

PAN-OS 7.0 FIREWALL ESSENTIALS LAB SERIES

Lab 14: Quality of Service

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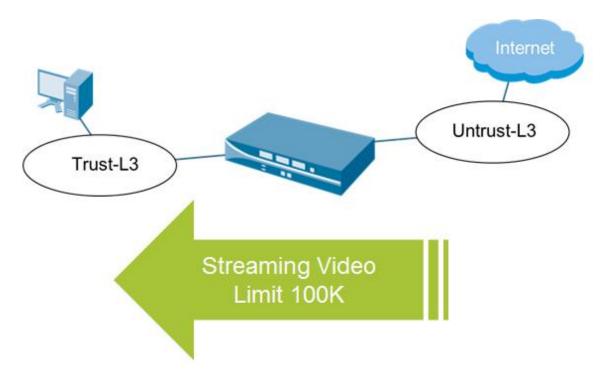
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Introduction



The network-monitoring group reports a high number of sessions using video streaming applications, which is impacting overall network throughput. You have been instructed to allow, but throttle, video streams from the site ustream.tv. You must not completely block the traffic and there should be as minimal impact to other traffic as possible.



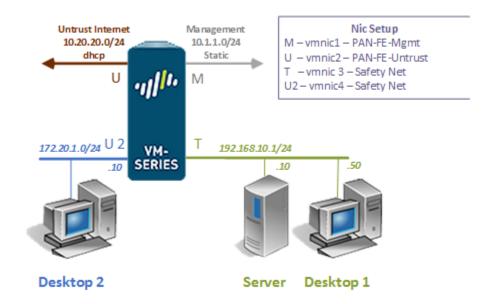
Objective

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

1. Configure QoS



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 Initial Firewall 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.

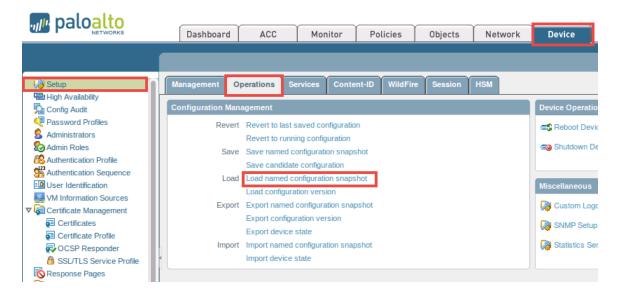
If you experience the "Unable to connect" message while attempting to connect to the specified IP above, please wait an additional 3-5 minutes for the PA VM to fully initialize and refresh the page to continue.

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

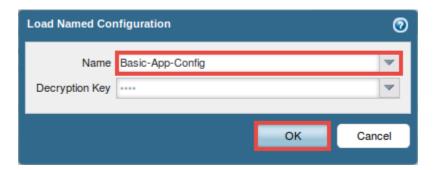




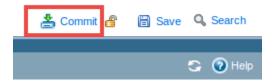
 Using the Palo Alto WebUI, navigate to Device > Setup > Operations and click on Load named configuration snapshot underneath the Configuration Management section.



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

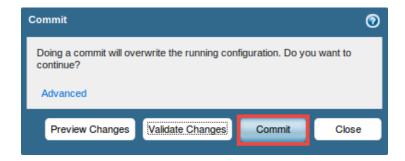


- 8. When prompted with the config loaded message, click on the **Close** button to continue.
- 9. Click on the **Commit** link located at the top-right of the *WebUI*.

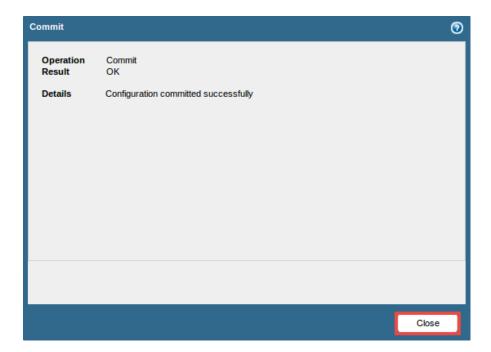




10. In the Commit window, click Commit to proceed with committing the changes.



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

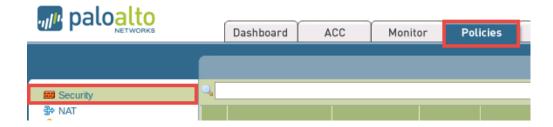


12. Leave the WebUI opened to continue with the next task.



2 Enable and Verify Applications

1. Using the WebUI, navigate to Policies > Security.



2. Click on the **Basic-Allowed-Apps** link, underneath the *Name* column.



3. In the *Security Policy Rule* window, click on the **Application** tab and use the information from the table below to make the appropriate configurations.

