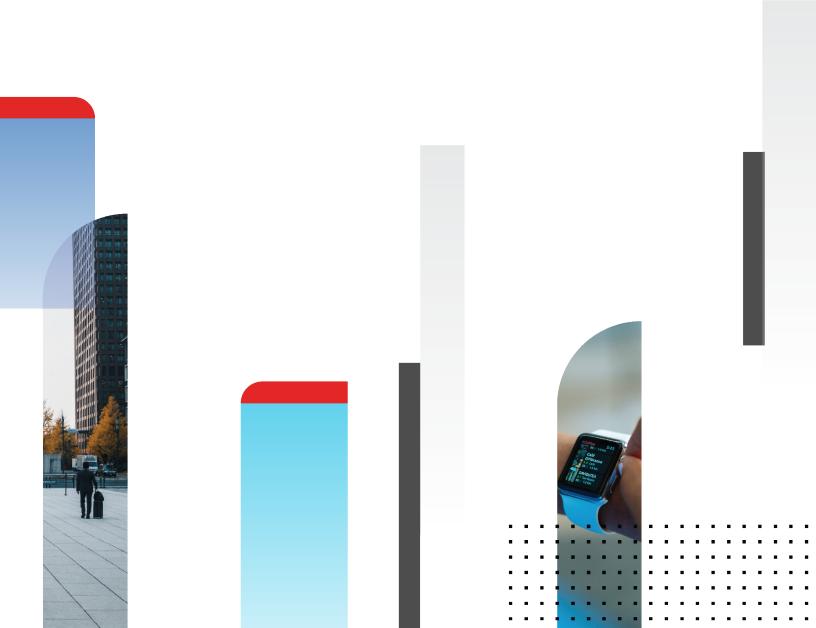


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Overview

This guide provides details of new features introduced in FortiClient & FortiClient EMS 7.0. For each feature, the guide provides detailed information on configuration, requirements, and limitations, as applicable. The guide organizes features into the following sections:

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 - Endpoint: Remote Access on page 21
- FortiClient EMS on page 30
 - Zero-trust network access on page 30

For features introduced in 7.0.1 and later versions, the version number is found at the end of the topic heading. For example, EMS distributes SSL deep inspection CA certificates 7.0.1 on page 31 was introduced in 7.0.1. If a topic heading has no version number at the end, the feature was introduced in 7.0.0.

For a list of all features organized by the version number that they were introduced, see Index on page 72.

ZTNA

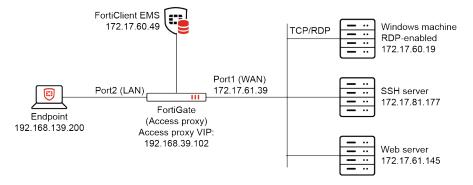
Endpoint: Fabric Agent

Improved TCP forwarding performance - 7.0.1

In 7.0.1, FortiClient supports encryption and non-encryption modes for zero trust network access (ZTNA) via a toggle switch. You can manually add ZTNA rules in the FortiClient GUI or receive rules from EMS. This feature requires the following prerequisites:

- You must configure a Fortinet Security Fabric connector between FortiOS and EMS.
- You must properly configure FortiOS ZTNA-related settings. See ZTNA TCP forwarding access proxy example.
- FortiClient must be registered to EMS.
- · You must add ZTNA rules in EMS or FortiClient.

The following shows the topology for the example configuration. In this topology, RDP access is configured to one server, and SSH access to another.



To configure ZTNA rules in EMS:

- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles.
- 2. Edit the desired profile.
- **3.** On the *XML Configuration* tab, add the following configuration:

4. Save the configuration.

To configure ZTNA rules in FortiClient:

- 1. In FortiClient, go to the ZTNA Connection Rules tab.
- 2. Create the RDP forwarding rule:
 - a. Click Add Rule.
 - **b.** In the *Rule Name* field, enter RDP Encryption Enabled.
 - c. In the Destination Host field, enter 172.17.60.19:3389.
 - d. In the *Proxy Gateway* field, enter 192.168.139.102:8445.
 - e. For Mode, select Transparent.
 - f. Select the Encryption checkbox.
 - g. Click Create.
- 3. Create the SSH forwarding rule:
 - a. Click Add Rule.
 - **b.** In the *Rule Name* field, enter SSH Encryption Enabled.
 - c. In the Destination Host field, enter 172.17.81.177:22.
 - d. In the *Proxy Gateway* field, enter 192.168.139.102:8445.
 - e. For Mode, select Transparent.
 - f. Select the Encryption checkbox.
 - g. Click Create.



To verify the configuration:

- 1. Start an SSH connection to 172.17.81.177 via ZTNA.
- 2. Run debug commands in FortiOS:

```
diagnose wad debug enable category all diagnose wad debug enable level verbose diagnose debug enable
```

3. Check the debug logs to verify whether encryption is enabled. When encryption is enabled, the debug logs contain the line GET tcpaddress=172.17.81.177&port=22&tls=1 HTTP1.1. When encryption is disabled, the debug logs contain the line GET tcpaddress=172.17.81.177&port=22&tls=0 HTTP1.1.

Antiransomware file backup and restoration - 7.0.2

After detecting ransomware behavior on the endpoint FortiClient restores files that the detected ransomware encrypted.

You can configure this feature using the following XML elements:

XML tag	Description
<pre><backup_interval></backup_interval></pre>	Enter the desired backup interval value in hours. After the configured interval, FortiClient backs up files that the detected ransomware encrypted.
<pre><backup_file_size_limit></backup_file_size_limit></pre>	Enter the desired size limit in MB for ransomware-encrypted files for FortiClient to back up.
<pre><backup_disk_quota></backup_disk_quota></pre>	Enter the desired backup disk quota value as a percentage.

See Antiransomware for the complete list of antiransomware XML elements.

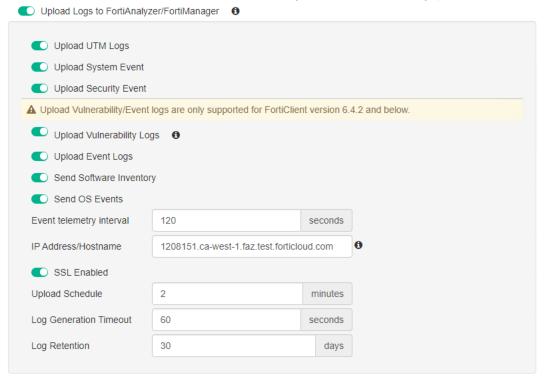
Logging to FortiAnalyzer Cloud - 7.0.3

This guide provides information on configuring and integrating FortiAnalyzer Cloud for logging support. To use this feature, you must have configured the appropriate license with FortiAnalyzer Cloud entitlement. The functionality is similar to on-premise FortiAnalyzer support for logging.

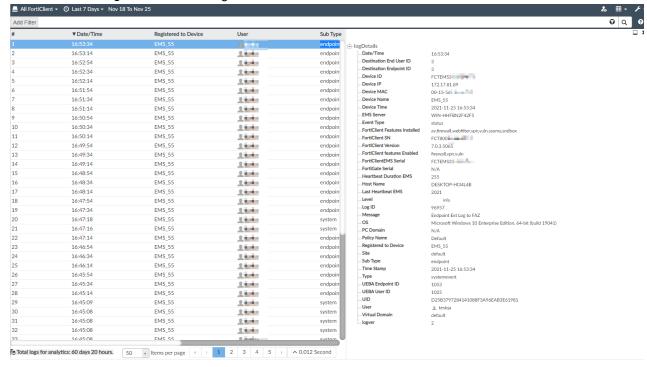
To configure logging to FortiAnalyzer Cloud:

- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles.
- 2. Edit the desired profile.
- 3. On the Settings tab, enable Upload Logs to FortiAnalyzer/FortiManager.

4. In the IP Address/Hostname field, enter the FortiAnalyzer Cloud instance fully qualified domain name.



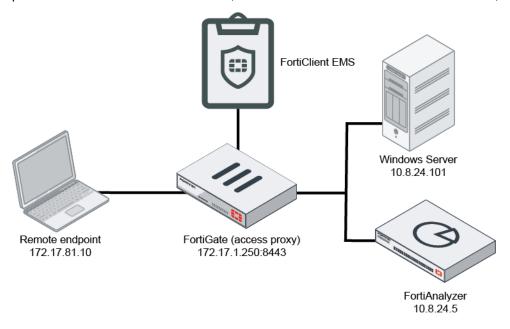
- 5. Configure other fields as desired and save the profile.
- 6. In FortiAnalyzer Cloud, go to Device Manager.
- 7. Authorize and add EMS.
- **8.** Once FortiClient can reach FortiAnalyzer Cloud, it uploads logs to FortiAnalyzer Cloud as per the defined upload schedule. Go to *Log View* to see the log details.



FQDN-based ZTNA TCP forwarding services - 7.0.3

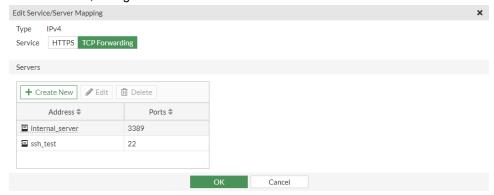
FortiClient 7.0.3 adds support for using fully qualified domain names (FQDN) as destination hosts in zero trust network access (ZTNA) TCP forwarding rules. This allows you to avoid exposing private/internal IP addresses to end users by using FQDNs instead.

The following shows the topology for this example. This example uses two FQDNs, rdp.win.test and ssh.win.test, in place of the Windows server IP address, 10.8.24.100. This hides the internal IP address, 10.8.24.100, from end users.



To configure FortiOS:

- 1. In FortiOS, go to *Policy & Objects > ZTNA > ZTNA Servers*.
- 2. Click Create New.
- **3.** For *Type*, select *IPv4*.
- 4. For Service, select TCP Forwarding.
- 5. Under Servers, configure RDP and SSH services.



6. Click OK.

7. In the CLI, add the rdp.win.test FQDN to RDP and SSH services as the domain:

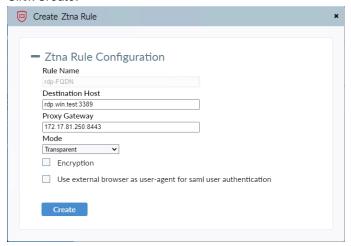
```
config firewall access-proxy
   edit "ZTNA-test"
       set vip "ZTNA-test"
        set client-cert enable
        config api-gateway
            edit 2
                set url-map "/tcp"
                set service tcp-forwarding
                config realservers
                    edit 1
                        set address "internal server"
                        set domain "rdp.win.test"
                        set mappedport 3389
                    next
                    edit 2
                        set address "ssh test"
                        set domain "ssh.win.test"
                        set mappedport 22
                    next
                end
            next.
        end
   next
end
```

8. Ensure that you configured the ZTNA policy rule and firewall policy as desired.

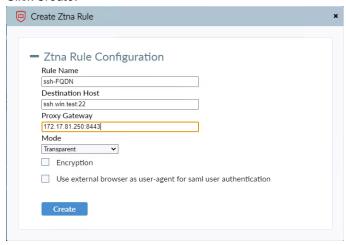
To configure ZTNA rules:

- 1. You can configure ZTNA rules from FortiClient or EMS. If using FortiClient, connect to the EMS that is connected to the FortiGate acting as the TCP forwarding server.
- 2. Do one of the following:
 - a. If using FortiClient, go to ZTNA Connection Rules.
 - **b.** If using EMS, go to *Endpoint Profiles > ZTNA Connection Rules*.
- 3. Create the RDP server rule:
 - a. Click Add Rule.
 - **b.** In the Rule Name field, enter the desired name.
 - c. In the Destination Host field, enter rdp.win.test:<port number>.
 - **d.** In the *Proxy Gateway* field, enter the FortiGate IP address and port number. In this example, it is 172.17.81.250:8443.

e. Click Create.



- 4. Create the SSH server rule:
 - a. Click Add Rule.
 - **b.** In the *Rule Name* field, enter the desired name.
 - **c.** In the *Destination Host* field, enter ssh.win.test:<port number>.
 - **d.** In the *Proxy Gateway* field, enter the FortiGate IP address and port number. In this example, it is 172.17.81.250:8443.
 - e. Click Create.



