



Preface

The *ASDM User Guide* contains the information that is available in the ASDM online help system.

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Related Documentation

For more information, refer to the following documentation:

- *Cisco ASDM Release Notes*
- *Cisco Security Appliance Command Line Configuration Guide*
- *Cisco Security Appliance Command Reference*
- *Cisco ASA 5500 Series Adaptive Security Appliance Getting Started Guide*
- *Cisco ASA 5505 Series Adaptive Security Appliance Getting Started Guide*
- *Cisco ASA 5500 Series Release Notes*
- *Cisco Security Appliance Logging Configuration and System Log Messages*
- *Open Source Software Licenses for ASA and PIX Security Appliances*

Document Conventions

Command descriptions use these conventions:

- Braces ({ }) indicate a required choice.
- Square brackets ([]) indicate optional elements.
- Vertical bars (|) separate alternative, mutually exclusive elements.
- **Boldface** indicates commands and keywords that are entered literally as shown.
- *Italics* indicate arguments for which you supply values.

Examples use these conventions:

- Examples depict screen displays and the command line in `screen` font.

- Information you need to enter in examples is shown in **boldface screen** font.
- Variables for which you must supply a value are shown in *italic screen* font.

**Note**

Means *reader take note*. Notes contain helpful suggestions or references to material not covered in the manual.

Obtaining Documentation and Submitting a Service Request

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