	Firewall Stateful Configuration Exported	
424	Info	Firewall Stateful Configuration Imported	
460	Info	Application Type Created	An administrator configured a new IPS network application definition.
461	Info	Application Type Deleted	An administrator removed an IPS network application definition.
462	Info	Application Type Updated	An administrator changed an existing IPS network application definition.
463	Info	Application Type Exported	An administrator downloaded an IPS network application definition.
464	Info	Application Type Imported	An administrator uploaded an IPS network application definition.
470	Info	Intrusion Prevention Rule Created	
471	Info	Intrusion Prevention Rule Deleted	
472	Info	Intrusion Prevention Rule Updated	
473	Info	Intrusion Prevention Rule Exported	
474	Info	Intrusion Prevention Rule Imported	
480	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Created	
481	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Deleted	
482	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Updated	
483	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Exported	
484	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rule Imported	
490	Info	Log Inspection Rule Created	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
491	Info	Log Inspection Rule Deleted	
492	Info	Log Inspection Rule Updated	
493	Info	Log Inspection Rule Exported	
494	Info	Log Inspection Rule Imported	
495	Info	Log Inspection Decoder Created	
496	Info	Log Inspection Decoder Deleted	
497	Info	Log Inspection Decoder Updated	
498	Info	Log Inspection Decoder Exported	
499	Info	Log Inspection Decoder Imported	
505	Info	Context Created	
506	Info	Context Deleted	
507	Info	Context Updated	
508	Info	Context Exported	
509	Info	Context Imported	
510	Info	IP List Created	
511	Info	IP List Deleted	
512	Info	IP List Updated	
513	Info	IP List Exported	
514	Info	IP List Imported	
520	Info	Port List Created	
521	Info	Port List Deleted	
522	Info	Port List Updated	
523	Info	Port List Exported	
524	Info	Port List Imported	
525	Info	Scan Cache Configuration Created	
526	Info	Scan Cache Configuration Exported	
527	Info	Scan Cache Configuration Updated	
530	Info	MAC List Created	
531	Info	MAC List Deleted	
532	Info	MAC List Updated	
533	Info	MAC List Exported	
534	Info	MAC List Imported	
540	Info	Proxy Created	
541	Info	Proxy Deleted	
542	Info	Proxy Updated	
543	Info	Proxy Exported	
544	Info	Proxy Imported	
550	Info	Schedule Created	
551	Info	Schedule Deleted	
552	Info	Schedule Updated	
553	Info	Schedule Exported	
554	Info	Schedule Imported	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
560	Info	Scheduled Task Created	
561	Info	Scheduled Task Deleted	
562	Info	Scheduled Task Updated	
563	Info	Scheduled Task Manually Executed	
564	Info	Scheduled Task Started	
565	Info	Backup Finished	
566	Error	Backup Failed	
567	Info	Sending Outstanding Alert Summary	
568	Warning	Failed To Send Outstanding Alert Summary	
569	Warning	Email Failed	An e-mail notification could not be sent. Verify that your SMTP settings are correct.
570	Info	Sending Report	
571	Warning	Failed To Send Report	
572	Error	Invalid Report Jar	
573	Info	Asset Value Created	
574	Info	Asset Value Deleted	
575	Info	Asset Value Updated	
576	Error	Report Uninstall Failed	
577	Error	Report Uninstalled	
578	Warning	Integrity Monitoring Rules Require Configuration	
580	Warning	Application Type Port List Misconfiguration	
581	Warning	Application Type Port List Misconfiguration Resolved	
582	Warning	Intrusion Prevention Rules Require Configuration	
583	Info	Intrusion Prevention Rules Require Configuration Resolved	
584	Warning	Application Types Require Configuration	IPS rules require network application definitions, and cannot correctly scan traffic until you define them.
585	Info	Integrity Monitoring Rules Require Configuration Resolved	
586	Warning	Log Inspection Rules Require Configuration	
587	Info	Log Inspection Rules Require Configuration Resolved	
588	Warning	Log Inspection Rules Require Log Files	
589	Info	Log Inspection Rules Require Log Files Resolved	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
590	Warning	Scheduled Task Unknown Type	
591	Info	Relay Group Created	
592	Info	Relay Group Updated	
593	Info	Relay Group Deleted	
594	Info	Event-Based Task Created	
595	Info	Event-Based Task Deleted	
596	Info	Event-Based Task Updated	
597	Info	Event-Based Task Triggered	
600	Info	User Signed In	
601	Info	User Signed Out	
602	Info	User Timed Out	
603	Info	User Locked Out	
604	Info	User Unlocked	
605	Info	User Session Terminated	
608	Error	User Session Validation Failed	Deep Security Manager could not confirm that a session was initiated after successful authentication. The user will be redirected to the login page, and asked to re-authenticate. This could be normal if the authenticated session list was cleared.
609	Error	User Made Invalid Request	Deep Security Manager received invalid request to access audit data (events). Access was denied.
610	Info	User Session Validated	
611	Info	User Viewed Firewall Event	
613	Info	User Viewed Intrusion Prevention Event	
615	Info	User Viewed System Event	
616	Info	User Viewed Integrity Monitoring Event	
617	Info	User Viewed Log Inspection Event	
618	Info	User Viewed Identified File Detail	
619	Info	User Viewed Anti-Malware Event	
620	Info	User Viewed Web Reputation Event	
621	Info	User Signed In As Tenant	
622	Info	Access from Primary Tenant Enabled	
623	Info	Access from Primary Tenant Disabled	
624	Info	Access from Primary Tenant Allowed	
625	Info	Access from Primary Tenant Revoked	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
626	Info	Access from Primary Tenant Expired	
630	Info	Syslog Configuration Created	
631	Info	Syslog Configuration Deleted	
632	Info	Syslog Configuration Updated	
633	Info	Syslog Configuration Exported	
634	Info	Syslog Configuration Imported	
650	Info	User Created	
651	Info	User Deleted	
652	Info	User Updated	
653	Info	User Password Set	
656	Info	API Key Created	
657	Info	API Key Deleted	
658	Info	API Key Updated	
660	Info	Role Created	
661	Info	Role Deleted	
662	Info	Role Updated	
663	Info	Roles Imported	
664	Info	Roles Exported	
670	Info	Contact Created	
671	Info	Contact Deleted	
672	Info	Contact Updated	
673	Info	API Key Locked Out	
674	Info	API Key Unlocked	
675	Error	API Key Session Validation Failed	
676	Error	API Key Made Invalid Request	
678	Info	API Key Expired	
700	Info	Agent Software Installed	
701	Error	Agent Software Installation Failed	
702	Info	Credentials Generated	
703	Error	Credential Generation Failed	
704	Info	Activated	
705	Error	Activation Failed	This can occur if agent self-protection is enabled. On the Deep Security Manager, go to Computer editor ¹ > Settings > General . In Agent Self Protection , and then either deselect Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent or enter a

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

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			password for local override.
706	Info	Software Update: Agent Software Upgraded	
707	Warning	Software Update: Agent Software Upgrade Failed	Refer to the event details for more information about why the upgrade was not successful.
708	Info	Deactivated	
709	Error	Deactivation Failed	
710	Info	Events Retrieved	
711	Info	Agent Software Deployed	
712	Error	Agent Software Deployment Failed	This can occur if agent self-protection is enabled. On the Deep Security Manager, go to Computer editor ¹ > Settings > General . In Agent Self Protection , and then either deselect Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent or enter a password for local override.
713	Info	Agent Software Removed	
714	Error	Agent Software Removal Failed	This can occur if agent self-protection is enabled. On the Deep Security Manager, go to Computer editor ² > Settings > General . In Agent Self Protection , and then either deselect Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent or enter a password for local override.
715	Info	Agent/Appliance Version Changed	
716	Info	Reactivation Attempted by Unknown Agent	An agent that is currently unknown to the Deep Security Manager has attempted reactivation. This usually happens when a computer was deleted from Deep Security Manager without first removing the agent on the computer. For more information, see the 'Reactivation Attempted by Unknown

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			Agent' section in Agent settings .
720	Info	Policy Sent	Agent/Appliance updated.
721	Error	Send Policy Failed	
722	Warning	Get Interfaces Failed	
723	Info	Get Interfaces Failure Resolved	
724	Warning	Insufficient Disk Space	An agent detected low disk space. Free space on the computer. See " Warning: Insufficient disk space " on page 1099.
725	Warning	Events Suppressed	
726	Warning	Get Agent/Appliance Events Failed	Manager was unable to retrieve Events from Agent/Appliance. This error does not mean that the data was lost on the Agent/Appliance. This error is normally caused by a network interruption while events are being transferred. Clear the error and run a "Check Status" to retry the operation.
727	Info	Get Agent/Appliance Events Failure Resolved	
728	Error	Get Events Failed	Manager was unable to retrieve audit data from Agent/Appliance. This error does not mean that the data was lost on the Agent/Appliance. This error is normally caused by a network interruption while events are being transferred. Clear the error and run a "Get Events Now" to retry the operation.
729	Info	Get Events Failure Resolved	
730	Error	Offline	Manager cannot communicate with Computer. Usually, however, the offline Agent is still protecting the computer with its last configured settings. See Computer and Agent/Appliance Status and " Offline agent " on page 1214.
731	Info	Back Online	
732	Error	Firewall Engine Offline	The Firewall Engine is offline and traffic is flowing unfiltered. This is normally due to an error during installation or verification of the driver on the computer's OS platform. Check the status of the network driver at the computer to ensure it is properly loaded.
733	Info	Firewall Engine Back Online	

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734	Warning	Computer Clock Change	A clock change has occurred on the Computer which exceeds the maximum allowed specified in Computer or Policy editor ¹ > Settings > General > Heartbeat area. Investigate what has caused the clock change on the computer.
735	Warning	Misconfiguration Detected	The Agent's configuration does not match the configuration indicated in the Manager's records. This is typically because of a recent backup restoration of the Manager or the Agent. Unanticipated misconfiguration warnings should be investigated.
736	Info	Check Status Failure Resolved	
737	Error	Check Status Failed	See "Error: Check Status Failed" on page 1083 .
738	Error	Intrusion Prevention Engine Offline	The Intrusion Prevention Engine is offline and traffic is flowing unfiltered. This is normally due to an error during installation or verification of the driver on the computer's OS platform. Check the status of the network driver at the computer to ensure it is properly loaded.
739	Info	Intrusion Prevention Engine Back Online	
740	Error	Agent/Appliance Error	
741	Warning	Abnormal Restart Detected	
742	Warning	Communications Problem	The Agent is having problems communicating its status to Manager. It usually indicates network or load congestion in the Agent --> Manager direction. Further investigation is warranted if the situation persists
743	Info	Communications Problem Resolved	
745	Warning	Events Truncated	
748	Error	Log Inspection Engine Offline	
749	Info	Log Inspection Engine Back Online	
750	Warning	Last Automatic Retry	
755	Info	Deep Security Manager Version Compatibility Resolved	

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

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756	Warning	Deep Security Manager Upgrade Recommended (Incompatible Security Update(s))	Each security module rule (such as Firewall, Anti-Malware, and the others) has a specific minimum Deep Security Manager version that's required in order for the rule to run. Your current Deep Security Manager version is less than the rule's minimum supported version. Upgrade your Deep Security Manager to clear the warning and run the rule.
760	Info	Agent/Appliance Version Compatibility Resolved	
761	Warning	Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended	Your current Deep Security Agent or Deep Security Virtual Appliance version is less than the Deep Security Manager's minimum supported version. Upgrade your Agent/Appliance.
762	Warning	Agent/Appliance Upgrade Required	
763	Warning	Incompatible Agent/Appliance Version	Your current Deep Security Manager version is less than the Deep Security Agent or Deep Security Virtual Appliance's minimum supported version. Upgrade your manager.
764	Warning	Agent/Appliance Upgrade Recommended (Incompatible Security Update(s))	Each security module rule (such as Firewall, Anti-Malware, and the others) has a specific minimum Deep Security Agent or Deep Security Virtual Appliance version that's required in order for the rule to run. Your current Deep Security Agent or Deep Security Virtual Appliance version is less than the rule's minimum supported version. Upgrade your Deep Security Agent or Deep Security Virtual Appliance to clear the warning and run the rule.
765	Error	Computer Reboot Required	
766	Warning	Network Engine Mode Configuration Incompatibility	

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767	Warning	Network Engine Mode Version Incompatibility	
768	Warning	Network Engine Mode Incompatibility Resolved	
770	Warning	Agent/Appliance Heartbeat Rejected	
771	Warning	Contact by Unrecognized Client	See "Troubleshoot event ID 771 'Contact by Unrecognized Client'" on page 1076.
780	Info	Recommendation Scan Failure Resolved	
781	Warning	Recommendation Scan Failure	See "Troubleshooting: Recommendation Scan Failure" on page 449.
782	Info	Rebuild Baseline Failure Resolved	
783	Warning	Rebuild Baseline Failure	
784	Info	Security Update: Security Update Check and Download Successful	
785	Warning	Security Update: Security Update Check and Download Failed	
786	Info	Scan For Change Failure Resolved	
787	Warning	Scan For Change Failure	
790	Info	Agent-Initiated Activation Requested	
791	Warning	Agent-Initiated Activation Failure	
792	Info	Manual Malware Scan Failure Resolved	
793	Warning	Manual Malware Scan Failure	A Malware Scan has failed. Use the VMware vCenter console to check the status of the VM on which the scan failed.
794	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Failure Resolved	
795	Warning	Scheduled Malware Scan Failure	A scheduled Malware Scan has failed. Use the VMware vCenter console to check the status of the VM on which the scan failed.
796	Warning	Scheduled Malware Scan Task has been Missed	This occurs when a scheduled Malware Scan is initiated on a computer when a previous scan is still pending. This typically indicates that Malware Scans are being scheduled too frequently.
797	Info	Malware Scan Cancellation Failure Resolved	
798	Warning	Malware Scan Cancellation Failure	A Malware Scan cancellation has failed. Use the VMware vCenter console to

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			check the status of the VM on which the scan failed.
799	Warning	Malware Scan Stalled	A Malware Scan has stalled. Use the VMware vCenter console to check the status of the VM on which the scan stalled.
800	Info	Alert Dismissed	
801	Info	Error Dismissed	
803	Warning	Agent Configuration Package too Large	
804	Error	Intrusion Prevention Rule Compiler Failed	
805	Error	Intrusion Prevention Rules Failed to Compile	
806	Error	Intrusion Prevention Rules Failed to Compile	
850	Warning	Reconnaissance Detected: Computer OS Fingerprint Probe	See "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100
851	Warning	Reconnaissance Detected: Network or Port Scan	See "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100
852	Warning	Reconnaissance Detected: TCP Null Scan	See "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100
853	Warning	Reconnaissance Detected: TCP SYNFIN Scan	See "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100
854	Warning	Reconnaissance Detected: TCP Xmas Scan	See "Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100
900	Info	Deep Security Manager Audit Started	
901	Info	Deep Security Manager Audit Shutdown	
902	Info	Deep Security Manager Installed	
903	Warning	License Related Configuration Change	
904	Info	Diagnostic Logging Enabled	
905	Info	Diagnostic Logging Completed	
910	Info	Diagnostic Package Generated	
911	Info	Diagnostic Package Exported	
912	Info	Diagnostic Package Uploaded	
913	Error	Automatic Diagnostic Package Error	
914	Info	Identified File Deletion Succeeded	
915	Info	Identified File Deletion Failed	
916	Info	Identified File Download Succeeded	

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917	Info	Identified File Download Failed	
918	Info	Identified File Administration Utility Download Succeeded	
919	Info	Identified File Not Found	
920	Info	Usage Information Generated	
921	Info	Usage Information Package Exported	
922	Info	Usage Information Package Uploaded	
923	Error	Usage Information Package Error	
924	Warning	File cannot be analyzed or quarantined (VM maximum disk space used to store identified files exceeded)	The Anti-Malware module was unable to analyze or quarantine a file because the VM maximum disk space used to store identified files was reached. To change the maximum disk space for identified files setting, open the computer or policy editor and go to the Anti-malware > Advanced tab.
925	Warning	File cannot be analyzed or quarantined (maximum disk space used to store identified files exceeded)	The Anti-Malware module was unable to analyze or quarantine a file because the maximum disk space used to store identified files was reached. To change the maximum disk space for identified files setting, open the computer or policy editor and go to the Anti-malware > Advanced tab.
926	Warning	Smart Protection Server Disconnected for Smart Scan	See "Troubleshoot "Smart Protection Server disconnected" errors" on page 1077 .
927	Info	Smart Protection Server Connected for Smart Scan	
928	Info	Identified File Restoration Succeeded	
929	Warning	Identified File Restoration Failed	
930	Info	Certificate Accepted	
931	Info	Certificate Deleted	
932	Warning	Smart Protection Server Disconnected for Web Reputation	See "Troubleshoot "Smart Protection Server disconnected" errors" on page 1077 .
933	Info	Smart Protection Server Connected for Web Reputation	
934	Info	Software Update: Anti-Malware Windows Platform Update Successful	
935	Error	Software Update: Anti-Malware Windows Platform Update Failed	See "Anti-Malware Windows platform update failed" on page 1219

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936	Info	Submission of identified file to Deep Discovery Analyzer succeeded	
937	Info	Submission of identified file to Deep Discovery Analyzer failed	
938	Info	Identified File Submission Queued	
940	Info	Auto-Tag Rule Created	
941	Info	Auto-Tag Rule Deleted	
942	Info	Auto-Tag Rule Updated	
943	Info	Tag Deleted	
944	Info	Tag Created	
945	Warning	Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Disconnected	
946	Info	Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Connected	
947	Info	FIPS Mode Enabled	
948	Info	FIPS Mode Disabled	
970	Info	Command Line Utility Started	
978	Info	Command Line Utility Failed	
979	Info	Command Line Utility Shutdown	Deep Security Manager was manually stopped.
980	Info	System Information Exported	
990	Info	Manager Node Added	
991	Info	Manager Node Decommissioned	
992	Info	Manager Node Updated	
995	Info	Connection to the Certified Safe Software Service has been restored	
996	Warning	Unable to connect to the Certified Safe Software Service	
997	Error	Tagging Error	
998	Error	System Event Notification Error	
999	Error	Internal Software Error	
1101	Error	Plug-in Installation Failed	
1102	Info	Plug-in Installed	
1103	Error	Plug-in Upgrade Failed	
1104	Info	Plug-in Upgraded	
1105	Error	Plug-in Start Failed	
1106	Error	Plug-in Uninstall Failed	
1107	Info	Plug-in Uninstalled	
1108	Info	Plug-in Started	
1109	Info	Plug-in Stopped	
1110	Error	Software Package Not Found	Agent software package was not found or a newer package is required.

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1111	Info	Software Package Found	
1500	Info	Malware Scan Configuration Created	
1501	Info	Malware Scan Configuration Deleted	
1502	Info	Malware Scan Configuration Updated	
1503	Info	Malware Scan Configuration Exported	
1504	Info	Malware Scan Configuration Imported	
1505	Info	Directory List Created	
1506	Info	Directory List Deleted	
1507	Info	Directory List Updated	
1508	Info	Directory List Exported	
1509	Info	Directory List Imported	
1510	Info	File Extension List Created	
1511	Info	File Extension List Deleted	
1512	Info	File Extension List Updated	
1513	Info	File Extension List Exported	
1514	Info	File Extension List Imported	
1515	Info	File List Created	
1516	Info	File List Deleted	
1517	Info	File List Updated	
1518	Info	File List Exported	
1519	Info	File List Imported	
1520	Info	Manual Malware Scan Pending	
1521	Info	Manual Malware Scan Started	
1522	Info	Manual Malware Scan Completed	
1523	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Started	
1524	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Completed	
1525	Info	Manual Malware Scan Cancellation In Progress	
1526	Info	Manual Malware Scan Cancellation	This event can have several causes: - the agent or Anti-Malware service is being restarted - the computer being scanned is shut down or being rebooted - someone manually canceled the scan

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			• some other unknown reason For details, see the system event description.
1527	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Cancellation In Progress	
1528	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Cancellation	This event can have several causes: • the agent or Anti-Malware service is being restarted • the computer being scanned is shut down or being rebooted • someone manually canceled the scan • some other unknown reason For details, see the system event description.
1529	Info	Manual Malware Scan Paused	
1530	Info	Manual Malware Scan Resumed	
1531	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Paused	
1532	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Resumed	
1533	Info	Computer reboot required for Anti-Malware cleanup task	
1534	Error	Computer reboot required for Anti-Malware protection	
1535	Info	Anti-Malware cleanup task must be performed manually	
1536	Info	Quick Malware Scan Pending	
1537	Info	Quick Malware Scan Started	
1538	Info	Quick Malware Scan Completed	
1539	Info	Quick Malware Scan Cancellation In Progress	
1540	Info	Quick Malware Scan Cancellation	This event can have several causes: • the agent or Anti-Malware service is being restarted • the computer being scanned is shut down or being rebooted

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			• someone manually canceled the scan • some other unknown reason For details, see the system event description.
1541	Info	Quick Malware Scan Paused	
1542	Info	Quick Malware Scan Failure Resolved	
1543	Warning	Quick Malware Scan Failure	
1544	Info	Quick Malware Scan Resumed	
1545	Info	Files could not be scanned for malware	Anti-malware could not scan a file because its file path exceeded the maximum number of characters. Maximum file path length varies by OS and file system. To prevent this problem, try moving the file to a directory path and file name with fewer characters.
1546	Info	Files could not be scanned for malware	Anti-malware could not scan a file because its location exceeded the maximum directory depth. To prevent this problem, try reducing the number of layers of nested directories.
1547	Info	Scheduled Malware Scan Task has been cancelled	
1550	Info	Web Reputation Settings Updated	
1551	Info	Malware Scan Configuration Updated	
1552	Info	Integrity Configuration Updated	
1553	Info	Log Inspection Configuration Updated	
1554	Info	Firewall Stateful Configuration Updated	
1555	Info	Intrusion Prevention Configuration Updated	
1600	Info	Relay Group Update Requested	
1601	Info	Relay Group Update Success	
1602	Error	Relay Group Update Failed	
1603	Info	Security Update: Security Update Rollback Success	
1604	Warning	Security Update: Security Update Rollback Failure	
1605	Info	Successfully send file back up	

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		command to host	
1606	Warning	Failed to send file back up command to host	
1607	Info	Successfully back up file	
1608	Error	Failed to back up file	
1650	Warning	Anti-Malware protection is not enabled or is out of date	
1651	Info	Anti-Malware module is ready	
1660	Info	Rebuild Baseline Started	
1661	Info	Rebuild Baseline Paused	
1662	Info	Rebuild Baseline Resumed	
1663	Warning	Rebuild Baseline Failure	
1664	Warning	Rebuild Baseline Stalled	
1665	Info	Rebuild Baseline Completed	
1666	Info	Scan for Integrity Started	
1667	Info	Scan for Integrity Paused	
1668	Info	Scan for Integrity Resumed	
1669	Warning	Scan for Integrity Failure	
1670	Warning	Scan for Integrity Stalled	
1671	Info	Scan for Integrity Completed	
1675	Error	Integrity Monitoring Engine Offline	
1676	Info	Integrity Monitoring Engine Back Online	
1677	Error	Trusted Platform Module Error	
1678	Info	Trusted Platform Module Register Values Loaded	
1679	Warning	Trusted Platform Module Register Values Changed	
1680	Info	Trusted Platform Module Checking Disabled	
1681	Info	Trusted Platform Module Information Unreliable	
1700	Info	No Agent Detected	
1800	Error	Deep Security Protection Module Failure	
1801	Info	Deep Security Protection Module Back to Normal	
1900	Info	Cloud Account Added	
1901	Info	Cloud Account Removed	
1902	Info	Cloud Account Updated	
1903	Info	Cloud Account Synchronization In Progress	
1904	Info	Cloud Account Synchronization Finished	

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1905	Error	Cloud Account Synchronization Failed	
1906	Info	Cloud Account Synchronization Requested	
1907	Info	Cloud account Synchronization Cancelled	
1908	Info	AWS Account Synchronization Requested	
1909	Info	AWS Account Synchronization Finished	
1910	Error	AWS Account Synchronization Failed	
1911	Info	AWS Account Added	
1912	Info	AWS Account Removed	
1913	Info	AWS Account Updated	
1914	Info	Azure Account Added	
1915	Info	Azure Account Removed	
1916	Info	Azure Account Updated	
1917	Info	Azure Account Synchronization Finished	
1918	Error	Azure Account Synchronization Failed	
1919	Info	Azure Account Synchronization Requested	
1920	Warning	Azure Account Synchronization Completed but with Errors	
1921	Info	vCloud Account Added	
1922	Info	vCloud Account Removed	
1923	Info	vCloud Account Updated	
1924	Info	vCloud Account Synchronization Finished	
1925	Error	vCloud Account Synchronization Failed	
1926	Info	vCloud Account Synchronization Requested	
1927	Info	Upgrade Connector to AWS Account Requested	
1928	Warning	AWS Account Update Failed	
1929	Info	Upgrade Connector to AWS Account Finished	
1950	Info	Tenant Created	
1951	Info	Tenant Deleted	
1952	Info	Tenant Updated	
1953	Info	Tenant Database Server Created	

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1954	Info	Tenant Database Server Deleted	
1955	Info	Tenant Database Server Updated	
1956	Info	Tenant Exported	
1957	Error	Tenant Initialization Failure	
1958	Info	Tenant Features Updated	
2000	Info	Scan Cache Configuration Object Added	
2001	Info	Scan Cache Configuration Object Removed	
2002	Info	Scan Cache Configuration Object Updated	
2102	Info	Cleverbridge Quantity Updated	
2103	Warning	Cleverbridge Quantity Not Updated	
2104	Info	Cleverbridge Quantity Reset	
2105	Warning	Cleverbridge Quantity Not Reset	
2106	Info	Cleverbridge Billing Date Set	
2107	Warning	Cleverbridge Billing Date Not Set	
2110	Info	Cleverbridge Notification Received	
2112	Info	Account Balance Reset	
2113	Info	Agent Installation Requested	
2114	Info	AWS Billing Job Started	
2115	Info	AWS Billing Job Completed	
2116	Error	AWS Billing failure	Deep Security Manager sent a billing usage record to AWS using the AWS SDK, which the SDK returned with an exception. If the problem persists, contact your support provider.
2117	Info	Entitlement Created	
2118	Info	Entitlement Updated	
2119	Error	Agent Activation Prevented Due to AWS Metering Billing Usage Data Submission Failure	
2120	Error	AWS Billing failure	Deep Security Manager encountered an error while executing an AWS billing job. If the problem persists, contact your support provider.
2200	Info	Software Update: Anti-Malware Module Installation Started	
2201	Info	Software Update: Anti-Malware Module Installation Successful	This event is also triggered by installing Application Control or Integrity Monitoring because they share the same framework as Anti-Malware.
2202	Warning	Software Update: Anti-Malware Module Installation Failed	
2203	Info	Software Update: Anti-Malware	

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		Module Download Successful	
2204	Info	Security Update: Pattern Update on Agents/Appliances Successful	
2205	Warning	Security Update: Pattern Update on Agents/Appliances Failed	
2206	Info	Security Update: Pattern Update on Agents/Appliances Skipped	
2300	Info	Software Update: Web Reputation Module Installation Started	
2301	Info	Software Update: Web Reputation Module Installation Successful	
2302	Warning	Software Update: Web Reputation Module Installation Failed	
2303	Info	Software Update: Web Reputation Download Successful	
2400	Info	Software Update: Firewall Module Installation Started	
2401	Info	Software Update: Firewall Module Installation Successful	
2402	Warning	Software Update: Firewall Module Installation Failed	
2403	Info	Software Update: Firewall Module Download Successful	
2500	Info	Software Update: Intrusion Prevention Module Installation Started	
2501	Info	Software Update: Intrusion Prevention Module Installation Successful	
2502	Warning	Software Update: Intrusion Prevention Module Installation Failed	
2503	Info	Software Update: Intrusion Prevention Module Download Successful	
2600	Info	Software Update: Integrity Monitoring Module Installation Started	
2601	Info	Software Update: Integrity Monitoring Module Installation Successful	
2602	Warning	Software Update: Integrity Monitoring Module Installation Failed	
2603	Info	Software Update: Integrity Monitoring Module Download	

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		Successful	
2700	Info	Software Update: Log Inspection Module Installation Started	
2701	Info	Software Update: Log Inspection Module Installation Successful	
2702	Warning	Software Update: Log Inspection Module Installation Failed	
2703	Info	Software Update: Log Inspection Module Download Successful	
2800	Info	Software Update: Software Automatically Downloaded	
2801	Error	Software Update: Unable to retrieve Download Center inventory	
2802	Error	Software Update: Unable to download software from Download Center	
2803	Info	Online Help Update Started	
2804	Info	Online Help Update Ended	
2805	Info	Online Help Update Success	
2806	Warning	Online Help Update Failed	
2900	Info	Software Update: Relay Module Installation Started	
2901	Info	Software Update: Relay Module Installation Successful	
2902	Warning	Software Update: Relay Module Installation Failed	
2903	Info	Software Update: Relay Module Download Successful	
2904	Info	VMware NSX Synchronization Finished	
2905	Error	VMware NSX Synchronization Failed	
2906	Info	Agent Self-Protection enabled	Agent self-protection was enabled via the Deep Security Manager.
2907	Info	Agent Self-Protection disabled	
2908	Info	Agent Self-Protection enabled	Agent self-protection was enabled via the command line on the Deep Security Agent.
2909	Info	Agent Self-Protection disabled	
2915	Info	Data migration complete	
2916	Warning	Data migration finished with error	
2920	Info	Querying report from DDAn Finished	
2921	Error	Querying report from DDAn Failed	
2922	Info	Submission to Deep Discovery	

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		Analyzer processed	
2923	Error	File submission to Deep Discovery Analyzer Failed	
2924	Info	Security Update: Suspicious Object Check and Update Successful	
2925	Error	Security Update: Suspicious Object Check and Update Failed	
2926	Warning	Submission to Deep Discovery Analyzer queued	
2930	Info	File back up pending	
2931	Info	Smart Folder Added	
2932	Info	Smart Folder Removed	
2933	Info	Smart Folder Updated	
2934	Error	Failed to send Amazon SNS message	
2935	Info	System resumed sending SNS messages	
2936	Info	Inactive User Deleted	
2937	Info	SAML Identity Provider Created	
2938	Info	SAML Identity Provider Updated	
2939	Info	SAML Identity Provider Deleted	
2940	Info	SAML Service Provider Updated	
2941	Error	Failed to Update News	
2942	Info	Performance Profile Created	
2943	Info	Performance Profile Updated	
2944	Info	Performance Profile Deleted	
2945	Info	System Upgrade Started	
2946	Info	System Update Succeeded	
2947	Error	System Upgrade Failed	
2948	Info	Manager Node Upgrade Started	
2949	Info	Manager Node Update Succeeded	
2950	Error	Manager Node Upgrade Failed	A node in a multi-node environment failed to upgrade.
2951	Error	Failed to send TIC message	Managed Detection and Response events failed to send.
2952	Info	System resumed sending TIC messages	
2953	Info	Inactive Agent Cleanup Completed Successfully	Inactive Agent Cleanup removed computers that have been offline and inactive for a specified period of time. For more information on Inactive Agent Cleanup, see "Automate offline computer removal with inactive agent cleanup" on page 1203.
2954	Warning	Dropped events recorded in the	

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
		future	
2969	Info	Scheduled Task Skipped	
7000	Info	Application Control Security Events Exported	An administrator downloaded application control event logs in CSV format.
7007	Info	User Viewed Application Control Event	An administrator dismissed an application control alert. This is normal unless your system has been compromised by an intruder that has gained an administrator login.
7008	Error	Application Control Engine Offline	An agent's application control engine failed to come online. This could happen if you have enabled application control on a computer whose kernel is not supported.
7009	Info	Application Control Engine Online Again	An agent's application control engine restarted.
7010	Info	Application Control Configuration Updated	Deep Security Manager updated the application control settings on an agent.
7011	Info	Software Update: Application Control Module Installation Started	The agent received a policy from Deep Security Manager where application control was selected, but detected that it did not have the application control engine installed or needed to update it, so it began to download it. This is normal when you enable application control on a computer for the first time, or when it has been disabled while application control engine updates were released.
7012	Info	Software Update: Application Control Module Installation Successful	The agent installed the application control engine. The application control engine is also used by the integrity monitoring feature.
7013	Error	Software Update: Application Control Module Installation Failed	The agent could not install the application control engine. This is not normal.
7014	Info	Software Update: Application Control Module Download Successful	The agent finished downloading the application control engine.
7015	Info	Application Control Ruleset Rules Updated	The legacy REST API was used to allow or block software. This message does not occur when administrators perform the same action in the GUI.
7020	Info	Application Control Inventory Retrieved	The legacy REST API uploaded a computer's initial allow rules to Deep Security Manager.

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
7021	Info	Application Control Inventory Scan Started	The application control engine was enabled, and the agent detected that it did not have any allow rules for that computer, so it began to build initial rules based on the currently installed software. This is normal when you enable application control for the first time. This message does not occur when you use the legacy REST API to replace the allow rules.
7022	Info	Application Control Inventory Scan Completed	The agent finished building the initial allow rules for that computer. After this, any new software that is detected which is not in the allow or block rules will, if configured, cause an alert.
7023	Error	Application Control Inventory Scan Failed	The agent could not build the initial allow rules for that computer. This is not normal.
7024	Info	Application Control Software Changes Detected	An administrator allowed or blocked software in the Actions tab, or changed a rule by clicking Change rule in an application control log message. This message does not occur when you use the legacy REST API to replace the allow rules.
7025	Info	Application Control Inventory Scan Requested	You manually forced application control to delete the current rules and rebuild them based on the currently installed software. This could be normal if you needed to change many rules at the same time.
7026	Info	Application Control Maintenance Mode Start Requested	Either an administrator sent or the legacy REST API received the command to enable maintenance mode.
7027	Info	Application Control Maintenance Mode Stop Requested	Either an administrator sent or the legacy REST API received the command to disable maintenance mode.
7028	Info	Application Control Maintenance Mode Started	Maintenance mode was enabled. While enabled, the agent automatically adds updated or newly installed software to its allow rules, indicating that you know and want to allow the software update. The agent continues to apply block rules during this time.
7029	Info	Application Control Maintenance Mode Stopped	Maintenance mode was disabled. Once maintenance mode is stopped, all new

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
			or changed software will be considered "unrecognized" until you specifically allow or block it.
7030	Info	Application Control Inventory Scan Cancelled	The agent began to build the initial allow rules, but an administrator canceled the process.
7031	Error	Sending Application Control Ruleset Failed	An agent could not download a shared ruleset for application control. This can occur if network connectivity is interrupted (such as a firewall or proxy between the agent and relay), or if there isn't enough free disk space on the agent.
7032	Info	Sending Application Control Ruleset Succeeded	An agent downloaded a shared ruleset for application control. This normally occurs whenever an administrator or the legacy REST API allows or blocks software, or when a different shared ruleset is applied.
7033	Info	Application Control Ruleset Created	The legacy REST API was used to create an application control ruleset. This message does not occur when administrators perform the same action in the GUI.
7034	Info	Application Control Ruleset Updated	The legacy REST API was used to allow or block software via an application control ruleset. This message does not occur when administrators perform the same action in the GUI.
7035	Info	Application Control Ruleset Deleted	The legacy REST API was used to delete an application control ruleset. This message does not occur when administrators perform the same action in the GUI.
7036	Info	Application Control Maintenance Mode Reset Duration Requested	An administrator changed the time period for when maintenance mode is active.
7037	Error	Newly applied ruleset will block some running processes on restart	An administrator applied a new ruleset, but some of the currently running processes exist in block rules. Application control will not terminate the processes, but the next time you reboot or restart those services, depending on your configuration, it will either alert you or block them. If the processes are not authorized, you should terminate them manually. If they are authorized, but are

ID	Severity	Event	Description or Solution
			missing from the ruleset, you should add them to the ruleset.
7038	Error	Unresolved software change limit reached	Software changes detected on the file system exceeded the maximum amount. Application control will continue to enforce existing rules, but will not record any more changes, and it will stop displaying any of that computer's software changes. You must resolve and prevent excessive software change.
7040	Error	Incompatible Application Control Ruleset	An application control ruleset could not be assigned to one or more computers because the ruleset is not supported by the installed version of the agent. Typically, the problem is that a hash-based ruleset (which is compatible only with Deep Security Agent 11.0 or newer) has been assigned to an older Deep Security Agent. Deep Security Agent 10.x supports only file-based rulesets. (For details, see "Differences in how Deep Security Agent 10 and 11 compare files" on page 537.) To fix this issue, upgrade the Deep Security Agent to version 11.0 or newer. Alternatively, if you are using local rulesets, reset application control for the agent. Or if you are using a shared ruleset, use a shared ruleset that was created with Deep Security 10.x until all agents using the shared ruleset are upgraded to Deep Security Agent 11.0 or newer.
7041	Info	Application Control Ruleset Upgraded	An application control ruleset was upgraded from a file-based ruleset to a hash-based ruleset. (For details, see "Differences in how Deep Security Agent 10 and 11 compare files" on page 537.)
7042	Info	Application Control Software Inventory Deleted	

Application Control events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878.](#)

To see the Application Control events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Application Control Events > Security Events**.

What information is displayed for Application Control events?

These columns can be displayed on the Application Control Events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Event:** The name of the event.
- **Rules:** View event details and change the rule from Allow to Block or vice versa.
- **Ruleset:** Ruleset that's associated with the event.
- **Action:** The action that caused the event to be triggered.
- **Reason:** The reason the event was triggered.
- **Repeat count:** The number of events that are aggregated.
- **Tag(s):** Event tags associated with this event.
- **Path:** Path to the affected file.
- **File:** File affected by the event.
- **User Name:** User that's responsible for executing the unrecognized software.
- **Event Origin:** The Deep Security component from which the event originated.
- **MD5:** MD5 hash.
- **SHA1:** SHA-1 hash.
- **SHA256:** SHA-256 hash.
- **Group:** The name of the group.
- **Group ID:** The ID of the group.
- **User ID:** User ID of the file owner.
- **Process ID:** ID of process that ran the execution.
- **Process Name:** Process that ran the execution.

List of all Application Control events

Note: For system events related to Application Control, see ["System events" on page 1020](#).

Events
Execution of Unrecognized Software Allowed
Execution of Unrecognized Software Blocked
Execution of Software Blocked by Rule

Anti-malware events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

To see the anti-malware events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Anti-Malware Events**.

What information is displayed for anti-malware events?