To verify the configuration:

- 1. Go to C:/Windows/System32/drivers/etc.
- 2. Open the hosts file with a text editor.
- 3. Confirm that FortiClient automatically edited the hosts file. If FortiClient sees traffic to these IP addresses, it forwards the traffic to the ZTNA access proxy with the destination set as the corresponding FQDN. You can verify this by pinging these two domain names in Command Prompt.

```
hosts.txt - Notepad
File Edit Format View Help
# Copyright (c) 1993-2009 Microsoft Corp.
" # This is a sample HOSTS file used by Microsoft TCP/IP for Windows.
# This file contains the mappings of IP addresses to host names. Each
# entry should be kept on an individual line. The IP address should
# be placed in the first column followed by the corresponding host name.
\ensuremath{\mathtt{\#}} The IP address and the host name should be separated by at least one \ensuremath{\mathtt{\#}} space.
# Additionally, comments (such as these) may be inserted on individual
# lines or following the machine name denoted by a '#' symbol.
# For example:
        102.54.94.97
        102.54.94.97 rhino.acme.com
38.25.63.10 x.acme.com
                                                           # source server
                                                      # x client host
\# localhost name resolution is handled within DNS itself.
         127.0.0.1 localhost
::1 localhost
# ---- FORTICLIENT ZTNA VIP START -----
10.235.0.1 rdp.win.test
10.235.0.2 ssh.win.test
# ---- FORTICLIENT ZTNA VIP END ----
```

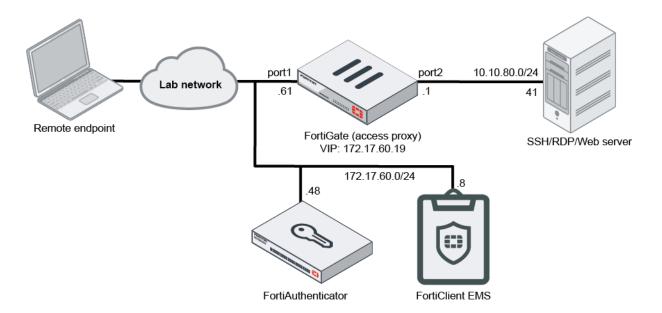
- 4. Start an SSH session in Command Prompt using ssh admin@ssh.win.test.
- 5. FortiClient displays an authentication prompt. Enter the credentials in the popup.
- 6. You can see that the session started. Command Prompt requests the password.
- 7. Start a remote session with Remote Desktop Connection.
- 8. Enter your credentials in the popup. A remote access session starts.

Browser as external user agent for ZTNA user authentication -7.0.3

Using a browser as an external user agent for zero trust network access (ZTNA) user authentication requires the following:

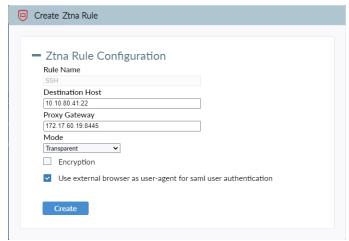
- The FortiGate and EMS must be connected as part of a Fortinet Security Fabric.
- You must have properly configured ZTNA settings in FortiOS.
- · FortiClient must be registered to EMS.
- · You must have configured ZTNA rules in EMS or FortiClient.

The following shows the topology for this example:



To add a ZTNA rule in FortiClient:

- 1. Go to ZTNA Connection Rules.
- 2. Click Add Rule.
- **3.** Configure a rule as desired. Enable *Use external browser as user-agent for saml user authentication*. This example configures an SSH server.
- 4. Click Create.



To verify the configuration:

- 1. Attempt to connect to the configured SSH server.
- 2. The browser may display a prompt to select a certificate for authentication. If so, install the desired certificate as directed. The browser displays a FortiAuthenticator authentication web portal.



3. Log in via the browser. The endpoint can now access the SSH server.

FDS update support for antiransomware behavior rules - 7.0.3

FortiClient adds FortiGuard Distribution Server (FDS) support for updates to the antiransomware engine and rules update, as is already the case for antivirus. FortiClient has supported ransomware detection since 6.4.2. Prior to this enhancement, updates in technique or detection rules were not applied until the next FortiClient patch release, which could take months.

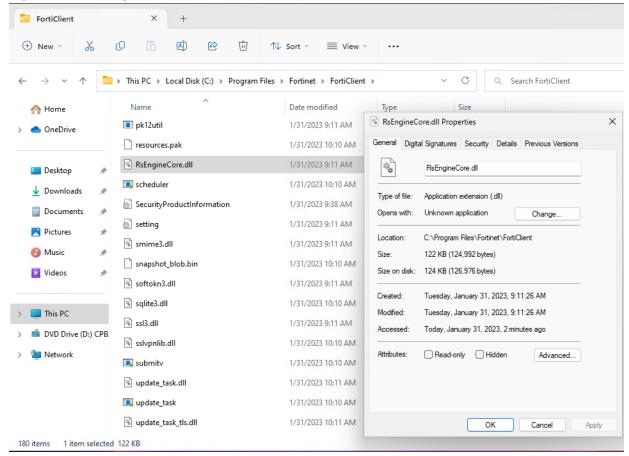
This enhancement keeps all users' antiransomware engines/signatures updated without a new patch update using FDS. Consider that all users are connected to the corporate FDS. When Fortinet creates a new antiransomware engine/signature and uploads it to FDS, all users receive the updated antiransomware engine/signature.



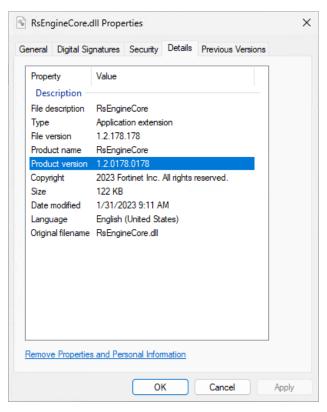
Updated antiransomware engine/signature versions depend on the FortiClient firmware version. FortiClient implements different engine updates for different versions.

To check engine/signature version on the endpoint:

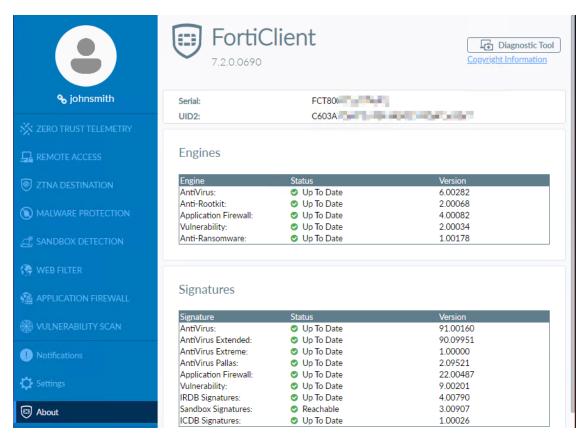
- 1. After a fresh install of FortiClient, go to C:\Program Files\Fortinet\FortiClient.
- 2. Right-click the RsEngineCore.dll file, then select Properties.



3. On the *Details* tab, confirm the *Product version*. This is the antiransomware engine version, which should be the same as the installed version of FortiClient.



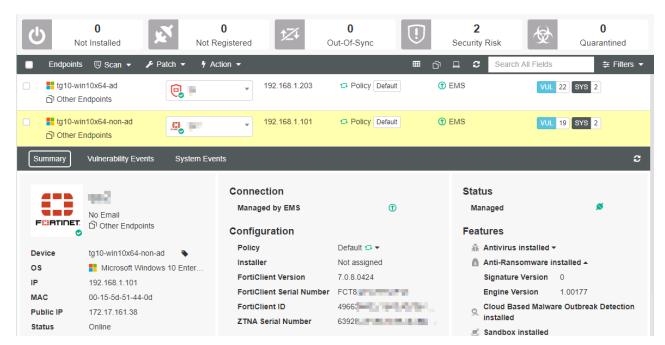
- 4. Register FortiClient to EMS.
- **5.** On the *About* page, confirm the antiransomware engine version. This should be the same as the version from step 3.



6. After Fortinet uploads a new engine/signature to FDS, you can verify that FortiClient received the update by repeating the previous steps to check the versions in the RsEngineCore.dll file and on the FortiClient *About* page.

To check engine/signature version on EMS:

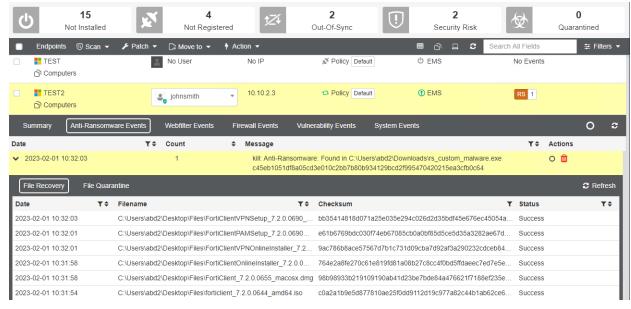
- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoints > All Endpoints.
- 2. Select the desired endpoint to view its details. Under *Features*, EMS displays the endpoint's antiransomware engine version.



3. Go to *System Settings > FortiGuard Services > View Signature List* to verify the antiransomware engine and signature version.

To view antiransomware events on the EMS:

- 1. The antiransomware feature stops and quarantines detected ransomware and restores the encrypted files to the backup folder at C:\Program Files\Fortinet\FortiClient\backup. These events are logged locally on the FortiClient. FortiClient sends the events to EMS. On EMS, go to *Endpoints > All Endpoints*.
- 2. Select the desired endpoint.
- 3. Go to the Anti-Ransomware Events tab. All detected ransomware events display.
- 4. Go to the File Recovery and File Quarantine tabs to view recovered and quarantined files, respectively.



ZTNA certificate serial number mismatch - 7.0.7

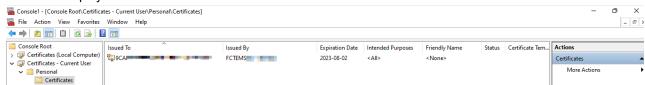
Each time that FortiClient registers to EMS, EMS provisions a new zero trust network access (ZTNA) device certificate to the endpoint. The new certificate may assign a new serial number (SN) to the endpoint. In this scenario, a browser-initiated ZTNA session may continue to use the cached ZTNA certificate key with the old SN. The SN of the FortiClient certificate on the endpoint was incorrect and differed from the ZTNA SN that EMS displayed. This resulted in ZTNA client certificate authentication failing due to the certificate mismatch, as FortiOS received the record from EMS.

To resolve this issue, EMS resends the old SN to FortiClient. FortiClient checks if the SN matches with its SN. If the SNs match, FortiClient does not send a new certificate request. If the SNs do not match, FortiClient sends a new certificate request to resolve the mismatch.

FortiClient and EMS retain the same ZTNA certificate as long as FortiClient is connecting and reconnecting to the same EMS server. The described mismatch occurs if FortiClient deregisters, then registers to a new EMS.

The following describes this scenario:

 The user registers FortiClient to EMS. The Windows certificate store receives the ZTNA certificate. In the Microsoft Management Console (MMC), go to Certificates - Current User > Personal > Certificates. Confirm that the ZTNA certificate displays.



- 2. The user connects to a browser with ZTNA using a web proxy. MMC continues to display the ZTNA certificate.
- **3.** The user deregisters FortiClient from EMS. MMC continues to display the ZTNA certificate. In this scenario, the user did not close the browser. The browser still has the session ticket that the FortiOS access proxy sent cached.
- **4.** The user reregisters to EMS. EMS resends the SN to FortiClient. FortiClient attempts to match this SN with the saved SN. As these SNs match, FortiClient does not send a new certificate request. Browser sessions continue to work.
- 5. The user deregisters FortiClient from EMS and reregisters to another EMS server. The new EMS server sends its SN to FortiClient. FortiClient attempts to match this SN with the saved SN. As these SNs do not match, FortiClient sends a new certificate request.
- **6.** The user uninstalls FortiClient from the endpoint. The uninstall removes the SN from logs and the certificate from the certificate store.

