

PAN-OS 7.0 FIREWALL ESSENTIALS LAB SERIES

Lab 4: Basic App ID

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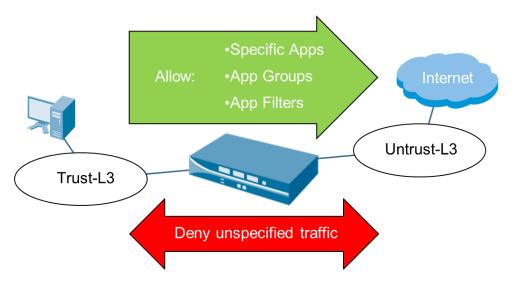
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Introduction



Now that you have confirmed that your workstation has connectivity to the Internet, you will delete the Allow All Out Security Rule and replace it with a more restrictive Security Rule. By default, the PAN Firewall will block any traffic between different Security Zones. You will create a Security Policy to selectively enable specific applications to pass from the Trust-L3 to the Untrust-L3 Zone. All other applications will be blocked.

Create a Rule named *General Internet*, which allows users in the Trust-L3 zone to use a set of commonly used applications such as dns, flash, ftp, ping, ssl, and web-browsing. The applications should only be permitted on an application's default port. All other traffic (inbound and outbound) between Zones will be blocked and logged so that you can identify what other applications are being used.

Next, you will configure the firewall to notify users when applications are blocked by a Rule.



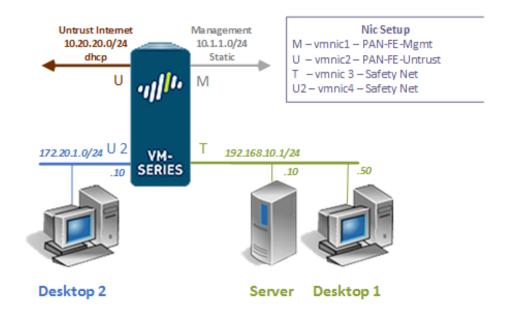
Objective

In this lab, you will be utilizing Palo Alto technology to perform the following tasks:

- 1. Create a new Security Policy to allow internet connectivity
- 2. Enable Application Block pages



Pod Topology







Lab Settings

The information in the table below will be needed in order to complete the lab. The task sections below provide details on the use of this information.

Virtual Machine	IP Address	Account (if needed)	Password (if needed)
Ubuntu Desktop 1	192.168.10.50	sysadmin	Train1ng\$
Ubuntu Server	192.168.10.10	sysadmin	Train1ng\$
Ubuntu Desktop 2	172.30.1.10	sysadmin	Train1ng\$
Palo Alto Firewall	192.168.10.1 172.30.1.1	admin	paloalto



1 Load Network Configuration

- 1. Click on the **Desktop 1** graphic found on the *topology page*.
- Login using sysadmin as the username and Training\$ as the password. Click Log In.
- 3. Double-click on the **Firefox Web Browser** icon located on the *Desktop*.



4. In the address field, type https://192.168.10.1 and press Enter.

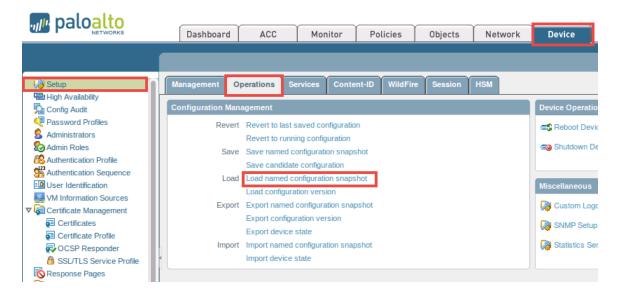
If you experience the "Unable to connect" message while attempting to connect to the specified IP above, please wait an additional 3-5 minutes for the PA VM to fully initialize and refresh the page to continue.