These columns can be displayed on the Anti-Malware Events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Infected File(s):** The location and name of the infected file.
- **Tag(s):** Event tags associated with this event.
- **Malware:** The name of the malware that was found.
- **Action Taken:** Displays the results of the actions specified in the malware scan configuration associated with the event.
 - **Cleaned:** Deep Security successfully terminated processes or deleted registries, files, cookies, or shortcuts, depending on the type of malware.
 - **Clean Failed:** Malware could not be cleaned for a variety of possible reasons.
 - **Deleted:** An infected file was deleted.
 - **Delete Failed:** An infected file could not be deleted for a variety of possible reasons. For example, the file may be locked by another application, is on a CD, or is in use. If possible, Deep Security will delete the infected file once it is released.
 - **Quarantined:** An infected file was moved to the identified files folder.
 - **Quarantine Failed:** An infected file could not be quarantined for a variety of possible reasons. For example, the file may be locked by another application, is on a CD, or is in use. If possible, Deep Security will quarantine the infected file once it is released. It is

also possible that the "Maximum disk space used to store identified files" (specified on the **Policy/Computer Editor > Anti-Malware > Advanced** tab) has been exceeded.

- **Access Denied:** Deep Security has prevented the infected file from being accessed without removing the file from the system.
- **Passed:** Deep Security did not take any action but logged the detection of the malware.
- **Scan Type:** The type of scan that found the malware (Real-Time, Scheduled, or Manual).
- **Event Origin:** Indicates from which part of the Deep Security system the event originated.
- **Reason:** The malware scan configuration that was in effect when the malware was detected.
- **Major Virus Type:** The type of malware detected. Possible values are: Joke, Trojan, Virus, Test, Spyware, Packer, Generic, or Other. For information on these types of malware, see the anti-malware event details or see ["Protect against malware" on page 560](#)
- **Target(s):** The file, process, or registry key (if any) that the malware was trying to affect. If the malware was trying to affect more than one, this field will contain the value "Multiple."
- **Target Type:** The type of system resource that this malware was trying to affect, such as the file system, a process, or Windows registry.
- **Container ID:** ID of the Docker container where the malware was found.
- **Container Image Name:** Image name of the Docker container where the malware was found.
- **Container Name:** Name of the Docker container where the malware was found.
- **File MD5:** The MD5 hash of the file.

List of all anti-malware events

ID	Severity	Event
9001	Info	Anti-Malware Scan Started
9002	Info	Anti-Malware Scan Completed
9003	Info	Anti-Malware Scan Terminated Abnormally
9004	Info	Anti-Malware Scan Paused
9005	Info	Anti-Malware Scan Resumed
9006	Info	Anti-Malware Scan Cancelled
9007	Warning	Anti-Malware Scan Cancel Failed
9008	Warning	Anti-Malware Scan Start Failed
9009	Warning	Anti-Malware Scan Stalled
9010	Error	File cannot be analyzed or quarantined (VM maximum disk space used to store identified files exceeded)
9011	Error	File cannot be analyzed or quarantined (maximum disk space used to store identified files exceeded)

ID	Severity	Event
9012	Warning	Smart Protection Server Disconnected for Smart Scan
9013	Info	Smart Protection Server Connected for Smart Scan
9014	Warning	Computer reboot is required for Anti-Malware protection
9016	Info	Anti-Malware Component Update Successful
9017	Error	Anti-Malware Component Update Failed
9018	Error	Files could not be scanned for malware
9019	Error	Directory could not be scanned for malware

Firewall events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

To see the firewall events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Firewall Events**.

Firewall event icons:



Single event



Single event with data



Folded event



Folded event with data

Note: Event folding occurs when multiple events of the same type occur in succession. This saves disk space and protects against DoS attacks that may attempt to overload the logging mechanism.

What information is displayed for firewall events?

These columns can be displayed on the firewall events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Reason:** Log entries on this page are generated either by firewall rules or by firewall stateful configuration settings. If an entry is generated by a firewall rule, the column entry will be

prefaced by "Firewall Rule:" followed by the name of the firewall rule. Otherwise the column entry will display the firewall stateful configuration setting that generated the log entry.

- **Tag(s):** Event tags that are applied to this event.
- **Action:** The action taken by the firewall rule or firewall stateful configuration. Possible actions are: Allow, Deny, Force Allow, and Log Only.
- **Rank:** The ranking system provides a way to quantify the importance of intrusion prevention and firewall events. By assigning "asset values" to computers, and assigning "severity values" to intrusion prevention rules and firewall rules, the importance ("rank") of an event is calculated by multiplying the two values together. This allows you to sort events by rank when viewing intrusion prevention or firewall events.
- **Direction:** The direction of the affected packet (incoming or outgoing).
- **Interface:** The MAC address of the interface through which the packet was traveling.
- **Frame Type:** The frame type of the packet in question. Possible values are "IPV4", "IPV6", "ARP", "REVARP", and "Other: XXXX" where XXXX represents the four digit hex code of the frame type.
- **Protocol:** Possible values are "ICMP", "ICMPV6", "IGMP", "GGP", "TCP", "PUP", "UDP", "IDP", "ND", "RAW", "TCP+UDP", AND "Other: nnn" where nnn represents a three digit decimal value.
- **Flags:** Flags set in the packet.
- **Source IP:** The packet's source IP.
- **Source MAC:** The packet's source MAC address.
- **Source Port:** The packet's source port.
- **Destination IP:** The packet's destination IP address.
- **Destination MAC:** The packet's destination MAC address.
- **Destination Port:** The packet's destination port.
- **Packet Size:** The size of the packet in bytes.
- **Repeat Count:** The number of times the event was sequentially repeated.
- **Time (microseconds):** Microsecond resolution for the time the event took place on the computer.
- **Event Origin:** The Deep Security component from which the event originated.

Note: Log-only rules will only generate a log entry if the packet in question is not subsequently stopped either by a **deny** rule, or an **allow** rule that excludes it. If the packet is stopped by one of

those two rules, *those* rules will generate a log entry and *not* the **log-only** rule. If no subsequent rules stop the packet, the log-only rule will generate an entry.

List of all firewall events

ID	Event	Notes
100	Out Of Connection	A packet was received that was not associated with an existing connection.
101	Invalid Flags	Flag(s) set in a packet were invalid. This event can indicate that a flag does not make sense within the context of a current connection (if any), or that a nonsensical combination of flags. "Firewall Stateful Configuration" must be On for connection context to be assessed.
102	Invalid Sequence	A packet with an invalid sequence number or out-of-window data size was encountered.
103	Invalid ACK	A packet with an invalid acknowledgment number was encountered.
104	Internal Error	
105	CE Flags	A packet has congestion flags set and the policy's Anti Evasion settings use a custom configuration where the TCP Congestion Flags property is set to Log or Deny. (See " Configure anti-evasion settings " on page 650.)
106	Invalid IP	Packet's source IP was not valid.
107	Invalid IP Datagram Length	The length of the IP datagram is less than the length specified in the IP header.
108	Fragmented	A fragmented packet was encountered and fragmented packets are not allowed.
109	Invalid Fragment Offset	
110	First Fragment Too Small	A fragmented packet was encountered, and the size of the first fragment is less than the size of a TCP packet (no data). A packet is dropped with this event when the packet header has the following configuration: - Fragment Offset = 0 (The fragment is the first in the packet) - Total length (maximum combined header length) < 120 bytes (the default allowed minimum fragment size) To prevent this event from occurring, configure the policy's Advanced Network Engine settings to use a lower value for the Minimum Fragment Size property, or set it to 0 to turn off this inspection. (See "Advanced

ID	Event	Notes
		Network Engine Options" in "Network engine settings" on page 458.)
111	Fragment Out Of Bounds	The offsets(s) specified in a fragmented packet sequence is outside the range of the maximum size of a datagram.
112	Fragment Offset Too Small	A fragmented packet was encountered, the size of the fragment was less than the size of a TCP packet (no data).
113	IPv6 Packet	An IPv6 Packet was encountered, and IPv6 blocking is enabled. See the "Block IPv6 on Agents and Appliances versions 9 and later" property in the Advanced Network Engine Options (see "Network engine settings" on page 458.)
114	Max Incoming Connections	The number of incoming connections has exceeded the maximum number of connections allowed. See the "Enable TCP stateful inspection" property in "TCP packet inspection" on page 698.
115	Max Outgoing Connections	The number of outgoing connections has exceeded the maximum number of connections allowed. See the "Enable TCP stateful inspection" property in "TCP packet inspection" on page 698.
116	Max SYN Sent	The number of half open connections from a single computer exceeds that specified in the firewall stateful configuration. See the "Limit the number of half-open connections from a single computer to" property in "TCP packet inspection" on page 698.
118	IP Version Unknown	An IP packet other than IPv4 or IPv6 was encountered.
119	Invalid Packet Info	
120	Internal Engine Error	Insufficient system memory. Add more system resources to fix this issue.
121	Unsolicited UDP	Incoming UDP packets that were not solicited by the computer are rejected.
122	Unsolicited ICMP	ICMP stateful has been enabled (in firewall stateful configuration) and an unsolicited packet that does not match any Force Allow rules was received.
123	Out Of Allowed Policy	The packet does not meet any of the Allow or Force Allow rules and so is implicitly denied.
124	Invalid Port Command	An invalid FTP port command was encountered in the FTP control channel data stream.
125	SYN Cookie Error	The SYN cookies protection mechanism encountered an error.
126	Invalid Data Offset	Invalid data offset parameter.
127	No IP Header	The packet IP header is invalid or incomplete.
128	Unreadable Ethernet Header	Data contained in this Ethernet frame is smaller than the Ethernet header.
129	Undefined	
130	Same Source	Source and destination IPs were identical.

ID	Event	Notes
	and Destination IP	
131	Invalid TCP Header Length	
132	Unreadable Protocol Header	The packet contains an unreadable TCP, UDP or ICMP header.
133	Unreadable IPv4 Header	The packet contains an unreadable IPv4 header.
134	Unknown IP Version	Unrecognized IP version.
135	Invalid Adapter Configuration	An invalid adapter configuration has been received.
136	Overlapping Fragment	This packet fragment overlaps a previously sent fragment.
138	Packet on Closed Connection	A packet was received belonging to a connection already closed.
139	Dropped Retransmit	The network engine detected a TCP Packet that overlaps with data already received on the same TCP connection but does not match the already-received data. (The network engine compares the packet data that was queued in the engine's connection buffer to the data in the packet that was re-transmitted.) The network engine reconstructs the sequenced data stream of each TCP connection it processes. The sequence number and length in the received packet specify a specific region in this data stream. The note field in the log indicates the location of the changed content in the TCP stream: prev-full, prev-part, next-full and next-part: "prev-full" and "prev-part": The changed area is in the packet that immediately precedes the retransmitted packet in the sequenced data stream. "prev-full" indicates that the changed area is completely contained in the packet which immediately precedes the retransmitted packet in the sequenced data stream. Otherwise, the note is "prev-part". "next-full" and "next-part": The changed area is in the packet that immediately follows the retransmitted packet in the sequenced data stream. "next-full" indicates that the changed area is completely contained in the packet that immediately follows the retransmitted packet in the sequenced data stream. Otherwise, the note is "next-

ID	Event	Notes
		part".
140	Undefined	
141	Out of Allowed Policy (Open Port)	
142	New Connection Initiated	
143	Invalid Checksum	
144	Invalid Hook Used	
145	IP Zero Payload	
146	IPv6 Source Is Multicast	
147	Invalid IPv6 Address	
148	IPv6 Fragment Too Small	
149	Invalid Transport Header Length	
150	Out of Memory	
151	Max TCP Connections	The maximum number of TCP connections has been exceeded. See "Event: Max TCP connections" on page 1097 .
152	Max UDP Connections	
200	Region Too Big	A region (edit region, uri etc) exceeded the maximum allowed buffering size (7570 bytes) without being closed. This is usually because the data does not conform to the protocol.
201	Insufficient Memory	The packet could not be processed properly because resources were exhausted. This can be because too many concurrent connections require buffering (max 2048) or matching resources (max 128) at the same time or because of excessive matches in a single IP packet (max 2048) or simply because the system is out of memory.
202	Maximum Edits Exceeded	The maximum number of edits (32) in a single region of a packet was exceeded.
203	Edit Too Large	Editing attempted to increase the size of the region above the maximum allowed size (8188 bytes).
204	Max Matches in Packet Exceeded	There are more than 2048 positions in the packet with pattern match occurrences. An error is returned at this limit and the connection is dropped because this usually indicates a garbage or evasive packet.
205	Engine Call Stack Too	

ID	Event	Notes
	Deep	
206	Runtime Error	Runtime error.
207	Packet Read Error	Low level problem reading packet data.
257	Fail Open: Deny	Log the packet that should be dropped but not when Fail-Open feature is on and in Inline mode.
300	Unsupported Cipher	An unknown or unsupported cipher suite has been requested.
301	Error Generating Master Key(s)	Unable to derive the cryptographic keys, Mac secrets, and initialization vectors from the master secret.
302	Record Layer Message (not ready)	The SSL state engine has encountered an SSL record before initialization of the session.
303	Handshake Message (not ready)	The SSL state engine has encountered a handshake message after the handshake has been negotiated.
304	Out Of Order Handshake Message	A well formatted handshake message has been encountered out of sequence.
305	Memory Allocation Error	The packet could not be processed properly because resources were exhausted. This can be because too many concurrent connections require buffering (max 2048) or matching resources (max 128) at the same time or because of excessive matches in a single IP packet (max 2048) or simply because the system is out of memory.
306	Unsupported SSL Version	A client attempted to negotiate an SSL V2 session.
307	Error Decrypting Pre-master Key	Unable to un-wrap the pre-master secret from the ClientKeyExchange message.
308	Client Attempted to Rollback	A client attempted to rollback to an earlier version of the SSL protocol than that which was specified in the ClientHello message.
309	Renewal Error	An SSL session was being requested with a cached session key that could not be located.
310	Key Exchange Error	The server is attempting to establish an SSL session with temporarily generated key.
311	Maximum SSL Key Exchanges Exceeded	The maximum number of concurrent key exchange requests was exceeded.
312	Key Too Large	The master secret keys are larger than specified by the protocol identifier.
313	Invalid Parameters In Handshake	An invalid or unreasonable value was encountered while trying to decode the handshake protocol.
314	No Sessions	

ID	Event	Notes
	Available	
315	Compression Method Unsupported	
316	Unsupported Application-Layer Protocol	An unknown or unsupported SSL Application-Layer Protocol has been requested.
385	Fail Open: Deny	Log the packet that should be dropped but not when Fail-Open feature is on and in Tap mode.
500	URI Path Depth Exceeded	Too many "/" separators. Max 100 path depth.
501	Invalid Traversal	Tried to use "../" above root.
502	Illegal Character in URI	Illegal character used in uri.
503	Incomplete UTF8 Sequence	URI ended in middle of utf8 sequence.
504	Invalid UTF8 encoding	Invalid or non-canonical encoding attempt.
505	Invalid Hex Encoding	%nn where nn are not hex digits.
506	URI Path Length Too Long	Path length is greater than 512 characters.
507	Invalid Use of Character	Use of disabled characters
508	Double Decoding Exploit	Double decoding exploit attempt (%25xx, %25%xxd, etc).
700	Invalid Base64 Content	Packet content that was expected to be encoded in Base64 format was not encoded correctly.
710	Corrupted Deflate/GZIP Content	Packet content that was expected to be encoded in Base64 format was not encoded correctly.
711	Incomplete Deflate/GZIP Content	Incomplete Deflate/GZIP content
712	Deflate/GZIP Checksum Error	Deflate/GZIP checksum error.
713	Unsupported Deflate/GZIP Dictionary	Unsupported Deflate/GZIP dictionary.
714	Unsupported	Unsupported GZIP header format or method.

ID	Event	Notes
	GZIP Header Format/Method	
801	Protocol Decoding Search Limit Exceeded	A protocol decoding rule defined a limit for a search or pdu object but the object was not found before the limit was reached.
802	Protocol Decoding Constraint Error	A protocol decoding rule decoded data that did not meet the protocol content constraints.
803	Protocol Decoding Engine Internal Error	
804	Protocol Decoding Structure Too Deep	A protocol decoding rule encountered a type definition and packet content that caused the maximum type nesting depth (16) to be exceeded.
805	Protocol Decoding Stack Error	A rule programming error attempted to cause recursion or use too many nested procedure calls.
806	Infinite Data Loop Error	

Intrusion prevention events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

To see the intrusion prevention events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Intrusion Prevention Events**.

What information is displayed for intrusion prevention events?

These columns can be displayed on the Intrusion Prevention Events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Reason:** The intrusion prevention rule associated with this event.
- **Tag(s):** Any tags attached with the event.

- **Application Type:** The application type associated with the intrusion prevention rule which caused this event.
- **Action:** What action the intrusion prevention rule took (Block or Reset). If the rule is in **Detect Only** mode, the action is prefaced with "Detect Only:").

Note: Intrusion prevention rules created before Deep Security 7.5 SP1 could also perform Insert, Replace, and Delete actions. These actions are no longer performed. If an older rule is triggered and attempts to perform those actions, the event will indicate that the rule was applied in detect-only mode.

- **Rank:** The ranking system provides a way to quantify the importance of intrusion prevention and firewall events. By assigning "asset values" to computers, and assigning "severity values" to intrusion prevention rules and firewall rules, the importance ("rank") of an event is calculated by multiplying the two values together. This allows you to sort events by rank when viewing intrusion prevention or firewall events.
- **Severity:** The intrusion prevention rule's severity value.
- **Direction:** The direction of the packet (incoming or outgoing)
- **Flow:** whether the packets(s) that triggered this event was travelling with ("Connection Flow") or against ("Reverse Flow") the direction of traffic being monitored by the intrusion prevention rule.
- **Interface:** The MAC address of the interface through which the packet was passing.
- **Frame Type:** The frame type of the packet in question. Possible values are "IPV4", "IPV6", "ARP", "REVARP", and "Other: XXXX" where XXXX represents the four digit hex code of the frame type.
- **Protocol:** Possible values are "ICMP", "ICMPV6", "IGMP", "GGP", "TCP", "PUP", "UDP", "IDP", "ND", "RAW", "TCP+UDP", AND "Other: nnn" where nnn represents a three digit decimal value.
- **Flags:** Flags set in the packet.
- **Source IP:** The packet's source IP.
- **Source MAC:** The packet's source MAC address.
- **Source Port:** The packet's source port.
- **Destination IP:** The packet's destination IP address.
- **Destination MAC:** The packet's destination MAC address.
- **Destination Port:** The packet's destination port.

- **Packet Size:** The size of the packet in bytes.
- **Repeat Count:** The number of times the event was sequentially repeated.
- **Time (microseconds):** Microsecond resolution for the time the event took place on the computer.
- **Event Origin:** The Deep Security component from which the event originated.

View additional Intrusion Prevention event information

When [exporting](#) Intrusion Prevention events, the exported data includes the fields listed above, as well as additional fields, which are not visible from the Deep Security Manager console. The single exception is the **Severity field**, which is not available in the CSV file.

- **Note:** Meaningful string for the event, such as CVE code.
- **End Time:** Time the packet was most recently seen.
- **Position In Buffer:** Position in packet.
- **Position In Stream:** Position of packet in TCP/IP stream.
- **Data Flags:** Refer to the table below for details on Data Flags values:

Code	Flag	Notes
0x01	dataTruncated	Indicates data could not be logged.
0x02	logOverflow	Logs overflowed after this entry.
0x04	suppressed	Logs threshold suppression occurred after this entry.
0x08	haveData	Packet Data is logged.
0x10	refData	DataId is logged. Packet payload is not logged in this event. The payload is only logged in the event with the 0x08 flag and the same Data Index.
0x20	haveRawPkt	Data is the complete, raw packet.

- **Data Index:** A unique ID for packet data (dataId). All records with the same dataId are from the same packet.
- **Data:** Payload of the packet.
- **Original IP (XFF):** Displays original IP address of the client. To obtain data for this field, enable the rule **1006450 - Enable X-Forwarded-For HTTP Header Logging**.

List of all intrusion prevention events

ID	Event	Notes
200	Region Too Big	A region (edit region, uri etc) exceeded the maximum allowed buffering size (7570 bytes) without being closed. This is usually because the data does not conform to the protocol.
201	Insufficient	The packet could not be processed properly because resources were

ID	Event	Notes
	Memory	exhausted. This can be because there are too many concurrent connections at the same time or simply because the system is out of memory.
202	Maximum Edits Exceeded	The maximum number of edits (32) in a single region of a packet was exceeded.
203	Edit Too Large	Editing attempted to increase the size of the region above the maximum allowed size (8188 bytes).
204	Max Matches in Packet Exceeded	There are more than 2048 positions in the packet with pattern match occurrences. An error is returned at this limit and the connection is dropped because this usually indicates a garbage or evasive packet.
205	Engine Call Stack Too Deep	
206	Runtime Error	Runtime error.
207	Packet Read Error	Low level problem reading packet data.
258	Fail Open: Reset	Log the connection that should be reset but not when Fail-Open feature is on and in Inline mode
300	Unsupported Cipher	An unknown or unsupported Cipher Suite has been requested.
301	Error Generating Master Key(s)	Unable to derive the cryptographic keys, Mac secrets, and initialization vectors from the master secret.
302	Record Layer Message (not ready)	The SSL state engine has encountered an SSL record before initialization of the session.
303	Handshake Message (not ready)	The SSL state engine has encountered a handshake message after the handshake has been negotiated.
304	Out Of Order Handshake Message	A well formatted handshake message has been encountered out of sequence.
305	Memory Allocation Error	The packet could not be processed properly because resources were exhausted. This can be because there are too many concurrent connections at the same time or simply because the system is out of memory.
306	Unsupported SSL Version	A client attempted to negotiate an SSL V2 session.
307	Error Decrypting Pre-master Key	Unable to un-wrap the pre-master secret from the ClientKeyExchange message.
308	Client Attempted to Rollback	A client attempted to rollback to an earlier version of the SSL protocol than that which was specified in the ClientHello message.
309	Renewal Error	An SSL session was being requested with a cached session key that could not be located.

ID	Event	Notes
310	Key Exchange Error	The server is attempting to establish an SSL session with temporarily generated key.
311	Maximum SSL Key Exchanges Exceeded	The maximum number of concurrent key exchange requests was exceeded.
312	Key Too Large	The master secret keys are larger than specified by the protocol identifier.
313	Invalid Parameters In Handshake	An invalid or unreasonable value was encountered while trying to decode the handshake protocol.
314	No Sessions Available	
315	Compression Method Unsupported	
316	Unsupported Application-Layer Protocol	An unknown or unsupported SSL Application-Layer Protocol has been requested.
386	Fail Open: Reset	Log the connection that should be reset but not when Fail-Open feature is on and in Tap mode.
500	URI Path Depth Exceeded	Too many "/" separators. Max 100 path depth.
501	Invalid Traversal	Tried to use "../" above root.
502	Illegal Character in URI	Illegal character used in uri.
503	Incomplete UTF8 Sequence	URI ended in middle of utf8 sequence.
504	Invalid UTF8 encoding	Invalid or non-canonical encoding attempt.
505	Invalid Hex Encoding	%nn where nn are not hex digits.
506	URI Path Length Too Long	Path length is greater than 512 characters.
507	Invalid Use of Character	Use of disabled characters
508	Double Decoding Exploit	Double decoding exploit attempt (%25xx, %25%xxd, etc).
700	Invalid Base64 Content	Packet content that was expected to be encoded in Base64 format was not encoded correctly.
710	Corrupted Deflate/GZIP	Packet content that was expected to be encoded in Base64 format was not encoded correctly.

ID	Event	Notes
	Content	
711	Incomplete Deflate/GZIP Content	Incomplete Deflate/GZIP content
712	Deflate/GZIP Checksum Error	Deflate/GZIP checksum error.
713	Unsupported Deflate/GZIP Dictionary	Unsupported Deflate/GZIP dictionary.
714	Unsupported GZIP Header Format/Method	Unsupported GZIP header format or method.
801	Protocol Decoding Search Limit Exceeded	A protocol decoding rule defined a limit for a search or pdu object but the object was not found before the limit was reached.
802	Protocol Decoding Constraint Error	A protocol decoding rule decoded data that did not meet the protocol content constraints.
803	Protocol Decoding Engine Internal Error	
804	Protocol Decoding Structure Too Deep	A protocol decoding rule encountered a type definition and packet content that caused the maximum type nesting depth (16) to be exceeded.
805	Protocol Decoding Stack Error	A rule programming error attempted to cause recursion or use too many nested procedure calls.
806	Infinite Data Loop Error	

Integrity monitoring events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

To see the integrity monitoring events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Integrity Monitoring Events**.

What information is displayed for integrity monitoring events?

These columns can be displayed on the Integrity Monitoring Events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Reason:** The integrity monitoring rule associated with this event.
- **Tag(s):** Event tags that are applied to this event.
- **Change:** The change detected by the integrity rule. Can be: Created, Updated, Deleted, or Renamed.
- **Rank:** The ranking system provides a way to quantify the importance of events. By assigning "asset values" to computers, and assigning "severity values" to rules, the importance ("rank") of an event is calculated by multiplying the two values together. This allows you to sort events by rank.
- **Severity:** The integrity monitoring rule's severity value
- **Type:** Type of entity from which the event originated
- **Key:** Path and file name or registry key from which the event originated
- **User:** User ID of the file owner
- **Process:** Process from which the event originated
- **Event Origin:** The Deep Security component from which the event originated

List of all integrity monitoring events

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
8000	Info	Full Baseline Created	Created when the agent has been requested to build a baseline or went from 0 integrity monitoring rules to n (causing the baseline to be built). This event includes information on the time taken to scan (ms), and number of entities cataloged.
8001	Info	Partial Baseline Created	Created when the agent had a security configuration where one or more integrity monitoring rules changed. This event includes information on the time taken to scan (ms), and number of entities cataloged.
8002	Info	Scan for Change Completed	Created when the agent is requested to do a full or partial on-demand scan. This event includes information on the time taken to scan (ms), and number of CHANGES cataloged. (Ongoing scans for changes based on the FileSystem Driver or the notify do not generate an 8002 event.)
8003	Error	Unknown	Created when a rule uses a <code>\${env.EnvironmentVar}</code> and

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
		Environment Variable in Integrity Monitoring Rule	"EnvironmentVar" is not a known environment variable. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, and the name of the unknown environment variable.
8004	Error	Bad Base in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when a rule contains an invalid base directory or key. For example, specifying a FileSet with a base of "c:\foo\d:\bar" would generate this event, or the invalid value could be the result of environment variable substitution the yields a bad value. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, and the bad base value.
8005	Error	Unknown Entity in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when an unknown EntitySet is encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, and a comma-separated list of the unknown EntitySet names encountered.
8006	Error	Unsupported Entity in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when a known but unsupported EntitySet is encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, and a comma-separated list of the unsupported EntitySet names encountered. Some EntitySet types such as RegistryKeySet are platform-specific.
8007	Error	Unknown Feature in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when an unknown feature is encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, the type of entity set (for example, FileSet), and a comma-separated list of the unknown feature names encountered. Examples of valid feature values are "whereBaseInOtherSet", "status", and "executable".
8008	Error	Unsupported Feature in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when a known but unsupported feature is encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, the type of entity set (for example, FileSet), and a comma-separated list of the unsupported feature names encountered. Some feature values such as "status" (used for Windows service states) are platform-specific.
8009	Error	Unknown Attribute in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when an unknown attribute is encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, the type of entity set (for example, FileSet), and a comma-separated list of the unknown attribute names encountered. Examples of valid attribute values are "created", "lastModified" and "inodeNumber".
8010	Error	Unsupported	Created when a known but unsupported attribute is

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
		Attribute in Integrity Monitoring Rule	encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, the type of entity set (for example, FileSet), and a comma-separated list of the unsupported attribute names encountered. Some attribute values such as "inodeNumber" are platform-specific.
8011	Error	Unknown Attribute in Entity Set in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when an unknown EntitySet XML attribute is encountered in an integrity monitoring rule. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, the type of entity set (for example, FileSet), and a comma-separated list of the unknown EntitySet attribute names encountered. You would get this event if you wrote <FileSet dir="c:\foo"> instead of <FileSet base="c:\foo">
8012	Error	Unknown Registry String in Integrity Monitoring Rule	Created when a rule references a registry key that doesn't exist. This event includes the ID of the integrity monitoring rule containing the problem, the name of the integrity monitoring rule, and the name of the unknown registry string.
8013	Error	Invalid WQLSet was used. Namespace or WQL query was missing.	Indicates that the namespace is missing from a WQL query because an integrity rule XML is incorrectly formatted. This can occur only in an advanced case, with custom integrity rules that use and monitor WQL queries.
8014	Error	Invalid WQLSet was used. An unknown provider value was used.	
8015	Warning	Inapplicable Integrity Monitoring Rule	Can be caused by a number of reasons, such as platform mismatch, nonexistent target directories or files, or unsupported functionality.
8016	Warning	Suboptimal Integrity Rule Detected	
8050	Error	Regular expression could not be compiled. Invalid wildcard was	

ID	Severity	Event	Notes
		used.	

Log inspection events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

To see the log inspection events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Log Inspection Events**.

What information is displayed for log inspection events?

These columns can be displayed on the log inspection events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **Reason:** The log inspection rule associated with this event.
- **Tag(s):** Any tags attached with the event.
- **Description:** Description of the rule.
- **Rank:** The ranking system provides a way to quantify the importance of events. By assigning "asset values" to computers, and assigning "severity values" to log inspection rules, the importance ("rank") of an event is calculated by multiplying the two values together. This allows you to sort events by rank.
- **Severity:** The log inspection rule's severity value.
- **Groups:** Group that the rule belongs to.
- **Program Name:** Program name. This is obtained from the syslog header of the event.
- **Event:** The name of the event.
- **Location:** Where the log came from.
- **Source IP:** The packet's source IP.
- **Source Port:** The packet's source port.
- **Destination IP:** The packet's destination IP address.
- **Destination Port:** The packet's destination port.

- **Protocol:** Possible values are "ICMP", "ICMPV6", "IGMP", "GGP", "TCP", "PUP", "UDP", "IDP", "ND", "RAW", "TCP+UDP", AND "Other: nnn" where nnn represents a three digit decimal value.
- **Action:** The action taken within the event
- **Source User:** Originating user within the event.
- **Destination User:** Destination user within the event.
- **Event HostName:** Hostname of the event source.
- **ID:** Any ID decoded as the ID from the event.
- **Status:** The decoded status within the event.
- **Command:** The command being called within the event.
- **URL:** The URL within the event.
- **Data:** Any additional data extracted from the event.
- **System Name:** The system name within the event.
- **Rule Matched:** Rule number that was matched.
- **Event Origin:** The Deep Security component from which the event originated.

List of log inspection security events

Note: For system events related to log inspection, see ["System events" on page 1020](#).

ID	Severity	Event
8100	Error	Log Inspection Engine Error
8101	Warning	Log Inspection Engine Warning
8102	Info	Log Inspection Engine Initialized

Web reputation events

For general best practices related to events, see ["Events in Deep Security" on page 878](#).

To see the web reputation events captured by Deep Security, go to **Events & Reports > Events > Web Reputation Events**.

What information is displayed for web reputation events?

These columns can be displayed on the web reputation events page. You can click **Columns** to select which columns are displayed in the table.

- **Time:** Time the event took place on the computer.
- **Computer:** The computer on which this event was logged. (If the computer has been removed, this entry will read "Unknown Computer".)
- **URL:** The URL that triggered this event.
- **Tag(s):** Event tags associated with this event.
- **Risk:** What was the risk level of the URL that triggered the event ("Suspicious", "Highly Suspicious", "Dangerous", "Untested", or "Blocked by Administrator").
- **Rank:** Rank provides a way to quantify the importance of events. It is calculated by multiplying the asset value of the computer by the severity of the rule. (See ["Rank events to quantify their importance" on page 896.](#))
- **Event Origin:** Indicates from which part of the Deep Security system the event originated.

Add a URL to the list of allowed URLs

If you want to add the URL that triggered an event to the list of allowed URLs, right-click the event and select **Add to Allow List**. (To view or edit the **Allowed** and **Blocked** lists, go to the **Exceptions** tab on the main **Web Reputation** page.)

Troubleshoot common events, alerts, and errors

This section provides troubleshooting tips for some common events, alerts, and errors.

- ["Why am I seeing firewall events when the firewall module is off?" on the next page](#)
- ["Troubleshoot event ID 771 'Contact by Unrecognized Client'" on the next page](#)
- Event: Configuration package too large (See ["Maximum size for configuration packages" on page 655.](#))
- ["Troubleshoot 'Smart Protection Server disconnected' errors" on page 1077](#)
- ["Error: Activation Failed" on page 1078](#)
- ["Error: Agent version not supported" on page 1081](#)
- ["Error: Installation of Feature 'dpi' failed: Not available: Filter" on page 1084](#)
- ["Error: Interface out of sync" on page 1085](#)
- ["Error: Integrity Monitoring Engine Offline and other errors occur after activating a virtual machine" on page 1085](#)
- ["Error: Module installation failed \(Linux\)" on page 1092](#)
- ["Error: There are one or more application type conflicts on this computer" on page 1093](#)

- ["Error: Unable to connect to the cloud account" on page 1095](#)
- ["Error: Unable to resolve instance hostname" on page 1096](#)
- ["Error: Anti-Malware Engine Offline" on page 1081](#)
- ["Error: Check Status Failed" on page 1083](#)
- ["Error: Log Inspection Rules Require Log Files" on page 1091](#)
- ["Alert: Integrity Monitoring information collection has been delayed" on page 1096](#)
- ["Alert: The memory warning threshold of Manager Node has been exceeded" on page 1097](#)
- ["Alert: Manager Time Out of Sync" on page 1096](#)
- ["Warning: Reconnaissance Detected" on page 1100](#)
- ["Warning: Insufficient disk space" on page 1099](#)

Why am I seeing firewall events when the firewall module is off?

If you have Intrusion Prevention or Web Reputation enabled, you may see some Firewall events because the Intrusion Prevention and Web Reputation modules leverage the Firewall's stateful configuration mechanism to perform inspections.

Troubleshoot event ID 771 "Contact by Unrecognized Client"

Event ID 771 **Contact by Unrecognized Client** appears on Deep Security Manager if a Deep Security Agent tries to connect to the manager, but the computer's name doesn't exist in the list of protected computers on **Computers**.

Common causes include:

- Cloned VMs or cloud instances if you haven't enabled **Reactivate cloned Agents**.
- Computers deleted from **Computers** *before* deactivating Deep Security Agent, if you haven't enabled **Reactivate unknown Agents**. The agent software continues to try to periodically connect to its manager, causing the event each time until either it is uninstalled, or you reactivate the computer.
- Interrupted sync of a connector such as vCenter, AWS, or Azure. For example, if a VMware ESXi host is not shut down gracefully due to a power failure, then the VM's information may not be correctly synchronized.

Solutions vary by the cause.

Uninstall Deep Security Agent

If you don't want to protect the unrecognized computer, you can prevent these events by deactivating or uninstalling the Deep Security Agent software. See ["Uninstall Deep Security" on page 1198](#).

Reactivate the computer or clone

If you want to protect the computer, activate it with Deep Security Manager. Re-activation re-establishes the agent's certificate so that the manager can authenticate it with the list on **Computers**, and recognize the computer. See ["Agent-initiated activation" on page 306](#).

Fix interrupted VMware connector synchronization

1. On Deep Security Manager, go to **Computers**.
2. Remove the vCenter connector.
3. On VMware vSphere, reset the Deep Security Virtual Appliance (DSVA).

This will clear the information in:

```
/var/opt/ds_agent/guests
```

4. Add the vCenter into the Deep Security Manager again.
5. Re-activate the VMs.

Troubleshoot "Smart Protection Server disconnected" errors

If you are using the anti-malware or web reputation modules, you may see either a "Smart Protection Server Disconnected for Smart Scan" or "Smart Protection Server Disconnected for Web Reputation" error in the Deep Security Manager console. To fix the error, try the following troubleshooting tips.

Check the error details

Double-click the error message to display more detailed information, including the URL that the server is trying to contact. The error may include:

- Timeout was reached
- Couldn't resolve hostname

From a command prompt, use nslookup to check whether the DNS name resolves to an IP address. If the URL doesn't resolve, then there is a DNS issue on the local server.

Use a telnet client to test connectivity to the URL on ports 80 and 443. If you can't connect, check that all of your firewalls, security groups, etc. are allowing outbound communication to the URL on those ports.

Error: Activation Failed

Several events can trigger an "Activation Failed" alert:

- ["Protocol Error" below](#)
- ["Unable to resolve hostname" on the next page](#)
- ["No agent/appliance" on the next page](#)
- ["Blocked port" on the next page](#)
- ["Duplicate Computer" on page 1080](#)
- ["Endpoint behind proxy" on page 1081](#)
- ["Reinstallation required" on page 1081](#)

Protocol Error

This error typically occurs when you use Deep Security Manager to attempt to activate a Deep Security Agent and the manager is unable to communicate with the agent. The communication directionality that the agent uses determines the method that you should use to troubleshoot this error. (See ["Agent-manager communication" on page 273.](#))

Agent-initiated communication

When the agent uses agent-initiated communication, you need to activate the agent from the agent computer. (See ["Activate an agent" on page 329.](#))

Bidirectional communication

Use the following troubleshooting steps when the error occurs and the agent uses bidirectional communication:

1. Ensure that the agent is installed on the computer and that the agent is running.
2. Ensure that the ports are open between the manager and the agent. (See ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#) and ["Create a firewall rule" on page 670.](#))

Unable to resolve hostname

The error: Activation Failed (Unable to resolve hostname) could be the result of an unresolvable hostname in DNS or of activating the agent from Deep Security Manager when you are not using agent-initiated activation.

If your agent is in bidirectional or manager-initiated mode, your hostname must be resolvable in DNS. Check the DNS on your Deep Security Manager to ensure it can resolve your hosts.

If your computers are in cloud accounts, we recommend that you always use agent-initiated activation. To learn how to configure policy rules for agent-initiated communication and deploy agents using deployment scripts, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

No agent/appliance

This error message indicates that the agent software has not been installed on the computer that you would like to protect.

