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Platform Compatibility

The Dell SonicWALL SRA 7.5.0.0 release is supported on the following platforms:

- Dell SonicWALL SRA 1200
- Dell SonicWALL SRA 1600
- Dell SonicWALL SRA 4200
- Dell SonicWALL SRA 4600
- Dell SonicWALL SRA Virtual Appliance

Licensing on the Dell SonicWALL SRA Appliances and Virtual Appliance

The Dell SonicWALL SRA 7.5.0.0 firmware provides user-based licensing on Dell SonicWALL SRA appliances and the SRA Virtual Appliance. Concurrent user sessions are limited to the number of user licenses.

User Licenses	SRA 4600	SRA 4200	SRA 1600	SRA 1200	SRA Virtual Appliance
Included by default	25	25	5	5	5
Recommended number	100	100	25	25	N/A
Maximum number	500	500	50	50	50

Note: The recommended number of users supported is based on factors such as access mechanisms, applications accessed and application traffic being sent. There is no recommended number for the SRA Virtual Appliance, as it depends on the underlying hardware.

Licensing is controlled by the Dell SonicWALL license manager service, and customers can add licenses through their MySonicWALL accounts. Unregistered units support the default license allotment for their model, but the unit must be registered in order to activate additional licensing from MySonicWALL. On the SRA 4600/4200, extra licenses are added in 10, 25, and 100 user denominations. On the SRA 1600/1200 and Virtual Appliance, customers can add licenses in 5-user and 10-user denominations.

License status is displayed in the SRA management interface, on the Licenses & Registration section of the 'System > Status' page. The TSR, generated on the 'System > Diagnostics' page, displays both the total licenses and active user licenses currently available on the appliance.

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If a user attempts to log in to the Virtual Office portal and no user licenses are available, the login page displays the error, "No more User Licenses available. Please contact your administrator." The same error is displayed if a user launches the NetExtender client when all user licenses are in use. These login attempts are logged with a similar message in the log entries, displayed in the 'Log > View' page.

To activate licensing for your appliance or virtual appliance, perform the following steps:

1. Login as admin, and navigate to the System > Licenses page.
2. Click the **Activate, Upgrade or Renew services** link. The MySonicWALL login page is displayed.
3. Type your MySonicWALL account credentials into the fields to login to MySonicWALL. This must be the account to which the appliance is, or will be, registered. If the serial number is already registered through the MySonicWALL web interface, you will still need to login to update the license information on the appliance itself.
4. For the SRA 4600/4200/1600/1200 appliances, MySonicWALL automatically retrieves the serial number and authentication code. For the virtual appliance, you will need to enter this information:
 - Type the serial number of the virtual appliance into the **Serial Number** field. The serial number and authentication code are provided when the software is purchased.
 - Type the authentication code into the **Authentication Code** field.
5. Type a descriptive name for the appliance or virtual appliance into the **Friendly Name** field, and then click **Submit**.
6. Click **Continue** after the registration confirmation is displayed.
7. Optionally upgrade or activate licenses to other services displayed on the System > Licenses page.
8. After activation, view the System > Licenses page to see a cached version of the active licenses.

Important Differences between the SRA Appliances

Although all SRA appliances support major SRA features, not all features are supported on all SRA appliances.

Similarities

The Dell SonicWALL SRA appliances and SRA Virtual Appliance share most major SRA features, including:

- End Point Control
- Geo IP & Botnet Filter
- NetExtender
- Virtual Access
- Virtual Assist
- Virtual Office
- Web Application Firewall

Differences

Important differences between the SRA appliances are shown in the table below. An 'X' indicates that the feature is supported on that appliance platform.

Feature	SRA 4600	SRA 4200	SRA 1600	SRA 1200	SRA Virtual Appliance
Application Profiling	X	X			X
High Availability (HA)	X	X			X
Virtual Meeting	X	X			X

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The following are examples of the different System > Settings pages on the SRA Virtual Appliance and SRA hardware appliances:

- System > Settings page for the SRA Virtual Appliance:

The screenshot shows the SonicWALL Secure Remote Access interface. The top left features the Dell SonicWALL logo. A navigation menu on the left includes System, Network, Portals, and Services. The 'System' menu is expanded, showing options like Status, Licenses, Time, Settings (highlighted), Administration, Certificates, Monitoring, Diagnostics, and Restart. The main content area is titled 'System > Settings' and contains two sections: 'Settings' with an unchecked checkbox for 'Encrypt settings file' and buttons for 'Import Settings...' and 'Export Settings...'; and 'Firmware Management' with a checked checkbox for 'Notify me when new firmware is available' and an 'Upload New Firmware' button.

- System > Settings page for the SRA hardware appliances:

The screenshot shows the SonicWALL Secure Remote Access interface for hardware appliances. The top right corner includes 'Help | Logout' and 'User: admin | Mode: Configuration'. The navigation menu on the left is similar to the virtual appliance version. The main content area is titled 'System > Settings' and includes the same 'Settings' and 'Firmware Management' sections. Below the 'Firmware Management' section, there is a table listing installed firmware images.

Firmware Image	Version	Date	Size	Download	Boot
Current Firmware	SonicOS SSL-VPN 7.5.0.0-11sv	Tue Dec 17 11:07:05 2013	60.91 MB		
Current Firmware with Factory Default Settings	SonicOS SSL-VPN 7.5.0.0-11sv	Tue Dec 17 11:07:05 2013	60.91 MB		
Uploaded Firmware	SonicOS SSL-VPN 7.5.0.0-11sv	Mon Dec 9 17:01:18 2013	60.91 MB		
Uploaded firmware with Factory Default Settings	SonicOS SSL-VPN 7.5.0.0-11sv	Mon Dec 9 17:01:18 2013	60.91 MB		
System Backup	SonicOS SSL-VPN 7.0.0.2-16sv	Thu Jun 6 14:10:36 2013	51.22 MB		

Buttons for 'Upload New Firmware' and 'Create Backup' are located below the table.

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Feature Enhancements in Dell SonicWALL SRA 7.5

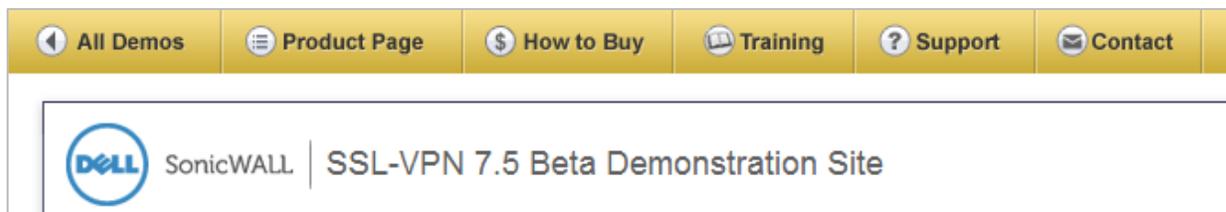
The following enhancements and new features are introduced in the Dell SonicWALL SRA 7.5 release:

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Customer Requested Enhancements and Minor Enhancements

The following customer requested enhancements have been added to SRA 7.5:

- Demo Banner – A configurable link to another site can be displayed at the top of all SRA pages. By default the Dell SonicWALL live demo banner is displayed when a top banner is enabled:

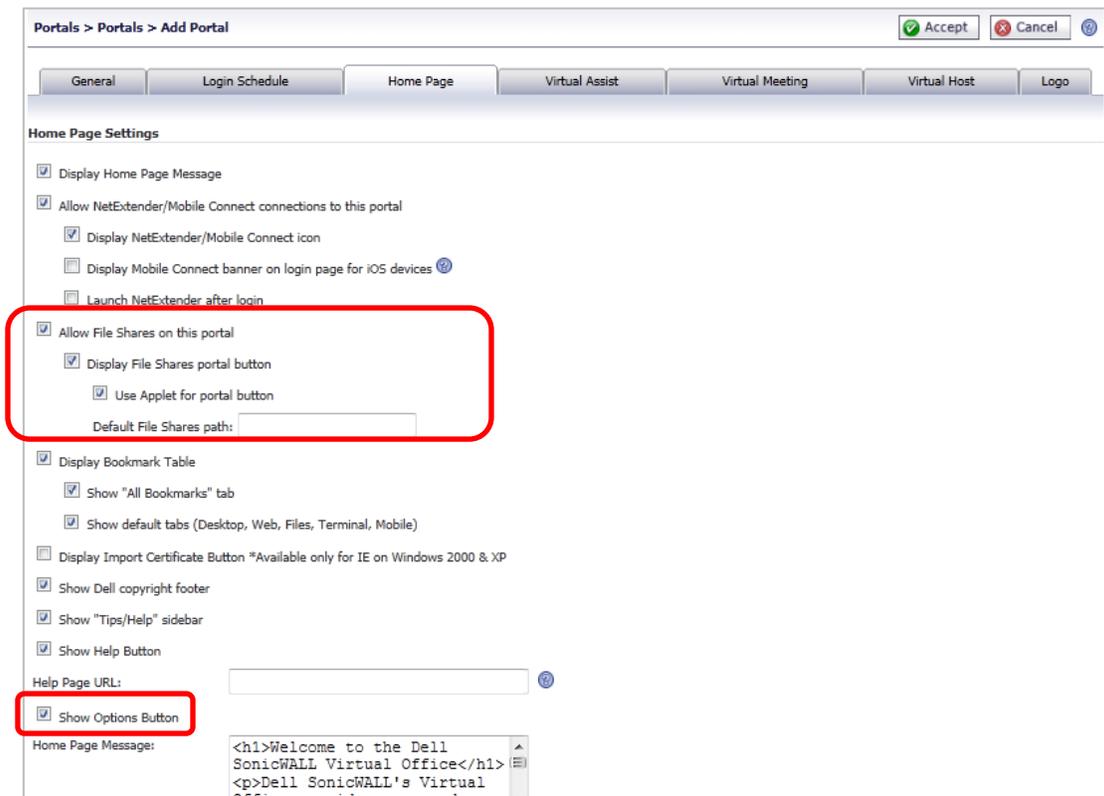


Use the Banner Settings section of the <sslvpn>/cgi-bin/diag > Internal Settings page to configure the banner you want to display:



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- Options button – The Options button shown at the top of the Secure Virtual Office page can now be hidden. Check the **Show Options Button** check box on the Home Page tab of the Portals > Portals > Add Portals page to display the Options button.

