SonicWall[®] Analytics CONSOLE

Administration



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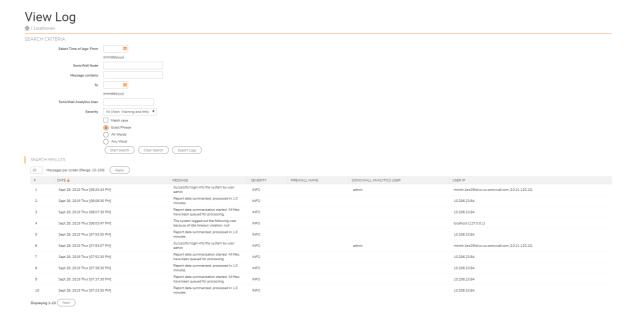
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Console Introduction

This document describes the **CONSOLE** function for on-premises Analytics. This is a management function where you can set the parameters for the on-premises Analytics features. For example, you can manage the license, set the thresholds for IPM, and set your log configurations, and so forth. Both Syslog-based Analytics and IPFIX-based Analytics are included.

When accessing the Analytics **CONSOLE**, the default page is View Log (**CONSOLE** > Log > View Log), which is the same for Syslog-based and IPFIX-based Analytics.



In addition to the log information in the main window, several icons appear in the top right corner.

Icons

Description

System Status icons









Provide system status. Click on the individual icons for more detail. The color of the icon indicates the status. A color other than green, indicates that features needs attention.

- CPU/Processor
- Memory/RAM
- Storage/Disk
- Estimated Capacity

Alerts and Notifications Center



Available only for IPFIX-based Analytics. Click to open the Alerts and Notifications Center. The number on the icon indicates the number of unacknowledged alerts.

Icons	Description
Online Help	Accesses the online help and the Analytics API.
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User ID	Indicates the user, the product version, and allows you to log out of the application.

Contents

This document supports both IPFIX-based reporting and Syslog-based reporting. Some of the features are the same in both styles; some features are specific to one style of reporting. The table below describes which chapters apply to which type of Analytics.

Contents for Syslog-Based Reporting
Appliance
Diagnostics
IPM
Log
Management
Reports
Licenses

Related Documents

The following documents provide additional information about Analytics or related firewall management applications:

- Analytics HOME Administration
- Analytics REPORTS Administration
- ANALYTICS Administration
- Analytics NOTIFICATIONS Administration

Appliance

This chapter describes the **Appliance** command option for IPFIX-based, on-premises Analytics. With this command, you can switch between **CONSOLE** mode and **Appliance** mode.

Topics:

- Switching Between Modes
- System
- Network
- Deployment
- IPM

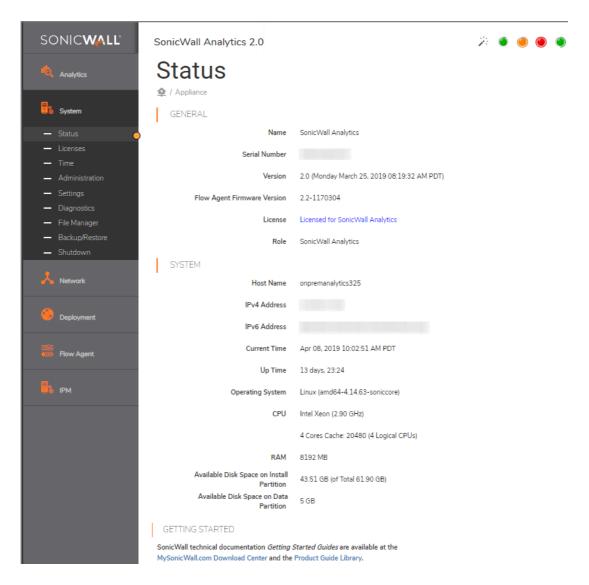
Switching Between Modes

When you first select the **CONSOLE** view, the **Appliance** option is visible in the command menu. From here you can access the firewalls associated with you implementation.

To switch to the Appliance view:

- 1 Navigate to **CONSOLE > Appliance**.
- 2 Click the second **Appliance** link.

The menu options change to reflect the commands you can run against the appliance you selected. The **Appliance** command changes to **Analytics**, and the **System** command appears with several options you can define.



To return to the CONSOLE view:

- 1 Click on Analytics.
- 2 Select Console.

The menu options change back to the console management commands.

System

System command on the left navigation panel allows you to access the firewalls in your implementation and get information about them. You can also perform some basic administrative tasks on the firewall. After the System command is expanded, you see its sub-commands, which are listed below:

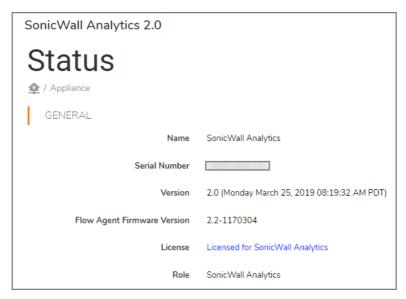
- Status
- Licenses
- Time
- Administration

- Settings
- Diagnostics
- File Manager
- Backup/Restore
- Shutdown

Status

The **System > Status** page provides general information about the systems you are running. The Status sections are:

• **GENERAL:** Lists the product name, serial number, version, flow agent firmware version, license, and role.



• **SYSTEM:** Gives the host name, IPv4/6 addresses, the time, up time, the OS, CPU, RAM, and available disk space on Install and Data partitions.



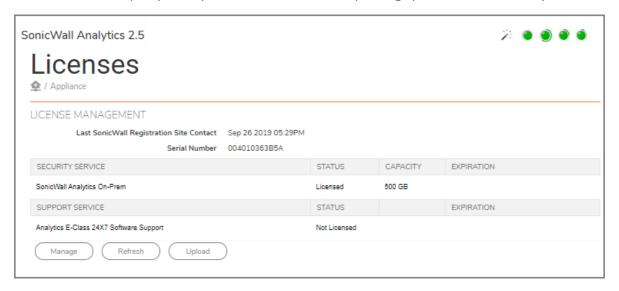
• **GETTING STARTED**: Gives useful information on how access information for your on-premises system.

GETTING STARTED

SonicWall technical documentation *Getting Started Guides* are available at the MySonicWall.com Download Center and the Product Guide Library.

Licenses

The **System > Licenses** page identifies the status and types of your licenses. You can use this page to manage, refresh or upload licenses. It also includes information about the security service and support service that may be licensed or not. Capacity and expiration are also listed to help manage your licenses more easily.



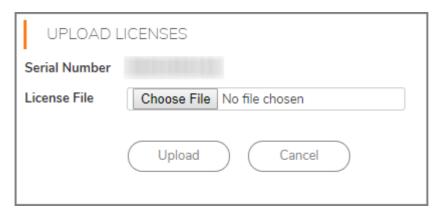
Use the three buttons at the bottom of the Licenses table to manage the data.

1 Click the **Manage** button to see your license **Serial Number** at the top right of the popup window that displays.



- Enter your MySonicWall username/email in the text field provided.
- Enter your Password in the text field provided.

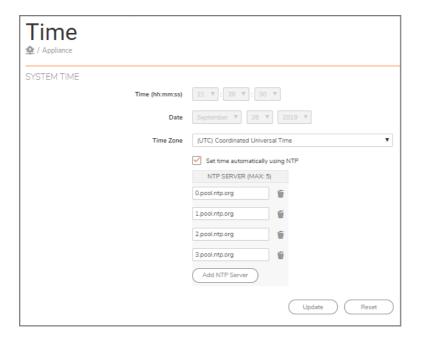
- Click **LOGIN** to see your license details.
- Click the Forgot your Username or Password? link if needed.
- Click Return to License Summary to go back to the Licenses page.
- 2 Click **Refresh** to update your Licenses page view.
- 3 Click the **Upload** button to access the **UPLOAD LICENSES** popup window.



- Find your license Serial Number under UPLOAD LICENSES.
- Click Choose File to browse for your license document to upload.
- Click **Upload** to finish transferring your license.
- Click Cancel to call off your selection.

Time

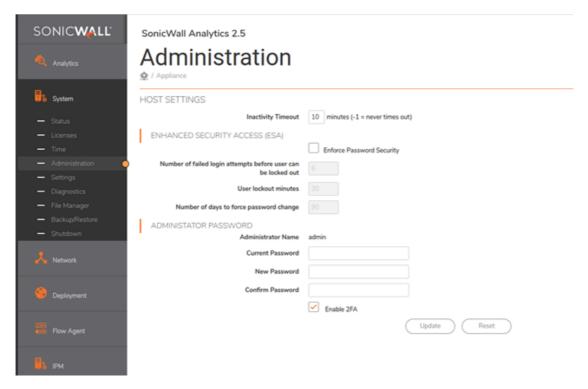
The **System > Time** page shows the time that is used for the system time stamp. You can reset the time here or choose another time zone to operate in. You can also automatically configure the date and time using NTP servers.



- 1 To manually select the time, under **SYSTEM TIME**, select the **Time**, **Date**, and **Time Zone**.
- 2 To automatically set the time using an NTP server, select Set time automatically using Network Time Protocol (NTP).
- 3 Enter the NTP Server addresses you want to synchronize in the text fields provided. The maximum is 5.
- 4 Click Add NTP Server and enter the IP address or domain name of the NTP server.
 - (i) NOTE: The system time automatically adjusts the clock for daylight saving time.
- 5 Click **Update** to submit your system time configuration changes.
- 6 Alternatively, click **Reset** to reset the system time to factory defaults.

Administration

The **System > Administration** page helps you ensure the proper management and configuration of your on-premises Analytics system. It has three sections: **HOST SETTINGS**, **ENHANCED SECURITY ACCESS (ESA)**, and **ADMINISTRATOR PASSWORD**.



- 1 Under **HOST SETTINGS**, enter the number of minutes of inactivity allowed before the session is logged out. A setting of -1 allows an unlimited amount of inactivity without being logged out.
- 2 Under **ENHANCED SECURITY ACCESS (ESA)**, check the box next to **Enforce Password Security**, if desired, and adjust the settings.
 - The Number of failed login attempts before user can be locked out is 6 by default.
 - The number of **User lockout minutes** is 30 by default.
 - The Number of days to force a password change is 90 by default.
- 3 Under ADMINISTRATOR PASSWORD, check the Administrator Name, which is shown next to the entry.
 - Enter your **Current Password** in the text field provided.

- Enter your New Password in the text field provided.
- Confirm Password in the text field provided.
- Click Update to make your changes.
- Click on **Enable 2FA** to enable two-factor authentication.
- Click **Reset** to revert the fields on the page to their default settings.

Settings

The **System > Settings** page provides the **FIRMWARE UPGRADE/SERVICE PACK/HOTFIX** for your system. To keep your system secure, keep it up to date with the latest SonicWall security patches and service packs.

The page also lists the system **Current Version** with its build information in parenthesis. For example: **(Build: 2507.2007 - Friday September 06, 2019 03:54:30 PM PDT)**.



(i) NOTE: If you do not have the proper support licenses, a warning message with a red exclamation mark informs you that the product does not have valid support to download software updates. You can continue to apply hotfixes and service packs manually. For a major upgrade you need the proper product support license.

To upgrade your firmware, service pack, or hotfit:

- 1 Click the **here** link, next to the **Current Version**, for your system upgrade history of all hotfixes and firmware updates.
- 2 Click **Choose File** to find the file you wish to upload.
- 3 Click Apply.