Blocked port

If you are seeing 'Activation Failed' events with the following error messages in the `ds_agent.log`:

```
• 2018-06-25 17:52:14.000000: [Error/1] | CHTTPServer::AcceptSSL
(<IP>:<PORT>) - BIO_do_handshake() failed - peer closed connection. |
http\HTTPServer.cpp:246:DsaCore::CHTTPServer::AcceptSSL |
1E80:1FEC:ActivateThread

• 2018-06-25 17:52:14.143355: [dsa.Heartbeat/5] | Unable to reach a manager.
| .\dsa\Heartbeat.lua:149:(null) | 1E80:1FEC:ActivateThread

• 2018-06-25 17:52:14.000000: [Info/5] | AgentEvent 4012 |
common\DomainPrivate.cpp:493:DsaCore::DomPrivateData::AgentEventWriteHaveLoc
k | 1E80:1FEC:ActivateThread

• 2018-06-25 17:52:14.143355: [Cmd/5] | Respond() - sending status line of
'HTTP/1.1 400 OK' | http\HTTPServer.cpp:369:DsaCore::CHTTPServer::Respond |
1E80:1D7C:ConnectionHandlerPool_0011
```

...and the following messages in your packet capture software (pcap):

```
• [TCP Retransmission] <Ephemeral Port> -> 443 [SYN, ECN, CWR] .....
• [TCP Retransmission] <Ephemeral Port> -> 443 [SYN] .....
```

...it may be because you have blocked a port used by the Deep Security Agents and manager to establish communication. agent-manager communication ports could be any of the following:

Agent-manager communication type	Source / Port	Destination / Port
Agent-initiated communication	Deep Security Agent / Ephemeral port	Deep Security Manager / 4119
Agent-initiated communication	Deep Security Agent / Ephemeral port	Deep Security Manager / 443
Manager-initiated communication	Deep Security Manager / Ephemeral port	Agent / 4118

As you can see from the table above, [ephemeral ports](#) are used for the source port for outbound communication between agent and manager. If those are blocked, then the agent can't be activated and heartbeats won't work. The same problems arise if any of the destination ports are blocked.

To resolve this issue:

- Remove restrictions on client outbound ports (ephemeral) in your network configuration.
- Allow access to Deep Security Manager on port 4119 or on 443.
- Allow inbound access to Deep Security Agent on port 4118 if you're using Manager-initiated communication.

For details on ports, see ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#).

Duplicate Computer

This error typically occurs when you activate a computer using a name that already exists, or a computer that is already active in a different connector.

To resolve this issue you can use one of the following methods:

- Remove one of the duplicate computers and reactivate the remaining computer if necessary.
- From the Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > System Settings > Agents** and select your preferences for agent-initiated activation. If a computer with the same name already exists, there are options to re-activate the existing computer, activate a new

computer with the same name, or not allow activation. For more details, see ["Agent-initiated activation" on page 306](#).

Endpoint behind proxy

If you are using a proxy, in the Deep Security Manager go to **Support > Deployment Scripts** and update the fields with your proxy, then reactivate the agent. For more information, see ["Use deployment scripts to add and protect computers" on page 365](#).

Reinstallation required

If Deep Security Agent is not activating, you may need to ["Uninstall Deep Security Agent" on page 1200](#), then [reinstall Deep Security Agent](#).

Error: Agent version not supported

The error message "Agent version not supported" indicates that the agent version currently installed on the computer is not supported by the Deep Security Manager.

Although the unsupported agent will still protect the computer based on the last policy settings it received from the Deep Security Manager, we recommend that you upgrade the agent so that you can react quickly to the latest threats. For more information, see ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#).

Error: Anti-Malware Engine Offline

This error can occur for a variety of reasons. To resolve the issue, follow the instructions below for the mode of protection that is being used:

- ["Agent-based protection" below](#)
- ["Agentless protection" on page 1083](#)

For an overview of the Anti-Malware module, see ["Protect against malware" on page 560](#).

Agent-based protection

1. In the Deep Security Manager, check for other errors on the same machine. If errors exist, there could be other issues that are causing your Anti-Malware engine to be offline, such as communications or Deep Security Agent installation failure.
2. Check communications from the agent to the Deep Security Relay and the manager.

3. In the Deep Security Manager, view the details for the agent with the issue. Verify that the policy or setting for Anti-Malware is turned on, and that the configuration for each scan (real-time, manual, scheduled) is in place and active. (See ["Enable and configure anti-malware" on page 567.](#))
4. Deactivate and uninstall the agent before reinstalling and re-activating it. See ["Uninstall Deep Security" on page 1198](#) and ["Activate the agent" on page 302](#) for more information.
5. In the Deep Security Manager, go to the **Updates** section for that computer. Verify that the Security Updates are present and current. If not, click **Download Security Updates** to initiate an update.
6. Check if there are conflicts with another anti-virus product, such as OfficeScan. If conflicts exist, uninstall the other product and the Deep Security Agent, reboot, and reinstall the Deep Security Agent. To remove OfficeScan, see [Uninstalling clients or agents in OfficeScan \(OSCE\)](#).

If your agent is on Windows:

1. Make sure the following services are running:
 - Trend Micro Deep Security Agent
 - Trend Micro Solution Platform
2. Check that all the Anti-Malware related drivers are running properly by running the following commands:
 - `# sc query AMSP`
 - `# sc query tmcomm`
 - `# sc query tmactmon`
 - `# sc query tmevtmgr`

If a driver is not running, restart the Trend Micro services. If it is still not running, continue with the following steps below.

3. Verify the installation method. Only install the MSI, not the zip file.
4. The agent might need to be manually removed and reinstalled. For more information, see [Manually uninstalling Deep Security Agent, Relay, and Notifier from Windows](#)
5. The installed Comodo certificate could be the cause of the issue. To resolve the issue, see ["Anti-Malware Driver offline" status occurs due to Comodo certificate issue](#).

If your agent is on Linux:

1. To check that the agent is running, enter the following command in the command line:
 - `service ds_agent status`

2. If you're using a Linux server, your kernel might not be supported. For more information, see ["Error: Module installation failed \(Linux\)" on page 1092](#).

If the problem is still unresolved after following these instructions, create a diagnostic package and contact support. For more information, see ["Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239](#).

Agentless protection

1. In the Deep Security Manager, verify synchronization to vcenter and nsx. Under the **Computers** section, right click on your Vcenter and go to **Properties**. Click **Test Connection**. Then click on the NSX tab and test the connection. Click **Add/Update Certificate** in case the certificate has changed.
2. Log into the NSX manager and verify that it is synching to vCenter properly.
3. Log into your vSphere client and go to **Network & Security > Installation > Service Deployments**. Check for errors with Trend Micro Deep Security and Guest Introspection, and resolve any that are found.
4. In vSphere client, go to **Network & Security > Service Composer**. Verify that the security policy is assigned to the appropriate security group.
5. Verify that your VMware tools are compatible with Deep Security. For more information, see [VMware Tools 10.x Interoperability Issues with Deep Security](#).
6. Verify that the File Introspection Driver (vsepflt) is installed and running on the target VM. As an admin, run `sc query vsepflt` at the command prompt.
7. All instances and virtual machines deployed from a catalog or vApp template from vCloud Director are given the same BIOS UUID. Deep Security distinguishes different VMs by there BIOS UUID, so a duplicate value in the vCenter causes an Anti-Malware Engine Offline error. To resolve the issue, see [VM BIOS UUIDs are not unique when virtual machines are deployed from vApp templates \(2002506\)](#).
8. If the problem is still unresolved, open a case with support with the following information:
 - Diagnostic package from each Deep Security Manager. For more information, see ["Create a diagnostic package and logs" on page 1239](#).
 - Diagnostic package from the Deep Security Virtual Appliance.
 - vCenter support bundle for the effected VMs.

Error: Check Status Failed

You can check the status of the agent / appliance on a computer from the Deep Security Manager console. On the Computers page, right-click the computer and click **Actions > Check Status**.

If you get a "Check Status Failed" error, open the error message to see a more detailed description.

If description indicates a protocol error, it's usually caused by a communication issue. There are a few possible causes:

- Check whether the computer (or the policy assigned to the computer) is configured for agent-initiated communication or bidirectional communication. The "Check Status" operation will fail if you are using agent-initiated communication.
- Check that the Deep Security Manager can communicate with the agent. The manager should be able to reach the agent. See ["Port numbers, URLs, and IP addresses" on page 207](#).
- Check the resources on the agent computer. Lack of memory, CPU, or disk space can cause this error.

If the description indicates a SQLITE_IOERR_WRITE[778]: disk I/O error, there is likely a problem with the agent computer. The most common problem is that the disk is full or write-protected.

Error: Installation of Feature 'dpi' failed: Not available: Filter

The error message "Installation of Feature 'dpi' failed: Not available: Filter" indicates that your operating system kernel version is not supported by the network driver. You will typically get this message when installing Intrusion Prevention, Web Reputation, or Firewall because the Deep Security Agent installs a network driver at the same time in order to examine traffic. The same circumstances can cause **engine offline** alerts.

An update may be on its way. Trend Micro actively monitors a variety of operating system vendors for new kernel releases. After completing quality assurance tests, we will release an update with support for these kernels.

Your system will install the required support automatically when an update for your operating system kernel version becomes available.

Contact technical support (sign in Deep Security, and click **Support** in the top right-hand corner) to find out when support for your operating system kernel version will be released.

Additional information

This only affects Intrusion Prevention, Web Reputation, and Firewall. All other protection modules (Anti-Malware, Integrity Monitoring, and Log Inspection) will operate correctly.

To review supported operating system kernel versions, visit the [Deep Security 9.6 Supported Linux Kernels](#) page and look for your operating system distribution.

Error: Integrity Monitoring Engine Offline and other errors occur after activating a virtual machine

The following errors are displayed in Deep Security Manager when activating a virtual machine protected by Deep Security Virtual Appliance. These errors appear even when the activation is successful:

- Anti-Malware Engine Offline
- Rebuild Baseline Failure (Agent or Appliance error)
- Integrity Monitoring Engine Offline

The issue remains unresolved even when the following troubleshooting tasks are performed:

- Confirm that vSphere Endpoint is already installed.
- Confirm that VMware tools are installed and up to date.
- Confirm that VMCI and VSEPFLT drivers are installed and running on the VM.
- Synchronize vCenter on the DSM console.
- Deactivate and reactivate the Deep Security Virtual Appliance.
- Deactivate and reactivate the particular VM with issue.
- Reinstall VMware tools.

These errors appear because the virtual machine is not running VM version 7 or above. To resolve the issue, you need to [upgrade the VM to the latest hardware version](#).

Error: Interface out of sync

This error occurs when the network interface information (such as different MAC addresses) that the Deep Security Manager has stored in its database for the guest virtual machine (VM) is not the same as the interface information being reported by the Deep Security Virtual Appliance.

To determine the root cause of this issue, you need to find out where the information has become out of sync.

The first step is to check the error message from Deep Security Manager to determine which VM and which interface has the issue.

Check the interfaces on the VM

1. Log into the VM.
2. Open a command prompt.
3. Enter the command to display all network interfaces' information. For example, on Windows, enter: `ipconfig /all`
4. Verify all of the NICs and MAC addresses and make sure that the NICs have the correct driver and that they are working properly.

Check the VM's interface information in vCenter

Check the VM interface information from the Managed Object Reference (MoRef) in the vCenter Server.

1. Go to the virtual computer MOB at: `https://<VC_SERVER>/mob/?moid=<OBJECT_ID>`

For example, you might go to this URL: `https://192.168.100.100/mob/?moid=vm-1136&doPath=config`

where:

<VC_SERVER> is the FQDN or IP of the vCenter Server

=<OBJECT_ID> is the ID of the object you are looking up

For more information on accessing the VC MOB see [Looking up Managed Object Reference \(MoRef\) in vCenter Server](#).

2. Go to **Config > extraConfig["ethernet0.filter0....."] > hardware** to check all the NICs and MAC address.
3. Compare the MAC addresses with [the MAC in the VM's OS](#).

Check the vmx file and the VM's interface information in Deep Security Manager

1. Use the vCenter Server datastore browser to download the VM's vmx file.
2. Open the vmx file using a plain text editor such as Notepad.
3. Check the IPs, uuid.bios, and MAC addresses.

For example:

```
Check virtual computer UUID
- uuid.bios = "42 23 d6 5d f2 d5 22 41-87 41 86 83 ea 2f 23 ac"
Check EPSec Settings
- VFILE.globaloptions = "svmip=169.254.50.39 svmport=8888"
```

```
- scsi0:0.filters = "VFILE"
Check DvFilter Settings
- ethernet0.filter0.name = "dvfilter-dsa"
- ethernet0.filter0.onFailure = "failOpen"
- ethernet0.filter0.param0 = "4223d65d-f2d5-2241-8741-8683ea2f23ac"
- ethernet0.filter0.param2 = "1"
- ethernet0.filter0.param1 = "00:50:56:A3:02:D8"
```

4. Go to the Deep Security Manager dashboard, double-click the **VM > Interfaces**, and verify the IPs and MAC addresses.
5. Compare the IP and MAC address with the results from above.

Check the VM's interface information in the Deep Security Virtual Appliance

1. Use the vCenter Server datastore browser to download the specific vmx file of the virtual computer.
2. Open the vmx file using a plain text editor such as Notepad.
3. Check the uuid.bios value.
4. Log on to the Deep Security Virtual Appliance console and press **Alt + F2** to switch to command mode and then enter the Deep Security Virtual Appliance user name and password.
5. Run the following command to determine whether the VM's network interface was recognized by Deep Security Virtual Appliance. (Note: Replace \$uuid with your actual bios uuid.)

```
cd /var/opt/ds_agent/guests/$uuid
```

```
>/opt/ds_guest_agent/ratt if
```

6. Execute the **ifconfig -a** command to verify if the Deep Security Virtual Appliance NIC settings and IP are configured correctly.
7. Compare the IP and MAC address with the results from above.

Workaround Options

If any of the above items are out of sync then you need to fix this issue.

Option 1

When cloning an activated VM in Deep Security, you might receive the out-of-sync interface alert if you power on and activate the cloned computer. As a work around, clean the dvfilter settings before powering on the cloned computer.

- ethernet0.filter0.name = "dvfilter-dsa"
- ethernet0.filter0.onFailure = "failOpen"
- ethernet0.filter0.param0 = "4223d65d-f2d5-2241-8741-8683ea2f23ac"
- ethernet0.filter0.param2 = "1"
- ethernet0.filter0.param1 = "00:50:56:A3:02:D8"

Option 2

1. Suspend the VM and power it on again.
2. Restart the Deep Security Virtual Appliance.
3. Deactivate the VM and then activate it again.

Option 3

Use vMotion to move the VM to a protected ESXi host and then dismiss the warning message.

Note: The vCenter must be connected to the Deep Security Manager all the time. Otherwise, the out-of-sync interface issue will happen repeatedly.

Further Troubleshooting

1. Provide the results of the step from above where you [verified the IP and MAC Addresses](#) in "Check the VM's interface information in the Deep Security Virtual Appliance " on the [previous page](#)
2. Get the rattif.txt file from the step from above where you [verified that the VM's interface was recognized by Deep Security Virtual Appliance](#).
3. Get the output from the following commands:

```
$ ls -alR > /home/dsva/ls.txt
$ netstat -an > /home/dsva/netstat.txt
$ ps auxww > /home/dsva/ps.txt
$ lsof > /home/dsva/lsof.txt
$ ifconfig -a > /home/dsva/ifconfig.txt
$ cp /var/log/syslog /home/dsva/syslog.txt
```

4. Get the [diagnostic packages for the Deep Security Manager, Deep Security Agent, and the Deep Security Virtual Appliance](#).
5. Collect the following files and send them to [Trend Micro Technical Support](#).

- rattif.txt
- ls.txt
- netstat.txt
- ps.txt
- lsof.txt
- ifconfig.txt
- syslog.txt

If you cannot find the MAC address of the virtual computer from the output of the `ratt if` command, then use the following workaround:

1. Deploy a virtual computer from a template in vCenter.
2. Delete the existing NIC.
3. Power on this virtual computer but there is no need to log on.
4. Power off this virtual computer.
5. Add a new NIC.
6. Power on the virtual computer.

Error: Intrusion Prevention Rule Compilation Failed

This error can occur for a variety of reasons. To confirm the error is legitimate:

Resend the policy

1. On the Deep Security Manager, click **Computers**.
2. Right-click the computer where the error occurred.
3. Go to **Actions > Send Policy**.

Re-check status

1. On the Deep Security Manager, click **Computers**.
2. Right-click the computer where the error occurred.
3. Go to **Actions > Clear Warnings/Errors**.
4. Once the warnings and errors are cleared, go to **Actions > Check Status**.

If the error continues to occur after completing the above steps, troubleshoot the issue with the solutions below:

- ["Apply Intrusion Prevention best practices" on the next page](#)
- ["Manage rules" on the next page](#)

- ["Unassign application types from a single port" on the next page](#)

If the error persists, contact technical support.

Apply Intrusion Prevention best practices

The Intrusion Prevention Rule Compilation Failed error can occur due to a lack of resources on the machine, such as space, memory, or CPU. To help resolve this issue, apply the best practices on ["Performance tips for intrusion prevention" on page 654](#).

Manage rules

The Intrusion Prevention Rule Compilation Failed error can occur when the number of assigned Intrusion Prevention rules exceeds the recommended count. You should not have more than 400 Intrusion Prevention rules on an endpoint. It is recommended to only apply the Intrusion Prevention rules that a [recommendation scan](#) suggests in order to avoid applying unnecessary rules. If you are applying Intrusion Prevention rules manually, apply them to the computer rather than the policy to avoid adding too many application types to a single port.

To resolve the issue, reduce the number of assigned rules:

1. Access the Intrusion Prevention rules depending on how you assigned them. Do either of the following:
 - At the computer level, go to the **Computers** tab, right-click the computer and select **Details**.
 - At the policy level, go to the **Policies** tab, right-click the policy and select **Details**.
2. Go to **Intrusion Prevention** and click **Scan for Recommendations**.
3. Once the scan is complete, click **Assign/Unassign**. At the top of the window, filter the rules by **Recommended for Unassignment**.

IPS Rules

All ▼

Recommended for Assignment ▼

By Application Type ▼

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4. To unassign a rule, select the check box next to the rule name. Alternatively, to unassign several rules at once use the Shift or Control keys to select the rules.
5. Right-click the rule or selection of rules to be removed and go to **Unassign Rule(s) > From All Interfaces**, then click **OK**. Close the window.
6. On the **Computers** tab right-click the computer, and go to **Actions > Clear Warnings/Errors**. The Intrusion Prevention engine will automatically attempt a rule compilation. The duration of the process will depend on the heartbeat interval and communication settings between Deep Security Manager and Agent.

Tip: If you've applied Intrusion Prevention rules through a policy and are unsure which computers are affected, open the **Policy editor**¹ and go to **Overview > Computer(s) Using This Policy**.

Unassign application types from a single port

The Intrusion Prevention Rule Compilation Failed error can occur when a single port is assigned with too many application types. Currently, a port can only be assigned to eight application types.

To resolve the issue, remove an assigned application type from a port:

1. To determine which rule encountered the issue, double-click the error to open the **Event Viewer**.
2. Go to the **Computers** tab.
3. Right-click the computer with the misconfigured Intrusion Prevention rule and select **Details**.
4. Go to **Intrusion Prevention**.
5. Click **Assign/Unassign**. In the search bar, enter the name of the misconfigured rule.
6. Right-click the rule and select **Application Type Properties**.
7. Deselect the **Inherited** check box.
8. Delete the port and enter a new one.
9. Click **Apply** and **OK**.

Error: Log Inspection Rules Require Log Files

If a log inspection rule requires you to add the location of the files to be monitored, of if you add an unnecessary log inspection rule and the files do not exist on your machine, the following error will occur in the **Computer**² or **Policy editor**³:

To resolve the error:

1. Click on the **Log Inspection Rules Require Log Files** error. A window will open with more information about the error. Under **Description**, the name of the rule causing the error will be listed.
2. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies > Common Objects > Rules > Log Inspection Rules** and locate the rule that is causing the error.

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

²To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

³To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

3. Double-click the rule. The rule's properties window will appear.
4. Go to the **Configuration** tab.

If the file's location is required:

1. Enter the location under **Log Files to monitor** and click **Add**.
2. Click **OK**. Once the agent receives the policy, the error will clear.

If the files listed do not exist on the protected machine:

1. Go to the **Computer**¹ or **Policy editor**² > **Log Inspection**.
2. Click **Assign/Unassign**.
3. Locate the unnecessary rule and uncheck the checkbox.
4. Click **OK**. Once the agent receives the policy, the error will clear.

To prevent this error, run a recommendation scan for suggested rules:

1. On the Deep Security Manager, go to **Computers**.
2. Right-click the computer you'd like to scan and click **Actions > Scan for Recommendations**.
3. View the results on the **General** tab of the protection module in the **Computer**³ or **Policy editor**⁴.

Error: Module installation failed (Linux)

The error message "Module Installation Failed" indicates that your operating system's kernel version is not supported by the Deep Security network driver, or file system hook. These circumstances can cause **engine offline** alerts. Lack of a compatible network driver is the most common cause of this message.

When you apply intrusion prevention, web reputation, or firewall, the Deep Security Agent installs a network driver so it can examine traffic. Anti-malware and integrity monitoring install a file system hook module. This is required to monitor file system changes in real time. (Scheduled scans do not require the same file system hook.)

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

²To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

³To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

⁴To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

An update may be in progress. Trend Micro monitors many vendors for new kernel releases. After completing quality assurance tests, we release an update with support for these kernels. To ask when support for your kernel version will be supported, contact technical support. (When logged in, you can click **Support** in the top right corner.)

Your system will install the module support update automatically when it becomes available.

To view supported operating system kernel versions, see ["Deep Security Agent Linux kernel support" on page 197](#).

Error: There are one or more application type conflicts on this computer

This error message appears in the DPI Events tab in Deep Security Manager when updating the Deep Security Agents:

There are one or more application type conflicts on this computer. One or more DPI rules associated with one application type are dependent on one or more DPI rules associated with another application type. The conflict exists because the two application types use different ports.

The conflicting application types are:

```
[A] "Web Application Tomcat" Ports: [80,8080,4119]
```

```
[B] "Web Server Common" Ports:  
[80,631,8080,7001,7777,7778,7779,7200,7501,8007,  
8004,4000,32000,5357,5358,9000]
```

```
[A] "Web Server Miscellaneous" Ports:  
[80,4000,7100,7101,7510,8043,8080,8081,8088,8300,8500,  
8800,9000,9060,19300,32000,3612,10001,8093,8094]
```

```
[B] "Web Server Common" Ports:  
[80,631,8080,7001,7777,7778,7779,7200,7501,8007,  
8004,4000,32000,5357,5358,9000] "
```

Resolution

To resolve the conflict, edit the port numbers used by application types B so that they include the port numbers used by application types A. The two application types (Web Application Tomcat and Web Server Miscellaneous) are both dependent on the application type Web Server

Common. This is why the ports listed in the first two application types should also appear in the Web Server Common ports.

If you consolidate the port numbers for these three application types, the result is as follows:

80, 631, 3612, 4000, 4119, 5357, 5358, 7001, 7100, 7101, 7200, 7501, 7510, 7777, 7778, 7779,
8004, 8007, 8043, 8080, 8081, 8088, 8093, 8094, 8300, 8500, 8800, 9000, 9060, 10001, 19300,
32000

After adding this to the Web Server Common port list, you will see the following message in the Events tab: *The Application Type Port List Misconfiguration has been resolved.*

Consolidate ports

1. Log on to Deep Security Manager and go to **Policies > Rules > Intrusion Prevention Rules**.
2. Search for **Web Server Common** in the search box in the and double-click the Web Server Common application type.
3. Go to **General > Details > Application type > Edit > Web server common**.
4. Go to **General > Connection > Port** and click **Edit** to replace all of the ports with this consolidated entry: 80, 631, 3612, 4000, 4119, 5357, 5358, 7001, 7100, 7101, 7200, 7501, 7510, 7777, 7778, 7779, 8004, 8007, 8043, 8080, 8081, 8088, 8093, 8094, 8300, 8500, 8800, 9000, 9060, 10001, 19300, 32000
5. Click **OK**.

Disable the inherit option

It is also recommended that administrators disable the inherit option for DPI for a security profile. Any change you make to the application type will only affect this particular security profile.

1. Log on to Deep Security Manager and go to **Security Profiles**.
2. Double-click a security profile in the right pane.
3. Go to the **DPI** section and click to clear **Inherit**.
4. Click **OK**.

Check the IPS rule 1000128.

1. Right-click **Application Type Properties**.
2. Click to clear **Inherit**.
3. Verify that the current inherited port list contains the [listening port number for the Deep Security Manager's GUI](#). If not, add this port to the Web Server Common port group.
4. Click **Inherit**.

Error: Unable to connect to the cloud account

When adding an Amazon Cloud account, the error "Unable to connect to the cloud account" can occur. The cause can be:

- invalid key ID or secret
- incorrect permissions
- failed network connectivity

Your AWS account access key ID or secret access key is invalid

To resolve this:

Verify the security credentials that you entered.

The incorrect AWS IAM policy has been applied to the account being used by Deep Security

To resolve this:

Go you your AWS account and review the IAM policy for that account.

The AWS IAM policy must have these permissions:

- Effect: Allow
- AWS Service: Amazon EC2
- Select the following Actions:
 - DescribeImages
 - DescribeInstances
 - DescribeTags
- Amazon Resource Name (ARN) to: *

NAT, proxy, or firewall ports are not open, or settings are incorrect

This can occur in a few cases, including if you are deploying a new Deep Security Manager installation using the AMI on AWS Marketplace.

Your Deep Security Manager must be able to connect to the Internet, specifically to Amazon Cloud, on the [required port numbers](#).

To resolve this:

You may need to:

- configure NAT or port forwarding on a firewall or router between your AMI and the Internet
- get an external IP address for your AMI

The network connection must also be reliable. If it is intermittent, this error message may occur sometimes (but not every time).

Error: Unable to resolve instance hostname

The error message "Unable to Resolve Instance Hostname" may occur as a result of activating the Agent from Deep Security Manager when you are not using agent-initiated activation.

We recommend that you always use **Agent-Initiated Activation**. To learn how to configure policy rules for agent-initiated communication and deploy agents using deployment scripts, see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#).

Alert: Integrity Monitoring information collection has been delayed

This alert indicates that the rate at which integrity monitoring information is collected has been temporarily delayed. The delay is due to an increase in the volume of integrity monitoring data that is being transmitted from agents to Deep Security Manager. During this time the baseline and integrity monitoring event views may not be current for some computers.

This alert is automatically dismissed when the collection of integrity monitoring data is no longer delayed.

For more information about integrity monitoring, see ["Set up integrity monitoring" on page 705](#).

Alert: Manager Time Out of Sync

The system time on the Deep Security Manager operating system must be synchronized with the time on the database computer. This alert appears in the Alert Status widget of the manager console when the computer times are more than 30 seconds out of sync.

To synchronize the times, apply the following configurations:

- Configure the database and all manager nodes to use the same time zone.
- Ensure that the database and all manager nodes are synchronizing time to the same time

source.

- If the manager runs on a Linux operating system, ensure the ntpd daemon is running.

Alert: The memory warning threshold of Manager Node has been exceeded

The **Memory Warning Threshold Exceeded** or **Memory Critical Threshold Exceeded** alerts appear in Deep Security to alert you that a host's memory usage has exceeded a certain amount. A warning alert indicates that 70% of the host's memory is used, and a critical alert indicates that usage has exceeded 85%.

To resolve this issue, determine whether there are processes unexpectedly consuming a large amount of memory:

- If the identified process **is not Deep Security Manager**, remove or eliminate the processes from the host. Deep Security Manager should run on a dedicated host computer.
- If the process **is Deep Security Manager**, increase the amount of the host memory. Refer to ["Sizing" on page 201](#) for guidelines.

Note: By default, the maximum heap size of Deep Security Manager is 4 GB. That means Deep Security Manager allocates a maximum 4 GB heap; however, the JVM allocates not only heap but also non-heap. Consequently, the maximum total memory size of the Deep Security Manager process will be larger than 4 GB.

Note: If the host is a VM, we strongly suggest that you reserve all guest memory for the VM.

Event: Max TCP connections

Deep Security is configured to allow a maximum number of TCP connections to protected computers. When the number of connections exceeds the maximum, network traffic is dropped and Max TCP Connections firewall events occur. To prevent dropped connections, increase the maximum allowed TCP connections on the computer where the Max TCP Connection event occurs.

Note: The intrusion protection module enables the network engine which enforces the allowed number of TCP connections.

1. In Deep Security Manager, click **Policies**.
2. Determine which policy to configure to affect the computer in question. See "[Policies, inheritance, and overrides](#)" on page 434.
3. To open the policy that you want to configure, double-click the policy.
4. In the left-hand pane, click **Settings** and then click the **Advanced** tab.
5. In the **Advanced Network Engine Settings** area, if Inherit is selected clear the checkbox to enable changes.
6. Increase the value of the **Maximum TCP Connections** property to 10000 or more, according to your needs.
7. Click **Save**.

Warning: Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Disconnected

The Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Services are security services hosted by the Trend Micro Smart Protection Network. They are necessary for the full and successful operation of the Deep Security behavior monitoring, predictive machine learning, and process memory scan features.

The following table maps the services to features.

Service name	Required for these features
Global Census Service	behavior monitoring , predictive machine learning
Good File Reputation Service	behavior monitoring , predictive machine learning , process memory scans
Predictive Machine Learning Service	predictive machine learning

If you see the alert...

Census, Good File Reputation, and Predictive Machine Learning Service Disconnected

...there are a few causes:

- "[Cause 1: The agent or relay-enabled agent doesn't have Internet access](#)" on the next page
- "[Cause 2: A proxy was enabled but not configured properly](#)" on the next page

Cause 1: The agent or relay-enabled agent doesn't have Internet access

If your agent or relay-enabled agent doesn't have access to the Internet, then it can't reach these services.

Solutions:

- Check your firewall policies and ensure that the outbound HTTP and HTTPS ports (by default, 80 or 443) are open.
- If you are unable to open those ports, see ["Configure agents that have no internet access" on page 286](#) for other solutions.

Cause 2: A proxy was enabled but not configured properly

The Census, Good File Reputation and Predictive Machine Learning Services can be accessed using a proxy.

To check whether a proxy was enabled and make sure it was configured properly:

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹.
2. On the left, click Settings.
3. In the main pane, click the General tab.
4. Find the heading titled, **Network Setting for Census, Good File Reputation Service, and Predictive Machine Learning**.
5. If a proxy was specified, click **Edit** and make sure its **Proxy Protocol**, **Address**, **Port** and optional **User Name** and **Password** are accurate.

Warning: Insufficient disk space

An "Insufficient Disk Space" warning indicates that the computer where the Deep Security Agent or Appliance is running is low on disk space and may not be able to store more events. If you open the warning to display its details, it will show you the location of the agent or appliance, how much free space is left, and how much is required by the agent or appliance.

To fix this issue, check the drive or file system that's affected and clear anything you can.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Note: The agent or appliance will continue to protect your instance even if the drive is out of space; however, it will stop recording events.

Tips

- Even though the warning is generated by the Deep Security Agent or Appliance, another program that shares the same file system could be causing the space issue.
- Deep Security Agent automatically truncates and rotates its log files.
- Deep Security Agent will clean up its own log files, but not those of other applications.
- Deep Security Manager does not automatically clear the "Insufficient Disk Space" warnings, but you can manually clear them from Deep Security Manager.

Warning: Reconnaissance Detected

The reconnaissance scan detection feature serves as an early warning of a potential attack or intelligence gathering effort against a network.

Types of reconnaissance scans

Deep Security can detect several types of reconnaissance scans:

- **Computer OS Fingerprint Probe:** The agent or appliance detects an attempt to discover the computer's OS.
- **Network or Port Scan:** The agent or appliance reports a network or port scan if it detects that a remote IP is visiting an abnormal ratio of IPs to ports. Normally, an agent or appliance computer will only see traffic destined for itself, so a port scan is the most common type of probe that will be detected. The statistical analysis method used in computer or port scan detection is derived from the "TAPS" algorithm proposed in the paper "Connectionless Port Scan Detection on the Backbone" presented at IPCCC in 2006.
- **TCP Null Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packages with no flags set.
- **TCP SYNFIN Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packets with only the SYN and FIN flags set.
- **TCP Xmas Scan:** The agent or appliance detects packets with only the FIN, URG, and PSH flags set or a value of 0xFF (every possible flag set).

Suggested actions

When you receive a Reconnaissance Detected alert, double-click it to display more detailed information, including the IP address that is performing the scan. Then, you can try one of these suggested actions:

- The alert may be caused by a scan that is not malicious. If the IP address listed in the alert is known to you and the traffic is okay, you can add the IP address to the reconnaissance allow list:
 - a. In the **Computer or Policy editor**¹, go to **Firewall > Reconnaissance**.
 - b. The **Do not perform detection on traffic coming from** list should contain a list name. If a list name hasn't already been specified, select one.
 - c. You can edit the list by going to **Policies > Common Objects > Lists > IP Lists**. Double-click the list you want to edit and add the IP address.
- You can instruct the agents and appliances to block traffic from the source IP for a period of time. To set the number of minutes, open the **Computer or Policy editor**², go to **Firewall > Reconnaissance** and change the **Block Traffic** value for the appropriate scan type.
- You can use a firewall or Security Group to block the incoming IP address.

Note: Deep Security Manager does not automatically clear the "Reconnaissance Detected" alerts, but you can manually clear the issue from Deep Security Manager.

For more information on reconnaissance scans, see ["Firewall settings" on page 685](#).

Create and manage users

Deep Security has users, roles, and contacts that can be created and managed under **Administration > User Management**.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

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- **Users** are Deep Security account holders who can sign in to the Deep Security Manager with a unique user name and password. You can ["Synchronize with an Active Directory" below](#) or ["Add or edit an individual user" on the next page](#)
- **Roles** are a collection of permissions to view data and perform operations within Deep Security Manager. Each user is assigned a role. See ["Define roles for users" on page 1106](#).
- **Contacts** do not have a user account and cannot sign in to Deep Security Manager but they can be designated as the recipients of email notifications and scheduled reports. See ["Add users who can only receive reports" on page 1122](#).

Synchronize with an Active Directory

If you use Active Directory to manage users, you can synchronize Deep Security with the Active Directory to populate the user list. Users can then sign into Deep Security Manager using the password stored in the directory.

Note: To successfully import an Active Directory user account into Deep Security as a Deep Security user or contact, the Active Directory user account must have a **userPrincipalName** attribute value. The **userPrincipalName** attribute corresponds to an Active Directory account holder's "User logon name".

Note: If you are using Deep Security in FIPS mode, you must import the Active Directory's SSL certificate before synchronizing with the Directory. See ["Manage trusted certificates" on page 296](#).

1. In Deep Security Manager go to **Administration > User Management > Users**.
2. Click **Synchronize with Directory** to display the **Synchronize with Directory** wizard.
3. Type the address of the directory server and your access credentials and click **Next**. The wizard attempts to connect to the Active Directory.

Note: If you are using Deep Security in FIPS mode, click **Test Connection** in the Trusted Certificate section to check whether the Active Directory's SSL certificate has been imported successfully into Deep Security Manager.

The wizard displays a page asking you to select Active Directory groups.

4. Enter an Active Directory group name or part of a group name into the search field and press enter. Move the group to the **Groups to synchronize** pane using the **>>** button. The manager will import the users in these Active Directory groups to the manager's **Users** list.

Once they have been imported, you are given the option to create a scheduled task to periodically synchronize with the directory to keep your list up to date.

The imported list of users are locked out of the Deep Security Manager by default. You will have to modify their properties to allow them to sign in to the Deep Security Manager.

Note: If you delete a user from Deep Security Manager who was added as a result of synchronizing with an Active Directory and then resynchronize with the directory, the user will reappear in your user list if they are still in the Active Directory.

Add or edit an individual user

1. In Deep Security Manager go to **Administration > User Management > Users**.
2. Click **New** to add a new user or double-click an existing user account to edit its settings.
3. Specify the general properties for the user, including:
 - **Username:** The username that the user will enter on the Deep Security Manager login screen.
 - **Password** and **Confirm Password:** Note the password requirements listed in the dialog box. You can password requirements in the user security settings (see ["Enforce user password rules" on page 850](#)).
 - **Name:** (Optional) The name of the account holder.
 - **Description:** (Optional) A description of the account.
 - **Role:** Use the list to assign a predefined role to this user. You can also assign a role to a user from the Users list, by right-clicking a user and then clicking **Assign roles**.

Note: The Deep Security Manager comes preconfigured with two roles: Full Access and Auditor. The Full Access role grants users all possible privileges for managing the Deep Security system, such as creating, editing, and deleting computers, computer groups, policies, rules, and so on. The auditor role gives users the ability to view all of the information in the Deep Security system but not the ability to make any modifications except to their personal settings (password, contact information, view preferences, and so on). Roles with various levels of system access rights can be created and modified on the Roles page or by selecting **New** in the **Role** list.

- **Language:** The language that will be used in the interface when this user logs in.

- **Time zone:** Time zone where the user is located. This time zone is used when displaying dates and times in the Deep Security Manager.
 - **Time format:** Time format used to display time in the Deep Security Manager. You can use 12-hour or 24-hour format.
 - **Password never expires:** When this option is selected, the user's password will never expire. Otherwise, it will expire as specified in the user security settings (see ["Enforce user password rules" on page 850](#))
4. If you want to enable multi-factor authentication (MFA), click **Enable MFA**. If MFA is already enabled for this user, you can select **Disable MFA** to disable it. For details, see ["Set up multi-factor authentication" on page 852](#).
 5. Click the **Contact information** tab and enter any contact information that you have for the user and also indicate if they are your primary contact or not. You can also check the **Receive Alert Emails** check box to include this user in the list of users who receive email notifications when alerts are triggered.
 6. You can also edit the settings on the **Settings** tab. However, increasing some of these values will affect Deep Security Manager performance. If you make changes and aren't happy with the results, you can click **Reset to Default Settings** (at the bottom of the tab) to reset all settings on this page to their default values:

Module

- **Hide Unlicensed Modules:** This setting determines whether unlicensed modules will be hidden rather than simply grayed out for this User. This option can be set globally on the **Administration > System Settings > Advanced** tab.

Refresh Rate

- **Status Bar:** This setting determines how often the status bar of the Deep Security Manager refreshes during various operations such as discovering or scanning computers.
- **Alerts List/Summary:** How often to refresh the data on the Alerts page in List view or Summary view.
- **Computers List:** How often to refresh the data on the Computers page.

Note: The **Last Successful Update** column value will not be recalculated unless the page is manually reloaded.

- **Computer Details:** The frequency with which an individual computer's property page refreshes itself with the latest information (if required).