Logs have been updated for this feature to include the SN:

• In endpoint logs, the ZTNA certificate SN functionality has been added to FortiEsnac logs in FCKARPLY and FCREGRPLY in C:\Program Files\Fortinet\FortiClient\logs\trace:

```
4351FE29F28C|SERIAL|<serial number>|EMS_ONNET|0|ZFGTIP|eJydkcFOwzAMhu88RdQ7TQOCTcjLXmCcxr0KiRtFSp0pcQd7e7JVE0h0HLjZv3
```

• In EMS logs, the ZTNA certificate SN functionality has been added to FCMDaemon log in FCKARPLY and FCREGRPLY in C:\Program Files (x86)\Fortinet\FortiClientEMS\logs:

Endpoint: Remote Access

Dual stack IPv4 and IPv6 for SSL VPN - 7.0.1

FortiClient (Windows) has added SSL VPN dual stack support, where it can send IPv4 and IPv6 traffic over the same tunnel. By default, FortiClient disables this feature. Only FortiOS 7.0 and later versions support this feature.

To enable dual stack for an SSL VPN tunnel in the GUI:

- 1. In FortiClient, on the *Remote Access* tab, select an existing VPN tunnel or create a new one.
- 2. Select the Enable Dual-stack IPv4/IPv6 address checkbox.

To enable dual stack for an SSL VPN tunnel in the XML:

```
<forticlient configuration>
  <vpn>
     <sslvpn>
        <connections>
           <connection>
             <dual stack>1</dual stack>
           </connection>
        </connections>
     </sslvpn>
  </vpn>
</forticlient configuration>
```

This is a balanced but incomplete XML configuration fragment. It includes all closing tags, but omits some important elements to complete the SSL VPN configuration.

To configure dual stack in FortiOS:

```
config vpn ssl settings
  set dual-stack-mode enable
config firewall policy
  edit 14
     set name "ssl-wan1"
     set uuid 26f24a0a-09c4-51eb-daf7-cfb43cea057f
     set srcintf "ssl.root"
     set dstintf "wan1"
     set srcaddr "all"
     set dstaddr "all"
     set srcaddr6 "all"
     set dstaddr6 "myinternalV6"
     set action accept
     set schedule "always"
     set service "ALL"
     set logtraffic all
     set nat enable
     set groups "sslvpn-group" "pki"
     set users "test" "xyan" "dns-split"
  next
config firewall policy
  edit 21
```

```
set uuid 94e3489a-b764-51eb-efad-b7b3762070dd
set srcintf "ssl.root"
set dstintf "lan"
set srcaddr "all"
set dstaddr "all"
set srcaddr6 "all"
set dstaddr6 "myinternalV6"
set action accept
set schedule "always"
set service "ALL"
set nat enable
set groups "sslvpn-group"
next
end
```

The following table summarizes the results:

	FortiOS enabled dual stack	FortiOS disabled dual stack
FortiClient enabled dual stack	FortiClient sends IPv4 and IPv6 traffic over the same tunnel.	The connection fails.
FortiClient disabled dual stack	FortiClient sends IPv4 traffic over an IPv4 tunnel. FortiClient sends IPv6 traffic over an IPv6 tunnel.	FortiClient sends IPv4 traffic over an IPv4 tunnel. FortiClient sends IPv6 traffic over an IPv6 tunnel.

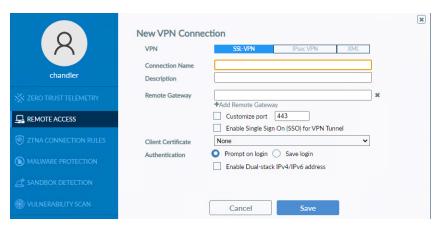
See the Dual stack IPv4 and IPv6 support for SSL VPN.

SSL VPN security improvements

Default SSL VPN security settings have been improved to help decrease the risk of network attacks. The *Do Not Warn Invalid Server Certificate* option has been removed and is disabled by default.

After installing FortiClient and connecting to EMS, go to *Settings*. You can see that by default, *Do Not Warn Invalid Server Certificate* is disabled.

When configuring a new SSL VPN tunnel or editing an existing one, *Do Not Warn Invalid Server Certificate* is unavailable.



Using a browser as an external user-agent for SAML authentication in an SSL VPN connection - 7.0.1

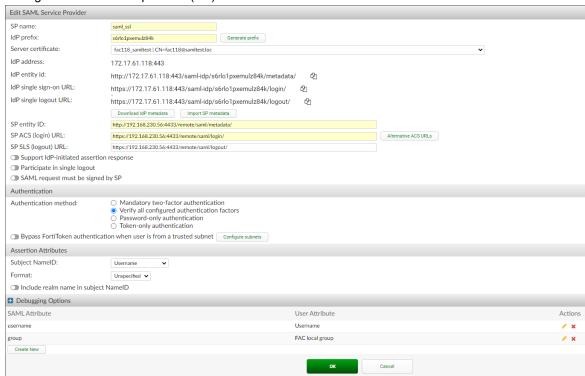
When establishing an SSL VPN tunnel connection, FortiClient can present a SAML authentication request to the end user in a web browser.

FortiClient (Windows) and (macOS) 7.0.1 and EMS 7.0.1 support this feature. FortiClient (Linux) 7.0.1 does not support this feature.

FortiClient and EMS do not support this feature when SSL VPN realms are configured. When SSL VPN realms are configured and the user provides their SAML authentication credentials in an external browser, FortiClient fails to establish the SSL VPN connection.

To configure FortiAuthenticator as the identity provider (IdP):

- 1. In FortiAuthenticator, go to Authentication > SAML IdP > Service Providers.
- 2. Configure a new service provider (SP) for SAML.



- 3. Go to Authentication > User Management > Local Users.
- 4. Create a new user.

To configure FortiGate as a SAML SP:

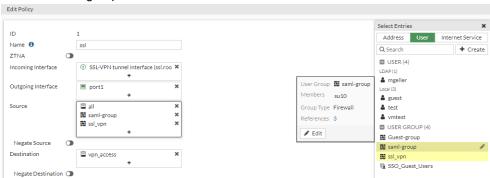
1. In the FortiOS CLI, create a SAML user. Ensure that the SP and IdP details match the details that FortiAuthenticator provided:

```
config user saml
  edit "su10"
   set cert "Fortinet_Factory"
   set entity-id "http://192.168.230.56:4433/remote/saml/metadata/"
   set single-sign-on-url "https://192.168.230.56:4433/remote/saml/login/"
```

2. Ensure that the SAML redirect port is set to 8020. SAML external browser authentication uses port 8020 by default. If another service or application occupies this port, FortiClient displays a message showing that the SAML redirect port is unavailable:

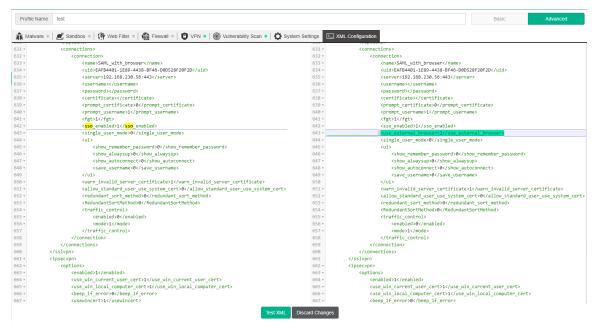
```
config vpn ssl setting
  show full-configuration | grep 8020
    set saml-redirect-port 8020
  next
and
```

- **3.** Create a user group by going to *User & Authentication > User Groups > Create New.* Provide the required details and add the user that you created in step 1 to this group.
- **4.** Go to *VPN* > *SSL-VPN Settings*. Under *Authentication/Portal Mapping*, create a mapping with the user group that you created in step 3. From the *Portal* dropdown list, select *full-access*. Click *OK*.
- **5.** Go to *Policy & Objects > Firewall Policy*. Select the SSL VPN firewall policy. Ensure that the *Source* field includes the SAML user group.



To configure external browser for authentication in EMS:

- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles, and edit the desired profile.
- 2. On the *VPN* tab, click *Add Tunnel*. Provide the correct gateway information. In *Advanced Settings*, enable *Enable SAML Login*. Configure other fields as desired. Save the tunnel.
- **3.** On the XML Configuration tab, under the <sso_enabled> element for the tunnel, add <use_external_browser>1</use external browser>.



4. Click Test XML, then save the configuration.

To test the connection in FortiClient:

- 1. After FortiClient receives the latest configuration update from EMS, go to the *Remote Access* tab.
- 2. View the tunnel to verify that the Use external browser as user-agent for saml user authentication field is enabled.
- **3.** Connect to the tunnel by clicking *SAML Login*. Verify that FortiClient opens your default browser to prompt for authentication. Provide your credentials and click *Login* to establish the connection.

FortiGate-powered host check for free VPN client - 7.0.3

FortiGate-powered host check supports the following for the FortiClient free VPN client:

- · Operating system (OS) check
- Antivirus (AV)-only
- · Firewall-only
- · AV and firewall
- · Custom software host check:
 - File
 - Running process
 - Registry

During VPN connection, if the free VPN client detects that the currently running system environment does not meet a setting that FortiGate-powered host check requires, it displays a warning.



To enable OS check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that the endpoint runs Windows 10.

```
config vpn ssl web portal
  edit "full-access"
    set os-check enable
    config os-check-list "windows-10"
        set action deny
    end
  end
end
```

To enable AV-only check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that requires that AV is enabled on the endpoint:

```
config vpn ssl web portal
  edit "full-access"
     set host-check av
end
```

To enable firewall-only check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that requires that firewall is enabled on the endpoint:

```
config vpn ssl web portal
  edit "full-access"
     set host-check fw
end
```

To enable AV and firewall check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that requires that AV and firewall are enabled on the endpoint:

```
config vpn ssl web portal
  edit "full-access"
     set host-check av-fw
end
```

To enable custom file check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that requires that c:\temp\mytest.txt and %ProgramFiles%\FortiClient\FortiClient\centre{continuous}.

```
edit 1
                set target "c:\\temp\\mytest.txt"
            next
            edit 2
                set target "%ProgramFiles%\\Fortinet\\FortiClient\\FortiClient.exe"
            next
        end
    next
end
config vpn ssl web portal
    edit "full-access"
       set host-check custom
        set host-check-policy "file exist"
    next
end
```

To enable custom running process check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that requires that a designated process, in this case FortiClient.exe, runs on the endpoint:

```
config vpn ssl web host-check-software
    edit "Running-Process"
        config check-item-list
            edit 1
                set type process
                set target "FortiClient.exe"
            next
        end
    next.
end
config vpn ssl web portal
    edit "full-access"
        set host-check custom
        set host-check-policy "Running-Process"
    next
end
```

To enable custom registry check on FortiOS:

The following configures a check that requires that a designated string or dword value in a registry key exist. In this example, the designated value is FA IKE: enabled==1:

```
config vpn ssl web host-check-software
    edit "hostcheck-condition-registry"
        config check-item-list
            edit 1
                set type registry
                set target "HKLM\\SOFTWARE\\Fortinet\\FortiClient\\FA_IKE:enabled==1"
            next
        end
    next
end
config vpn ssl web portal
    edit "full-access"
        set host-check custom
```

```
set host-check-policy "hostcheck-condition-registry" \label{eq:next} \texttt{next} end
```

To perform debugging on FortiOS:

```
diagnose debug reset
diagnose debug application sslvpn -1
diagnose debug application samld -1
diagnose debug application fnbamd -1
diagnose debug enable
```

The following shows an example of debugging output when host check fails:

Autoconnect on login as an Azure AD user - 7.0.7

You can configure FortiClient to automatically connect to a specified VPN tunnel immediately using Azure Active Directory (AD) credentials after it installs and receives its configuration from EMS. Whenever the user logs in to Windows using their Azure AD credentials, FortiClient silently and automatically connects to the specified VPN tunnel without the user needing to reenter their credentials or open the FortiClient console.

This feature requires FortiOS 7.2.1 or later.

To enable this feature, the following configuration steps are required:

- 1. Create and configure application registration in Azure.
- 2. Configure FortiOS with the auth-url setting within the SAML server entry configuration.
- 3. Configure the corresponding Remote Access profile in EMS using XML configuration to support Azure autologin and autoconnect on install.

For details on this configuration, see Autoconnect on logging in as an Azure AD user.