Diagnostics

The **System > Diagnostics** page offers a debug setting that can help you diagnose issues more quickly. This action creates debug log files on all the SonicWall Analytics systems in this deployment, but it could hamper application performance by filling up disk space. You should reset to No Debug for normal operation as soon as the potential issue has been resolved.

- (i) IMPORTANT: The debug level should only be set based on guidance from SonicWall Customer Support.
- **IMPORTANT:** When a higher the debug level is selected, more system resources are used to generate debug data and this, in turn, may lower the overall system performance.

A **debug log** records database operations, system processes, and errors that can occur in your system. **Test connectivity** lists the end-to-end connectivity between networked devices. **System log files** record all the events happening in your network.

Debug Log Settings

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Note: -The debug level should only be set based on guidance from Sonic/Wall Technical Support -The higher the debug level, the more the system resources that will be used up to generate debug data and in turn lower the overall system performance.
System Debug Level No Debug •
Update Reset

To set the debug level when instructed by SonicWall Customer Support:

- 1 Choose the **System Debug Level** from the drop-down choices:
 - No Debug
 - Level 1 (Codepath)
 - Level 2 (Simple)
 - Level 3 (Logic)
 - Level 4 (Detailed)
 - Level 5 (Highly Detailed)
- 2 Click **Update** to make your changes.
- 3 Click **Reset** to start again.

Reporting DB Debug Log Settings

Setting debug levels allows for faster troubleshooting of potential application issues. This action increases the log level of the reporting database in this deployment. This actions can fill up disk space and impact performacne. You should reset to **Min Logs** for normal operation as soon as the potential issue has been resolved.

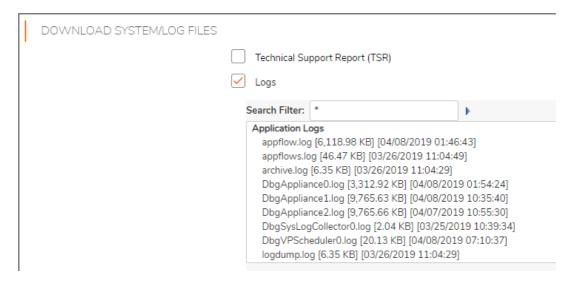


To set the Reporting DB Debug Log Settings:

- 1 Specify whether you want **Min Logs** or **Detail Logs** from the drop-down list next to **Reporting DB Debug Level:**
- 2 Select License Manager Connectivity to test against the host name, lm2.sonicwall.com
- 3 Select SMTP Server Connectivity to change it in the Deployment > Settings screen.
- 4 Select Ping and enter the Host Name or IP Address of the server to ping in the text field provided.
- 5 Select **Probe Test** and enter the Host Name or IP Address of the server to probe.
 - The port to use can be specified after the host name, separated by a colon. Use square brackets to enclose an IPv6 Address when the port number is also specified. For example, [2604:b00:a:2:0:1:df96:c605]:1234
- 6 Click **Test**.

Download System/Log Files

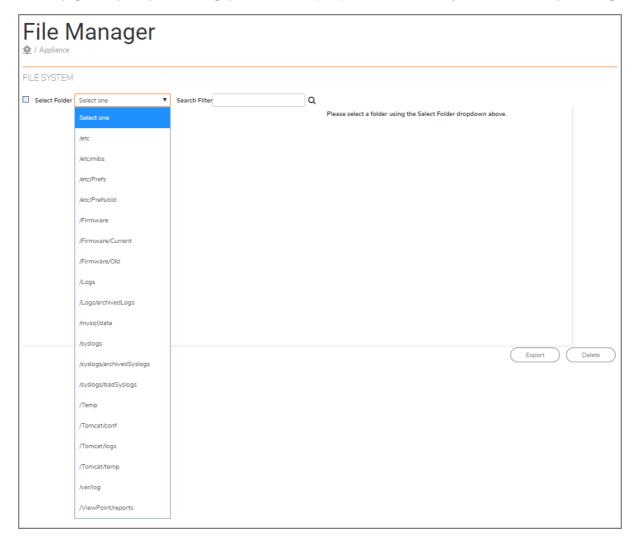
You can download system and log files to monitor your system activity and troubleshoot problems. The system/log files section of the Diagnostics page displays up to 301 archived files. The files are divided into **Application Logs**, **System Logs**, and **Web Server Logs**.



- 1 Click the check box next to **Technical Support Report (TSR)** to collect diagnostic information for your system.
- 2 Click the check box next to **Logs** to enable the **Search Filter** box.
- 3 In the Search Filter text field, specify filters to narrow your search. See the examples below:
 - *.log for files with extension log
 - *.?? for files with 3-letter extensions ending in 'g'
- 4 Click **Export** to download your system/log files to your computer.

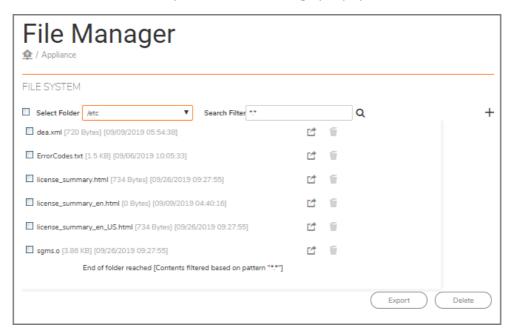
File Manager

The **System > File Manager** page helps you manage your system files efficiently and easily. Administrators often use this page to export system settings preference files (/etc) to another directory location for backup archiving.

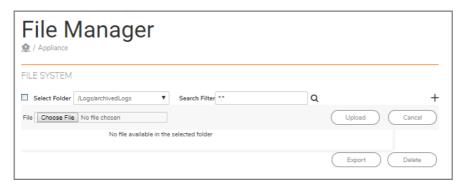


- 1 Under FILE SYSTEM, check the box next to Select Folder.
- 2 Choose one of 19 folders from the drop-down menu. The choices are:
 - /etc
 - /etc/mibs
 - /etc/Prefs
 - /etc/Prefs/old
 - /Firmware
 - /Firmware/Current
 - /Firmware/Old
 - /Logs
 - /Logs/archivedLogs
 - /mysql/data
 - /syslogs
 - /syslogs/archivedSyslogs
 - /syslogs/badSyslogs
 - /Temp
 - /Tomcat/conf
 - /Tomcat/logs
 - /Tomcat/temp
 - /var/log
 - /ViewPoint/reports

3 Check the box next to the file you want. Each file category displays different content.



- 4 Click the **Export** icon next to your file to download it.
- 5 Click the **Delete** icon next to your file to delete it.
- 6 In the **Search Filter** text field, specify filters to narrow your search.



- 7 Click the plus + icon in the top right of the table to **Choose File** to upload to your selected folder. The file management dialog box displays.
- 8 In the file management dialog box, navigate to the file you would like to upload and click Upload.
- 9 The selected file is now displayed next to Choose File. Click **Upload** to complete the file manager import.
- 10 For managing a batch of files, select multiple files from the list and click **Export** or **Delete**.

Backup/Restore

The **System > Backup/Restore** page helps you schedule and create immediate snapshots of configuration settings and data on your system. You need a minimum of 10GB of free disk space to perform a backup/restore operation. Navigate to **System > Status** to check your available disk space.

Creating a Backup

- 1 Navigate to **System > Backup/Restore**. Click on **Backup Now**.
 - a Basic contains "Configuration Files & Add Unit.xml files".
 - b Application contains "Configuration Files, Add Unit.xml files, Database & Settings".
 - c Complete contains "Configuration Files, Add Unit.xml files, Database & Settings and Reporting Database".



2 Select "Basic or Application or Complete" based on your requirement. Click OK.

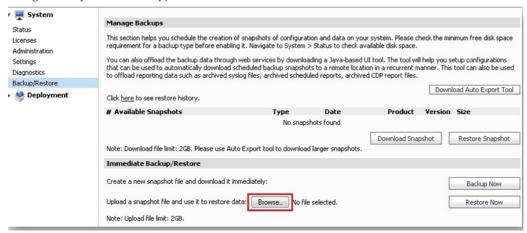


3 A zipped folder of the Backup Snapshot will be downloaded.

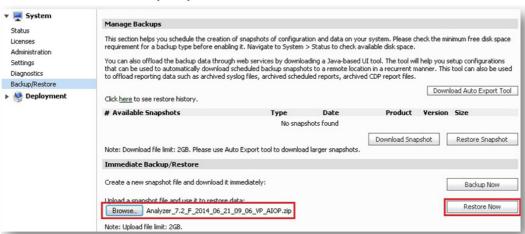
Restoring a Backup

Application and complete backups can only be restored to the same version they were generated from. To perform a restore of your Backup:

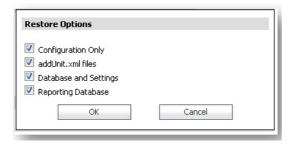
1 Navigate to **System > Backup/Restore**. Click on **Browse**.



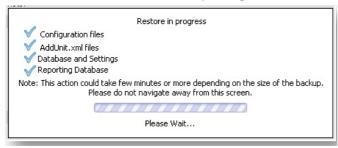
2 Browse and select the Backup Snapshot file. Once the file is selected click on Restore Now.



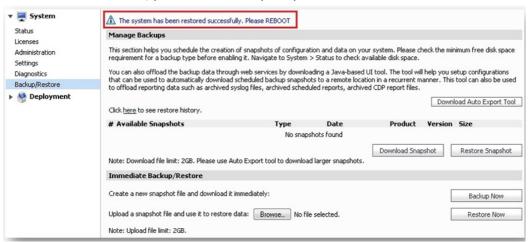
3 Select the required files and click OK. All the available options available are selected for restore by default.



4 The restore will take few minutes depending on the size of the backup.



5 After the files are restored, you need to reboot your system.



- 6 After a successful reboot, the configuration and database from the backup will be applied to Analytics.
- 7 If the restoration needs to be done on a different server, the username & password should be the same as on the old server, while creating the database.

Shutdown

This section allows you to shut down or restart your system. You can temporarily disconnect users and stop services. If you made any changes to the settings, be sure to apply them before you restart or shut down. The process of restarting generally takes about three minutes.



- 1 To restart your system, click **Restart** and then click **OK** in the confirmation dialog box.
- 2 To shut down your system, click **Shutdown** and then click **OK** in the confirmation dialog box.

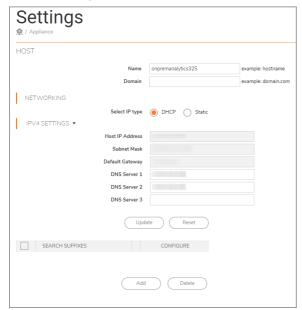
Network

Network is the third command on the left navigation panel for on-premises Analytics. After the Network command is expanded, you see its sub-commands, which are listed below. The sub-commands allow the administrator to configure Network-related settings.

- Settings
- Routes

Settings

The **Network > Settings** page provides network settings configuration procedures for **HOST**, **NETWORKING**, **IPV4 SETTINGS**, and **SEARCH SUFFIXES**.



Host Settings

To configure host settings:

- 1 Enter the host **Name** in the text field provided.
- 2 Enter the host **Domain** name in the text field provided.
- 3 Click **Update** to apply the host and networking settings changes.
- 4 Click **Reset** to restore these settings to previous saved values.

Networking Settings

To configure networking settings:

- 1 Select IP type by clicking the radio button next to DHCP or Static.
- 2 Click **Update** to apply the host and networking settings changes.
- 3 Click **Reset** to restore these settings to factory defaults.

