



# Capture Security Appliance

## Administration Guide

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# Introduction

This administration guide provides configuration information for the SonicWall® Capture Security Appliance.

## Technical Overview - Capture ATP

To combat evasive and targeted malware, sandbox analysis is required to discover and stop unknown threats. SonicWall Capture Advanced Threat Protection (Capture ATP) is a cloud-based service that provides this type of file analysis.

Traditional network security technology detects known threats but cannot detect advanced threats like custom malware and zero-day exploits. To better detect unknown threats, security professionals are deploying advanced threat detection technologies, such as sandboxes, that analyze the behavior of suspicious files and uncover hidden malware. However, some organizations and agencies cannot send grey-listed files to cloud-based sandboxes for analysis and many on-premises sandboxing technologies are expensive and are prone to evasion tactics.

SonicWall Capture ATP uses a combination of reputation-based checks, static file analysis and SonicWall's patented Real-Time Deep Memory Inspection™ (RTDMI) engine for dynamic analysis to ensure that it provides not only the best possible detection rate of malicious files, but also does this efficiently, in the shortest possible time. The SonicWall ecosystem of security products, already fully integrated with the cloud-delivered Capture ATP analysis, is able to enforce inline security with features such as **Block Until Verdict**.

## Technical Overview - Capture Security Appliance

The SonicWall Capture Security Appliance™ (CSa) brings Capture ATP and sandboxing malware analysis to on-premises deployment scenarios for customers with compliance and policy restrictions against sending files to cloud analysis, or who prefer that all of their data remain inside their organization. With many attack types only revealing their weaponry within memory, a memory-based approach is required to detect and stop attacks before they reach endpoints. Furthermore, cloud-based sandboxing engines can introduce latency while an on-premise solution can provide better performance.

The SonicWall Capture Security Appliance is an on-premises sandbox for SonicWall next-generation firewalls that enables you to inspect suspicious files within your data center using fast and accurate memory-based analysis to provide a strong layer of defense against advanced and targeted threats.

The Capture Security Appliance can analyze suspicious files coming from other SonicWall products to provide rapid, high accuracy detection of previously unseen threats, while the customer retains custody of their files. Additionally, the REST API functionality on the CSa opens up the benefits of this highly effective file analysis capability to threat intelligence teams, third-party security systems and any software stack that can integrate with published APIs.

To protect against the increasing dangers of unknown, zero-day threats, the Capture Security Appliance detects and optionally blocks unknown threats at the gateway until verdict. Equipped with Real-Time Deep Memory Inspection (RTDMI), the CSa can detect and stop attacks embedded in a wide range of file types by forcing malware to reveal its weaponry into memory.

The same capabilities available with the cloud-based SonicWall Capture ATP are supported when SonicWall firewalls and other products are connected to a Capture Security Appliance.

## Capture Security Appliance Key Features

- Reputation & Global Verdict lookup (configurable)
- Static analysis & dynamic analysis with RTDMI
- Broad file type analysis
- Per-Source Rate Limiting
- Allow List/Block List on hash/domain
- Configurable scheduled reporting
- Logging & alerting
- Role-based administration (Pre-Configured roles)
- Management over HTTPS on a dedicated management interface or via the WAN network interface
- False positive & false negative reporting with automatic whitelist/blacklist
- Closed Network Operation
- REST API for device management and for file analysis
- Hardened OS with Secure Boot and chain of trust for anti-tampering

More details about certain features are provided in the next topics.

## RTDMI

SonicWall's patent-pending Real-Time Deep Memory Inspection (RTDMI) file analysis engine is a novel method of analyzing suspicious files by monitoring the behavior of an application in memory. RTDMI can see through any obfuscation or encryption techniques that modern malware might deploy to evade network and sandbox analysis,

yielding extremely high accuracy detection of attacks borne by documents, executables, archive files and a variety of other file types.

## Real-Time Protection and Block Until Verdict

The combination of reputation and global intelligence checks, static analysis and RTDMI technology operate in concert to deliver results quickly enough to enable technologies like **Block Until Verdict** in SonicWall products. This capability allows for a file inspection policy on the firewall to prevent suspicious files from being downloaded by the end-user until the full inspection is completed and a verdict is reached by the Capture Security Appliance.

## Broad File Type Analysis

The SonicWall Capture Security Appliance supports analysis for a broad range of file types, including executable programs (PE), DLL, PDFs, MS Office documents, archives, JAR, and APK plus multiple operating systems including Windows, Android, and multi-browser environments. Administrators can customize protection by selecting or excluding files to be sent for analysis, including by file type, file size, sender, recipient and protocol. In addition, administrators can manually submit files to the appliance for analysis.

## PDF & MS Office File Detection

The PDF and MS Office capabilities defense against phishing emails containing these files.

The Capture Security Appliance analyzes documents dynamically via proprietary exploit detection technology along with static forms of inspection with the ability to detect many malicious document categories, including:

- Malicious Flash-based MS Office documents
- Dynamic Data Exchange (DDE) based exploits and malware inside Office files
- MS Office and PDF files containing malicious executables
- PDF documents containing MS Office malware
- Malevolent shellcode-based files
- Macro-based malicious files
- Malicious multi-layer files
- PDF documents with “JavaScript infectors”
- JavaScript-based exploits in PDF documents
- Files leading to phishing and malware hosting websites
- “Phishing style” malicious PDF documents leading to both phishing and malware hosting websites

# Range of Allowed Input Devices

SonicWall firewalls, Email Security systems and a variety of API Connectors are supported.

## Reporting, Analysis, Logging and Alerts

The Capture Security Appliance provides reports that detail the analysis results for files sent to the appliance including session information, operating system information and activity, network activity and a copy of the original file (based on privacy settings).

The CSa provides an insight into files submitted from all sources with an easy to navigate dashboard and file analysis history, providing an insight into the frequency, sources, verdicts and other insights around files submitted for analysis.

Reporting capabilities provide a global view into the ATP protection across the organization, with ability to schedule regular reports configured based on different roles.

Log alerts provide notification of suspicious files sent to the CSa and file analysis and verdict results.

## User Roles and Administration

Administrators can grant granular access to the CSa to a variety of roles with the ability to restrict access to any part of the CSa web management interface.

Different user roles provide security and flexibility. For example:

- Security analysts can have access to the scanning history with ability to modify the whitelist/blacklist, allowed devices and report any suspected false positives or false negatives, but cannot make network configuration changes or upgrade firmware.
- Network-level administrators can be granted access to the operational configuration of the appliance while being restricted, for confidentiality reasons, from seeing the submitted files and their sources.

## Deployment Options

SonicWall CSa deployment is quick and straightforward, requiring configuration of basic networking, reporting and allowed device access to get started. For initial setup and information about deployment options, refer to the *Capture Security Appliance Getting Started Guide*, available on <https://www.sonicwall.com/support/technical-documentation>.

The CSa is built to be IP-addressable and can therefore be deployed anywhere as long as it is reachable by devices that submit files for analysis.



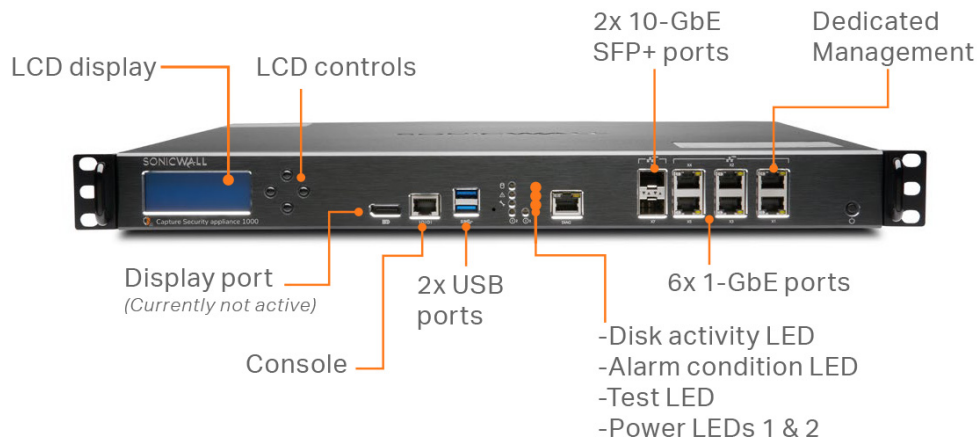
# REST API Gateway

The Capture Security Appliance provides a REST API interface that can be used by API Connectors to submit files for analysis and query results by threat intelligence teams via their own scripts, web-portal integrations and other security products.

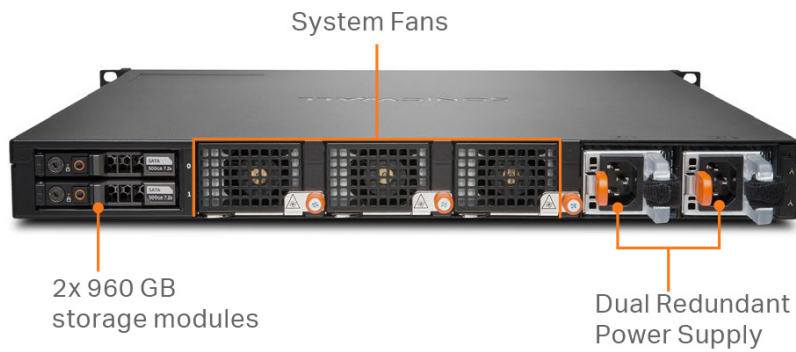
Instructions on how to get started with API scripting for the CSa and code samples are available at <https://github.com/sonicwall>. Details of the management and file submission APIs can be found in the user interface of the appliance.

## CSa Hardware Overview

### FRONT PANEL



## REAR PANEL



The CSa includes two RAID disks that contain appliance data, as well as internal storage for the OS and maintenance.

The *Capture Security Appliance Getting Started Guide* also provides hardware information for the CSa.

① | **NOTE:** Console port serial settings: 115200/8/1/N/N

# Essential Steps in Configuring the CSa

For details on setting up the CSa, go to <https://www.sonicwall.com/support/technical-documentation> and search for:

- *Capture Security Appliance Getting Started Guide*

Basic steps for configuring a CSa are summarized below:

1. Change default password — see [Configuring Users](#)
2. Set up networking (critical, does not operate otherwise) — see [Network Configuration](#)
3. Register & License (critical, does not operate otherwise) — see [Registration / Licensing](#)
4. Update Firmware (highly recommended) — see [Firmware Management](#)
5. Add allowed devices (critical, does not operate otherwise) — see [Allowed Devices](#)
6. Add users and set up roles — see [Configuring Users](#)
7. Set up reporting — see [Reporting](#)

# Dashboard Overview

The two dashboards present subscreens summarizing CSa system status:

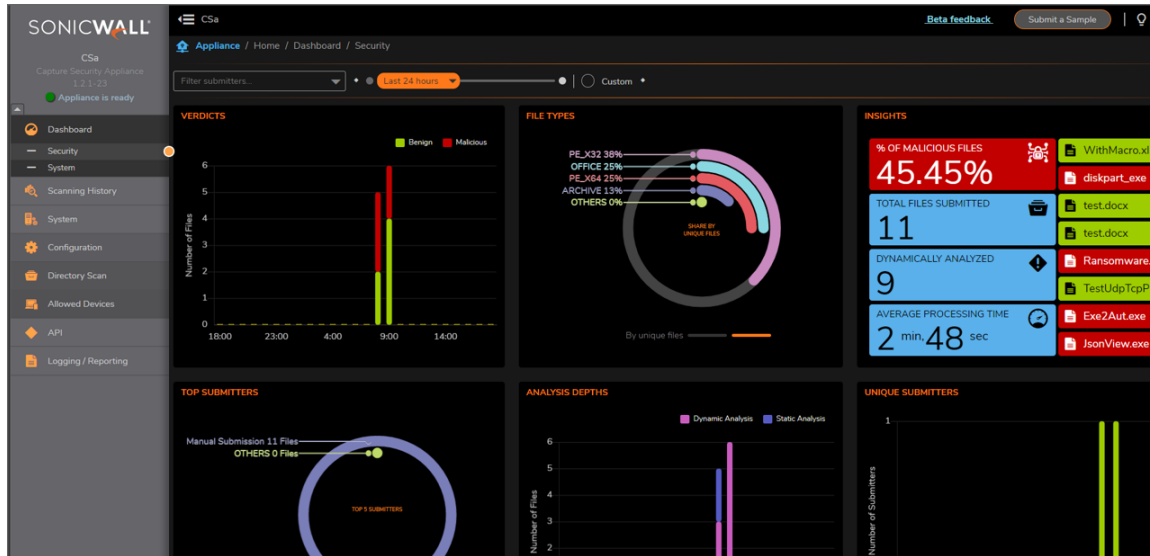
- [Dashboard Overview](#)
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## Security Dashboard

The **Security** dashboard provides an overview of the files submitted to the CSa, their origin, verdict, scan depth, and patterns over time. Filters set at the upper left of the display allow focus on specific file submitters, or time periods, including custom dates and times.