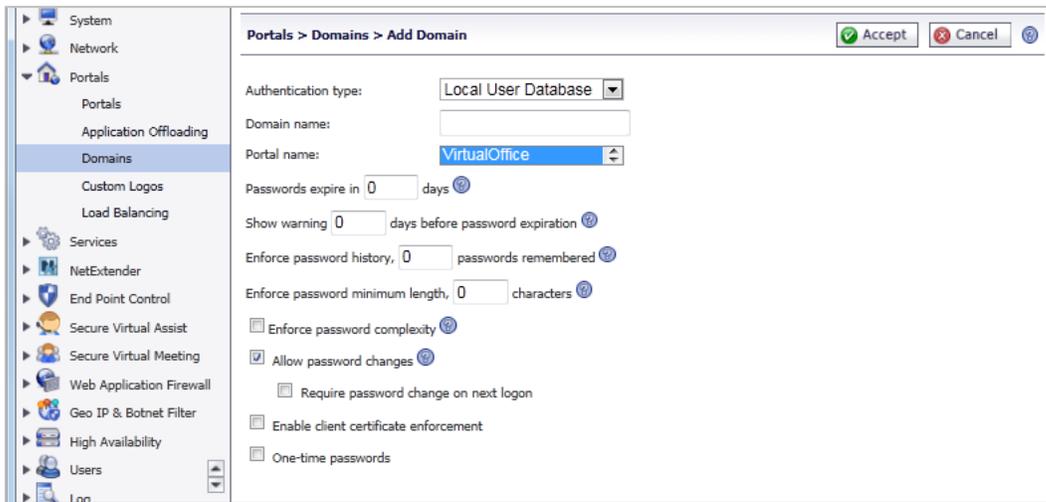


- File Shares link – The File Shares main link can be set to a specific share for each portal. To configure file shares, check the **Allow File Shares on this portal** check box on the Home Page tab of the Portals > Portals > Add Portals page (shown above) and complete the related fields.
- Schedule-based Access – Access can be restricted per portal based on login time and date. Use the Portal > Login Schedule tab to create and enable a login schedule. To enable the login schedule, check the **Enable Login** Schedule check box and select the permitted login times. To select the login time, click and drag through the desired time slots, hold the **Ctrl** key while clicking time slots, or select an entire day by clicking the day.



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- User Password Restrictions – Configurable passwords can be restricted on the domain level for local database users as follows:



- Same password cannot be selected for a configurable number of password changes (up to 10 changes).
 - Minimum number of characters (up to 14).
 - At least three of the following types of characters: uppercase, lowercase, base 10 digits, special characters.
 - For radius authentication users, passwords can be changed for MSCHAP/MSCHAP2 authentication protocol. It is supported on Windows RADIUS and open source project FreeRADIUS servers, which have the additional interface for users to change password through these two protocols.
- TSRs can be generated when the appliance is rebooted and then downloaded, deleted, manually emailed, or automatically emailed (if mail settings are defined in the Log > Settings page). TSRs can also be scheduled for generation via the <sslvpn>/cgi-bin/diag settings page.
 - Reverse Proxy Logging – New log entries have been created for reverse proxy logging and these log messages may be categorized by checking the **Reverse Proxy** check box on the Log > Categories page.

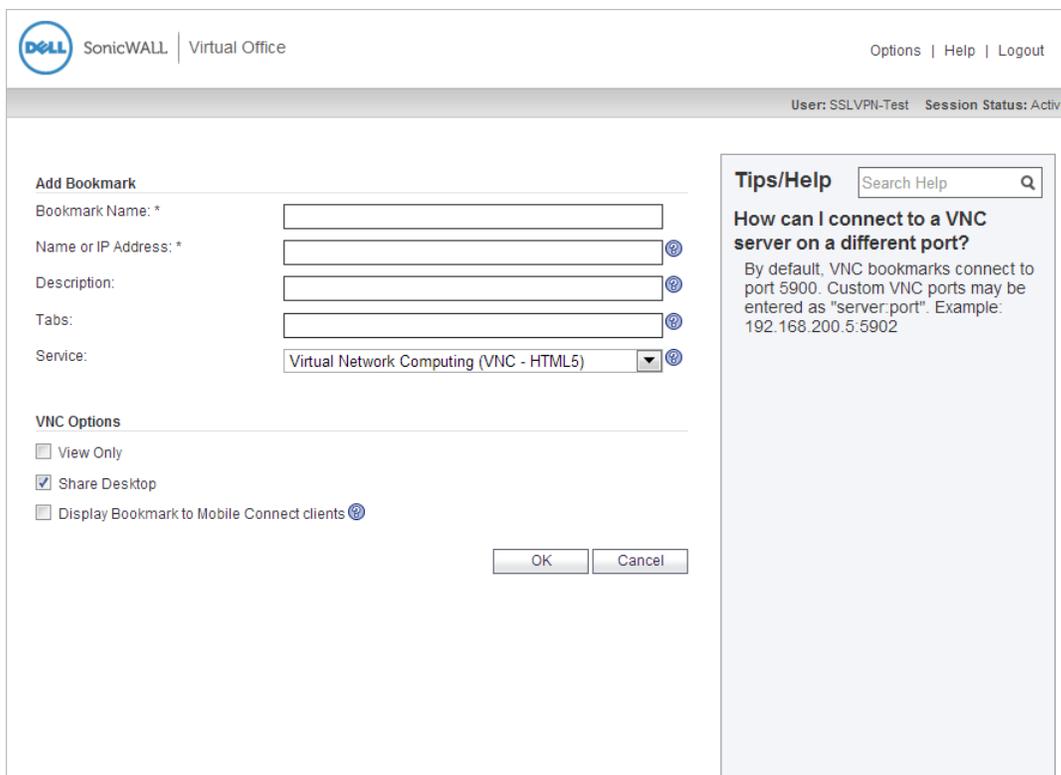
HTML5 VNC Clients

In SRA 7.5, HTML5 clients have been added for VNC and RDP. HTML5 clients are powerful, secure clients that replace Java and ActiveX plug-ins and are supported on most browsers and mobile devices. To create an HTML5 VNC bookmark:

1. Select a user to edit on the Users > Local Users page and click the configure button.
2. On the Bookmarks tab, type in a name in the Bookmark Name field.
3. In the Name or IP Address field, enter the IP address in the server:port format (for example, 192.10.22.1:5900). By default, VNC bookmarks connect to port 5900.
4. Optionally, enter a description.
5. Optionally, in the Tabs field, type a list of comma-separated tabs where the bookmark should be located. Standard tabs do not need to be specified.
6. Select **Virtual Network Computing (VNC – HTML5)** as the Service.
7. To ignore all keyboard and mouse entries in the desktop window, select **View Only**.

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8. To share the desktop between clients, select **Share Desktop**.

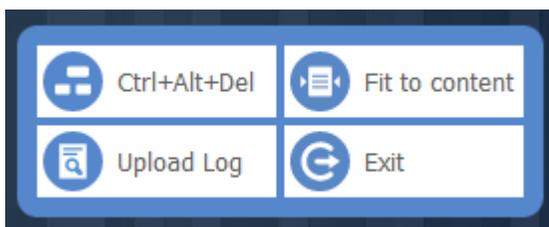


Note: HTML5 VNC bookmarks can be controlled by policies defined for the Virtual Network Computing (HTML5) service. If an HTML5 VNC bookmark is blocked by a policy, the user receives a “not authorized” message.

After an HTML5 VNC bookmark is configured, it appears as a bookmark on the Portal. When clicked, the client launches, the user is asked for a password if authentication is required by the VNC server, and the remote desktop appears.