List Views

- **Remember last Tag filter on each page:** Events pages let you filter displayed events by Tag(s). This List Views setting determines if the "Tag" filter setting is retained when you navigate away from and return to an Events page.
- **Remember last Time filter on each page:** Events pages let you filter displayed events by Time period and computer(s). These List Views settings determine if the "Period" and "Computer" filter settings are retained when you navigate away from and return to an Events page.
- **Remember last Computer filter on each page:** Events pages let you filter displayed events by Time period and computer(s). These List Views settings determine if the "Period" and "Computer" filter settings are retained when you navigate away from and return to an Events page.
- **Remember last Advanced Search on each page:** If you have performed an "Advanced Search" on an Events page, this setting will determine if the search results are kept if you navigate away from and return to the page.
- **Number of items to show on a single page:** Screens that display lists of items will display a certain number of items per "Page". To view the next page, you must use the pagination controls. Use this setting to change the number of list-items displayed per page.
- **Maximum number of items to retrieve from database:** This setting limits the number of items that can be retrieved from the database for display. This prevents the possibility of the Deep Security Manager getting bogged down trying to display an excessive number of results from a database query. If a query produces more than this many results, a message will appear at the top of the display informing you that only a portion of the results are being displayed.

Note: Increasing these values will affect Deep Security Manager performance.

Reports

- **Enable PDF Encryption:** When this option is selected, reports exported in PDF format will be password protected with the **Report Password**.

Change a user's password

To change a user's password, click **Administration > User Management > Users**, right-click the user, and click **Set Password**. You will be prompted for the old password as well as the new password.

Lock out a user or reset a logout

If a user enters the wrong password too many times when trying to sign in, they will be locked out automatically. If you have resolved the situation and want to allow the user the log in, see ["Unlock a locked out user name" on page 1124](#).

View system events associated with a user

To see any system events associated with a user, click **Administration > User Management > Users**, right-click the user, and click **View System Events**.

Delete a user

To remove a user account from Deep Security Manager, click **Administration > User Management > Users**, click the user, and then click **Delete**.

Note: If you delete a user from Deep Security Manager who was added as a result of synchronizing with an Active Directory and then resynchronize with the directory, the user will reappear in your user list if they are still in the Active Directory.

Define roles for users

Deep Security uses role-based access control (RBAC) to restrict user permissions to parts of Deep Security. Access rights and editing privileges are attached to roles and not to users. Once you have installed Deep Security Manager, you should create individual accounts for each user and assign each user a role that will restrict their activities to all but those necessary for the completion of their duties. To change the access rights and editing privileges of an individual user, you must assign a different role to the user or edit the role.

The access that roles have to computers and policies can be restricted to subsets of computers and policies. For example, users can be permitted to view all existing computers, but only permitted to modify those in a particular group.

Deep Security comes preconfigured with two roles:

- **Full Access:** The full access role grants the user all possible privileges in terms of managing the Deep Security system including creating, editing, and deleting computers, computer groups, policies, rules, malware scan configurations, and others.
- **Auditor:** The auditor role gives the user the ability to view all the information in the Deep Security system but without the ability to make any modifications except to their own personal settings, such as password, contact information, dashboard layout preferences, and others.

Note: Depending on the level of access granted, controls in Deep Security Manager will be either visible and changeable, visible but disabled, or hidden. For a list of the rights granted in the preconfigured roles, as well as the default rights settings when creating a new role, see ["Default settings for full access, auditor, and new roles" on page 1115](#).

You can create new roles that can restrict users from editing or even seeing Deep Security objects such as specific computers, the properties of security rules, or the system settings.

Before creating user accounts, identify the roles that your users will take and itemize what Deep Security objects those roles will require access to and what the nature of that access will be (viewing, editing, creating, and so on). Once you have created your roles, you can then begin creating user accounts and assigning them specific roles.

Note: Do not create a new role by duplicating and then modifying the full access role. To ensure that a new role only grants the rights you intend, create the new role by clicking **New** in the toolbar. The rights for a new role are set at the most restrictive settings by default. You can then proceed to grant only the rights that are required. If you duplicate the full access role and then apply restrictions, you risk granting some rights that you did not intend.

Clicking **New** () or **Properties** () displays the **Role properties window** with six tabs (**General**, **Computer Rights**, **Policy Rights**, **User Rights**, **Other Rights**, and **Assigned To**).

Add or edit a role

1. In Deep Security Manager go to **Administration > User Management > Roles**.
2. Click **New** to add a new role or double-click an existing role to edit its settings.
3. Specify the general properties for the role, including:
 - **Name:** The name of the role, which will appear on the Roles page and in the list of available roles when adding a user.
 - **Description:** (Optional) A description of the role.
 - **Access Type:** Select whether users with this role will have access to Deep Security Manager, the Deep Security Manager Web service API (applies to the legacy SOAP and REST APIs), or both.
 - **Note:** To enable the legacy SOAP and REST Web service APIs, go to **Administration > System Settings > Advanced > SOAP Web Service API**.
4. Use the **Computer Rights** pane to confer viewing, editing, deleting, alert-dismissal, and event tagging rights to users in a role. These rights can apply to all computers and computer groups or they can be restricted to only certain computers. If you wish to restrict access, select the **Selected Computers** radio button and put a check next to the computer groups and computers that users in this role will have access to.
5. **Note:** These rights restrictions will affect not only the user's access to computers in Deep Security Manager, but also what information is visible, including events and alerts. As well, email notifications will only be sent if they relate to data that the user has access rights to.

General **Computer Rights** **Policy Rights** **User Rights** **Other Rights** **Assigned To**

Computer and Group Rights

Allow Users to:

☒ View

☐ Edit

☐ Delete

☐ Dismiss Alerts for

☐ Tag Items for

☒ All Computers

☐ Selected Computers:

☒ Computers

> ☒ Laptops

> ☒ Network Appliances

✓ ☒ Servers

☒ Allow viewing of non-selected computers and data (e.g. events, reports)

☒ Allow viewing of events and alerts not related to computers

☐ Allow new computers to be created in selected Groups

☐ Allow sub-groups to be added or removed in selected Groups

Advanced Rights

☐ Allow computer file imports

☐ Allow Directories to be added, removed and synchronized

☐ Allow VMware vCenters to be added, removed and synchronized

☐ Allow Cloud Accounts to be added, removed and synchronized

OK Cancel Apply

Four basic options are available:

- **Allow viewing of non-selected computers and data:** If users in this role have restricted edit, delete, or dismiss-alerts rights, you can still allow them to view but not change information about other computers by checking this box.
- **Allow viewing of events and alerts not related to computers:** Set this option to allow users in this role to view non-computer-related information (for example, system events, like users being locked out, new firewall rules being created, IP Lists being

deleted, and so on)

Note: The previous two settings affect the data that users have access to. Although the ability of a user to make changes to computers have been restricted, these two settings control whether they can see information relating to computers they don't otherwise have access to. This includes receiving email notifications related to those computers.

- **Allow new computers to be created in selected Groups:** Set this option to allow users in this role to create new computers in the computer groups they have access to.
- **Allow sub-groups to be added/removed in selected Groups:** Set this option to allow users in this role to create and delete subgroups within the computer groups they have access to.

You can also enable these in the Advanced Rights section:

- **Allow computer file imports:** Allow Users in this Role to import computers using files created using the Deep Security Manager's **Computer Export** option.
 - **Allow Directories to be added, removed and synchronized:** Allow Users in this Role to add, remove, and synchronize computers that are being managed using an LDAP-based directory like MS Active Directory.
 - **Allow VMware vCenters to be added, removed and synchronized:** Allow Users in this Role to add, remove and synchronize VMware vCenters.
 - **Allow Cloud Providers to be added, removed, and synchronized:** Allow Users in this Role to add, remove, and synchronize Cloud Providers.
6. Use the **Policy Rights** tab to confer viewing, editing, and deleting rights to users in a role. These rights can apply to all policies or they can be restricted to only certain policies. If you wish to restrict access, click **Selected Policies** and put a check mark next to the policies that users in this role will have access to.

General	Computer Rights	Policy Rights	User Rights	Other Rights	Assigned To
Policy Rights Allow Users to:  ☒ View ☐ Edit ☐ Delete ☒ All Policies ☐ Selected Policies ☐ Policies ☒ Base Policy ☒ Deep Security ☐ Deep Security Manager ☐ Deep Security Virtual Appliance ☐ Linux Server ☐ Solaris Server ☒ Windows ☐ Windows 10 Desktop ☐ Windows 7 Desktop ☐ Windows 8 Desktop ☐ Windows Anti-Malware Protection ☐ Windows Mobile Laptop ☒ Allow viewing of non-selected Policies ☐ Allow new Policies to be created					
Advanced Rights ☐ Allow Policy imports					
OK Cancel Apply					

When you allow rights to a policy that has "child" policies, users automatically get rights to the child policies as well.

Two basic options are available:

- **Allow viewing of non-selected Policies:** If users in this role have restricted edit or delete rights, you can still allow them to view but not change information about other policies by checking this box.

- **Allow new Policies to be created:** Set this option to allow users in this role to create new policies.

You can also enabled this in the Advanced Rights section:

- **Allow Policy imports:** Allow users in this role to import policies using files created with the Deep Security Manager **Export** option on the **Policies** tab.

7. The options on the **User Rights** tab allow you to define permissions for administrator accounts.

The screenshot shows a configuration window with a tabbed interface. The tabs are: General, Computer Rights, Policy Rights, User Rights (selected), Other Rights, and Assigned To. The 'User Rights' tab is active, displaying the title 'User Rights' and the label 'Allow Users to:'. Below this, there are four radio button options: 'Change own password and contact information only' (selected), 'Create and manage Users with equal or less access', 'Have full control over all Roles and Users', and 'Custom'. At the bottom right of the window, there are three buttons: 'OK', 'Cancel', and 'Apply'.

- **Change own password and contact information only:** Users in this role can change their own password and contact information only.
- **Create and manage Users with equal or less access:** Users in this role can create and manage any users who do not have any privileges greater than theirs. If there is even a single privilege that exceeds those of the users with this role, the users with this role will not be able to create or manage them.
- **Have full control over all Roles and Users:** Gives users in this role the ability to create and edit and users or roles without restrictions. Be careful when using this option. If you assign it to a role, you may give a user with otherwise restricted privileges the ability to create and then sign in as a user with full unrestricted access to all aspects of the Deep Security Manager.
- **Custom:** You can further restrict the ability of a user to view, create, edit, or delete users and roles by selecting **Custom** and using the options in the **Custom Rights** section. Some options may be restricted for certain users if the **Can only manipulate Users with equal or lesser rights** option is selected.

The **Can only manipulate Users with equal or lesser rights** option limits the authority of users in this role. They will only be able to effect changes to users that have equal or lesser rights than themselves. Users in this Role will not be able to create, edit, or delete roles. Selecting this option also places restrictions on some of the options in the **Custom Rights** section:

- **Can Create New Users:** Can only create users with equal or lesser rights.
 - **Can Edit User Properties:** Can only edit a user (or set or reset password) with equal or lesser rights.
 - **Can Delete Users:** Can only delete users with equal or lesser rights.
8. The **Other Rights** tab enables you to restrict roles' permissions so that they can only access specific Deep Security features, and sometimes specific actions with those features. This can be useful if, for example, you have a team of administrators, and you want to make sure that they don't accidentally overwrite each others' work. By default, roles are **View Only** or **Hide** for each feature. To allow to full control or customized access, select **Custom** from the

list.

GeneralComputer RightsPolicy RightsUser RightsOther RightsAssigned To

Other Rights

Alerts

View-Only

Alert Configuration

View-Only

IP Lists

View-Only

Port Lists

View-Only

Schedules

View-Only

System Settings (Global)

Hide

System Information

Hide

Diagnostics

View-Only

Tagging

View-Only

Tasks

Hide

Multi-Tenant Administration

View-Only

Scan Cache Configuration Administration

View-Only

Contacts

Hide

Licenses

Hide

OKCancelApply

9. The **Assigned To** tab displays a list of the users who have been assigned this role. If you want to test that roles are working correctly, sign in as a newly created user and verify the functionality.

Default settings for full access, auditor, and new roles

The following table identifies the default rights settings for the full access role and the auditor role. Also listed are the rights settings that are in place when creating a new role by clicking New in the toolbar on the Roles page.

RIGHTS	SETTINGS BY ROLE		
General	Full Access Role	Auditor Role	New Role Defaults
Access to DSM User Interface	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
Access to Web Service API	Allowed	Allowed	Not allowed
Computer Rights	Full Access Role	Auditor Role	New Role Defaults
View	Allowed, All Computers	Allowed, All Computers	Allowed, All Computers
Edit	Allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers
Delete	Allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers
Dismiss Alerts for	Allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers
Tag Items for	Allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers	Not allowed, All Computers
Allow viewing of non-selected computers and data (e.g. events, reports)	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed, All Computers
Allow viewing of events and alerts not related to computers	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed, All Computers

RIGHTS	SETTINGS BY ROLE		
Allow new computers to be created in selected Groups	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Allow sub-groups to be added or removed in selected Groups	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Allow computer file imports	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Allow Cloud Accounts to be added, removed and synchronized	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Policy Rights	Full Access Role	Auditor Role	New Role Defaults
View	Allowed, All Policies	Allowed, All Policies	Allowed, All Policies
Edit	Allowed, All Policies	Not allowed, All Policies	Not allowed, All Policies
Delete	Allowed, All Policies	Not allowed, All Policies	Not allowed, All Policies
View non-selected Policies	Allowed	Allowed	Allowed
Create new Policies	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Import Policies	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
User Rights (See note on User rights below)	Full Access Role	Auditor Role	New Role Defaults

RIGHTS	SETTINGS BY ROLE		
View Users	Allowed	Allowed	Not allowed
Create Users	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Edit User Properties	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Delete Users	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
View Roles	Allowed	Allowed	Not allowed
Create Roles	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Edit Role Properties	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Delete Roles	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Delegate Authority	Allowed	Not allowed	Not allowed
Other Rights	Full Access Role	Auditor Role	New Role Defaults
Alerts	Full (Can Dismiss Global Alerts)	View-Only	View-Only
Alert Configuration	Full (Can Edit Alert Configurations)	View-Only	View-Only
IP Lists	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Port Lists	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Schedules	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
System Settings (Global)	Full (Can View, Edit System Settings (Global))	View-Only	Hide
Diagnostics	Full (Can Create Diagnostic Packages)	View-Only	View-Only

RIGHTS	SETTINGS BY ROLE		
Tagging	Full (Can Tag (Items not belonging to Computers), Can Delete Tags, Can Update Non-Owned Auto-Tag Rules, Can Run Non-Owned Auto-Tag Rules, Can Delete Non-Owned Auto-Tag Rules)	View-Only	View-Only
Tasks	Full (Can View, Add, Edit, Delete Tasks, Execute Tasks)	View-Only	Hide
Multi-Tenant Administration	Full	Hide	View-Only
Scan Cache Configuration Administration	Full	View-Only	View-Only
Contacts	Full (Can View, Create, Edit, Delete Contacts)	View-Only	Hide
Licenses	Full (Can View, Change License)	View-Only	Hide
Updates	Full (Can Add, Edit, Delete Software; Can View Update For Components; Can Download, Import, Apply Update Components; Can Delete Deep Security Rule Updates)	View-Only	Hide
Asset Values	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete Asset Values)	View-Only	View-Only
Certificates	Full (Can Create, Delete SSL Certificates)	View-Only	View-Only
Relay Groups	Full	View-Only	View-Only
Proxy	Full	View-Only	View-Only
SAML Identity Providers	Full	Hide	Hide

RIGHTS	SETTINGS BY ROLE		
Malware Scan Configuration	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete Malware Scan Configuration)	View-Only	View-Only
Quarantined File	Full (Can Delete, Download Quarantined File)	View-Only	View-Only
Web Reputation Configuration	Full	View-Only	View-Only
Directory Lists	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
File Lists	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
File Extension Lists	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Firewall Rules	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete Firewall Rules)	View-Only	View-Only
Firewall Stateful Configurations	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete Firewall Stateful Configurations)	View-Only	View-Only
Intrusion Prevention Rules	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Application Types	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
MAC Lists	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Contexts	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Integrity Monitoring Rules	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Log Inspection Rules	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only
Log Inspection Decoders	Full (Can Create, Edit, Delete)	View-Only	View-Only

The custom settings corresponding to the **Change own password and contact information only** option are listed in the following table:

Custom settings corresponding to "Change own password and contact information only" option	
Users	
Can View Users	Not allowed
Can Create New Users	Not allowed
Can Edit User Properties (User can always edit select properties of own account)	Not allowed
Can Delete Users	Not allowed
Roles	
Can View Roles	Not allowed
Can Create New Roles	Not allowed
Can Edit Role Properties (Warning: conferring this right will let Users with this Role edit their own rights)	Not allowed
Can Delete Roles	Not allowed
Delegate Authority	
Can only manipulate Users with equal or lesser rights	Not allowed

The custom settings corresponding to the **Create and manage Users with equal or less access** option are listed in the following table:

Custom settings corresponding to "Create and manage Users with equal or less access" option	
Users	
Can View Users	Allowed
Can Create New Users	Allowed
Can Edit User Properties (User can always edit select	Allowed

Custom settings corresponding to "Create and manage Users with equal or less access" option	
properties of own account)	
Can Delete Users	Allowed
Roles	
Can View Roles	Not allowed
Can Create New Roles	Not allowed
Can Edit Role Properties (Warning: conferring this right will let Users with this Role edit their own rights)	Not allowed
Can Delete Roles	Not allowed
Delegate Authority	
Can only manipulate Users with equal or lesser rights	Allowed

The custom settings corresponding to the **Have full control over all Roles and Users** option are listed in the following table:

Custom settings corresponding to "Have full control over all Roles and Users" option	
Users	
Can View Users	Allowed
Can Create New Users	Allowed
Can Edit User Properties (User can always edit select properties of own account)	Allowed
Can Delete Users	Allowed
Roles	
Can View Roles	Allowed

Custom settings corresponding to "Have full control over all Roles and Users" option	
Can Create New Roles	Allowed
Can Edit Role Properties (Warning: conferring this right will let Users with this Role edit their own rights)	Allowed
Can Delete Roles	Allowed
Delegate Authority	
Can only manipulate Users with equal or lesser rights	Not applicable

Add users who can only receive reports

"Contacts" are users who cannot sign in to the Deep Security Manager but can periodically be sent reports (using scheduled tasks). Contacts can be assigned a "clearance" level that maps to existing roles. When a contact is sent a report, the report will not contain any information not accessible to a user of the same level. For example, three contacts may each be listed as the recipients of a weekly summary report but the contents of the three reports could be entirely different for each contact depending on their computer rights.

Add or edit a contact

1. In Deep Security Manager go to **Administration > User Management > Contacts**.
2. Click **New** to add a new contact or double-click an existing contact to edit its settings.
3. In the **General Information** section, specify the name, description, and preferred language of this contact.
4. In the **Contact Information** section, enter the email address to which reports will be sent if this contact is included in a report distribution list. (See the **Reports** page for more information.)
5. In the **Clearance** section, specify the role that determines the information this contact will be allowed to see. For example, if a computer report has been scheduled to be sent to this contact, only information on the computers that his role permits him access to will be included in the report.
6. In the **Password Protected Reports** section, select **Reports generated by this user are password protected** to password-protect exported PDF reports with the **Report Password**.

Delete a contact

To remove a contact from Deep Security Manager, click **Administration > User Management > Contacts**, click the contact, and then click **Delete**.

Create an API key for a user

To use the Deep Security Manager API, you will need an API key.

Note: API keys can only be used with the new ["Use the Deep Security API to automate tasks" on page 344](#) available in Deep Security Manager 11.1 and later.

Note: Trend Micro recommends creating one API key for every user needing API access to the Deep Security Manager.

Tip: You can automate API key creation using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Create and Manage API Keys](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

To create a new API key:

1. Go to **Administration > User Management > API Keys**.
2. Click **New**.
3. In the Properties window, enter a **Name** and **Description** for the API key.
4. Click on the **Role** list and select a role. **Auditor** grants read-only access to the Deep Security Manager through the API, while **Full Access** grants both read and write access. If you need more specific roles for API key users, you can select **New** and define one. See ["Define roles for users" on page 1106](#) for more information on doing so.
5. Select a **Language**.
6. Select a **Time Zone**.
7. Optionally select **Expires on** and select an expiry date for the API key.
8. Click **OK**.
9. Copy the **Secret key value**.

Note: Make sure to copy the secret key value now, this is the only time it will be shown.

Lock out an existing API key

If an existing API key has been compromised you can lock it out:

1. Double click on the API key you want to lock out.
2. Optionally select **Locked Out (Denied permission to authenticate)** to block usage of the API key.
3. Click **OK**.

Unlock a locked out user name

If you have attempted to sign in multiple times to Deep Security Manager with an incorrect password, your user account will be locked out. The number of sign-in attempts allowed before lock out is configured in **Administration > System Settings > Security > Number of incorrect sign-in attempts allowed (before lock out)**.

You can unlock users in different ways, depending on the following situations:

- If an administrator user is available, see ["Unlock users as an administrator" below](#).
- If all the administrative users are locked out, see ["Unlock administrative users from a command line" below](#).

Unlock users as an administrator

1. Log in to Deep Security Manager with a working administrator user name and password.
2. Go to **Administration > User Management > Users**. Select the user you want to unlock, right-click, and click **Properties**.
3. In the wizard, go to **General > Sign-In Credentials**. Deselect the **Locked Out (Denied permission to sign in)** check box.
4. Click **Save**.

Unlock administrative users from a command line

1. Go to your local command line interface.

If your Deep Security Manager is Windows, go to the `..\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep security Manager` directory.

If your Deep Security Manager is Linux, go to the `/opt/dsm` directory.

2. Enter the following command:

```
dsm_c -action unlockout -username <username>
```


Implement SAML single sign-on (SSO)

Note: SAML single sign-on is not available when FIPS mode is enabled. See ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#).

To implement SAML single sign-on, see ["Configure SAML single sign-on" on page 1127](#) or ["Configure SAML single sign-on with Azure Active Directory" on page 1133](#).

What are SAML and single sign-on?

Security Assertion Markup Language (or **SAML**) is an open authentication standard that allows for the secure exchange of user identity information from one party to another. SAML supports **single sign-on**, a technology that allows for a single user login to work across multiple applications and services. For Deep Security, implementing SAML single sign-on means that users signing in to your organization's portal would be able to seamlessly sign in to Deep Security without an existing Deep Security account.

How SAML single sign-on works in Deep Security

Establishing a trust relationship

In SAML single sign-on, a trust relationship is established between two parties: the **identity provider** and the **service provider**. The identity provider has the user identity information stored on a directory server. The service provider (which in this case is Deep Security) uses the identity provider's user identities for its own authentication and account creation.

The identity provider and the service provider establish trust by exchanging a **SAML metadata document** with one another.

Note: At this time, Deep Security supports **only** the HTTP POST binding of the SAML 2.0 identity provider (IdP)-initiated login flow, and not the service provider (SP)-initiated login flow

Creating Deep Security accounts from user identities

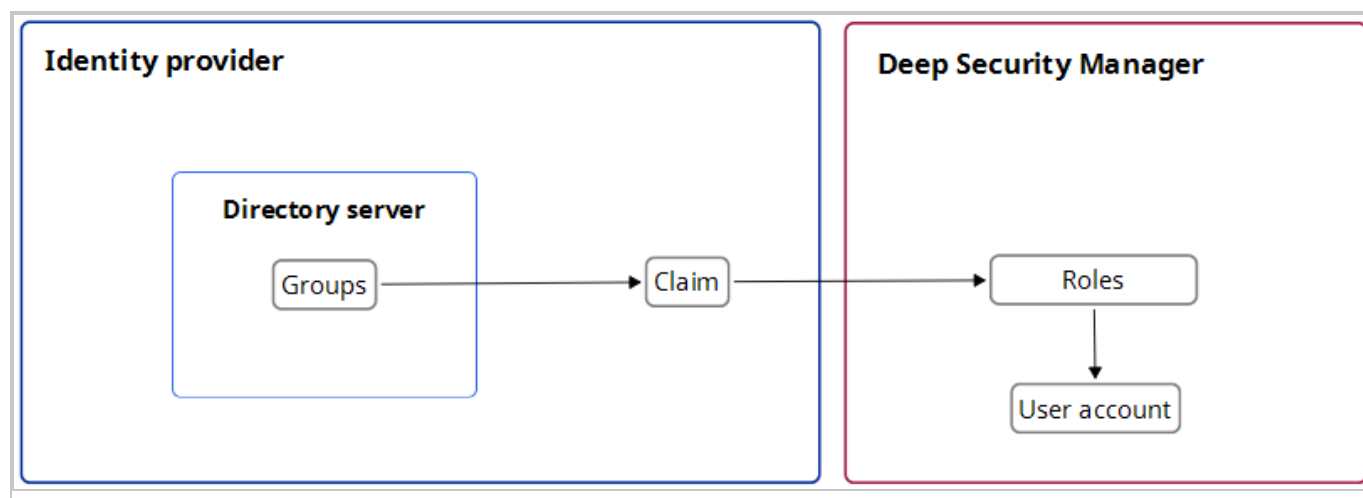
Once Deep Security and the identity provider have exchanged SAML metadata documents and established a trust relationship, Deep Security can access the user identities on the identity provider's directory server. However, before Deep Security can actually create accounts from the user identities, account types need to be defined and instructions for transforming the data format need to be put in place. This is done using **groups**, **roles** and **claims**.

Groups and roles specify the tenant and access permissions that a Deep Security user account will have. Groups are created on the identity provider's directory server. The identity provider assigns user identities to one or more of the groups. Roles are created in the Deep Security Manager. There must be both a group and a role for each Deep Security account type, and their access permissions and tenant assignment must match.

Once there are matching groups and roles for each user type, the group data format needs to be transformed into a format Deep Security can understand. This is done by the identity provider with a claim. The claim contains instructions for transforming the group data format into the matching Deep Security role.

Tip: Learn more about the ["SAML claims structure" on page 1130](#) required by Deep Security.

Below is a representation of this process:



Implement SAML single sign-on in Deep Security

Once trust has been established between Deep Security and an identity provider with a SAML metadata document exchange, matching groups and roles have been created, and a claim put in place to translate the group data into roles, Deep Security can use SAML single sign-on to automatically make Deep Security accounts for users signing in through your organization's portal.

For more information on implementing SAML single sign-on, see ["Configure SAML single sign-on" on the next page](#).

Configure SAML single sign-on

Note: SAML single sign-on is not available when FIPS mode is enabled. See ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#).

When you configure Deep Security to use SAML single sign-on (SSO), users signing in to your organization's portal can seamlessly sign in to Deep Security without an existing Deep Security account. SAML single sign-on also makes it possible to implement user authentication access control features such as:

- Password strength or change enforcement.
- One-Time Password (OTP).
- Two-Factor Authentication (2FA) or Multi-Factor Authentication (MFA).

For a more detailed explanation of Deep Security's implementation of the SAML standard, see ["Implement SAML single sign-on \(SSO\)" on page 1125](#). If you are using Azure Active Directory as your identity provider, see ["Configure SAML single sign-on with Azure Active Directory" on page 1133](#).

Note: At this time, Deep Security supports **only** the HTTP POST binding of the SAML 2.0 identity provider (IdP)-initiated login flow, and not the service provider (SP)-initiated login flow

To use SAML single sign-on with Deep Security, you will need to do the following:

1. ["Configure pre-set up requirements" below](#)
2. ["Configure Deep Security as a SAML service provider" on the next page](#)
3. ["Configure SAML in Deep Security" on page 1129](#)
4. ["Provide information for your identity provider administrator" on page 1129](#)
5. ["SAML claims structure" on page 1130](#)
6. ["Test SAML single sign-on" on page 1132](#)
7. ["Service and identity provider settings" on page 1133](#)

Configure pre-set up requirements

1. Ensure your Deep Security Manager is functioning properly.
2. Contact the identity provider administrator to:
 - Establish a naming convention for mapping directory server groups to Deep Security roles.
 - Obtain their identity provider SAML metadata document.

- Ask them to add any required user authentication access control features to their policy.

Support is available to assist with the following identity providers that have been tested in Deep Security with SAML single sign-on:

- Active Directory Federation Services (ADFS)
- Okta
- PingOne
- Shibboleth

Configure Deep Security as a SAML service provider

Note: In multi-tenant Deep Security installations, only the primary tenant administrator can configure Deep Security as a SAML service provider.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > User Management > Identity Providers > SAML**.
2. Click **Get Started**.
3. Enter an **Entity ID** and a **Service Name**, and then click **Next**.

Note: The **Entity ID** is a unique identifier for the SAML service provider. The SAML specification recommends that the entity ID is a URL that contains the domain name of the entity, and industry practices use the SAML metadata URL as the entity ID. The SAML metadata is served from the /saml endpoint on the Deep Security Manager, so an example value might be `https://<DSMServerIP:4119>/saml`.

4. Select a certificate option, and click **Next**. The SAML service provider certificate is not used at this time, but would be used in the future to support service-provider-initiated login or single sign-out features. You can import a certificate by providing a PKCS #12 keystore file and password, or create a new self-signed certificate.
5. Follow the steps until you are shown a summary of your certificate details and then click **Finish**.

Configure SAML in Deep Security

Import your identity provider's SAML metadata document

Note: Your Deep Security account must have both administrator and "Create SAML identity provider" permissions.

1. On the Administration page, go to **User Management > Identity Providers > SAML**.
2. Click **Get Started**.
3. Click **Choose File**, select the SAML metadata document provided by your identity provider, and click **Next**.
4. Enter a **Name** for the identity provider, and then click **Finish**.

You will be brought to the Roles page.

Create Deep Security roles for SAML users

You need to create a role for each of your expected user types. Each role must have a corresponding group in your identity provider's directory server, and match the group's access permissions and tenant assignment.

Your identity provider's SAML integration will have a mechanism to transform group membership into SAML claims. Consult the documentation that came with your identity provider to learn more about claim rules.

For information on how to create roles, see ["Define roles for users" on page 1106](#).

Provide information for your identity provider administrator

Download the Deep Security Manager service provider SAML metadata document

1. On the Administration page, go to **User Management > Identity Providers > SAML**.
2. Under SAML Service Provider, click **Download**.
Your browser will download the Deep Security service provider SAML metadata document (`ServiceProviderMetadata.xml`).

Send URNs and the Deep Security SAML metadata document to the identity provider administrator

You need to give the identity provider administrator Deep Security's service provider SAML metadata document, the identity provider URN and the URN of each Deep Security role you created.

Tip:

To view role URNs, go to **Administration > User Management > Roles** and look under the URN column.

To view identity provider URNs, go to **Administration > User Management > Identity Providers > SAML > Identity Providers** and look under the URN column.

Once the identity provider administrator confirms they have created groups corresponding to the Deep Security roles and any required rules for transforming group membership into SAML claims, you are done with configuring SAML single sign-on.

Note: If necessary, you can inform the identity provider administrator about the ["SAML claims structure" below](#) required by Deep Security.

SAML claims structure

The following SAML claims are supported by Deep Security:

- ["Deep Security user name \(required\)" below](#)
- ["Deep Security user role \(required\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Maximum session duration \(optional\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Preferred language \(optional\)" on page 1132](#)

Deep Security user name (required)

The claim must have a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with a `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/RoleSessionName` and a single `AttributeValue` element. The Deep Security Manager will use the `AttributeValue` as the Deep Security user name.

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
    <AttributeStatement>
      <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/RoleSessionName">
        <AttributeValue>alice</AttributeValue>
      </Attribute>
    </AttributeStatement>
```

```
</Assertion>  
</samlp:Response>
```

Deep Security user role (required)

The claim must have a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with a `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/Role` and between one and ten `AttributeValue` elements. The Deep Security Manager uses the attribute value(s) to determine the tenant, identity provider, and role of the user. A single assertion may contain roles from multiple tenants.

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

Note: The line break in the `AttributeValue` element is present for readability; in the claim it must be on a single line.

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">  
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">  
    <AttributeStatement>  
      <Attribute  
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/Role">  
        <AttributeValue>urn:tmds:identity:[pod ID]:[tenant ID]:saml-  
provider/[IDP name],  
urn:tmds:identity:[pod ID]:[tenant ID]:role/[role  
name]</AttributeValue>  
      </Attribute>  
    </AttributeStatement>  
  </Assertion>  
</samlp:Response>
```

Maximum session duration (optional)

If the claim has a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with a `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/SessionDuration` and an integer-valued `AttributeValue` element, the session will automatically terminate when that amount of time (in seconds) has elapsed.

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">  
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
```

```
<AttributeStatement>
  <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/SessionDuration">
    <AttributeValue>28800</AttributeValue>
  </Attribute>
</AttributeStatement>
</Assertion>
</samlp:Response>
```

Preferred language (optional)

If the claim has a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with the `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/attributes/PreferredLanguage` and a string-valued `AttributeValue` element that is equal to one of the supported languages, the Deep Security Manager will use the value to set the user's preferred language.

The following languages are supported:

- `en-US` (US English)
- `ja-JP` (Japanese)

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
    <AttributeStatement>
      <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/PreferredLanguage">
        <AttributeValue>en-US</AttributeValue>
      </Attribute>
    </AttributeStatement>
  </Assertion>
</samlp:Response>
```

Test SAML single sign-on

Navigate to the single sign-on login page on the identity provider server, and log in to the Deep Security Manager from there. You should be redirected to the Deep Security Manager console. If SAML single sign-on is not functioning, follow the steps below:

Review the set-up

1. Review the ["Configure pre-set up requirements" on page 1127](#) section.
2. Ensure that the user is in the correct directory group.
3. Ensure that the identity provider and role URNs are properly configured in the identity provider federation service.

Create a Diagnostic Package

1. Go to **Administration > System Information** and click **Diagnostic Logging**.
2. Select **SAML integration Issues** and click **Save**.
3. Generate logs. Replicate the issue by logging in to the Deep Security Manager through your identity provider.
4. After the login fails, generate a diagnostic package by navigating to **Administration > System Information** and clicking on **Create Diagnostic Package**.
5. Once the diagnostic package has been created, navigate to <https://success.trendmicro.com> to open a Technical Support Case, and upload the diagnostic package during the case creation.

Service and identity provider settings

You can set how far in advance Deep Security will alert you to the expiry date of the server and identity provider certificates, as well as how much time must pass before inactive user accounts added through SAML single sign-on are automatically deleted.

To change these settings, go to **Administration > System Settings > Security > Identity Providers**.

Configure SAML single sign-on with Azure Active Directory

For a detailed explanation of Deep Security's implementation of the SAML standard, see ["Implement SAML single sign-on \(SSO\)" on page 1125](#). For instructions on configuring it with other identity providers, see ["Configure SAML single sign-on" on page 1127](#).

Note:

- SAML single sign-on is not available when FIPS mode is enabled. See ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#).
- At this time, Deep Security supports **only** the HTTP POST binding of the SAML 2.0 identity provider (IdP)-initiated login flow, and not the service provider (SP)-initiated login flow.

Who is involved in this process?

Typically, there are two people required to configure Deep Security Manager to use Azure Active Directory for SAML single sign-on (SSO): a Deep Security administrator and an Azure Active Directory administrator.

The Deep Security administrator must be assigned a Deep Security role with the **SAML Identity Providers** right set to either **Full** or to **Custom** with **Can Create New SAML Identity Providers** enabled.

These are the steps required to set up SAML single sign-on with Deep Security using Azure Active Directory, and the person who performs each step:

Step	Performed by
"Configure Deep Security as a SAML service provider" below	Deep Security administrator
"Download the Deep Security service provider SAML metadata document" on the next page	Deep Security administrator
"Configure Azure Active Directory" on the next page	Azure Active Directory administrator
"Configure SAML in Deep Security" on page 1136	Deep Security administrator
"Define a role in Azure Active Directory" on page 1137	Azure Active Directory administrator

Configure Deep Security as a SAML service provider

Note: In multi-tenant Deep Security installations, only the primary tenant administrator can configure Deep Security as a SAML service provider.

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > User Management > Identity Providers > SAML**.
2. Click **Get Started**.
3. Enter an **Entity ID** and a **Service Name**, and then click **Next**.

Note: The **Entity ID** is a unique identifier for the SAML service provider. The SAML specification recommends that the entity ID is a URL that contains the domain name of the entity, and industry practices use the SAML metadata URL as the entity ID. The SAML metadata is served from the /saml endpoint on the Deep Security Manager, so an example value might be `https://<DSMServerIP:4119>/saml`.

4. Select a certificate option, and click **Next**. The SAML service provider certificate is not used at this time, but would be used in the future to support service-provider-initiated login or single sign-out features. You can import a certificate by providing a PKCS #12 keystore file and password, or create a new self-signed certificate.
5. Follow the steps until you are shown a summary of your certificate details and then click **Finish**.

Download the Deep Security service provider SAML metadata document

In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > User Management > Identity Providers > SAML** and click **Download**. The file is downloaded as `ServiceProviderMetadata.xml`. Send the file to your Azure Active Directory administrator.

Configure Azure Active Directory

The steps in this section are performed by an Azure Active Directory administrator.

Refer to [Configure single sign-on to non-gallery applications in Azure Active Directory](#) for details on how to perform the steps below.

1. In the Azure Active Directory portal, add a new non-gallery application.
2. Configure single sign-on for the application. We recommend that you upload the metadata file, `ServiceProviderMetadata.xml`, that was downloaded from Deep Security Manager. Alternatively, you can enter a reply URL (the Deep Security Manager URL + `/saml`).
3. Configure SAML claims. Deep Security requires these two:
 - `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/RoleSessionName`
This is a unique user ID that will be the username in Deep Security. For example, you could use the User Principal Name (UPN).
 - `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/Role`
The format is "IDP URN,Role URN". The IDP has not been created in Deep Security Manager yet, so you can configure this SAML claim later, in ["Define a role in Azure Active Directory" on page 1137](#).

You can also configure other optional claims, as described in ["SAML claims structure" on the next page](#).

4. Download the **Federation Metadata XML** file and send it to the Deep Security administrator.

If there are multiple roles defined in Deep Security, repeat these steps to create a separate application for each role.

Configure SAML in Deep Security

Import the Azure Active Directory metadata document

1. In Deep Security Manager, go to **Administration > User Management > Identity Providers > SAML**.
2. Click **Get Started** or **New**.
3. Click **Choose File**, select the Federation Metadata XML file that was downloaded from Azure Active Directory and click **Next**.
4. Enter a **Name** for the identity provider, and then click **Finish**.

You will be brought to the **Roles** page.

Create Deep Security roles for SAML users

Make sure the **Administration > User Management > Roles** page in Deep Security contains appropriate roles for your organization. Users should be assigned a role that limits their activities to only those necessary for the completion of their duties. For information on how to create roles, see ["Define roles for users" on page 1106](#). Each Deep Security role requires a corresponding Azure Active Directory application.

Get URNs

In Deep Security Manager, gather this information, which you will need to provide to your Azure Active Directory administrator:

- the identity provider URN. To view identity provider URNs, go to **Administration > User Management > Identity Providers > SAML > Identity Providers** and check the URN column.
- the URN of the Deep Security role to associate with the Azure Active Directory application. To view role URNs, go to **Administration > User Management > Roles** and check the URN column. If you have multiple roles, you will need the URN for each role, because each one requires a separate Azure Active application.