### Security:

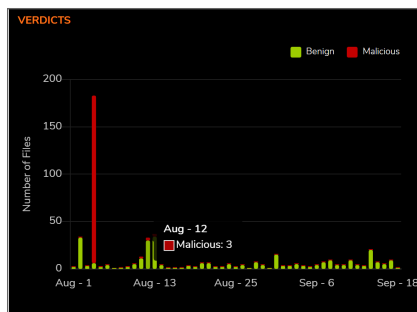
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## Verdicts

The **Verdicts** display summarizes the outcome of sandbox decisions made on files over the defined period from the specified sources.

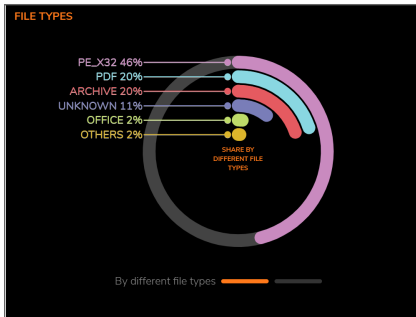
① | **NOTE:** Hover your mouse over a bar to get specific **Benign** and **Malicious** numbers.



## File Types

In this instance, all the traffic to the sandbox falls into six groups.

① | **NOTE:** Click the bars at the bottom of the display to show the percentage of files of a particular type, or the percentage of unique files falling into each group.

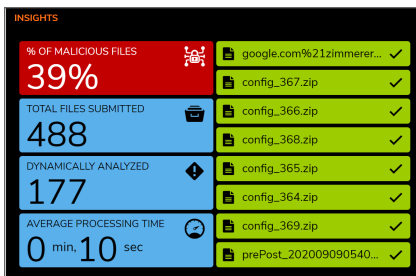


## Insights

The **Insights** panel highlights sandbox operations over the defined period.

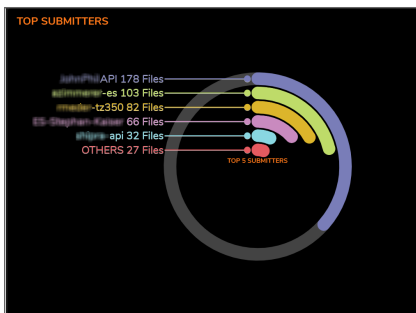
**Dynamically Analyzed** tells how many files the sandbox detonates.

Click any panel in this display for further data organized for analysis. The files shown here are the last files submitted in the currently selected time period. The statistics shown represent the time period currently selected.



## Top Submitters

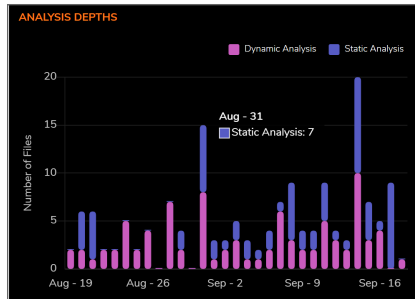
This display shows the top five sources of submitted files.



## Analysis Depths

This display contrasts the number of files requiring Static Analysis (pattern checking, signature comparison) as opposed to Dynamic Analysis (execution).

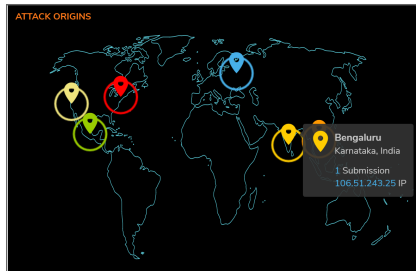
① | **NOTE:** Hover over the bars to view specific numbers.



## Attack Origins

This maps the source locations of the files sent to the sandbox. These are the locations of the submitters.

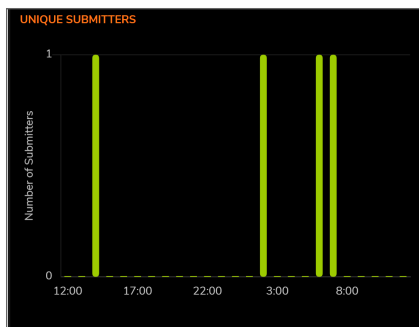
① | **NOTE:** Hover over the marker for details on source geo-location, number of submissions, and IP address.



## Unique Submitters

This table shows the number of unique sources of files for analysis across a particular time horizon.

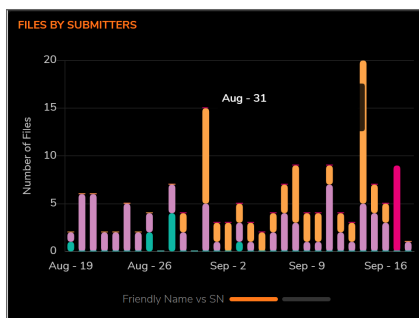
① | **NOTE:** Hover over the bar to reveal specific numbers.



## Files by Submitters

This display shows patterns in submissions among firewalls, email security systems, and API sources. This display is useful in determining whether the volume of files is coming from a single submitter, or is gradually split.

① | **NOTE:** Hover over a line segment for details on the submission source.



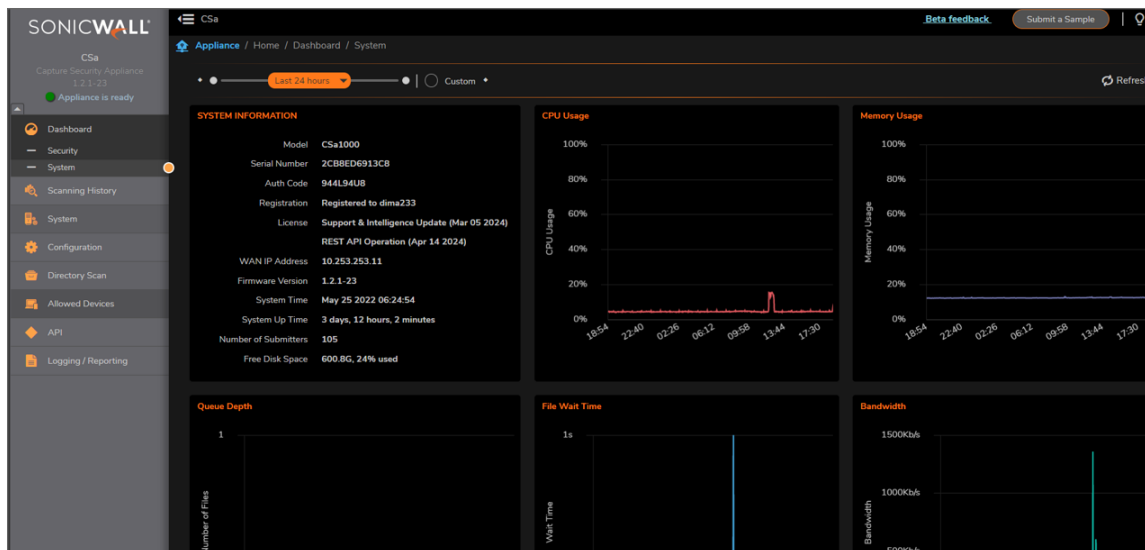
## System Dashboard

The **System** dashboard is concerned with the health of the device. This page presents key information on device utilization, licensing status, firmware version, up time, disk space utilization, and so on.

### System:

- [System Information](#)
- [Memory Usage](#)
- [CPU Usage](#)
- [Queue Depth](#)
- [File Wait Time](#)
- [Bandwidth](#)





The **System** dashboard allows filtering by source of submissions, time scale and reporting period, including custom dates and times. The results of filtering are displayed across all of the sub-screens.

## System Information

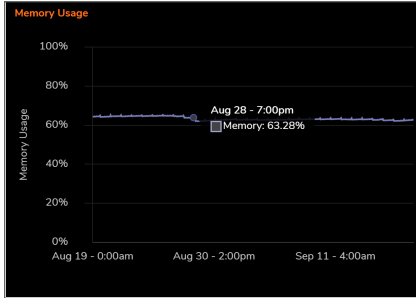
This display presents basic system status information.

SYSTEM INFORMATION	
Model	CSa1000
Serial Number	2CB8ED6913C8
Auth Code	944L94U8
Registration	Registered to dima233
License	Support & Intelligence Update (Mar 05 2024) REST API Operation (Apr 14 2024)
WAN IP Address	10.253.253.11
Firmware Version	1.2.1-23
System Time	May 25 2022 01:58:47
System Up Time	3 days, 7 hours, 36 minutes
Number of Submitters	105
Free Disk Space	600.8G, 24% used

## Memory Usage

This display shows the percentage memory utilization over time by the CSa.

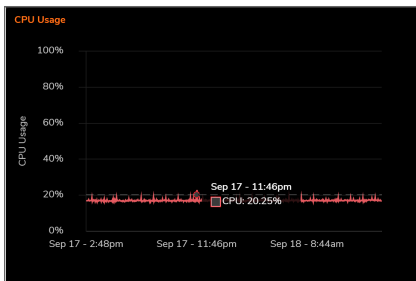
① | **NOTE:** Hover over the line to get specific numbers.



## CPU Usage

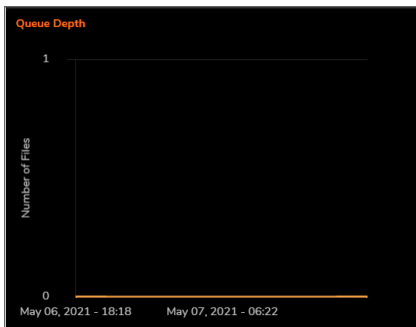
This display shows patterns in CPU utilization over time.

ⓘ | **NOTE:** Hover over the utilization line to get specific times and percentage utilization numbers.



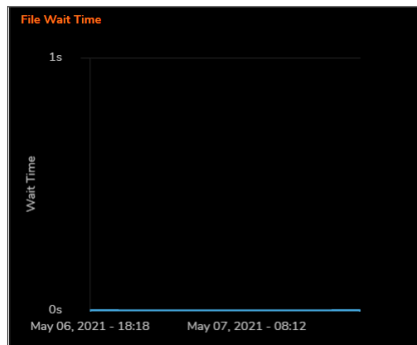
## Queue Depth

This display shows the queue depth.



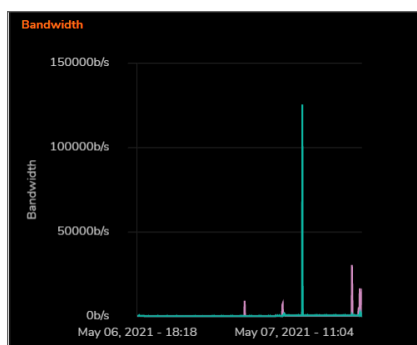
## File Wait Time

This display shows the file wait time.



## Bandwidth

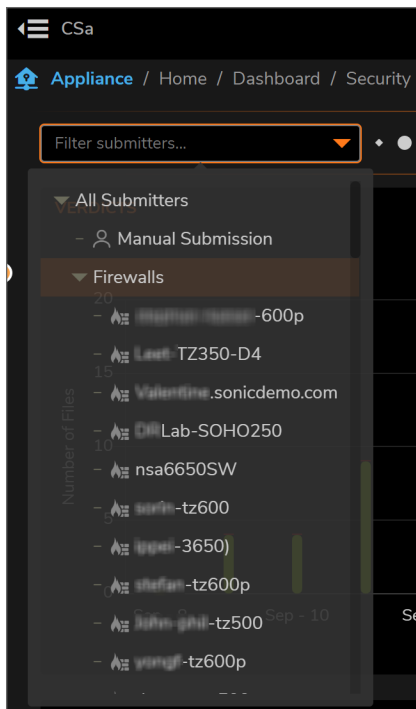
This display shows the bandwidth.



## Filter by Source of Submission

All dashboards can be filtered by the source of submission. Source can be either individual devices or device classes such as firewalls or API sources. This allows selection of the sources of sandbox operations. For example, only the results of submissions from firewalls as opposed to email servers may be displayed. This filtering is applied across of the sub-displays on the **Security Dashboard**.

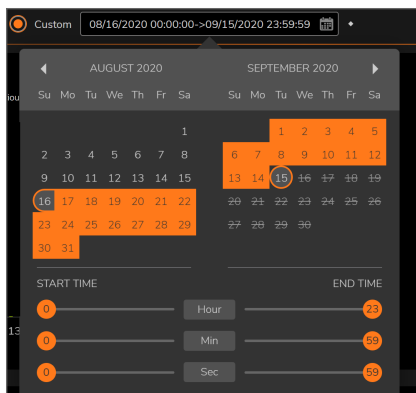
## Setting up Filter by Source



## Filter by Custom Period

Click **Custom** to define a specific period by which to filter.

