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Resilient Functions simplify development of integrations by wrapping each activity into an individual workflow component. These components can be easily installed and then used and combined in Resilient workflows. The Resilient platform sends data to the function component that performs an activity and then returns the results to the workflow. The results can be actioned by scripts, rules, and workflow decision points to dynamically orchestrate the security incident response activities.

This guide describes the Cisco AMP for Endpoints Function.

Overview

Cisco AMP for Endpoints is a cloud-managed, endpoint security solution that prevents threats at point of entry, then continuously tracks every file it allows onto the endpoints. It can also detect, contain, and remediate malicious files on an endpoint before damage can be done.

The Cisco AMP for Endpoints integration with the Resilient platform allows querying and updating of an AMP for Endpoints deployment. The returned results can be used to make customized updates to the Resilient platform, such as updating incidents, artifacts, data tables and so on.

The following type of queries can be executed:

- Get computer, computers or groups.
- Get computer trajectory.
- Get activity.
- Get event types or events.
- Get file lists, and files in file list (get file list files).

The integration can also be used to make the following changes to a Cisco Amp for Endpoints environment:

- Add suspicious sha-256 values to a file list in the Cisco Amp for Endpoints environment, which can then be used to blacklist the related file.
- Delete sha-256 values from a file list in the Cisco Amp for Endpoints environment.
- Move a computer to a new group.

Paginated results

With Cisco AMP for Endpoints, an API query returns results to the client in paginated format so that responses are easier to handle. A query total result can thus be larger than will fit in a single paginated result. The functions will attempt to retrieve the total results for a query up to a limit defined for the integration.

Limits

There are 2 types of limit enforcement in the Cisco AMP for Endpoints integration.

Query limits

Since some of the API queries can have a total number of results which can overwhelm the Resilient platform's ability to process them, the integration has in-built limits to the amount of results that are returned by the functions.

- A default global limit is set to 1000 results.
- The integration configuration parameter, query_limit, can be used to override the global results limit if required. There is no upper limit for this setting.
- A number of the integration functions have a limit parameter for the API call itself. If this value is set, it overrides both the global and query_limit values; however, there is an upper limit of 500 for this parameter, above which, an HTTP error is thrown.

Rate limits

The Cisco AMP for Endpoints API clients are only allowed to make a limited number of requests per hour. Each request returns a response with headers detailing the current rate limit status. If the limit is overrun, an HTTP 429 error is thrown.

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X-Rate-Limit-Limit - Total allowed requests in the current period.
X-Rate-Limit-Remaining - Requests left.
X-Rate-Limit-Reset - Number of seconds before the limit is reset.
```

The integration uses the rate limit headers to prevent the integration from doing an overrun on this limit. In the event that a 429 error is thrown, the integration configuration setting, <code>max_retries</code>, is used to determine how many times the integration attempts a retry of the request.

There are a total of 12 functions supplied in the Resilient Cisco Amp for Endpoints package. There are also example rules, workflows and scripts in the customizations section of the package that demonstrate usage of the various functions.

The remainder of this document describes the included functions, rules, workflows, scripts and data tables. It also demonstrates how to configure and execute the example custom workflows.

Installation

Before installing, verify that your environment meets the following prerequisites:

- Resilient platform must be version 31 or later.
- You have access to a Resilient integration server. An integration server is the system that
 you use to deploy integration packages to the Resilient platform. See the Resilient Integration
 Server Guide (PDF) for more information.

Configure Cisco AMP for Endpoints

Cisco AMP for Endpoints is a cloud based solution which has different API versions and base URLs (based on geographic region). The integration has configuration settings to allow it to be set up correctly for the local environment.

Access to the Cisco AMP for Endpoints REST API is allowed by providing a client ID and API access token in the request. The access token is tied to a user account on the AMP for Endpoints console.

More information is available at: Cisco AMP for Endpoints documentation

And more specifically for the API: Cisco AMP for Endpoints REST API documentation

Install the Python components

The functions package contains Python components that are called by the Resilient platform to execute the functions during your workflows. These components run in the Resilient Circuits integration framework.

The package also includes Resilient customizations that will be imported into the platform later.

Complete the following steps to install the Python components:

1. Ensure that the environment is up-to-date, as follows:

```
sudo pip install --upgrade pip
sudo pip install --upgrade setuptools
sudo pip install --upgrade resilient-circuits
```

2. To install the package, you must first unzip it then install the package as follows:

```
sudo pip install --upgrade fn cisco amp4ep-1.0.0.tar.gz
```

Configure the Python components

The Resilient Circuits components run as an unprivileged user, typically named integration. If you do not already have an integration user configured on your appliance, create it now.

Complete the following steps to configure and run the integration:

1. Using sudo, switch to the integration user, as follows:

```
sudo su - integration
```

2. Use one of the following commands to create or update the resilient-circuits configuration file. Use -c for new environments or -u for existing environments.

```
resilient-circuits config -c

or

resilient-circuits config -u
```

- 3. Edit the resilient-circuits configuration file, as follows:
 - a. In the [resilient] section, ensure that you provide all the information required to connect to the Resilient platform.
 - b. In the [fn_cisco_amp4ep] section, edit the settings as follows (N.A.):

```
[fn cisco amp4ep]
base url=https://api.amp.cisco.com/
api version=v1
# The client id will be generated on the Cisco AMP for endpoints
dashboard.
client id=<client id>
# The api token will be generated on the Cisco AMP for endpoints
dashboard and will be will be in uuid format.
api token=<api token>
# Settings for access to cisco website via a proxy
#http proxy=http':'http://proxy:80
#https proxy=https':'http://proxy:80
# Query results global limit override for the integration global default
which is set to 1000.
#query limit=1000
# Max number of retry attempts on Rate Limit exception
max retries=3
```

Deploy customizations to the Resilient platform

The package contains function definitions that you can use in workflows, and includes example workflows and rules that show how to use these functions.

1. Use the following command to deploy these customizations to the Resilient platform:

```
resilient-circuits customize
```

Respond to the prompts to deploy functions, message destinations, workflows and rules.

Run the integration framework

To test the integration package before running it in a production environment, you must run the integration manually, using the following command:

```
resilient-circuits run
2018-11-26 16:56:34,467 INFO [app] Configuration file: app.config
2018-11-26 16:56:34,469 INFO [app] Resilient server: <host>
2018-11-26 16:56:34,470 INFO [app] Resilient user: <acct>
2018-11-26 16:56:34,470 INFO [app] Resilient org: <org>
2018-11-26 16:56:34,471 INFO [app] Logging Level: INFO
2018-11-26 16:56:35,411 INFO [component loader] Loading 12 components
2018-11-26 16:56:35,412 INFO [component loader]
'fn cisco amp4ep.components.fn amp delete file list files.FunctionComponent'
loading
2018-11-26 16:56:35,427 INFO [component loader]
'fn cisco amp4ep.components.fn amp get computers.FunctionComponent' loading
2018-11-26 16:56:35,439 INFO [actions_component]
'fn_cisco_amp4ep.components.fn_amp_delete_file_list_files.FunctionComponent'
function 'fn amp delete file list files' registered to 'fn cisco amp'
2018-11-26 16:56:35,578 INFO [actions_component]
'fn cisco amp4ep.components.fn amp get computers.FunctionComponent' function
'fn_amp_get_computers' registered to 'fn cisco amp'
2018-11-26 16:56:35,578 INFO [app] Components loaded
2018-11-26 16:56:35,686 INFO [actions component] Subscribe to message
destination 'fn cisco amp'
2018-11-26 16:56:35,687 INFO [stomp component] Subscribe to message destination
actions.202.fn cisco amp
```

The resilient-circuits command starts, loads its components, and continues to run until interrupted. If it stops immediately with an error message, check your configuration values and retry.

Configure Resilient Circuits for restart

For normal operation, Resilient Circuits must run continuously. The recommended way to do this is to configure it to automatically run at start up. On a Red Hat appliance, you can do this using a systemd unit file such as the one below. You might need to change the paths to your working directory and app.config.

1. The unit file must be named resilient_circuits.service To create the file, enter the following command:

sudo vi /etc/systemd/system/resilient circuits.service

2. Add the following contents to the file and change as necessary:

[Unit]

```
Description=Resilient-Circuits Service
After=resilient.service
Requires=resilient.service
[Service]
Type=simple
User=integration
WorkingDirectory=/home/integration
ExecStart=/usr/local/bin/resilient-circuits run
Restart=always
TimeoutSec=10
Environment=APP_CONFIG_FILE=/home/integration/.resilient/app.config
Environment=APP_LOCK_FILE=/home/integration/.resilient/resilient_circuits.lo
ck
[Install]
WantedBy=multi-user.target
```

3. Ensure that the service unit file is correctly permissioned, as follows:

```
sudo chmod 664 /etc/systemd/system/resilient circuits.service
```

4. Use the systematl command to manually start, stop, restart and return status on the service:

```
sudo systemctl resilient_circuits [start|stop|restart|status]
```

You can view log files for systemd and the resilient-circuits service using the journalctl command, as follows:

sudo journalctl -u resilient circuits --since "2 hours ago"

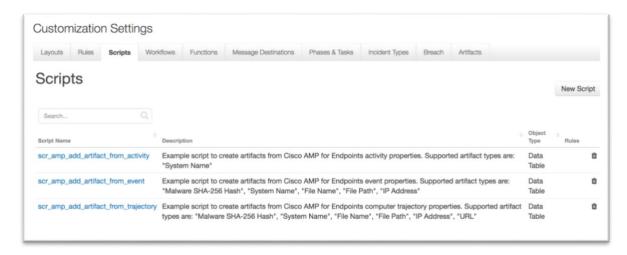
Function Descriptions

Once the function package deploys the functions, you can view the customizations in the Resilient platform Customizations Settings as shown below.

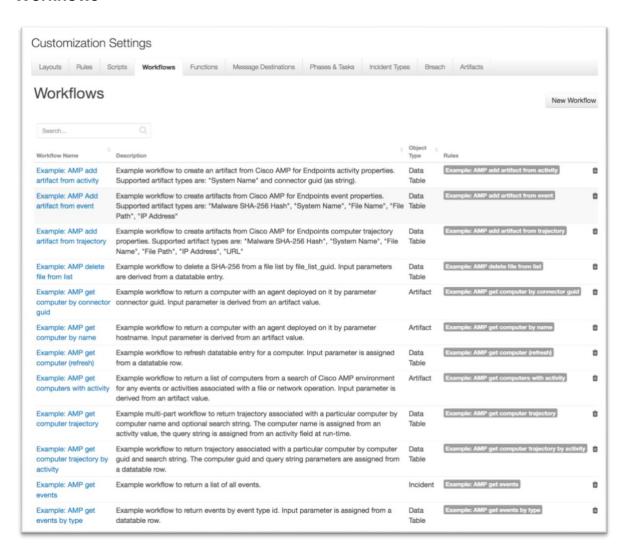
Functions



Scripts



Workflows



Example: AMP get event types	Example workflow which queries for event types and returns result of human readable name, and short description of each event by ID.	Incident	Example: AMP get event types	
Example: AMP get files from list	Example workflow to return a list of items for a particular file list guid. The input parameter is assigned from a datatable row entry.	Data Table	Example: AMP get files from list	
Example: AMP get group name by guid	Example workflow to return a group name by guid. Input parameter is assigned from a datatable row.	Data Table	Example: AMP get group name by guid	
Example: AMP get groups	Example workflow to return information on all groups.	Incident	Example: AMP get groups	
Example: AMP get SCD file lists	Example workflow to returns a list of all simple custom detection file lists.	Incident	Example: AMP get SCD file lists	
Example: AMP move computer	Example multi-part workflow to move a computer to a different group. The group name parameter is assigned from an activity field drop-down at runtime, the computer name parameter is assigned from an artifact value.	Data Table	Example: AMP move computer	
Example: AMP set file n list	Example multi-part workflow to add a SHA-256 to a file list using a file list name. The sha256 parameter is assigned from an artifact value, the file list name is assigned from an activity field drop-down at run-time.	Artifact	Example: AMP set file in list	

Functions and related components

The package includes example workflows, scripts, rules and data tables that show how you can use the functions, as shown in the following table. Resilient users can view the rules in the Rules tab, the workflows in the Workflows tab and scripts in Scripts tab and modify them as needed.

Query functions (Query the Cisco AMP for Endpoints environment)

Function name	Workflows	Rules	Data Tables
AMP: Get Event Types	Example: AMP get event types	Example: AMP get event types	Cisco AMP event types
AMP: Get Events	Example: AMP get events Example: AMP get events by type	Example: AMP get events Example: AMP get events by type	Cisco AMP events
AMP: Get Computer	Example: AMP get computer by connector guid Example: AMP get computer (refresh)	Example: AMP get computer by guid	Cisco AMP computers
AMP: Get Computers	Example: AMP get computer by name	Example: AMP get computer by name	Cisco AMP computers
AMP: Get Computer Trajectory	Example: AMP get computer trajectory Example: AMP get computer trajectory by activity	Example: AMP get computer trajectory Example: AMP get computer trajectory by activity	Cisco AMP computer trajectory
AMP: Get Activity	Example: AMP get computers with activity	Example: AMP get computers with activity	Cisco AMP activity
AMP: Get File Lists	Example: AMP get SCD file lists	Example: AMP get SCD file lists	Cisco AMP SCD file lists
AMP: Get Files from List	Example: AMP get files from list	Example: AMP get files from list	Cisco AMP file list files
AMP: Get Groups	Example: AMP get groups Example: AMP get group name by guid	Example: AMP get groups Example: AMP get group name by guid	Cisco AMP groups

Update functions (Make changes to the Cisco AMP for Endpoints environment)

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AMP: Set File in List	Example: AMP set file in	Example: AMP set file in list	N/A
	list		
AMP: Delete File from	Example: AMP delete file	Example: AMP delete file	N/A
List	from list	from list	
AMP: Move Computer	Example: AMP move	Example: AMP move	N/A
	computer	computer	

Scripts (Generate Resilient artifacts from Cisco AMP for Endpoints properties)

Script name	Workflows	Rules	Artifact types
scr_amp_add_artifact_f rom activity	Example: AMP add artifact from activity	Example: AMP add artifact from activity	"System Name" "Guid as string"
scr_amp_add_artifact_f rom_event	Example: AMP Add artifact from event	Example: AMP Add artifact from event	"Malware SHA-256 Hash", "System Name", "File Name", "File Path", "IP Address"
scr_amp_add_artifact_f rom_trajectory	Example: AMP add artifact from trajectory	Example: AMP add artifact from trajectory	"Malware SHA-256 Hash", "System Name", "File Name", "File Path", "IP Address", URL

Function inputs

Each function has a set of inputs, which you can view by clicking the function name in the Functions tab of the Resilient platform.

The Resilient functions use input parameters starting with <code>amp_</code>, examples include <code>amp_conn_guid</code>, <code>amp_file_list_guid</code> and <code>amp_q</code>. These are equivalent to the input parameters and qualifiers used in the REST API calls. Refer to Cisco AMP for Endpoints REST API documentation on the use of these inputs.

The following input parameter is used in the Resilient functions where the input can be one of several different types.