Define a role in Azure Active Directory

The steps in this section must be performed by an Azure Active Directory administrator.

In Azure Active Directory, use the identity provider URN and role URN identified in the previous section to define the "role" attribute in the Azure application. This must be in the format "IDP URN,Role URN". See "Deep Security user role (required)" in the ["SAML claims structure" below](#) section.

Use the Validate button in Azure Active Directory to test the setup, or assign the new application to a user and test that it works.

Service and identity provider settings

You can set how far in advance Deep Security will alert you to the expiry date of the server and identity provider certificates, as well as how much time must pass before inactive user accounts added through SAML single sign-on are automatically deleted.

To change these settings, go to **Administration > System Settings > Security > Identity Providers**.

SAML claims structure

The following SAML claims are supported by Deep Security:

- ["Deep Security user name \(required\)" below](#)
- ["Deep Security user role \(required\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Maximum session duration \(optional\)" on the next page](#)
- ["Preferred language \(optional\)" on page 1139](#)

Deep Security user name (required)

The claim must have a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with a `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/RoleSessionName` and a single `AttributeValue` element. The Deep Security Manager will use the `AttributeValue` as the Deep Security user name.

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
```

```

    <AttributeStatement>
      <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/RoleSessionName">
        <AttributeValue>alice</AttributeValue>
      </Attribute>
    </AttributeStatement>
  </Assertion>
</samlp:Response>

```

Deep Security user role (required)

The claim must have a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with a `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/Role` and between one and ten `AttributeValue` elements. The Deep Security Manager uses the attribute value(s) to determine the tenant, identity provider, and role of the user. A single assertion may contain roles from multiple tenants.

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

Note: The line break in the `AttributeValue` element is present for readability; in the claim it must be on a single line.

```

<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
    <AttributeStatement>
      <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/Role">
        <AttributeValue>urn:tmds:identity:[pod ID]:[tenant ID]:saml-
provider/[IDP name],
          urn:tmds:identity:[pod ID]:[tenant ID]:role/[role
name]</AttributeValue>
      </Attribute>
    </AttributeStatement>
  </Assertion>
</samlp:Response>

```

Maximum session duration (optional)

If the claim has a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with a `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/SessionDuration` and an

integer-valued `AttributeValue` element, the session will automatically terminate when that amount of time (in seconds) has elapsed.

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
    <AttributeStatement>
      <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/SessionDuration">
        <AttributeValue>28800</AttributeValue>
      </Attribute>
    </AttributeStatement>
  </Assertion>
</samlp:Response>
```

Preferred language (optional)

If the claim has a SAML assertion that contains an `Attribute` element with the `Name` attribute of `https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/attributes/PreferredLanguage` and a string-valued `AttributeValue` element that is equal to one of the supported languages, the Deep Security Manager will use the value to set the user's preferred language.

The following languages are supported:

- `en-US` (US English)
- `ja-JP` (Japanese)

Sample SAML data (abbreviated)

```
<samlp:Response xmlns:samlp="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:protocol">
  <Assertion xmlns="urn:oasis:names:tc:SAML:2.0:assertion">
    <AttributeStatement>
      <Attribute
Name="https://deepsecurity.trendmicro.com/SAML/Attributes/PreferredLanguage">
        <AttributeValue>en-US</AttributeValue>
      </Attribute>
    </AttributeStatement>
```

```
</Assertion>  
</samlp:Response>
```

Navigate and customize Deep Security Manager

You can customize the Deep Security Manager console to suit your needs and to display useful information about your deployment.

- ["Group computers dynamically with smart folders" below](#)
- ["Customize the dashboard" on page 868](#)
- ["View active Deep Security Manager nodes" on page 1154](#)
- ["Check your license information" on page 801](#)

Group computers dynamically with smart folders

A smart folder is a dynamic group of computers that you define with a saved search query. It finds matching computers each time you click the group. For example, if you want to view your computers grouped by attributes such as operating system or AWS project tags, you can do this using smart folders.

Tip: If you prefer to search for resources programmatically, you can automate resource searches using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Search for Resources](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

You create smart folders by defining:

1. What to search (1 - computer properties)
2. How to determine a match (2 - operator)

3. What to search for (3 - value)

The screenshot shows a configuration window for search criteria. At the top, there are tabs for 'AND' and 'OR'. Below this, there is a section for adding rule groups. A rule group is added, containing two rules. The first rule is 'Operating System' with the operator 'CONTAINS' and the value 'Red Hat'. The second rule is 'Operating System' with the operator 'CONTAINS' and the value 'Linux'. Red circles with numbers 1, 2, and 3 are placed below the first rule group, the operator, and the value field respectively. Buttons for 'Add Rule Group', 'Add Rule', and 'Delete Group' are visible.

Create a smart folder

1. Go to **Computers > Smart Folders**.
2. Click **Create a Smart Folder**.

A default, empty search criteria group ("rule group") appears. You must configure this first. If you need to define more or alternative possible matches, you can add more rule groups later.

3. Type a name for your smart folder.
4. In the first dropdown, select a property that all matching computers have, such as **Operating System**. (See "[Searchable Properties](#)" on page 1144.)

If you selected AWS Tag, also type the tag's name.

5. Select the [operator](#): whether to match identical, similar, or opposite computers, such as **CONTAINS**.

Note: Some operators are not available for all properties.

6. Type all or part of the search term.

Note: Wild card characters are not supported.

Tip: If you enter multiple words, it compares the *entire phrase* - not each word separately. No match occurs if the property's value has words in a different order, or only some of the words.

To match *any* of the words, instead click **Add Rule** and **OR**, and then add another value: one word per rule.

7. If computers must match multiple properties, click **Add Rule** and **AND**. Repeat steps 4-6.

For more complex smart folders, you can chain multiple search criteria. Click **Add Group**, then click **AND** or **OR**. Repeat steps 4-7.

For example, you might have Linux computers deployed both on-premises and in clouds such as AWS, Azure, or vCloud. You could create a smart folder that contains all of them by using 3 rule groups based on:

- a. local physical computers' operating system
- b. AWS tag
- c. vCenter or vCloud name

The screenshot displays the configuration interface for a smart folder in Trend Micro Deep Security. The interface is organized into three main rule groups, each with its own 'AND' and 'OR' logic selector and 'Add Rule'/'Delete Group' controls.

- Group 1:** Contains two rules based on the 'Operating System' property:
 - Rule 1: Operating System CONTAINS Linux
 - Rule 2: Operating System CONTAINS Red Hat
- Group 2:** Contains two rules based on the 'AWS Tag' property:
 - Rule 1: AWS Tag (Tag Key: EQUALS) Operating System Tag Value: CONTAINS Amazon Linux
 - Rule 2: AWS Tag (Tag Key: EQUALS) Operating System Tag Value: CONTAINS Red Hat
- Group 3:** Contains two rules based on the 'vCenter Name' and 'vCloud Name' properties:
 - Rule 1: vCenter Name CONTAINS Linux
 - Rule 2: vCloud Name CONTAINS Red Hat

Tip: To test the results of your query before saving your smart folder, click **Preview**.

8. Click **Save**.

9. To verify, click your new smart folder. Verify that it contains all expected computers.

Tip: For faster smart folders, remove unnecessary AND operations, and reduce sub-folder depths. They increase query complexity, which reduces performance.

Also verify that it omits computers that shouldn't match the query. If you need to edit your smart folder's query, double-click the smart folder.

Note: If your account's role doesn't have the permissions, some computers won't appear, or you won't be able to edit their properties. For more information, see ["Define roles for users" on page 1106](#).

Edit a smart folder

If you need to edit your smart folder's query, double-click the smart folder.

To reorder search criteria rules or rule groups, move your cursor onto a rule or group until it changes to a , then drag it to its destination.

Clone a smart folder

To duplicate and modify an existing smart folder as a template for a new smart folder, right-click the original smart folder, then select **Copy Smart Folder**.

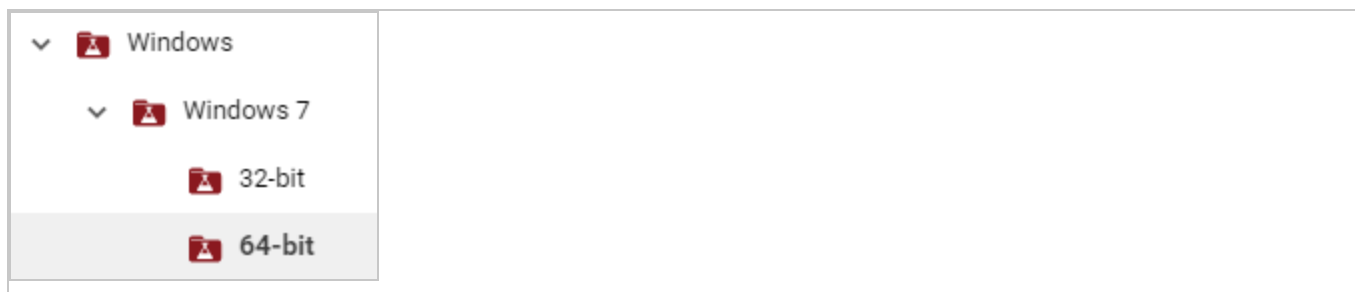
Focus your search using sub-folders

You can use sub-folders to filter a smart folder's search results.

Smart folders can be nested up to 10 levels deep.

- Smart folder 1
 - Sub-folder 2
 - Sub-folder 3 ...

For example, you might have a smart folder for all your Windows computers, but want to focus on computers that are specifically Windows 7, and maybe specifically either 32-bit or 64-bit. To do this, under the "Windows" parent folder, you could create a child smart folder for Windows 7. Then, under the "Windows 7" folder, you would create two child smart folders: 32-bit and 64-bit.



1. Right-click a smart folder and select **Create Child Smart Folder**.
2. Edit your child smart folder's query groups or rules. Click **Save**.
3. Click your new smart folder. Verify that it contains all expected computers. Also verify that it omits computers that shouldn't match the query.

Automatically create sub-folders

Note: Applies to AWS computers only.

Instead of manually creating child folders, if you use Amazon's cloud, you can automatically create sub-folders for each value of an AWS tag. For information on how to apply AWS tags to your computers, see Amazon's guide on [Tagging Your Amazon EC2 Resources](#).

Note: AWS tag-based sub-folders replace any existing manually created child folders under the parent folder.

1. Select the **Automatically create sub-folders for each value of a specific AWS tag key:** check box located below the smart folder groups.
2. Type name of the AWS tag. Sub-folders are automatically created for each of this tag's values.
3. Click **Save**.

Tip: Empty sub-folders can appear if an AWS tag value is not being used anymore. To remove them, right-click the smart folder and select **Synchronize Smart Folder**.

Searchable Properties

Properties are an attribute that some or all computers you want to find have. Smart folders show computers that have the selected property, and its value matches.

Note: Type your search *exactly as that property appears in Deep Security Manager*- not, for example, vCenter/AWS/Azure. Otherwise your smart folder query won't match.

To find the exact matching text, (unless otherwise noted) go to **Computers** and look in the navigation pane on the left.

General

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Hostname	The computer's host name, as seen on Computers > Details in Hostname.	string	ca-staging-web1
Computer Display Name	The computer's display name in Deep Security (if any), as seen on Computers > Details in Display Name.	string	nginxTest
Folder Name	The computer's assigned group.	string	US-East
Operating System	The computer's operating system, as seen on Computers > Details in Platform.	string	Microsoft Windows 7 (64 bit) Service Pack 1 Build 7601
IP Address	The computer's IP address. You can find the IP address in Deep Security Manager. To find the IP of: an AWS instance or Azure VM that was added to Deep Security through Add > Add AWS Account or Add > Add Azure Account, go the AWS or Azure computer's details page, and under the General tab, scroll to the Virtual	IPv4 or IPv6 address, or an IPv4 range	172.20.1.5-172.20.1.55 2001:db8:face::5

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
	machine Summary section. The AWS IP addresses are listed in these fields: • Private IP Address • Public IP (PIP) Address Note: If you added the AWS or Azure computer through Add > Add Computers, its IP is located in the same place as a physical computer's. • a physical computer (not AWS, Azure, vCenter, or vCloud), go to the computer's details page and on the left, click Interfaces Note: If "DHCP" is displayed instead of a static IP address, it won't match the smart folder query. • a vCenter or vCloud VM, go to the vCenter computer's details page, and under the General tab, scroll to the Virtual		

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
	machine Summary section. The vCenter or vCloud IP address is listed in the IP Address field.		
Policy	The computer's assigned Deep Security policy, as seen on Computers > Details .	string (option in drop-down list)	Base Policy
Activated	Whether or not the computer has been activated with Deep Security Manager, as seen on Computers > Details .	Boolean	Yes
Docker Host	Whether or not Docker is installed on the computer, as seen on Computers > Details .	Boolean	No
Computer Type	The type of computer. Options are: Physical Computer, Amazon EC2 Instance, Amazon WorkSpace, vCenter VM, Azure Instance, Azure ARM Instance.	string (option in drop-down list)	Examples: Physical Computer, Amazon EC2 Instance
Last Successful Recommendation Scan	Whether or not the computer has had a successful recommendation scan within a specified time period. The last recommendation scan date and results can be seen on Computers > Details > General > Intrusion Prevention or Integrity Monitoring or Log Inspection > Recommendations .	Date operator drop-down list, String, Date unit drop-down list	OLDER THAN, 7, DAYS
Last Agent	Whether or not the agent has	Date	OLDER THAN, 3,

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Communication	communicated with Deep Security Manager within a specified time period. The Last Communication date can be seen on Computers > Details > General > Last Communication .	operator drop-down list, String, Date unit drop-down list	DAYS
Agent Offline	Whether or not the agent is offline. This is displayed as Managed (Offline) or Offline on Computers > Details > General > Last Communication .	Boolean	Yes
Host Created Date	Date when the computer was added to Deep Security Manager.	string (date)	2019-03-15

AWS

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Tag	The computer's AWS tag key:value pair, as seen on Computers > Details > Overview > General under Virtual machine Summary, in Cloud Instance Metadata. Type the tag name, then its value. Case-sensitive.	string	Tag Key: env Tag Value: staging
Security Group Name	The computer's associated AWS security group name, as seen on Computers > Details > Overview > General under Virtual machine Summary, in Security Group(s).	string	SecGrp1
Security Group ID	The computer's AWS security group ID, as seen on Computers > Details > Overview > General under Virtual machine Summary, in Security Group(s).	string	sg-12345678
AMI ID	The computer's Amazon Machine AMI ID,	string	ami-23c44a56

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
	as seen on Computers > Details > Overview > General under Virtual machine Summary, in AMI ID.		
Account ID	The computer's associated 12-digit AWS Account ID , as seen on Computers when you right-click Amazon Account and select Properties . Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	123456789012
Account Name	The computer's associated AWS Account Alias , as seen on Computers when you right-click the AWS Cloud Connector and select Properties . Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	MyAccount-123
Region ID	The computer's AWS region suffix . Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	us-east-1
Region Name	The computer's associated AWS region name. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	US East (Ohio)
VPC ID	The computer's Virtual Private Cloud (VPC) ID. If an alias exists, the folder name is the alias, followed by the VPC ID in parentheses. Otherwise the folder's name is the VPC ID. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	vpc-3005e48a
Subnet ID	The computer's associated Virtual Private Cloud (VPC) subnet ID.	string	subnet-b1c2e468

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
	If an alias exists, the folder name is the alias, followed by the VPC subnet ID in parentheses. Otherwise the folder's name is the VPC subnet ID. Results include computers in sub-folders.		
Directory ID	The ID of the AWS directory where the user entry associated with an Amazon WorkSpace resides. The directory ID is seen on the Computers > Details > Virtual machine Summary, in the WorkSpace Directory field. That field takes the format <directory_alias>(<directory_ID>), for example, myworkspacedir(d-9367232d89).	string	d-9367232d89

Azure

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Subscription Name	Note: As of Deep Security Manager 12.0, the Subscription Name is no longer collected. It remains visible in the drop-down list of properties in case the information was obtained through a previous version of the manager. The computer's associated Azure subscription account ID, as seen on Computers when you right-click Azure and select Properties. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	MyAzureAccount
Resource Group	The computer's associated resource group.	string	MyResourceGroup

vCenter

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Name	The computer's associated vCenter. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	vCenter - lab13-vc.example.com
Datacenter	The computer's associated vCenter data center. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	lab13-datacenter
Folder	The computer's vCenter folder. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	db_dev
Parent ESX Hostname	The hostname of the ESXi hypervisor where the computer's guest VM is running, as seen on Computers .	string	lab13-esx2.example.com
Custom Attribute	The computer's assigned vCenter custom attribute, as seen on Computers > Details in Virtual machine Summary.	string (comma-separated attribute name and value)	env, production

vCloud

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Name	The computer's associated vCloud. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	vCloud-lab23
Datacenter	The computer's associated vCloud data	string	lab13-datacenter

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
	center. Results include computers in sub-folders.		
vApp	The computer's associated vCloud data center folder. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	db_dev

Folder

Property	Description	Data type	Examples
Name	The hostname of the Microsoft Active Directory or LDAP directory. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	ad01.example.com
Folder	The computer's Microsoft Active Directory or LDAP folder name. Results include computers in sub-folders.	string	Computers

Operators

Smart folder operators indicate whether matching computers should have a property value that is identical, similar, or dissimilar to your search term. Not all operators are available for every property.

Operator	Description	Example usage
EQUALS	The search query only finds computers that are an exact match.	A search query for 'Windows' in the Operating System property does not find computers with 'Windows 7' or 'Microsoft Windows'.
DOES NOT EQUAL	The search query finds any computers that are not an exact match.	A search query for 'Amazon Linux (64 bit)' in the Operating System property finds all computers other than Amazon Linux 64-bit machines.

Operator	Description	Example usage
CONTAINS	The search query finds any computers that contain the search term.	A search query for '203.0.113.' in the IP Address property finds any computers on the 203.0.113.xxx subnet.
DOES NOT CONTAIN	The search query finds any computers that do not contain the search term.	A search query for 'Windows' in the Operating System property finds any computers that do not have 'Windows' in their operating system name.
ANY VALUE	The search query finds all computers with the selected property.	A search query in the Group Name property finds all computers in that group.
IN RANGE	The search query finds all computers between the specified start and end range.	A search query in the IP Address property with Start Range 10.0.0.0 and End Range 10.255.255.255 would find all computers with IP addresses between 10.0.0.0 and 10.255.255.255.
NOT IN RANGE	The search query finds all computers that are not between the specified start and end range.	A search query in the IP Address property with Start Range 10.0.0.0 and End Range 10.255.255.255 finds all computers that have IP addresses outside the range of 10.0.0.0 and 10.255.255.255.
Yes	The search query finds all computers with the selected property.	A search query with 'Yes' selected for the Docker property finds any computers with the Docker service running.
No	The search query finds all computers that do not have the selected property.	A search query with 'No' selected for the Docker property would find any computers that do not have the Docker service running.
OLDER THAN	The search query finds all computers prior to the specified date for the property. Used with an	A search query with 'OLDER THAN', '7', 'DAYS' for the 'Last Successful Recommendation Scan' property finds computers that have had a successful recommendation scan 8 days or longer ago.

Operator	Description	Example usage
	accompanying DAYS, WEEKS, HOURS, or MINUTES operator.	
MORE RECENTLY THAN	The search query finds all computers more recent than the specified date for the property. Used with an accompanying DAYS, WEEKS, HOURS, or MINUTES operator.	A search query with 'MORE RECENTLY THAN', '1', 'MONTH' for the 'Last Successful Recommendation Scan' property finds computers that have had a successful recommendation scan earlier than 1 month ago.
NEVER	The search query finds all computers that do not match the property.	A search query with 'NEVER' for the 'Last Successful Recommendation Scan' property finds computers that have never had a successful recommendation scan.

View active Deep Security Manager nodes

To display a list of all active Deep Security Manager nodes, go to **Administration > Manager Nodes** . (See also ["Run Deep Security Manager on multiple nodes" on page 242.](#))

To display details about one of the manager nodes, double-click its row in the list. The Properties window will display:

- **Hostname:** The hostname of the computer where Deep Security Manager is installed.
- **Description:** A description of the manager node.
- **Performance Profile:** Deep Security Manager's performance can be affected by several factors including number of CPUs, available bandwidth, and database responsiveness. The manager's default performance settings are designed to be suited for most installation environments. However, if you experience performance issues your support provider may

suggest that you change the performance profile assigned to one or more of your Deep Security Manager nodes. (You should not change these settings without first consulting your support provider.)

Note: The "Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs" referred to in the tables below include anti-malware scans, integrity monitoring scans, reconnaissance scans, sending policy updates to computers, and distributing security updates.

- **Aggressive:** This performance profile is optimized for installations where the Deep Security Manager is installed on a dedicated server. For example, this is how some common concurrent operations could be distributed per manager node using the **Aggressive** performance profile:

Operation	2-core system	8-core system
Activations	10	20
Updates	25	50
Recommendation Scans	5	12
Check Status	100	Same (100)
Agent- or Appliance-Initiated Heartbeats	20 Active 40 Queued	50 Active 40 Queued
Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs	50	50
Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs per ESXi	3	3

- **Standard:** This Performance Profile is optimized for installations where the Deep Security Manager and the database are on the same computer. For example, this is how some common concurrent operations could be distributed per manager node using the **Standard** performance profile:

Operation	2-core system	8-core system
Activations	5	10
Updates	16	46
Recommendation Scans	3	9
Check Status	65	100
Agent- or Appliance-Initiated Heartbeats	20 Active 40 Queued	50 Active 40 Queued
Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs	50	50
Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs per ESXi	3	3

- **Unlimited Agent Disk and Network Usage:** This setting is identical to **Aggressive** but has no limit on computer disk and network usage operations.

Operation	2-core system	8-core system
Activations	10	20
Updates	25	25
Recommendation Scans	5	12
Check Status	100	Same (100)
Agent- or Appliance-Initiated Heartbeats	20 Active 40 Queued	50 Active 40 Queued
Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs	Unlimited	Unlimited
Simultaneous Endpoint Disk and Network Jobs per ESXi	Unlimited	Unlimited

Note: All performance profiles limit the number of concurrent component updates to 100 per relay group.

- **Status:** Indicates the node's online and active status from the perspective of the Deep Security Manager node you are currently logged into.
- **Options:** You can choose to decommission a manager node. The node must be offline (uninstalled or service halted) to be decommissioned.

Customize advanced system settings

Several features for advanced users are located on **Administration > System Settings > Advanced**.

Tip: You can automate system setting changes using the Deep Security API. For examples, see the [Configure Policy, Computer, and System Settings](#) guide in the Deep Security Automation Center.

Primary Tenant Access

By default, the primary tenant can access your Deep Security environment.

If the primary tenant enabled the "Primary Tenant Access" settings in your environment, however, you can prevent the primary tenant from accessing your Deep Security environment, or grant access for a limited amount of time.

Load Balancers

Note: The load balancer settings are not available when FIPS mode is enabled. See ["FIPS 140-2 support" on page 1165](#).

Agents are configured with a list of Deep Security Manager and Deep Security Relays. When multiple managers and relays are deployed *without* a load balancer, agents will automatically contact the managers and relays using a round robin sequence.

To better scale your network, you can put a load balancer in front of the managers or relays. When you configure the load balancer hostname and [port numbers](#), it will override the IP address or hostname and port numbers currently used by the agents.

The script generator uses the address of the Deep Security Manager that you are connected to. This ensures that the scripts continue to function even if one of the Deep Security Manager nodes fails or is down for maintenance or upgrades.

Note: The load balancer must be non-terminating for the SSL or TLS session with the agent's heartbeat port number because it uses mutual authentication. SSL inspection that terminates (for example, if you try to use SSL offloading) will break the session.

Multi-tenant Mode

1. Select **Enable Multi-Tenant Mode**.
2. In the wizard that appears, enter your **Multi-Tenant Activation Code** and click **Next**.
3. Select the license mode, either:
 - **Inherit Licensing from Primary Tenant:** All tenants use the same licenses as the primary tenant.
 - **Per Tenant Licensing:** Tenants themselves enter a license when they log in for the first time.
4. Click **Next**.

Deep Security Manager Plug-ins

Plug-ins are modules, reports and other add-ons for the Deep Security Manager. Trend Micro occasionally produces new or additional versions of these which are distributed as self-installing packages.

SOAP Web Service API

Enable or disable the legacy SOAP API Web services. The WSDL (Web Services Description Language) can be found at the URL displayed in the panel on the page. For more information about APIs, see ["Use the Deep Security API to automate tasks" on page 344](#).

Note: To access the Web Services APIs, a user must be assigned a role with the appropriate access rights. To configure the role, go to **Administration > User Management > Roles**, open the role properties, and select **Allow Access to web services API**.

Status Monitoring API

Enable or disable the Status Monitoring API of the legacy REST API. This API lets you query the Deep Security Manager (including individual Manager Nodes) for status information such as CPU and memory usage, number of queued jobs, total and Tenant-specific database size. For more information about APIs, see ["Use the Deep Security API to automate tasks" on page 344](#).

Export

Export file character encoding: The character encoding used when you export data files from the Deep Security Manager. The encoding must support characters in your chosen language.

Exported Diagnostics Package Language: Your support provider may ask you generate and send them a Deep Security diagnostics package. This setting specifies the language the package will be in. The diagnostic package is generated on **Administration > System Information**.

Whois

Whois can be used to look up which domain name is associated with an IP address when you review logged intrusion prevention and firewall events. Enter the search URL using "[IP]" as a placeholder for the IP address to look up.

(For example, "http://reports.internic.net/cgi/whois?whois_nic=[IP]&type=nameserver".)

Licenses

Hide unlicensed Protection Modules for new Users determines whether unlicensed modules are hidden rather than simply grayed out for subsequently created Users. (This setting can be overridden on a per-user basis on **Administration > User Management > Users > Properties**).

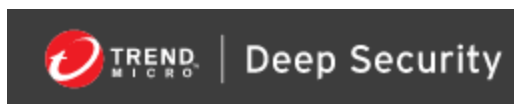
Scan Cache Configurations

CPU Usage During Recommendation Scans

This setting controls the amount of CPU resources dedicated to performing Recommendation Scans. If you notice that CPU usage is reaching unreasonably high levels, try changing to a lower setting to remedy the situation. For other performance controls, see **Administration > Manager Nodes > Properties > Performance Profiles**.

Logo

You can replace the Deep Security logo that appears on the login page, at the top right of the Deep Security Manager GUI, and at the top of reports. Your replacement image must be in PNG format, be 320 px wide and 35 px high, and have a file size smaller than 1 MB. A template is available in the `installfiles` directory of the Deep Security Manager.



Click **Import Logo** to import your own logo, or click **Reset Logo** to reset the logo to its default image.

Manager AWS Identity

You can configure cross-account access. Select either:

- **Use Manager Instance Role:** The more secure option to configure cross-account access. Attach a policy with the `sts:AssumeRole` permission to the Deep Security Manager's instance role, then select this option. Does not appear if the Deep Security Manager does not have an instance role, or if you're using an Azure Marketplace or on-premise installation of Deep Security Manager.
- **Use AWS Access Keys:** Create the keys and attach a policy with the `sts:AssumeRole` permission before you select this option, and then type the **Access Key** and **Secret Key**. Does not appear if you're using an Azure Marketplace or on-premise installation of Deep Security Manager.

Application control

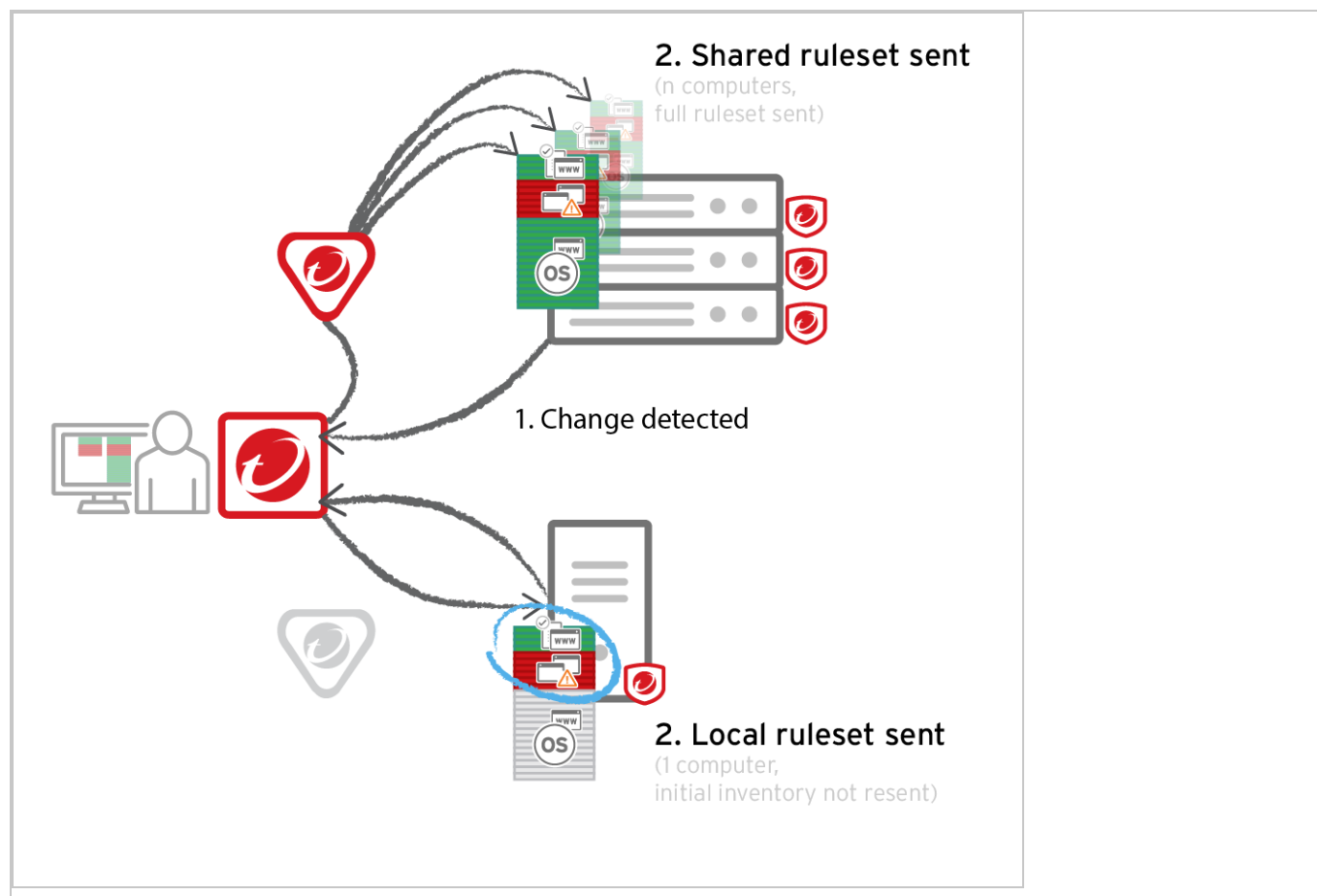
Each time you create an [Application Control](#) ruleset or change it, it must be distributed to all computers that use it. Shared rulesets are bigger than local rulesets. Shared rulesets are also often applied to many servers. If they all downloaded the ruleset directly from the manager at the same time, high load could cause slower performance. Global rulesets have the same considerations.

Using Deep Security Relays can solve this problem. (For information on configuring relays, see ["Distribute security and software updates with relays" on page 308.](#))

Steps vary by whether or not you have a multi-tenant deployment.

Single tenant deployments

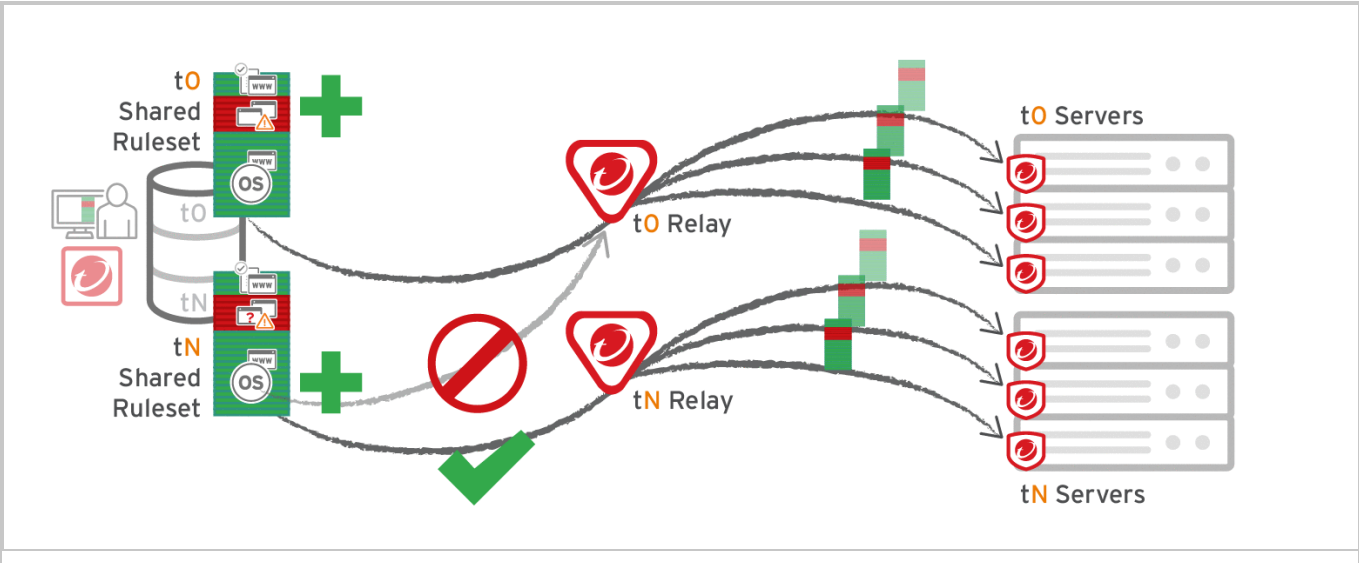
Go to **Administration > System Settings > Advanced** and then select **Serve Application Control rulesets from relays**.



Multi-tenant deployments

The primary tenant (t0) can't access other tenants' (tN) configurations, so t0 relays don't have tN Application Control rulesets. (Other features like IPS don't have this consideration, because their rules come from Trend Micro, not a tenant.)

Other tenants (Tn) must create their own [relay group](#), then select **Serve Application Control rulesets from relays**.



Warning:

Verify compatibility with your deployment before using relays. If the agent doesn't have any previously downloaded rulesets currently in effect, and if it **doesn't receive new Application Control rules**, then the computer won't be protected by Application Control. If an Application Control ruleset fails to download, a [ruleset download failure event will be recorded on the manager](#) and [on the agent](#).

Relays might either change performance, break Application Control ruleset downloads, or be required; it varies by proxy location, multi-tenancy, and global/shared vs. local rulesets.

Required for...	Faster performance for...	Slower performance for...	Don't enable for...
Agent > Proxy > Manager	Shared rulesets Global ruleset	Local rulesets	Multi-tenant configurations when non-primary tenants (tN) use the default, primary (t0) relay group: Agent (tN) > DSR (t0) > DSM (tN)

Required for...	Faster performance for...	Slower performance for...	Don't enable for...
Note: In Deep Security Agent 10.0 GM and earlier, agents didn't have support for connections through a proxy to relays. If a ruleset download fails due to a proxy, and if your agents require a proxy to access the relay or manager, then you must either:			• Agent (tN) > Proxy > DSR (t0) > DSM (tN)

Required for...	Faster performance for...	Slower performance for...	Don't enable for...
• update agents' software, then configure the proxy • bypass the proxy • add a relay and then select Service Application Control rule			

Required for...	Faster performance for...	Slower performance for...	Don't enable for...
sets from relays			

Accelerate compliance

Trend Micro helps to accelerate compliance by consolidating multiple security controls into one product, while also delivering comprehensive auditing and reporting. For more information, see [Regulatory Compliance](#) on the Trend Micro website.

Depending on your requirements, see:

- ["Meet PCI DSS requirements with Deep Security" below](#)
- ["GDPR" on the next page](#)
- ["FIPS 140-2 support" on the next page](#)
- [Set up AWS Config Rules](#)
- ["Bypass vulnerability management scan traffic in Deep Security" on page 1175](#)
- ["Use TLS 1.2 with Deep Security" on page 1177](#)
- ["Enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites" on page 1192](#)

Meet PCI DSS requirements with Deep Security

The [Payment Card Industry Data Security Standard](#) (PCI DSS) is an information security standard that promotes the safety of cardholder data. Deep Security can be used to help secure PCI data in accordance with the PCI DSS.

Tip: For information on how to:

- accelerate PCI DSS compliance in AWS, see [Accelerating PCI Compliance in AWS using Deep Security](#).

- enable TLS 1.2 for PCI compliance, see ["Use TLS 1.2 with Deep Security" on page 1177](#) or ["Enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites" on page 1192](#).

GDPR

The European Union's (EU) General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) mandates that organizations anywhere in the world processing EU citizen data reassess their data processing controls and put a plan in place to better protect it. For information about GDPR and Trend Micro, see the [Trend Micro GDPR Compliance](#) site.

For information about personal data collection in Deep Security, see ["Privacy and personal data collection disclosure" on page 71](#).

FIPS 140-2 support

Federal Information Processing Standard (FIPS) is a set of standards for cryptographic modules. For in-depth information about FIPS, see the [National Institute of Standards and Technology \(NIST\) website](#). Deep Security provides settings that enable cryptographic modules to run in a mode that is compliant with FIPS 140-2 standards. We have obtained certification for our [Java crypto module](#) and [Native crypto module \(OpenSSL\)](#).

There are some differences between a Deep Security deployment running in FIPS mode instead of non-FIPS mode (see ["Differences when operating Deep Security in FIPS mode" on the next page](#)).

Tip: If you intend to replace the Deep Security Manager SSL certificate, do so before enabling FIPS mode. If you need to replace the certificate after enabling FIPS mode, you will need to disable FIPS mode, follow the instructions in ["Replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate" on page 830](#), and then re-enable FIPS mode.

To operate Deep Security in a FIPS 140-2 mode, you will need to:

1. Review ["Differences when operating Deep Security in FIPS mode" on the next page](#) to make sure the Deep Security features you require are available when operating in FIPS 140-2 mode.
2. Ensure that your Deep Security Manager and Deep Security Agents meet the ["System requirements for FIPS mode" on the next page](#).

