

#### **Module 11 IPsec VPN**

Module 11. IPSec VPN

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# **Objectives**

- Describe an IKE/IPSec key exchange for site to site VPN connectivity
- VPN Community Functionality
- Configuration Steps for Site to Site and Client to Site VPN



#### **IPsec**

- Ipsec is not one protocol but a suite of protocols
  - IPsec crates a boundary between unprotected and protected interfaces
- Security Protocols
- Security Associations
- Key Management (IKE)
- Cryptographisd Algorithms



# Ipsec Security Protocols and Cryptographic Algorithms

- Authentication Header (AH)
- Encapsulating Security Payload (ESP)
- IPsec implementations MUST support ESP and MAY support AH
- IKE
- IKEv2



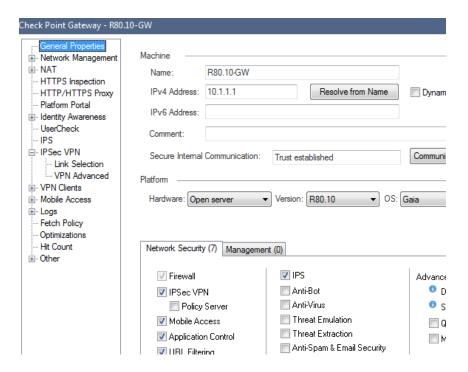
## **Ipsec Security Associations**

- IKE SA
- IP



#### **Check Point VPN**

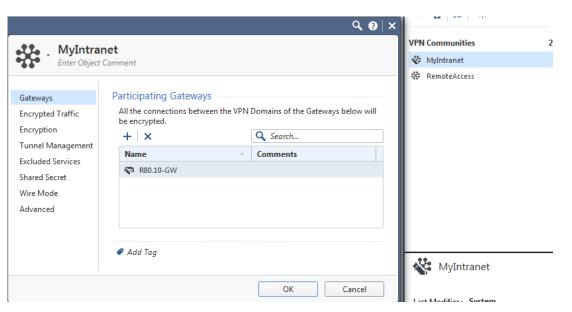
- Site to Site and Remote Access for Users
- Simplified and Traditional Mode VPN's
- VPN Communities





#### **Meshed Communities**

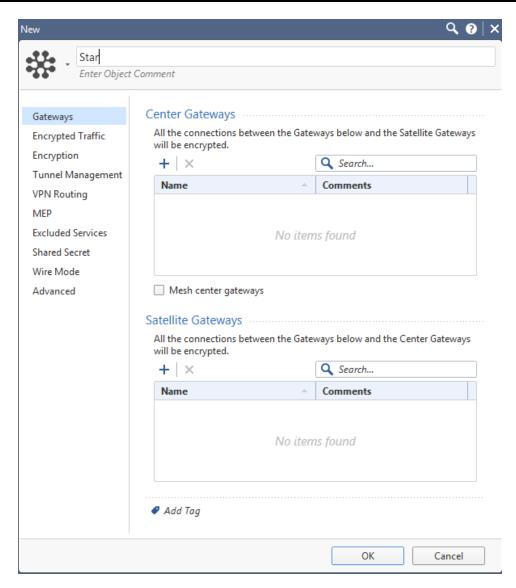
- Multiple Gateways all connected to each other
- Number of Tunnels of Gateways is N-1
  - Ex. 4 Gateways in the Community each gateway would potentially have 3 tunnels
- Excluded Services





## **Star Community**

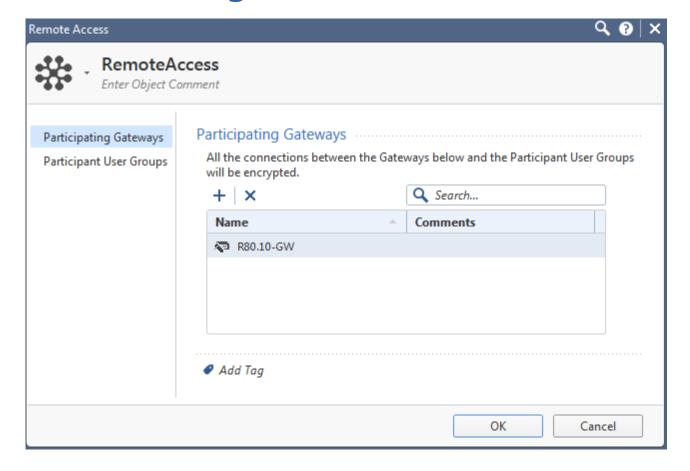
- Center Gateway
- Satellite Gateway
- VPN Routing





### **Remote Access Community**

- Participating Gateways
- Participating User Groups





## Configuring a Site to Site VPN

- Use Meshed or Star Community
- Add Gateways with their encryption domain defined
- Specify encryption properties in the community
- Create rules in the rulebase



# Configuring a Remote Access VPN (Client to Site VPN)

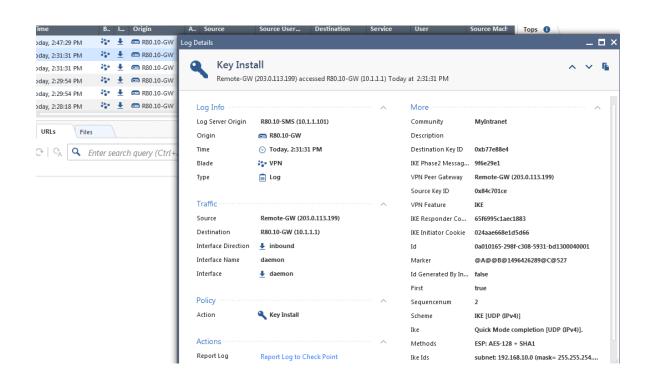
- Add the security gateway to the Remote Access VPN Community
- Add user groups to the community
- Create rules on the gateway allowing the user group in the community access to resources inside the encryption domain



# The Encrypted Tunnel (SmartLog)

- Phase 1 key exchange in the logs
- Phase 2 key exchange in the logs

https://youtu.be/fNJCMjlYg7g





### **Summary**

- Described an IKE/IPSec key exchange for site to site VPN connectivity
- Explained VPN Community Functionality
- Configured a Site to Site, and Client to Site, VPN



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