```
amp q e.g. you can search on an IP Address, SHA256, file name or URL
```

Parameter amp_start_date uses a Datepicker to populate the value in the Workflow Input tab. This value is translated to a Unix epoch timestamp in milliseconds, by the Resilient platform. The Workflow Pre-Process Script accepts a Unix timestamp value in milliseconds.

Parameter amp event type accepts either a single integer or a list of comma-separated integers.

Parameter amp_severity is an optional function parameter which does not map to an equivalent in the REST API, this parameter is used to filter events by severity.

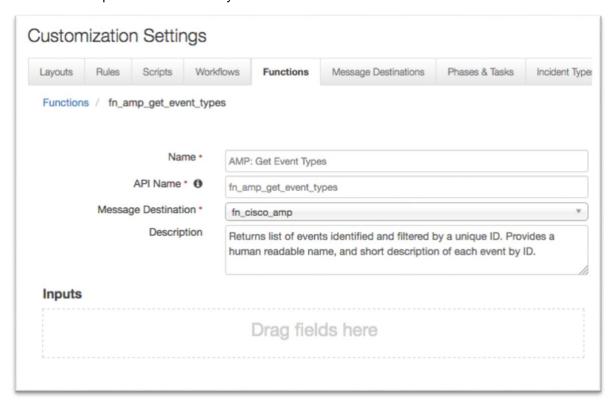
Function input assignment at run-time

A number of the example workflows assign function input values from activity fields at run-time.

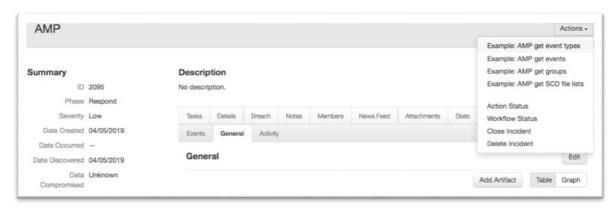
Customizations

AMP: Get Event Types

Returns list of events identified and filtered by a unique ID. Provides a human readable name, and short description of each event by ID.

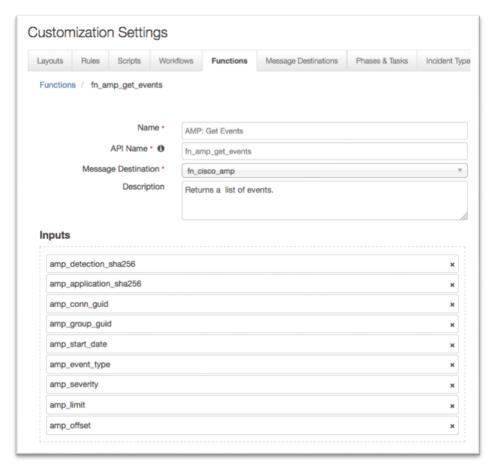


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get event types", are also included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions drop-down menu of an incident.

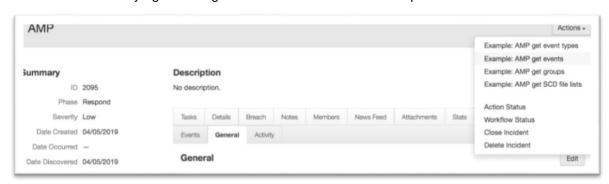


AMP: Get Events

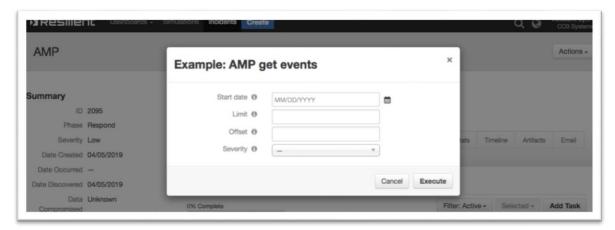
Returns a list of events.



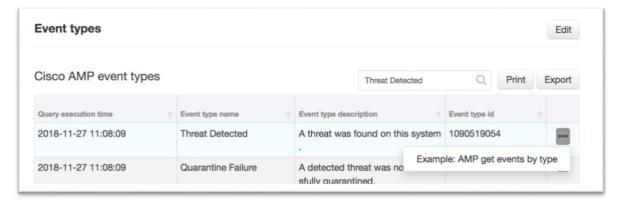
A Menu Item rule and workflow both named "Example: AMP get events" are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions drop-down menu of an incident.



This rule presents a dialog to the user where values for optional parameters start_date, amp_limit amp_offset, and amp_severity (optional field) can be assigned at run-time. The parameters are assigned from activity fields.

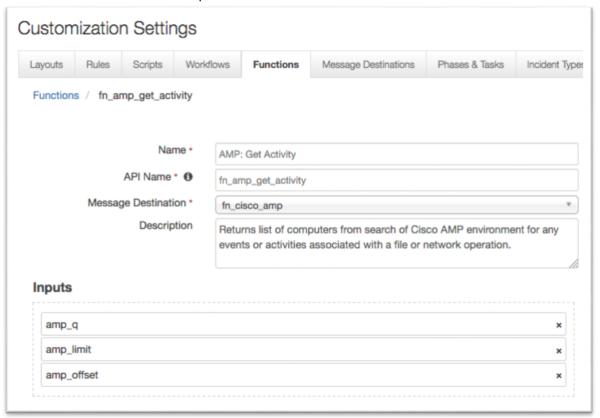


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called Example: AMP get events by type", are also included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP event types". Event type ID input parameter is assigned from the data table row.

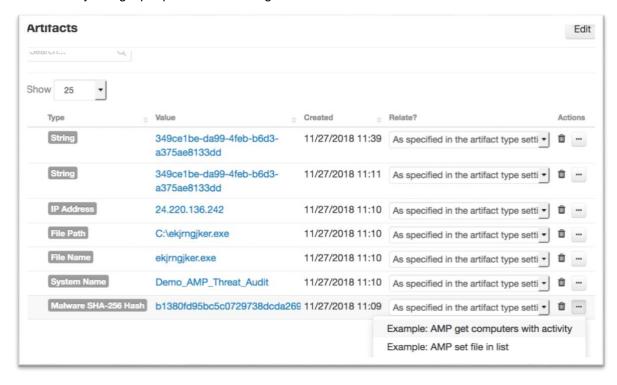


AMP: Get Activity