The icon shown at the top right of the window provides access to different functions, depending on whether the machine being used has a touch screen. On a machine **without** a touch screen, click the icon to display the following buttons:

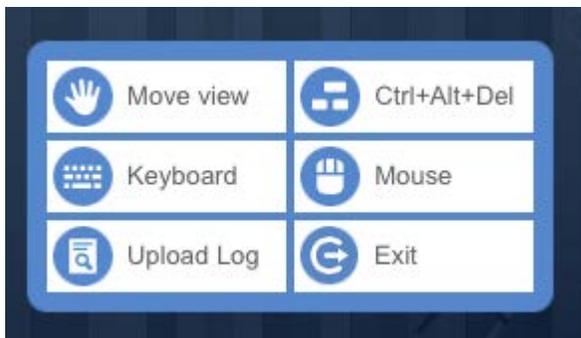


Click a button to perform one of the following tasks:

Button	Click to...
Ctrl+Alt+Del	Send the key combination input to the VNC server.
Fit to content	Resize the browser window to fit the content. A scroll bar is added if the content cannot be sized to fit in the window.
Upload Log	Upload the local logs to the SRA appliance. These logs are used for troubleshooting.
Exit	Close the HTML5 VNC client.

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On a machine **with** a touch screen, touch or click the icon to display the following buttons:



Click a button to perform one of the following tasks:

Button	Click to...
Move view	Move the window to the desired location and click this button again to retain the new position. This function is intended for use with smaller view devices with touch screens, such as smart phones and tablets.
Ctrl+Alt+Del	Send the key combination input to the VNC server.
Keyboard	Display a virtual keyboard that can be used to input data.
Mouse	Change the mouse event performed when the touch screen is clicked. By default, clicking a touch screen is equivalent to clicking the left button on a mouse. Use this button to change it to simulate the right button or middle button.
Upload Log	Upload the local logs to the SRA appliance. These logs are used for troubleshooting.
Exit	Close the HTML5 VNC client.

HTML5 RDP Clients

In SRA 7.5, HTML5 clients have been added for VNC and RDP. HTML5 clients are powerful, secure clients that replace Java and ActiveX plug-ins and are supported on most browsers and mobile devices. To create an HTML5 RDP bookmark:

1. Select a user to edit on the Users > Local Users page and click the configure button.
2. On the Bookmarks tab, type in a name in the Bookmark Name field.
3. In the Name or IP Address field, enter the IP address in the server:port format (for example, 192.10.22.1:3389). By default, RDP bookmarks connect to port 3389.
4. Optionally, enter a description.
5. Optionally, in the Tabs field, type a list of comma-separated tabs where the bookmark should be located. Standard tabs do not need to be specified.
6. Select **Terminal Services (RDP – HTML5)** as the service.
7. Select the proper screen size from the drop-down list.
8. To allow single sign-on automatic login to the destination, check the **Automatically log in** check box and select the type of credentials to use.

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9. To display the bookmark to Mobile Connect users, check the **Display Bookmark to Mobile Connect clients** check box.

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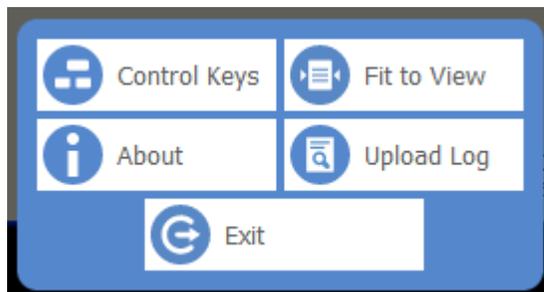
After an HTML5 RDP bookmark is configured, it appears as a bookmark on the Portal. When clicked, the client launches, the user is asked for a password if authentication is required by the RDP server, and the remote desktop appears.



The icon shown at the top right of the window provides access to different functions, depending on whether the machine being used has a touch screen.

Without a touch screen:

On a machine without a touch screen, click the icon to display the following buttons:



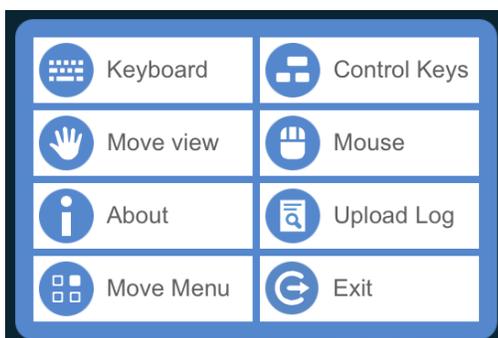
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Click a button to perform one of the following tasks:

Button	Click to...
Control Keys	Display the control keys (up arrow, Ctrl, Alt, Shift, Insert, Delete, Home, End) across the top of the screen. The up arrow hides the control keys.
Fit to View	Resize the content to fit the browser window. A scroll bar is added if the content cannot be sized to fit in the window.
About	Display information about the Dell SonicWALL Secure Remote Desktop.
Upload Log	Upload the local logs to the SRA appliance. These logs are used for troubleshooting.
Exit	Close the HTML5 RDP client.

With a touch screen:

On a machine with a touch screen, touch or click the icon to display the following buttons:



Click a button to perform one of the following tasks:

Button	Click to...
Keyboard	Display a virtual keyboard that can be used to input data.
Control Keys	Display the control keys (up arrow, Ctrl, Alt, Shift, Insert, Delete, Home, End) across the top of the screen. The up arrow hides the control keys.
Move view	Move the window to the desired location and click this button again to retain the new position. This function is intended for use with smaller view devices with touch screens, such as smart phones and tablets.
Mouse	Change the mouse event performed when the touch screen is clicked. By default, clicking a touch screen is equivalent to clicking the left button on a mouse. Use this button to change it to simulate the right button or middle button.
About	Display information about the Dell SonicWALL Secure Remote Desktop.
Upload Log	Upload the local logs to the SRA appliance. These logs are used for troubleshooting.
Move Menu	Move the  icon to a different corner of the window.
Exit	Close the HTML5 RDP client.

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Large touch screen:

For devices with large touch screens, a panel is displayed. Button functions are the same except for:

- The up arrow is used to hide the panel and display the setting menu icon.
- The mouse button is stateful. That is, if the left button is blue, clicking the device is regarded as a left click. Otherwise, the click is regarded as right click. The state of the button can be switched by clicking the mouse button.

External keyboards on touch devices:

Input from an external keyboard is recognized only when the keyboard icon is on (blue).

Exception: There is no keyboard icon on Internet Explorer 10 on desktop mode for Surface. The input of external keyboard is always sent to the HTML5 RDP client.

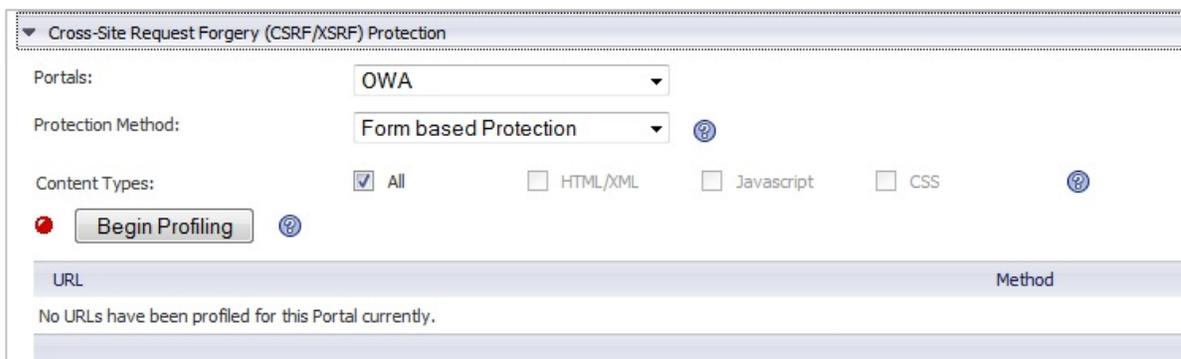
Pinch to zoom:

The RDP client can be pinched to zoom on touch devices.

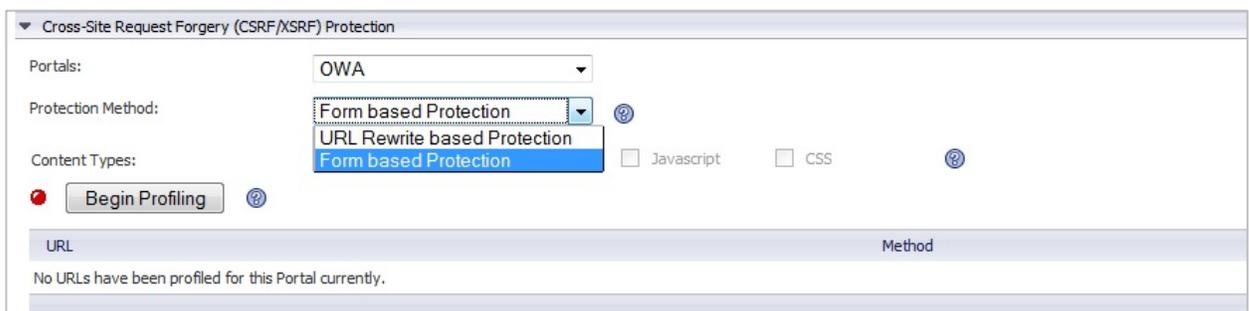
WAF Enhancements

Web Application Firewall now supports form-based CSRF protection, which is faster and offers less false positives. Perform the following steps to configure and monitor form-based CSRF protection:

1. Navigate to the Web Application Firewall > Settings page and click **Cross-Site Request Forgery (CSRF/XSRF) Protection** to expand it.



2. Select **Form based Protection** from the **Protection Method** drop-down list, which displays protection modes. (Selecting URL Rewrite based Protection uses the method used in previous SRA releases.)



