



Firewall Management Migration Overview

Unlock Intelligent Cloud Management

Migrate from your on-premises
Firewall Management Center (FMC)
for as little as nothing



This guide is for you if you operate:

- A Cisco on-premises FMC appliance
- Firewall Threat Defense (FTD) devices

Migration Options



Cloud Integration

- **On-Premises:** Keep your on-premise FMC appliance for FTD management
- **Cloud:** Access a subset of intelligent Security Cloud Control capabilities

Ideal if your organization is:

Looking to improve security posture with existing investments in Cisco Secure Firewall.



Full Cloud

AI-driven management, monitoring, and event logging via Security Cloud Control

Ideal if your organization is:

Pursuing a cloud-first strategy to boost OpEx efficiency and avoid the CapEx of on-premises upgrades.

Explore the Benefits of Intelligent Cloud Management



Policy analyzer & optimizer

Automatically identifies and suggests improvements for network policies



Cisco AI Assistant

Simplifies tasks, enhances decision-making, and accelerates workflows



Feature adoption

Reveals how effectively you're leveraging your investment's full potential



Best practice recommendation

Guidance toward optimal configurations for improved security and performance



Secure mgt access from anywhere

Securely manage your environment from a web browser without VPN



No on-premises FMC appliance

Eliminate maintenance, space, and power costs of on-premises hardware



Latest mgt firmware with zero overhead

Get the latest features and security updates without manual effort or downtime



99.99% uptime SLA without HA

Guaranteed high availability without the need to maintain a dedicated HA setup



Auto backups

Regular backup of configurations that can be easily restored if needed



Elastic scale: add/remove devices

Add or remove FTDs without worrying about exceeding on-premises appliance capacity



Combined visibility of FTD & ASA events

Unified view of security events across FTD and ASAs for mixed deployments



Streamlined security management

Consolidate multiple security tools including 3rd party policies into a single AI-driven platform

Migration Option to Benefit Mapping



Cloud Integration



Fully Cloud

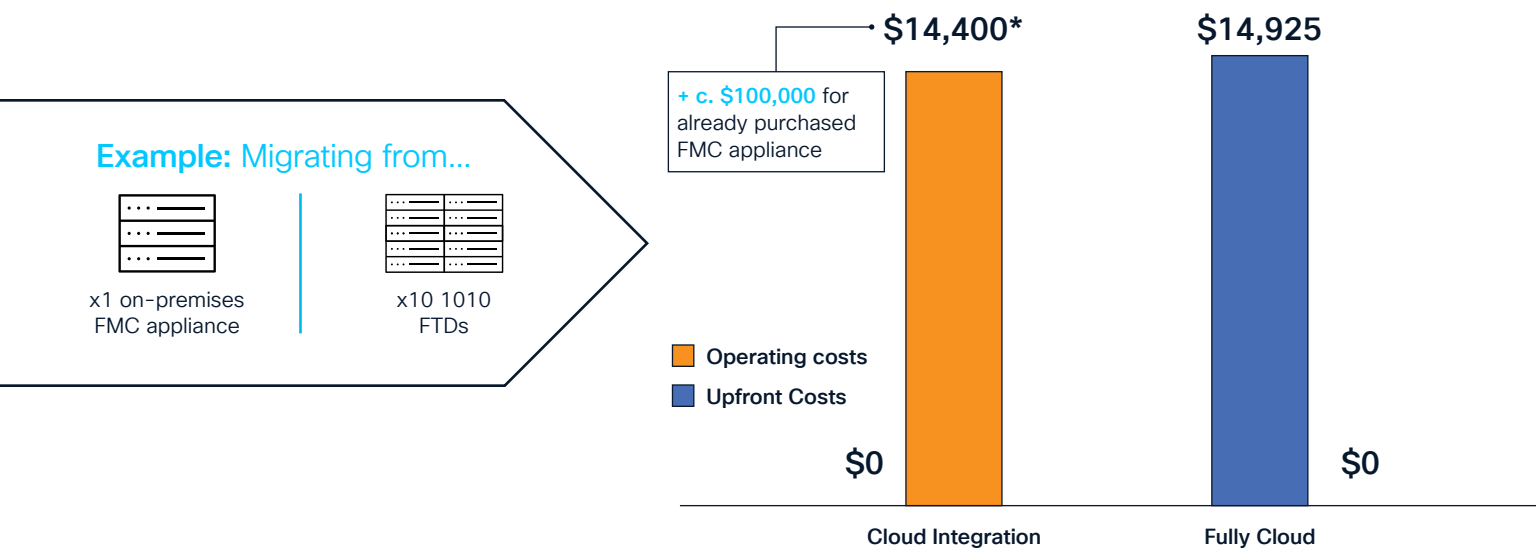
Zero upfront cost	•	
Policy analyzer & optimizer	•	•
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Licensing

License	Cloud Integration	Fully Cloud
Security Cloud Control Tenant Free	•	•
Threat Protection Malware URL No Change	•	•
Firewall Management Tenant Base Subscription		•
Device Cloud Management Per Device Subscription		•
Security Analytics and Logging (SAL) Usage • Retention Subscription		•

Start Migrating From as Little as Nothing

3-Year Migration Cost Comparison



Cloud Integration		Fully Cloud	
Upfront Costs			
Security Cloud Control Tenant	\$0	Firewall management tenant Fixed cost	\$6,750
		Device Cloud Management \$6,750x10 1010 FTDs	\$675
		SAL 1GB / Device / Day + 90 Days rentention for x10 1010 FTDs	\$7,500
Operating Costs			
On-premises appliance updates 8hrs / quarter x \$150/hr x 3yrs	\$14,400	No on-premises appliance	\$0
Audits Disaster recovery, backup etc.	\$0+		
VM hosting subscription	\$0+		
VM maintenance	\$0+		

Automated Migration



Workflow Summary

User Interface Key

FMC

Security Cloud Control

Cloud Integration

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1. Create Account & Tenant

2. Enable Firewall Management & FMC Discovery

3. Enable Cisco Security Cloud Control Integration

4. Enable AI Assistant & Policy Analyzer & Optimizer

4. Intiate Migration Wizard

5. Select on-premises FMC & FTD devices

6. Execute & Verify

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