FortiClient EMS

Zero-trust network access

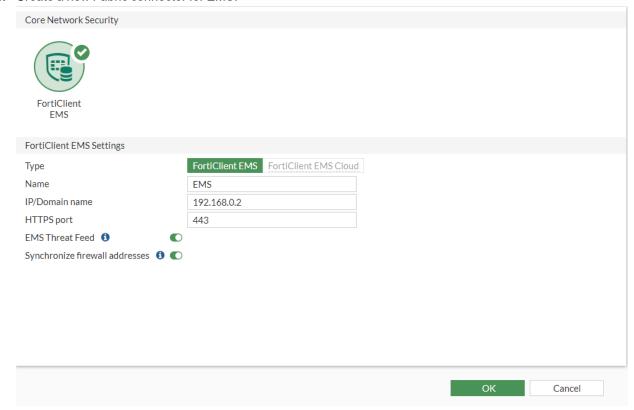
EMS distributes SSL deep inspection CA certificates - 7.0.1

FortiGate can push certificate authority (CA) certificates directly to EMS once it establishes communication with EMS. You no longer have to manually import CA certificates from FortiGate to EMS.

The following instructions assume that FortiGate, EMS, and a FortiClient (Windows) endpoint are already operating as components of a Fortinet Security Fabric. FortiClient is connected to EMS.

To configure EMS to distribute FortiGate CA certificates to FortiClient endpoints:

- 1. Create an EMS Fabric connector in FortiOS:
 - **a.** In FortiOS, go to Security Fabric > Fabric Connectors.
 - b. Click Create New.
 - c. Create a new Fabric connector for EMS.



- 2. Configure EMS to import the certificates:
 - a. In EMS, go to Administration > Fabric Devices.
 - **b.** Authorize the connection request from the FortiGate.
 - **c.** Once the connection succeeds, EMS automatically imports FortiGate CA certificates. To verify this, go to *Endpoint Policy & Components > CA Certificates*. This pane lists certificates under the FortiGate serial number.



3. Go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles.

- 4. Select the profile that is applied to the endpoint.
- **5.** On the *System Settings* tab, enable *Install CA Certificate on Client*. Once enabled, the field displays the imported FortiGate certificates. Select the desired certificates to distribute to the endpoints.
- 6. Click Save.
- After the endpoint receives the profile updates from EMS, open the Manage Computer certificates/Manage User certificates console on the endpoint.
- **8.** Go to Trusted Root Certification Authorities > Certificates.
- 9. Confirm that the selected certificates are installed.



Zero Trust tagging rules enhancement - 7.0.1

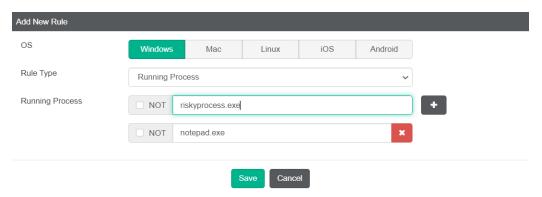
FortiClient EMS adds the following enhancements to Zero Trust tagging rules:

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- Importing and exporting Zero Trust tagging rules on page 34
- On-Fabric rules on page 35

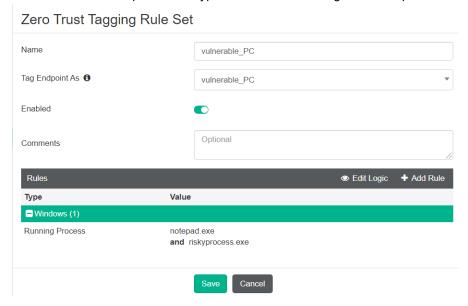
Logical OR operation support

To configure a rule using OR:

- 1. Go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tagging Rules.
- 2. Click Add.
- 3. Click Add Rule.
- **4.** Configure a rule as desired. This example configures a Windows running process rule that checks that Notepad and riskyprocess.exe are running on the endpoint.

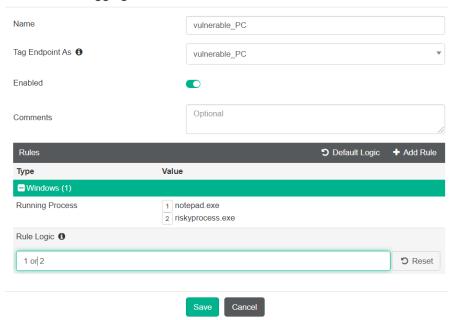


5. Click *Save*. By default, the rule is configured with the logical AND operation. Therefore, in this example, the rule checks that both Notepad and riskyprocess.exe are running on the endpoint.

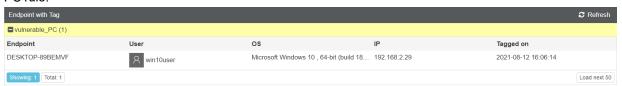


6. Click Edit Logic. Change the logic to OR, then click Save.

Zero Trust Tagging Rule Set



- 7. To verify the rule, run Notepad on an endpoint that is connected to EMS. Verify that no process named riskyprocess.exe is running on the endpoint.
- 8. In EMS, go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tag Monitor. Confirm that the endpoint appears under the vulnerable_PC rule.



Importing and exporting Zero Trust tagging rules

To import and export Zero Trust tagging rules:

- **1.** Go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tagging Rules.
- 2. Click Export to export the currently defined rules.
- 3. Ensure that a JSON file of the rules is downloaded.

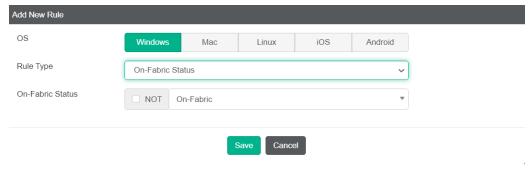
4. You can use import the same rules to another EMS using the JSON files. On another EMS, go to *Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tagging Rules* and click *Import*. Browse to and select the desired JSON file. Click *Import*.

On-Fabric rules

EMS supports on-Fabric Zero Trust tagging rules. EMS currently does not support the NOT option for this rule type.

To create an on-Fabric/off-Fabric rule:

- 1. Go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tagging Rules.
- 2. Click Add.
- 3. Click Add Rule.
- **4.** From the *Rule Type* dropdown list, select *On-Fabric Status*.
- 5. Click Save.



Provisioning ZTNA TCP forwarding rules via EMS - 7.0.1

You can configure ZTNA TCP forwarding rules on the *XML Configuration* tab in an endpoint profile in EMS to push the same rules to multiple endpoints, instead of manually configuring the rules on each endpoint.

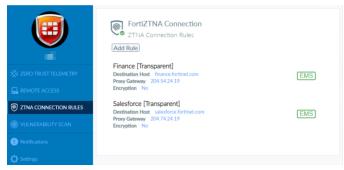
To configure ZTNA TCP forwarding rules via EMS:

- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles.
- 2. Select the desired profile.
- **3.** On the *XML Configuration* tab, edit the existing configuration to include the ZTNA rules elements. The following provides an example with two rules:

```
<ztna>
  <enabled>1</enabled>
  <enable_chrome>0</enable chrome>
  <rules>
       <name>Salesforce</name>
       <destination>salesforce.fortinet.com</destination>
       <qateway>204.74.24.19
       <mode>transparent</mode>
       <encryption>0</encryption>
     </rule>
     <rule>
       <name>Finance</name>
       <destination>finance.fortinet.com</destination>
       <gateway>204.54.24.19
       <mode>transparent</mode>
       <encryption>0</encryption>
     </rule>
```

</rules>

4. Save the profile. After the endpoint receives the profile updates from EMS, you can find the TCP forwarding rules on the FortiClient *ZTNA Connection Rules* tab.





FortiClient does not currently support enabling encryption for a ZTNA rule using XML configuration. If you configure <encryption> as 1, encryption remains disabled for the rule in FortiClient.

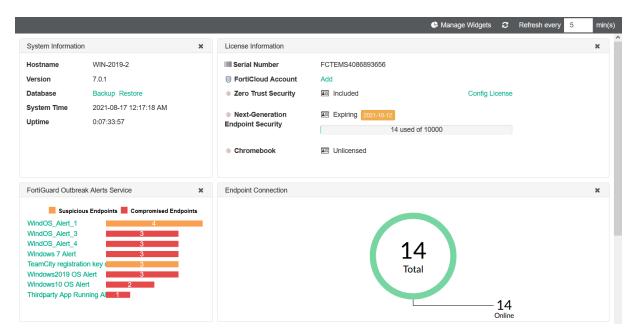
FortiGuard Outbreak Alerts service - 7.0.1

When a new outbreak is discovered in the field, Fortinet releases a new FortiGuard package. This process is as follows:

- 1. Fortinet creates and tests a new FortiGuard outbreak alert rule.
- 2. Fortinet packages the rule into a FortiGuard object.
- 3. Fortinet uploads the object to the FortiGuard server.
- 4. EMS downloads the object from FortiGuard.
- 5. EMS processes the rule and installs it.
- 6. If FortiClient detects the outbreak in an endpoint as per the new rule, it tags it accordingly.
- 7. The EMS administrator can use the outbreak alert tag to quarantine endpoints where FortiClient has detected the outbreak.

A maximum of ten FortiGuard outbreak alert rules can be enabled at the same time.

You can enable the FortiGuard Outbreak Alerts Service widget on the dashboard to see outbreak alert details.



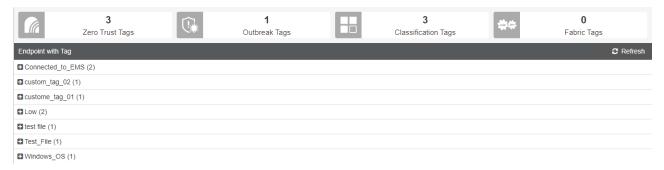
You can drill down from this widget to see the list of affected endpoints. You can quarantine endpoints from this pane.



The endpoint summary page also shows any FortiGuard outbreak alert tags applied to the endpoint.

Tag management and visibility improvement - 7.0.3

You can now clearly identify all tag types and their marked endpoints on the Zero Trust Tag Monitor page.



The page displays a tab for each tag category. You can click each tab to see endpoints tagged with that tag type.

You also have the option to choose which tags to share with a Fabric device for access control. You can choose from outbreak tags, classification tags, and Fabric tags. The following instructions assume that EMS is already connected to a FortiGate as part of a Fortinet Security Fabric.

To configure FortiClient endpoint tag sharing:

- 1. Go to Administration > Fabric Devices.
- 2. Select the desired FortiGate to edit.
- 3. From the FortiClient Endpoint Sharing dropdown list, select one of the following:

Option	Description
Share all FortiClients	EMS shares tag information of endpoints connected to all authorized Fabric devices with this FortiGate.
Only share FortiClients connected to this fabric device (Recommended)	EMS only shares tag information of endpoints connected to this Fabric device. This is the default and recommended option.
Share FortiClients connected to selected fabric devices	You can select up to four authorized Fabric devices. EMS shares the tag information of endpoints connected to these Fabric devices with the FortiGate.

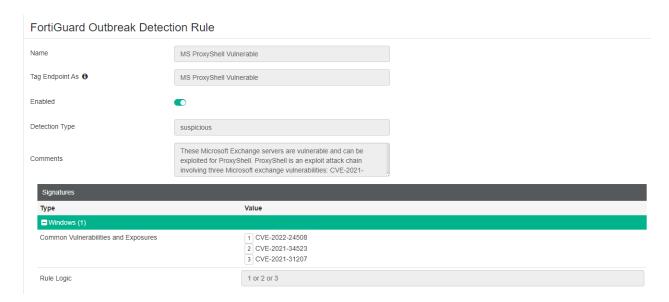
- **4.** In the *Tag Types Being Shared* field, select the desired tag types to share with the Fabric device. Zero Trust Tags is selected by default. You cannot deselect Zero Trust tags. You can select any or none of the other tag types to share with this Fabric device.
- 5. Click Save.



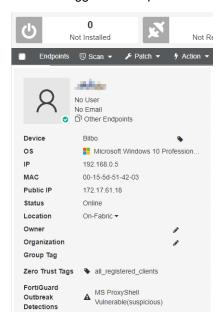
FortiGuard Outbreak Alerts support for tagging endpoints for specific vulnerabilities - 7.0.4

The FortiGuard Outbreak Alerts service has added support for rules that include common vulnerabilities and exposures (CVE) IDs. You can now also configure Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures Zero Trust tagging rules. This makes it more convenient for you to check and patch an endpoint that has the critical known vulnerabilities.

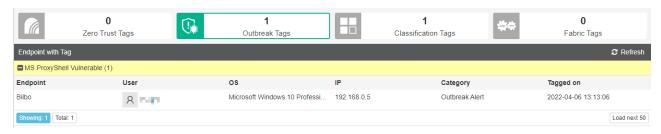
The following shows a FortiGuard Outbreak rule that EMS has downloaded from FortiGuard. You can view the configured CVE IDs when viewing the rule details in EMS. You can also read more details about these vulnerabilities in the information that the *Comments* field provides. In this example, the rule is applicable to an endpoint where CVE-2022-24508, CVE-2021-34523, or CVE-2021-31207 is present.