IPV4 Settings

To configure IPV4 settings:

- 1 Enter the **Host IP Address**, **Subnet Mask**, **Default Gateway**, and optionally enter **DNS Server 1**, **2** and **3 IP** addresses.
- 2 Click **Update** to apply the host and networking settings changes.
- 3 Click **Reset** to restore these settings to factory defaults.

Search Suffixes

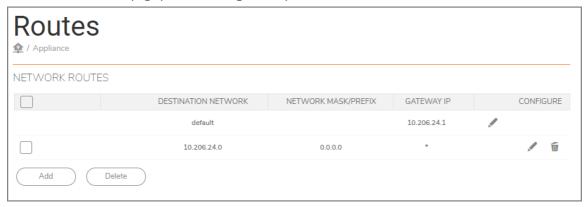
Search Suffixes lets you automatically append a DNS suffix. For example, when you ping "sonicwall" it automatically goes to "sonicwall.engineering."

To configure Search Suffixes:

- 1 Click Add to include multiple search suffixes.
- 2 Check the box next to the **Search Suffixes** list to remove search Suffixes.
- 3 Click Delete.

Routes

The **Network > Routes** page provides configuration procedures to add network routes.



To add a network route:

1 In the **NETWORK ROUTES** table, click **Add**.



- 2 Enter a **DESTINATION NETWORK** IP address,.
- 3 Enter the **NETWORK MASK/PREFIX**.
- 4 Enter the GATEWAY address.
- 5 Click Add.
- 6 Click Cancel to null your choice.
- 7 To edit the default network route, click the **Edit** icon under the **CONFIGURE** column.
- 8 When multiple network routes are added to the list, selecting the check box at the top left of the page selects all the added network routes.
- 9 Click **Delete** to remove a network route from the list.

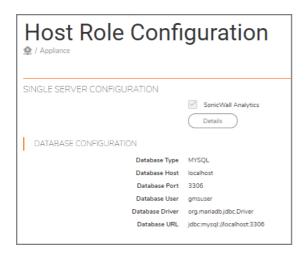
Deployment

Use the **Deployment** command to set various deployment features

- Roles (for Syslog-based reporting only)
- Settings
- Services

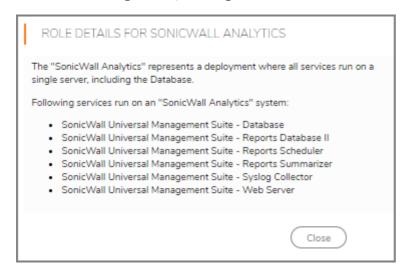
Roles

The **Deployment > Roles** page is divided into two sections: **SINGLE SERVER CONFIGURATION** and **DATABASE CONFIGURATION**.



(i) NOTE: The Roles option is only available on the Syslog-based Analytics.

Click **Details** to see the **ROLE DETAILS FOR SONICWALL ANALYTICS**, which represents a deployment where all services run on a single server, including the database.



Click Close when finished.

The **DATABASE CONFIGURATION** section provides details of the configuration.

Settings

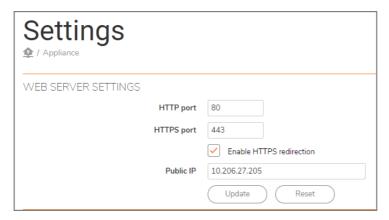
The **Deployment > Settings** page is divided into three sections: **WEB SERVER SETTINGS**, **SMTP CONFIGURATION**, and **SSL ACCESS CONFIGURATION**.

Configuring Web Server Settings

- 1 Enter the HTTP port number in the text field provided. The default port is 80.
 - If you enter another port in this field, the port number must be specified when accessing the appliance management interface. For example, if port 8080 is entered, the appliance management interface would be accessed with the URL: http://<IPAddress>:8080/appliance/.
- 2 Enter the **HTTPS port** number in the text field provided. The default port is 443.

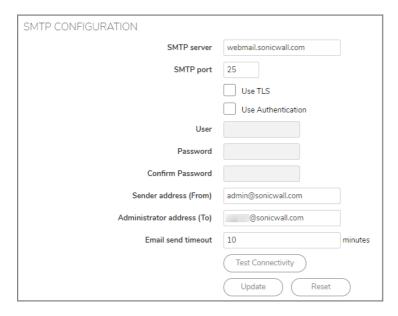
If you enter another port in this field, the port number must be specified when accessing the appliance management interface. For example, if port 4430 is entered, the appliance management interface would be accessed with the URL: https://<IPAddress>4430/appliance/.

- 3 Check the box next to Enable HTTPS redirection to redirect HTTP to HTTPS when accessing the firewall interface.
- 4 Enter the **Public IP address** in the text field provided.
- 5 Click **Update** when you are finished configuring the web server settings.
- 6 Click **Reset** to refresh your settings.



Configuring SMTP Settings

The **SMTP CONFIGURATION** section allows you to configure an SMTP server, an SMTP port, a sender email address, and an administrator email address. You can also test connectivity to the configured server.



To configure the SMTP settings:

- 1 Type the FQDN or IP address of the **SMTP server**.
- 2 Type the **SMTP port** in the text field provided. The default is **25**.
- 3 Check the box next to Use TLS if you would like to use Transport Layer Security (TLS) for your mail server connectivity.

- 4 If you want the SMTP server in your deployment to require authentication, enable the **Use**Authentication check box. This option is necessary to properly send all outgoing emails to the intended recipients.
- 5 Enter the **User** name for authentication in the text field provided.
- 6 Enter the **Password** for authentication in the text field provided.
- 7 **Confirm Password** in the text field provided.
- 8 Type the email address from which mail is sent into the Sender address (From) field.
- 9 Type the email address of the system administrator into the Administrator address (To) field.
- 10 Enter the number of minutes in the Email send timeout field. The default is 10 minutes.
- 11 To test connectivity to the SMTP server, click **Test Connectivity**.
- 12 To apply your changes, click **Update**.

Configuring SSL Access

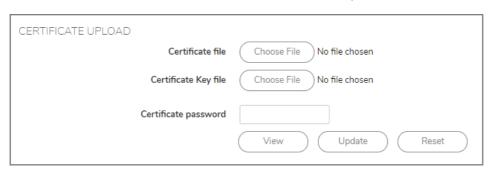
The **SSL ACCESS CONFIGURATION** section allows you to configure and upload a custom Keystore/Certificate file for SSL access to SonicWall Analytics, or select the default local keystore.

To configure SSL access:

- 1 Select **Default** to keep, or revert to, the default settings.
 - This selection allows you to keep the default certificate that comes with the application for use by the SonicWall Analytics Web Server for SSL access. Filename for the keystore used is **gmssvpserver**.
- 2 Select **Custom** to upload a custom keystore certificate for SSL access.

This selection allows you to upload a customer certificate for use by the SonicWall Analytics Web Server for SSL access. The original filename of the certificate imported is replaced with **gmsvpservercustom** in the local file system.

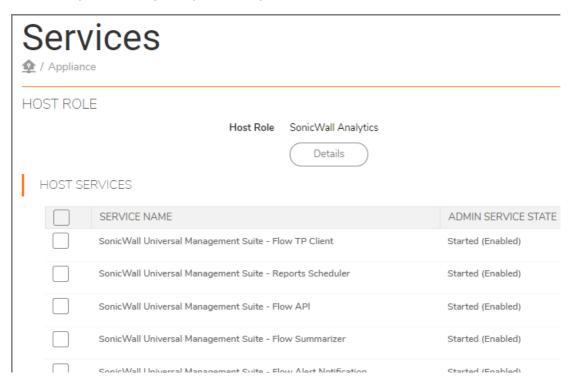
- **NOTE:** The upload can be performed on either of the following ways:
 - Directly as a certificate: the certificate file (.crt/.cer), its corresponding key file (.key) and the
 password are required.
 - Using a keystore: The keystore and the store password are required, which would be converted and stored as a certificate.
- 3 Under CERTIFICATE UPLOAD section, click Choose File to select your Certificate file.



- 4 Click Choose File to select your Certificate Key file.
- 5 Type the password for the certificate file into the **Certificate password** field.
- 6 Click View to display details about your keystore certificate.
- 7 Click **Update** to submit your changes.

Services

The **Deployment > Services** page provides a list of the services that are running on your system and their current state. It also provides a way to stop or start any of the services.



Click **Details** to see the role details for Analytics. To manage a the Host Services, select a service and click **Disable**, **Enable**, or **Restart**.

Flow Agent

The **Flow Agent** option is only visible for IPFIX-based Analytics. The flow agent collectes data pertaining to applications and transactions in the network infrastructure. It helps give greater visibility to application traffic utilization and performance.

The Flow Agent option at CONSOLE > Appliance > Appliance > Flow Agent is the same information displayed at CONSOLE > Flow Agent. This allows you to view flow agent information when in either Appliance mode or CONSOLE mode. For more details about IPM, refer to Flow Agent.

IPM

Intelligent Platform Management (IPM) monitors the performance of system resources like CPU, RAM, and disk space. The IPM option at CONSOLE > Appliance > Appliance > IPM is the same information displayed at CONSOLE > IPM. This allows you to view IPM information when in either Appliance mode or CONSOLE mode. For more details about IPM, refer to IPM

Diagnostics

This chapter describes the **Debug Log Settings** and **Summarizer Status** that Analytics **CONSOLE** provides for diagnostics.

Topics:

- Debug Log Settings
- Summarizer Status

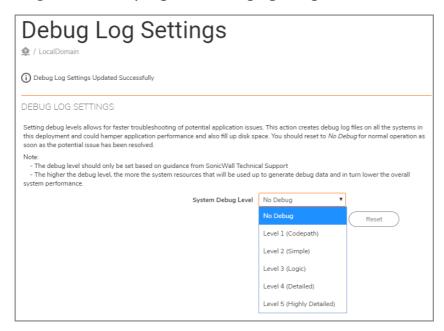
Debug Log Settings

The **Diagnostics > Debug Log Settings** page allows you to set debug levels for faster troubleshooting of potential application issues. This action creates debug log files in a single-server deployment. The system has log rotation so the disk does not fill up. Because of the potential performance degradation, you should only set a debug level based on guidance from SonicWall Customer Support. When done debugging, you should reset the debug log settings back to **No Debug** as soon as the potential issue has been resolved.

- NOTE: The higher the debug level, more the system resources are used to generate debug data causing lower the overall system performance.
- (i) IMPORTANT: The Debug Log Settings are intended for use only under the direction of SonicWall Customer Support.

To set the debug level when instructed by SonicWall Technical Support:

1 Navigate to CONSOLE | Diagnostics > Debug Log Settings.



- 2 Select one of the following from the **System Debug Level** drop-down list:
 - No Debug
 - Level 1 (Codepath)
 - Level 2 (Simple)
 - Level 3 (Logic)
 - Level 4 (Detailed)
 - Level 5 (Highly Detailed)

The No Debug level setting provides no debug information, and the Level 5 (Highly Detailed) setting provides the maximum debug information.

