

Cisco Secure Firewall Migration Tool Release Notes, 7.7.10.3

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About Secure Firewall Migration Tool

The Secure Firewall migration tool enables you to migrate your firewall configurations to a supported Secure Firewall Threat Defense managed by a management center. The migration tool supports migration from Secure Firewall ASA, ASA with FirePOWER Services (FPS), FDM-managed devices, as well as third-party firewalls from Microsoft Azure, Check Point, Palo Alto Networks, and Fortinet.

This document provides critical and release-specific information about the Secure Firewall migration tool. Even if you are familiar with Secure Firewall releases and have previous experience with the migration process, we recommend that you read and thoroughly understand this document.

New Features

Release Version	Feature	Descriptions
7.7.10.3	Object Conflict Remediation	Secure Firewall Migration Tool can now identify conflicts caused by duplicate object names or values when deploying the configuration to FMC. The tool then prompts the user to take appropriate action to resolve these conflicts. See: Push the Migrated Configuration to Firewall Management Center Supported migrations: All
	Performance Optimization	The ACL optimization analysis time has been reduced to enhance performance. A banner is displayed on Optimize , Review and Validate Configuration window, when you click Optimize ACL and then Proceed , that shows the approximate time taken for ACL optimization analysis. See: Optimize, Review and Validate the Configuration
	Disabled ACL Rule	Supported migrations: All You can now view the list of disabled ACLs in the Optimize, Review and Validate Configuration > ACL Optimization window. This enhancement ensures a more efficient migration process. See: Optimize, Review and Validate the Configuration Supported migrations: All
	Configuration Optimization	To streamline the optimization process during migration, the Secure firewall Migration Tool performs a check to ensure all the attributes are optimized. When you click Validate on Optimize , Review and Validate Configuration window any attribute that is missed is displayed in the Optimize Your Configuration dialog box. See: Optimize, Review and Validate the Configuration
		Supported migrations: All

For information on the history of Secure Firewall Migration Tool, see:

- History of the ASA Firewall Migration Tool
- History of the ASA with FirePOWER Services Firewall to Threat Defense with the Firewall Migration Tool
- History of the Check Point Firewall Migration Tool
- History of the Palo Alto Networks Firewall Migration Tool
- History of the Fortinet Firewall Migration Tool
- History of the FDM-Managed Device Migration Tool

Supported Configurations

The following configuration elements are supported for migration:

- Network objects and groups
- Service objects, except for those service objects configured for a source and destination



Note

Although the Secure Firewall migration tool does not migrate extended service objects (configured for a source and destination), referenced ACL and NAT rules are migrated with full functionality.

• Service object groups, except for nested service object groups



Note

Because nesting is not supported on the management center, the Secure Firewall migration tool expands the content of the referenced rules. The rules, however, are migrated with full functionality.

- IPv4 and IPv6 FQDN objects and groups
- IPv6 conversion support (Interface, Static Routes, Objects, ACL, and NAT)
- Access rules that are applied to interfaces in the inbound direction and global ACL
- Auto NAT, Manual NAT, and object NAT (conditional)
- Static routes, ECMP routes, and PBR
- Physical interfaces
- Secondary VLANs on ASA or ASA with FirePOWER Services interfaces will not migrate to Firepower Threat Defense.
- Subinterfaces (subinterface ID will always be set to the same number as the VLAN ID on migration)
- · Port channels
- Virtual tunnel interface (VTI)
- Bridge groups (transparent mode only)
- IP SLA Monitor

The Secure Firewall migration tool creates IP SLA objects, maps the objects with the specific static routes, and migrates these objects to FMC.



Note

IP SLA Monitor is not supported for non-Firepower Threat Defense flow.