## Setting Custom Period



## Scanning History

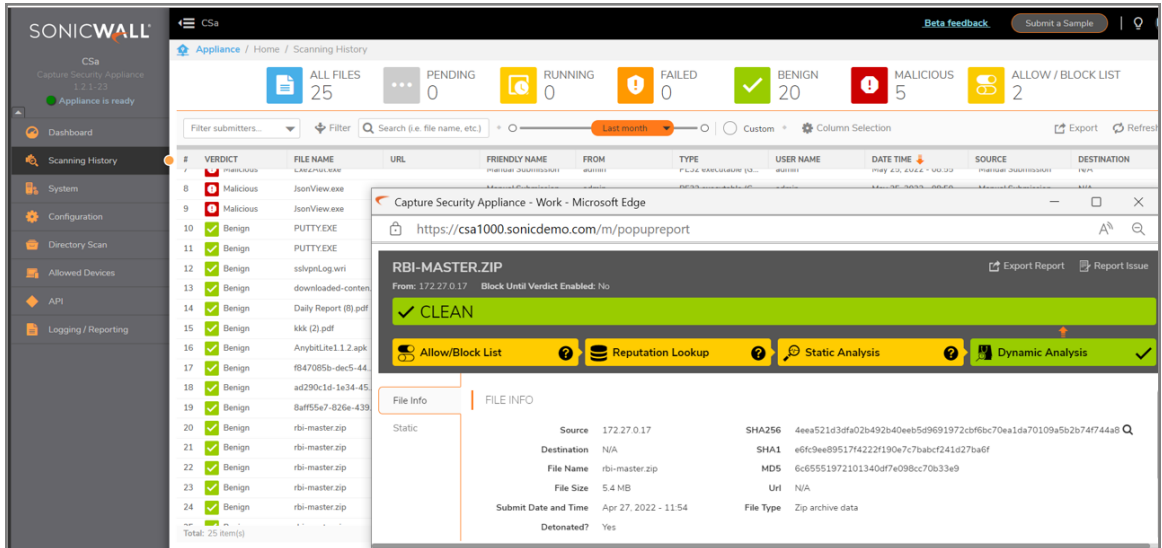
Here you can search and filter reports on sandbox operations based on existing file names or submission sources.

### Filtering Reports

#	VERDICT	FILE NAME	URL	FRIENDLY NAME	FROM	TYPE	USER NAME	DATE TIME	SOURCE	DESTINATION
1	Benign	WebMacro.xls		Manual Submission	admin	Composite Docume...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 09:11	Manual Submission	N/A
2	Malicious	diskpart.exe		Manual Submission	admin	PE32 executable (G...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 09:07	Manual Submission	N/A
3	Benign	test.docx		Manual Submission	admin	Microsoft Word 200...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 09:06	Manual Submission	N/A
4	Benign	test.docx		Manual Submission	admin	Microsoft Word 200...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 09:05	Manual Submission	N/A
5	Malicious	Ransomware Wann...		Manual Submission	admin	Zip archive data	admin	May 25, 2022 - 09:02	Manual Submission	N/A
6	Benign	TestUpdTcpProcess...		Manual Submission	admin	PE32+ executable (c...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 09:02	Manual Submission	N/A
7	Malicious	Exe2Aut.exe		Manual Submission	admin	PE32 executable (G...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 08:55	Manual Submission	N/A
8	Malicious	JsonView.exe		Manual Submission	admin	PE32 executable (G...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 08:50	Manual Submission	N/A
9	Malicious	JsonView.exe		Manual Submission	admin	PE32 executable (G...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 08:49	Manual Submission	N/A
10	Benign	PUTTY.EXE		Manual Submission	readonly	PE32+ executable (L...	admin	May 25, 2022 - 08:47	Manual Submission	N/A
11	Benign	PUTTY.EXE		Manual Submission	readonly	PE32+ executable (L...	readonly	May 25, 2022 - 08:36	Manual Submission	N/A
12	Benign	sshhptLog.wri		Manual Submission	keith	UTF-8 Unicode text	keith	May 19, 2022 - 12:21	Manual Submission	N/A
13	Benign	downloaded-conten...		Manual Submission	keith	Zip archive data	keith	May 19, 2022 - 12:19	Manual Submission	N/A
14	Benign	Daily Report (8).pdf		Manual Submission	keith	PDF document	keith	May 19, 2022 - 12:16	Manual Submission	N/A
15	Benign	kkk (2).pdf		Manual Submission	keith	PDF document	keith	May 18, 2022 - 16:25	Manual Submission	N/A
16	Benign	AnybitLite1.1.2.apk		Manual Submission	bdehoz	Zip archive data	bdehoz	May 10, 2022 - 13:52	Manual Submission	N/A
17	Benign	fb47085b-d6c5-44...		FrankYaoAPI	CC83328B4DEC	Zip archive data		Apr 29, 2022 - 12:01	172.27.0.17	N/A
18	Benign	ad290c1d-1e34-45...		FrankYaoAPI	CC83328B4DEC	gzip compressed data		Apr 27, 2022 - 14:58	172.27.0.17	N/A

#### To view and export reports:

1. Double click on a report row and a report summary appears.
2. Click **Export** to download the report to your PC.



3. Click **Report Issue** to report false positives.

## Reading Report Summaries

The green color indicates a benign verdict, red, a malicious verdict. Amber indicates a black or whitelist decision. The heading of the report summary indicates at which stage the verdict was made.

# Deep Report for Malicious File

The screenshot shows the SonicWall Capture Security Appliance (CSA) interface. At the top, there are status indicators for file counts: ALL FILES (25), PENDING (0), RUNNING (0), FAILED (0), BENIGN (20), MALICIOUS (5), and ALLOW / BLOCK LIST (2). A table lists scanned files with columns for Verdict, File Name, URL, Friendly Name, From, Type, User Name, Date Time, Source, and Destination. File 2, 'diskpart.exe', is marked as Malicious. An inset window shows a detailed report for 'DISKPART\_EXE', which is labeled as MALICIOUS. The report includes file information such as Source (Manual Submission), Destination (N/A), File Name (diskpart.exe), File Size (1.0 MB), and File Type (PE32 executable (GUI) Intel 80386). It also features a Scan History section and a MITRE ATT&CK Matrix.

#	VERDICT	FILE NAME	URL	FRIENDLY NAME	FROM	TYPE	USER NAME	DATE TIME	SOURCE	DESTINATION
1	Benign	WinMacro.xls								
2	Malicious	diskpart.exe								
3	Benign	test.docx								
4	Benign	test.docx								
5	Malicious	Ransomware.Ware...								
6	Benign	TestMtpTopProcess...								
7	Malicious	Exe2Aut.exe								
8	Malicious	JsonView.exe								
9	Malicious	JsonView.exe								
10	Benign	PUTTY.EXE								
11	Benign	PUTTY.EXE								
12	Benign	sshppLog.wrt								
13	Benign	downloaded-conten...								
14	Benign	Daily Report (8).pdf								
15	Benign	kkk (2).pdf								
16	Benign	AnyBot.jar1.1.2.apk								
17	Benign	fb47095b-d6c5-44...								
18	Benign	ad290c1d-1a34-45...								

This is a detailed view of the report for the file 'DISKPART\_EXE'. The file is identified as MALICIOUS. The report provides the following details:

- File Info:**
  - Static: Source: Manual Submission, SHA256: 7633384617b428f00a598562516664962841ad5f929a3006ca092f6899e17ca
  - Dynamic: Destination: N/A, SHA1: 5fafa7b5aa24d73b864892a2534348bb04f00
  - Network: File Name: diskpart.exe, MDS: a78bb19ef1b4a7c7a533c9028b5cb5f
  - Events: File Size: 1.0 MB, UH: N/A
- Scan History:**
  - File received: May 25, 2022 - 09:07:35
  - File entered queue: May 25, 2022 - 09:07:35 (+0s)
  - File started processing (Reputation): May 25, 2022 - 09:07:35 (+0s)
  - File started processing (Static): May 25, 2022 - 09:07:37 (+2s)
  - File started processing (Dynamic): May 25, 2022 - 09:07:37 (+0s)
  - Verdict reached: May 25, 2022 - 09:11:06 (+3m, 29s)
- MITRE ATT&CK Matrix:**

RECONNAISSANCE	RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT	INITIAL ACCESS	EXECUTION	PERSISTENCE	PRIVILEGE ESCALATION	DEFENSE EVASION	CREDENTIAL ACCESS	DISCOVERY	LATERAL MOVEMENT	COLLECTION	COMMAND AND CONTROL	EXFILTRATION	IMPACT
Active Scanning / Vuln. Scanning						Virtualization/5 andbox Evasion-System Checks		Virtualization/5 andbox Evasion-System Checks File and Directory Discovery			Proxy/External Proxy		

DISKPART\_EXE  
User: admin From: Manual Submission Block Until Verdict Enabled: No

**MALICIOUS**

Allow/Block List Reputation Lookup Static Analysis Dynamic Analysis

File Info This File

Static PE Signature Info Known File Score Reputation Check Info URL Prefilter Info PE Basic Properties File Version Info Imports Info Section Info Contained Resource

Dynamic PE SIGNATURE INFO

Network

Events

TYPE	SERIALNUMBER	ISSUENAME	NOTBEFORE	NOTAFTER	SUBJECTNAME	TRUSTSIGNER	SIGNINGTIME
SignerCertificate	778355F43DD7CE6974367319D9866CA	DigCert EV Code Signing CA (SHA2)	2021-05-11 00:00:00	2022-08-25 23:59:59	Guangdong Fengqi Technology Co., Ltd.		2021-06-09 09:11:48
CounterSignerCertificate	D434408E3A88FF604021CE1409F0DD	DigCert SHA2 Assured ID Timestamping CA	2021-01-01 00:00:00	2031-01-06 00:00:00	DigCert Timestamp 2021		

KNOWN FILE SCORE

SCORE 100

REPUTATION CHECK INFO

ANALYSIS SOURCES	NUMBER VERIFIED AS MALICIOUS
26	21

URL-PREFILTER INFO

SCORE DETAIL

DISKPART\_EXE  
User: admin From: Manual Submission Block Until Verdict Enabled: No

**MALICIOUS**

Allow/Block List Reputation Lookup Static Analysis Dynamic Analysis

File Info Command Info Files Written Registry Info Mutex Info API Logs Screenshots

Static COMMAND INFO

Dynamic

Network

Events

```

graph TD
    FileDownload --> FileWrite
    FileWrite --> binary_exe[binary.exe]
    binary_exe --> RegistryWrite[Reg Write]
    binary_exe --> RegistryOpen[Reg Open]
  
```

DISKPART\_EXE  
User: admin From: Manual Submission Block Until Verdict Enabled: No

**MALICIOUS**

Allow/Block List Reputation Lookup Static Analysis Dynamic Analysis

File Info Pcap Network Connection Info Domains Dns

Static PCAP

Dynamic [Click to download pcap file.](#)

Network NETWORK CONNECTION INFO

Events

SRC	PROTO	DST	TIME	DPORT	SPORT	SIZE	PROCESS_ID	TIMESTAMP
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	0.000	53	53722	24		2022-05-25 03:38:29.448
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	0.000	53	56213	121		2022-05-25 03:38:29.448
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	0.008	53	61067	214		2022-05-25 03:38:29.456
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	0.014	53	62170	310		2022-05-25 03:38:29.461
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	1.070	53	60289	3235		2022-05-25 03:38:30.518
192.168.122.7	UDP	129.226.106.5	1.299	137	137	3947		2022-05-25 03:38:30.747
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	5.935	53	64971	10276		2022-05-25 03:38:35.302
192.168.122.7	UDP	129.226.107.102	5.962	137	137	10541		2022-05-25 03:38:35.410
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	10.469	53	59141	11249		2022-05-25 03:38:39.916
192.168.122.7	UDP	60.205.177.239	10.969	137	137	11526		2022-05-25 03:38:40.417
192.168.122.7	UDP	192.168.122.255	27.589	547	546	12176		2022-05-25 03:38:57.037
192.168.122.7	UDP	192.168.122.255	52.981	138	138	12966		2022-05-25 03:39:22.429
192.168.122.7	UDP	8.8.8.8	73.813	53	58289	13941		2022-05-25 03:39:43.261



DISKPART\_EXE  
 User: admin From: Manual Submission Block Until Verdict Enabled: No  
 Download File Export Report Report Issue

**MALICIOUS**

Allow/Block List Reputation Lookup Static Analysis Dynamic Analysis

File Info  
 Static  
 Dynamic  
 Network  
 Events

Search anything...

