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Application Notes for Configuring a SonicWALL VPN with an Avaya IP Telephony Infrastructure - Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe the steps for configuring SonicWALL's VPN to support an Avaya IP Telephony infrastructure consisting of a Main site with Avaya Communication Manager, and two branch sites. During compliance testing, H.323 telephone calls traversing the VPN tunnel were successfully established and maintained while competing non-VoIP traffic queued according to bandwidth reservation defined in the SonicWALL devices. In addition, non-VoIP network traffic using Network Address Translation (NAT) outside of the VPN tunnel was successfully demonstrated. Information in these Application Notes has been obtained through Developer*Connection* compliance testing and additional technical discussions. Testing was conducted via the Developer*Connection* Program at the Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab.

1. Introduction

These Application Notes describe a compliance-tested solution comprised of Avaya Communication Manager, Avaya IP Telephones, and SonicWALL Unified Threat Management (UTM) devices. The SonicWALL UTM devices tested were the SonicWALL PRO 4060 and TZ 170.

The sample configuration simulates an enterprise with a Main Site, Branch Site A, and Branch Site B. The Main Site and Branch Site A are connected via a 768Kbps PPP WAN link. An Avaya S8300 Media Server at the Main Site is responsible for supporting Avaya IP telephones at the Main Site and Branch Site A. A SonicWALL UTM device is installed at these two sites between the WAN router and the local IP networks. Although the SonicWALL UTM device is capable of functioning as a firewall, that was not the focus of the compliance testing. A single VPN tunnel was established between the SonicWALL PRO 4060 at the Main Site and the TZ 170 at the Branch Site A. The SonicWALL UTM devices were configured to automatically recognize RTP traffic flow negotiated by the H.323 protocol and provide guaranteed bandwidth for the call. Guaranteed bandwidth for two simultaneous Avaya VoIP telephone calls was configured in the SonicWALL UTM devices.

Branch Site B simulated a PC only user site with no Avaya VoIP requirement. This site was used to demonstrate and verify that SonicWALL Network Address Translation does not interfere with Avaya VoIP traffic traversing the VPN tunnel between the Main Site and Branch Site A.

1.1. Configuration

Figure 1 illustrates the configuration used in these Application Notes. All Avaya IP telephones are registered with Avaya Communication Manager in the Main Site. A 768K PPP link simulating a WAN link connects the Main Site and Branch Site A while the SonicWALL UTM establishes the VPN tunnel over this link. A separate 10Mbps link simulating a WAN link connects the Main Site and Branch Site B. All data traffic destined to Branch Site B is NAT to the SonicWALL PRO 4060 WAN interface IP address.