Returns list of computers from a search of the Cisco AMP environment for any events or activities associated with a file or network operation.

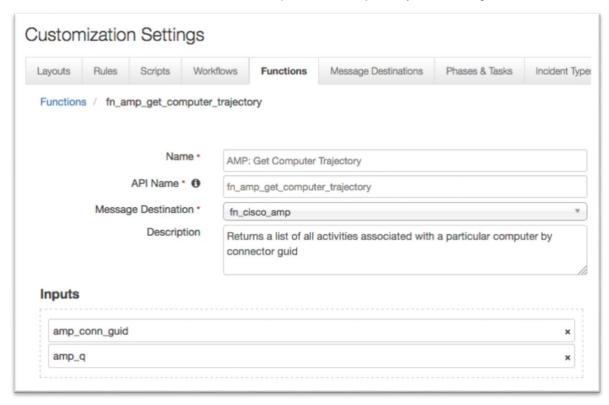


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get computers with activity", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by clicking the Actions icon for an artifact then selecting a rule. This rule is applicable for artifact types IP Address, Malware SHA-256 Hash, URL, and File Name. Query string input parameter is assigned from the artifact value.

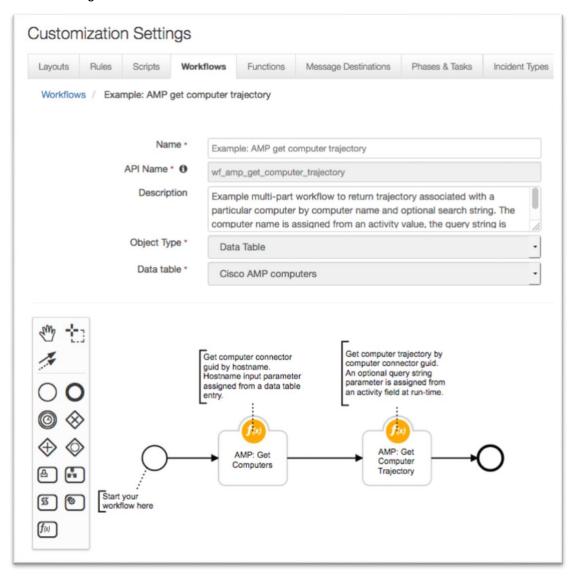


AMP: Get Computer Trajectory

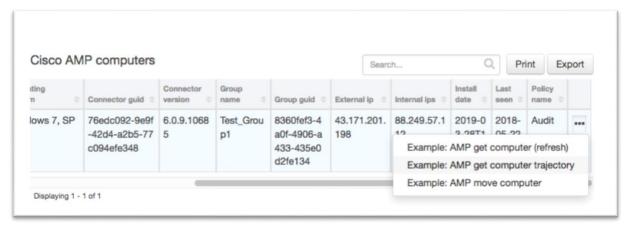
Returns a list of all activities associated with a particular computer by connector guid.



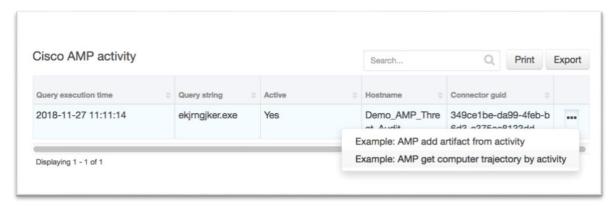
A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get computer trajectory", are included. This is a multi-step workflow where the first function is used to provide the input value for connector guid in the second function.



A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP computers". A host name input parameter is assigned from the data table row.

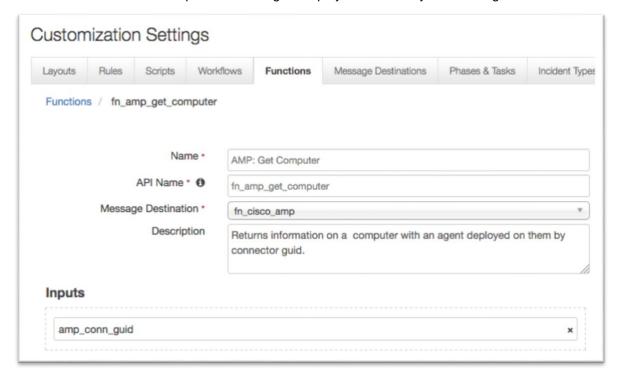


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get computer trajectory by activity", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP activity".

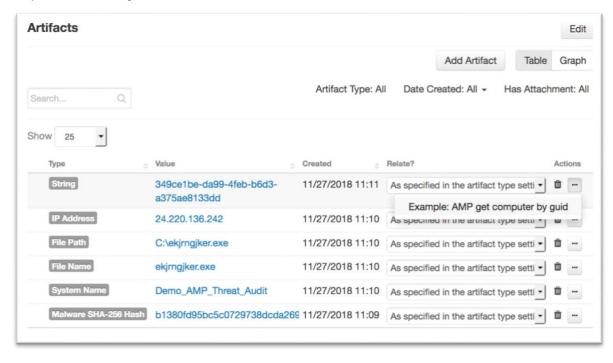


AMP: Get Computer

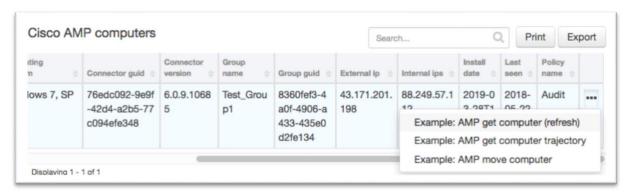
Returns information on a computer with an agent deployed on them by connector guid.



A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get computer by guid", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by clicking the Actions icon for an artifact then selecting the rule. This rule is applicable for artifact type String. The artifact value must be a valid Cisco AMP endpoint connector guid or the function will fail.

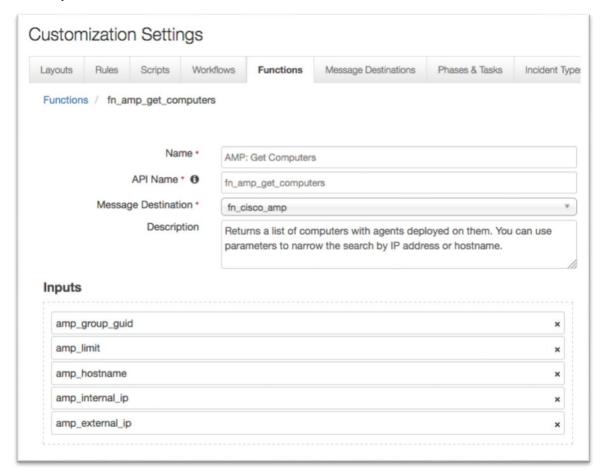


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get computer (refresh)", are included. This workflow can be used to refresh the data table entry for a computer to reflect changes in the environment. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP computers".