TIMESTAMP	TYPE	PROCESS_ID	DETAIL
2022-05-25 03:38:29.448	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:UDP, dst:8.8.8.8, time:0.000, dport:53, sport:53722, size:24
2022-05-25 03:38:29.448	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:UDP, dst:8.8.8.8, time:0.000, dport:53, sport:56213, size:121
2022-05-25 03:38:29.456	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:UDP, dst:8.8.8.8, time:0.008, dport:53, sport:61067, size:214
2022-05-25 03:38:29.461	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:UDP, dst:8.8.8.8, time:0.014, dport:53, sport:62170, size:310
2022-05-25 03:38:29.724	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:0.277, dport:443, sport:49168, size:1361
2022-05-25 03:38:30.065	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:0.618, dport:443, sport:49171, size:2234
2022-05-25 03:38:30.453	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:1.006, dport:443, sport:49172, size:3041
2022-05-25 03:38:30.518	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:UDP, dst:8.8.8.8, time:1.070, dport:53, sport:60289, size:3235
2022-05-25 03:38:30.747	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:UDP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:1.229, dport:137, sport:137, size:2947
2022-05-25 03:38:30.792	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:1.344, dport:443, sport:49173, size:4283
2022-05-25 03:38:31.146	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:1.699, dport:443, sport:49174, size:5090
2022-05-25 03:38:31.482	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:2.035, dport:443, sport:49175, size:5963
2022-05-25 03:38:31.840	Network Connection Info		src:192.168.122.7, proto:TCP, dst:129.226.106.5, time:2.393, dport:443, sport:49176, size:6770
2022-05-25 03:38:32.198	Files Written	2760	name:\PhysicalDrive0, action:look up
2022-05-25 03:38:32.198	Files Written	2760	name:\PhysicalDrive1, action:look up
2022-05-25 03:38:32.198	Files Written	2760	name:\PhysicalDrive2, action:look up
2022-05-25 03:38:32.198	Files Written	2760	name:\PhysicalDrive3, action:look up

Total: 108 item(s)

# System

The **System** section of the CSa local web management interface includes support for system utilities:

- [Registration / Licensing](#)
- [Firmware Management](#)
- [Configuration Backup](#)
- [Restart / Shutdown](#)

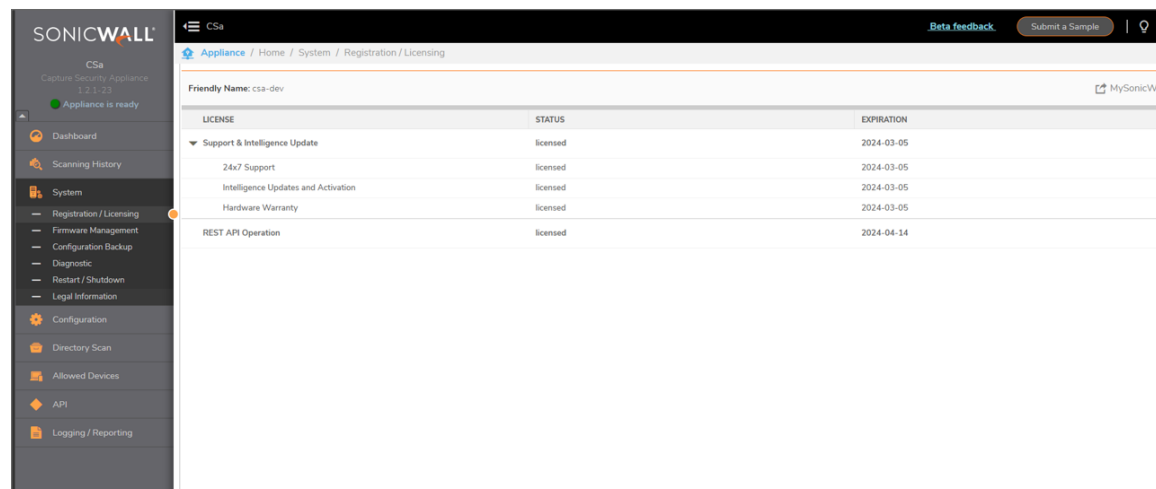
## Registration / Licensing

Unless registration is complete, as shown below, you are prompted to provide license identification.

Licensing is mandatory in order for the device to operate.

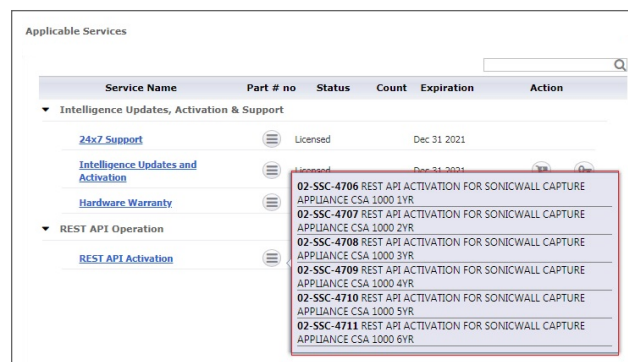
The CSa must be registered at MySonicWall first, and then the administrator enters their MySonicWall account credentials into the CSa web management interface so that the appliance can synchronize with the license server.

## LICENSING INFORMATION



## REST API OPERATION LICENSING

① **NOTE:** REST API Operations require a separate Standalone API license. There are six variations available a MySonicWall.



## Firmware Management

This screen displays the current firmware level and supports easy upgrade or downgrade.

## Upgrade / Downgrade Firmware

In the **Firmware Information** section, you can see the current software version running on your appliance. You can upgrade to a newer version, or downgrade your version by selecting the firmware version from the **Target Version** and then clicking, **Click to Upgrade/Downgrade**.

In the **Firmware Upgrade** section, you can manually upgrade firmware when you are working on a closed network environment.

In the **Intelligence Upgrade** section, you can manually upgrade intelligence when you are working on a closed network environment.

**NOTE:** Do not navigate away from this page until the firmware upgrade is completed.

The screenshot displays the 'Firmware Management' page with the following sections:

- FIRMWARE INFORMATION:** Shows 'Current Version' as 1.2.0-16 and 'Last Update Time' as May 01, 2021 - 05:06:55.
- PERFORM UPGRADE / DOWNGRADE:** Includes a 'Target Version' dropdown menu set to 'Up to date', a 'Click to Upgrade / Downgrade' button, and a message: 'You are already running the latest firmware.'
- FIRMWARE UPGRADE:** Features a 'Firmware' field with a 'Select a file...' button and an 'Upgrade' button.
- INTELLIGENCE UPGRADE:** Shows 'Signature Timestamp' as Apr 30, 2021 - 18:58:42, 'Last Update Time' as May 01, 2021 - 05:30:01, a 'Firmware' field with a 'Select a file...' button, and an 'Upgrade' button.

# Configuration Backup

This function allows you to backup the complete configuration settings of the CSa for ease of replication to another CSa or to support recovery.

## Backing Up Configurations

CONFIGURATION BACKUP

+ Create New Backup   Upload   Refresh

#	BACKUP NAME	VERSION	LOAD TIME	BUILD TIME
1	October 2020 Config	appliance-1.1.12-37-1603912961	Oct 28, 2020 - 12:22	Oct 28, 2020 - 12:22

Total: 1 item(s)

FACTORY DEFAULT

[Reset to Factory Default](#)

## Create New Backup

*To create a new configuration backup:*

1. Click **+Create New Backup**.
2. Enter a **Backup Name** for in the **Name** field to backup your current configuration.

## Upload Configuration

*To upload a configuration backup:*

1. Click **Upload**.
2. Select the configuration file.

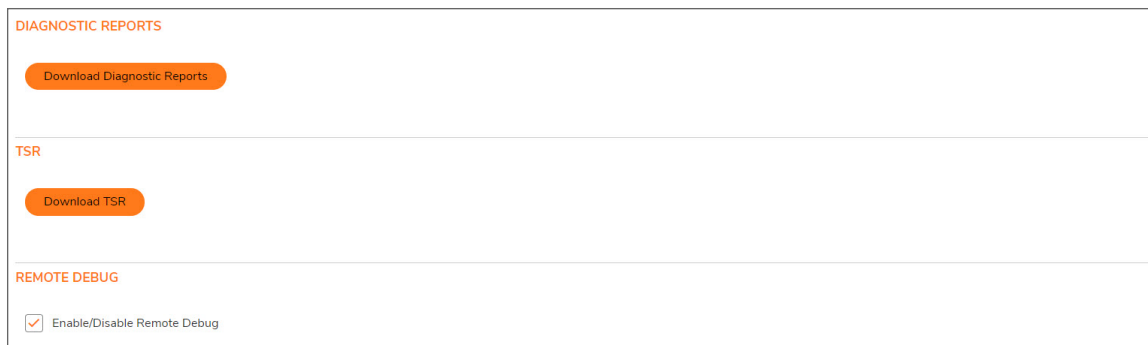
## Factory Default

*To reset your system to its factory default settings:*

1. Click **Reset to Factory Default** to restore all settings back to their factory default settings.

# Diagnostic

This screen allows you to **Download Diagnostic Reports** for later review or **Download TSR**, a Tech Support Report (TSR) to send to SonicWall Technical Support. The TSR collects diagnostic information from your system and compiles it into a report that the SonicWall Tech Support can use to debug and troubleshoot any system issues. This report includes diagnostic commands, log files, and optionally, a full system snapshot. The TSR also captures the system's current running configuration. You can also use **Remote Debug** to enable or disable a remote debugging mechanism.



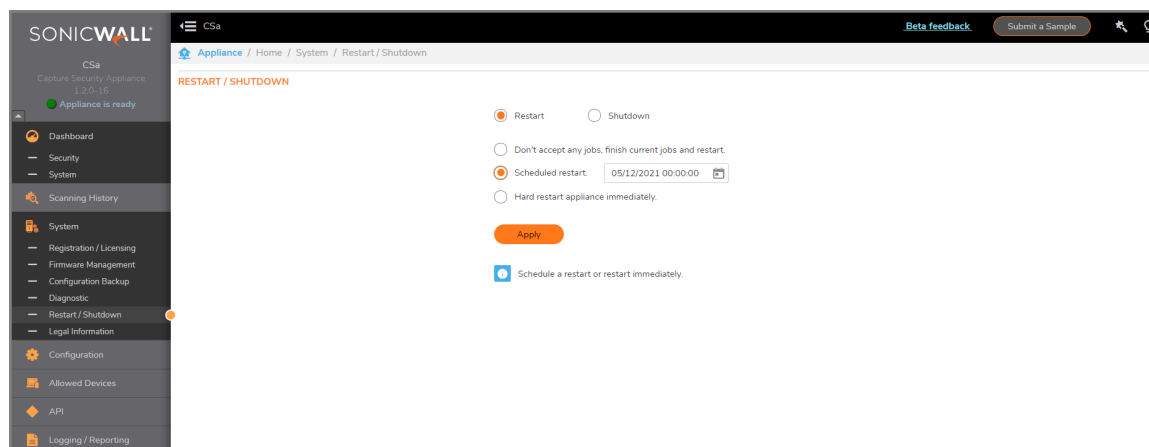
The screenshot shows a web interface with three distinct sections, each separated by a horizontal line. The first section is titled "DIAGNOSTIC REPORTS" in orange text and contains a single orange button labeled "Download Diagnostic Reports". The second section is titled "TSR" in orange text and contains a single orange button labeled "Download TSR". The third section is titled "REMOTE DEBUG" in orange text and contains a checkbox labeled "Enable/Disable Remote Debug" which is currently checked.

# Restart / Shutdown

The **Restart / Shutdown** display panel supports several operations:

- **Restart** - this executes a warm restart of CSA firmware without powering down the hardware
- **Shutdown** - this ends all software processes and powers down the appliance
- **Graceful but immediate restart** - this initiates a reset as soon as current jobs are complete
- **Graceful but immediate shutdown** - the appliance shuts down after completing current jobs
- **Immediate hard restart** - the system powers down completely and then restarts

# Resetting and Shutting Down the Appliance



## Restart

You can choose the conditions around either restarting or shutting down your appliance.

***To restart the appliance at a specific date or time:***

1. Click **Restart**.
2. Click **Scheduled restart** and indicate an orderly restart at a predetermined date and time.
3. Click **Apply**.

## Graceful but Immediate Restart

***To gracefully shut down and restart the appliance once current processes have completed:***

1. Click **Restart**.
2. Click **Don't accept any jobs....**
3. Click **Apply**.

## Immediate Hard Restart

***To hard restart the appliance immediately:***

1. Click **Restart**.
2. Click on **Hard restart appliance immediately**.
3. Click **Apply**

# Shutdown

*To shut down the appliance at a specific date or time:*

1. Click **Shutdown**.
2. Click **Scheduled shutdown** and indicate an orderly shutdown at a predetermined date and time.
3. Click **Apply**.