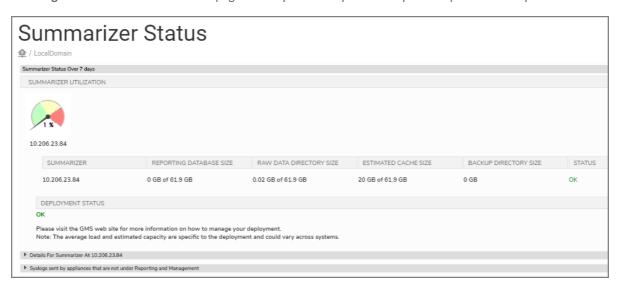
- 3 Click **Update** to make your changes.
- 4 Click **Reset** to start again.

Be sure to reset the level to No Debug for normal operation as soon as the potential issue has been resolved.

Summarizer Status

The Summarizer Status option is only available on Syslog-based Analytics.

The Diagnostics > Summarizer Status page allows you to see your activity for the past seven days:



NOTE: The average load and estimated capacity are specific to the deployment and could vary across systems.

Sections of the **Summarizer Status** page can be expanded to see more information:

- Summarizer Details
- Syslogs Details

Summarizer Details

Click the down arrow next to **Details for Summarizer**. Several other section are also expanded and show related information:

- SUMMARIZER UTILIZATION
- DATA FILE INFORMATION
- SUMMARIZER PROCESS DETAILS
- OPTIMIZATION INFORMATION

▼ Details For Summarizer At 10.206.23.84	
▼ SUMMARIZER UTILIZATION	
Average Summarizer Utilization Peak Summarizer Utilization Average Run Time Per Day: Average Syslog Summarized (million/day) Average Syslog Summarized Per Minute	1% 1% 0h:0m:11s 0.08 408,923.62
▼ DATA FILE INFORMATION	
DATA FILE TYPE FILE STATS OLDEST	
Reporting Database 0 MB	
Backup Files 0 MB	
Unprocessed Files 0 Files - 0 MB	
Archived Files 24 Files - 23.47 MB Tue Sep 10 00:07:28 GMT 2019	
Invalid Log Files 0 Files - 0 MB	
▼ SUMMARIZER PROCESS DETAILS	
Summarizer is idle.	
Last Run Time: 09/27/2019 18:52:34 Next Run Time: 09/27/2019 19:07:34	
▼ OPTIMIZATION INFORMATION	
Optimization State Queued up	
Pending Optimization Sep 26, 2019	
Total Un-optimized days 14	

Syslogs Details

Click the down arrow next to Syslogs sent by appliances that are under Reporting and Management to see more information. The two subsections are:

- SERIAL # OF APPLIANCES FOR SUMMARIZER AT
- SERIAL # OF APPLIANCES THAT ARE MISCONFIGURED
 - (i) NOTE: Log in to the appliance and disable the syslogs. If you do not have access to the appliance, use the rules to the gateway to block the serial numbers. To fix the misconfigured serial numbers, log in to the appliance and change the GMS settings. The serial numbers are listed in the settings and are updated every 12 hours.

▼ Syslogs sent by appliances that are not under Reporting and Management

▼ SERIAL # OF APPLIANCES FOR SUMMARIZER AT 10.206.23.84

None

▼ SERIAL # OF APPLIANCES THAT ARE MISCONFIGURED

None

Note:

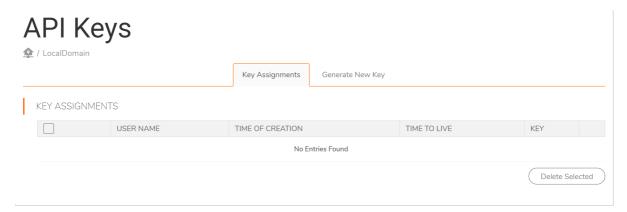
- * Login to the appliance and disable the syslogs
- * If you dont have access to the appliance use the rules to the gateway to block the serials
- * To Fix the misconfigured serials, login to the appliance and change the GMS Settings
- * The serials listed here refresh every 12 hours

3rd Party

The **3rd Party** command option is available only for IPFIX-based Analytics. The **3rd Party** command provides the means for new API keys and managing the key assignments.

Key Assignments

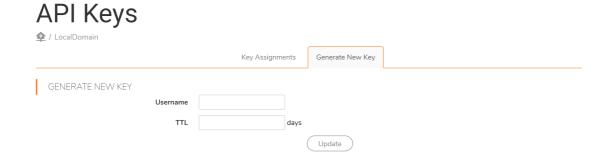
The default view is the **Key Assignments** tab. All key assignments are listed here along with time of creation, time to live and the actual key. You can select any key or set of key and delete them.



Generating a New Key

To generate a new key:

- 1 Navigate to CONSOLE > 3rd Party > API Keys.
- 2 Select the **Generate New Key** tab.



3 Typer **Username** in the field provided.

- 4 In the **TTL** (Time to Live) field, enter the number of days you want the key to be active.
- 5 Click **Update**.

Flow Agent

The **Flow Agent** option is only visible for IPFIX-based Analytics. The flow agent collects data pertaining to applications and transactions in the network infrastructure. It helps give greater visibility to application traffic utilization and performance.

The Flow Agent option at CONSOLE > Flow Agent is the same information displayed at CONSOLE > Appliance > Appliance > Flow Agent. This allows you to view flow agent information when in either Appliance mode or CONSOLE mode.

Topics:

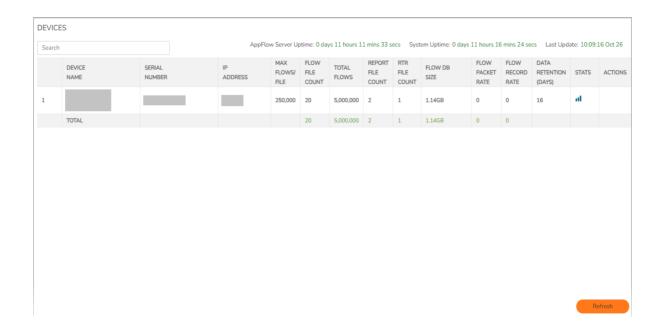
- Devices
- Statistics
- Usage
- Monitor
- Process Monitor
- Log
- Settings

Devices

Navigate to **CONSOLE > Flow Agent > Devices** to see a list of all the devices that are being monitored by IPFIX-based Analytics. The top of the table shows some basic statistics like **AppFlow Server Uptime**, **System Uptime** and **Last Update**.

The Devices table provides many different details about each device listed. The Device table can be searched to find a specific device and it can be refreshed to update the data in the table.

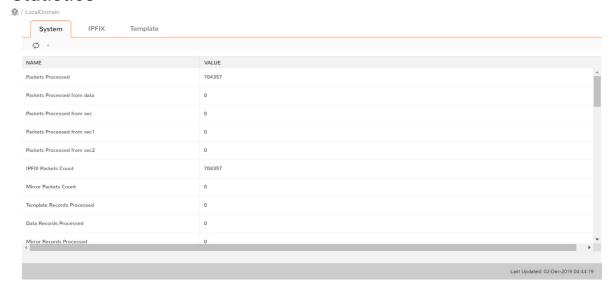
NOTE: The **DATA RETENTION (DAYS)** column in the **DEVICES** list displays the number of days Analytics will retain the data for the particular device.



Statistics

The **Statistics** page, found at **CONSOLE** > **Flow Agent** > **Statistics**, is a list of different kind of statistics collected on various parameters.

Statistics



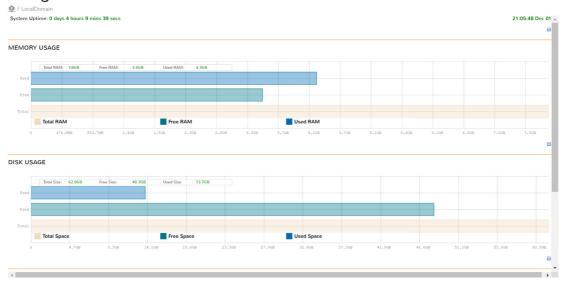
Choose from the tabs across the top to see different types of statistics: **System**, **IPFIX**, or **Template**.

Usage

The **Usage** page shows the statistics for the key system resources: **Memory Usage**, **Disk Usage**, and **DB** (Database) **Size**. For memory and disk usage, used space, free space and total space are displayed in a bar chart. Current size and maximum are shown for database size.

The charts on this page can be minimized by clicking on the blue minus icon on the upper right corner of each chart. Click the blue plus icon to expand the chart.



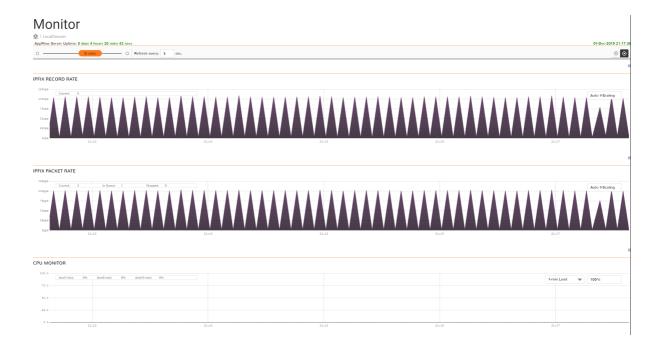


Monitor

The **Monitor** page shows the statistics for IPFIX and the CPU. At the top of the table, you can set the frequency of the monitoring. The preset time periods range from 60 second to 10 minutes. You can also designate how frequently the data refreshes, in seconds. The three data types being monitored include:

- IPFIX RECORD RATE
- IPFIX PACKET RATE
- CPU MONITOR

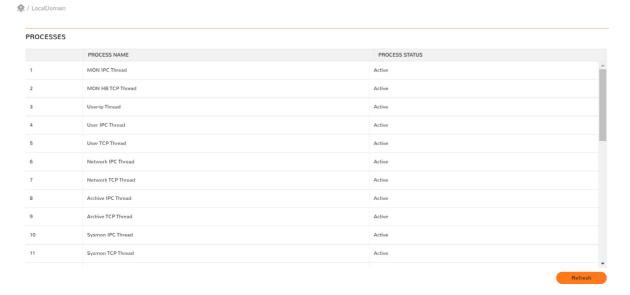
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Process Monitor

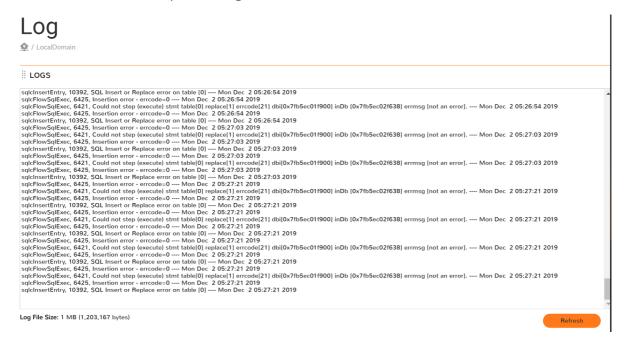
Navigate to **CONSOLE > Flow Agent > Process Monitor** to see the page that shows the list of processes being monitored. It also shows the process status. At any time, you can click the **Refresh** button to update the process status.

Process Monitor



Log

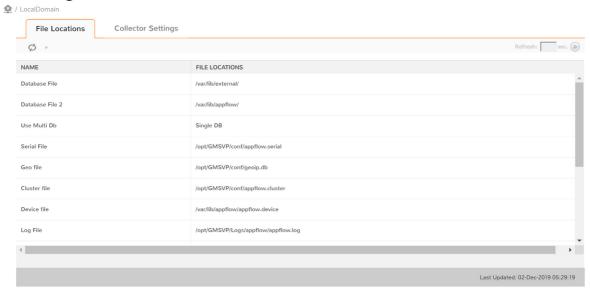
Navigate to **CONSOLE > Flow Agent > Log** to see the various logs that have been captured. At any time, you can click the **Refresh** button to update the log status.