3. The **Protection Method** options are greyed out only when **URL Rewrite based Protection** is selected and accepted. To change the mode to **Form based Protection**, select it from the drop-down list and click **Accept**.
4. After selecting a Protection Method, click the **Begin Profiling** button.

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5. Open a browser to access the portal. Do as many operations as possible so the actions can be profiled and configured under CRF protection. After profiling for a while, a URL list is generated and displayed on the Web Application Firewall > Settings page.

URL	Method	Disabled	Detect Only	Prevent	Inherit Global
/owa/auth/owaauth.dll	POST	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
/owa/	POST	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

When enabled and a potential CSRF attack is detected (whether a CSRF token is wrong or missing), it displays an error page and is logged by SRA.

Optionally, different actions can be configured for different URLs. After making configuration changes, click **End Profiling** to prevent a potential CSRF attack from jeopardizing protection.

Geo IP and Botnet Filter Enhancements

The following Geo IP and Botnet Filter enhancements have been added to SRA 7.5:

- General Settings redesigned – A new design of the General Settings tab on the Geo IP & Botnet Filter > Settings page is introduced to avoid misunderstanding of the options. The functionality of the options is the same as in the previous SRA release. Corresponding tool tips are also added.

Enable Geo IP & Botnet Filter

Enforce Geo IP Policy

Enforce Botnet Filter Policy

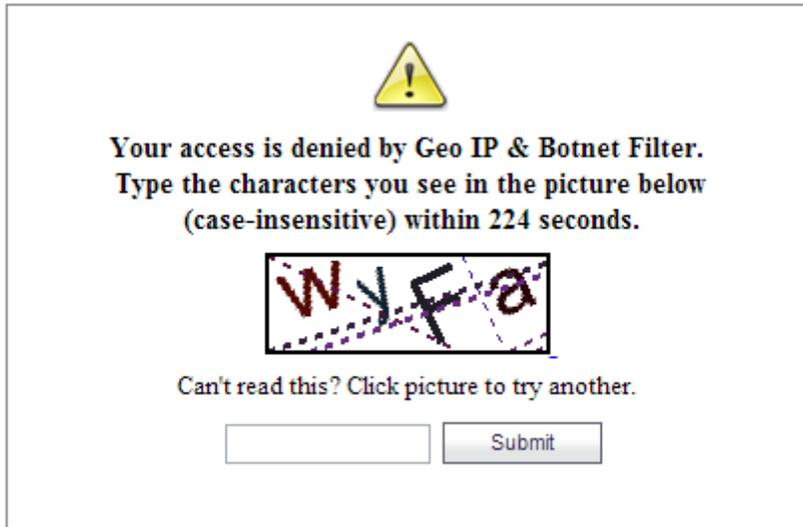
Find Geo IP Location for Logs

Enable Packet Log (Debug mode)

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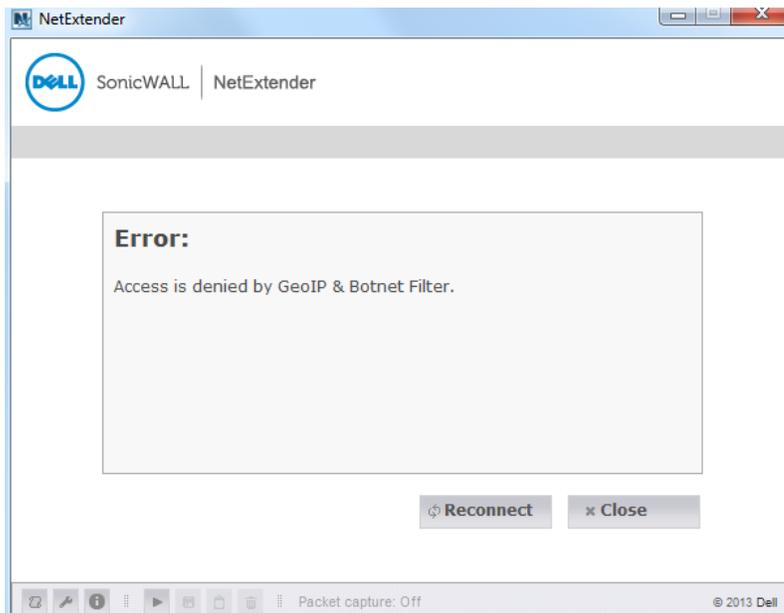
- Remediation using CAPTCHA – Access to an SRA appliance from aggressive IP addresses is denied when Geo IP & Botnet Filter is enabled. Remediation provides valid users an opportunity to establish their validity and gain access.

For web access, users are redirected to the CAPTCHA page, as shown below. A countdown timer tells the time that remains for the user to enter the letters shown in the picture. The user must finish remediation within the time limit, otherwise the IP address is added to the block list and all access from that IP address is blocked for a period of time.



If remediation is successful within the allowed time, the user is directed to the web page that was requested.

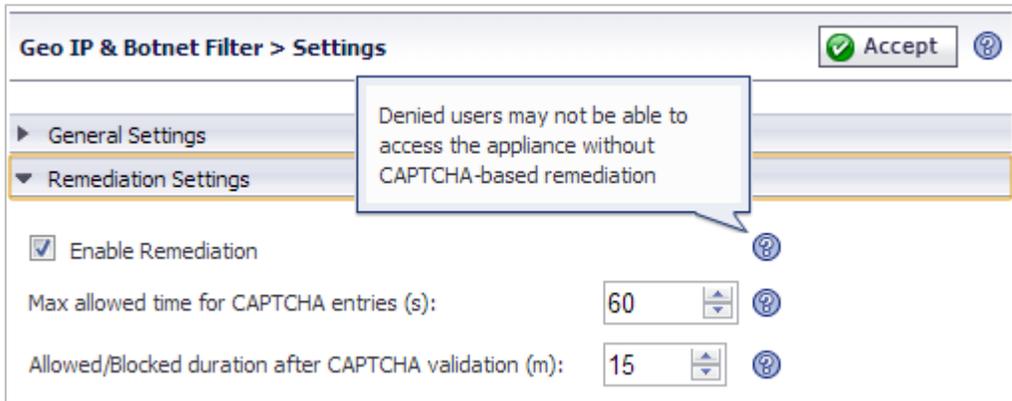
For client access to the SRA appliance, such as NetExtender, Virtual Meeting, or Virtual Assist, a message is displayed in the client window and then a browser window is automatically opened to display the CAPTCHA picture and entry field.



During the valid duration, all access from the IP address is allowed. After the duration expires, access is not interrupted for users who are still logged in, but remediation is required again after the user logs out.

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Related settings for remediation are available on the Geo IP & Botnet Filter > Settings page in the SRA appliance management interface.



- Geo IP Policies with map – The Geo IP & Botnet Filter > Policies page in management interface is reorganized with separate tabs for Geo IP access policies and Botnet access policies. The Geo IP policies page includes a world map. When creating a policy, you can click on countries in the map to select or clear them, or you can select/clear them by clicking the checkbox in the list. On the map, unselected countries display in grey and selected countries display in color. In the list, a drop-down list is provided with countries grouped together into continents for convenient selection of all countries belonging to a continent.



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- Successful and Failed remediation messages –Successful messages show a log level of Info, and Failed messages show a log level of Notice. A log message is also generated for a user after a CAPTCHA session expires, regardless of whether remediation failed or succeeded.

2013-07-24 22:31:34	Info	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.60	10.103.62.61	System		All packets from 10.103.62.60 will be allowed
2013-07-24 22:31:34	Info	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.60	10.103.62.61	System		Remediation successful for 10.103.62.60
2013-07-24 22:23:05	Notice	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.50	10.103.62.61	System		All packets from 10.103.62.50 will be denied
2013-07-24 22:23:05	Notice	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.50	10.103.62.61	System		Remediation failed for 10.103.62.50
2013-07-25 03:40:10	Info	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.50	10.103.62.61	System		Valid period of 10.103.62.50 exceeded, remove it from block list
2013-07-25 03:29:06	Info	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.60	10.103.62.61	System		Valid period of 10.103.62.60 exceeded, remove it from allow list

- The **Find Geo IP Location for Logs** option has been added. When this option is enabled, Geo location tags are added to most of the logs generated by the appliance for EPC, WAF and others.
- The **Enable Packet Log (Debug mode)** option has been added and when enabled, logs are generated for all allowed and denied packets through Geo IP.
- Cache management has been removed, since caches are managed automatically by the server. Therefore, cache management settings have been removed from the Geo IP and Botnet Filter > Settings page, and the **Offline Mode** and **Clear All** buttons have been replaced by a **Synchronize** button on the Geo IP and Botnet Filter > Status page. Clicking **Synchronize** instructs the server to immediately check for an update from the backend server.

- Clear Botnet Statistics – A **Clear** button and Monitoring Period drop-down list have been added to the Geo IP & Botnet Filter page to clear aged Botnet statistics. Select the monitoring period and click **Clear** to remove all statistics older than the selected period. When prompted to confirm removal, click **OK**.

Sequence	Source IP	Location	Packets	Traffic (B)
1	74.125.239.51		37	3108

- Geographic Location – Pages with a Location column now contain a mouse-over popup showing the originating city and IP address, if available.