When FortiClient detects one of the configured CVEs on an endpoint, the endpoint summary in EMS shows that EMS has tagged the endpoint with the appropriate FortiGuard outbreak tag.



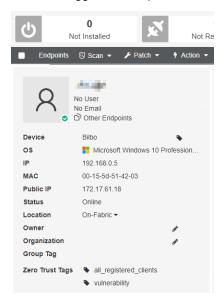
You can also go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tag Monitor and filter by Outbreak Tags to view the endpoint.



To configure a CVE Zero Trust tagging rule:

- 1. Go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tagging Rules.
- 2. Click Add.
- 3. Click Add Rule.
- 4. From the Rule Type dropdown list, select Common Vulnerabilities and Exposures.
- **5.** In the *CVEs* field, enter the desired CVE ID in the format CVE-xxxx-xxxxx. If desired, click the + button to configure multiple CVE IDs.
- 6. Click Save.
- 7. Configure other fields as desired, then save the rule.

When FortiClient detects one of the configured CVEs on an endpoint, the endpoint summary in EMS shows that EMS has tagged the endpoint with the appropriate Zero Trust tag.



You can also go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tag Monitor and filter by Zero Trust Tags to view the endpoint.



Individual onboarding process - 7.0.6

EMS 7.0.6 introduces a new registration method: onboarding users. With this new individual onboarding process, you have the option to verify user identity during the registration process. You can enforce user verification during the onboarding process to secure the connection between EMS and endpoints, and block unknown users and endpoints from registering to EMS.

The following includes two examples:

- Individual onboarding process with SAML authentication using an LDAP domain user account
- · Enforcing reauthentication for an onboarding user

While the first example uses SAML authentication as the verification type for the invitation, you can also configure local or LDAP verification.

Individual onboarding process with SAML authentication using an LDAP domain user account

To configure individual onboarding with SAML authentication using an LDAP domain user account:

- 1. Configure EMS:
 - **a.** In EMS, go to *Endpoints > Manage Domains*.
 - **b.** Import the desired Active Directory domain. During the onboarding process, EMS authenticates user identities based on this domain. In this example, the domain is gatest0824.local.



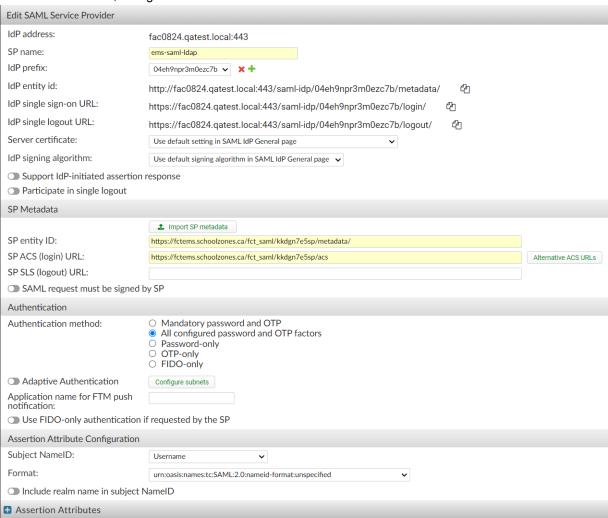
- c. Go to User Management > SAML Configuration.
- **d.** Add a SAML configuration with the imported domain. For *Authorization Type*, select *LDAP*. From the *Domain* dropdown list, select the newly imported domain. In this configuration, EMS is the service provider (SP), and FortiAuthenticator is the identity provider (IdP). Under *Identity Provider Settings*, enter your FortiAuthenticator

details. Click Save.

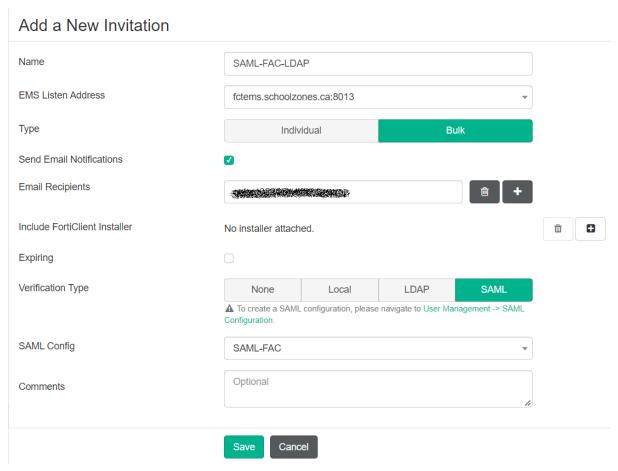
SAML Configuration Name SAML-FAC Authorization Type ▲ It is recommended that a SAML configuration always contain an associated domain ("LDAP" option). SAML configurations without a domain ("None" option) should be used for non-domain endpoints only. Domain qatest0824.local Service Provider Settings SP Address fctems.schoolzones.ca Use Current URL Prefix kkdgn7e5sp Generate SP ACS (login) URL https://fctems.schoolzones.ca/fct_saml/kkdgn7e5sp/acs Сору SP Entity ID https://fctems.schoolzones.ca/fct_saml/kkdgn7e5sp/metadata/ Сору SP Certificate No certificate imported Identity Provider Settings IdP single sign-on URL 6 https://fac0824.qatest.local:443/saml-idp/04eh9npr3m0ezc7b/login/ IdP Entity ID 6 http://fac0824.qatest.local:443/saml-idp/04eh9npr3m0ezc7b/metadal IdP Certificate ■ Default-Server-Certificate.cer 2022-12-08

Cancel

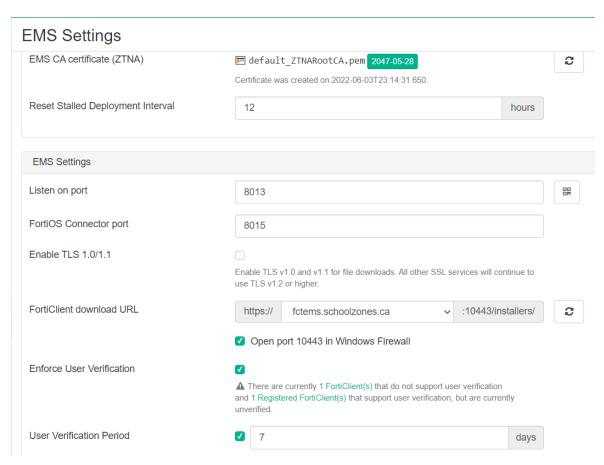
e. In FortiAuthenticator, configure EMS as an SP.



f. In EMS, go to User Management > Invitations. Configure the desired recipients to receive their invitation codes over email. For Verification Type, select SAML. From the SAML Config dropdown list, select the SAML configuration that you created. Click Save.

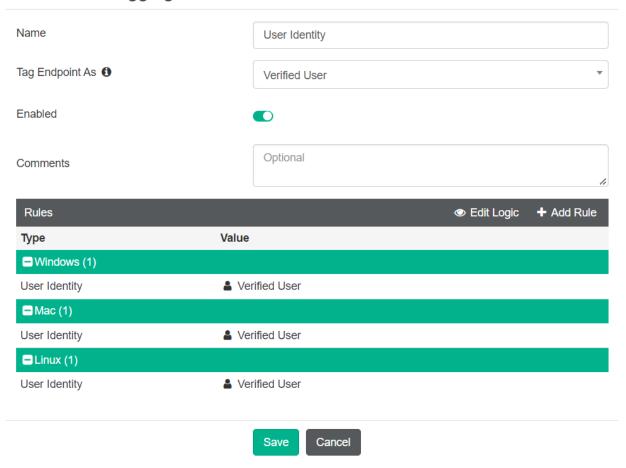


g. Go to *System Settings > EMS Settings*. Enable *Enforce User Verification*. This forces FortiClient to register to EMS using user onboarding.

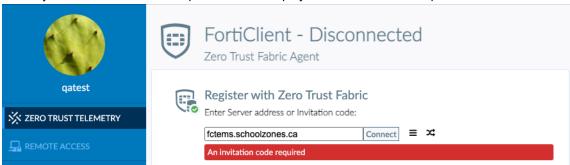


h. Go to Zero Trust Tags > Zero Trust Tagging Rules. Add a Zero Trust tagging rule to tag registered endpoints with verified users.

Zero Trust Tagging Rule Set



2. In FortiClient on an unregistered endpoint, attempt to register to EMS using the EMS fully qualified domain name. EMS rejects the connection attempt. FortiClient displays an error that EMS require an invitation code.



- 3. Register FortiClient to EMS:
 - **a.** Do one of the following to start the process of registering FortiClient to EMS:
 - i. Open the invitation email. and click Register to EMS. Follow the instructions to register to EMS.



Hi FortiClient User,

You have been invited by your administrator to download and activate FortiClient software.

If you have FortiClient installed on your device and are connected to your organization's network, simply click on the button below to register:

Register to EMS

For mobile devices, please click on the button below to register:

Register FortiClient Mobile to EMS



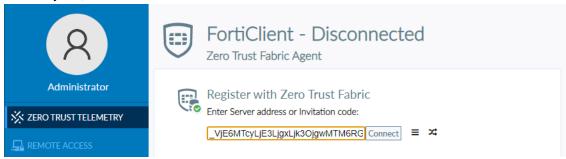
Register to EMS Manually

Alternatively, you can follow the steps below to register your FortiClient using this invitation code:

_VjE6ZmN0ZW1zLnNjaG9vbHpvbmVzLmNhOjgwMTM6RGVmYXVsdDpENzY5NTY4Ny00RjkwLTRCMUltQjVBQi1FNUQxOTYyNTczNUU=

ii. Open the invitation email, and copy the invitation code. Enter the invitation code on the Zero Trust

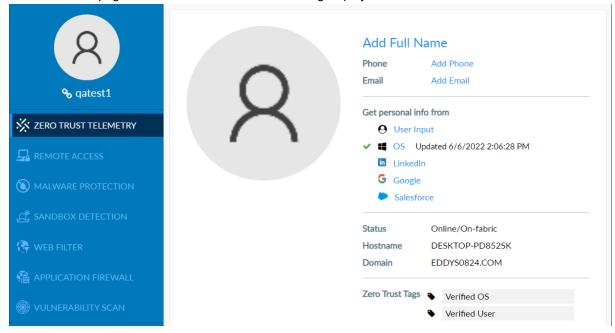
Telemetry tab, and click Connect.



b. In the popup, provide your LDAP user credentials, then click *Login*. FortiClient proceeds with the registration process after authentication succeeds. After FortiClient successfully registers to EMS, the username in FortiClient changes to the verified user account, and a chain icon appears beside the username to indicate that FortiClient is registered with a verified user.



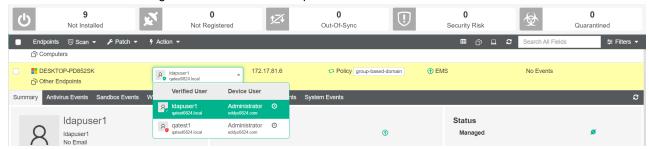
4. Go to the About page to confirm that the Verified User tag displays.



- **5.** In EMS, go to *Endpoint Policy & Components > Managed Policies*. Create a policy to apply to the selected user. In the *Users* field, select the desired user. This policy takes priority over group-based policies that the endpoint may also be eligible for.
- **6.** Go to *Endpoints > All Endpoints*. Select the endpoint. Confirm that EMS applied the user-specific policy that you created to the endpoint.



7. On the same endpoint, register FortiClient with a new user. the endpoint summary displays a new active user. As the endpoint is no longer eligible for the user-specific policy, EMS applies a group-based policy to the endpoint instead. You can view all registered users for that endpoint.