Field	Data/Selection
	Click Add and select the following applications to be added to the list:
Applications	ustream rtmp http-video google-analytics

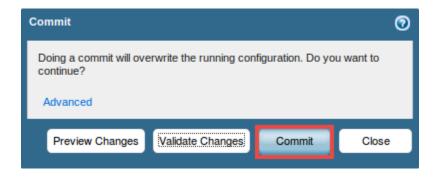




- 4. Click **OK** to save changes.
- 5. Click on the **Commit** link located at the top-right of the *WebUI*.



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



- 7. Once the operation successfully completes, click **Close** to continue.
- 8. Open the **Chrome** browser by clicking on its respective icon in the bottom panel.

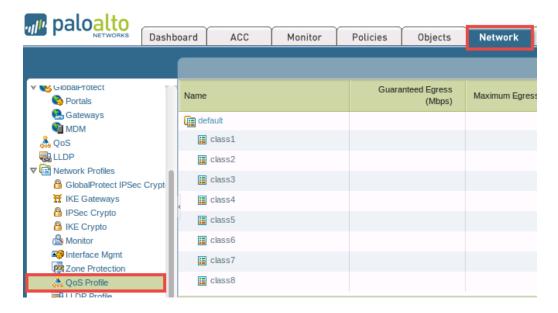


- 9. In the new browser, enter http://www.ustream.tv/explore/all into the address field. Press Enter.
- 10. Once on the *ustream* web page, click on any video to verify that the video can be viewed on the web browser.
- 11. After playing at least one video, close the **Chrome** web browser.
- 12. Return to the **Firefox** browser to continue with the next task.

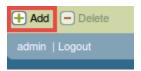


3 Define a QoS Profile

1. Using the WebUI, navigate to Network > Network Profiles > QoS Profile.



2. Click on **Add**, located near the bottom of the window, to create a new profile.



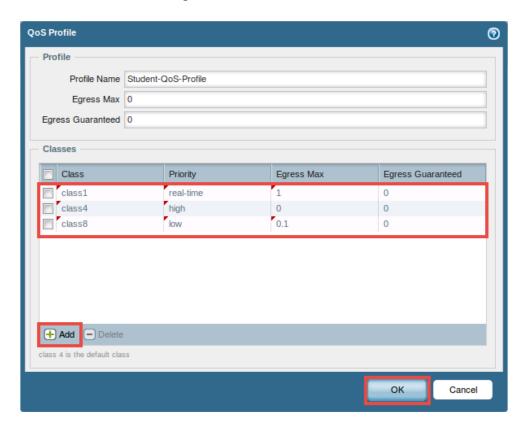
3. In the *QoS Profile* window, enter student-QoS-Profile into the *Profile Name* field.



- 4. In the QoS Profile window, click Add.
 - a. Select **class 1** in the *Class* column.
 - b. Select **real-time** in the *Priority* column.
 - c. Enter 1 in the Egress Max column.
- 5. In the QoS Profile window, click Add.
 - a. Select class 4 in the Class column.
 - b. Select **high** in the *Priority* column.



- 6. In the QoS Profile window, click Add.
 - a. Select class 8 in the Class column.
 - b. Select **low** in the *Priority* column.
 - c. Enter 0.1 in the Egress Max column.