Settings

The **Statistics** page, found at **CONSOLE > Flow Agent > Settings**, is a list of different kind of settings defined for various flow agent parameters.

Settings



Choose from the tabs across the top to see different types of setting: File Locations or Collector Settings.

IPM

Intelligent Platform Management (IPM) monitors the performance of system resources like CPU, RAM, and disk space.

Topics:

- Settings
- Monitor
- History

Settings

The IPM > Settings page lets you set the THRESHOLD SETTINGS for the following:

- CPU/Processor
- Memory/RAM
- Storage/Disk
- Estimated Capacity
- Capacity Estimation Settings

For most settings you can set a medium severity and a high severity for each threshold. (Click Apply or Reset for each change you make.) For the capacity estimation settings you can **Enforce Disk Capacity Estimation** by checking the box and applying the setting.



CPU/Processor

To set the CPU/Processor setting:

- 1 Move the slider icon between 60 and 80% of severity level to set your **Medium** preference.
- 2 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.
- 3 Move the slider icon between 85 and 95% of severity level to set your **High** preference.
- 4 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.

Memory/RAM

To set the Memory/RAM setting:

- 1 Move the slider icon between 60 and 80% of severity level to set your **Medium** preference.
- 2 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.
- 3 Move the slider icon between 85 and 95% of severity level to set your **High** preference.
- 4 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.

Storage/Disk

To set the Storage/Disk setting:

- 1 Move the slider icon between 50 and 75% of severity level to set your **Medium** preference.
- 2 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.
- 3 Move the slider icon between 80 and 95% of severity level to set your **High** preference.
- 4 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.

Estimated Capacity

To set the Estimated Capacity setting:

- 1 Move the slider icon between 50 and 75% of severity level to set your **Medium** preference.
- 2 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.
- 3 Move the slider icon between 80 and 95% of severity level to set your **High** preference.
- 4 Click **Apply** or **Reset**. Your choice is shown next to the **Reset** button.

Capacity Estimation Settings

- 1 Click the box next to Enforce Disk Capacity Estimation for your configuration.
- 2 Click **Apply** when done.

Monitor

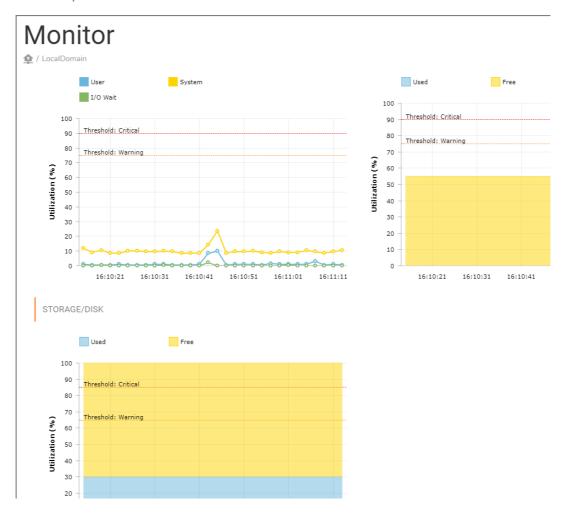
The IPM > Monitor page gives you the SYSTEM RESOURCE REAL-TIME MONITOR table which features real-time interactive line charts for CPU/PROCESSOR, MEMORY/RAM, and STORAGE/DISK. Use the charts to get important data for each system component being monitored. All three charts have two upper-control level lines starting at 75% of utilization for Warning and 90% of utilization for Critical thresholds.

To use the CPU/Processor chart:

- 1 Hover over the chart to select the data you want to plot.
- 2 The chart distributes the category data (a 10-second time interval) along a horizontal axis and the numerical percentage **Utilization** (%) value data along a vertical axis.
- 3 Select the blue line on the chart to see the **User** data.
- 4 Select the green line on the chart to see the I/O Wait data.
- 5 Select the yellow line on the chart to see the **System** data.

To use the Memory/RAM and Storage Disk charts:

- 1 Hover over the charts to select the data you want to plot.
- 2 The chart distributes the category data (a 10-second time interval) along a horizontal axis and the numerical percentage **Utilization (%)** value data along a vertical axis.
- 3 Select the blue horizontal bars on the chart to see the **Used** data.
- 4 Select the yellow horizontal bars on the chart to see the **Free** data.



History

The IPM > History page gives you the HISTORICAL DATA VIEW of your CPU/PROCESSOR and MEMORY/RAM. You can see the data time period by choosing the PAST 24 HRS, PAST 3 DAYS, and PAST 5 DAYS from the drop-down menu.

The CPU/Processor and Memory/RAM data is displayed in two real-time interactive line and bar charts, respectively. Use the charts to get important data for each system component being monitored. Both charts have two upper-control level lines starting at 75% of utilization for **Warning** and 90% of utilization for **Critical** thresholds.

To use the CPU/Processor chart:

- 1 Hover over the chart to select the data you want to plot.
- 2 The chart distributes the category data (a three-hour time interval) along a horizontal axis and the numerical percentage **Utilization (%)** value data along a vertical axis.
- 3 Select the blue line on the chart to see the **User** data.
- 4 Select the green line on the chart to see the I/O Wait data.
- 5 Select the yellow line on the chart to see the **System** data.

To use the Memory/RAM chart:

- 1 Hover over the charts to select the data you want to plot.
- 2 The chart distributes the category data (a three-hour time interval) along a horizontal axis and the numerical percentage **Utilization (%)** value data along a vertical axis.
- 3 Select the blue horizontal bars on the chart to see the **Used** data.
- 4 Select the yellow horizontal bars on the chart to see the **Free** data.



Notifications

The **Notifications** option is only visible for IPFIX-based Analytics. These settings define the parameters for the alerts and notifications. Navigate to **CONSOLE > Notifications > Settings** to see the options.

The **Settings** view is broken into the following sections:

- Global Alert
- Mail Group

Global Alert

To enable or disable Alerts and Notifications:

1 Go to Notifications > Settings.



- 2 Toggle **Enable Alerts and Notifications**. A green switch indicates that the option is enabled. The gray switch indicates that the option is disabled.
 - (i) NOTE: By default, the Enable Alerts and Notifications switch is enabled.

3 Click **OK** to acknowledge the message that the Global Alert has been changed.

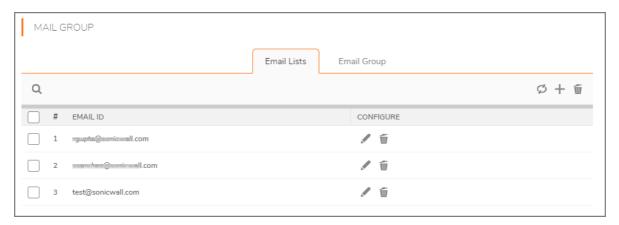


Mail Group

MAIL GROUP settings are configured by administrators to set the email parameters so your network infrastructure can sent email reports, alarm notifications, and so on.

There are two tabs to work with in the MAIL GROUP table:

- Email Lists
- Email Group.



Configuring Email

You can configure your **Email Lists** settings by working with the **EMAIL ID** and **CONFIGURE** columns in the **Email Lists** tab. You can use the **Edit** and **Delete** icons for your email addresses.

Email Lists Options

Option	Description	
Search Emails	Allows you to look for specific email addresses you have added to create your alerts.	
Refresh Emails	Allows you to update your email address list.	
Add Email	Allows you to add an email address using email ID settings.	
Delete Email	Allows you to delete one or many email address es listed in the Email ID column.	

Editing Email Lists

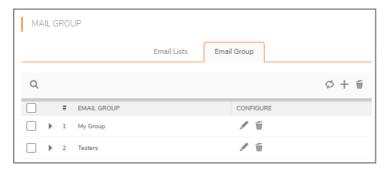
- 1 Click the check boxes next the **EMAIL ID** you want to edit.
- 2 Click the Edit icon to access the EMAIL ID SETTINGS dialog box.
- 3 Modify the Previous Email Id by entering a new email address in the Changed Email Id text field.
- 4 Click Next.
- 5 Check that the correct email address is displayed under the SUMMARY text field next to Email Group Name and then click Create.
- 6 Click **Close** after you have successfully changed the email address.

Deleting Email Lists

- 1 Click one or more of the check boxes under the EMAIL ID column to indicate the email addresses you want to delete.
- 2 Click the **Delete** icon.
- 3 Click **OK** in the dialog box to confirm your deletion.
- 4 Click **OK** in the confirmation message to finish deleting the email address.

Configuring an Email Group

The view under the **Email Group** tab is different than the view under the **Email Lists** tab. You can configure your **Email Group** settings by working with the **EMAIL GROUP** and **CONFIGURE** columns in the **Email Group** tab. You can use the **Edit** and **Delete** icons to configure your email addresses.



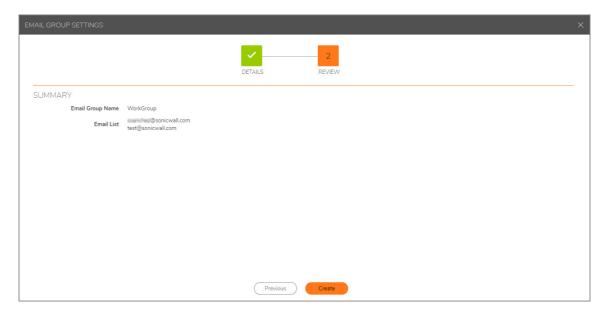
Adding an Email Group

To add an Email Group:

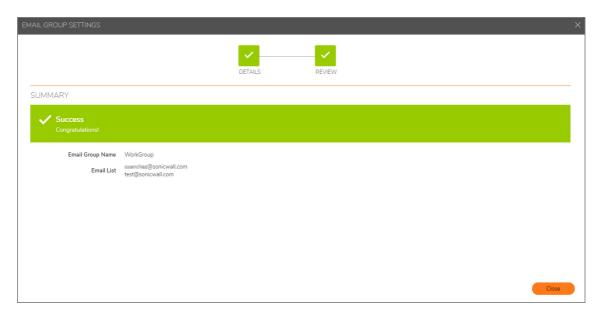
- 1 Click the **Email Group** tab.
- 2 Click the + icon at the top right of the **Mail Group** table.



- 3 In the **EMAIL GROUP SETTINGS** dialog screen, type the **Email Group Name** for your email group.
- 4 Check the boxes next to the email addresses that you want included in your email group.
- 5 Click **Next**.



- 6 Review your settings in the **SUMMARY** section.
- 7 Click **Create** to proceed or **Previous** to adjust your settings.



8 Click **Close** after you have successfully created your email group.

Editing an Email Group

- 1 Click the **Email Group** tab.
- 2 Click the check box next the email group, under the **EMAIL GROUP** column, to indicate the email address of the group you want to edit.
- 3 Click the Edit icon to access the EMAIL GROUP SETTINGS dialog box. The EMAIL GROUP SETTINGS dialog displays.
- 4 Edit or enter a new **Email Group Name** for your group of email addresses.
- 5 Optionally, check the boxes of the email addresses you want to include or exclude in the group.
- 6 Click Next.
- 7 Check that the correct name for the group of email addresses is displayed under the **SUMMARY** text field next to **Email Group Name.**
- 8 Click Create.
- 9 Click **Close** after you have successfully changed the name of the group for your email addresses.