Enforcing reauthentication for an onboarding user

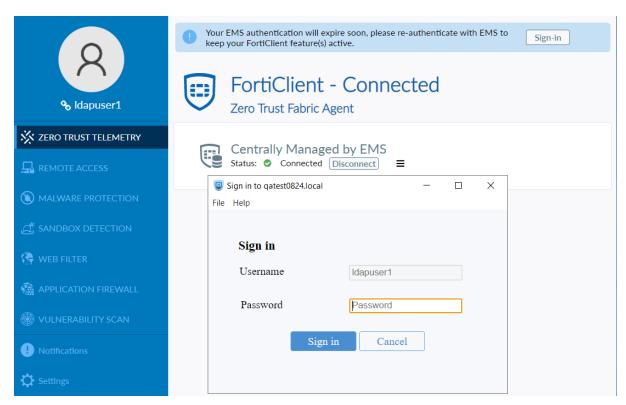
You can enforce users to reauthenticate their identities at a configured timeout interval. If the user does reauthenticate before the timeout, the endpoint unregisters from EMS. In this example, the endpoint is registered to EMS with an invitation code using LDAP authentication.

To enforce reauthentication for an onboarding user:

- **1.** In EMS, go to System Settings > EMS Settings.
- 2. Enable Enforce User Verification.
- 3. Enable *User Verification Period*, and enter the desired number of days. This example sets the period to seven days. Click *Save*.

To reauthenticate your identity in FortiClient:

- **1.** A notification appears on FortiClient five days before the reauthentication timeout. Click *Sign-in* to initiate reauthentication.
- **2.** FortiClient displays an authentication dialog. The *Username* field is grayed out to prevent the user from reauthenticating as a different user. In the *Password* field, enter your password.



3. Click Sign in. If you provide the correct password, FortiClient remains connected to EMS, and the warning disappears until the next reauthentication cycle. If reauthentication fails, the Telemetry status displays as Not reachable, the verified user logs off, and FortiClient displays a dialog to initiate the onboarding process. For a new onboarding process, the Username field is available.

Sending invitation emails

In FortiClient Cloud, administrators can send endpoint users invitation emails to help them connect their FortiClient to FortiClient Cloud. You can now also send invitation emails as an on-premise EMS administrator. This helps non-expert end users to easily connect EMS by copying and pasting their invitation code, scanning a QR code, or clicking the *Register to EMS* link in the invitation email. End users do not need to know the EMS IP address, port number, or site information to connect their endpoint to EMS.

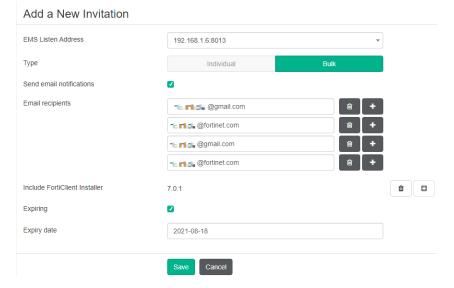
You can enforce that only endpoints that were invited using an invitation email can connect to and be managed by EMS using the *Enforce invitation-only registration for* option in *System Settings* > *EMS Settings*.

To configure an invitation email:

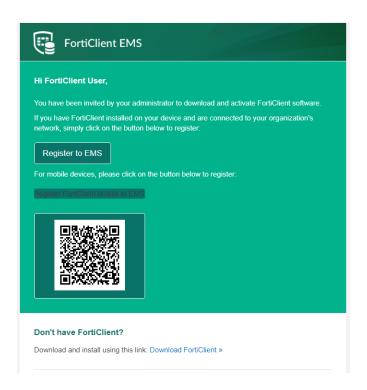
- **1.** Go to Endpoints > Invitations.
- 2. Click Add.

3. Configure the following fields:

Option	Description
EMS Listen Address	From the dropdown list, select the desired IP address/FQDN to include in the invitation code. FortiClient connects to EMS using this IP address/FQDN.
Туре	Select <i>Individual</i> to support registering a single endpoint or <i>Bulk</i> to support registering multiple endpoints using the same invitation code.
Send email notifications	Enable this option to send the invitation email to an end user. You can only enable this option if you have configured an SMTP server in EMS. See Configuring SMTP Server settings.
Email recipients	Enter one or multiple email addresses to send the invitation code to.
Include FortiClient Installer	Enable this option to include a FortiClient installer in the invitation code. Invitation codes for which this option is enabled must be bulk invitation codes.
Expiring	Enable this option to configure an expiry date for this invitation code.
Expiry date	Configure the desired expiry date for this invitation code. After the invitation code expires, FortiClient cannot register to EMS using this code. By default, the expiry date is five days from the current date.



4. Click *Save*. The endpoint user receives an email that includes an explanation of how to connect to EMS and can use the instructions in the email to connect to EMS.



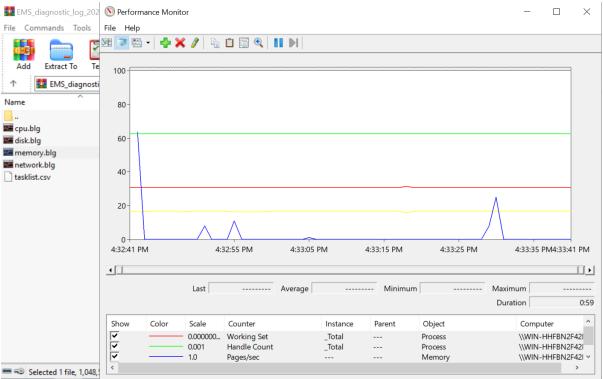
Diagnostic tool - 7.0.1

EMS offers the administrator a convenient means of collecting debug logs available from various backend services into one archive file.

To generate EMS diagnostic logs:

- 1. Go to Administration > Generate Diagnostic Logs.
- 2. If desired, enable Include Database Backup.
- 3. Enter a password to protect the database backup.
- 4. After entering the password, click Create.
- 5. Wait for a few minutes while EMS records the diagnostic logs. Once EMS creates the log, click *Download* to download it. The diagnostic logs contain diagnostic files that can assist support and development teams to investigate on any issues that pertain to EMS. This mainly comprises of a lightweight database backup, snapshot of CPU and memory usage, EMS logs, and SQL Server files. The following screenshot shows the recording of CPU

and memory usage during EMS diagnosis.



FortiClient Cloud Chromebook support - 7.0.1

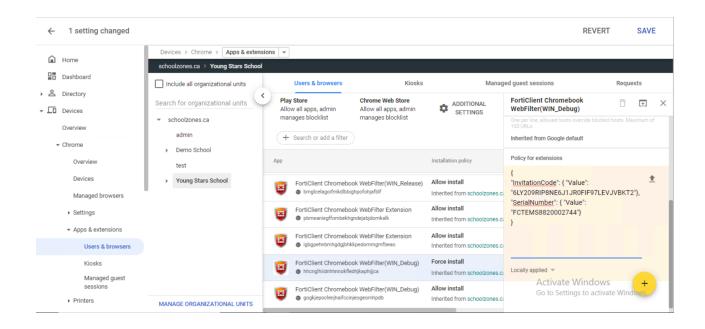
FortiClient Chromebook endpoints can connect to FortiClient Cloud. When using FortiClient Cloud, FortiClient Chromebook endpoints communicate with the FortiClient Cloud proxy and FortiClient Cloud redirects traffic to the correct FortiClient Cloud host.

This change does not affect the end user. The FortiClient Cloud-side configuration is the same as when configuring onpremise EMS for Chromebook management, except the extension policy that you must push out via the Google Admin console to the Chromebooks.

To configure the extension policy for FortiClient Cloud:

- 1. In the Google Admin console, go to Devices > Chrome > Apps & extensions > Users & browsers.
- 2. Select the extension that you want to push to the Chromebooks.
- 3. Configure the policy using the invitation code and serial number from your FortiClient Cloud environment. You can find the invitation code by going to *Invitations* in the upper right corner of the FortiClient Cloud GUI. You can find the serial number in the *License Information* widget on the *Dashboard*:

```
{
"InvitationCode": { "Value": "6LY209RIP8NE6J1JR0FIF97LEVJVBKT2"},
"SerialNumber": { "Value": "FCTEMS8820002744"}
}
```



FortiClient license and EMS communication enhancements

The following enhancements have been made to FortiClient license and EMS communication:

- The EMS administrator can prohibit or allow end users to shut down FortiClient. This feature is only available for FortiClient (Windows).
- FortiClient locally stores its applied license expiry date. Even if FortiClient cannot reach EMS, the features that it is licensed for are still available to the endpoint until the stored license expiry date.

To prohibit end users from shutting down FortiClient:

- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles.
- 2. Select the desired profile.
- 3. On the System Settings tab, ensure that Allow User to Shutdown When Registered to EMS is disabled.
- **4.** On the XML Configuration tab, ensure that the <system><ui><allow_shutdown_when_registered> element is configured as 0.
- 5. Click Save.
- **6.** After an endpoint with the selected profile applied receives the updates from EMS, on the endpoint machine, right-click the FortiTray icon and verify that *Shutdown FortiClient* is grayed out.

To allow end users to shut down FortiClient:

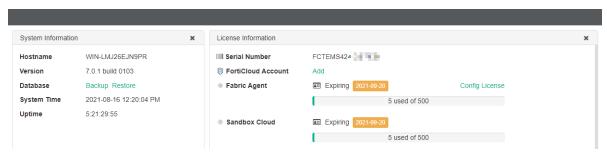
- 1. In EMS, go to Endpoint Profiles > Manage Profiles.
- 2. Select the desired profile.
- 3. On the System Settings tab, enable Allow User to Shutdown When Registered to EMS.
- **4.** On the XML Configuration tab, ensure that the <system><ui><allow_shutdown_when_registered> element is configured as 1.
- 5. Click Save.

- **6.** After an endpoint with the selected profile applied receives the updates from EMS, on the endpoint machine, right-click the FortiTray icon and verify that *Shutdown FortiClient* is not grayed out.
- 7. Select Shutdown FortiClient.

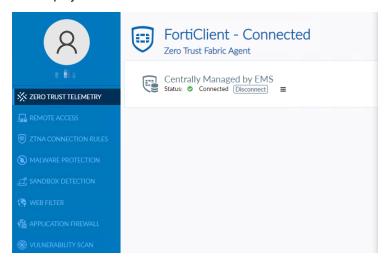


8. In the resulting dialog, click Yes to successfully shut down FortiClient. You can restart FortiClient by double-clicking its icon.

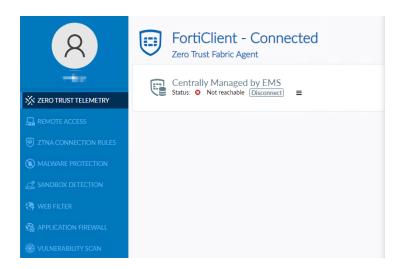
The following shows examples of how the licensing information display on the EMS and FortiClient GUI. The *License Information* widget on the EMS Dashboard displays the license information, including the license expiry date. In this example, the license expires on September 20, 2021.



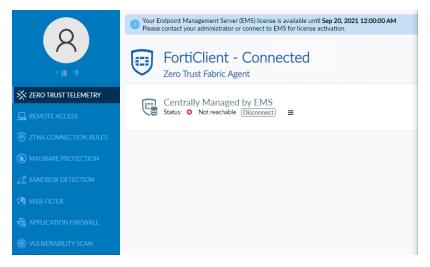
The following screenshot shows the FortiClient GUI on an endpoint that is connected to EMS. The FortiClient GUI displays all licensed features.



When the endpoint cannot reach EMS, all licensed features still display on the FortiClient GUI.



Even when the endpoint cannot reach EMS, the FortiClient GUI displays a license expiry warning when it is close to the expiry date. The licensed features still display in the FortiClient GUI until the license expiry date.



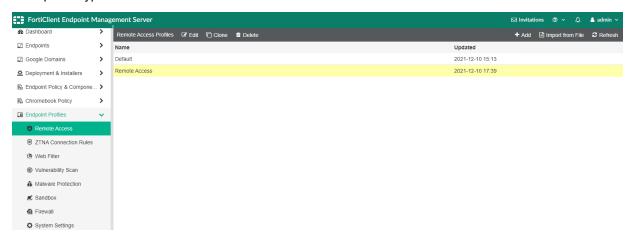
Separate endpoint profiles - 7.0.3

FortiClient EMS 7.0.3 introduces separate endpoint profiles to allow for a simpler and modular approach to endpoint profile management. You now configure separate Remote Access profiles, ZTNA Connection Rules profiles, Web Filter profiles, and so on. You then configure different profile combinations as part of an endpoint policy to deploy to endpoints.