Object Group Search



Note

- Object Group Search is unavailable for FMC or Firepower Threat Defense version earlier than 6.6.
- Object Group Search will not be supported for non-Firepower Threat Defense flow and will be disabled.
- · Time-based objects



Note

- You must manually migrate timezone configuration from source ASA, ASA with FirePOWER Services, and FDM-managed device to target Firepower Threat Defense.
- Time-based object is not supported for non-Firepower Threat Defense flow and will be disabled.
- Time-based objects are supported on FMC version 6.6 and above.
- Site-to-Site VPN Tunnels
 - Site-to-Site VPN—When the Secure Firewall migration tool detects crypto-map configuration in the source ASA and FDM-managed device, the Secure Firewall migration tool migrates the crypto-map to FMC VPN as point-to-point topology
 - · Site-to-site VPN from Palo Alto Networks and Fortinet firewalls
 - Crypto map (static/dynamic) based VPN from ASA and FDM-managed device
 - · Route-based (VTI) ASA and FDM VPN
 - Certificate-based VPN migration from ASA, FDM-managed device, Palo Alto Networks, and Fortinet firewalls.
 - ASA, FDM-managed device, Palo Alto Networks, and Fortinet trustpoint or certificates migration to FMC must be performed manually and is part of the pre-migration activity.
- Dynamic Route objects, BGP, and EIGRP
 - Policy-List
 - · Prefix-List
 - Community-List
 - Autonomous System (AS)-Path
 - Route-Map
- Remote Access VPN
 - SSL and IKEv2 protocol.
 - Authentication methods—AAA only, Client Certificate only, SAML, AAA, and Client Certificate.

- AAA—Radius, Local, LDAP, and AD.
- Connection Profiles, Group-Policy, Dynamic Access Policy, LDAP Attribute Map, and Certificate Map.
- Standard and Extended ACL.
- RA VPN Custom Attributes and VPN load balancing
- As part of pre-migration activity, perform the following:
 - Migrate the ASA, FDM-managed device, Palo Alto Networks, and Fortinet firewall trustpoints manually to the FMC as PKI objects.
 - Retrieve AnyConnect packages, Hostscan Files (Dap.xml, Data.xml, Hostscan Package), External Browser package, and AnyConnect profiles from the source ASA and FDM-managed device.
 - Upload all AnyConnect packages to the FMC.
 - Upload AnyConnect profiles directly to the FMC or from the Secure Firewall migration tool.
 - Enable the **ssh scopy enable** command on the ASA to allow retrieval of profiles from the Live Connect ASA.
- ACL optimization

ACL optimization supports the following ACL types:

- Redundant ACL—When two ACLs have the same set of configurations and rules, then removing the non-base ACL will not impact the network.
- Shadow ACL—The first ACL completely shadows the configurations of the second ACL.
- Disable ACL—The ACL that has been explicitly turned off in the firewall's configuration. The rules
 exist in the configuration file, but the Secure Firewall Migration Tool ignores them when processing
 traffic.



Note

ACL optimization is currently not available for Palo Alto Networks and ASA with FirePower Services (FPS).

For information on the supported configurations of the Secure Firewall migration tool, see:

- Supported ASA Configurations
- Supported ASA with FirePOWER Services Configurations
- Supported Check Point Configurations
- Supported PAN Configurations
- Supported Fortinet Configuration
- Supported FDM-Managed Device Configuration

Migration Workflow

For information on the migration workflow of the Secure Firewall migration tool, see:

- Export the ASA Configuration File
- Export the ASA with FirePOWER Services Configuration File
- Export the Microsoft Azure Native Firewall Configuration File
- Export the Check Point Configuration Files
- Export the Configuration from Palo Alto Networks Firewall
- Export the Configuration from Fortinet Firewall
- Export the FDM-Managed Device Configuration File

Migration Reports

The Secure Firewall migration tool provides the following reports in HTML format with details of the migration:

- Pre-Migration Report
- Post-Migration Report

Secure Firewall Migration Tool Capabilities

The Secure Firewall migration tool provides the following capabilities:

- Validation throughout the migration, including parse and push operations
- Object re-use capability
- Object conflict resolution
- Interface mapping
- Auto-creation or reuse of interface objects (ASA name if to security zones and interface groups mapping)
- · Auto-creation or reuse of interface objects
- Auto-zone mapping
- · User-defined security zone and interface-group creation
- · User-defined security zone creation
- Subinterface limit check for the target threat defense device
- Platforms supported:
 - · ASA Virtual to Threat Defense Virtual
 - FDM Virtual to Threat Defense Virtual

- Same hardware migration (X to X device migration)
- X to Y device migration (Y having higher number of interfaces)
- ACL optimization for source ASA, FDM-managed device, Fortinet, and Checkpoint for ACP rule action.