Time	Priority	Category	Source	Destination	User	Location	Message
2013-08-28 01:43:50	Info	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	10.103.62.60	10.103.62.61	admin		re cleared
2013-08-28 01:34:50	Notice	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	74.125.239.51	10.103.62.61	System		All packets from 74.125.239.51 will be denied
2013-08-28 01:34:50	Notice	Geo IP & Botnet Filter	74.125.239.51	10.103.62.61	System		Remediation failed for 74.125.239.51

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EPC Enhancements

Mobile Connect allows iOS and Android users to securely access their networks from a mobile device. EPC has been integrated into the Mobile Connect application to provide security protection from threats against client mobile devices and protect the SRA appliance from threats originating from these mobile devices. This integration allows EPC checking before allowing login to the SSLVPN appliance.

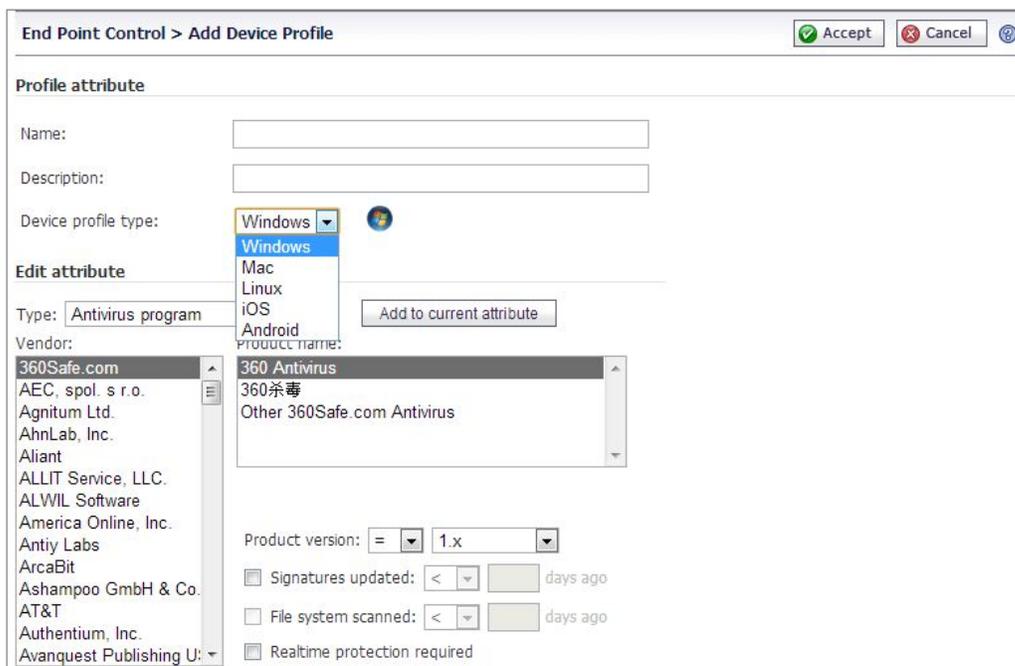
Note: AntiVirus and personal firewall applications on Android mobile devices require OESIS support.

Integrating EPC with Mobile Connect affects the following SRA Management Console pages:

- End Point Control > Device Profiles – Android and iOS have been added to the list to provide access to configuration pages.



- End Point Control > Add/Edit Device Profile – The Add/Edit Device Profile page has been modified to include Android and iOS mobile device configuration options.



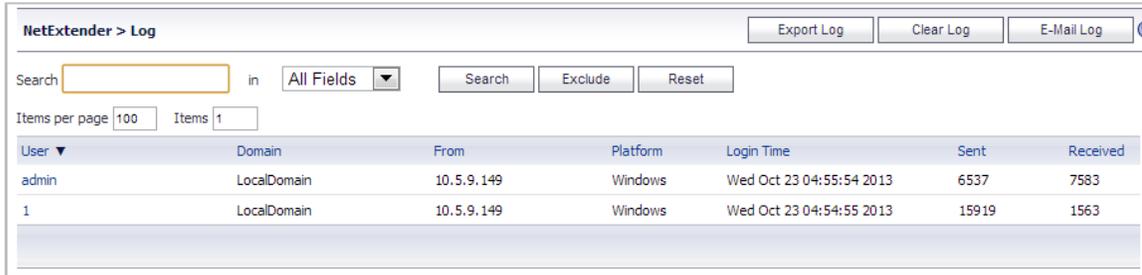
- When an EPC check fails, an EPC check failed message is added to the alert dialog.

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NetExtender Enhancements

The following NetExtender enhancements have been added to SRA 7.5:

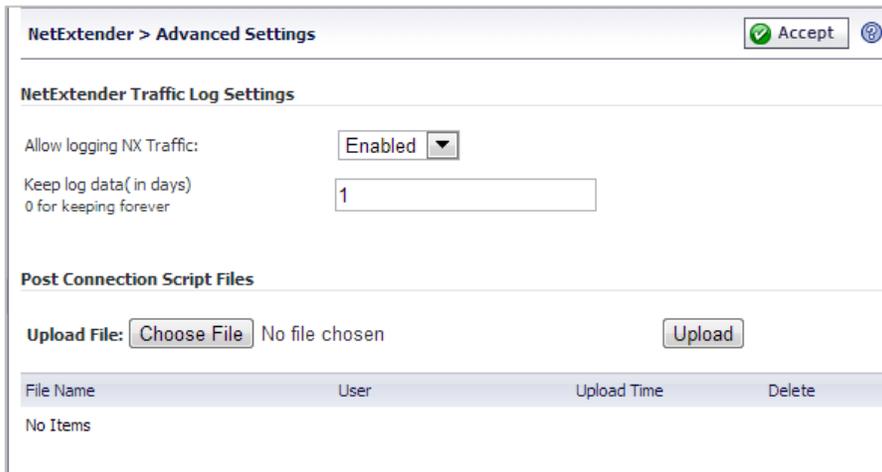
- NetExtender Traffic Logging – The NetExtender > Log page now shows traffic summary information, destination IP address and port, type of traffic, and sent/received data size. Click the User heading to expand the view to also display the Port and Protocol.



The screenshot shows the 'NetExtender > Log' interface. It includes search and filter options, a table with columns for User, Domain, From, Platform, Login Time, Sent, and Received, and buttons for 'Export Log', 'Clear Log', and 'E-Mail Log'.

User	Domain	From	Platform	Login Time	Sent	Received
admin	LocalDomain	10.5.9.149	Windows	Wed Oct 23 04:55:54 2013	6537	7583
1	LocalDomain	10.5.9.149	Windows	Wed Oct 23 04:54:55 2013	15919	1563

Use the **Allow logging NX Traffic** field on the NetExtender > Extend Settings page to enable or disable traffic logging. Use the **Keep log data** field to specify how long to keep log data.



The screenshot shows the 'NetExtender > Advanced Settings' page. It features a 'NetExtender Traffic Log Settings' section with a dropdown for 'Allow logging NX Traffic' set to 'Enabled' and a text input for 'Keep log data (in days)' set to '1'. Below this is a 'Post Connection Script Files' section with an 'Upload File' button and a table with columns for File Name, User, Upload Time, and Delete.

NetExtender Traffic Log Settings

Allow logging NX Traffic:

Keep log data (in days):

0 for keeping forever

Post Connection Script Files

Upload File: No file chosen

File Name	User	Upload Time	Delete
No Items			

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- DHCP Support for NetExtender Client IPv4/IPv6 Addresses – DHCP/DHCPv6 can now manage NetExtender client IPv4/IPv6 addresses along with other IPv4/IPv6 addresses in the LAN, which minimizes IP conflicts. Similar to configuring a static pool, DHCP/DHCPv6 can be configured at the global policies, local group, or local user level using the NetExtender > Client Settings page, Users > Local Groups > Edit Global Policies, or Users > Local Users > Edit Global Policies pages.

NetExtender > Client Settings

Client Address Range

Client address pool setting:

Select Interface:

DHCP Server:

Client IPv6 Address Range

Client IPv6 address pool setting:

Select Interface:

DHCPv6 Server:

Client Settings

Exit Client After Disconnect:

Uninstall Client After Exit:

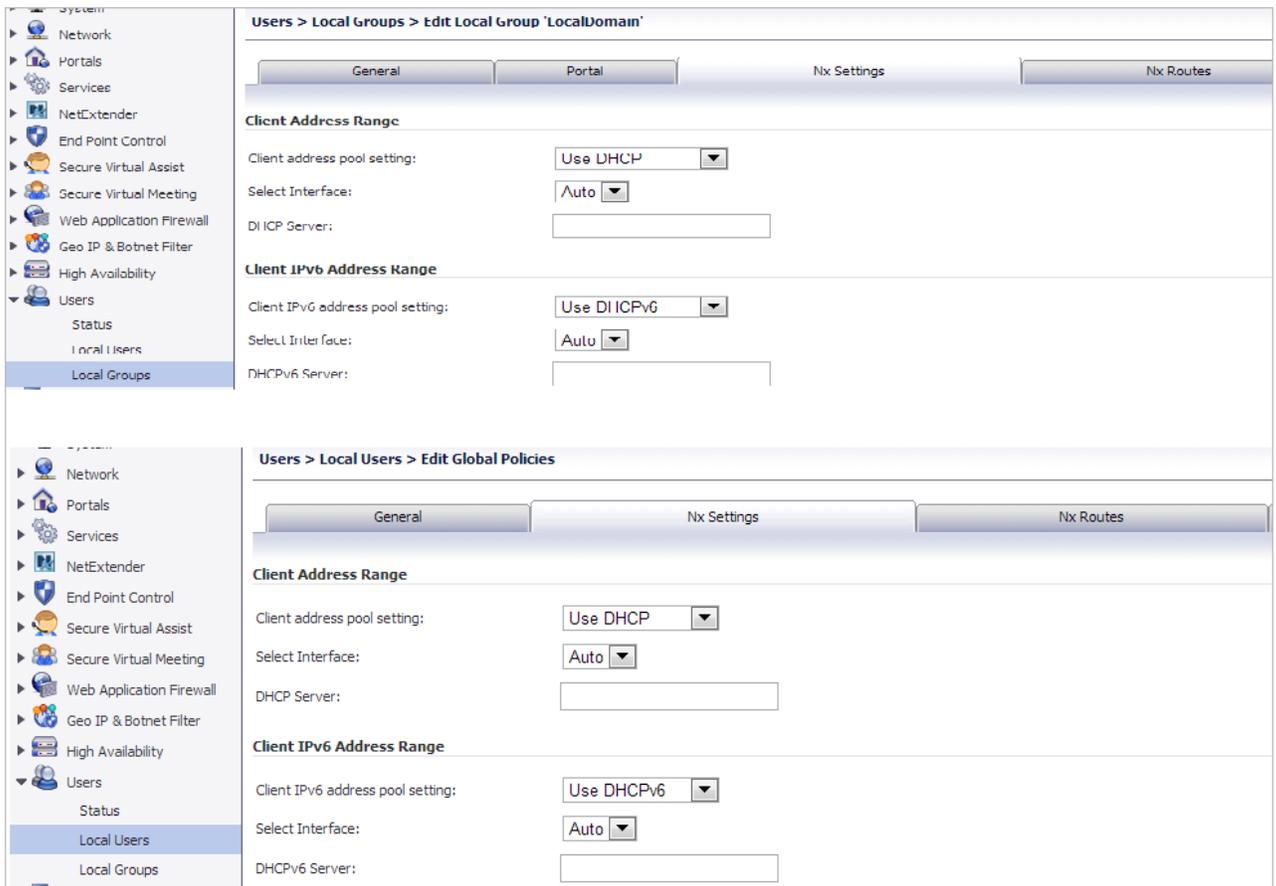
Create Client Connection Profile:

User Name & Password Caching:

Internal Proxy Settings ⓘ

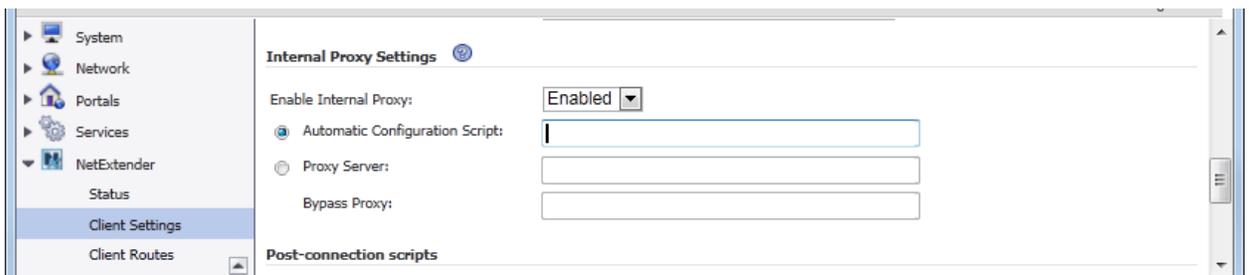
Enable Internal Proxy:

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After selecting **Use DHCP**, select **Auto** or a specific interface from the **Select Interface** drop-down list. To dynamically allocate IP addresses from a DHCP server, enter its IP address in the **DHCP server** field. If nothing is specified, the appliance sends broadcast requests to locate DHCP servers that can allocate addresses.

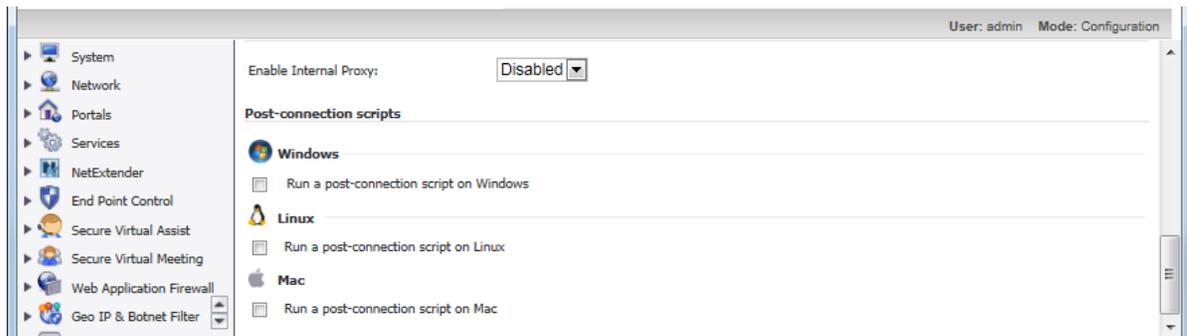
- Internal Proxy Settings – In SRA 7.5, NetExtender traffic can be proxied to an internal proxy server in addition to the NetExtender client being able to set a proxy for an external network. And, a configuration script can be pushed automatically upon connection. To set the internal proxy:
 1. In the NetExtender > Client Settings page select **Enabled** in the Enable Internal Proxy drop-down list.
 2. To automatically execute a configuration script that sets the internal proxy, select the **Automatic Configuration Script** radio button and then type the path and file name.
 3. Select the **Proxy Server** radio button, and type the host that will be bypassed to the proxy server.



After NetExtender is connected, internal proxy settings are pushed to the client side and the proxy is set for the Dell SonicWALL NetExtender virtual adapter.

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- Post Connection Script – A script can be set to automatically run after connection. To configure this feature, on the NetExtender > Client Settings page configure the internal proxy and check the **Run a post-connection script** check box for Windows, Linux, or Mac.



- Login scripts can be pushed from the SRA appliance to connecting NetExtender clients. Instead of configuring per-user login scripts at the endpoint as in previous versions, a script can be created on the appliance and pushed to connecting users based on user, group, or global control policies.
- Destination IP address of internal resources accessed by NetExtender is now displayed on the NetExtender > Log page.

User	Domain	From	Platform	Login Time	Sent	Received
pankajK	LocalDomain	10.5.9.171	Windows	Thu Jan 23 23:31:21 2014	669531	2417194
pankajK	LocalDomain	10.5.9.171	Windows	Fri Jan 24 00:52:01 2014	22021	41861
pankajK	LocalDomain	10.5.9.171	Windows	Fri Jan 24 00:54:26 2014	122599	656191
pankajK	LocalDomain	10.5.9.171	Windows	Fri Jan 24 00:57:46 2014	6971	6606
pankajK	LocalDomain	10.5.9.171	Windows	Fri Jan 24 02:25:41 2014	144511	393559
pankajK	LocalDomain	10.5.9.171	Windows	Fri Jan 24 14:41:31 2014	249296	1162588
janne	VASCO	10.5.105.177	Windows	Fri Jan 24 00:16:33 2014	5457	8204

Secure Virtual Assist and Access Enhancements

Beginning in SRA 7.5 Secure Virtual Assist technician mode is supported on MacOS. (In previous versions, only the customer mode was supported on MacOS.)

To configure Secure Virtual Assist for MacOS:

1. In the Proxy Settings tab, either load proxy settings from the system configuration by clicking the **Load System Proxy Settings** button or manually configure the proxy server, port, bypassed proxy, user name, and password.
2. In the Connection Profiles tab, view and manage connection profiles.
3. In the Connection Settings tab, create and edit connection profiles:
 - When **Auto View Only** is enabled, any mouse or keyboard action while a technician is connected triggers the View Only mode. When **Active Mode** is enabled, users are in Active mode by default while a technician is connected.
 - When **Full Color** is selected and the user is in View Only mode, the technician view is in full color. When **Gray Scale** is selected, the view is grey monochrome.

MacOS Secure Virtual Assist windows and toolbar are very similar to the Windows version, which are explained in detail in the *Dell SonicWALL SRA User Guide*.



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The toolbar contains the following actions:

- Refresh – Refresh the entire screen frame.
- Auto Scale – Adjust the screen viewer to fit the window size.
- Full Screen – Place the screen view in full screen mode.
- System info – Show the system information for the machine.
- Reboot – Reboot the machine.
- Chat – Text chat with user.
- File Transfer – Transfer files/Directories between technician and users.
- Hide Toolbar – Hide the toolbar.