For example, consider that you have two endpoint groups: Groups A and B. You want Group A and Group B to share identical FortiClient settings, except that Group A's antivirus scheduled scan is on a weekly basis, while Group B's is on a monthly basis. In 7.0.2 and earlier versions, you would need to create two endpoint profiles with the desired scan schedules on the *Malware Protection* tabs. All other settings on the profile's other tabs are identical between the two profiles. You would configure two endpoint policies that are configured with the two profiles. At a later point in time, if you wanted to configure a new VPN tunnel for both groups, you would need to configure the VPN tunnel on both endpoint profiles.

To accommodate this configuration in 7.0.3 and later versions, you would configure two Malware Protection profiles with the desired scan schedules to apply to the two groups, as well as two endpoint policies that are configured with the two profiles. Since all other FortiClient settings are identical across the two groups, you would configure the same Remote Access profile, Web Filter profile, Vulnerability Scan profile, and so on, for both policies. At a later point in time, if you wanted to configure a VPN tunnel for both groups, you would only need to do so in the shared Remote Access profile, rather than redundantly modifying multiple profiles.

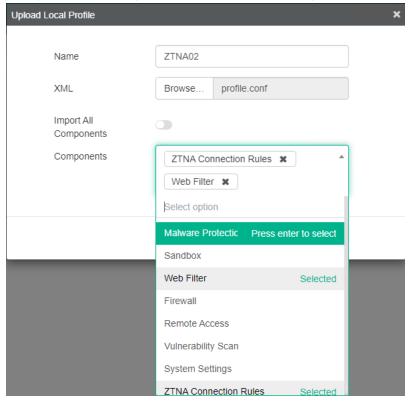
You can view the new separate profiles in *Endpoint Profiles*. You can edit, clone, and delete profiles without affecting other profile types.



To import a profile:

- 1. Go to Endpoint Profiles.
- 2. Select the desired profile type.
- 3. Click Import from File.
- 4. In the Name field, enter the desired name.
- **5.** In the *XML* field, browse to and upload the desired profile.

- 6. Do one of the following:
 - a. To import all profile components, enable Import All Components.
 - b. To import selected components, select the desired components from the Components dropdown list.

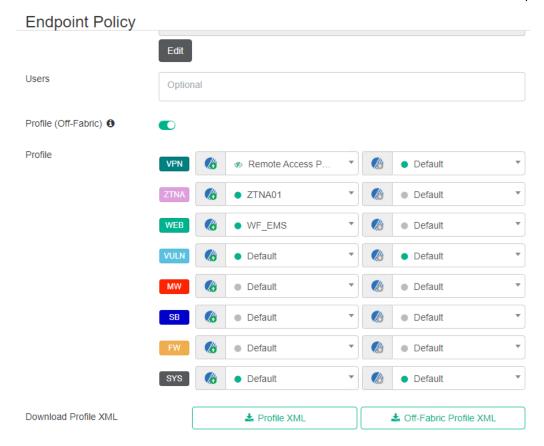


7. Click Upload.

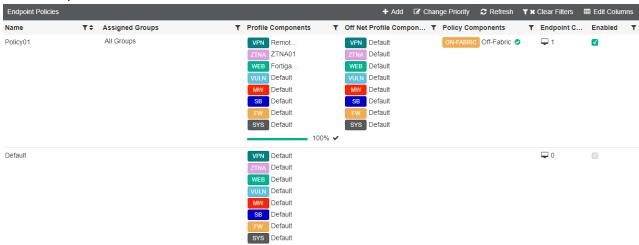
To assign endpoint profiles to a policy:

- 1. Go to Endpoint Policy & Components > Manage Policies.
- 2. Create a new policy or edit an existing policy.
- 3. If desired, enable Profile (Off-Fabric).
- 4. Configure the desired profiles for the desired features.

5. You can use the *Profile XML* and *Off-Fabric Profile XML* buttons to download on- and off-net profiles in XML format.



6. Click Save. You can view each policy's assigned profiles for each feature under *Profile Components* and *Off Net Profile Components*.



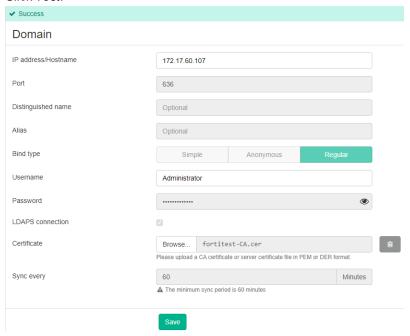
For a Chromebook policy, you can only assign Web Filter and System Settings profiles.

Active Directory LDAPS connection certificate provisioning - 7.0.3

You can upload Certificate Authority (CA) and server certificates to LDAPS connections in EMS. With this feature, you can upload CA and server certificates to the Windows Server virtual machine hosting EMS in FortiClient Cloud.

To import a domain with LDAPS to EMS:

- 1. Go to Endpoints > Manage Domains > Add a domain.
- 2. By default, LDAPS is enabled and the defined port is 636. In the *Certificate* field, browse to and upload a CA certificate in PEM or DER format.
- 3. Fill out other fields as desired.
- 4. Click Test.



- 5. After the test succeeds, click Save.
- **6.** Go to *Endpoints > Managed Domains* to confirm that EMS imported the domain, LDAPS is enabled, and all other details synced correctly.

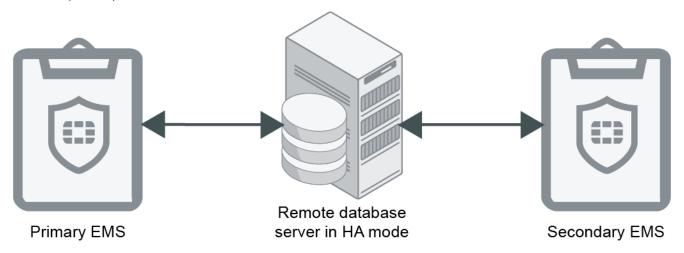
Redundancy using SQL Server - 7.0.3

The following describes redundancy or high availability (HA) options for EMS where endpoint information is synced between multiple EMS nodes running in active-passive HA mode. Consider a scenario where two EMS nodes, EMS A and EMS B, run in HA mode with EMS A as the primary node and EMS B as the secondary node. Both EMS nodes are connected to the same remote database server. Endpoints are connected to EMS A. If EMS A fails, EMS B is promoted to become the primary node, and endpoints automatically register to EMS B.

EMS HA mode supports configuring multiple EMS servers with one SQL Server. SQL Server should be running on a remote, separate Windows server. If you want to add database HA support, you can configure a SQL Server failover cluster. For SQL Server failover cluster setup, see Create a New Always On Failover Cluster Instance (Setup).

This guide focuses on configuring HA for EMS services. It assumes that you have completed SQL Server failover cluster setup as Create a New Always On Failover Cluster Instance (Setup) describes.

The example setup has two EMS nodes and one database server.



Note the following:

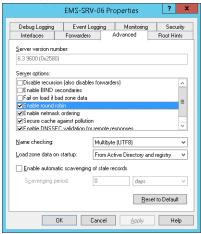
- For file synchronization between HA nodes, you must enable FILESTREAMS on the SQL Server Database Engine instance. See Enable and configure FILESTREAM.
- EMS running in HA mode must always configure a fully qualified domain name (FQDN), and FortiClient endpoints must point to a DNS server that has enabled DNS round robin or supports DNS failover, so that endpoints can always connect to the correct primary EMS server. Endpoint users must ensure that endpoints do not cache the DNS result for more than 30 seconds so that FortiClient can resolve the FQDN to the new primary EMS server with a new IP address in case EMS failover happens quickly.
- If logged in to an EMS server as a domain user, add the domain user to the local logon as a service. Otherwise, EMS services may not start up properly.

To configure DNS round robin on the database server:

By configuring DNS round robin, you can configure load balancing by pointing the same hostname to multiple servers with different IP addresses in DNS.

- 1. Open DNS Manager.
- 2. Right-click the server name, then select Properties.
- 3. On the Advanced tab, under Server options, click Enable round robin.

4. Click Apply.

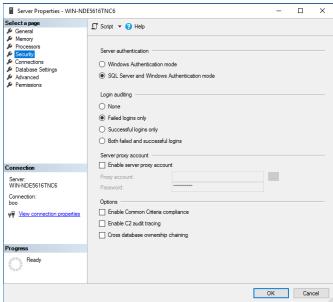


To configure SQL Server options on the remote database server:

The example uses SQL Server security login to connect to the remote database server to create the EMS database during EMS installation. You must enable certain SQL Server options before installing EMS.

If the SQL Server has multiple databases configured, ensure that each database is listening on a different port.

- 1. Open Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio as an administrator.
- 2. Coln the Object Explorer pane, select Connect > Database Engine.
- 3. In the Connect to Server dialog, enter your credentials and connect to the database server.
- **4.** In the *Object Explorer* pane, right-click the server, then select *Properties*.
- **5.** In the Server Properties dialog, go to Security.
- 6. Under Server authentication, select SQL Server and Windows Authentication mode.



- 7. Create a SQL login user:
 - a. Right-click Security, then select New > Login.
 - b. In the Login name field, enter the desired username. In this example, the username is "cbreaux".

- c. Select SQL Server authentication.
- **d.** In the *Password* and *Confirm password* fields, enter the desired password. In this example, the password is "MyPassword".
- e. Disable Enforce password policy.
- f. Go to Server Roles.
- **g.** Select sysadmin, then click OK.
- **8.** On the EMS node, open SQL Server Management Studio and attempt to connect to the remote database with the SQL user that you created to ensure that the node can connect to the database server using the credentials.

To install EMS:

Joining EMS nodes to a domain is unnecessary, as you will use a SQL user account to connect to the database instance on the remote SQL Server database server.

1. Install EMS on the primary node by running the following command:

```
FortiClientEndpointManagementServer_7.0.3.0173_x64.exe SQLServer=WIN-NDE5616TNC6 SQLUser=cbreaux SQLUserPassword=MyPassword SQLPort=1445 InstallSQL=0 ScriptDB=1 BackupDir=\\EMSServer38\backup\ DBInitialSize=31MB DBInitialLogSize=4MB DBGrowth=11MB DBLogGrowth=11% DBLoginTimeout=31 DBQueryTimeout=61
```

In this command, the remote database server name is entered in the SQLServer field. This field also supports entering FQDNs.

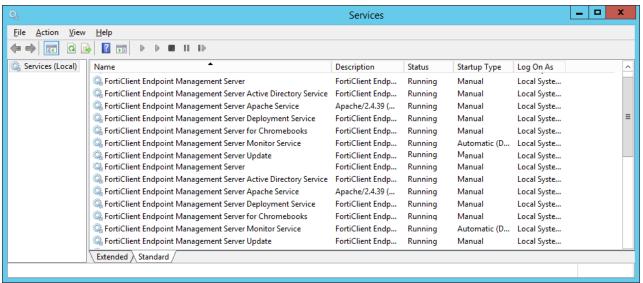
ScriptDB=1 indicates that this is the primary node.

BackUpDir=UNC_PATH\\backup indicates the shared backup directory on the local EMS server or any other accessible servers. The following lists requirements for the backup directory:

- The backup directory must not be on the remote database server.
- The backup directory must not be local to the SQL server, as SQL Server applies access control lists to the encryption key file and prevents Apache running on the other server to delete the key file.
- The SQL server should require at least write permissions to the backup directory. The EMS servers should have read/write permissions for the backup directory.

Ensure that you specify SQLPort to match the database that you want to use for your EMS server.

After installation completes, all EMS services should be running. In HA, the FortiClient Endpoint Management Server Monitory Service can be considered as the heartbeat.

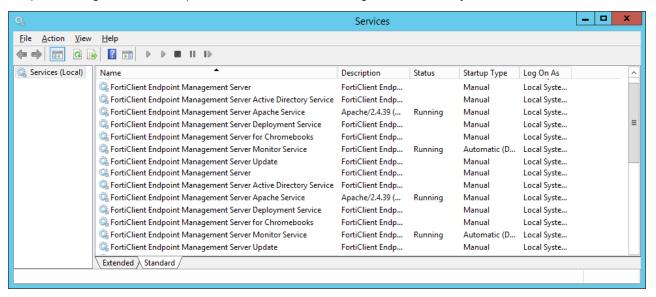


2. Install EMS on the secondary node by running the following command:

FortiClientEndpointManagementServer_7.0.3.0173_x64.exe SQLServer=WIN-NDE5616TNC6 SQLUser=cbreaux SQLUserPassword=MyPassword SQLPort=1445 InstallSQL=0 ScriptDB=0 BackupDir=\\EMSServer38\backup\ DBInitialSize=31MB DBInitialLogSize=4MB DBGrowth=11MB DBLogGrowth=11% DBLoginTimeout=31 DBQueryTimeout=61

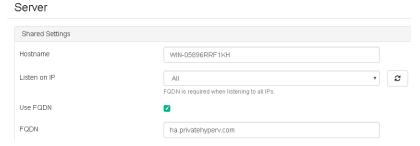
ScriptDB=0 indicates that this is the secondary node.