Deleting an Email Group

- 1 Click the **Email Group** tab.
- 2 Click one or more of the check boxes, under the EMAIL GROUP column, to indicate the groups of email addresses you want to delete.
- 3 Click the **Delete** icon.
- 4 Click **OK** in the dialog box that displays to confirm your deletion.
- 5 Click **OK** in the dialog box that displays to finish deleting the name for your group of email addresses.

Log

Logs help track activities in the system. These activities are associated, either directly or indirectly, with user-initiated actions or based on system-initiated actions. These logs are important support for audit trails and compliance purposes, as well as for troubleshooting system operation.

Topics:

- Configuration
- View Log

Configuration

The **Log > Configuration** page lets you manually delete logs that no longer need to be stored in the system. This is a one-time action and is executed based on the date selected for deletion.

DELETE SONICWALL ANALYTICS LO)G MESSAGES
	se activities are associated either directly or indirectly to user initiated actions, or based on system initiated actions. These logs ce purposes, as well as for troubleshooting system operation.
Logs, that no longer require to be stored in the	ne system can be deleted manually. This is a one-time action and will be executed based on the date selected for deletion.
Delete Logs Older Than	April ▼ / 5 ▼ / 2019 ▼ for All Domains ▼
	Update
ARCHIVE SONICWALL ANALYTICS I	LOG MESSAGES
data to archivedLogs directory as per "ArchivedLogs"	e system can be exported in CSV/HTML format and be offloaded from the database. The archive process will first archive the ve Log Schedule" and the data will then be deleted from the database.
	✓ Enable Archive
Archive SonicWall Analytics Log Messages for	12 v months ①
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Delete Data Every	Saturday ▼ at 17 ▼ : 00 ▼
Archive Format	CSV
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To delete Analytics log messages:

- 1 Under the heading **DELETE SONICWALL ANLYTICS LOG MESSAGES**, select the deletion date from the drop-down menu for month, day, and year next to **Delete Logs Older Than**.
- 2 Select the location for the logs in the drop-down menu next to **for**. You have two choices: **All Domains** and **LocalDomain**.
- 3 Click **Update** when done.

To archive Analytics log sessages:

Logs that no longer require to be stored in the system can be exported in CSV or HTML format and be offloaded from the database. The archive process first archives the data to **archivedLogs** directory as per **Archive Log Schedule** and the data is then deleted from the database.

- (i) NOTE: For non-window deployments: to offload the archived log files to the local drive, navigate to the Appliance > Systems > File Manager screen.
 - 1 Under the ARCHIVE SONICWALL ANALYTICS LOG MESSAGES, click the check box next to Enable Archive to store your logs.
 - 2 Choose the number of months you want to **Archive SonicWall Analytics Log Messages for** from the drop-down list. You can archive your log messages for up to 12 months.
 - 3 Choose the **Maximum Log Message Files** to be archived in the archivedLogs folder from the drop-down list. You can store a maximum of 99 files.
 - 4 Delete your data by setting the day and time of your deletion using the drop-down menu next to **Delete Data Every**.
 - 5 Choose your file **Archive Format** by clicking on the radio buttons for **CSV** or **HTML**.
 - 6 Click **Update** when done.

View Log

The **Log > View Log** page tracks changes made from the user interface, logins, failed logins, logouts, password changes, scheduled tasks, failed tasks, completed tasks, raw syslog database size, syslog message uploads, and time spent summarizing syslog data.

To view the log:

- 1 Scroll down to the **SEARCH RESULTS** section. Each log entry contains the following fields:
 - DATE—specifies the date of the log entry.
 - MESSAGE—contains a description of the event.
 - **SEVERITY**—displays the severity of the event (Alert, Warning, or Info).
 - FIREWALL NAME—specifies the name of the SonicWall appliance that generated the event (if applicable).
 - SONICWALL ANALYTICS USER—identifies the user role.
 - USER IP—specifies the user name and IP address.

You can also sort the **SEARCH RESULTS**. Click on any one of the column headings to sort the table descending or ascending based on the column heading.

- 2 Enter any number between 10 and 100 in the **Messages Per Screen** field to set number results shown per page.
- 3 Click Apply.
- 4 Click **Next t**o view more.



To search the results:

- 1 In the **SEARCH CRITERIA** section, use the following fields, as needed, to refine your search:
 - Select Time of logs (From and To)—Select from and to date to find the log entries created during the time.
 - **SonicWall Node**—displays all log entries associated with the specified SonicWall appliance that you list.
 - Message contains—enter any text find the events relevant to the text.
 - **Severity**—select the severity level of the log. Your options are:
 - All (Alert, Warning, and Info)
 - Alert and Warning
 - Alert
 - Select Match case to make the SonicWall Node and Message contains search fields case sensitive.
 - Select one of **Exact Phrase**, **All Words**, or **Any Word** to customize your search.
- 2 Click Start Search.
- 3 To clear all values from the input fields and start over, click Clear Search.

4 To download the results as an HTML file on your system, click **Export Logs** and download the file to your computer.



Management

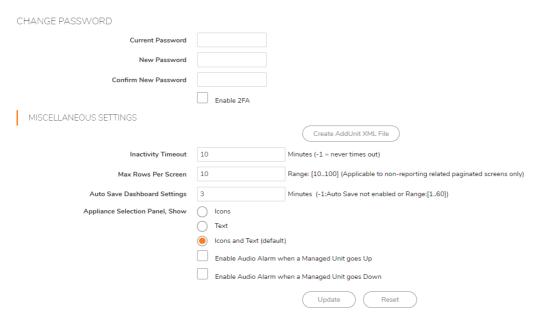
This chapter describes the settings available in the **CONSOLE | Management** section.

Topics:

- General
- Sessions

General

On the **Management > General** page, you can change your password and configure your on-premises Analytics miscellaneous settings.



Changing your Password

To change your password:

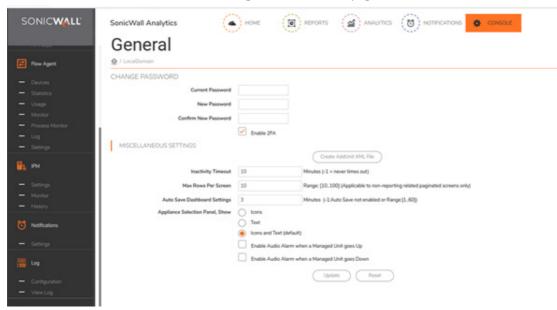
- 1 Enter your Current Password in the text field provided.
- 2 Enter your **New Password** in the text field provided.
- 3 Confirm New Password in the text field provided.

Enabling Two-Factor Authentication

Two-factor authentication is an electronic authentication method which allows user to set an additional layer of security while to prevent unauthorized access to Analytics.

To enable two-factor authentication for Analytics:

1 Click on the **Enable 2FA** box under the **Management > General** page.



2 Re-login to Analytics using your user name and password. you will be directed to the 2FA page where the SonicWall-proprietary bar code screen will be displayed.



- 3 Scan the bar code using Google or Microsoft authenticator to get the 6-digit one-time password.
- 4 Enter the password in the box to successfully login to Analytics.

IMPORTANT: Remember to write down your eight-digit emergency code somewhere for later access as it is the only way to log in if you lose your mobile phone.

5 When you login for any subsequent time, you will be directed to the 2FA page where You need to enter the password generated from the authenticator.



IMPORTANT: If you have lost the device where the authenticator is installed or you have forgotten the emergency code, then you can login by mailing the password to the email address which is configured in Analytics. You can then re-enable the 2FA feature on the Management page and follow the same steps as above to generate a new bar code and emergency code.



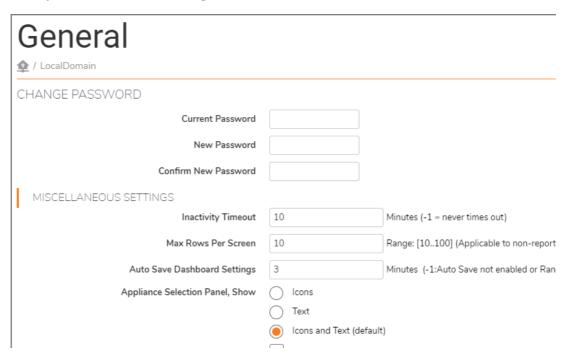
IMPORTANT: You can disable the 2FA feature by unchecking the 2FA box on the Management page.

Configuring the Miscellaneous Settings

To configure the miscellaneous settings:

- 1 Under MISCELLANEOUS SETTINGS, set the Inactivity Timeout in the field provided. The time should be stated in minutes. An entry of -1 means the system never times out.
- 2 Set the number of rows that appear in non-reporting related paginated screens in **Max Rows Per Screen**. The value can range from 10 to 100.
- 3 Define the **Auto Save Dashboard Settings**. The value can range from 1 to 60. An entry of **-1** means the auto save is not enabled.
- 4 To configure what you want to see on the **Appliance Selection Panel, Show** enable or disable the following:
 - Select Icons, Text, or Icons and Text (default)
 - Check one of the following:
 - Enable Audio Alarm when a Managed Unit goes Up
 - Enable Audio Alarm when a Managed Unit goes Down

- 5 To configure the **Message of the Day**:
 - a Click on View Message of the Day.
 - b Disable the Message of the Day by checking the box Don't display message when logging in.
 - c Click Close.
- 6 Click **Update** to save the new settings.



Sessions

The Management > Sessions page allows you to view session statistics for currently logged in users and to end selected sessions. The CURRENT SESSIONS table has the Delete, USER NAME, IP ADDRESS, LOGIN TIME, LAST ACCESS TIME, and DOMAIN NAME columns.

To end a session:

- 1 Check the box next to any active session to end it. You can delete more than one session.
- 2 Click **End selected sessions** at the bottom right of the table.

Sessions						
CURRENT SESS	SIONS					
ŵ	USER NAME	IP ADDRESS	LOGIN TIME	LAST ACCESS TIME	DOMAIN NAME	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Wed Jan 30 01:01:19 GMT 2019	Wed Jan 30 01:49:37 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Wed Jan 30 23:32:42 GMT 2019	Thu Jan 31 00:02:00 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Thu Jan 31 16:00:19 GMT 2019	Thu Jan 31 16:00:42 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Thu Jan 31 18:21:16 GMT 2019	Thu Jan 31 19:11:54 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Thu Jan 31 20:18:47 GMT 2019	Thu Jan 31 21:48:01 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.50.193.54	Fri Feb 01 18:44:22 GMT 2019	Fri Feb 01 18:48:26 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Fri Feb 01 22:17:26 GMT 2019	Fri Feb 01 23:29:16 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Sat Feb 02 00:00:08 GMT 2019	Sat Feb 02 00:03:09 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.21.112.222	Mon Feb 04 23:07:35 GMT 2019	Tue Feb 05 00:05:32 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	
	admin	10.50.193.54	Tue Feb 05 21:43:25 GMT 2019	Wed Feb 06 00:00:33 GMT 2019	LocalDomain	

Reports

The **Reports** option is only visible for Syslog-based Analytics. These settings define the parameters for the various reports provided. Navigate to **CONSOLE** > **Reports** to see the options.