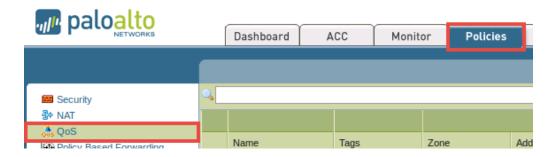


- 7. Click **OK** to save changes.
- 8. Verify that the Student-QoS-Profile appears in the list.
- 9. Leave the WebUI opened to continue with the next task.

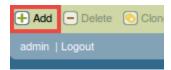


4 Define a QoS Policy

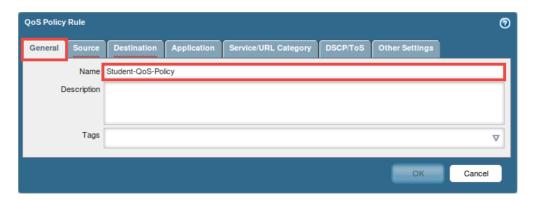
1. Using the WebUI, navigate to Policies > QoS.



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

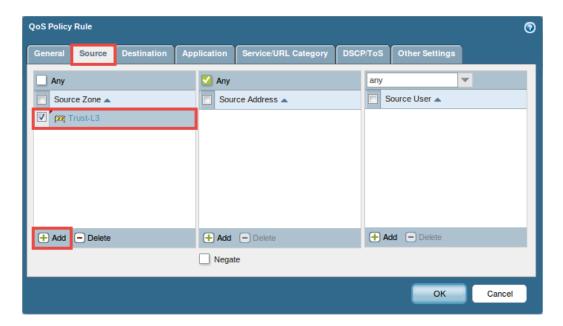


3. In the *QoS Policy Rule* window, click on the **General** tab and enter student-Qos-Policy in the *Name* field.

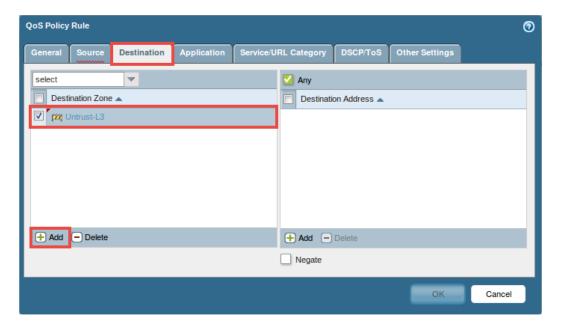




4. In the *QoS Policy Rule* window, click on the **Source** tab and click on the **Add** button, in the *Source Zone* pane, followed by selecting **Trust-L3**.



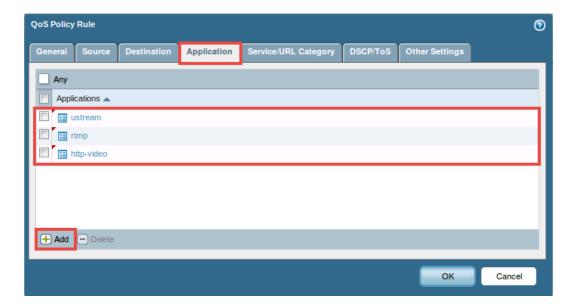
5. In the *QoS Policy Rule* window, click on the **Destination** tab and click on the **Add** button, in the *Destination Zone* pane, followed by selecting **Untrust-L3**.





6. In the *QoS Policy Rule* window, click on the **Application** tab and use the information from the table below to make the appropriate configurations.

Field	Data/Selection
Applications	Click Add and select the following
	applications:
	ustream
	rtmp
	http-video



7. In the *QoS Policy Rule* window, click on the **Other Settings** tab and select **8** from the *Class* drop-down menu.

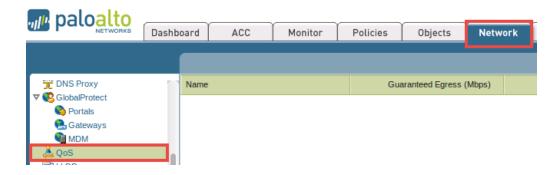


- 8. Click **OK** to save the configurations.
- 9. Leave the WebUI opened to continue with the next task.