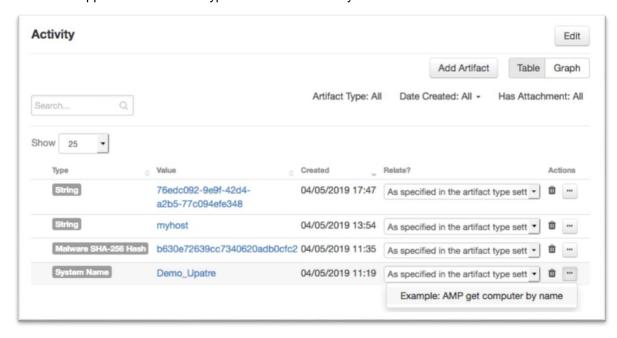


AMP: Get Computers

Returns a list of computers with agents deployed on them. You can use parameters to narrow the search by IP address or host name.

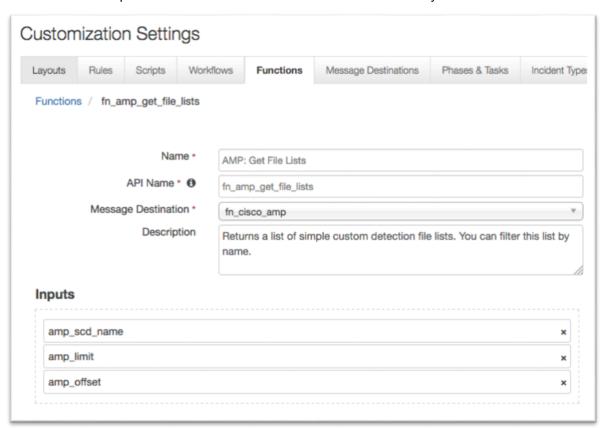


A Menu Item rule and workflow both called "Example: AMP get computer by name" are included. A user can invoke the workflow by clicking the Actions icon for an artifact, then selecting the rule. This rule is applicable for artifact types DNS Name and System Name.

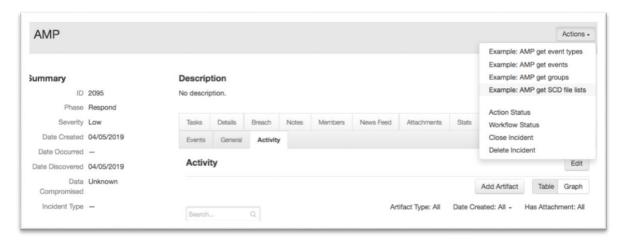


AMP: Get File Lists

Returns a list of simple custom detection file lists. You can filter this list by name.

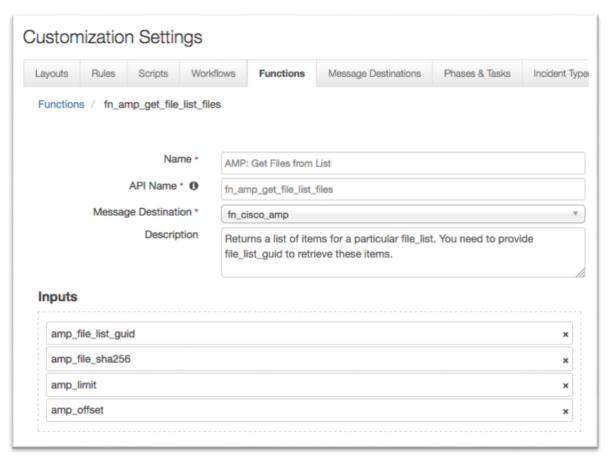


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get SCD file lists", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions drop-down menu of an incident.

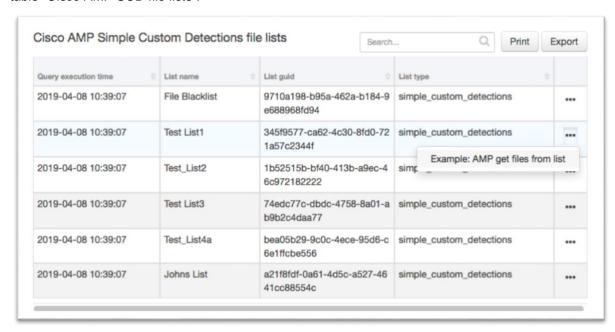


AMP: Get Files from List

Returns a list of items for a particular file_list. You need to provide the file_list_guid to retrieve these items.



A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get files from list", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP SCD file lists".

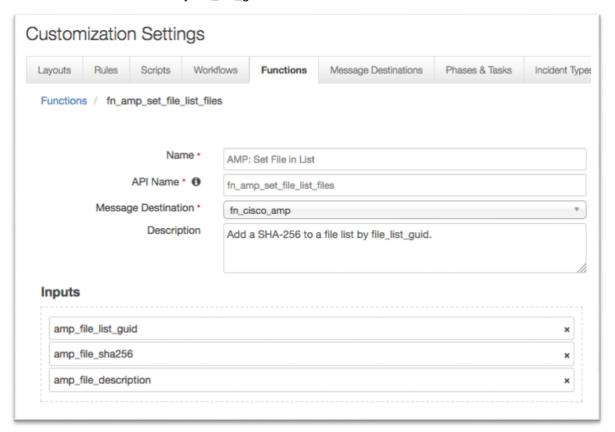


This populates data table "Cisco AMP file list files" with any files found in the list.

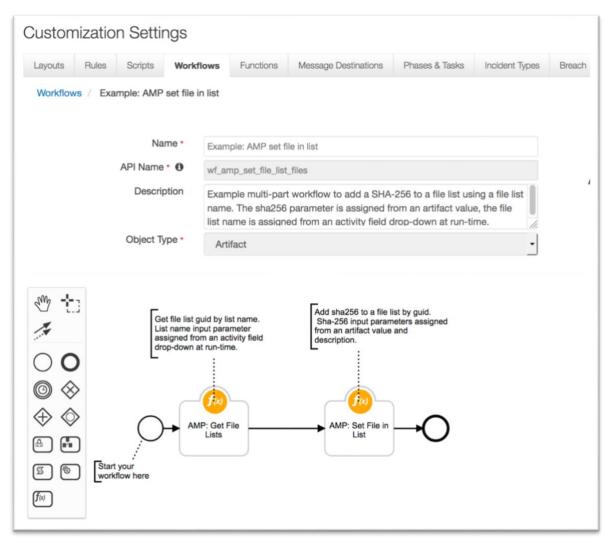


AMP: Set File in List

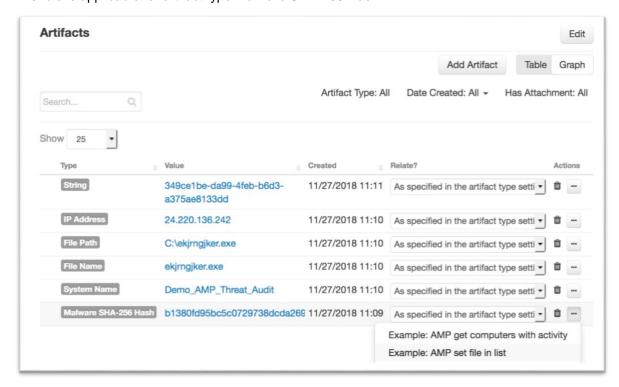
Adds a SHA-256 to a file list by file_list_guid.



A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP set file in list", are included. This is a multi-step workflow where the first function is used to provide the input value for file list guid in the second function.

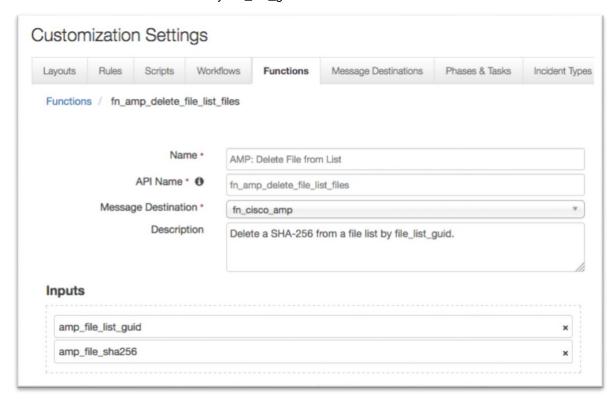


A user can invoke the workflow by clicking the Actions icon for an artifact then selecting a rule. This rule is applicable for artifact type Malware SHA-256 Hash.

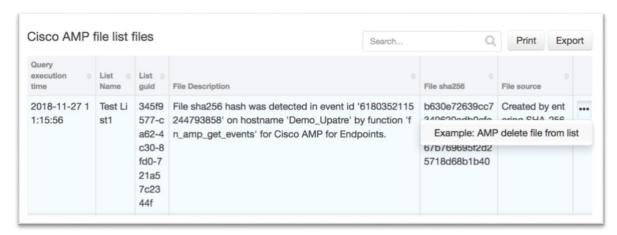


AMP: Delete File from List

Deletes a SHA-256 from a file list by file_list_guid.

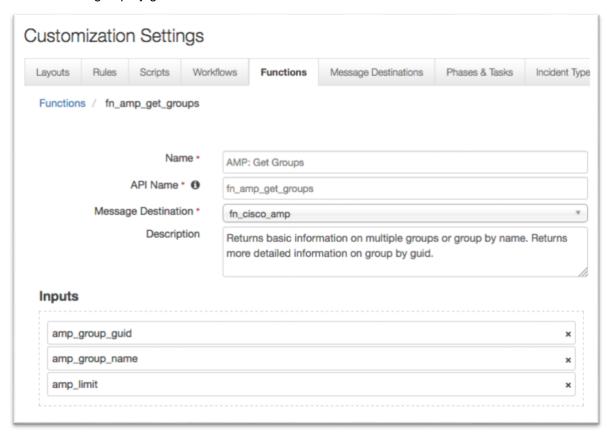