Topics:

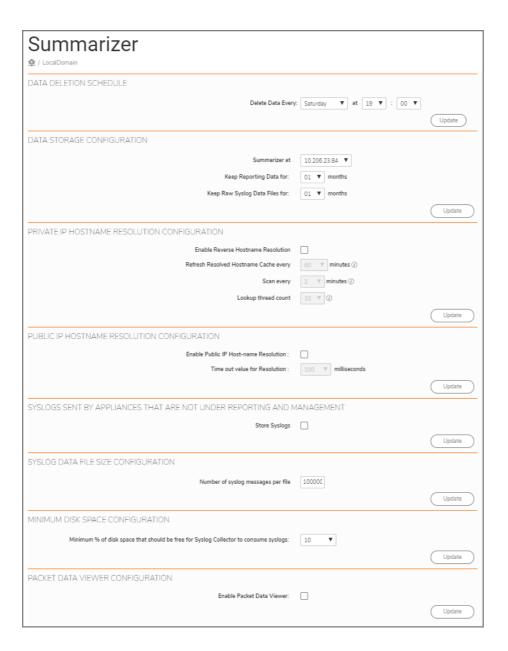
- Summarizer
- Syslog Filter
- Email/Archive
- Scheduled Reports
- Archive

Summarizer

The **Reports > Summarizer** page provides several sections to help manage your reports.

The sections are:

- DATA DELETION SCHEDULE
- DATA STORAGE CONFIGURATION
- PRIVATE IP HOSTNAME RESOLUTION CONFIGURATION
- PUBLIC IP HOSTYNAME RESOLUTION CONFIGURATION
- SYSLOGS SENT BY APPLIANCES THAT ARE NOT UNDER REPORTING AND MANAGEMENT
- SYSLOG DATA FILE SIZE CONFIGURATION
- MINIMUM DISK SPACE CONFIGURATION
- PACKET DATA VIEWER CONFIGURATION



To set your data deletion schedule:

- 1 Choose the day and the time when you want your data deleted from the drop-down menu next to **Delete**Data Every.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

To set your data storage configuration schedule:

- $1 \quad \mbox{Choose the IP}$ address from the drop-down menu next to Summarizer at.
- 2 Select how long you want your data stored for from the drop-down menu next to **Keep Reporting Data for**. The choices are between one and 36 months.
- 3 Select how long you want your raw syslog data files stored for from the drop-down menu next to **Keep Raw Syslog Data Files for**. The choices are between one and 36 months.
- 4 Click **Update** when done.

To set your private hostname resolution configuration:

- 1 Check the box next to **Enable Reverse Hostname Resolution**.
- 2 Choose to **Refresh Resolved Hostname Cache every XX minutes**. This is the time duration for which the hostname is cached to a particular IP address.
- 3 Choose to Scan every xx minutes. This is the time intervals at which the lookup is triggered.
- 4 Choose to **Lookup the thread count**. This is the number of threads that will be processing the resolution.
- 5 Click **Update** when done.

To set your public hostname resolution configuration:

- 1 Check the box next to **Enable Public IP Hostname Resolution**.
- 2 Choose the Time out value for Resolution in XX milliseconds.
- 3 Click **Update** when done.

To store your syslog reports:

- 1 Check the box next to **Store Syslogs**.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

To store your syslog messages per file:

- 1 Enter the Number of syslog messages per file you want to keep. The default number is 10,000.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

To set your minimum disk space configuration:

- 1 Choose the Minimum % of disk space that should be free for Syslog Collector to consume syslogs:. The disk space choices in the drop-down menu range from default to 10, 15, 20, and 25 percentage. **Default** sets it at 5GB minimum disk space required.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

To set your packet data viewer configuration:

- 1 Check the box next to **Enable Packet Data Viewer**.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

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NOTE: Changes to **Data Deletion Schedule** and **Data Storage Configuration** take effect after the current run.

Report data older than current month + Number of month to keep are deleted.

It is recommended that the **Data Deletion Schedule** be configured to run after the data has been backed up. Navigate to **Appliance > System > Backup/Restore** to review the current backup schedule.

Enabling **Private IP Hostname** lookup increases the time taken to process syslogs. All syslogs that need resolution are processed separately in parallel to normal syslog processing. This might slow down the summarizer, increase memory and consume more CPU cycle. Also, the memory and CPU are impacted further by changing the default configurations of **Lookup thread count, Scan every**, and **Refresh Resolved Hostname Cache every**.

Any changes to Hostname Resolution Configuration take effect during the next summarizer run.

Syslog Collector needs to be restarted for the changes to **Minimum Disk Space Configuration** to take effect. If the free disk space falls below this value, Syslog Collector stops listening for syslogs.

Changes to **Syslog Data File Size Configuration** reflects the number of syslog messages per .src file in the syslogs directory.

Setting the Minimum Disk Space percentage to Default sets it to 5GB minimum disk space required.

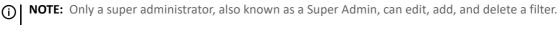
Syslog Filter

The **Reports > Syslog Filter** page gives you access to the Syslog Exclusiong Filters, which you can apply to the syslogs uploaded to the reporting database. All syslogs continue to be stored in the file system without any filtering.

Exclusion filter settings are picked up the summarizer every: 00 hour(s):15 min(s).

To add/modify a Syslog Exclusion Filter at the unit level, navigate to **Firewall/SRA > Unit Level > Reports > Filter Settings**.

The Syslog Filter table features the **STATUS**, **SYSLOG FIELD NAME**, **OPERATOR**, **SYSLOG FILTER VALUE**, **LEVEL**, **COMMENT**, **GMS USER**, and **CONFIGURE** columns.

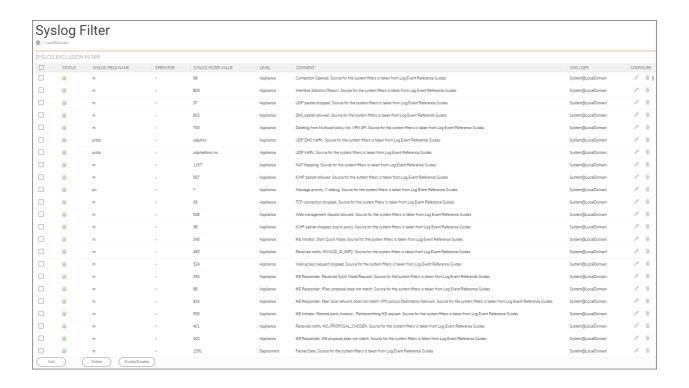


To add, delete, or enable/disable a syslog filter:

- 1 Check the box next to the filter you want to manage.
- 2 Click the Add, Delete, or Enable/Disable buttons at the bottom of the table.

To access the **Scheduled Reports** page in **Syslog Reports**, click the **CONSOLE** button, next to **REPORTS**, in the top navigation menu. The view changes immediately to the **Log > View Log** default page.

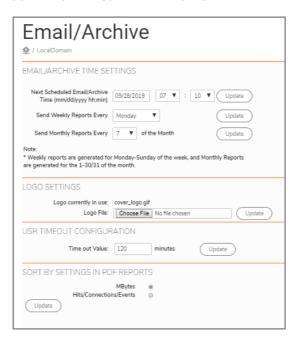
Click Reports > Scheduled Reports to set up or change the reports you want generated on a regular basis.



Email/Archive

The Reports > Email/Archive page has three sections to allow you to manage your reports. The sections are:

- EMAIL/ARCHIVE TIME SETTINGS
- LOGO SETTINGS
- USER TIMEOUT CONFIGURATION
- SORT BY SETTINGS IN PDF REPORTS



To set your email and archive settings:

- 1 Choose your **Next Scheduled Email/Archive Time (mm/dd/yyy hh:min)** by specifying the date in the text field provided and the hour of the day and minutes from the drop-down menus.
- 2 Choose the day of the week you want to **Send Weekly Reports Every** from the drop-down menu.
- 3 Choose the day of the month you want to **Send Monthly Reports Every** from the drop-down menu. You can choose to send your email/reports between the first and the last day (31) of the month.
- 4 Click the **Update** buttons next to each of the choices above.
- (i) NOTE: Weekly reports are generated for Monday-Sunday of the week and Monthly Reports are generated for the 1-30/31 of the month.

To set your logo settings:

- 1 Click Choose File next to Logo File.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

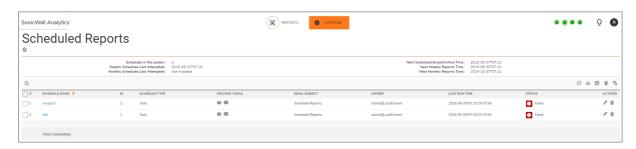
To set your timeout configuration:

- 1 Choose your Time out Value up to 120 minutes, which is the default.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

To sort by settings in the PDF reports:

- 1 Check the radius button for either MBytes or Hits/Connections/Events.
- 2 Click **Update** when done.

Scheduled Reports



Topics:

- Managing the Reports
- Navigating the Schedules Page
 - Setting Up the Reports in Analytics Syslog
 - Checking the Reports
 - Setting the Report Date Range

Managing the Reports

Several icons at the top right corner of the **Scheduled Reports** table help you manage your reports. Some restrictions and limits are enforced, and a few additional steps are involved while creating a group-level Scheduled Report. Refer to the image and table below to learn more about them.

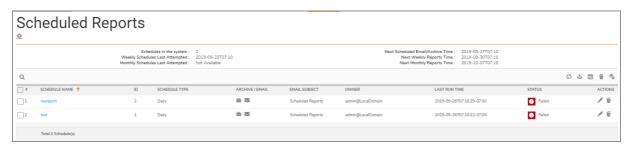
(i) NOTE: A maximum of 10 schedules are allowed to be created for a single group.

Scheduled Reports icons

Icon	Description
Ø	Allows you to refresh the data.
ఫ	Allows you to archive your report when you click on the icon.
iii	Allows you to archive your report for the specific date range you define.
ű	Allows you to delete scheduled reports.
₹0	Allows you to create a scheduled report.

Navigating the Schedules Page

Go to **Reports > Scheduled Reports** to view a list of all the scheduled reports that have been defined. The details of each report are shown in the table.



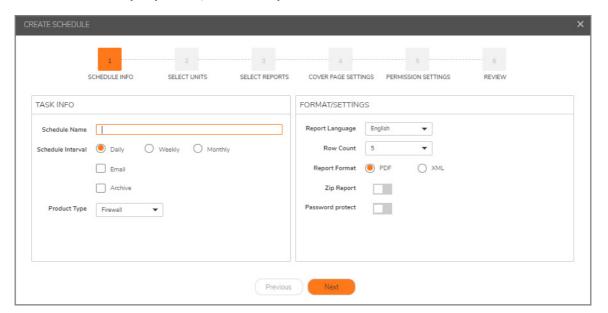
Click the search icon at the top left of the table to search for a specific report. As you type characters in the field, the table filters accordingly. To clear the filter, delete the characters.

- Click **SCHEDULE NAME** to see details about the report schedule.
- Click **ID** to see the number associated with a report.
- Click SCHEDULE TYPE to sort the schedules.
- The icons in the ARCHIVE/EMAIL column indicate whether the report is set up for archiving or emailing, or both. This parameter can be changed by clicking the Edit icon.
- Click EMAIL SUBJECT to sort by email subject.
- Click OWNER to sort by owner.
- Click **LAST RUN TIME** to sort by the time the schedule was last executed.
- Click **STATUS** to see whether the report was successfully run or not.
- Click ACTIONS to Edit or Delete a report.