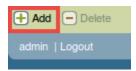


5 Assign the QoS Profile to an Interface

1. Using the WebUI, navigate to Network > QoS.

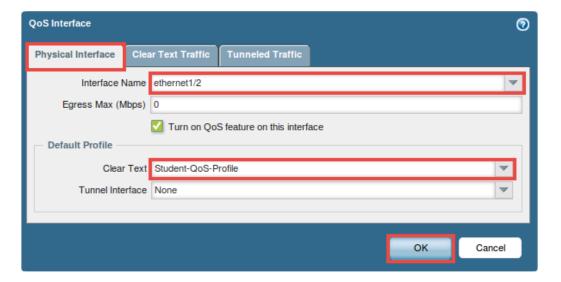


2. Click on Add, located near the bottom of the window, to create a QoS definition.



3. In the QoS Interface window, click on the **Physical Interface** tab and use the information from the table below to make the appropriate configurations.

Field	Data/Selection
Interface Name	Select ethernet1/2
Clear Text	Select Student-QoS-Profile



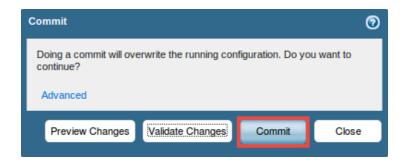
4. Click **OK** to save the configurations.



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



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



- 7. Once the operation successfully completes, click **Close** to continue.
- 8. Leave the *Firefox* web browser opened to continue with the next task.

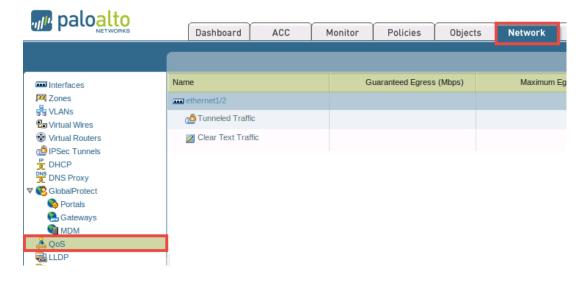


6 Test the QoS Policy

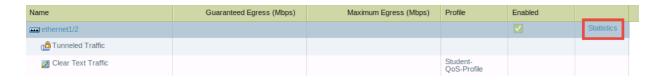
1. Open a new **Chrome** web browser.



- 2. In the new browser, enter http://www.ustream.tv/explore/all into the address field.
- 3. Play a video by clicking on any video stream to generate traffic.
- 4. Open a **new tab** in *Chrome*.
- 5. After a few seconds of playing a video, close the **first tab**.
- 6. In the new tab, enter https://192.168.10.1 in the address bar followed by pressing the **Enter** key.
- 7. If prompted with a "Your connection is not private" message, select Advanced followed by clicking on the Proceed to 192.168.10.1 (unsafe) link.
- 8. On the login prompt, login to the firewall as admin and password paloalto.
- 9. Select Network > QoS.



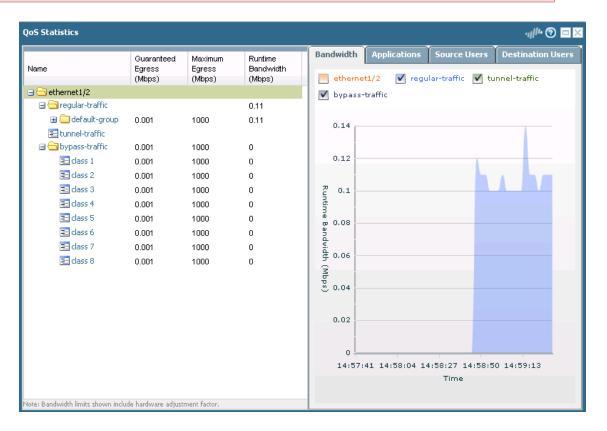
10. Click **Statistics** next to < Egress Interface>.





11. In the *QoS Statistics* window, select **ethernet1/2** from the left pane to review application traffic through this interface. Normally the bandwidth is shaped to stay below the 100 Kbps (.1 Mbps) you set in the profile.

These results may vary depending upon your environment.



- 12. Close the QoS Statistics window.
- 13. Close **Chrome** to end the video sessions.
- 14. Close the **Desktop 1** PC viewer.