# Graceful but Immediate Shutdown

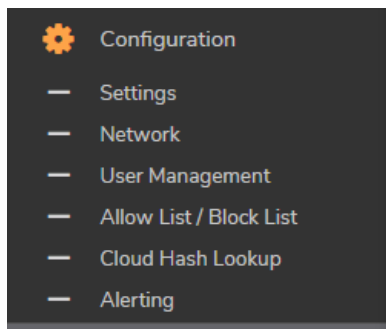
*To gracefully shut down the appliance once current processes have completed:*

1. Click **Shutdown**.
2. Click on **Don't accept any jobs...**
3. Click **Apply**.



# Configuration

## Configuration Pages



### Topics:

- [Settings](#)
- [Network](#)
- [User Management](#)
- [Allow List/Block List](#)
- [Cloud Hash Lookup](#)
- [Alerting](#)

## Settings

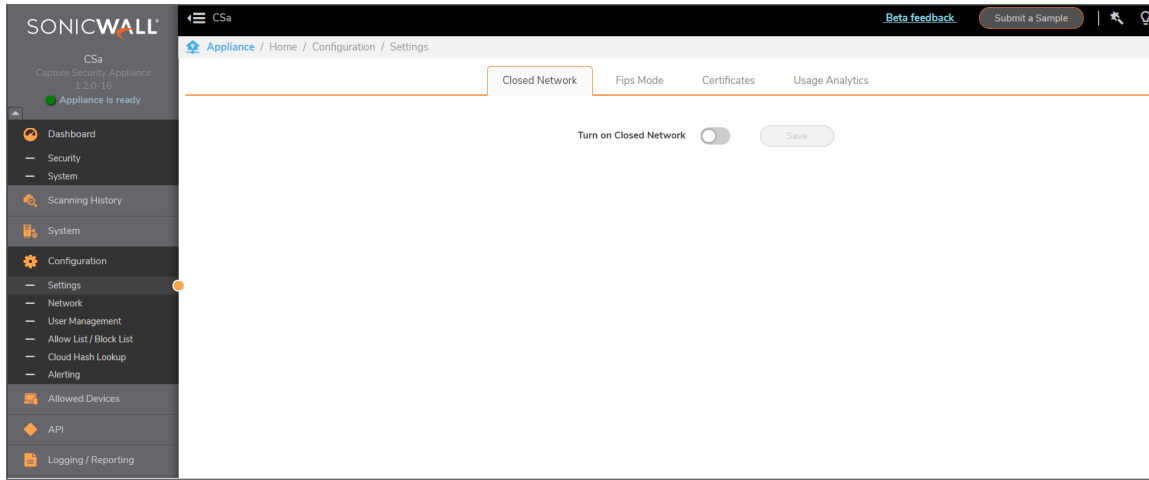
### Topics:

- [Closed Network](#)
- [Fips Mode](#)
- [Active-Active Clustering](#)
- [Certificates](#)
- [Usage Analytics](#)

# Closed Network

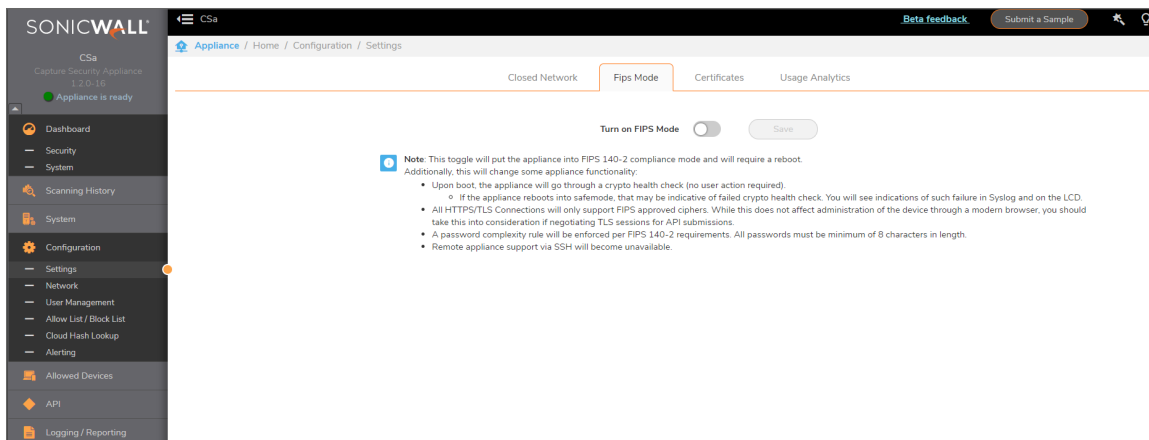
This configuration screen allows you to work on the appliance in an environment without the requirement of a network or internet. Enabling this mode will require that licensing, firmware update and intelligence updates be done manually. While firmware updates may occur once a quarter, intelligence updates, which are critical to accurate operation of the device, may occur as frequently as once per day. It is the responsibility of the administrator to manually update all CSas under management in a timely manner.

**NOTE:** All firmware and intelligence updates are cryptographically unique to every device.



# Fips Mode

This configuration screen allows your to put the appliance into FIPS 140-2 compliance mode and would require a reboot.

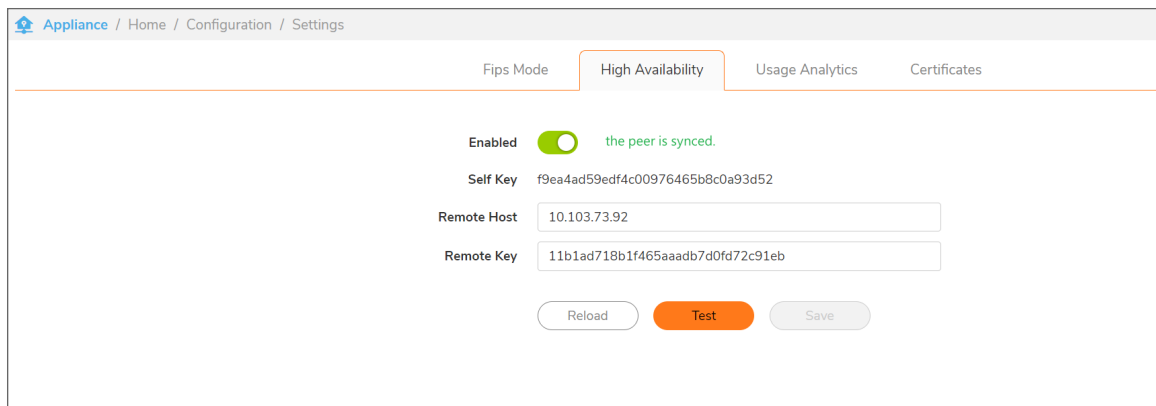


# Active-Active Clustering

Active-Active clustering features high-available and scalability for users, applicable for CSA1000 and CSA2500. User can setup at most two CSa clusters. User can submit files to any of the cluster. The reporting data and configuration data will be sync between the two clusters via API. In each cluster, there is a primary node and several secondary nodes. All nodes share the same database and storages. The primary node can offload traffic to the secondary nodes.

## To enable Active-Active clustering:

1. Navigate to **Configuration>settings>High Availability**.
2. Now in the **Remote Host** section enter the IP address of the instance which you want to pair.
3. And under **Remote Key** section enter the **Self Key** of the other instance which you want pair then click on **Test** and then **Save** tab, you will notice the Active-Active cluster is now enabled.



The screenshot shows the 'High Availability' configuration page in the Appliance settings. The page has a breadcrumb trail: 'Appliance / Home / Configuration / Settings'. There are four tabs: 'Fips Mode', 'High Availability' (selected), 'Usage Analytics', and 'Certificates'. The 'Enabled' toggle is turned on, with a green indicator and the text 'the peer is synced.' Below this, the 'Self Key' is displayed as 'f9ea4ad59edf4c00976465b8c0a93d52'. The 'Remote Host' field contains '10.103.73.92' and the 'Remote Key' field contains '11b1ad718b1f465aaadb7d0fd72c91eb'. At the bottom, there are three buttons: 'Reload', 'Test' (highlighted in orange), and 'Save'.

# Certificates

At **Configuration > Settings > Certificates**, you can upload security certificates and key files.

## Upload Certificate and Key Files

### To configure Certificate and Key files:

1. Enter your certificate file name in the **Certificate File** field.
2. Enter your key file name in the **Key File** field.
3. Click **Upload**.

CERTIFICATES CONFIGURATION

Certificate File

Key File

## Usage Analytics

This configuration screen enables the collection of usage data for product improvement.

The screenshot shows the SonicWall web interface. The sidebar on the left contains the following menu items: Dashboard, Security, System, Scanning History, System, Configuration (expanded), Settings (selected), Network, User Management, Allow List/Block List, Cloud Hash Lookup, Alerting, Allowed Devices, API, and Logging / Reporting. The main content area is titled 'Usage Analytics' and contains the following text:

Enable collection of usage data for product improvement.

**Note:** SonicWall does not collect any confidential data. We collect usage statistics to better learn which features are enabled and how the appliance is used. The information does not include any information from the files analyzed by our Capture Security Appliance. Sample data collected may include features enabled and performance/utilization data to improve performance and operation of the device.

Buttons:

## Network

This panel allows access to five configuration screens arranged as tabs:

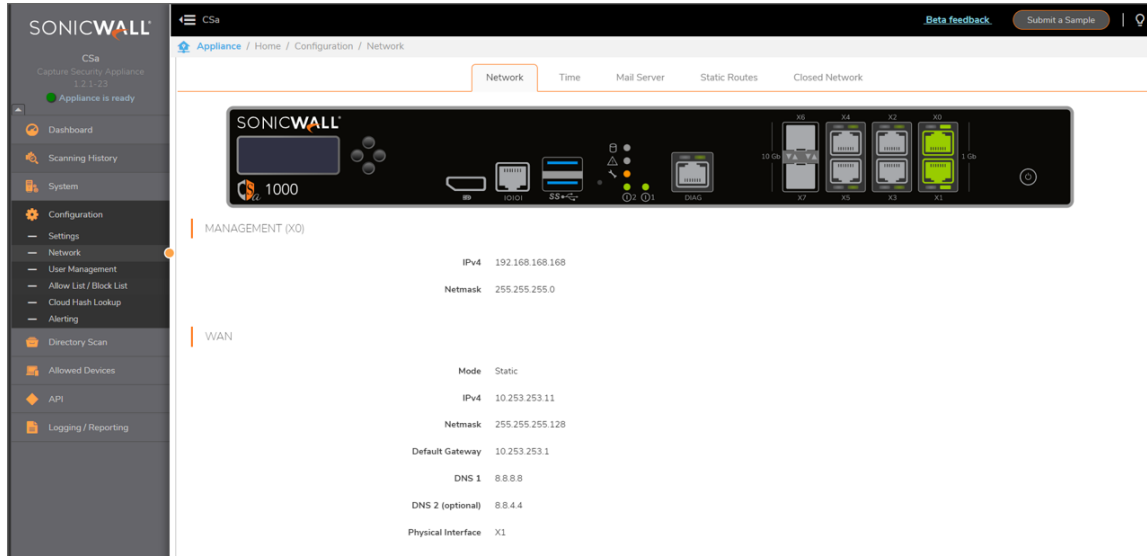
- [Network Configuration](#)
- [Time](#)
- [Email Server Configuration](#)
- [Static Route Configuration](#)

## Network Configuration

The Network Configuration screen consists of three sections:

- **Management (X0)**
- **WAN (X1)**

- Internal Network

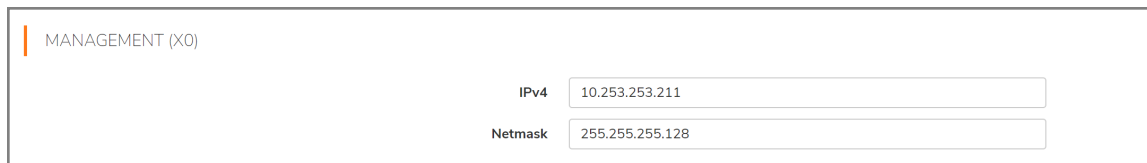


The CSa can be set up for access through one of two methods. All Internet communication and management is performed through a single interface (WAN), or Internet communication is done through the WAN, but management and configuration is performed through a separate management network.

You can change the WAN interface by clicking on the required interface image, which will be highlighted in green color.

Management (X0) allows assignment of a local management IP address.

## Management (X0)



WAN (X1) address and default gateway.


## WAN (X1)

WAN (X1)

IPv4	<input type="text" value="10.253.253.11"/>
Netmask	<input type="text" value="255.255.255.128"/>
Default Gateway	<input type="text" value="10.253.253.1"/>
DNS 1	<input type="text" value="8.8.8.8"/>
DNS 2 (optional)	<input type="text" value="8.8.4.4"/>

## Internal Network

INTERNAL NETWORK

 This setting controls the internal subnet used for communication by internal components of the appliance. Do not make changes unless the network selected below conflicts with you WAN or your Management network. If you do have a conflict, then another range for the internal subnet to avoid the conflict. This will require a reboot of the appliance.

Group

- NOTE:** The CSa uses internal subnets for communication among components. Occasionally, the internal network subnet might overlap with the network on which the CSa is deployed. In that case, you must select a different subnet that does not exist on your network. The Internal Network **MUST NOT** match or overlap with the IP addresses configured in the Management X0 and WAN X1 networks. If you select a different address range in the Group field, a reboot of the CSa is required.

## Time

This configuration screen allows the setting of the timezone location to the appliance as well as the assignment of **Network Time Protocol (NTP)** servers.