After installation completes, only the FortiClient Endpoint Management Server Monitor Service and FortiClient Endpoint Management Server Apache Service should be running on the secondary node.



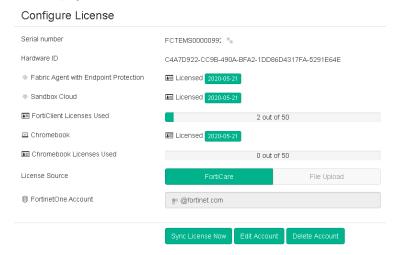
To configure EMS:

- 1. On the primary node, log in to EMS.
- 2. Go to System Settings > Server.
- 3. Enable Use FQDN.
- 4. In the FQDN field, enter the desired FQDN.



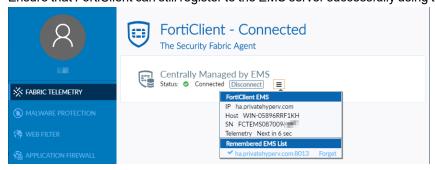
- 5. Go to System Settings > EMS Settings. Configure the High Availability Keep Alive Internal field with a value between 5 and 30 seconds.
- **6.** Go to *Dashboard* > *Status*. Confirm that the System Information widget displays that EMS is running in HA mode. If running in HA mode, the widget also lists the HA primary and secondary nodes and their statuses.
- 7. Update the EMS licensing:
 - **a.** Go to License Information widget > Configure License.
 - b. For License Source, select FortiCare.
 - c. In the FortiCloud Account field, enter your FortiCloud account ID or email address.

- d. In the Password field, enter your FortiCloud account password.
- **e.** Click *Login & Update License*. Once your account information is authenticated, EMS updates the *Configure License* page with the serial number and license information that it retrieved from FortiCloud.



To validate the HA configuration:

- 1. Go to *Manage Installers* > *Deployment Packages*. Create a deployment package to deploy FortiClient to endpoints. See Adding a FortiClient deployment package.
- 2. On an endpoint, download the deployment package from the download link.
- 3. Install FortiClient on the endpoint.
- 4. Ensure that FortiClient can register to the EMS server successfully using the FQDN.
- **5.** Simulate HA by stopping FortiClient Endpoint Management Server Monitor Service on the primary node. Ensure that the secondary node is now the EMS primary server.
- 6. Ensure that FortiClient can still register to the EMS server successfully using the FQDN.



To upgrade EMS in HA mode:

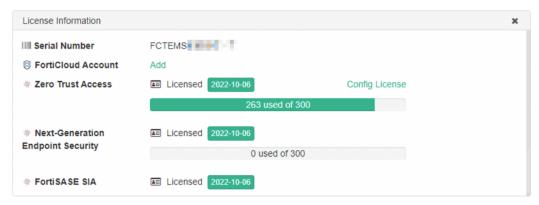
- 1. Stop all services in all secondary EMS servers to avoid failover while the primary EMS server is upgrading.
- 2. Upgrade the primary server while it is running.
- **3.** After successfully upgrading the primary server, upgrade the secondary EMS servers. If you have multiple secondary EMS servers, you can upgrade them one by one, or simultaneously.

User-based licensing - 7.0.6

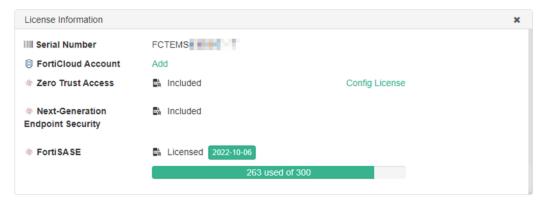
FortiClient Cloud 22.1, which runs EMS 7.0.6, introduces a user-centric registration and license computation process as an alternative to the previous device-centric process. For user- based licenses, you can manually remove or exclude users from management to free up license seats. Each user-based license allows the user to register three devices. If a user registers a fourth device, they consume two licenses.

Only FortiClient Cloud supports this feature. On-premise EMS does not support this feature.

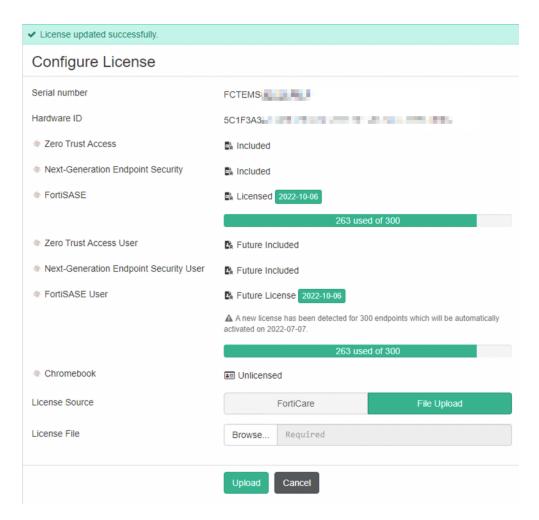
The following shows the 21.4 *License Information* widget, where you can see information for the Zero Trust Access, Next-Generation Endpoint Security, and FortiSASE licenses:



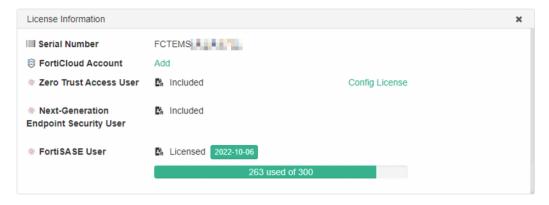
After upgrade to 22.1, the *License Information* widget continues to display information for the same licenses:



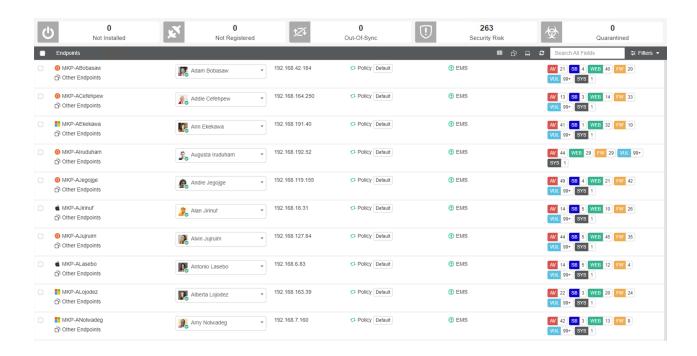
When you load a user-based license to FortiClient Cloud 22.1, the *Configure License* page displays both the device- and user-based licenses. For example, in the following screenshot, the *Zero Trust Access* field indicates the device-based license, while the *Zero Trust Access User* field indicates the equivalent user-based license. You cannot concurrently use both license types on one FortiClient Cloud instance. Therefore, FortiClient Cloud uses the device-based license until it expires, but displays the user-based license as *Future Included* to indicate that it will become active when the device-based license expires:



After the device-based license expires, FortiClient Cloud uses the user-based license:



The following shows the endpoint list using the user-based licensing:



FortiGuard Forensics service - 7.0.6

FortiClient Cloud 22.1, which runs EMS 7.0.6, introduces the FortiGuard Endpoint Forensic Analysis service, which provides remote endpoint analysis to help you respond to and recover from cyber incidents. An EMS administrator can request detailed analysis of the endpoint from the forensics team if they observe high risk applications, malware, intrusion attempts, malicious emails, high-risk traffic, lateral movement, and so on, on that endpoint. For each engagement, forensic analysts from Fortinet's FortiGuard Labs remotely assist in collecting, examining, and presenting digital evidence, including a final detailed report.

This feature requires the FortiGuard Endpoint Forensic Analysis license. The following instructions assume that you have purchased the license and registered it to your FortiCloud account. You can have a maximum of five forensic analysis requests in progress at a given time.

The following instructions give an example of requesting analysis on a Windows endpoint.

To request forensic analysis on an endpoint:

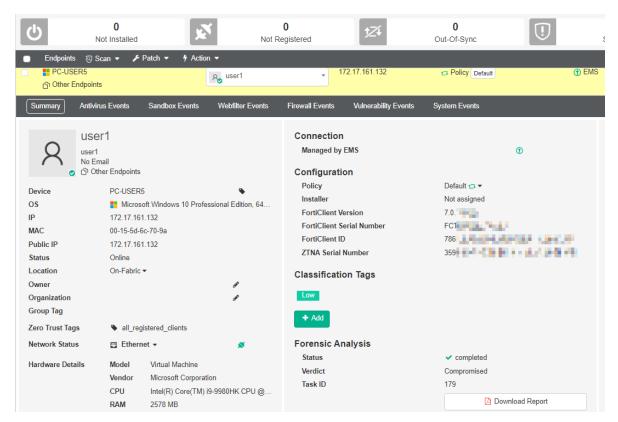
- 1. Enable FortiGuard Forensics Analysis:
 - a. In FortiClient Cloud, go to System Settings > Feature Select.
 - b. Enable FortiGuard Forensics Analysis. Click Save.
 - **c.** Go to Endpoint Profiles > System Settings.
 - d. On the desired profile, enable Forensics License. Click Save.
- 2. Request analysis:
 - a. Go to Endpoints > All Endpoints.
 - b. Select the desired endpoint.
 - c. On the Summary tab, under Forensic Analysis, click Request Analysis.

- d. FortiClient Cloud displays a questionnaire. Enter details as necessary, then click Next.
- e. Click Click to Download to download the forensic installer, then click Finish.
- 3. Run the downloaded installer on the endpoint to install the forensic analysis application. The installer package includes a readme document that includes instructions to install, verify, and uninstall the forensics agent. To install the agent, open Command Prompt, go to the desired directory, and enter enwindows.exe -c.
- **4.** Verify that the agent is running by entering netstat -aon | findstr: 4445. The following shows expected output for this command:

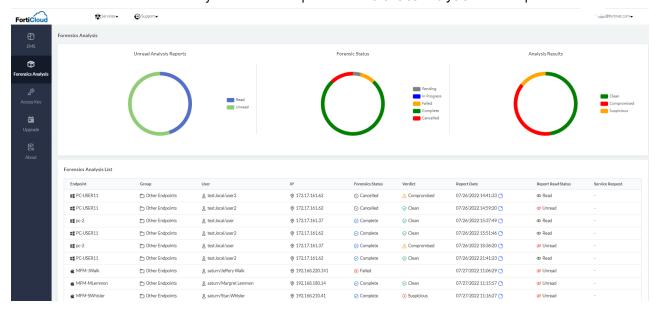
- **5.** Keep the endpoint connected to the Internet and online for the next three days. The forensics team remotely connects to the endpoint and obtains required logs and events information from the endpoint for these three days.
- 6. You can uninstall the application after the analysis completes by entering enwindows.exe -r.
- 7. When a request is successfully created in EMS, a new task is created in FortiSOAR. After the forensics team completes analysis, the task is updated in the FortiSOAR portal to include the updated status and verdict. The team uploads the analysis report as an attachment. The following shows the status mapping between FortiSOAR and FortiClient Cloud:

FortiSOAR	FortiClient Cloud
Assign	Inprogress
Accepted	Inprogress
Onhold	Pending
Skipped	Inprogress
Failed	Failed
Cancelled	Cancelled
Completed	Completed

In FortiClient Cloud, you can download the report by going to *Endpoints > All Endpoints*, selecting the desired endpoint, then clicking *Download Report*.



You can also view the forensic analysis status and report on the Forensics Analysis tab in the portal.



Azure SQL managed instance support - 7.0.8

You can deploy EMS using an Azure SQL managed instance. Azure provides two SQL-based offerings: Azure SQL managed instances and Azure SQL databases, which are incompatible with each other. EMS only supports Azure

SQL managed instances. Azure SQL databases do not provide all features that EMS requires.

For more information about this feature, see Azure SQL managed instance support.

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