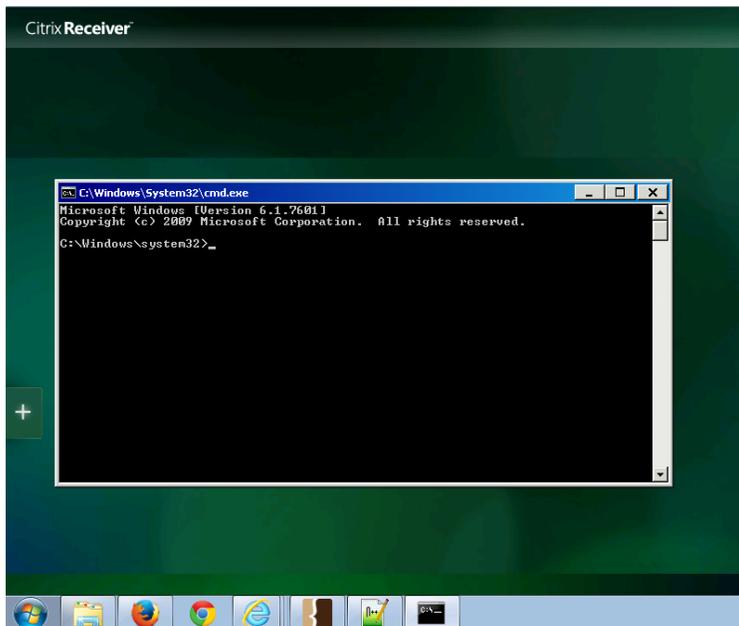
Secure Virtual Office Enhancement

The Active Directory user object “usePrincipalName” can now be used to log in to Secure Virtual Office.

Bookmark Enhancements

The following bookmark enhancements are included in SRA 7.5:

- Citrix bookmarks support Citrix XenApp 6.5.



- Verbose logging for HTTP/HTTPS backend connections can be turned on by enabling the **Reverse Proxy** category under Log > Categories. This provides useful troubleshooting information for reverse proxy connections with the backend server.

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RDP Over NetExtender

To support Windows 8, SRA 7.5 includes a new Terminal Services bookmark that uses NetExtender to tunnel Remote Desktop Protocol (RDP) data. It is configured and appears like existing RDP bookmarks, except a Terminal Services bookmark starts NetExtender before launching the native RDC client. Therefore, it needs a NetExtender connection allowed to the portal, but no longer needs an RDP browser plug-in.

To create a Terminal Services bookmark that uses a tunnel, select **Terminal Services (Using Tunnel)** as the Service on the Add Bookmark page.

Add Bookmark

Bookmark Name: *

Name or IP Address: *

Description:

Tabs:

Service: Terminal Services (Using Tunnel)

Screen Size: Full Screen

Colors: High Color (16 bit)

Enable wake-on-LAN

Application and Path:

Command-line arguments:

Start in the following folder:

Login as console/admin session

Server is TS Farm

Show advanced Windows options

Automatically log in

Use SSL VPN account credentials

Use Login Domain for SSO

Use custom credentials

Display Bookmark to Mobile Connect clients

OK Cancel

Tips/Help Search Help

Which version of RDP should I use?

If you are using Internet Explorer on Windows, you can use the ActiveX version. For all other browsers and operating systems, you should use the Java version.

How can I find my MAC address?

On the Windows computer that will act as the RDP server, open a command window and run "ipconfig /all", then look for "physical address".

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Application Offloading Enhancement

Generic (SSL Offloading) has been added to the Scheme drop-down list shown on the Offloading tab of the Portals > Portals > Offload Web Application page for SRA 1200 and 1600 appliances. This option allows users to configure generic SSL offloading support on the SRA 1200 and 1600 appliances, which is already supported on other SRA appliances.

The screenshot displays the configuration page for adding a portal, specifically the 'Offloading' tab. The breadcrumb navigation at the top reads 'Portals > Portals > Add Portal'. The page has four tabs: 'General', 'Offloading', 'Virtual Host', and 'Logo'. The 'Offloading' tab is active. Under the heading 'Application Offloader Settings', there are several configuration options:

- Enable Load Balancing
- Enable URL Rewriting for self-referenced URLs
- Scheme:** A dropdown menu is open, showing the following options: 'Web (HTTP)', 'Web (HTTP)', 'Secure Web (HTTPS)', 'Auto (HTTP/HTTPS)', and 'Generic (SSL Offloading)'. The 'Generic (SSL Offloading)' option is currently selected and highlighted in blue.
- Application Server Host:** A text input field.
- Application Server IPv6 Address:** A text input field.
- Port Number (optional):** A text input field.
- Homepage URI (optional):** A text input field.

Below the 'Application Offloader Settings' section is the 'Security Settings' section, which includes:

- Disable Access Policies
- Disable Authentication Controls
- Share session with other local applications

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Known Issues

This section contains a list of known issues in the SRA 7.5.0.0 release.

Bookmarks

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
Bookmark disconnects after about two minutes.	Occurs on some Windows 8 client machines with ActiveX or Java bookmark. Workaround: Use NetExtender and then run your RDP client of choice or utilize the Tunneled bookmark option available with SRA 7.5.	127258

Licensing

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
A Spike License can be automatically activated by exceeding the normally allowed number of connections even if Spike Licensing is not a currently licensed service on the SRA appliance.	Occurs when the "Automatically activate Spike License" option is left enabled on an appliance that was previously licensed for Spike Licensing, but then had the license removed.	140468

NetExtender

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
NetExtender fails to install and gives the error message, "Failed to validate the server, the server may be running on an old or incompatible firmware!"	Occurs when logging into the user portal from a machine running Windows Server 2003 R2/SP2 and clicking on the button to install NetExtender. Workaround: Use the .exe or .MSI file available on MySonicWALL to install NetExtender.	140601
NetExtender fails to reconnect after upgrading and displays the error message, "Verifying user..."	Occurs when the 7.0 NetExtender client is used to connect to an SRA appliance running 7.5.0.0, and certificate authentication is enabled. NetExtender automatically upgrades to the 7.5 client, but does not reconnect to the appliance.	139757
Voice calls, video calls, and desktop sharing from/to a LAN cannot be established using Lync.	Occurs when using NetExtender from Mac OS X when in a SSL VPN tunnel.	125695

Reverse Proxy

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
Clicking on a VNC-HTML5 bookmark launches a blank window.	Occurs when a user connects to the portal on the SRA appliance using PAT (Port Address Translation), then creates a VNC-HTML5 bookmark and clicks on it to launch the application.	138906

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Resolved Issues

The following issues are resolved in the SRA 7.5.0.0 release:

Citrix

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
Citrix 6.5 applications do not launch correctly and Java errors might occur.	Occurs when launching a Citrix 6.5 application via a bookmark on the SRA user portal.	126749

EPC

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
EPC fails when logging in.	Occurs when Avast Free AntiVirus 8.0 or 9.0 software is installed and added to the local group or user profile. Workaround: Use Avast Free AntiVirus 7.0.	137110
Recurring EPC does not warn or log out user.	Occurs when using recurring EPC with a portal. Workaround: Use the NetExtender client.	125536
Users from a client machine that does not meet EPC requirements can login and access an offloaded application.	Occurs when using EPC with an offloaded portal.	124262

Logs

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
With log automation configured on the SRA appliance to email the log when full or on a daily basis, an incorrect event log file without all log entries is emailed.	Occurs after a log rotation when the older rotated file is emailed instead of the most recent rotated file.	135079
A Viewpoint server does not display the IP address information for backend resources that a NetExtender user accesses.	Occurs when the SRA appliance is configured for local user authentication and is connected to a Viewpoint server for reporting purposes, and a user connects using NetExtender and accesses a backend resource. Resolved by introducing a NetExtender > Log page with the resource access details.	103899

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NetExtender

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
NetExtender cannot be installed from Virtual Office and the Java console log contains the <i>java(16802) deny process-execu /user/sbin/netExtender</i> message.	Occurs when using Mac OS X 10.9 because Java applets are installed by default in a sandbox environment. Workaround: Select the Manually download NetExtender link from the installer dialog or open Safari Preferences > Security > Manage Website Plug-ins and select Run in Unsafe mode .	138302
A user without privileged access can gain root access on Linux or Mac OS.	Occurs when the user appends exploit code to the end of the script that keeps track of NetExtender routes to be cleaned up after NetExtender exits.	136159
There is no way to push a login script from the SRA appliance out to connecting users based on user, group, or global control policies. Such scripts must be installed individually on each client machine.	Occurs when login scripts or post-connection scripts are required by the SRA administrator to perform tasks on client machines right after the users connect via NetExtender.	131956
There is no way configure the SRA appliance to provision NetExtender connections so that all user Internet traffic is routed through a designated proxy server.	Occurs when the SRA administrator wants to manage user access to the Internet via settings on the proxy server. Resolved by adding Internal Proxy Settings fields to the SRA appliance NetExtender configuration options for use with Internet Explorer on Windows machines. After NetExtender connects to the SRA appliance, the internal proxy settings are pushed to the client and used as proxy settings for the NetExtender virtual adapter.	128466

Portals

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
Not all SRA appliances support Generic SSL Offloading.	Occurs when using an SRA 1200 or SRA 1600 and viewing the options in the Scheme drop-down list on the Offloading tab after clicking Offload Web Application on the Portals > Portals page. The "Generic (SSL Offloading)" option is now available on these platforms when running SRA 7.5.0.0.	136129
It should be possible to utilize userPrincipalName as a login attribute to Virtual Office.	Occurs when the sAMAaccountName, CN, and uid attributes are not adequate for the administrator's requirements. SRA 7.5.0.0 supports the userPrincipalName attribute for Active Directory type LDAP servers.	133634
SRA can only work with Citrix CloudGateway Express / Storefront by configuring tunnel access to it via NetExtender.	Occurs when Storefront is deployed on Citrix XenApp 6.5 and the SRA administrator wants to set up a bookmark to it or configure application offloading for it.	125474