3. ["Enable FIPS mode for your Deep Security Manager" on the next page.](#)
4. If your Deep Security Manager needs to connect to an external service (such as an Active Directory, vCenter, or NSX Manager) using SSL, see ["Connect to external services when in FIPS mode" on page 1168.](#)
5. ["Enable FIPS mode for the operating system of the computers you are protecting" on page 1168.](#)
6. ["Enable FIPS mode for the Deep Security Agent on the computers you are protecting" on page 1169](#)
7. With some versions of the Linux kernel, for example, RHEL 7.0 GA, you must enable Secure Boot to enable FIPS mode. See ["Linux Secure Boot support for agents" on page 299](#) for instructions.

This section also includes instructions on how to ["Disable FIPS mode" on page 1174.](#)

Differences when operating Deep Security in FIPS mode

These Deep Security features are **not available** when operating in FIPS mode:

- Connecting to virtual machines hosted on VMware vCloud, as described in ["Add virtual machines hosted on VMware vCloud" on page 398.](#) The **Administration > System Settings > Agents > Agentless vCloud Protection** settings are also unavailable.
- Multi-tenant environment
- Load balancer settings (**Administration > System Settings > Advanced > Load Balancers**)
- Deep Security Scanner (integration with SAP Netweaver)
- The Connected Threat Defense feature
- Identity provider support via SAML 2.0
- When configuring SMTP settings, the STARTTLS option is not available.

System requirements for FIPS mode

Deep Security Manager requirements

The Deep Security Manager requirements with FIPS mode enabled are the same as those described in ["System requirements" on page 198](#), with the following exceptions.

Only these operating systems are supported:

- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 7 (64bit)
- Windows Server 2016 (64-bit)
- Windows Server 2012 or 2012 R2 (64-bit)

Only these databases are supported:

- PostgreSQL 9.6 (see ["Using FIPS mode with a PostgreSQL database" on page 1169](#))
- Microsoft SQL Server 2016 Enterprise Edition (See ["Using FIPS mode with a Microsoft SQL Server database" on page 1173](#))
- Microsoft SQL Server 2014 Enterprise Edition (See ["Using FIPS mode with a Microsoft SQL Server database" on page 1173](#))
- Microsoft SQL Server 2012 Enterprise Edition (See ["Using FIPS mode with a Microsoft SQL Server database" on page 1173](#))

Note: Oracle Database is not supported, even if it has enabled FIPS mode for SSL connections.

Note: Microsoft SQL Server named pipes are not supported.

Deep Security Agent requirements

The Deep Security Agent requirements with FIPS mode enabled are the same as those described in ["System requirements" on page 198](#). FIPS mode is not supported with all operating systems. To check which operating systems are supported, see ["Supported features by platform" on page 178](#).

Enable FIPS mode for your Deep Security Manager

Enable FIPS mode for a Deep Security Manager on Windows

1. Use the Services window of the Microsoft Management Console to stop the "Trend Micro Deep Security Manager" service.
2. In the Windows command line, go to the Deep Security Manager's working folder, for example, `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager`.
3. Enter this command to enable FIPS mode:

```
dsm_c -action enablefipsmode
```

4. Restart the Deep Security Manager service.

Enable FIPS mode for a Deep Security Manager on Linux

1. On the Deep Security Manager computer, open a command line and go to the Deep Security Manager's working folder, for example, `/opt/dsm`.
2. Enter this command to stop the Deep Security Manager service:

```
service dsm_s stop
```

3. Enter this command to enable FIPS mode:

```
dsm_c -action enablefipsmode
```

4. Enter this command to restart the Deep Security Manager service:

```
service dsm_s start
```

Connect to external services when in FIPS mode

When Deep Security Manager is operating in FIPS mode and you want to connect to an external service (such as an Active Directory, vCenter, or NSX Manager) with an SSL connection, you must import the SSL certificate for that external service into the manager before connecting to it. For instructions on how to import the certificate, see ["Manage trusted certificates" on page 296](#).

For instructions on importing computers from an Active Directory, see ["Add computer groups from Microsoft Active Directory" on page 402](#).

For instructions on synchronizing user information with an Active Directory, see ["Create and manage users" on page 1101](#).

For instructions on adding a VMware vCenter to Deep Security Manager, see [Add a vCenter when Deep Security Manager is in FIPS mode](#).

Enable FIPS mode for the operating system of the computers you are protecting

For instructions on enabling FIPS mode on Windows, please refer to the Microsoft Support site: [System cryptography: Use FIPS compliant algorithms for encryption, hashing, and signing" security setting effects in Windows XP and in later versions of Windows](#).

For instructions on enabling FIPS mode on RHEL 7 or CentOS 7, please refer to Red Hat documentation: [Federal Standards and Regulations](#) and [How can I make RHEL 6 or RHEL 7 FIPS 140-2 compliant](#).

Enable FIPS mode for the Deep Security Agent on the computers you are protecting

Note: This step is not required for new Deep Security 11.0 or higher agents that you install after enabling FIPS mode in Deep Security Manager. In that situation, FIPS mode is already enabled for the agent.

Enable FIPS mode for a Windows agent

1. In the Windows system root folder (for example, `C:\Windows`), look for a file named `ds_agent.ini`. Open the file in a text editor or create a new file if you don't have one already.
2. Add this line to the file:

```
FIPSMODE=1
```

3. Restart the Deep Security Agent service.

Enable FIPS mode for an RHEL 7 or CentOS 7 agent

1. In `/etc/`, look for a file named `ds_agent.conf`. Open the file in a text editor or create a new file if you don't have one already.
2. Add this line to the file:

```
FIPSMODE=1
```

3. Restart the Deep Security Agent:

Using a SysV init script:

```
/etc/init.d/ds_agent restart
```

Using a systemd command:

```
systemctl restart ds_agent
```

Using FIPS mode with a PostgreSQL database

If you are using PostgreSQL as your Deep Security Manager database, there are some extra requirements in addition to those outlined in ["Prepare a database for Deep Security Manager" on page 222](#).

In FIPS mode, the keystore must be the BCFKS type. Instead of converting the java default keystore (`C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security`

Manager\jre\lib\security\cacerts or /opt/dsm/jre/lib/security/cacerts) directly, copy the default keystore to another location and use it as the default keystore for SSL connection.

1. Create the PostgreSQL environment
2. Copy the "server.crt" file from the PostgreSQL server and paste them into <Deep Security Manager install folder>.
3. Install Deep Security Manager.
4. ["Enable FIPS mode for your Deep Security Manager" on page 1167.](#)
5. Copy the default Java cacerts file into the Deep Security Manager root installation folder.

On Windows:

```
copy "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\jre\lib\security\cacerts" "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\cacerts"
```

On Linux:

```
cp "/opt/dsm/jre/lib/security/cacerts" "/opt/dsm/cacerts"
```

6. Convert the keystore file from JKS to BCFKS. The following command will create a cacerts.bcfks file in the Deep Security Manager installation folder:

On Windows:

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\jre\bin

keytool -importkeystore -srckeystore "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\cacerts" -srcstoretype JKS -deststoretype BCFKS -destkeystore "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\cacerts.bcfks" -srcstorepass <changeit> -deststorepass <changeit> -providerpath "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\jre\lib\ext\ccj-3.0.0.jar" -providerclass com.safelogic.cryptocomply.jcajce.provider.CryptoComplyFipsProvider
```

where <changeit> is replaced with your own values.

On Linux:

```
cd /opt/dsm/jre/bin

keytool -importkeystore -srckeystore "/opt/dsm/cacerts" -srcstoretype JKS -deststoretype BCFKS -destkeystore "/opt/dsm/cacerts.bcfks" -
```

```
srcstorepass <changeit> -deststorepass <changeit> -providerpath  
"/opt/dsm/jre/lib/ext/ccj-3.0.0.jar" -providerclass  
com.safelogic.cryptocomply.jcajce.provider.CryptoComplyFipsProvider
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own values.

7. Import the certificate ("Deep Security Manager root folder/server.crt"):

On Windows:

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\jre\bin  
  
keytool -import -alias psql -file "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep  
Security Manager\server.crt" -keystore "C:\Program Files\Trend  
Micro\Deep Security Manager\cacerts.bcfks" -storepass <changeit> -  
provider  
com.safelogic.cryptocomply.jcajce.provider.CryptoComplyFipsProvider -  
providerpath "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security  
Manager\jre\lib\ext\ccj-3.0.0.jar" -storetype BCFKS
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

On Linux:

```
cd /opt/dsm/jre/bin  
  
keytool -import -alias psql -file "/opt/dsm/server.crt" -keystore  
"/opt/dsm/cacerts.bcfks" -storepass <changeit> -provider  
com.safelogic.cryptocomply.jcajce.provider.CryptoComplyFipsProvider -  
providerpath "/opt/dsm/jre/lib/ext/ccj-3.0.0.jar" -storetype BCFKS
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

8. The Deep Security installer can use a `.vmoptions` file to assign the JVM parameter:

On Windows, create a file named `Deep Security Manager.vmoptions` in the installation folder and add the following text in the file:

Note: Ensure that the file extension is `.vmoptions`.

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.keyStoreProvider=CCJ  
  
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStore=C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security  
Manager\cacerts.bcfks
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStorePassword=<changeit>
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.keyStoreType=BCFKS
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStoreType=BCFKS
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

On Linux, create a file named `dsm_s.vmoptions` in the installation folder and add the following text in the file:

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.keyStoreProvider=CCJ
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStore=/opt/dsm/cacerts.bcfks
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStorePassword=<changeit>
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.keyStoreType=BCFKS
```

```
-Djavax.net.ssl.trustStoreType=BCFKS
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

9. Open the `<Deep Security Manager directory>\webclient\webapps\ROOT\WEB-INF\dsm.properties` file in a text editor and add:

```
database.PostgreSQL.connectionParameters=ssl\=true
```

10. Open the `/opt/postgresql/data/postgresql.conf` file in a text editor and add:

```
ssl= on
```

```
ssl_cert_file= 'server.crt'
```

```
ssl_ksy_file= 'server.key'
```

11. Restart PostgreSQL and then restart the Deep Security Manager service.
12. Check the connection:

```
cd /opt/postgresql/bin
```

```
./psql -h 127.0.0.1 -Udsm dsm
```

Enter the password when prompted. You should see:

```
dsm=> select a.client_addr, a.application_name, a.username, s.* from pg_stat_ssl s join pg_stat_activity a using (pid) where a.datname='dsm';
```


Using FIPS mode with a Microsoft SQL Server database

If you are using Microsoft SQL Server as your Deep Security Manager database, you must set up the database SSL encryption using the instructions below **before** enabling FIPS mode.

1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service.
2. Create a BCFKS keystore file with the SQL server certificate. You can use the keytool in `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\jre\bin`.
3. Use the following command to import the SQL server certificate (`C:\sqlserver_cert.cer`) to a new keystore file (`C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\mssql_keystore.bcfks`):

Note: If the Deep Security Manager package doesn't contain a `ccj-3.0.0.jar` file, get the jar file from the FIPS page.

```
keytool -import -alias mssql -file "C:\sqlserver_cert.cer" -keystore
"C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\mssql_
keystore.bcfks" -storepass <changeit> -provider
com.safelogic.cryptocomply.jcajce.provider.CryptoComplyFipsProvider -
providerpath "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security
Manager\jre\lib\ext\ccj-3.0.0.jar" -storetype BCFKS
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

During the import process, answer "YES" to trust this certificate.

4. If the keystore file is created successfully, you will be able to use the following command to list see the certificate listed in the keystore:

```
keytool -list -v -keystore "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security
Manager\mssql_keystore.bcfks" -provider
com.safelogic.cryptocomply.jcajce.provider.CryptoComplyFipsProvider -
providerpath "C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security
Manager\jre\lib\ext\ccj-3.0.0.jar" -storetype BCFKS -storepass
<changeit>
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

5. Open the `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager\webclient\webapps\ROOT\WEB-INF\dsm.properties` file in a text editor and add the following lines enable SSL/TLS and FIPS settings:

```
database.SqlServer.encrypt=true
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustServerCertificate=false
```

```
database.SqlServer.fips=true
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustStorePassword=<changeit>
```

```
database.SqlServer.fipsProvider=CCJ
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustStoreType=BCFKS
```

```
database.SqlServer.trustStore=C:\\Program Files\\Trend Micro\\Deep  
Security Manager\\mssql_keystore.bcfks
```

where `<changeit>` is replaced with your own value.

6. Optionally, you can also change the SQL server/client connection protocols from Named Pipes to TCP/IP. This will allow for FIPS support after upgrading to Deep Security 10.2:
 - a. In the SQL Server Configuration Manager, go to **SQL Network Configuration > Protocols for MSSQLSERVER** and enable TCP/IP.
 - b. Go to **SQL Native Client 11.0 Configuration > Client Protocols** and enable TCP/IP.
 - c. Follow the instruction provided by Microsoft to enable encrypted connections for an instance of the SQL Server database. [See Enable Encrypted Connections to the Database Engine](#).
 - d. Edit the `dsm.properties` file to change `database.sqlserver.driver=MSJDBC` and `database.SqlServer.namedPipe=false`.
7. Restart the Deep Security Manager service.
8. ["Enable FIPS mode for your Deep Security Manager" on page 1167](#).

Disable FIPS mode

1. To disable FIPS mode for the Deep Security Manager, follow the instructions that you used to enable it (see ["Enable FIPS mode for your Deep Security Manager" on page 1167](#)), but use this command in place of step 3:

```
dsm_c -action disablefipsmode
```

2. To disable FIPS mode for the Deep Security Agent, follow the instructions that you used to enable it (see ["Enable FIPS mode for the Deep Security Agent on the computers you are protecting" on page 1169](#)), but instead of `FIPSMODE=1`, use `FIPSMODE=0`.

Bypass vulnerability management scan traffic in Deep Security

If you are using a vulnerability management provider such as Qualys or Nessus (for PCI compliance, for example), you need to set up Deep Security to bypass or allow this provider's scan traffic through untouched.

- ["Create a new IP list from the vulnerability scan provider IP range or addresses" below](#)
- ["Create firewall rules for incoming and outbound scan traffic" below](#)
- ["Assign the new firewall rules to a policy to bypass vulnerability scans" on the next page](#)

After these firewall rules have been assigned to the new policy, the Deep Security Manager will ignore ANY traffic from the IPs you have added in your IP List.

Deep Security will not scan the vulnerability management provider traffic for stateful issues or vulnerabilities - it will be allowed through untouched.

Create a new IP list from the vulnerability scan provider IP range or addresses

Have handy the IP addresses that the vulnerability scan provider has given you.

1. In the Deep Security Manager, go to **Policies**.
2. In the left pane, expand **Lists > IP Lists**.
3. Click **New > New IP List**.
4. Type a **Name** for the new IP List, for example "Qualys IP list".
5. Paste the IP addresses that the vulnerability management provider has given you into the **IP(s)** box, one per line.
6. Click **OK**.

Create firewall rules for incoming and outbound scan traffic

After you've created the IP list, you need to create two firewall rules: one for incoming and one for outgoing traffic.

Name them as suggested, below:

```
<name of provider> Vulnerability Traffic - Incoming
```

```
<name of provider> Vulnerability Traffic - Outgoing
```

1. In the main menu, click **Policies**.
2. In the left pane, expand **Rules**.
3. Click **Firewall Rules > New > New Firewall Rule**.
4. Create the first rule to bypass Inbound AND Outbound for TCP and UDP connections that are incoming to and outgoing from vulnerability management provider.

Tip: For settings not specified, you can leave them as the default.

Name: (suggested) <name of provider> Vulnerability Traffic - Incoming

Action: Bypass

Protocol: Any

Packet Source: IP List and then select the new IP list created above.

5. Create a second rule:

Name: <name of provider> Vulnerability Traffic - Outgoing

Action: Bypass

Protocol: Any

Packet Destination: IP List and then select the new IP list created above.

Assign the new firewall rules to a policy to bypass vulnerability scans

Identify which policies are already used by computers that will be scanned by the vulnerability management provider.

Edit the policies individually to assign the rules in the firewall module.

1. Click **Policies** on the main menu.
2. Click **Policies** in the left pane.
3. In the right pane, for each policy, double-click to open the policy details.
4. In the pop-up, in the left pane, click **Firewall**.
5. Under **Assigned Firewall Rules**, click **Assign/Unassign**.
6. Ensure your view at the top-left shows **All** firewall rules in the .
7. Use the search window to find the rules you created and select them.

8. Click **OK**.

Use TLS 1.2 with Deep Security

In Deep Security Manager 11.1 and higher, TLS 1.2 is enforced by default for new installations.

Review the table below to determine whether you need to take action.

Note: If you want to enable TLS 1.2 with only strong, A+-rated, cipher suites, see instead ["Enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites" on page 1192](#). Use of strong cipher suites may cause compatibility issues.

If you are doing...	And your deployment includes...	Do this...
A new installation of Deep Security Manager 11.1 or higher	Only 10.0 and higher Deep Security Agents, Relays, and Virtual Appliances	Nothing. By default, TLS 1.2 is used between all components and enforced on the manager and relays.
	Pre-10.0 Deep Security Agents, Relays, or Virtual Appliances	(Recommended.) Upgrade all of your components to 10.0 or higher versions which support TLS 1.2. See "Upgrade components to use TLS 1.2" on page 1183 . This is the best option to increase the security of your deployment. Alternatively, you can enable early TLS 1.0 to ensure backward compatibility with older components. See "Enable early TLS (1.0)" on page 1188 .
An upgrade to Deep Security Manager 11.1 or higher	Only 10.0 and higher Deep Security Agents, Relays, or	(Recommended.) Enable TLS 1.2 enforcement to increase the security of your deployment. See "Enforce TLS 1.2" on page 1185 .

If you are doing...	And your deployment includes...	Do this...
	Virtual Appliances	Alternatively, you can do nothing. Whatever your TLS settings were in your previous deployment are preserved. If you had enforced TLS 1.2 before, then your enforcement settings are preserved after the upgrade. Conversely, if you had disabled enforcement, then those settings are preserved as well.
	Pre-10.0 Deep Security Agents, Relays, or Virtual Appliances	(Recommended.) Although no immediate action is required, you should plan to upgrade older components to 10.0 or higher which support TLS 1.2, and then enforce TLS 1.2. See "Upgrade components to use TLS 1.2" on page 1183 and "Enforce TLS 1.2" on page 1185. This is the best option to increase the security of your deployment. Alternatively, you can do nothing. Whatever your TLS settings were in your previous deployment are preserved. If TLS 1.0 was allowed before, then it will also be allowed after the upgrade.

Topics on this page:

- ["TLS 1.2 architectures" below](#)
- ["Upgrade components to use TLS 1.2" on page 1183](#)
- ["Enforce TLS 1.2" on page 1185](#)
- ["Enable early TLS \(1.0\)" on page 1188](#)
- ["Determine whether TLS 1.2 is enforced" on page 1190](#)
- ["Guidelines for deploying agents, and relays after TLS 1.2 is enforced" on page 1191](#)

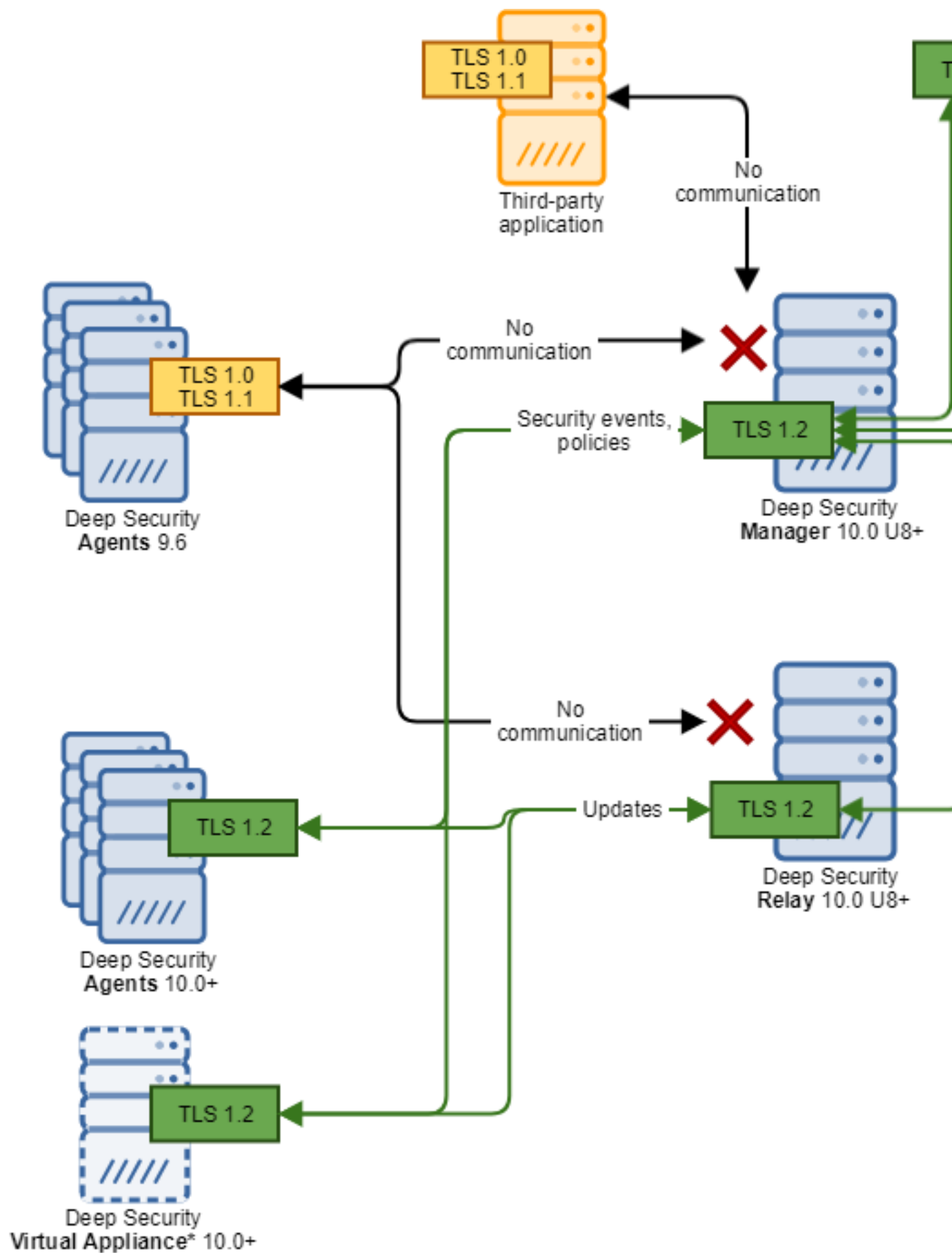
TLS 1.2 architectures

The diagrams below show the TLS communication in the Deep Security architecture.

Figure 1 shows the TLS communication when TLS 1.2 *is* enforced (This is the default for new 11.1 or higher Deep Security Manager installations.) You can see that the 9.6 agents can no longer communicate with Deep Security Manager, and neither can older third-party applications.

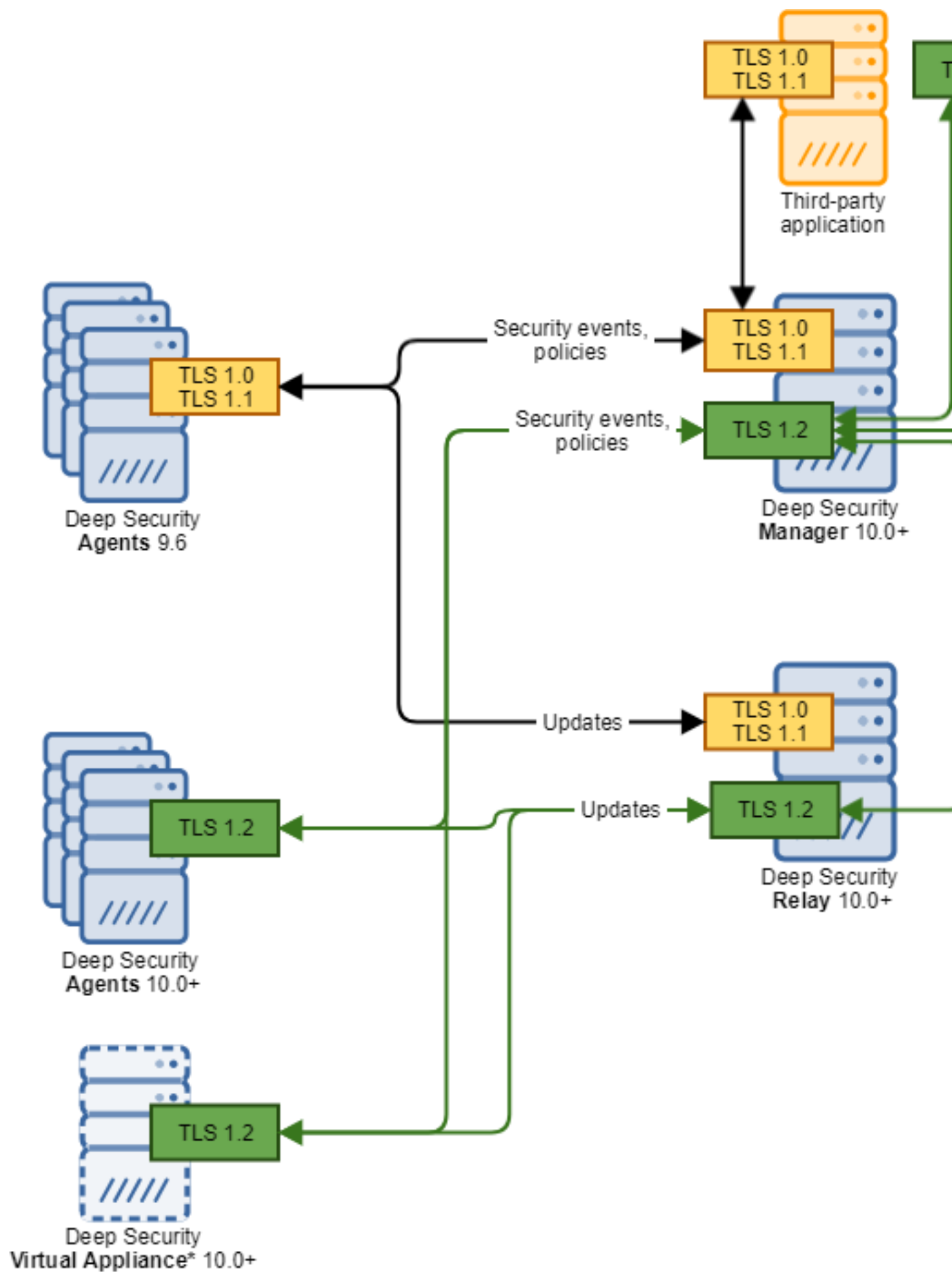
Figure 2 shows the TLS communication when TLS 1.2 is *not* enforced. You can see that 10.0 or higher agents communicate with Deep Security Manager over TLS 1.2, while 9.6 versions communicate over early TLS. Similarly, newer third-party applications use TLS 1.2, while older ones use early TLS.

Figure 1: TLS 1.2 is enforced



*Only available in on-premise deployments

Figure 2: TLS 1.2 is *not* enforced



Upgrade components to use TLS 1.2

If you want your Deep Security components to use TLS 1.2, just make sure that each component supports TLS 1.2.

Follow the instructions below to verify that your Deep Security components support TLS 1.2 and upgrade them if needed.

Note: If you want to *enforce* TLS 1.2 and prevent the use of early TLS, see instead ["Enforce TLS 1.2" on page 1185](#).

Verify and upgrade your Deep Security Manager

- Make sure you're using one of the following versions of Deep Security Manager, and if not, upgrade it:
 - Use Deep Security Manager 10.0 *update 8* or later if you're planning to ["Enforce TLS 1.2" on page 1185](#) on the manager. Only 10.0 update 8 and later managers support TLS 1.2 enforcement.
 - Use Deep Security Manager 10.0 or later if you're *not* planning to ["Enforce TLS 1.2" on page 1185](#) on the manager. Only 10.0 and later managers support TLS 1.2 communication.
- For upgrade instructions, see ["Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace" on page 813](#).

Verify your Deep Security Manager database

- If you're using Microsoft SQL Server as your Deep Security Manager database, make sure the database supports TLS 1.2, and if not, upgrade it. See [this Microsoft article](#) for guidance.
- If you're using a PostgreSQL database, it supports TLS 1.2 so no action is necessary.
- If you're using an Oracle database, only Oracle's native encryption is supported for database-manager communication, not TLS, so no action is necessary.
- By default, there is no encryption between the database (SQL Server, PostgreSQL, or Oracle) and Deep Security Manager. You can [enable it manually](#).

Verify your Deep Security Agents

- If you have existing Deep Security Agents, make sure they're at version 10.0 or higher. Only 10.0 or higher agents support TLS 1.2.

Note: If some agents are left un-upgraded (that is, they are pre-10.0), those agents communicate over early TLS, and you may need to enable early TLS. For details, see ["Enable early TLS \(1.0\)" on page 1188](#).

To upgrade your agents:

1. Import the latest Deep Security Agent software into Deep Security Manager, either manually or automatically. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#) for details.
2. Upgrade your Deep Security Agents:
 - To automatically upgrade an agent, see ["Initiate an agent upgrade" on page 809](#).

Verify your Deep Security Relays

- Make sure you're using one of the following versions of Deep Security Relay, and if not, upgrade it:
 - Use Deep Security Relay 10.0 *update 8* or later if you're planning to ["Enforce TLS 1.2" on the next page](#) on the relay. Only 10.0 update 8 and higher relays support TLS 1.2 enforcement.
 - Use Deep Security Relay 10.0 or later if you're *not* planning to ["Enforce TLS 1.2" on the next page](#) on the relay. Only 10.0 and higher relays support TLS 1.2 communication.

To upgrade a relay, follow the same process as upgrading an agent:

1. Import the latest Deep Security Relay software into Deep Security Manager, either manually or automatically. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#) for details.
2. Upgrade the relay:
 - To automatically upgrade a relay, see ["Initiate an agent upgrade" on page 809](#).

Enforce TLS 1.2

Topics in this section:

- ["Where can TLS 1.2 be enforced?" below](#)
- ["What happens when TLS 1.2 enforced?" below](#)
- ["Is TLS 1.2 enforced by default?" below](#)
- ["Under what circumstances is TLS 1.2 enforcement possible? " on the next page](#)
- ["Enforce TLS 1.2 on Deep Security Manager" on the next page](#)
- ["Enforce TLS 1.2 on the Deep Security Relay" on the next page](#)
- ["Enforce TLS 1.2 on just the manager's GUI port \(4119\)" on page 1187](#)
- ["Test that TLS 1.2 is enforced" on page 1187](#)

Where can TLS 1.2 be enforced?

There are two enforcement points:

- on the Deep Security Manager
- on the Deep Security Relays

What happens when TLS 1.2 enforced?

When TLS 1.2 is enforced, the manager and relays stop accepting early TLS connections, and any applications that try to use early TLS are denied access and cease to function properly.

If you choose *not* to enforce TLS 1.2, the manager and relays still accept early TLS as well as TLS 1.2 connections. This means that both older and newer applications are able to connect.

Is TLS 1.2 enforced by default?

- If you have a new installation of Deep Security Manager 11.1 or higher (not an upgrade), TLS 1.2 is enforced by default.
- If you are upgrading an existing Deep Security Manager to 11.1 or higher, then your existing TLS settings are preserved, so if TLS was not enforced previously, it will continue to not be enforced after the upgrade. Conversely, if it was enforced, it will continue to be enforced.

Under what circumstances is TLS 1.2 enforcement possible?

You can only enforce TLS 1.2 if *all* Deep Security Agents have been upgraded to 10.0 or higher, which is the version at which TLS 1.2 is supported.

Enforce TLS 1.2 on Deep Security Manager

1. Before you begin:
 - Make sure that Deep Security Manager is at version *10.0 Update 8* or higher. You need this version to enforce TLS 1.2.
 - Make sure that all other components support TLS 1.2. See ["Upgrade components to use TLS 1.2" on page 1183](#).
2. On the Deep Security Manager computer, run this [dsm_c command](#):

```
dsm_c -action settlsprotocol -MinimumTLSProtocol ShowValue
```

A TLS version appears. This is the minimum TLS version that Deep Security Manager currently accepts.

3. Run this `dsm_c` command:

```
dsm_c -action settlsprotocol -MinimumTLSProtocol TLSv1.2
```

This command sets the minimum TLS version to 1.2. Deep Security Manager now accepts TLS 1.2 connections and disallows TLS 1.0 connections.

The Deep Security Manager service is restarted automatically.

Enforce TLS 1.2 on the Deep Security Relay

1. Before you begin:
 - Make sure that Deep Security Relay is at version *10.0 Update 8* or higher. You need this version to enforce TLS 1.2.
 - Make sure that all your components support TLS 1.2. See ["Upgrade components to use TLS 1.2" on page 1183](#).
 - Make sure that you have [enforced TLS 1.2 on Deep Security Manager](#).
2. Resend the policies associated with your relays:
 - a. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers** and find one of your relays in the list of computers. If you're not sure which ones are your relays, at the top, click **Administration**. On the left, expand **Updates** and then click **Relay Management**. In the main pane, expand a relay group to see your relays.

- b. Double-click the relay in the list of computers.
- c. In the main pane, click the **Actions** tab.
- d. Click **Send Policy** to resend the policy.
- e. Resend the policy to each of your relays.

Enforce TLS 1.2 on just the manager's GUI port (4119)

Only read this section if you were unable to do a full enforcement on the Deep Security Manager and Relays as described previously in ["Enforce TLS 1.2 on Deep Security Manager" on the previous page](#) and ["Enforce TLS 1.2 on the Deep Security Relay" on the previous page](#).

This section describes how to set the minimum TLS version to TLS 1.2 on port 4119. Applications that connect on port 4119 are typically web browsers and Deep Security API clients. Older Deep Security components that do not support TLS 1.2 can continue to connect to the manager (on port 4120, by default) using TLS 1.0.

1. On Deep Security Manager, enable TLS 1.0 by running this [dsm_c command](#):

```
dsm_c -action settlsprotocol -MinimumTLSProtocol TLSv1
```

Deep Security Manager now accepts TLS 1.0 connections from older agents and applications.

2. Disable early TLS on the manager's GUI port (4119) (it is possible that it's already disabled):
 - a. Open the `configuration.properties` file in the root of the Deep Security Manager installation directory.
 - b. Under `serviceName=`, look for the `protocols=` setting.

This setting defines the protocols that can be used to connect to Deep Security Manager when it is acting as a server to web browsers and Deep Security API clients.

- c. If the `protocols=` setting is present, remove it so that only TLS 1.2 is allowed on port 4119.
 - d. Save the file.
3. Restart the Deep Security Manager service.

Test that TLS 1.2 is enforced

1. On a Deep Security component where early TLS 1.2 is enforced, run the following nmap command:

```
nmap --script ssl-enum-ciphers <ds_host> -p <ds_port> -Pn
```

where:

- `<ds_host>` is replaced with the IP address or hostname of the manager or relay
- `<ds_port>` is replaced with the listening port where TLS is being used (4119 for manager, 4122 for the relay, and 4118 for the agent—if manager-initiated activation is used)

The response should only list TLS 1.2. Example response:

```
PORT STATE SERVICE
443/tcp open  https
|  ssl-enum-ciphers:
|  |  TLSv1.2:
|  |  ciphers:
|  |  TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384  (secp256r1)  -  A
|  |  TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256  (secp256r1)  -  A
|  |  TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384  (secp256r1)  -  A
|  |  TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256  (secp256r1)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384  (rsa 2048)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256  (rsa 2048)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA256  (rsa 2048)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256  (rsa 2048)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA  (rsa 2048)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA  (rsa 2048)  -  A
|  |  TLS_RSA_WITH_3DES_EDE_CBC_SHA  (rsa 2048)  -  C
|  |  compressors:
```

Enable early TLS (1.0)

By default, early TLS (1.0) is disabled. You'll need to enable it if you have a *new* installation of Deep Security Manager 11.1 or higher (not an upgrade) and:

- you are using pre-10.0 agents. These only support early TLS. [Go here](#) to see if a 10.0 or higher agent is available for your OSs.
- you are using third-party components that are older and need to use early TLS to communicate with Deep Security Manager.
- you are using a pre-10.0 version of the Deep Security Virtual Appliance (which is no longer supported).

To enable early TLS (1.0), follow the instructions below.

Enable TLS 1.0 on Deep Security Manager and the Deep Security Relay

1. On the Deep Security Manager computer, run this [dsm_c command](#):

```
dsm_c -action settlsprotocol -MinimumTLSProtocol ShowValue
```

A TLS version appears. This is the minimum TLS version that Deep Security Manager currently accepts.

2. Run this `dsm_c` command:

```
dsm_c -action settlsprotocol -MinimumTLSProtocol TLSv1
```

This command sets the minimum TLS version to 1.0.

TLS 1.0 is now re-enabled on your Deep Security Manager.

The Deep Security Manager service is restarted automatically.

3. Resend the policies associated with your relays:
 - a. In Deep Security Manager, click **Computers** and find one of your relays in the list of computers. If you're not sure which ones are your relays, at the top, click **Administration**. On the left, expand **Updates** and then click **Relay Management**. In the main pane, expand a relay group to see your relays.
 - b. Double-click the relay in the list of computers.
 - c. In the main pane, click the **Actions** tab.
 - d. Click **Send Policy** to resend the policy.
 - e. Resend the policy to each of your relays.

TLS 1.0 is now re-enabled on your relays.

Enable TLS 1.0 on the manager's GUI port (4119)

Read this section if you previously enforced TLS 1.2 only on the manager's GUI port (4119) and now want to re-enable early TLS 1.0 on this port.

1. Follow the instructions in ["Enable TLS 1.0 on Deep Security Manager and the Deep Security Relay" on the previous page](#). This re-enables TLS 1.0 on the GUI port (4119).

Enable TLS 1.0 in deployment scripts

Deep Security Agents and Deep Security Relays can be deployed using [deployment scripts](#). You may need to modify these scripts as follows:

1. If you are deploying onto Windows XP, 2003, or 2008, remove these lines from the deployment script:

```
#requires -version 4.0

[Net.ServicePointManager]::SecurityProtocol =
[Net.SecurityProtocolType]::Tls12;
```

Windows XP, 2003, and 2008 do not support PowerShell 4.0, which is required for TLS 1.2.

2. If you are deploying onto Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6, remove this tag from the deployment script:

```
--tls1.2
```

Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6 uses curl 7.19 by default which does not support TLS 1.2.

3. If you are deploying onto any other supported operating system, leave the deployment scripts as they are.

Determine whether TLS 1.2 is enforced

If you're not sure whether TLS 1.2 is enforced on Deep Security Manager, follow the instructions below to find out.

1. On the Deep Security Manager computer, open a command prompt and run the following [dsm_c command](#):