Infrastructure and Platform Requirements

The Secure Firewall migration tool requires the following infrastructure and platform:

- Windows 10 64-bit operating system or on a macOS version 10.13 or higher
- Google Chrome as the system default browser



Tip

We recommend that you use full screen mode on the browser when using the migration tool.

- A single instance of the Secure Firewall migration tool per system
- Management Center and Threat Defense must be version 6.2.3.3 or later



Note

Remove the previous build before downloading the newer version.

Open and Resolved Issues

Open Issues

Bug ID	Description
CSCwq91811	For Check Point Firewall migration in Secure Firewall Migration Tool, after you apply the configuration to FMC, the configuration export fails because same interface mapping appears in both the source and destination interface fields.

Resolved Issues

Bug ID	Description
CSCwq69641	After launching the Firewall Migration Tool from CDO to migrate the configuration from Palo Alto Firewall to FTD, the configuration export fails.
	The system displays the following error message:
	Blocked - division by zero

Bug ID	Description
CSCwr02764	Palo Alto configuration migration in Firewall Migration Tool fails during configuration push to FMC with the error message:
	The object name 'object_name_' already exists. Enter a new name.
	If the platform that you are migrating from supports spaces in names, the Firewall Migration Tool replaces the space with an underscore. If the FMC already has a similar name with an underscore, the tool does not report it as a duplicate during the validation. This causes the migration to fail with error.
CSCwr08989	Migration of Check Point (CP) firewall using the Secure Firewall Migration Tool fails during the extraction of the CP configuration via Live Connect.
CSCwr48003	On macOS, when you create a configuration zip file using the Compress option from Finder UI, the upload to Secure Firewall Migration Tool fails. However, when the same zip file is created using the command-line interface, the upload to Secure Firewall Migration Tool works as expected.

Open and Resolved Caveats

The open caveats for this release can be accessed through the Cisco Bug Search Tool. This web-based tool provides you with access to the Cisco bug tracking system, which maintains information about bugs and vulnerabilities in this product and other Cisco hardware and software products.



Note

You must have a Cisco.com account to log in and access the Cisco Bug Search Tool. If you don't have one, you can register for an account on Cisco.com. For more information on Bug Search Tool, see Bug Search Tool Help.

Use the Open and Resolved Caveats dynamic query for an up-to-date list of open and resolved caveats in Secure Firewall migration tool.

Related Documentation

- Navigating the Cisco Secure Firewall Migration Tool Documentation
- · Migrating ASA Firewall to Firewall Threat Defense with the Secure Firewall Migration Tool
- Migrating ASA Firewall with FirePOWER Services to Firewall Threat Defense with the Secure Firewall Migration Tool
- Cisco Secure Firewall ASA to Threat Defense Feature Mapping
- Migrating an FDM-Managed Device to Secure Firewall Threat Defense with the Migration Tool
- Migrating Microsoft Azure Native Firewall to Cisco Secure Firewall Threat Defense with the Secure Firewall Migration Tool
- Migrating Check Point Firewall to Firewall Threat Defense with the Secure Firewall Migration Tool

- Migrating Palo Alto Networks Firewall to Firewall Threat Defense with the Secure Firewall Migration Tool
- Migrating Fortinet Firewall to Firewall Threat Defense with the Secure Firewall Migration Tool
- Migrating Cisco Secure Firewall ASA to Cisco Multicloud Defense with the Migration Tool
- Migrating Palo Alto Networks Firewall to Cisco Multicloud Defense with the Migration Tool
- Cisco Secure Firewall Migration Tool Compatibility Guide