5. Login with the *username* admin and *password* paloalto on the firewall web interface.





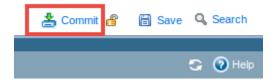
 Using the Palo Alto WebUI, navigate to Device > Setup > Operations and click on Load named configuration snapshot underneath the Configuration Management section.



7. In the *Load Named Configuration* window, select **Basic-App-ID-Lab** from the *Name* drop-down box. Click **OK**.

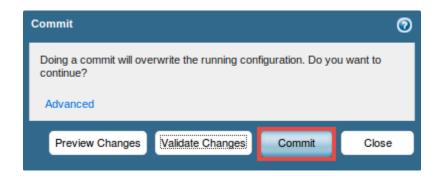


- 8. When prompted with the config loaded message, click on the **Close** button to continue.
- 9. Click on the **Commit** link located at the top-right of the *WebUI*.

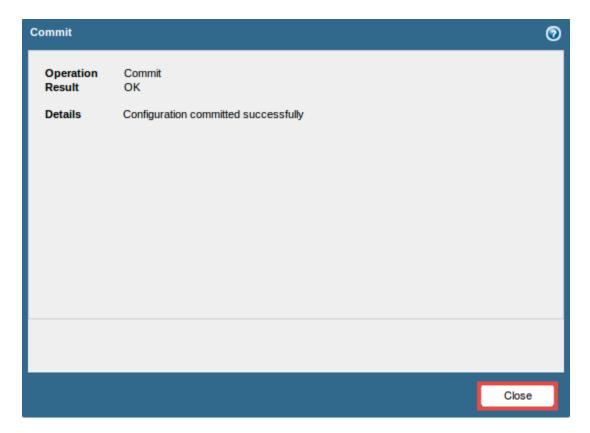




10. In the Commit window, click Commit to proceed with committing the changes.



11. Once the operation successfully completes, click **Close** to continue.

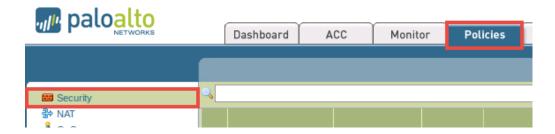


12. Leave the WebUI opened to continue with the next task.

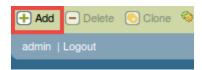


2 Create a General Internet Policy

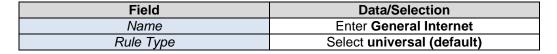
1. Using the *Palo Alto WebUI*, navigate to **Policies > Security**.

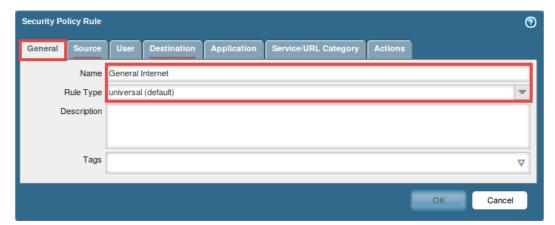


2. Click on **Add**, located near the bottom of the window, to define a new security policy.



3. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **General** tab and use the information in the table below to configure the correct form fields.

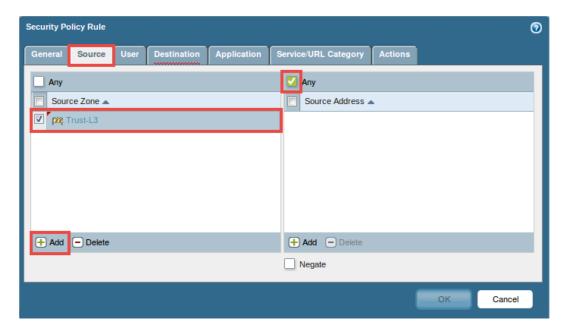






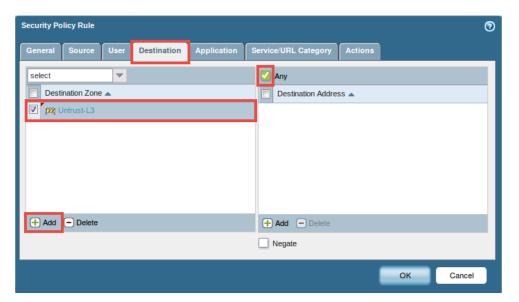
4. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **Source** tab and use the information in the table below to configure the correct form fields.