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP delete file from list", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP file list files".

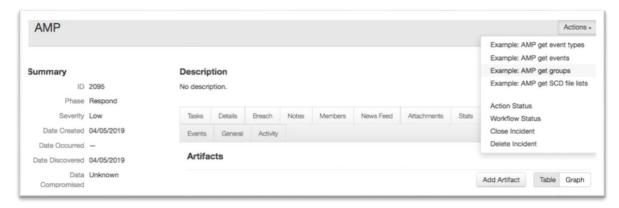


AMP: Get Groups

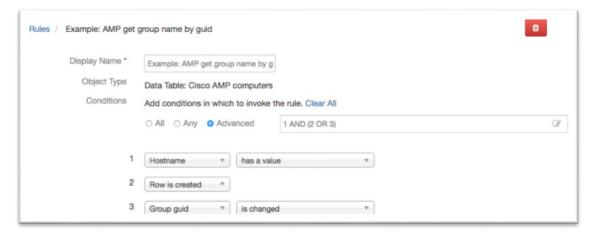
Returns basic information on multiple groups or group by name. Returns more detailed information on group by guid.



A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get groups", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions drop-down menu of an incident.

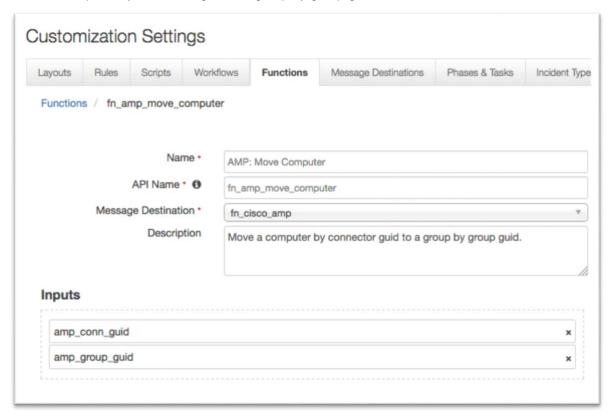


A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP get group name by guid", are included. This workflow is automatically invoked when a row is created or the group guid is changed for data table "Cisco AMP computers".

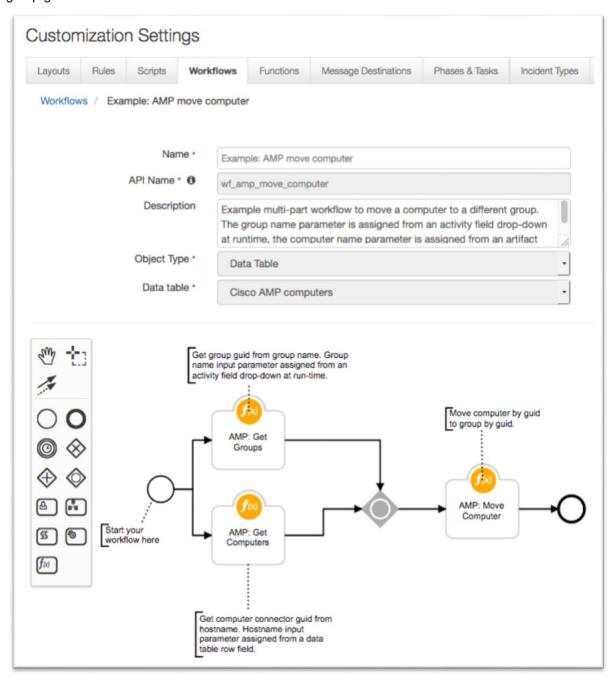


AMP: Move Computer

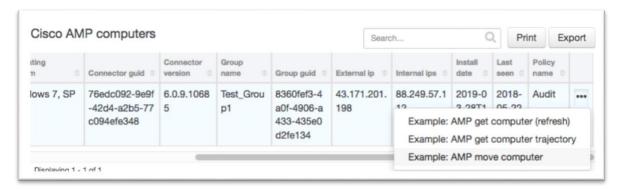
Moves a computer by connector guid to a group by group guid.



A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP move computer", are included. This is a multi-step workflow where two functions are used to provide input values for connector guid and group guid for the third function.



A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AMP computers".



Scripts to generate artifacts from data table entries

There are 3 scripts provided to allow users to generate Resilient artifacts from data table entries. The scripts are provided for tables "Cisco AMP activity", "Cisco AMP computer trajectory" and "Cisco AMP events".

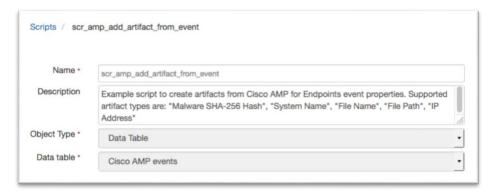
Script: scr_amp_add_artifact_from_activity



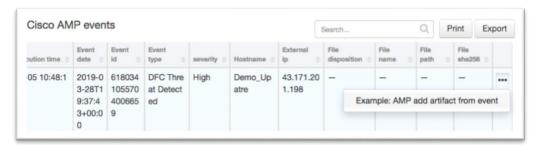
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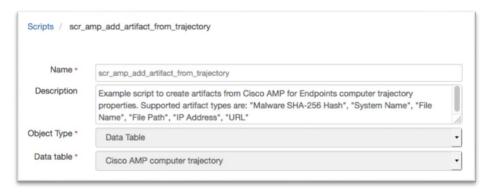
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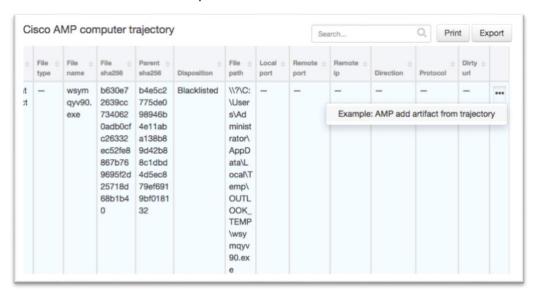
A Menu Item rule and workflow, both called "Example: AMP Add artifact from event", are included. A user can invoke the workflow by right-clicking on this rule from the Actions menu of a row in data table "Cisco AM computers".



Script: scr_amp_add_artifact_from_trajectory