You can configure NTP servers to ensure reporting and other functions are properly synchronized. You are not required to reboot your system after changing NTP servers. Any newly submitted files are given new timestamps within the new NTP server system. The old timestamps remain with the previous files.

Appliance / Home / Configuration / Network

Network | **Time** | Mail Server | Static Routes

SET TIME

Set time automatically using NTP

Date / Time 05/11/2021 00:41:52

Timezone (GMT-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Cana... ▼

NTP SETTINGS

NTP Server 1 1.pool.ntp.org

NTP Server 2 2.pool.ntp.org

NTP Server 3 3.pool.ntp.org

Reload Save

## Email Server Configuration

This configuration screen supports the assignment of an email server for Simple Mail Transfer Protocol functionality.

This configuration is highly recommended to support email alerts and reports.

## Configure Email Server

The screenshot shows the 'Mail Server' configuration page in the SonicWall management console. The breadcrumb trail is 'Appliance / Home / Configuration / Network'. The 'Mail Server' tab is selected, with other tabs being 'Network', 'Time', and 'Static Routes'. The configuration fields are as follows:

- To Email Address:** ugalerts@sonicwall.com
- From Email Address:** csa1000@complab.eng
- SMTP Email Server:** 172.30.2.35
- Authenticate SMTP Email Server (if required)**
- Username:** Username...
- Password:** Password...

At the bottom of the form are two buttons: 'Reload' and 'Save'.

## Static Route Configuration

Static routes can be defined for the CSA. This is necessary when both the LAN and the WAN interfaces are configured and the device might not know which interface it should use for routing.

The screenshot shows the 'Static Routes' configuration page in the SonicWall management console. The breadcrumb trail is 'Appliance / Home / Configuration / Network'. The 'Static Routes' tab is selected, with other tabs being 'Network', 'Time', and 'Mail Server'. The page displays a table of static routes and includes the following elements:

- Default Gateway: 10.253.253.1
- + Add New Route
- Refresh

DESTINATION NETWORK	SUBNET MASK	GATEWAY
192.168.168.0	255.255.255.0	0.0.0

Total: 1 item(s)

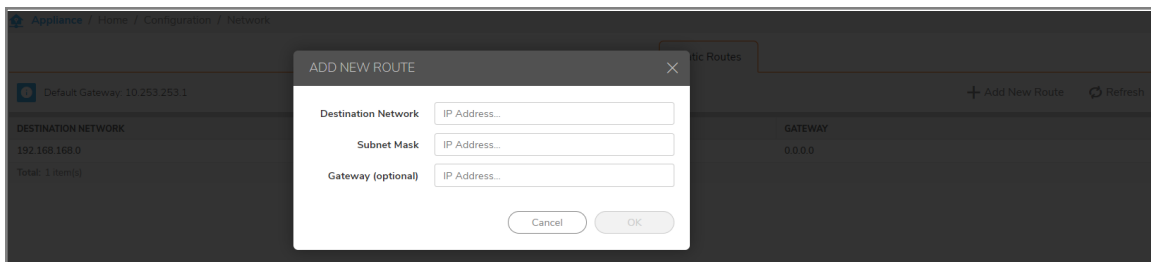
## Configuring Static Routes

*To define the static routes for your configuration:*

1. Click **+Add New Route**
2. Define the IP addresses of the **Destination Network**, the **Subnet Mask**, and optionally, the **Gateway**.



3. Click **OK** to save your settings.



## User Management

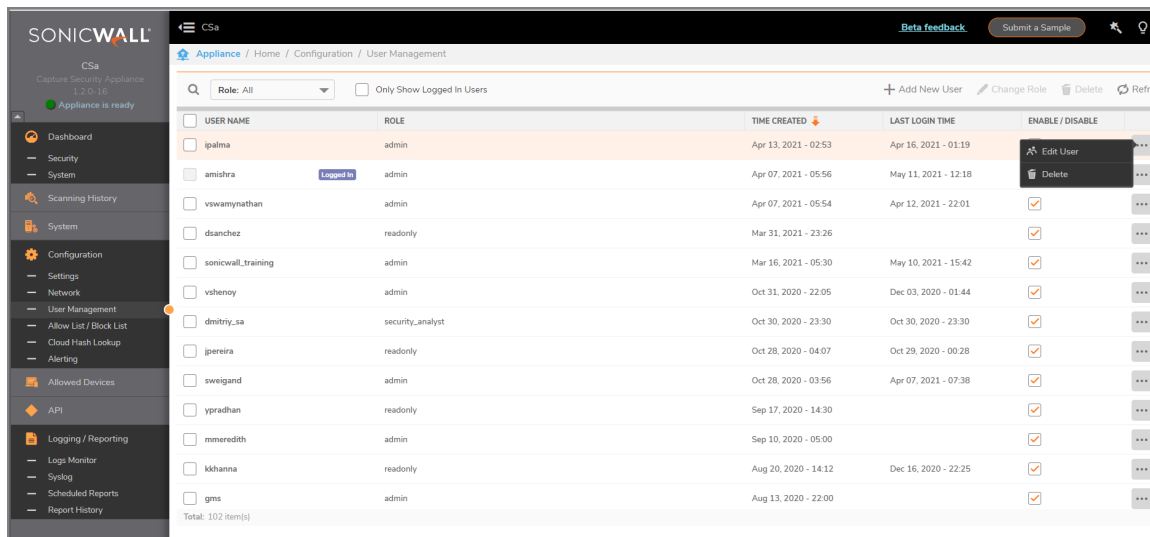
The User Management page includes the following tab:

- [Configuring Users](#)

## Configuring Users

**Configuration > Users** allows for the defining of user's roles, as well as adding and deleting them.

## Setting Up Users



**To add a new user and password:**

1. Click **+Add New User** to define passwords as shown in the **Add New User** dialog that follows.

2. Enter a **Username**, **Password**, **Confirm Password**, and **Role** intended for this user.
3. Click **Add**.

① **NOTE:** You can edit the user information and password by selecting the three-dotted menu (...) on the right of the user list to open the **Edit User** dialog.

## Allow List/Block List

This page allows you to define URLs as either **Allowed** or **Blocked**.

Typical **Allow** entries include material from trusted sources such as Microsoft and Google.

**To add Allow List or Block List entries:**

1. Navigate to the **Configuration > Allow List/Block List** page.

### ALLOW LISTING AND BLOCK LISTING

TYPE	VALUE	ACTION	ENABLED	CREATE DATE
sha256	e6dd29bca94bc3351a36a952a4612ab0a2b867ecdb468383ef235e87a7ce5f5f	Whitelist	Yes	Jun 24 - 5:12pm
sha256	e6dd29bca94bc3351a36a952a4612ab0a2b867ecdb468383ef235e87a7ce5f5f	Blacklist	Yes	Jun 24 - 5:12pm
domain	sonicwall.com	Whitelist	Yes	Jun 18 - 0:12am

2. Click **+Add**.

**Allow Listing** and **Block Listing** entries can be indicated by **Domain**, **MD5**, and **Sha256**.

# Cloud Hash Lookup

SonicWall uses **Cloud Hash Lookup** as a way of looking up previously analyzed file results using data hashes, MD5, SHA1, and SHA256, as reputation lookup. This option is enabled by default. Disabling the option could result in your devices taking more time to analyze and block malware that has previously been analyzed.

Enabling **Upload Analysis Result** allows your CSa to share and contribute to the global database of malicious files by contributing a hash along with a verdict. Sharing file hashes helps to rapidly slow the spread of malware across the globe.

CLOUD HASH LOOKUP

Cloud Hash Lookup

**Note:** This setting enables your CSa to consult with the global database of previously analyzed files among all SonicWall customers by sending a hash of the file for reputation lookup. Disabling this option might result in your devices taking more time to analyze and block malware that has already been analyzed.

-  Upload Analysis Result

**Note:** This setting allows your CSa to share and contribute to the global database of malicious files by contributing a hash along with a verdict. Sharing these file hashes will help to rapidly slow down the spread of this malware across the globe.

Reload Save

## Alerting

The **Configuration > Alerting** page allows you to turn on and configure alerts for system capacity utilization.

## Alert Configuration

After configuring your mail server (see **Configuration > Network | Mail Server**), you can turn on and enable the following alerts:

- CPU Usage
- Memory Usage
- Disk Usage
- File Backlog
- Malicious File Detected

**SONICWALL** | CISA | Beta feedback | Submit a Sample

Apppliance / Home / Configuration / Alerting

**ALERT CONFIGURATION**

Alerts configured to be sent to ugalerts@sonicwall.com.

Turn on Alerts

Cpu Usage Alert  90% For 5 minutes

Memory Usage Alert  90% For 1 minute

Disk Usage Alert  90% For 1 minute

File Backlog Alert  Files are more than 0 For 10 minutes

Malicious File Detected Alert  Digest every 5 minutes

Reload

Export Refresh

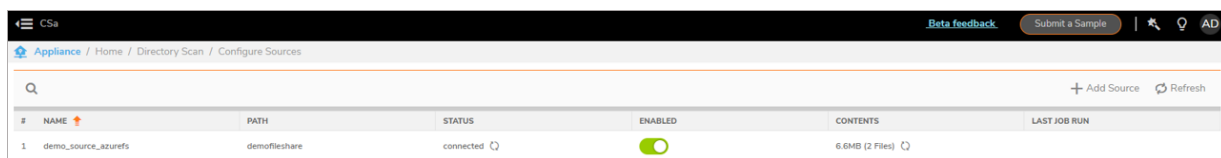
TIME	CATEGORY	MESSAGE
No Data		

# Directory Scan

The Directory scanner extends the Threat Analysis capability of CSA to file shares on-premise and in the cloud. The file share types supported in this release are AzureFS, AWS S3, and SMBv3.

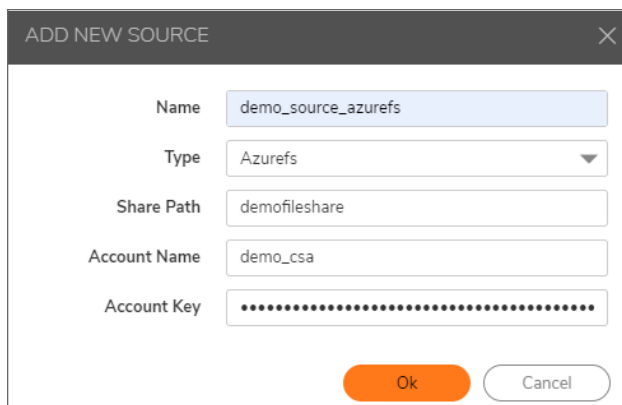
## Source/Remote Share Configuration

Navigate to **Directory Scan>Configure Sources** and click on **Add Source**.



#	NAME	PATH	STATUS	ENABLED	CONTENTS	LAST JOB RUN
1	demo_source_azurefs	demo\fileshare	connected	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	6.6MB (2 Files)	

Now enter the fields in **ADD NEW SOURCE** window with a Name of your choice, Type (select from AzureFS, AWSS3 or SMBv3), and Share parameters and authentication credentials associated with the share type, as described in the following section e.g:



**ADD NEW SOURCE** ✕

Name

Type

Share Path

Account Name

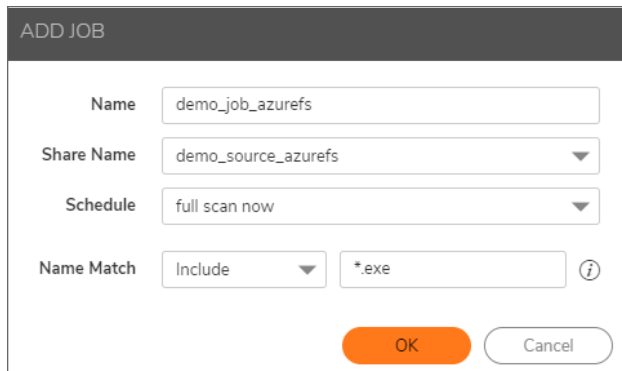
Account Key

**Parameters required for each Share Type:**

- Azure File Share
  - Authentication Credentials
    - Account Name (Name of the Storage Account)
    - Account Key (Secret Access key found on the Azure Portal under Storage Account Name-> Security+Networking -> Access Keys)
  - Share Parameters
    - Share Path (Name of the File Share under the Storage Account)
- AWS S3
  - Authentication Credentials (found or can be created on the AWS management Console in the IAM section)
    - Access Key ID
    - Secret Access Key
  - Share Parameters
    - Bucket Name
    - Folder (/ indicates all or /folder name in bucket)
- SMBv3
  - Authentication Credentials
    - Username
    - Password
  - Share Parameters
    - Server Name
    - Share Path

# Job/Scan Configuration

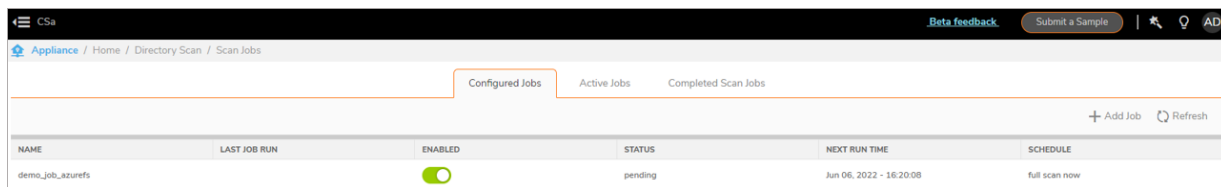
Navigate to **Directory Scan>Scan Jobs** and click on **Add Job**. Now enter a job name of choice, select share configured in previous section to scan, a schedule of choice (now, later, or on a recurring interval of daily, weekly or monthly) and optionally an include or exclude filter to select files to match by filename pattern e.g \*.doc, \*.exe, etc.)