Field	Data/Selection
Source Zone	Click Add and select Trust-L3
Source Address	Select Any



5. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **Destination** tab and use the information in the table below to configure the correct form fields.

Field	Data/Selection
Destination Zone	Click Add and select Untrust-L3
Destination Address	Select Any





6. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **Application** tab and use the information in the table below to configure the correct form fields.

Field	Data/Selection
Applications	Click Add and select each of the following: dns flash ftp ping ssl web-browsing

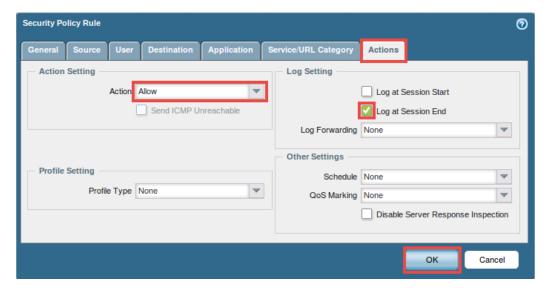


- 7. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **Service/URL Category** tab and select **application-default** from the *Service* drop-down menu.
- 8. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **Actions** tab and use the information in the table below to configure the correct form fields.

Field	Data/Selection
Action Setting	Select Allow
Log Setting	Select Log at Session End







- 9. Click **OK** to save changes.
- 10. Verify that the new policy is listed.
- 11. Leave the WebUI opened to continue with the next task.

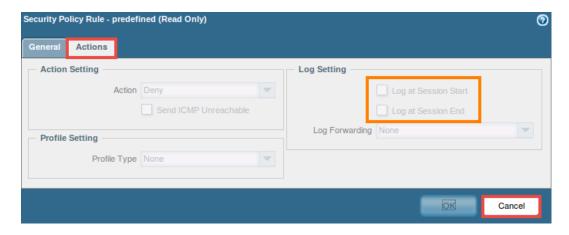


3 Enable Interzone Logging

1. Click on the **interzone-default** name underneath the *Name* column to open the policy. Make sure to click on the *interzone-default* policy with the **Deny** action (in the *Action* column) since there are two, identical *interzone-default* policies.



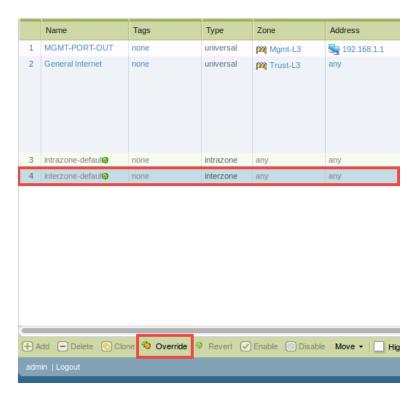
2. In the Security Policy Rule – predefined (Read only) window, click the **Actions** tab. Note that both Log at Session Start and Log at Session End are unchecked given no ability to check them.



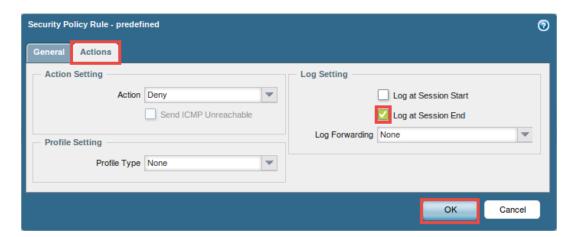
3. Click Cancel.



 Make sure the interzone-default policy with the Deny action (in the Action column) is selected (blue highlight), without opening the policy, and click Override.