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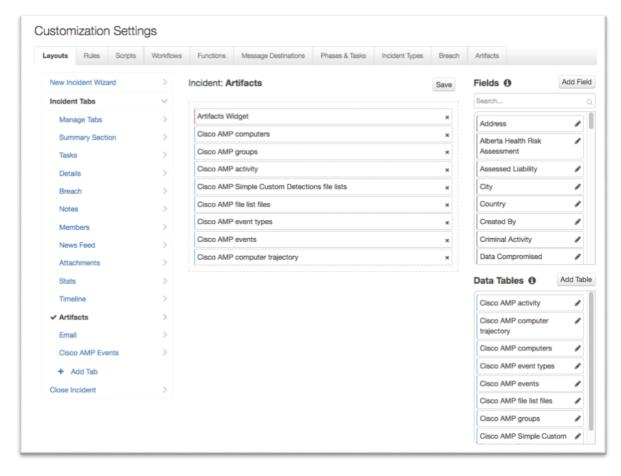


Resilient Platform Configuration

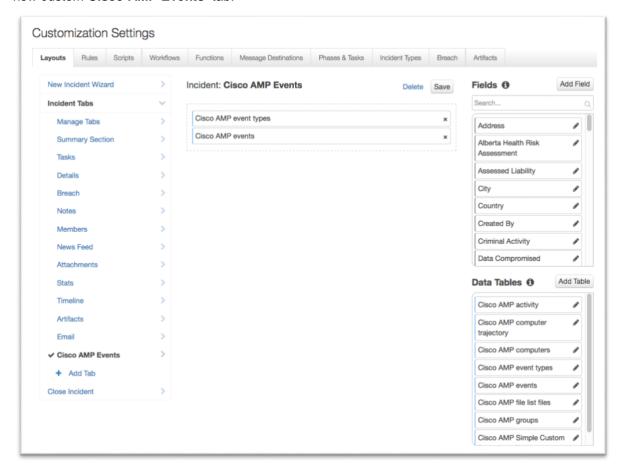
To display results, users need to manually add the provided data tables to the Artifacts tab or create a new tab if required and add to that tab, as follows:

- 1. Navigate to the Customization Settings and select the Layouts tab.
- 2. Select Artifacts.
- 3. Drag each data table to your Artifacts tab.
- 4. Click Save.

The following screenshot shows all the Cisco AMP for Endpoints data tables added to the Artifacts tab.



A user may prefer to display the data tables in separate custom incident tabs. The following screenshot shows the **Cisco AMP event types** and **Cisco AMP event** data tables added to a new custom **Cisco AMP Events** tab.



Troubleshooting

There are several ways to verify the successful operation of a function.

Resilient Action Status

When viewing an incident, use the Actions menu to view Action Status. By default, pending and errors are displayed. Modify the filter for actions to also show Completed actions. Clicking on an action displays additional information on the progress made or what error occurred.

Resilient Scripting Log

A separate log file is available to review scripting errors. This is useful when issues occur in the pre-processing or post-processing scripts. The default location for this log file is: /var/log/resilient-scripting/resilient-scripting.log

Resilient Logs

By default, Resilient logs are retained at /usr/share/co3/logs. The client.log may contain additional information regarding the execution of functions.

Resilient-Circuits

The log is controlled in the <code>.resilient/app.config</code> file under the section <code>[resilient]</code> and the property <code>logdir</code>. The default file name is <code>app.log</code>. Each function will create progress information. Failures will show up as errors and may contain python trace statements.

Support

For additional support, contact support@resilientsystems.com.

Including relevant information from the log files will help us resolve your issue.