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System

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
Scheduled reboot does not occur.	Occurs when reboot is scheduled using the diag page.	136860
Browser access to the appliance stops working and "Reset adapter" messages are displayed on the console. Browser access is restored by rebooting the appliance.	Occurs intermittently on SRA 4600 and SRA 1600 appliances.	124107
The SRA appliance sometimes loses network connectivity and must be restarted from the console. After the reboot command is entered in the console, driver error messages are displayed, "e1000_clean_tx_irq: Detected Tx Unit Hang".	Occurs intermittently on SRA 4200 and SRA 1200 appliances.	89329

Users

Symptom	Condition / Workaround	Issue
It should be possible to configure user login schedules on the SRA appliance.	Occurs when the SRA administrator wants to restrict access to certain times or days.	41620

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Upgrading SRA Image Procedures

The following procedures are for upgrading an existing SRA firmware image or Virtual Appliance software image to a newer version:

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<i>Uploading a New SRA Image</i>	29
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Note: For the SRA 7.5.0.0 release only, a Virtual Appliance cannot be upgraded to SRA 7.5 because of Operating System changes in the Virtual Appliance software. Instead, install SRA 7.5 as explained in [Moving a Virtual Appliance to 7.5](#) on page 30.

Obtaining the Latest SRA Image Version

To obtain a new SRA firmware image file for your Dell SonicWALL security appliance:

1. Connect to your mysonicwall.com account at <http://www.mysonicwall.com>.

Note: If you have already registered your Dell SonicWALL SRA appliance, and you selected **Notify me when new firmware is available** on the **System > Settings** page, you are automatically notified of any updates available for your model.

2. Copy the new SRA image file to a directory on your management station.

For the Dell SonicWALL SRA 4600/4200/1600/1200 appliance, this is a file such as:

sw_sslvpnsra4600_eng_7.5.0.0_7.5.0_p_15sv_630652.sig

For the Dell SonicWALL Virtual Appliance, this is a file such as:

sw_sslvpnsra-vm_eng_7.5.0.0_7.5.0_p_15sv_630652.ova

sw_sslvpnsra-vm_eng_7.5.0.0_7.5.0_p_15sv_630652.sig

Note: For SRA Virtual Appliances, image files for new deployments have a **.ova** file extension, and image files for upgrades have a **.sig** file extension.

Exporting a Copy of Your Configuration Settings

Before beginning the update process, export a copy of your Dell SonicWALL SRA appliance configuration settings to your local machine. The Export Settings feature saves a copy of your current configuration settings on your Dell SonicWALL SRA appliance, protecting all your existing settings in the event that it becomes necessary to return to a previous configuration state.

Perform the following procedures to save a copy of your configuration settings and export them to a file on your local management station:

1. Click the **Export Settings . . .** button on the **System > Settings** page and save the settings file to your local machine. The default settings file is named *sslvpnSettings.zip*.



Tip: To more easily restore settings in the future, rename the .zip file to include the version of the Dell SonicWALL SRA image from which you are exporting the settings.

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Uploading a New SRA Image

Note: Dell SonicWALL SRA appliances do not support downgrading an image and using the configuration settings file from a higher version. If you are downgrading to a previous version of a Dell SonicWALL SRA image, you must select **Uploaded Firmware with Factory Defaults – New!** . You can then import a settings file saved from the previous version or reconfigure manually.

1. Download the SRA image file and save it to a location on your local computer.
2. Select Upload New Firmware from the System > Settings page. Browse to the location where you saved the SRA image file, select the file, and click the Upload button. The upload process can take up to one minute.
3. When the upload is complete, you are ready to reboot your Dell SonicWALL SRA appliance with the new SRA image. Do one of the following:
 - To reboot the image with current preference, click the boot icon for the following entry:
Uploaded Firmware – New! 
 - To reboot the image with factory default settings, click the boot icon for the following entry:
Uploaded Firmware with Factory Defaults – New! 
4. A warning message dialog is displayed saying **Are you sure you wish to boot this firmware? Click OK to proceed.** After clicking **OK**, do not power off the device while the image is being uploaded to the flash memory.
5. After successfully uploading the image to your Dell SonicWALL SRA appliance, the login screen is displayed. The updated image information is displayed on the **System > Settings** page.

Resetting the Dell SonicWALL SRA Appliances Using SafeMode

If you are unable to connect to the Dell SonicWALL security appliance's management interface, you can restart the Dell SonicWALL security appliance in SafeMode. The SafeMode feature allows you to quickly recover from uncertain configuration states with a simplified management interface that includes the same settings available on the **System > Settings** page.

To reset the Dell SonicWALL security appliance, perform the following steps:

1. Connect your management station to a LAN port on the Dell SonicWALL security appliance and configure your management station IP address with an address on the 192.168.200.0/24 subnet, such as 192.168.200.20.
Note: The Dell SonicWALL security appliance can also respond to the last configured LAN IP address in SafeMode. This is useful for remote management recovery or hands off recovery in a datacenter.
2. Use a narrow, straight object, like a straightened paper clip or a pen tip, to press and hold the reset button on the security appliance for five to ten seconds. The reset button is on the front panel in a small hole to the right of the USB connectors.



Tip: If this procedure does not work while the power is on, turn the unit off and on while holding the **Reset** button until the **Test** light starts blinking.

The **Test** light starts blinking when the Dell SonicWALL security appliance has rebooted into SafeMode.

3. Connect to the management interface by pointing the Web browser on your management station to **http://192.168.200.1**. The SafeMode management interface displays.
4. Try rebooting the Dell SonicWALL security appliance with your current settings. Click the boot icon  in the same line with **Current Firmware**.

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5. After the Dell SonicWALL security appliance has rebooted, try to open the management interface again. If you still cannot open the management interface, use the reset button to restart the appliance in SafeMode again. In SafeMode, restart the SRA image with the factory default settings. Click the boot icon in the same line with **Current Firmware with Factory Default Settings**.

Moving a Virtual Appliance to SRA 7.5.0.0

For the SRA 7.5.0.0 release only, a Virtual Appliance cannot be upgraded to SRA 7.5 because of operating system changes in the Virtual Appliance software. Instead, you must reconfigure the virtual machine, as explained in the following steps:

1. Export the configuration settings from the old virtual appliance, as explained in [Exporting a Copy of Your Configuration Settings](#) on page 28.
2. Make a note of the serial number and authentication code of the old virtual appliance. You can find these on the System > Status page.
3. Shut down and power off the old virtual appliance.
4. Deploy a new virtual appliance using the SRA 7.5.0.0 OVA file available from www.mysonicwall.com.
5. Power on the new virtual appliance and configure the X0 interface using the CLI.
6. Log into the new virtual appliance as “admin” and import your saved configuration settings.
7. In MySonicWALL, click on the serial number of the old virtual appliance. On the Service Management page for it, click the **Delete** button to delete licensing for the old virtual appliance.

Welcome, Sslvpsmb Development | Logout

Service Management

sravm.eng.sonicwall.com

Serial Number: 00000009934	Node: 5
Registration Code: 00000057N	Support:
Authentication Code: 0000-GZNM	Platform: SSL-VPN
Trusted: Yes	Firmware: 7.0.0.0
Registered On: 04 Sep 2013	Product: SONICWALL SRA Virtual Appliance with 5 User License
Release Status: ACTIVE ⚠	GUID: 00000000-0000-0000-0000-000000003123

Buttons: Delete, Transfer, Rename

You have no pending tasks

8. Register the new virtual appliance from the System > Licenses page. Enter the serial number and authentication code noted in step #2 above.

This transfers all the licensed services from the old virtual appliance to the new virtual appliance.

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Related Technical Documentation

Related technical documentation is available on the Dell SonicWALL Online Library at:

<http://www.sonicwall.com/us/Support.html>

The screenshot shows the Dell SonicWALL Support website. The top navigation bar includes the Dell logo, SonicWALL logo, and links for Products, Solutions, How to Buy, Support, Sign In, and Register. A search bar is located on the right. The breadcrumb trail indicates the path: Support > Product Documentation > SSL VPN Secure Remote Access > SRA & SSL-VPN Series. The main content area is titled 'Product Support' and features an image of a SonicWALL device. Below the image is a section for 'Support Documents' and 'Knowledge Base'. The 'Product Guides' section is active, showing a list of 67 items. The 'Technical Notes' section shows a list of 10 items. The left sidebar contains a 'Support' menu with various categories like Overview, Product Documentation, Network Security, and Self-Help Resources.

Information about Dell SonicWALL SRA is found in the many reference guides available on the Web site, including:

- *Dell SonicWALL SRA Administrator's Guide*
- *Dell SonicWALL SRA User's Guide*
- *Dell SonicWALL SRA NetExtender Feature Module*
- *Dell SonicWALL SRA Citrix Access Feature Module*
- *Dell SonicWALL SRA Web Application Firewall Feature Module*
- *Dell SonicWALL SRA Application Offloading and HTTP(S) Bookmarks Feature Module*

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