- 5. In the Security Policy Rules predefined window, notice that the title does not display Read Only. Click on the **Actions** tab.
- 6. Check the Log at Session End.

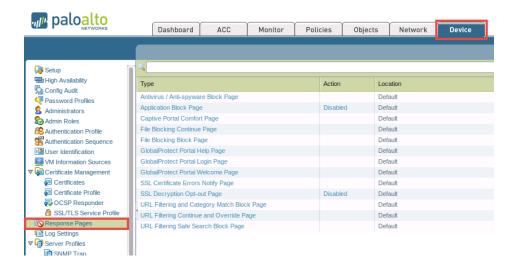


- 7. Click **OK** to save changes.
- 8. Leave the WebUI to continue with the next task.

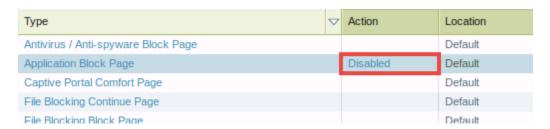


4 Enable the Application Block Page

1. Using the WebUI, navigate to **Device > Response Pages**.



2. Identify **Application Block Page** from the list, and click on its respective *Action* column. In this case, it is the word **Disabled**.



3. In the *Application Block Page* window, check the box to **Enable Application Block Page**. Click **OK**.



4. Click on the **Commit** link, located at the top-right of the *WebUI*.



- 5. In the *Commit* window, click on the **Commit** button.
- 6. After the configuration successfully commits, click the **Close** button.
- 7. Leave the *Firefox* application opened to continue with the next task.



5 Verify Internet Connectivity and Application Blocking

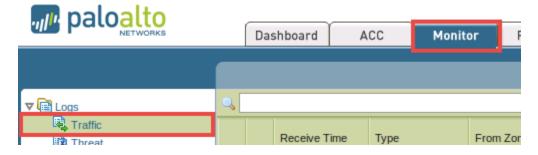
1. Using the Firefox web browser, open a new tab by clicking on the (plus) icon.



- 2. Type in www.netdevgroup.com in the address field followed by pressing Enter and verify that internet connectivity is present. You may also try common sites such as Google or Yahoo.
- 3. In the same tab, enter www.depositfiles.com in the address field followed by pressing Enter.

Notice that the *Application Blocked* page appears, indicating that the *depositfiles* application has been blocked.

- 4. Close the tab and navigate back to the first tab, **PA-VM**.
- 5. Using the *WebUI*, navigate to **Monitor > Logs > Traffic**.



6. Identify the traffic log specifically for when connecting to **depositfiles**. You can do this by clicking in the search bar and entering (app eq depositfiles). Notice that the application has been denied because it is not listed in the allowed applications in the *General Internet Policy*.



7. Open a **new tab** in the *Firefox* application.



8. Try to work around the application block by using a proxy. Type www.avoidr.com into the address field and press the **Enter** key.

If avoidr.com is down, use another proxy like php-proxy.net.

9. Type www.depositfiles.com in the text box near the bottom of the page and click **Go**.

Notice that another *Application Blocked* page appears showing that the phproxy application was blocked.

- 10. Close the second tab and navigate back to the first tab, PA-VM.
- 11. Using the WebUI, navigate to Monitor > Logs > Traffic.
- 12. Identify the corresponding log entry that indicates that the *phproxy* application has been blocked. You can do this by clicking in the search bar and entering (app eq phproxy).



13. Click on the **ACC** tab to access the *Application Command Center*.





14. Make sure to view the **Network Activity** tab from the *ACC* and fill in the radio button for **threats** in the *Application Usage* section to view more data about the recent traffic.



What is the total risk level for all traffic that has passed through the firewall thus far?

Notice that the *Threat Prevention* and *Data Filtering* sections within the ACC contain no matching records yet.

15. Close the **Desktop 1** PC viewer.