The 'ADD JOB' dialog box contains the following fields and controls:

- Name:** Text input field containing 'demo\_job\_azurefs'.
- Share Name:** Dropdown menu showing 'demo\_source\_azurefs'.
- Schedule:** Dropdown menu showing 'full scan now'.
- Name Match:** Includes a dropdown menu set to 'Include' and a text input field containing '\*.exe'.
- Buttons:** An orange 'OK' button and a white 'Cancel' button.

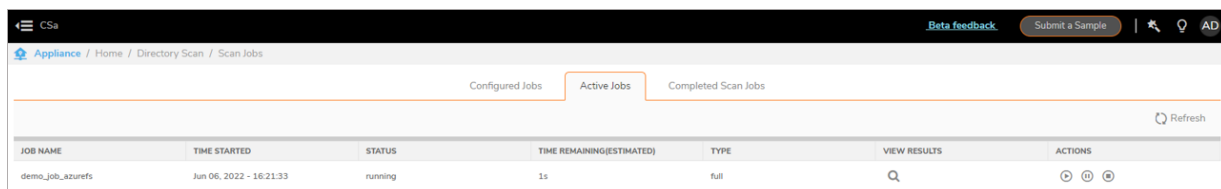
Now you can view the created job status, run time and job Schedule in the **Configured Jobs** section.



The 'Configured Jobs' section displays a table with the following data:

NAME	LAST JOB RUN	ENABLED	STATUS	NEXT RUN TIME	SCHEDULE
demo_job_azurefs		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	pending	Jun 06, 2022 - 16:20:08	full scan now

When a job is ready to run and it's active, you will be able to view to the job under the **Active Jobs** section. Here, you will also find the ability to pause, cancel or resume the job to control its progress, as indicated by radio buttons.

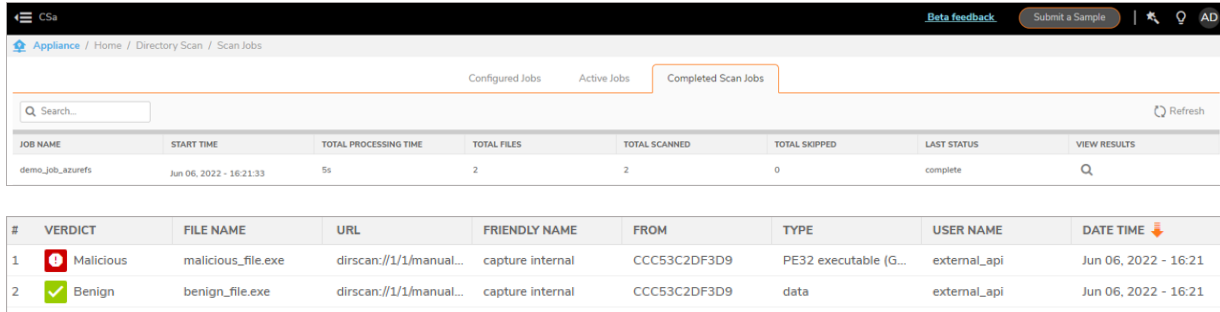


The 'Active Jobs' section displays a table with the following data:

JOB NAME	TIME STARTED	STATUS	TIME REMAINING(ESTIMATED)	TYPE	VIEW RESULTS	ACTIONS
demo_job_azurefs	Jun 06, 2022 - 16:21:33	running	1s	full		<input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/>

When a job is completed, you can view its summary in the **Completed Scan Jobs** section, as depicted below. Click on the **View results** magnifier icon.

For more details on the scan results and deep reports of the verdicts for the files scanned see [Deep Report for Malicious File](#).



The screenshot shows the CSa interface with the 'Completed Scan Jobs' tab selected. It displays a summary table for a job named 'demo\_job\_azurefs' and a detailed results table below it.

JOB NAME	START TIME	TOTAL PROCESSING TIME	TOTAL FILES	TOTAL SCANNED	TOTAL SKIPPED	LAST STATUS	VIEW RESULTS
demo_job_azurefs	Jun 06, 2022 - 16:21:33	5s	2	2	0	complete	

#	VERDICT	FILE NAME	URL	FRIENDLY NAME	FROM	TYPE	USER NAME	DATE TIME ↓
1	Malicious	malicious_file.exe	dirscan://1/1/manual...	capture internal	CCC53C2DF3D9	PE32 executable (G...	external_api	Jun 06, 2022 - 16:21
2	Benign	benign_file.exe	dirscan://1/1/manual...	capture internal	CCC53C2DF3D9	data	external_api	Jun 06, 2022 - 16:21



## Allowed Devices

These screens allow the configuration of the devices that can contribute files for testing. For each, **Firewalls**, **API Connectors**, and **Email Security** servers, dialog boxes support recall of scanning history, and configuration of new source devices.

### Firewalls

For adding a single device, click **+Add Firewall** to open the **Add New Firewall** dialog. For multiple devices, click **Import** to open the **Import Firewalls From File** dialog.

SERIAL NUMBER	FRIENDLY NAME	IP	CREATED TIME	LAST SEEN TIME	RATE LIMIT	CURRENT USAGE	MAX USED
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED3D9794	ignacio-tz470	N/A	Apr 13, 2021 - 01:59	N/A	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED6C576C	jphl-670ha	N/A	Mar 11, 2021 - 00:39	N/A	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED180F80	dmitry-test600	N/A	Dec 19, 2020 - 00:42	N/A	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED6BCDE4	dtz670	N/A	Nov 13, 2020 - 01:47	N/A	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 18B169CAF600	johnA-3650	N/A	Oct 28, 2020 - 07:54	N/A	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 18B1698BB770	Israel-tz300	N/A	Oct 28, 2020 - 07:54	N/A	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 18B169CAF900	BBeamesderfer-3650	192.168.2.6	Oct 28, 2020 - 07:54	Nov 22, 2020 - 06:01	unlimited	0	0
<input type="checkbox"/> 18B169CB0600	DRLab-NSa3650	N/A	Oct 28, 2020 - 07:54	N/A	unlimited	0	0

For **Firewalls**, the additional allowed device is registered on MySonicWall, and its serial number and friendly name are added here.

**NOTE:** To add firewalls in a High Availability pair to the allowed list, enter the serial numbers and friendly names of both units into the **Firewalls** list, with each unit on its own line.

### API Connectors

Click **+Add API Key** to open the **Add New API Connector** dialog.

SERIAL NUMBER	API KEY	FRIENDLY NAME	IP	CREATED TIME	LAST SEEN TIME	RATE LIMIT	CURRENT USAGE	MAX USED
CCC4D0E9A8E	FB6D8B6A4D91480CAF81A04C6717C8C3	dmitry-test5	N/A	May 12, 2021 - 11:59	N/A	unlimited	0	0
CC599FA4ABD4	9709738063DF46AFB00FE2062DBA6DF6	Dmitry-test2-api	N/A	May 04, 2021 - 20:06	N/A	unlimited	0	0
CCB602F95C03	CB4F344836E048CC9489461A11D0D0F6E	jghil-limited	173.71.68.7	Mar 09, 2021 - 04:36	Mar 11, 2021 - 05:39	100/h	0	100
CC0723B2F644	4F1C468A4F67B1CFE26FA3D773007C35	JohnsPhilAPI	173.71.68.7	Oct 31, 2020 - 05:29	Mar 08, 2021 - 22:21	unlimited	0	0
0040102912BE	1A429A422891975019CC575252E9F8793	azimmer-es	N/A	Oct 31, 2020 - 05:20	N/A	unlimited	0	0
00401029122B	A660F6869B6F03E36F49F6D02E580F88	jmellor-es	N/A	Oct 31, 2020 - 05:15	N/A	unlimited	0	0
CCC4FC9DC07	D85A007C298C273A1A83C4B0FB452399	andrey-aiuken-api	N/A	Oct 31, 2020 - 05:15	N/A	unlimited	0	0
CCB771B7DF5B	9ABC0720800755A4D818DA3759508787	SonicWall-IT-API	N/A	Oct 31, 2020 - 05:15	N/A	unlimited	0	0
CC0202A3DF94	328D83E01866FB2551836EB0C6D89E8	fernando_av_api	N/A	Oct 31, 2020 - 05:15	N/A	unlimited	0	0

To add an API connector, the serial number and friendly name of the file source are added here and an **API Key** is generated.

## Email Security

For adding a single device, click **+Add Email Security** to open the **Add New Email Security** dialog. For multiple devices, click **Import** to open the **Import Email Security Devices From File** dialog.

SERIAL NUMBER	API KEY	FRIENDLY NAME	IP	CREATED TIME	LAST SEEN TIME	RATE LIMIT	CURRENT USAGE	MAX USED
2CB8ED228CD4	37A4042884C54987B3AFB40D3FF6605D	test-es	N/A	Dec 03, 2020 - 23:46	N/A	unlimited	0	0
2CB8ED228CD3	73F01D6289E046289F2C059396876800	es-test-fake-dmitry	N/A	Oct 30, 2020 - 23:08	N/A	unlimited	0	0

Email security file sources are registered by friendly name and serial number at MySonicWall and connected as allowed devices to the CSa here.

## Rate Limit

Select the three-dotted menu (...) on the right of the device list to open the **Edit Rate Limit** dialog. You can also provide the rate limit when you add a new device.

SONICWALL  
CSa  
Capture Security Appliance  
1.2.0-16  
Appliance is ready

CSa .Beta feedback Submit a Sample

Appliance / Home / Allowed Devices

Firewalls API Connectors Email Security

+ Add Firewall Import Export Edit Rate Limit Delete Refresh

SERIAL NUMBER	FRIENDLY NAME	IP	CREATED TIME	LAST SEEN TIME	RATE LIMIT	CURRENT USAGE	MAX USED	
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED3D9794	ignacio-tz470	N/A	Apr 13, 2021 - 01:59	N/A	unlimited	0		View Scanning History
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED6C576C	jghil-670ha	N/A	Mar 11, 2021 - 00:39	N/A	unlimited	0		Edit Rate Limit
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED100F80	dmitriy-test600	N/A	Dec 19, 2020 - 00:42	N/A	unlimited	0		Delete
<input type="checkbox"/> 2CB8ED68CDE4	dtz670	N/A	Nov 13, 2020 - 01:47	N/A	unlimited	0	0	
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EDIT RATE LIMIT FOR IGNACIO-TZ470

Rate Limit  Unlimited

Limited:  Files

Cancel Save

# API

The CSa supports two types of APIs to programmatically access the appliance:

- Service API for file submission and analysis
- Management API for device configuration

The API pages contain the API reference, which can also be used to interact with the appliance to see requests and response codes. Additional code samples on using the Capture API can be found at <https://github.com/sonicwall>.

## Sample Use Cases:

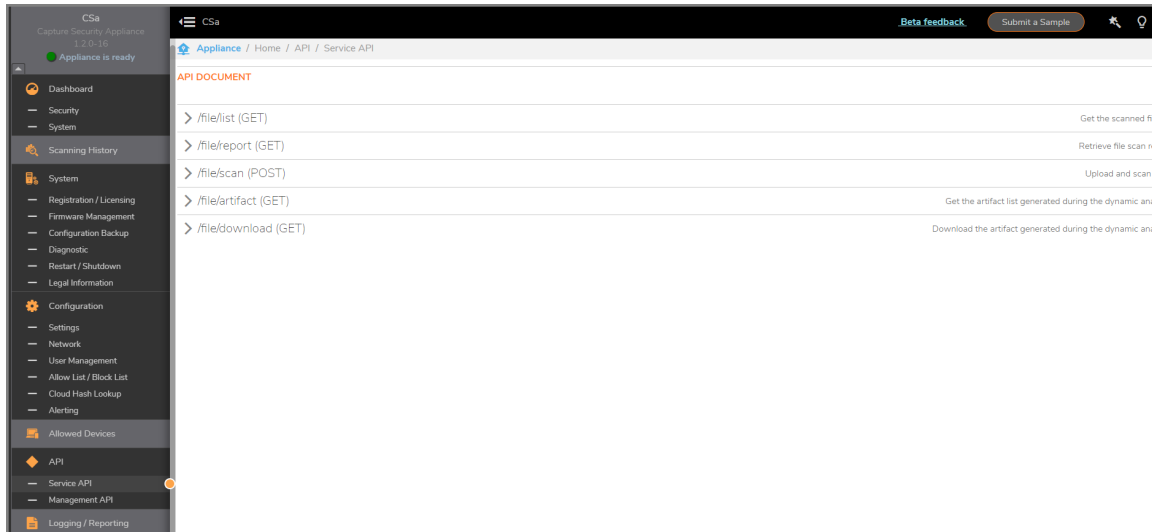
- Service API: A webserver used to receive files can be programmed to submit all files to the CSa for analysis before making them available inside the organization. For example, an insurance company or a local government can add such protection before any files make it inside their network.
- Service API: A security analyst with a large number of files gathered in the field can write a script to submit all the files to the CSa for analysis to get a verdict on which files are malicious and which are benign.
- Management API: An MSSP on boarding device can automatically add devices to the CSa "Allowed Devices" list as soon as a customer or a device are added to their inventory system.