```
dsm_c -action settlsprotocol -MinimumTLSProtocol ShowValue
```

The minimum TLS protocol accepted by the manager is displayed. If it shows TLS 1.2, then TLS 1.2 is enforced. If it shows TLS 1.0, then early TLS is allowed and TLS 1.2 is not enforced.

Determining whether TLS 1.2 is enforced on the relay is harder. If you pushed out your TLS settings to the relay through policy according to ["Enforce TLS 1.2 on the Deep Security Relay" on page 1186](#) or ["Enable TLS 1.0 on Deep Security Manager and the Deep Security Relay" on the](#)

[previous page](#), then those TLS settings apply to the relay. If you did not push out TLS settings through policy, then the relay's default TLS settings apply. The relay's default settings depend on its version: if you're using an 11.1 or higher relay, then TLS 1.2 is enforced by default. For pre-11.1 relays, TLS 1.2 is not enforced by default.

Guidelines for deploying agents, and relays after TLS 1.2 is enforced

This section discusses special considerations when deploying agents and relays when TLS 1.2 is enforced. If you [enabled early TLS \(1.0\)](#), then there are no special considerations, and you do not need to read this section.

Topics in this section:

- ["Guidelines for deploying agents, and relays when TLS 1.2 is enforced" below](#)
- ["Guidelines for using deployment scripts when TLS 1.2 is enforced" below](#)

Guidelines for deploying agents, and relays when TLS 1.2 is enforced

- You must deploy 10.0 or higher agents, and relays. Only 10.0 or higher agents and relays support TLS 1.2.
- If you need to deploy a 9.6 or earlier agent or relay you must [enable early TLS \(1.0\)](#).

Guidelines for using deployment scripts when TLS 1.2 is enforced

If TLS 1.2 is enforced, you can install 10.0 or higher agents and relays using [deployment scripts](#). Below are some guidelines to ensure the deployment scripts work:

1. If you are deploying an agent or relay onto Windows computers, use PowerShell 4.0 or higher, which supports TLS 1.2.
2. If you are deploying an agent or relay onto Linux, use curl 7.34.0 or higher, which supports TLS 1.2.
3. If you are deploying onto Windows XP, 2003, or 2008

OR

If you are deploying onto Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6

...these OSs don't support TLS 1.2 and you must ["Enable early TLS \(1.0\)" on page 1188](#) and [modify your deployment scripts](#).

Enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites

Enabling strong cipher suites allows you to be certain that all of the communications to and from your Deep Security components are secure. If a malicious user were to create a connection to your system over a communications channel that uses weak cipher suites, this person could exploit the known weaknesses in these suites to put your system and information at risk.

This page describes how to update the Deep Security Manager, Deep Security Agent and Deep Security Relay so that they use the TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites. These cipher suites have an Advanced+ (A+) rating, and are listed in the table on [this page](#).

Note: Enabling strong cipher suites involves upgrading all your Deep Security components to 12.0 or later. If this is not possible—for example, you're using operating systems for which a 12.0 agent is not available—see instead ["Use TLS 1.2 with Deep Security" on page 1177](#).

Step 1: ["Update Deep Security components" below](#)

Step 2: ["Run a script to enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites" on the next page](#)

Step 3: ["Verify that the script worked" on page 1194](#)

["Disable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites" on page 1196](#)

Update Deep Security components

Make sure you update all components in the order listed below or else the agents will not be able to communicate with the relays and manager.

1. Update all your manager instances to 12.0 or a later update. For upgrade instructions, ["Upgrade Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace" on page 813](#).
2. Update all your relays to 12.0 or later. To upgrade a relay, follow the same process as upgrading an agent:
 - a. Import the latest relay software into the manager, either manually or automatically. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#) for details.
 - b. Upgrade the relay:
 - To automatically upgrade a relay, see ["Initiate an agent upgrade" on page 809](#).
 - To manually upgrade a relay, see ["Manually upgrade the agent" on page 810](#).
3. Update all your agents to 12.0 or later. To upgrade your agents:
 - a. Import the latest agent software into the manager, either manually or automatically. See ["Upgrade the Deep Security Agent" on page 808](#) for details.

- b. Upgrade your Deep Security Agents:
 - To automatically upgrade an agent, see ["Initiate an agent upgrade" on page 809](#).
 - To manually upgrade an agent, see ["Manually upgrade the agent" on page 810](#).

Run a script to enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites

1. Copy the `EnableStrongCiphers12.script` file available at <https://github.com/deep-security/ops-tools/tree/master/deepsecurity/manager> to:
 - On Windows: `<Manager_root>\Scripts`
 - On Linux: `<Manager_root>/Scripts`

where `<Manager_root>` is replaced with the path to your manager's installation directory, by default:

- `C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Manager` (Windows)
- `/opt/dsm/` (Linux)

Note: If you do not see a `\Scripts` directory, create it.

2. Log in to the manager.
3. Click **Administration** at the top.
4. On the left, click **Scheduled Tasks**.
5. In the main pane, click **New**.
6. The **New Scheduled Task Wizard** appears.
7. From the **Type** drop-down list, select **Run Script**. Select **Once Only**. Click **Next**.
8. Accept the date, time, and time zone defaults and click **Next**.
9. For the **Script**, select **EnableStrongCiphers.script**. Click **Next**.
10. For the **Name**, enter a name for the script, for example, `Enable Strong Cipher Suites`. Make sure **Task Enabled** is selected. Click **Run Task on 'Finish'**. Click **Finish**.

The script runs.

11. Restart the Deep Security Manager service.

Your agents, relays, and manager should now be communicating with each other using TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites exclusively.

Verify that the script worked

To verify that the script worked, and that only strong TLS 1.2 cipher suites are permitted, you must run a series of nmap commands.

- ["Verify the manager using nmap" below](#)
- ["Verify the relays using nmap" on the next page](#)
- ["Verify the agents using nmap" on the next page](#)

Verify the manager using nmap

Run this command:

```
nmap --script ssl-enum-ciphers -p 4119 <Manager_FQDN>
```

The output should look similar to the following, with the strong cipher suites near the middle:

```
Starting Nmap 7.01 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-11-14 09:51 EST
```

```
Nmap scan report for <DSM FQDN> (X.X.X.X)
```

```
Host is up (0.0049s latency).
```

```
PORT STATE SERVICE
```

```
4119/tcp open assuria-slm
```

```
| ssl-enum-ciphers:
```

```
| TLSv1.2:
```

```
| ciphers:
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256 (secp256k1) - A
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256 (secp256k1) - A
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384 (secp256k1) - A
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384 (secp256k1) - A
```

```
| compressors:
```

```
| NULL
```

```
| cipher preference: client
```

```
|_ least strength: A
```

```
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 6.82 seconds
```

Verify the relays using nmap

Run this command:

```
nmap --script ssl-enum-ciphers -p 4122 <Relay_FQDN>
```

The output should look similar to the following, again, with the strong cipher suites listed near the middle:

```
Starting Nmap 7.01 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-11-14 09:49 EST
```

```
Nmap scan report for <DSR FQDN> (X.X.X.X)
```

```
Host is up (0.0045s latency).
```

```
PORT STATE SERVICE
```

```
4122/tcp open  unknown
```

```
| ssl-enum-ciphers:
```

```
| TLSv1.2:
```

```
| ciphers:
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384 (secp256r1) - A
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256 (secp256r1) - A
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384 (secp256r1) - A
```

```
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256 (secp256r1) - A
```

```
| compressors:
```

```
| NULL
```

```
| cipher preference: server
```

```
|_ least strength: A
```

```
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 31.02 seconds
```

Verify the agents using nmap

Run this command:

```
nmap --script ssl-enum-ciphers -p 4118 <Agent_FQDN>
```

The output looks similar to the following:

```
Starting Nmap 7.01 ( https://nmap.org ) at 2018-11-14 09:50 EST
```

```
Nmap scan report for <DSA FQDN> (X.X.X.X)
Host is up (0.0048s latency).
PORT STATE SERVICE
4118/tcp open netscript
| ssl-enum-ciphers:
| TLSv1.2:
| ciphers:
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384 (secp256r1) - A
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256 (secp256r1) - A
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384 (secp256r1) - A
| TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256 (secp256r1) - A
| compressors:
| NULL
| cipher preference: server
|_ least strength: A
Nmap done: 1 IP address (1 host up) scanned in 2.72 seconds
```

Disable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites

If you mistakenly run the script before upgrading all of your agents, relays, or the manager, you can revert this action by doing the following:

1. Open the `configuration.properties` file in `<Manager_root>`, and remove the line starting with `ciphers`. The line looks similar to the following:

```
ciphers=TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_GCM_SHA384, TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_GCM_SHA256, TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_256_CBC_SHA384, TLS_ECDHE_RSA_WITH_AES_128_CBC_SHA256
```

2. Add the following values to the `protocols` field: `TLSv1` and `TLSv1.1`. Your final property looks similar to this:

```
protocols = TLSv1, TLSv1.1, TLSv1.2
```


3. Save and close the file.
4. Open the `java.security` file in `<Manager_root>\jre\lib\security\` and remove the following two protocols from `jdk.tls.disabledAlgorithms`:

```
TLSv1, TLSv1.1
```

5. On Deep Security Manager, run the following `dsm_c` commands:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.restrictRelayMinimumTLSProtocol -value TLSv1
```

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.enableStrongCiphers -value false
```

Your system should now be able to communicate again. If you still need to enable TLS 1.2 strong cipher suites, make sure you have upgraded all components before running the script.

If you continue to experience communication problems with the Deep Security Manager, run this additional `dsm_c` command:

```
dsm_c -action changesetting -name  
settings.configuration.MinimumTLSProtocolNewNode -value TLSv1
```

Migrate a Microsoft SQL Server Express database to Enterprise

Microsoft SQL Server Express is supported in very limited deployments (see "[Microsoft SQL Server Express considerations](#)" on page 231 for details). If you are using a Microsoft SQL Server Express database but find its limitations too constricting, you can migrate it to a [supported database](#).

1. Stop the Deep Security Manager service so that it stops writing to the database.

Deep Security Agents will continue to apply their current protection policies while the manager is stopped. Events will be kept and transmitted when Deep Security Manager returns online.

2. Back up the database(s).
3. Back up the database connection settings file:

```
[Deep Security install directory]/webclient/webapps/ROOT/WEB-INF/dsm.properties
```

4. Move the database to the new database engine. Restore the backup.
5. Edit `dsm.properties` to connect to the migrated database:

```
database.SqlServer.user
```

```
database.name
```

```
database.SqlServer.instance
```

```
database.SqlServer.password
```

```
database.type
```

```
database.SqlServer.server
```

If using the default instance, you can delete the `database.SqlServer.instance` setting.

You can enter a plain text password for `database.SqlServer.password`; Deep Security Manager will encrypt it when the service starts, like this:

```
database.SqlServer.password=!CRYPT!20DE3D96312D6803A53C0D1C691FE6DEB7476104C0A
```

6. Restart the Deep Security Manager service.
7. To verify that it has successfully reconnected to the database, log in to Deep Security Manager.

Existing protected computers and event logs should appear. As new events such as administrator logins or policy changes occur, they should be added. If not, verify that you have granted permissions to the database user account on the new database server.

Uninstall Deep Security

When you manually uninstall an activated agent or relay from a computer, the computer doesn't notify Deep Security Manager that the software has been uninstalled. On the Computers page in Deep Security Manager, the computer's status will be "Managed (Offline)" or similar, depending on the context. To avoid this, on Deep Security Manager, either:

- Deactivate the agent or relay *before* you uninstall it, or
- Delete the computer from the list *after* you uninstall

Uninstall Deep Security Relay

A Deep Security Relay is an agent where you have enabled the relay feature, so in order to remove the relay, you must uninstall the agent software.

Uninstall a relay (Windows)

Note: Before updating or uninstalling a Deep Security agent or relay on Windows, you must disable agent self-protection. To do this, on the Deep Security Manager, go to **Computer editor**¹ > **Settings** > **General**. In **Agent Self Protection**, and then either deselect **Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent** or enter a password for local override.

From the Windows Control Panel, select **Add/Remove Programs**. Double-click **Trend Micro Deep Security Agent**, and click **Remove**.

Alternatively, you can uninstall from the command line:

```
msiexec /x <package name including extension>
```

For a silent uninstall, add `/quiet`.

Uninstall a relay (Linux)

To completely remove the relay and any configuration files it created on a platform that uses the Red Hat package manager (rpm), such as CentOS, Amazon Linux, Oracle Linux, SUSE, or Cloud Linux, enter the command:

```
# sudo rpm -ev ds_agent
Stopping ds_agent: [ OK ]
Unloading dsa_filter module [ OK ]
```

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

If iptables was enabled prior to the installation of the relay-enabled agent, it will be re-enabled when the relay-enabled agent is uninstalled.

Note: Remember to remove the relay-enabled agent from Deep Security Manager's list of managed computers, and to remove it from the relay group.

Uninstall Deep Security Agent

Uninstall an agent (Windows)

Note: Before updating or uninstalling a Deep Security Agent or Relay on Windows, you must disable agent self-protection. To do this, on the Deep Security Manager, go to **Computer editor**¹ > **Settings** > **General**. In **Agent Self Protection**, and then either deselect **Prevent local end-users from uninstalling, stopping, or otherwise modifying the Agent** or enter a password for local override.

1. Deactivate the agent using the Deep Security Manager by going to the **Computers** page, right-clicking the computer and selecting **Actions** > **Deactivate**.
If you are unable to deactivate the agent because the Deep Security Manager is unable to communicate with the agent, you will need to do the following before continuing to the next step:

```
C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent>dsa_control --selfprotect 0
```

2. Go to the Control Panel and select **Uninstall a program**. Look for the Trend Micro Deep Security Agent and then select **Uninstall**.

Alternatively, you can uninstall from the command line:

```
msiexec /x <package name including extension>
```

For a silent uninstall, add `/quiet`.

¹To open the Computer editor, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

Uninstall an agent (Linux)

If your version of Linux provides a graphical package management tool, you can search for the `ds_agent` package and use the tool to remove the package. Otherwise, use the command line instructions below.

To completely remove the agent and any configuration files it created on a platform that uses the Red Hat package manager (rpm), such as CentOS, Amazon Linux, Oracle Linux, SUSE, or Cloud Linux, enter the command:

```
# sudo rpm -ev ds_agent
Stopping ds_agent: [ OK ]
Unloading dsa_filter module [ OK ]
```

If iptables was enabled prior to installing Deep Security Agent, it will be re-enabled when the agent is uninstalled.

If the platform uses Debian package manager (dpkg), such as Debian and Ubuntu, enter the command:

```
$ sudo dpkg -r ds-agent
Removing ds-agent...
Stopping ds_agent: .[OK]
```

Uninstall an agent (Solaris 10)

Enter the command:

```
pkgrm ds-agent
```

(Note that uninstall may require a reboot.)

Uninstall an agent (Solaris 11)

Enter the command:

```
pkg uninstall ds-agent
```

Uninstall may require a reboot.

Uninstall an agent (AIX)

Enter the command:

```
installp -u ds_agent
```

Uninstall Deep Security Notifier

From the Windows Control Panel, select **Add/Remove Programs**. Double-click **Trend Micro Deep Security Notifier**, and click **Remove**.

To uninstall from the command line:

```
msiexec /x <package name including extension>
```

For a silent uninstall, add `/quiet`.

Uninstall Deep Security Manager

Uninstall the manager (Windows)

From the Windows Start Menu, go to **Trend Micro > Trend Micro Deep Security Manager Uninstaller**, and follow the wizard steps to complete the uninstallation.

To initiate the same Windows GUI uninstall procedure from the command line, go to the installation folder and enter:

```
<installation folder>\Uninstall.exe
```

For a silent uninstall from the command line (without the Windows GUI prompts), add `-q`.

```
<installation folder>\Uninstall.exe -q
```

During a silent uninstall via command line, the configuration files are kept so that if you re-install in future, the installer repairs or upgrades using existing settings, without asking you to input them again.

Uninstall the manager (Linux)

To uninstall via command line, go to the installation folder and enter:

```
sudo ./uninstall
```

For a silent uninstall, add `-q`.

During a silent uninstall via command line, by default, the configuration files are kept so that if you re-install in future, the installer repairs upgrades using existing settings, without asking you to input them again.

If you selected not to keep the configuration files during the uninstallation, and you later want to reinstall Deep Security Manager, you should perform a manual clean-up before reinstalling. To remove the Deep Security Manager installation directory enter the command:

```
sudo rm -rf <installation location>
```

The default installation location is `/opt/dsm`.

Automate offline computer removal with inactive agent cleanup

If your Deep Security deployment has a large number of offline computers not communicating with the Deep Security Manager, first try using a connector (see ["Add AWS cloud accounts" on page 378](#) or ["Add a Microsoft Azure account to Deep Security" on page 392](#)). When you use a connector, the complete life cycle of your computers is managed automatically, meaning that computers deleted from your cloud accounts are also automatically removed from Deep Security. If you can't use a connector in your environment, you can automate the removal of inactive computers using **inactive agent cleanup**. Inactive agent cleanup will check hourly for computers that have been offline and inactive for a specified period of time (from 2 weeks to 12 months) and remove them.

Note: Inactive agent cleanup will remove a maximum of 1000 offline computers at each hourly check. If there are more offline computers than this, 1000 will be removed at each consecutive check until all of the offline computers have been removed.

After enabling inactive agent cleanup, you can also

- ["Ensure computers that are offline for extended periods of time remain protected with Deep Security" on the next page](#) (optional but recommended).
- ["Set an override to prevent specific computers from being removed" on the next page](#) (optional).
- ["Check the audit trail for computers removed by an inactive cleanup job" on page 1205](#).

Note: Inactive agent cleanup does not remove offline computers that have been added by a cloud connector.

Enable inactive agent cleanup

1. Go to the **Administration** page.
2. Under **System Settings > Agents > Inactive Agent Cleanup**, select **Delete Agents that have been inactive for**.
3. From the list, select the period that a computer must be inactive before being removed.
4. **"Ensure computers that are offline for extended periods of time remain protected with Deep Security" below** (optional but recommended).
5. Click **Save**.

Ensure computers that are offline for extended periods of time remain protected with Deep Security

If you have offline computers that are active but communicate irregularly with the Deep Security Manager, inactive agent cleanup will remove them if they don't communicate within the period of inactivity you defined. To ensure that these computers reconnect to Deep Security Manager, we recommend enabling both **Agent-Initiated Activation** and **Reactivate unknown Agents**. To do so, under **System Settings > Agents > Agent Initiated Activation**, first select **Allow Agent-Initiated Activation** and then select **Reactivate Unknown Agents**.

Note: When a removed computer reconnects, it will not have a policy, and will be added as a new computer. Any direct links to the computer will be removed from the Deep Security Manager event data.

Tip: You can automatically assign a policy assigned to a computer upon agent-initiated activation with an [event-based task](#).

Set an override to prevent specific computers from being removed

You can set an override at the computer or policy level to explicitly prevent computers from being removed by inactive agent cleanup.

To set an override

1. Open the **Computer or Policy editor**¹ for the computer or policy you want to set an override on.
2. Go to **Settings > General**.
3. Under **Inactive Agent Cleanup Override**, select **Yes**.
4. Click **Save**.

Check the audit trail for computers removed by an inactive cleanup job

When an inactive agent cleanup job runs, system events will be generated that you can use to track removed computers.

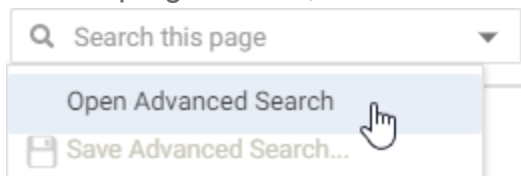
You'll need to check the following system events:

- ["2953 - Inactive Agent Cleanup Completed Successfully" on the next page](#)
- ["251 - Computer Deleted" on the next page](#)
- ["716 - Reactivation Attempted by Unknown Agent" on the next page](#) (if 'Reactivate Unknown Agents' is enabled)

Search system events

To view the system events generated by an inactive agent cleanup job, you need to create a search that filters for them:

1. Go to the **Events and Reports** page.
2. In the top-right corner, click the Search field list and select **Open Advanced Search**.



3. For the **Period**, select **Custom Range** from the list.
4. For **From**, enter the date and time just before the inactive agent cleanup job was first run. For **To**, enter the date and time just after the cleanup job finished.

¹You can change these settings for a policy or for a specific computer. To change the settings for a policy, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details). To change the settings for a computer, go to the Computers page and double-click the computer that you want to edit (or select the computer and click Details).

5. For the **Search**, select **Event ID** and **In**, and then enter **2953, 251**. You can optionally enter **716** and any of the event IDs (**130, 790, 350, 250**) associated with computer reactivation.

This will display all the system events generated by an inactive agent cleanup job. You can sort the events by time, event ID or event name by clicking on the corresponding column. You can then double-click an event to get more information about it, as detailed below.

System event details

2953 - Inactive Agent Cleanup Completed Successfully

This event is generated when the inactive agent cleanup job runs and successfully removes computers. The description for this event will tell you how many computers were removed.

Note: If more than one check is needed to remove all computers, a separate system event will be generated for each check.

251 - Computer Deleted

In addition to the 'Inactive Agent Cleanup Completed Successfully' event, a separate 'Computer Deleted' event is generated for each computer that was removed.

716 - Reactivation Attempted by Unknown Agent

If **Reactivate Unknown Agents** is enabled, this event will be generated for an activated computer that was removed when it attempts to reconnect to the Deep Security Manager. Each reactivated computer will also generate the following system events:

- **130** - Credentials Generated
 - **790** - Agent-Initiated Activation Requested
 - **350** - Policy Created (if you've enabled an event-based task that assigns a policy)
 - **250** - Computer Created
- or
- **252** - Computer Updated

FAQs

Why does my Windows machine lose network connectivity when I turn on protection?

A Windows machine will lose connectivity for a brief period of time during the network driver installation while the Deep Security Agent installs a network driver to examine traffic. This only happens the *first* time a policy is applied that includes one of the following:

- Web reputation
- Firewall
- Intrusion prevention

A Windows machine uses the same driver is used for all three protection modules listed above. Turning on web reputation, firewall or intrusion prevention after one of those features already turned on will not cause another network blip. You may see a similar interruption in network connectivity when the agent is upgraded (as the driver may also need to be upgraded).

How do I get news about Deep Security?

The Deep Security news feed has been discontinued. Instead, you can find the latest news on product changes in ["What's new?" on page 77](#)

Trend Micro continue to release new rule updates every Tuesday, with additional updates as new threats are discovered. Details about each rule update are provided in the [Trend Micro Threat Encyclopedia](#).

How does agent protection work for Solaris zones?

The Deep Security Agent can be deployed only on a Solaris global zone. If your Solaris environment uses any non-global zones, the protection that the agent can provide for the global zone and non-global zones will differ with each protection module:

- [Intrusion Prevention](#)
- [Firewall](#)
- [Web Reputation](#)
- [Anti-Malware](#)
- [Integrity Monitoring](#)
- [Log Inspection](#)

See "[Install a Solaris agent](#)" on [page 257](#) For more on installing the Deep Security Agent on Solaris.

For information on protecting Solaris domains, see [How does agent protection work for Solaris Control Domains and Logical Domains?](#).

Intrusion Prevention (IPS), Firewall, and Web Reputation

If your Solaris environment uses any non-global zones, the Intrusion Prevention, Firewall, and Web Reputation modules can only provide protection to specific traffic flows between the global zone, non-global zones and any external IP addresses. Which traffic flows the agent can protect depends on if the non-global zones use a [shared-IP network interface](#) or an [exclusive-IP network interface](#).

Kernel zones use an [exclusive-IP network interface](#) and agent protection to traffic flows is limited to that network configuration.

Non-global zones use a shared-IP network interface

Agent protection to traffic flows in a shared-IP configuration is as follows:

Traffic Flow	Protected by agent
external address <-> non-global zone	Yes
external address <-> global zone	Yes
global zone <-> non-global zone	No
non-global zone <-> non-global zone	No

Non-global zones use an exclusive-IP network interface

Agent protection to traffic flows in a exclusive-IP configuration is as follows:

Traffic Flow	Protected by agent
external address <-> non-global zone	No
external address <-> global zone	Yes
global zone <-> non-global zone	Yes
non-global zone <-> non-global zone	No

Anti-Malware, Integrity Monitoring, and Log Inspection

The Anti-Malware, Integrity Monitoring and Log Inspection modules provides protection to the global zone. For non-global zones, any files or directories that are also visible to the global zone are protected. Files specific to a non-global zone are not protected.

How does agent protection work for Solaris Control Domains and Logical Domains?

The Deep Security Agent supports Solaris Control Domains (CDOMs) and Logical Domains (LDOMs). This includes support for CDOMs and LDOMs running in the same environment, with the following limitations:

- The agent on the Control Domain cannot apply Firewall or Intrusion Prevention protection on packets flowing between LDOMs on the same server
- The agent on the Control Domain cannot run Anti-Malware, Integrity Monitoring, or Log Inspection scans for files in LDOMs on the server

Tip: To ensure protection, it is recommended to install the Deep Security Agent on all CDOMs and LDOMs.

For more information on Solaris CDOMs and LDOMs, see the [How to Configure the Control Domain](#) and [Hypervisor and Logical Domains](#) sections of Oracle's VM server administration guide.

For agent installation instructions, see [Manually install the Deep Security Agent](#).

For information on Solaris zones, see [How does agent protection work for Solaris zones?](#)

How does Deep Security Agent use the Amazon Instance Metadata Service?

When running on EC2 instances in AWS, the Deep Security Agent uses the Amazon Instance Metadata Service (IMDS) to query information about the EC2 instance.

Note: Deep Security support for IMDS v2 was added in Deep Security 12.0 update 10. If you are using an older version of Deep Security, only IMDS v1 is supported and you must ensure that your AWS configuration allows Deep Security Agent access to host metadata using IMDS v1.

The information retrieved by the Deep Security Agent is necessary to ensure that the agent activates under the proper AWS account within Deep Security and the right instance size is used for metered billing.

If the Deep Security Agent cannot successfully retrieve data from the instance using a Metadata Service Version 1 (IMDSv1) or 2 (IMDSv2), the following issues might be encountered:

Issue	Root cause	Resolution	Additional notes
Duplicate computers appear - one under the AWS account and another outside of the AWS account.	If the Deep Security Agent does not have access to Instance Metadata Service Version 1 (IMDSv1) or 2 (IMDSv2), Deep Security cannot properly associate this activation with the desired cloud account.	Ensure that Deep Security has access to IMDS v1 or IMDS v2. For more details, see Configuring the Instance	If you determine that the creation of duplicate computers has occurred, you can use inactive agent cleanup to automatically remove these computers.

Issue	Root cause	Resolution	Additional notes
Incorrect billing of instance hours at the default rate of \$0.06 per hour rather than the rate associated with the workload size.	If the Deep Security Agent does not have access to Instance Metadata Service Version 1 (IMDSv1) or 2 (IMDSv2), Deep Security cannot properly determine the instance size for metered billing. As a result, the computer does not appear under a cloud account and is charged at the data center rate.	Metadata Service .	If you believe overbilling has occurred please ensure that: 1. The Deep Security Agent has access to IMDS v1 or IMDS v2. 2. You have added the AWS cloud account to Deep Security. Please contact technical support for additional assistance.
Smart folders or event-based tasks based on AWS metadata fail.	If the Deep Security Agent does not have access to Instance Metadata Service Version 1 (IMDSv1) or 2 (IMDSv2), Deep Security cannot access the AWS metadata needed for these operations.		N/A

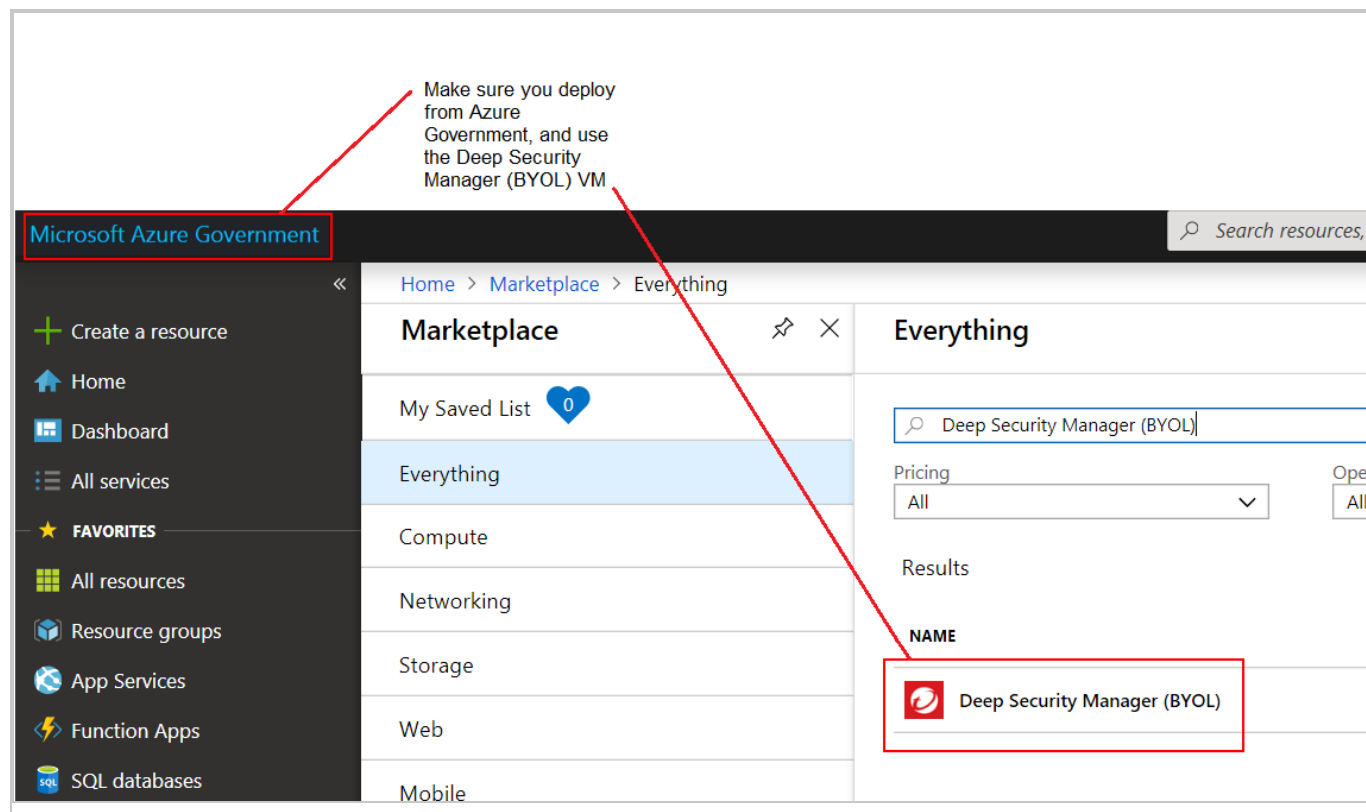
How do I protect Azure Government instances?

To protect [Azure Government](#) instances, Deep Security Manager *must* be deployed using the Deep Security Manager (BYOL) VM that's listed inside Azure Government's Marketplace (see image below). If you deploy from [global Azure](#)'s Marketplace, or you deploy onto an Azure instance inside or outside of Azure Government, Deep Security Manager cannot protect your Government instances.

For details on deploying Deep Security Manager (BYOL) within Azure Government, see "[Deploy the Deep Security Manager VM for Azure Marketplace](#)" on page 239. After Deep Security

Manager (BYOL) is deployed, you can use it to protect Azure Government instances, just like you would regular instances.

Warning: Be aware that if your Deep Security Manager is outside of Azure Government, using it to manage computers in the Azure Government would break [ITAR compliance](#).



How can I minimize heartbeat alerts for offline environments in an AWS Elastic Beanstalk environment?

AWS Elastic Beanstalk allows you to create multiple environments so that you can run different versions of an application at the same time. These environments usually include a production and development environment and often the development environment is powered down at night. When the development environment is brought back online in the morning, Deep Security will generate alerts related to communication problems for the period of time that it was offline. Although these alerts are actually false from your perspective, they are legitimate alerts from the

perspective of Deep Security because an alert is generated whenever a specified number of heartbeats is missed.

You can minimize these heartbeat-related alerts or even prevent them from being generated for environments that you know will be offline for a period of time every day by creating a policy with specific heartbeat settings and applying that policy to the servers in those partially offline environments.

1. Go to the **Policies** tab in the main Deep Security Manager window.
2. Create a new policy or edit an existing one.
3. Click the **Settings** tab in the **Policy editor**¹ and go to the **Computer** tab.
4. Change one or both of the **Heartbeat Interval** and **Number of Heartbeats that can be missed before an alert is raised** setting to numbers that take into account the number of hours your Elastic Beanstalk environment will be offline.
For example, if you know that a server will be offline for 12 hours a day and the Heartbeat Interval is set at 10 minutes, you could change the Number of Heartbeats that can be missed before an alert is raised setting to unlimited to never get an alert or you could increase the Heartbeat Interval to something greater than 10 to get fewer alerts.
5. Click **Save** and apply the policy to all relevant servers.

For more information on using Deep Security in an AWS Elastic Beanstalk environment, you can watch the Trend Micro webinar [Deploying Scalable and Secure Web Apps with AWS Elastic Beanstalk and Deep Security](#).

Why can't I add my Azure server using the Azure cloud connector?

If an Azure server loses connectivity to the Azure metadata service, the Deep Security Manager will no longer be able to identify it as an Azure server and you will be unable to add it using the Azure cloud connector.

This situation can happen if the server's public or private IP address is changed outside of the Azure console. The Azure server relies on DHCP to communicate with the metadata service and changing the IP outside of the console disables DHCP.

¹To open the Policy editor, go to the Policies page and double-click the policy that you want to edit (or select the policy and click Details).

Microsoft recommends against changing the Azure VM's IP address from within its operating system, unless necessary, such as when assigning multiple IP addresses to a Windows VM. For details, see [this Azure article](#).

To check if your Azure server is able to connect to the Azure metadata service, run the [Detect Windows Azure Virtual Machine](#) PowerShell script from the Microsoft Script Center.

Why can't I view all of the VMs in an Azure subscription in Deep Security?

If not all of the virtual machine resources in an Azure subscription are being displayed on the Computers page of Deep Security Manager, this could be because they were deployed using the Azure deployment model Resource Manager. All resources are deployed using this model unless you select **Classic** from the **Select a deployment model** list.

Not all VMs are displayed because older versions of the Deep Security Manager use the [Service Management API](#) provided by the classic Azure deployment model (the Service Management model) to connect to Azure virtual machines so it can only enumerate VMs deployed with the Classic model.

To see both Classic or Resource Manager VMs, upgrade your cloud connector. For more information, see "[Why should I upgrade to the new Azure Resource Manager connection functionality?](#)" on page 397.

Note: If you are unable to upgrade your Resource Manager servers as per the article above, you can still protect them by using the deployment script on the VM and letting the activation create a new computer object outside of the connector.

Troubleshooting

"Offline" agent

A computer [status](#) of "Offline" or "Managed (Offline)" means that the Deep Security Manager hasn't communicated with the Deep Security Agent's instance for some time and has exceeded

the missed heartbeat threshold. (See ["Configure the heartbeat" on page 273.](#)) The status change can also appear in alerts and events.

Causes

Heartbeat connections can fail because:

- The agent is installed on a workstation or other computer that has been shut down. If you are using Deep Security to protect computers that sometimes get shut down, make sure the policy assigned to those computers does not raise an alert when there is a missed heartbeat. In the policy editor, go to **Settings > General > Number of Heartbeats that can be missed before an alert is raised** and change the setting to "Unlimited".
- Firewall, IPS rules, or security groups block the heartbeat [port number](#)
- Outbound (ephemeral) ports were blocked accidentally. See ["Blocked port" on page 1079](#) for troubleshooting tips.
- Bi-directional communication is enabled, but only one direction is allowed or reliable (see ["Configure communication directionality" on page 275](#))
- Computer is powered off
- Computer has left the [context](#) of the private network
This can occur if roaming endpoints (such as a laptop) cannot connect to the manager at their current location. Guest Wi-Fi, for example, often restricts open ports, and has NAT when traffic goes across the Internet.
- Amazon WorkSpace computer is being powered off, and the heartbeat interval is fast, for example, one minute; in this case, wait until the WorkSpace is fully powered off, and at that point, the status should change from 'Offline' to 'VM Stopped'
- DNS was down, or could not resolve the manager's hostname
- The manager, the agent, or both are under very high system resource load
- The agent process might not be running
- Certificates for [mutual authentication](#) in the SSL or TLS connection have become invalid or revoked (see ["Replace the Deep Security Manager TLS certificate" on page 830](#))
- The agent's or manager's system time is incorrect (required by SSL/TLS connections)
- Deep Security [rule update](#) is not yet complete, temporarily interrupting connectivity
- On AWS EC2, ICMP traffic is required, but is blocked

Tip: If you are using manager-initiated or bi-directional communication, and are having communication issues, we strongly recommend that you change to agent-initiated activation (see ["Activate and protect agents using agent-initiated activation and communication" on page 281](#)).

To troubleshoot the error, verify that the agent is running, and then that it can communicate with the manager.

Verify that the agent is running

On the computer with the agent, verify that the Trend Micro Deep Security Agent service is running. Method varies by operating system.

- On Windows, open the Microsoft Windows Services Console (services.msc) or Task Manager. Look for the service named ds_agent.
- On Linux, open a terminal and enter the command for a process listing. Look for the service named ds_agent or ds-agent, such as:

```
sudo ps -aux | grep ds_agent
```

```
sudo service ds_agent status
```

Verify DNS

If agents connect to the manager via its domain name or hostname, not its IP address, test the DNS resolution:

```
nslookup [manager domain name]
```

DNS service must be reliable.

If the test fails, verify that the agent is using the correct DNS proxy or server (internal domain names can't be resolved by a public DNS server such as Google or your ISP). If a name such as dsm.example.com cannot be resolved into its IP address, communication will fail, even though correct routes and firewall policies exist for the IP address.

If the computer uses DHCP, in the computer or policy settings, in the **Advanced Network Engine** area, you might need to enable **Force Allow DHCP DNS**(see ["Network engine settings" on page 458](#)).

Allow outbound ports (agent-initiated heartbeat)

Telnet to [required port numbers](#) on the manager to verify that a route exists, and the port is open:

```
telnet [manager IP]:4120
```

Tip: Telnet success proves most of the same things as a ping: that a route and correct firewall policy exist, and that Ethernet frame sizes are correct. (Ping is disabled on computers that use the default security policy for the manager. Networks sometimes block ICMP ping and traceroute to block attackers' reconnaissance scans. So usually, you can't ping the manager to test.)

If telnet fails, trace the route to discover which point on the network is interrupting connectivity.

- On Linux, enter the command:

```
traceroute [agent IP]
```

- On Windows, enter the command:

```
tracert [agent IP]
```

Adjust firewall policies, routes, NAT port forwarding, or all three to correct the problem. Verify both network and host-based firewalls, such as Windows Firewall and Linux iptables. For an AWS EC2 instance, see Amazon's documentation on [Amazon EC2 Security Groups for Linux Instances](#) or [Amazon EC2 Security Groups for Windows Instances](#). For an Azure VM instance, see Microsoft's Azure documentation on [modifying a Network Security Group](#).

If connectivity tests from the agent to the manager succeed, then next you must test connectivity in the other direction. (Firewalls and routers often require policy-route pairs to allow connectivity. If only 1 of the 2 required policies or routes exist, then packets will be allowed in one direction but not the other.)

Allow inbound ports (manager-initiated heartbeat)

On the manager, ping the agent and telnet to the heartbeat port number to verify that heartbeat and configuration traffic can reach the agent:

```
ping [agent IP]
```

```
telnet [agent IP]:4118
```

If the ping and telnet fail, use:

```
tracert [agent IP]
```

to discover which point on the network is interrupting connectivity. Adjust firewall policies, routes, NAT port forwarding, or all three to correct the problem.

If IPS or firewall rules are blocking the connection between the agent and the manager, then the manager cannot connect in order to unassign the policy that is causing the problem. To solve this, enter the command on the computer to reset policies on the agent:

```
dsa_control -r
```

Note: You must re-activate the agent after running this command.

Allow ICMP on Amazon AWS EC2 instances

In the AWS cloud, routers require ICMP type 3 code 4. If this traffic is blocked, connectivity between agents and the manager may be interrupted.

You can force allow this traffic in Deep Security. Either create a firewall policy with a force allow, or in the computer or policy settings, in the **Advanced Network Engine** area, enable **Force Allow ICMP type3 code4** (see ["Network engine settings" on page 458](#)).

Fix the upgrade issue on Solaris 11

A problem may occur if you previously installed Deep Security Agent 9.0 on Solaris 11, and then upgraded the agent software to 11.0 directly without first installing 9.0.0-5616 or a later 9.0 agent. In this scenario, the agent may fail to start up after the upgrade and may appear as offline in Deep Security Manager. To fix this issue:

1. Uninstall the agent from the server. See ["Uninstall Deep Security Agent" on page 1200](#).
2. Install the Deep Security Agent 11.0. See ["Install a Solaris agent" on page 257](#).
3. Re-activate the agent on the manager. See ["Activate the agent" on page 302](#).

High CPU usage

On a computer protected by Deep Security Agent, you can use these steps to determine and resolve the cause of high CPU usage.

1. Verify that the Trend Micro Deep Security Agent process (ds_agent.exe on Windows) has unusually high CPU usage. Method varies by operating system.

Windows: Task Manager

Linux: `top`

Solaris: `prstat`

AIX: `topas`

2. Verify that the agent is updated to the latest version.
3. Apply the best practices on ["Performance tips for anti-malware" on page 585](#) and ["Performance tips for intrusion prevention" on page 654](#).
4. If you have just enabled application control, wait until the initial baseline ruleset is complete. Time required varies by the number of files on the file system. The CPU usage should decrease.
5. If a recommendation scan is being performed, try running scans during a time when the computer is less busy, or (if the computer is a VM) allocating more vCPUs.
6. Temporarily disable each protection feature (anti-malware etc.), one at a time. Check CPU usage each time to determine if a specific module is the cause.
7. If high CPU usage still continues, try temporarily stopping the agent. Verify that the issue stops when the agent is stopped. If it does, [collect diagnostic information](#) and give it to your support provider.

Anti-Malware Windows platform update failed

Double-click the error message to display more detailed information. The "Message" in the error event may include:

- ["An incompatible Anti-Malware component from another Trend Micro product" below](#)
- ["An incompatible Anti-Malware component from a third-party product" on the next page](#)
- ["Other/unknown Error" on the next page](#)

An incompatible Anti-Malware component from another Trend Micro product

To solve this error:

1. Uninstall the incompatible Trend Micro product (for example, Office Scan or Endpoint Sensor).
2. Reinstall the Deep Security Agent.

An incompatible Anti-Malware component from a third-party product

To solve this error:

1. Uninstall the third-party product.
2. Reinstall the Deep Security Agent.
3. Add Deep Security to the third-party software's exception list. Contact Trend Micro support if you need assistance.

Other/unknown Error

To solve this error:

1. Uninstall and reinstall the Deep Security Agent.
2. If the error is not resolved, call Trend Micro support for assistance.

Security update connectivity

Verify the connectivity between the relay server and its Active Update source or proxy server.

1. To verify that both a route exists and that the [relay port number](#) is open, enter the command:

```
telnet [relay IP] [port number]
```

If the telnet fails, verify that a route exists and that firewall policies (if any) allow the traffic by pinging or using traceroute. Also verify that the port number is open, and doesn't have a port conflict.

2. To verify that the DNS server can resolve the domain name of the relay, enter the command:

```
nslookup [relay domain name]
```


If the test fails, verify that the agent is using the correct DNS proxy or server (internal domain names can't be resolved by a public DNS server such as Google or your ISP).

3. If you use a proxy server, on Deep Security, confirm that the [proxy settings](#) are correct.
4. To determine if your Deep Security settings are blocking connectivity, unassign the current policy.

SQL Server domain authentication problems

If you experience problems connecting to the SQL Server database when installing Deep Security Manager, follow the instructions below to troubleshoot the problem.

Note: This topic's scope is limited to Windows domain authentication issues. If you are using SQL Server Authentication instead, see ["Prepare a database for Deep Security Manager" on page 222](#) and review the configuration steps listed in that topic to troubleshoot any problems.

Tip: 'Windows domain authentication' goes by many names: Kerberos authentication, domain authentication, Windows authentication, integrated authentication, and a few others. In this topic, the terms 'Kerberos' and 'Windows domain authentication' are used.

["Step 1: Verify the host name and domain" below](#)

["Step 2: Verify the servicePrincipalName \(SPN\)" on the next page](#)

["Step 3: Verify the krb5.conf file \(Linux only\)" on page 1234](#)

["Step 4: Verify the system clock " on page 1236](#)

["Step 5: Verify the firewall " on page 1236](#)

Step 1: Verify the host name and domain

You must make sure the **Host name** field is in FQDN format and resolvable by the DNS server:

1. When you run the Deep Security Manager installer and reach the database step, make sure you specify the SQL server's FQDN. Don't input an IP address or NetBIOS host name.

Example of a valid host name: `sqlserver.example.com`

2. Make sure the FQDN is registered and resolvable by the DNS server. To check if the correct host name was configured in the DNS entry, use the `nslookup` command-line utility. This

utility can be invoked from any computer on the domain. Enter the following command:

```
nslookup <SQL_Server_FQDN>
```

where `<SQL_Server_FQDN>` is replaced with the FQDN of the SQL server. If the utility can resolve the provided FQDN successfully, then the DNS entry is configured properly. If the FQDN cannot be resolved, then configure a DNS A record and reverse record that includes the FQDN.

3. Still on the installer's database page, click **Advanced** and make sure you specify the SQL server's full domain name in the **Domain** field. The domain must include one or more dots ("."). Don't input a short domain name or NetBIOS name.

Example of a valid domain name: `example.com`

4. Check if the domain name is in FQDN format using the `nslookup` command-line utility. Enter the following command:

```
nslookup <Domain_Name>
```

where `<Domain_Name>` is replaced with the full domain name of the SQL server. If the utility can resolve the provided domain name, then it is the full domain name.

Note: Database authentication using Microsoft workgroups is not supported by Deep Security Manager 10.2 and later. For Windows domain authentication, you'll need to have installed an Active Directory domain controller, configured a domain, and added the SQL server to this domain. If there is no Active Directory domain infrastructure in your environment, you must use SQL Server Authentication instead. (To use SQL Server Authentication instead of Windows domain authentication, enter the Deep Security Manager database owner's user name and password into the **User name** and **Password** fields on the **Database** page of the manager's installer. Do not input a domain. The omission of a domain name causes SQL Server Authentication to be used. For details, see ["Microsoft SQL Server" on page 224.](#))

Step 2: Verify the servicePrincipalName (SPN)

You must make sure the servicePrincipalName (SPN) is configured correctly in Active Directory.

For Microsoft SQL Server, the SPN is in this format:

```
MSSQLSvc/<SQL_Server_Endpoint_FQDN>
```

```
MSSQLSvc/<SQL_Server_Endpoint_FQDN>:<PORT>
```

To verify that the SPN is correct, run through these tasks. At the end are some step-by-step instructions for specific use cases, references to other documentation, and debugging tips.

["Step 2a: Identify the account \(SID\) running the SQL Server service" below](#)

["Step 2b: Find the account in Active Directory" on the next page](#)

["Step 2c: Identify which FQDN to use in the SPN " on page 1226](#)

["Step 2d: Identify whether you're using a default instance or named instance " on page 1227](#)

["Case 1: Set the SPN under a local virtual account" on page 1227](#)

["Case 2: Set the SPN under a domain account" on page 1229](#)

["Case 3: Set the SPN under a Managed Service account" on page 1231](#)

["Case 4: Set the SPN for a failover cluster" on page 1233](#)

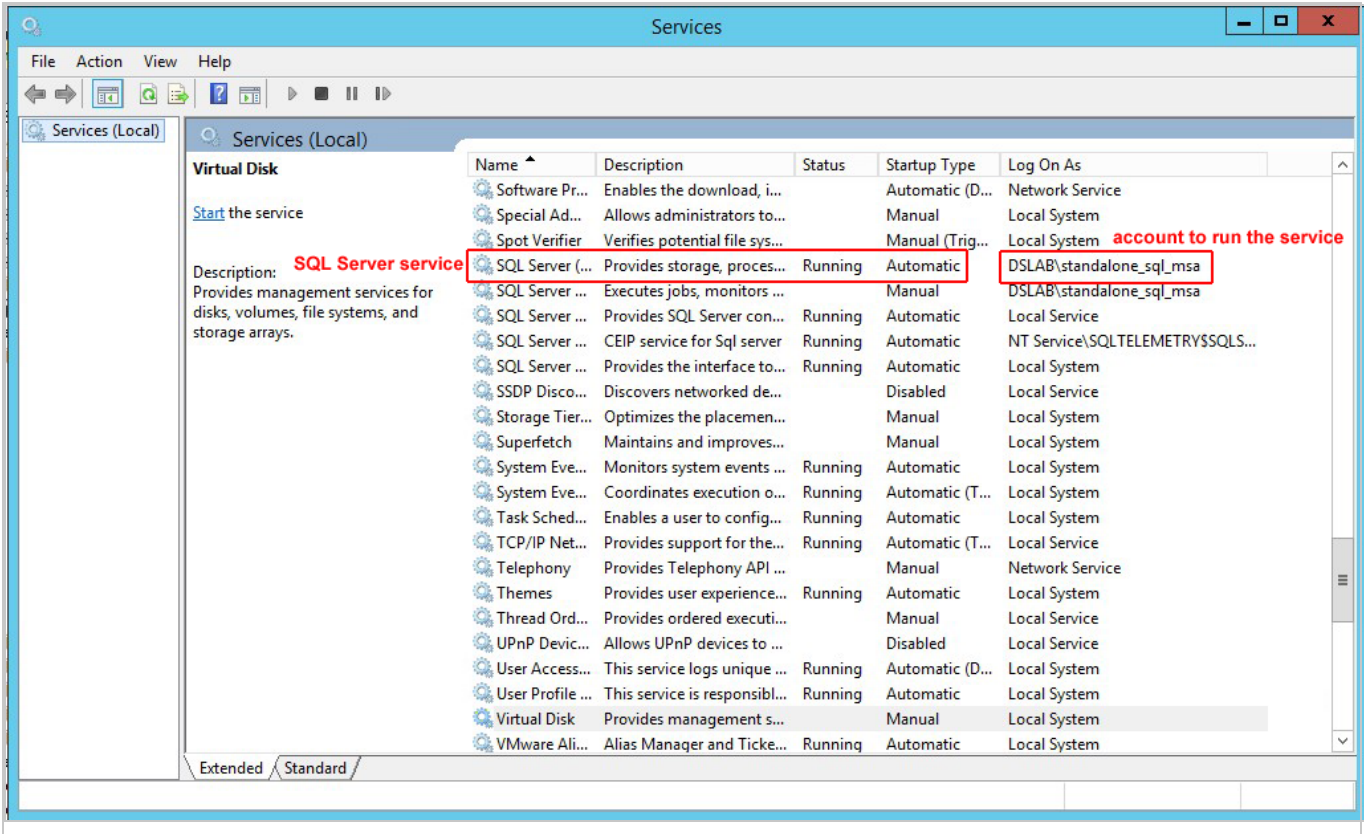
["SPN references" on page 1233](#)

["SPN debugging tips" on page 1234](#)

Step 2a: Identify the account (SID) running the SQL Server service

The SPN is configured inside the account running the SQL Server service.

To identify which account is running the SQL Server service, use the `services.msc` utility. You see the SQL Server service appear, along with the associated account.



Step 2b: Find the account in Active Directory

Once you know the name of the account running the SQL Server service, you must locate it in Active Directory. The account can be in a few possible locations depending on whether it is a local virtual account, a domain account, or a Managed Service account. The table below outlines these possible locations. You can use the ADSI Editor (`adsiedit.msc`) on the Active Directory computer to look for the different folders in Active Directory and find the account.

Account type	Name of account	Location of account in Active Directory	Description
Local virtual account	NT SERVICE\MSSQLSERVER (default instance) NT SERVICE\MSSQL\$InstanceName (named instance)	CN=Computer CN=<Computer_Name>	Services that run under virtual accounts access network resources by

Account type	Name of account	Location of account in Active Directory	Description
			using the credentials of the computer account. The default standalone SQL Server service uses this account to start up.
Domain account	A domain user name, for example, SQLServerServiceUser	CN=Users CN=<User_Name>	Services started using this account access the network resources using a domain user's credentials. SQL Server failover clusters require a domain account to run the service. The standalone SQL Server service can also be configured to use a domain account to start up.
Managed Service account	A Managed Service account name, for example SQLServerMSA	CN=Managed Service Account CN=<Account_Name>	Introduced in Windows Server 2008 R2, the Managed

Account type	Name of account	Location of account in Active Directory	Description
			Service Account resembles the domain account, but can be used to perform interactive logons. Both the standalone SQL Server service and the SQL Server cluster services can be configured to use a Managed Service account to start up.

Step 2c: Identify which FQDN to use in the SPN

For naming consistency, it is recommended that you set the SPN to the FQDN of the endpoint. The endpoint is the target to which the SQL Server client (Deep Security Manager) connects, and may be an individual SQL Server or a cluster. Consult the table below for details on which FQDN to use.

If the SQL Server installation type is...	Set the SPN to...
Standalone SQL Server	The FQDN of the host where the SQL Server is installed
Failover SQL Server cluster	The FQDN of the SQL Server cluster (individual SQL Server nodes are not the endpoint and should not be used in the FQDN)

Step 2d: Identify whether you're using a default instance or named instance

You must know whether the SQL Server was installed as a default instance or a named instance because the port number and instance name (if one was specified) need to go into the SPN.

- The default instance typically uses port 1433.
- A named instance uses a different port. To determine this port, consult [this webpage](#).

Example: If the FQDN endpoint of the SQL Server service is `sqlserver.example.com` and it is the default instance, then the SPN will be in the format:

```
MSSQLSvc/sqlserver.example.com
```

```
MSSQLSvc/sqlserver.example.com:1433
```

Another example: If the FQDN endpoint of SQL Server service is `sqlserver.example.com` and it is a named instance using port 51635 with an instance name of `DEEPSECURITY`, then the SPN will be in the format:

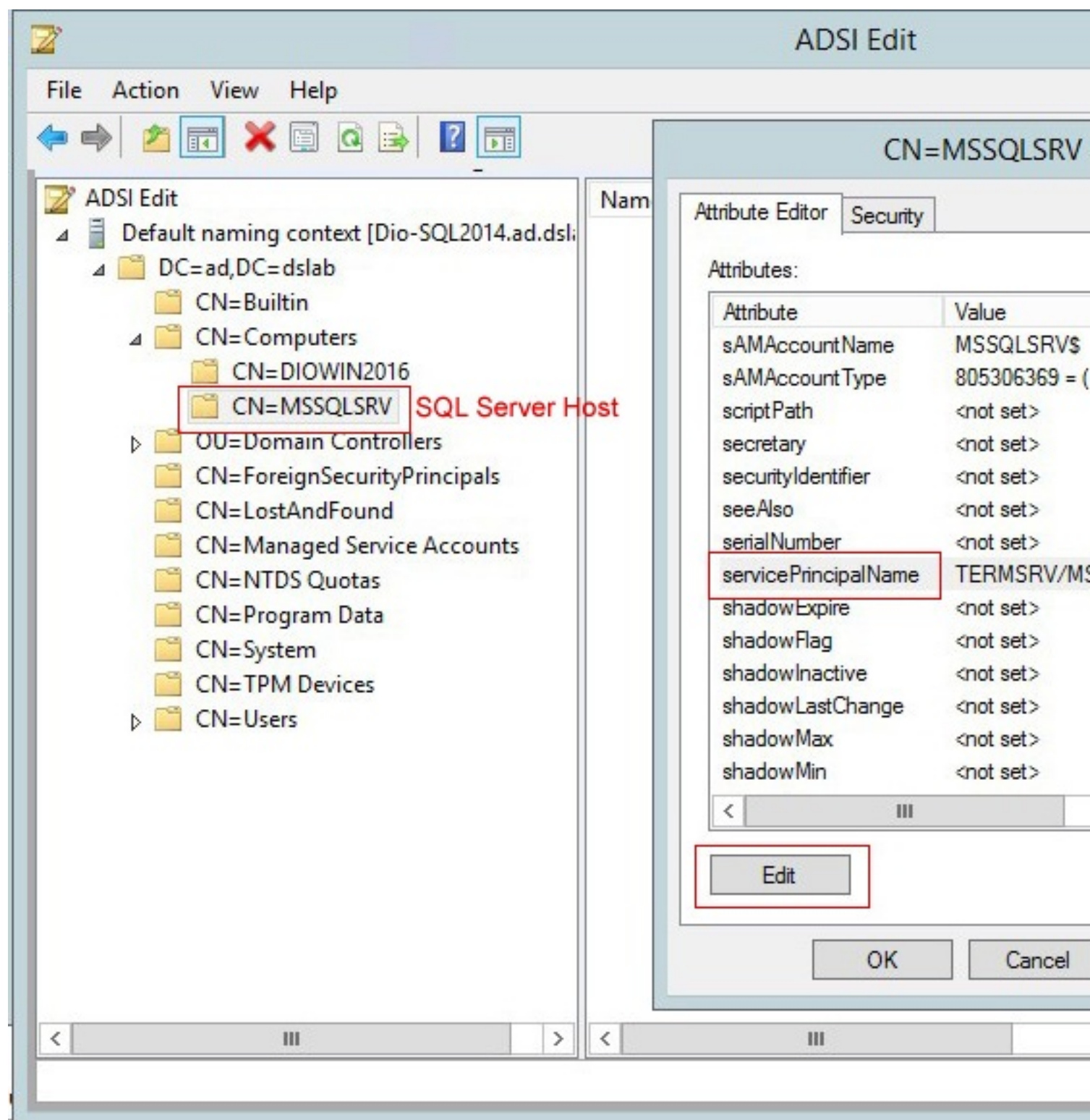
```
MSSQLSvc/sqlserver.example.com:DEEPSECURITY
```

```
MSSQLSvc/sqlserver.example.com:51635
```

Case 1: Set the SPN under a local virtual account

To set the SPN for a standalone SQL Server that runs under a local virtual account:

1. On the Active Directory computer, open `ADSIEdit.msc`. The ADSI Editor opens.
2. Locate the SQL Server host in **CN=Computers**.
3. Right-click the SQL Server host, and select **Properties**.
4. On the **Attribute Editor** tab, scroll to **servicePrincipalNames** and click the **Edit** button.
5. If the attribute values don't exist, add each one individually using the **Add** button. Click **OK**.



Case 2: Set the SPN under a domain account

The SPN configuration is similar to the local virtual account configuration except that the SPN is set in domain account (**CN=Users**) running the SQL Server service.

The screenshot shows the AD SI Edit console. The left pane displays the directory tree for 'Default naming context [DIO-ADC.dslab.com]'. The 'CN=Users' folder is selected and highlighted with a red box. The right pane shows the 'CN=SQLServerServiceUser Pro' object. The 'Security' tab is active, and the 'servicePrincipalName' attribute is highlighted with a red box, showing the value 'MSSQLSvc/SQL20'.

ADSI Edit

File Action View Help

Default naming context [DIO-ADC.dslab.com]

- DC=dslab,DC=com
 - CN=BuiltIn
 - CN=Computers
 - OU=Domain Controllers
 - CN=ForeignSecurityPrincipals
 - CN=LostAndFound
 - CN=Managed Service Accounts
 - CN=NTDS Quotas
 - CN=Program Data
 - CN=System
 - CN=TPM Devices
 - CN=Users**
 - CN=ADFS ServiceAccount
 - CN=Administrator
 - CN=Allowed RODC Password Replicat
 - CN=Cert Publishers
 - CN=Cloneable Domain Controllers
 - CN=Denied RODC Password Replicat
 - CN=DnsAdmins
 - CN=DnsUpdateProxy
 - CN=Domain Admins
 - CN=Domain Computers
 - CN=Domain Controllers
 - CN=Domain Guests
 - CN=Domain Users
 - CN=DSM DB User
 - CN=Enterprise Admins
 - CN=Enterprise Read-only Domain Cc
 - CN=Group Policy Creator Owners
 - CN=Guest
 - CN=krbtgt
 - CN=Protected Users
 - CN=RAS and IAS Servers

ADSI Edit

Name Class

CN=SQLServerServiceUser Pro

Attribute Editor Security

Attributes:

Attribute	Value
sAMAccountName	sqlserver
sAMAccountType	805306368 = (NOF
scriptPath	<not set>
secretary	<not set>
securityIdentifier	<not set>
seeAlso	<not set>
serialNumber	<not set>
servicePrincipalName	MSSQLSvc/SQL20
shadowExpire	<not set>
shadowFlag	<not set>
shadowInactive	<not set>
shadowLastChange	<not set>
shadowMax	<not set>
shadowMin	<not set>

Edit

OK Cancel

Case 3: Set the SPN under a Managed Service account

The SPN is set in the Managed Service account (**CN=Managed Service Account**) running the SQL Server service.

ADSI Edit

FileActionViewHelp

Default naming context [DIO-ADC.dslab.com]

DC=dslab,DC=com

CN=Builtin

CN=Computers

OU=Domain Controllers

CN=ForeignSecurityPrincipals

CN=LostAndFound

CN=Managed Service Accounts

CN=SQLServerMSA

CN=StandaloneSQL StandaloneSQL

CN=NTDS Quotas

CN=Program Data

CN=System

CN=TPM Devices

CN=Users

CN=ADFS ServiceAccount

CN=Administrator

CN=Allowed RODC Password Rep

CN=Cert Publishers

CN=Cloneable Domain Controller

CN=Denied RODC Password Repli

CN=DnsAdmins

CN=DnsUpdateProxy

CN=Domain Admins

CN=Domain Computers

CN=Domain Controllers

CN=Domain Guests

CN=Domain Users

CN=DSM DB User

CN=Enterprise Admins

CN=Enterprise Read-only Domain

CN=Group Policy Creator Owners

CN=Guest

CN=krbtgt

NameClass

There are no items to show

CN=SQLServerMSA

Attribute EditorSecurity

Attributes:

Attribute	Value
secretary	<not set>
securityIdentifier	<not set>
seeAlso	<not set>
serialNumber	<not set>
servicePrincipalName	MSSQLSvc/SQL
shadowExpire	<not set>
shadowFlag	<not set>
shadowInactive	<not set>
shadowLastChange	<not set>
shadowMax	<not set>
shadowMin	<not set>
shadowWaming	<not set>
showInAddressBook	<not set>
showInAdvancedVie...	<not set>

<|||

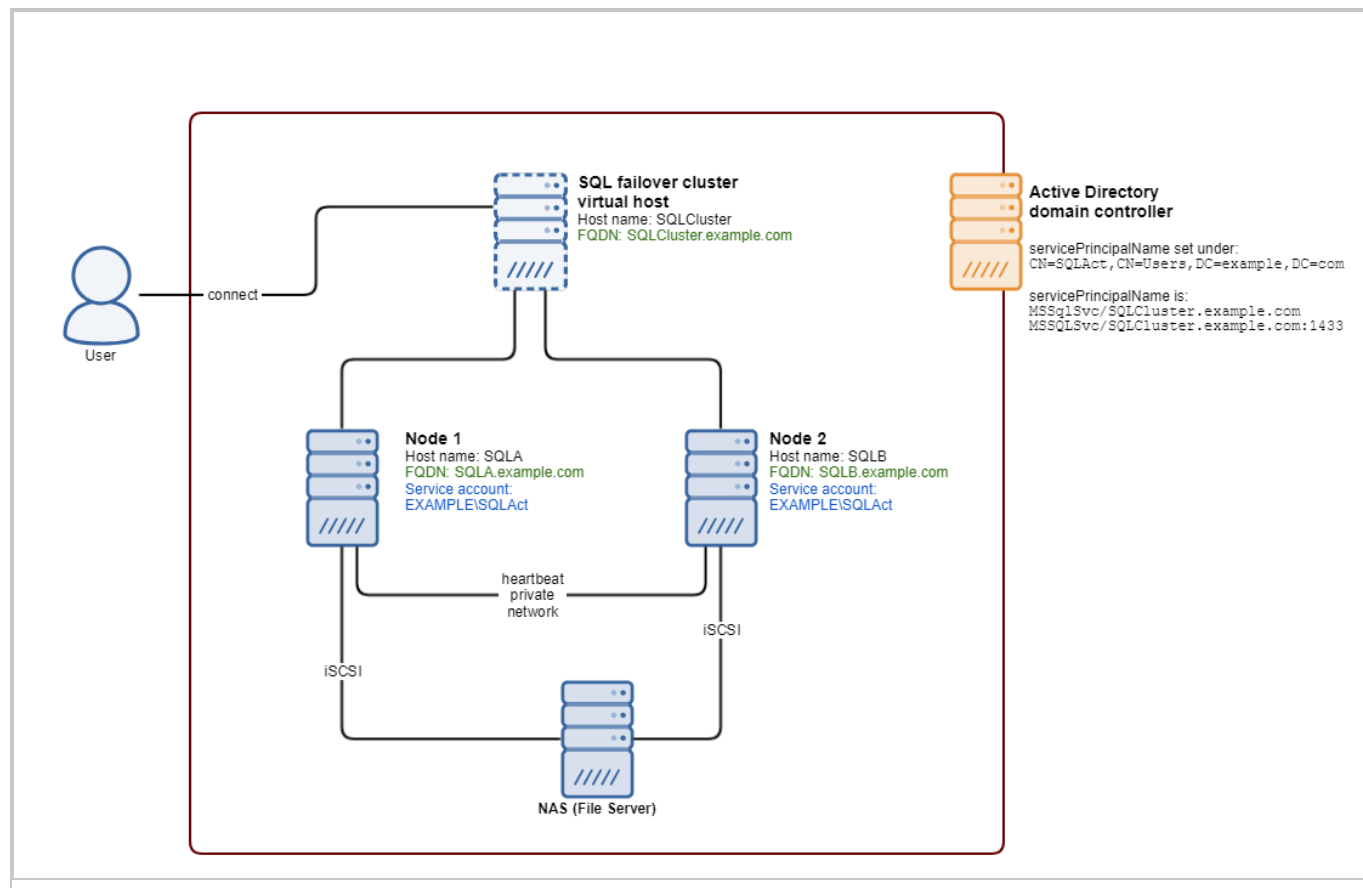
Edit

OKCancel

Managed Service Account
running SQL Server

Case 4: Set the SPN for a failover cluster

An SQL Server failover cluster can run under a domain account or a Managed Service account. Refer to "[Case 2: Set the SPN under a domain account](#)" on page 1229 or "[Case 3: Set the SPN under a Managed Service account](#)" on page 1231 for instructions. Make sure to set the SPN to the FQDN of the SQL *cluster* endpoint, not an individual SQL node.



SPN references

Below are links to Microsoft's official documents about SPN configurations:

[Register a Service Principal Name for Kerberos Connections](#)

[How to: Enable Kerberos Authentication on a SQL Server Failover Cluster](#)

SPN debugging tips

To verify that the correct SPN configuration was set, use the command line tool `setspn` to query for registered SPN entries. The command syntax is:

```
setspn -T <Full_Domain_Name> -F -Q MSSQLSvc/<SQL_Server_Endpoint_FQDN>*
```

where:

- `<Full_Domain_Name>` is replaced with the domain name of your environment.
- `<SQL_Server_Endpoint_FQDN>` is replaced with the FQDN of SQL Server.

For example: Assume that a standalone SQL Server resides at `SQL2012.dslab.com`, and runs under a local virtual account in the domain `dslab.com`. You can use command below to query all registered SPNs that have a prefix of `MSSQLSvc/SQL2012.dslab.com` and see if it is correctly configured.

```
Administrator: Command Prompt

C:\Users\Administrator>setspn -T DSLAB.com -F -Q MSSQLSvc/SQL2012.dslab.com
Checking forest DC=dslab.DC=com
CN= SQL2012, CN=Computers, DC=dslab, DC=com
MSSQLSvc/SQL2012.dslab.com:1433
MSSQLSvc/SQL2012.dslab.com
Existing SPN found!
```

SPN entry is found in CN of h providing the service

From the command result, you can then verify that the SPN has been set and registered in correct LDAP path, and in the account that is running the SQL Server service (in this case, it is the computer account).

Step 3: Verify the krb5.conf file (Linux only)

If you're installing the manager on Linux, you must make sure the `/etc/krb5.conf` exists and contains the correct domain and realm information:

1. Open or create the `/etc/krb5.conf` file in a text editor to configure Kerberos.
2. Provide the following information:

```
[libdefaults]
```

```
...
```



```

    default_realm = <DOMAIN>

    ...

[realms]

    <DOMAIN> = {

        kdc = <ACTIVE_DIRECTORY_CONTROLLER_FQDN>

        admin_server = <ACTIVE_DIRECTORY_CONTROLLER_FQDN>

    }

[domain_realm]

    .<DOMAIN FQDN> = <DOMAIN>

    <DOMAIN FQDN> = <DOMAIN>

```

where `<DOMAIN>`, `<ACTIVE_DIRECTORY_CONTROLLER_FQDN>` and `<DOMAIN_FQDN>` are replaced with your own values.

Example file:

```

[libdefaults]

    default_realm = EXAMPLE.COM

    default_tkt_enctypes = des3-hmac-sha1 des-cbc-crc

    default_tgs_enctypes = des3-hmac-sha1 des-cbc-crc

    dns_lookup_kdc = true

    dns_lookup_realm = false


[realms]

    EXAMPLE.COM = {

        kdc = kerberos.example.com

        kdc = kerberos-1.example.com

        admin_server = kerberos.example.com

    }

```

```
[domain_realm]

.example.com = EXAMPLE.COM
example.com = EXAMPLE.COM

[logging]

kdc = SYSLOG:INFO

admin_server = FILE=/var/kadm5.log
```

3. Save and close the file.

Step 4: Verify the system clock

You must make sure the system clocks on the domain controller, SQL Server, and Deep Security Manager computer are synchronized. With Kerberos, the maximum allowable clock skew is five minutes by default.

Step 5: Verify the firewall

You must make sure the firewall is not blocking the SQL connection. A default SQL Server instance allows connections through port 1433, while a named SQL Server instance uses a port that is selected at random. To find out which port to connect to, the SQL client (Deep Security Manager in this case) queries the available named instances and finds the mapping port by issuing a lookup request to the SQL Server browser service. The SQL Server browser service runs on port 1434 (UDP). Verify that your firewall configuration allows port 1433 (if you're using a default instance), or 1434 (if you're using a named instance).

Prevent MTU-related agent communication issues across Amazon Virtual Private Clouds (VPC)

Agents in different VPCs might experience problems when trying to communicate with Deep Security Manager. This could be because the network [maximum transmission unit \(MTU\)](#) supported by Amazon Web Services is 1500 and Deep Security Agent communication traffic can exceed this, which results in fragmented and dropped packets.

You can prevent this MTU-related communication issue from happening by adding a new firewall rule to all firewall policies. The key settings for this new firewall rule are shown in the image below.

General	Options	Assigned To
General Information		
Name:	New Firewall Rule	
Description:		
Action:	Force Allow	
Priority:	0 - Lowest	
Packet direction:	Incoming	
Frame Type:	IP	☐ Not
Protocol:	ICMP	☐ Not
Packet Source		
IP:	Any	☐ Not
MAC:	Any	☐ Not
Port:	Any	☐ Not
Packet Destination		
IP:	Any	☐ Not
MAC:	Any	☐ Not
Port:	Any	☐ Not
Specific Flags		
☐ Any Flags		
Type:	3 Destination Unreachable	Code: 4 Fragmentation Needed
		☐ Not
		OK Cancel

Create a diagnostic package and logs

To diagnose an issue, your support provider may ask you to send a diagnostic package containing debug information for either or both:

- [Deep Security Manager](#)
- [Deep Security Agent](#)

Deep Security Manager diagnostics

Create a diagnostic package for Deep Security Manager

1. Go to **Administration > System Information**.
2. Click **Create Diagnostic Package**.

The package will take several minutes to create. After the package has been generated, a summary will be displayed and your browser will download a ZIP file containing the diagnostic package.

Enable debug logs for Deep Security Manager

In addition to a diagnostic package, your support provider may ask you to enable diagnostic logging.

Warning: Don't enable diagnostic logging unless recommended by your support provider. Diagnostic logging can consume large amounts of disk space and increase CPU usage.

1. Go to **Administration > System Information**.
2. Click **Diagnostic Logging**.
3. In the wizard that appears, select the options requested by your support provider.

If you have a multi-tenant Deep Security Manager, and the issue that you want to diagnose only occurs with a specific tenant, select that tenant's name in the option that appears. This will focus the debug logs, and minimize performance impacts while debug logging is enabled.

Some features need more time and disk space to collect enough debug logs. For example, you might need to increase **Maximum log file size** to 25 MB and the time period to 24 hours for **Database-related Issues** and **Cloud Account Synchronization - AWS**.

Note: If you decrease **Maximum number of log files**, Deep Security Manager does not automatically delete existing log files that now exceed the maximum. For example, if you reduce from 10 to 5 log files, `server5.log` to `server9.log` would all still exist. To reclaim disk space, manually delete those files from the file system.

While diagnostic logging is running, Deep Security Manager will display the message **Diagnostic Logging enabled** on the status bar. If you changed the default options, the status bar will display the message **Non default logging enabled** upon diagnostic logging completion.

4. To find diagnostic logging files, go to the root directory of the Deep Security Manager, and look for file names with the pattern `server#.log`, such as `server0.log`.

Deep Security Agent diagnostics

For an agent, you can create a diagnostic package either:

- via the Deep Security Manager
- using the CLI on a protected computer (if the Deep Security Manager cannot reach the agent remotely)

For Linux-specific information on increasing or decreasing the anti-malware debug logging for the diagnostic package, see ["Increase debug logging for anti-malware in protected Linux instances" on page 611](#).

Your support provider may also ask you collect:

- a screenshot of Task Manager (Windows) or output from `top` (Linux), `topas` (AIX), or `prstat` (Solaris)
- [debug logs](#)
- [Perfmon log](#) (Windows) or Syslog
- [memory dumps](#) (Windows) or core dumps (Linux, [Solaris](#), AIX)

Create an agent diagnostic package via Deep Security Manager

Note: Deep Security Manager must be able to connect to an agent remotely to create a diagnostic package for it. If the Deep Security Manager cannot reach the agent remotely, or if the agent is using agent-initiated activation, you must create the diagnostic package directly from the agent.

1. Go to **Computers**.
2. Double-click the name of the computer you want to generate the diagnostic package for.
3. Select the **Actions** tab.
4. Under **Support**, click **Create Diagnostics Package**.
5. Click **Next**.

The package will take several minutes to create. After the package has been generated, a summary will be displayed and your browser will download a ZIP file containing the diagnostic package.

Note: When the **System Information** checkbox is selected, it might create a huge diagnostic package that could have a negative impact on performance. The checkbox is greyed out if you are not a primary tenant or do not have the proper viewing rights.

Create an agent diagnostic package via CLI on a protected computer

Linux, AIX, or Solaris

1. Connect to the server that you want to generate the diagnostic package for.
2. Enter the command:

```
sudo /opt/ds_agent/dsa_control -d
```

The output shows the name and location of the diagnostic package: `/var/opt/ds_agent/diag`

Windows

1. Connect to the computer that you want to generate the diagnostic package for.
2. Open a command prompt as an administrator, and enter the command.

In PowerShell:

```
& "%Program Files%\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\dsa_control" -d
```

In cmd.exe:

```
cd C:\Program Files\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent
```

```
dsa_control.cmd -d
```

The output shows the name and location of the diagnostic package:

```
C:\ProgramData\Trend Micro\Deep Security Agent\diag
```

Collect debug logs with DebugView

On Windows computers, you can collect debug logs using DebugView software.

Warning: Only collect debug logs if your support provider asks for them. During debug logging, CPU usage will increase, which will make high CPU usage issues worse.

1. Download the [DebugView utility](#).
2. If self-protection is enabled, disable it.
3. Stop the Trend Micro Deep Security Agent service.
4. In the C:\Windows directory, create a plain text file named ds_agent.ini.
5. In the ds_agent.ini file, add this line:

```
trace=*
```

6. Launch DebugView.exe.
7. Go to **Menu > Capture**.
8. Enable these settings:
 - **Capture Win32**
 - **Capture Kernel**
 - **Capture Events**
9. Start the Trend Micro Deep Security Agent service.
10. Export the information in DebugView to a CSV file.
11. Re-enable self-protection if you disabled it at the beginning of this procedure.

Increase verbose diagnostic package process memory

In environments with a large number of hosts (for example, 10,000 hosts or more,) the verbose diagnostic package process (`dsm_c.exe`) may run out of memory while creating the diagnostic package. To prevent this, you can increase the memory allocated to the verbose diagnostic package JVM process to 2 GB.

1. Go to the Deep Security Manager installation directory.
2. Create a new file with the name "dsm_c.vmoptions".
3. Open the file and add the line `-Xmx2g`.

Note: If 2 GB of memory is not enough, you can further increase the allocated memory by changing the value in the above line (for example, `-Xmx4g` for 4 GB or `-Xmx6g` for 6 GB).

4. Save the file and run `dsm_c.exe`.