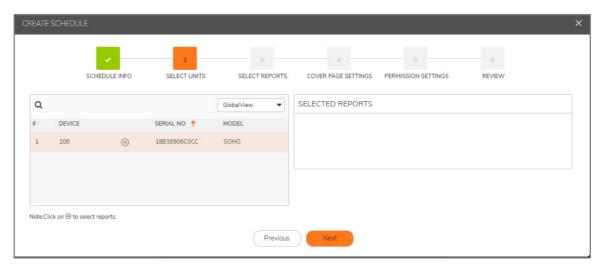
Setting Up the Reports in Analytics Syslog

To set up a scheduled report in an Analytics 2.5 syslog system:

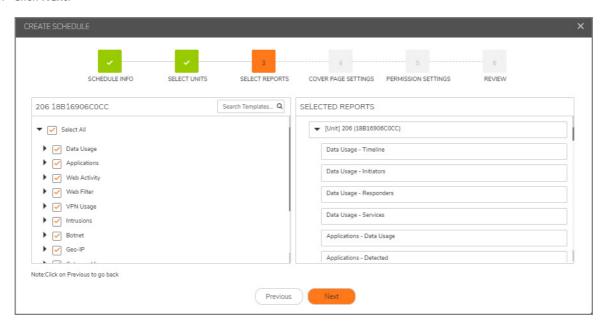
- 1 At the top right of the **Scheduled Reports** table, click on the icon to **Create a Schedule Report**.
- 2 Under TASK INFO, type the Schedule Name.
- 3 Select the **Schedule Interval**. You can choose **Daily**, **Weekly**, and **Monthly**. The default time interval is **Daily**.
- 4 Check **Email** if you want the report emailed directly to someone and provide the email address in the field that appears.
- 5 Check **Archive** if you want the report stored locally.
- 6 Under FORMAT/SETTINGS, select the Report Language.
- 7 Select the **Row Count** from the drop-down list. You can choose between 5, 10, 20, and 50.
- 8 Select the **Report Format** in either **PDF** or **XML** files.
- 9 Check the box for a **Zip Report** and/or **Password protect** it.



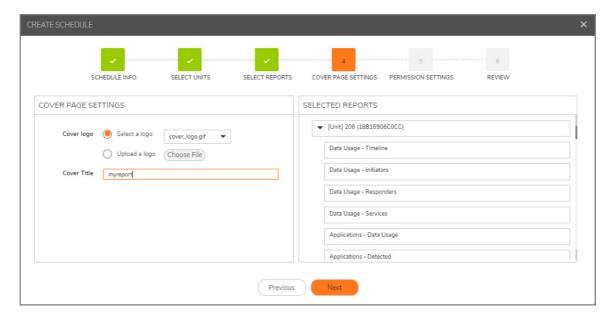
- 10 Click Next.
- 11 Select one of the views from the drop-down list. You can choose from **GlobalView**, **FirmwareView**, **ModelView**, or **InstanceView**.
- 12 Click the **DEVICE** you want.
- 13 Click Next.



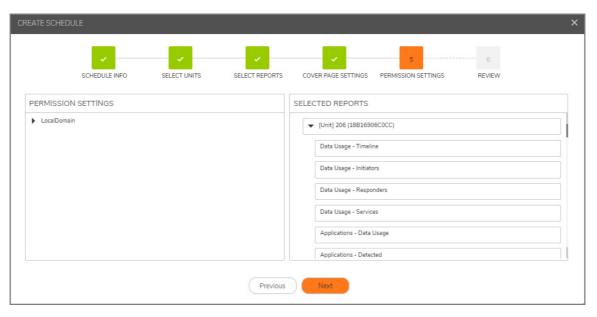
- 14 **Search Templates** next to the small search icon.
- 15 Check the box for the report you want. You can **Select All** or select individual reports.
- 16 Your choices appear under the **SELECTED REPORTS** section.
- 17 Click Next.



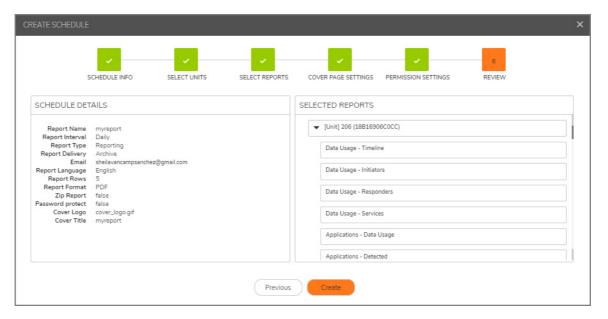
- 18 Under COVER PAGE SETTINGS, select your Cover logo from the drop-down list or Upload a logo by clicking Choose File.
- 19 Enter your Cover Title in the text field provided.
- 20 Click Next.



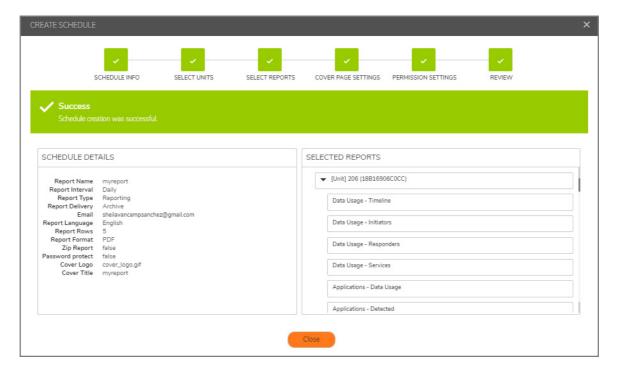
21 Check your **PERMISSION SETTINGS**, your **SELECTED REPORTS**, and click Next.



22 Review your SCHEDULE DETAILS, your SELECTED REPORTS, and click Create.



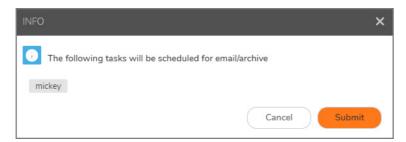
- 23 After your Schedule creation has been successful a screen appears with your **SCHEDULE DETAILS** and **SELECTED REPORTS**.
- 24 Click Close when done.



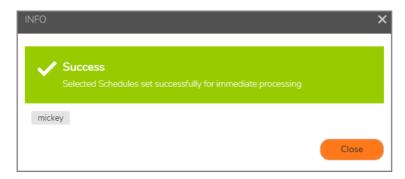
Checking the Reports

After you have created your reports, you can check on them by clicking the check boxes next to them. You can also check if your configurations have been saved and are scheduled as you have planned.

- 1 Navigate to CONSOLE | Scheduled Reports | SCHEDULE NAME column.
- 2 Check the box next to the name of your report.
- 3 Click the **Archive Now** icon at the top right of the table.



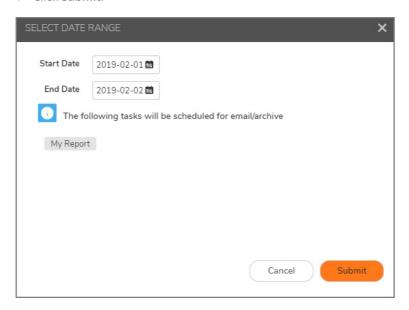
4 Click Submit.



5 Click Close.

Setting the Report Date Range

- 1 Check the box next to your report **SCHEDULE NAME**.
- 2 Then, click the **Archive for date range** icon at the top right of the table to select your date range.
- 3 Click in the **Start Date** and **End Date** fields to select your preferred dates.
- 4 Click Submit.



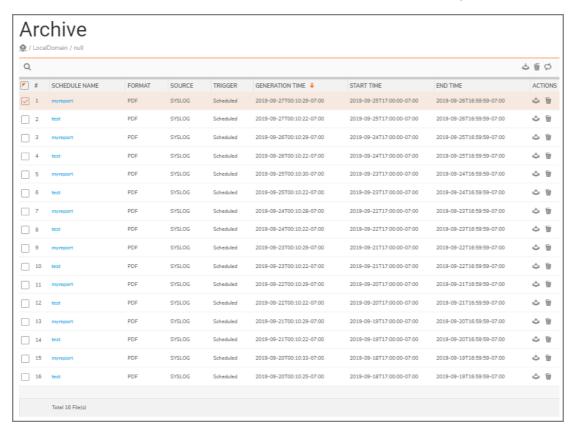
Archive

The **Reports > Archive** page gives you access to the Archived reports, which you can search for in the reporting database. All archived reports continue to be stored in the file system until you delete them.

The Archive r table features the **SCHEDULE NAME**, **FORMAT**, **SOURCE**, **TRIGGER**, **GENERATION TIME**, **START TIME**, **END TIME**, and **ACTION** columns.

To download or delete your archived reports:

- 1 Check the box next to the archived report you want to **download** or **delete**.
- 2 Click the **Download** or **Delete** icons under the **ACTIONS** column for the row you selected.



Licenses

The **Licenses > Product Licenses** page allows the user to view, upload, and manage licenses and subscriptions for this implementation.

Topics:

- License Summary
- Managing Licenses
- · Refreshing Licenses
- Uploading a License

License Summary

View license details on the **CONSOLE** | **Licenses** > **Product Licenses** page, under the **LICENSE SUMMARY** section. You can view the following information:

- Last date and time THE SonicWall license registration was contacted
- The serial number for the firewall being monitored.
- Security Service information: if licensed, the license capacity and the expiration date
- Support Service information:
 - Analytics E-Class 24x7 Software Support

Managing Licenses

Your MySonicWall account is a one-stop resource for registering all your SonicWall security appliances and managing all your SonicWall security service upgrades and changes. MySonicWall provides you with an easy to use interface to manage services and upgrades for multiple SonicWall appliances.

To manage licenses:

- 1 Click Manage.
- 2 Enter your MySonicWall username/email address.
- 3 Enter your Password.
- 4 Click Login.
- 5 If you forgot your username and password, click **Return to License Summary**.

Refreshing Licenses

This feature allows you to synchronize Management services with the MySonicWall license server. Synchronization is useful if you have recently purchased new licenses, and these licenses are not yet appearing in the summary page.

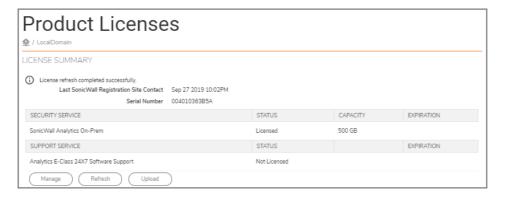
Click **Refresh**. The License Summary page notes that the refresh completed successfully, and the date of the last contact changes to reflect the new date and time.

Uploading a License

Normally, MySonicWall communicates with your Management service to synchronize licenses automatically. The manual upload feature is useful if for some reason your unit is without Internet connectivity.

To manually upload a license:

- 1 Click Upload.
- 2 Click **Choose File** to search for your locally stored license file.
 - **NOTE:** License files for manual updates are available for download through your MySonicWall account.
- 3 Click **Upload** to complete the license transfer.



SonicWall Support

Technical support is available to customers who have purchased SonicWall products with a valid maintenance contract and to customers who have trial versions.

The Support Port232-005164-00 Rev D232-005164-00 Rev Dal provides self-help tools you can use to solve problems quickly and independently, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. To access the Support Portal, go to https://www.sonicwall.com/support.

The Support Portal enables you to:

- View knowledge base articles and technical documentation
- View video tutorials
- Access MySonicWall
- Learn about SonicWall professional services
- Review SonicWall Support services and warranty information
- Register for training and certification
- Request technical support or customer service

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Legend



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