To get a list of APIs, use the > symbol to compress the display. Available APIs appear.

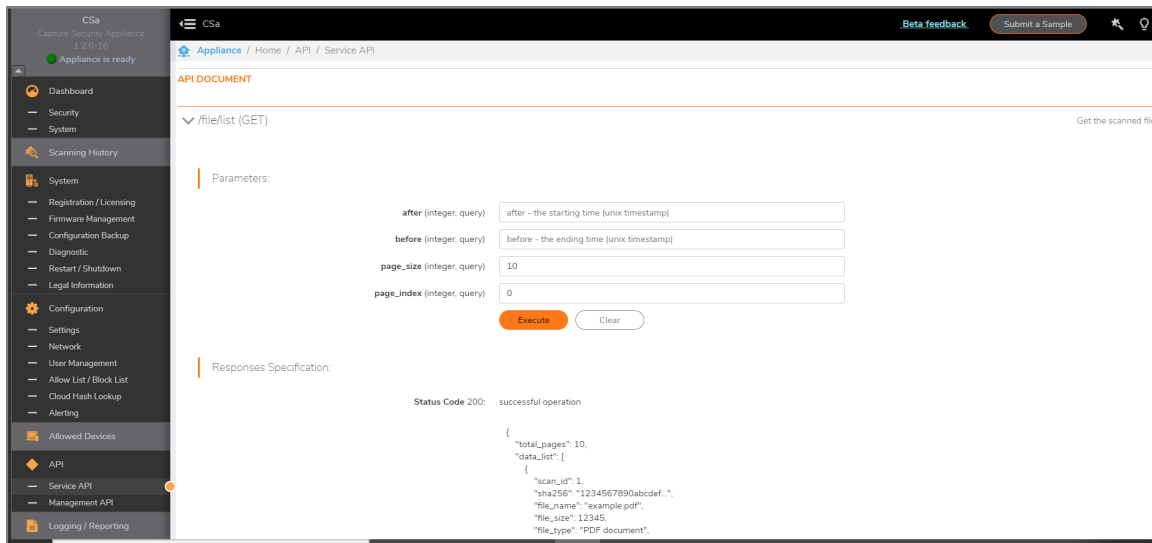
## Topics:

- [Service API](#)
- [Management API](#)

# Service API



# API Operation



# Management API

The screenshot displays the SonicWall Management API interface. On the left is a navigation sidebar with categories like Dashboard, Scanning History, System, Configuration, Directory Scan, Allowed Devices, API, and Logging/Reporting. The main content area shows the 'SONICWALL CSA MANAGEMENT API AGREEMENT' with a 'Servers' dropdown set to '/managev1/' and an 'Authorize' button. Below this, the API endpoints are organized into two sections: 'authorization' and 'user'. The 'authorization' section includes POST endpoints for /user/login, /user/logout, and /user/change\_password. The 'user' section includes GET endpoints for /user and /user/{user\_id}, and PUT endpoints for /user/{user\_id}.

Method	Endpoint	Description
POST	/user/login	Create a new login session.
POST	/user/logout	Delete a logged in session.
POST	/user/change_password	Change the password.
GET	/user	Get the user list.
POST	/user	Create a new user.
GET	/user/{user_id}	Get the user info by user_id.
PUT	/user/{user_id}	Update an existing user.

# Logging and Reporting

## Topics:

- [Logs Monitor](#)
- [Syslog](#)
- [Reporting](#)

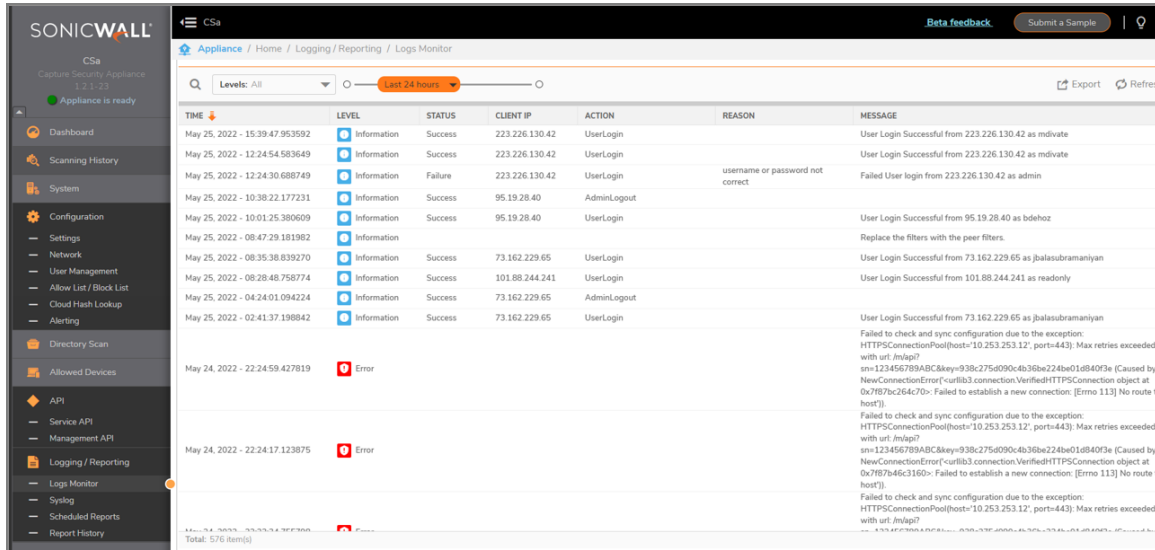
## Logs Monitor

The **Logs Monitor** screen allows filtering of all events by **Levels**:

- **Critical**
- **Error**
- **Warning**
- **Information**
- **Debug**
- **Not set**

And by time period (slider):

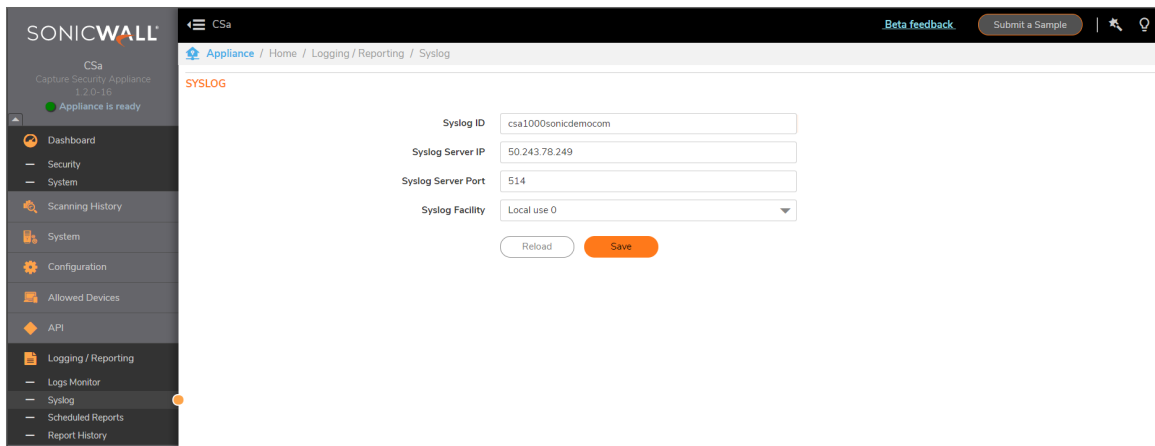
- **Last 1 hour**
- **Last 24 hours**
- **Last week**
- **Last month**
- **All**



After filtering log events, all table headings can be sorted by clicking the arrow next to each column heading. You can sort either ascending or descending for **Time**, **Level**, **Status**, **Client IP**, **Action**, **Reason**, or **Message**.

## Syslog

The Syslog screen is used to send logging events.



## Reporting

The Capture Security Appliance supports detailed scheduling and history of reports.

Reporting is split into two sections:



- Scheduling or configuration of the reports — Reports can be customized to report on specific appliances and sources and then sent to different recipients.  
See [Scheduled Reports](#)
- History of generated reports. Lists reports that have run and have been mailed. They can be rerun from this page or downloaded directly.  
See [Report History](#)

## Scheduled Reports

On this screen records are scheduled and tracked.

① | **NOTE:** The filter box at the left allows reports to be displayed as **All**, **Weekly**, **Monthly**, or **Daily**.

## Filtering Monthly Reports

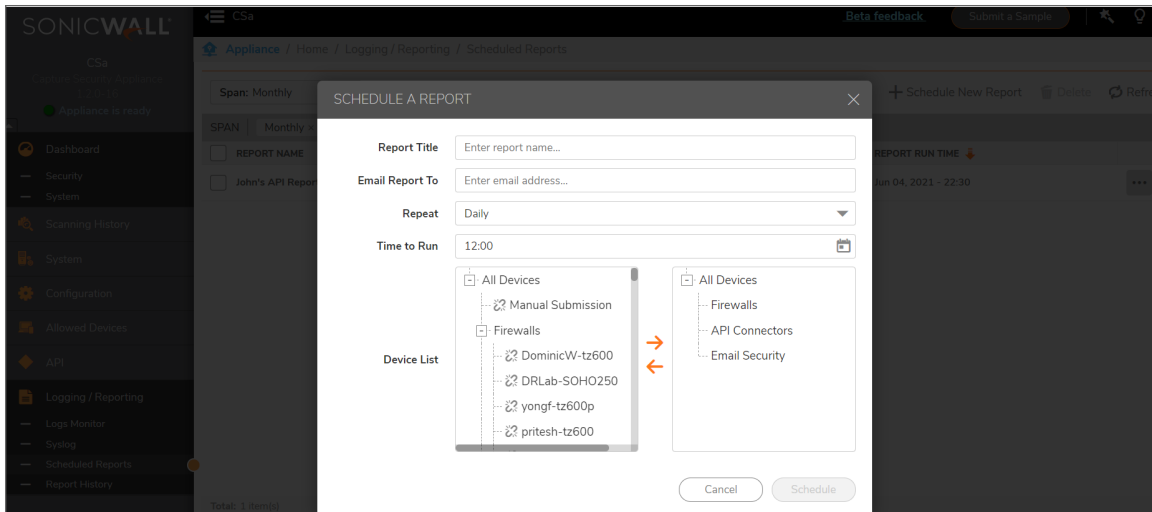
#	REPORT NAME	REPORT SPAN	REPORT RUN TIME
1	John's API Report	Monthly	Jun 04, 2022 - 22:30

Total: 1 item(s)

## Scheduling Reports

### *Scheduling a New Report:*

1. Click **+Schedule New Report**.
2. When the **Schedule A Report** dialog appears, fill it out.



3. At the bottom of the dialog, move specific submissions sources, or categories (**Firewalls, API Connectors, and Email Security**) from the **Device List** to the list of devices on which reports are generated.
4. To complete, click **Schedule**.

## Report History

**Report History** supports filtering reports based on **Status (All, Done, Failed, and In Progress)** and **Span (All, Weekly, Monthly, Daily)**.

#	STATUS	REPORT NAME	TIME GENERATED	TIME SPAN
1	Done	csareport_johns_api_report_1649091600.pdf	May 04, 2022 - 22:30	Monthly
2	Done	csareport_johns_api_report_1646413200.pdf	Apr 04, 2022 - 22:30	Monthly
3	Done	csareport_johns_api_report_1643994000.pdf	Mar 04, 2022 - 22:30	Monthly
4	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1645111620.pdf	Feb 18, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
5	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1645025220.pdf	Feb 17, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
6	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644938820.pdf	Feb 16, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
7	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644852420.pdf	Feb 15, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
8	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644766020.pdf	Feb 14, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
9	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644679620.pdf	Feb 13, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
10	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644593220.pdf	Feb 12, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
11	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644506820.pdf	Feb 11, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
12	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644420420.pdf	Feb 10, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
13	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644334020.pdf	Feb 09, 2022 - 20:57	Daily
14	Done	csareport_jaime_daily_test_1644247620.pdf	Feb 08, 2022 - 20:57	Daily

Total: 54 item(s)

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