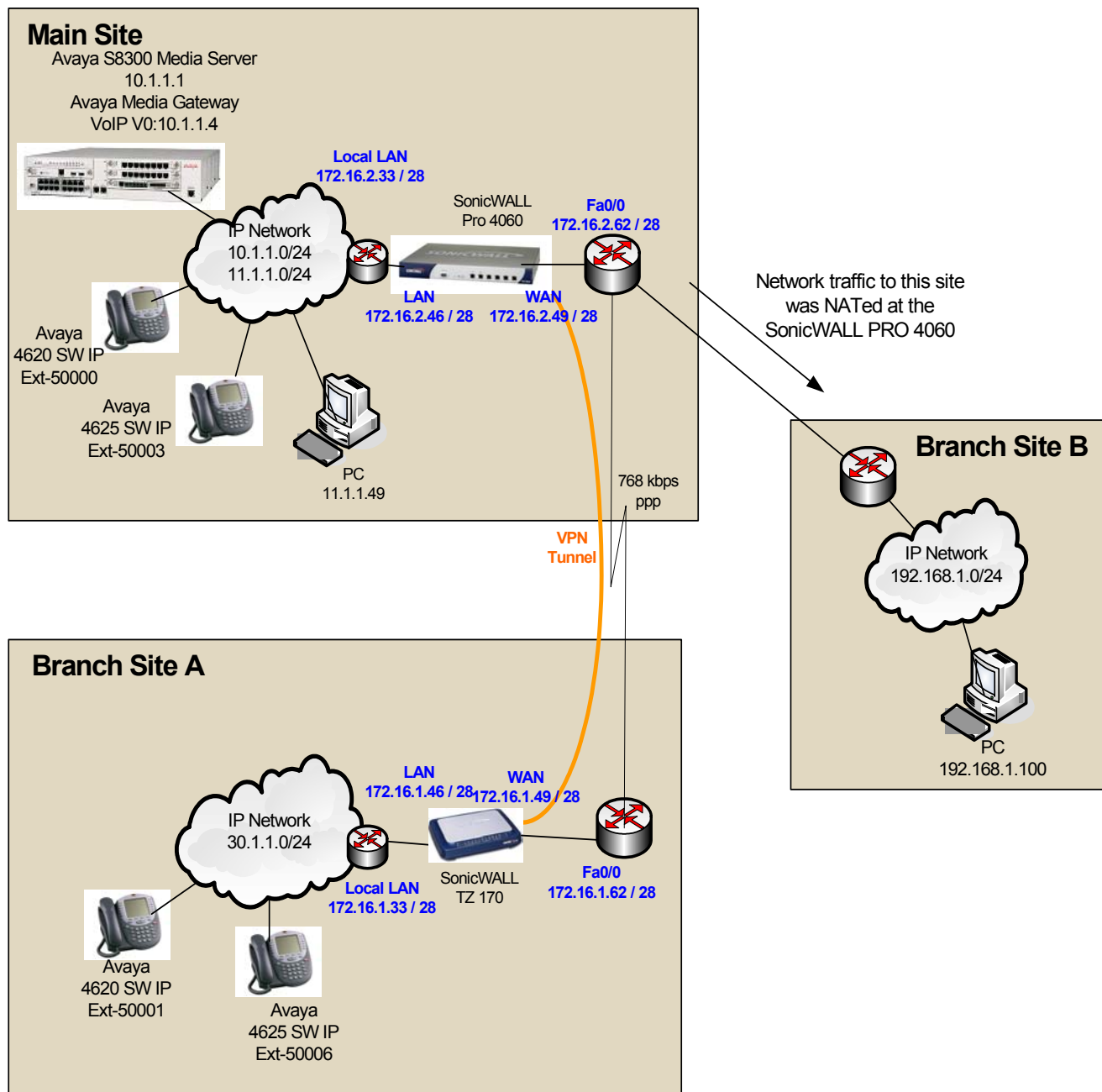


Figure 1: Sample Network Configuration

2. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software/firmware were used for the sample configuration provided:

Equipment	Software/Firmware
Avaya S8300 Media Server with G700 Media Gateway	Avaya Communication Manager 3.0.1 (R0.13x.00.0.346.0)
Avaya 4620SW IP Telephones (H.323)	2.2.3
Avaya 4625SW IP Telephones (H.323)	2.5
SonicWALL Pro4060	SonicOS Enhanced 3.2.0.0-20e
SonicWALL TZ170	SonicOS Enhanced 3.2.0.0-20e

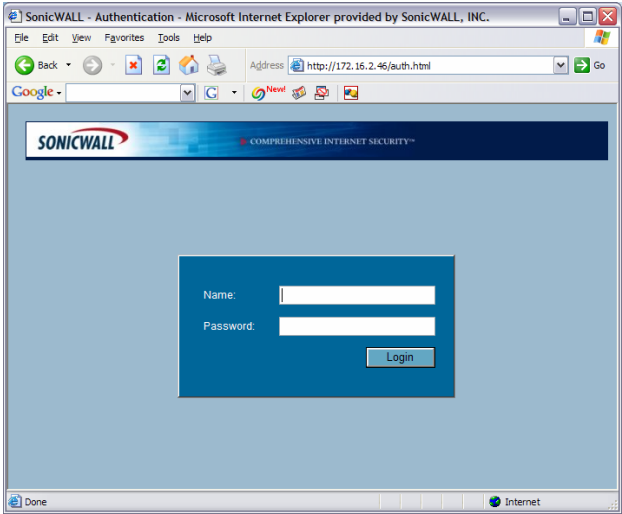
3. SonicWALL Unified Threat Management

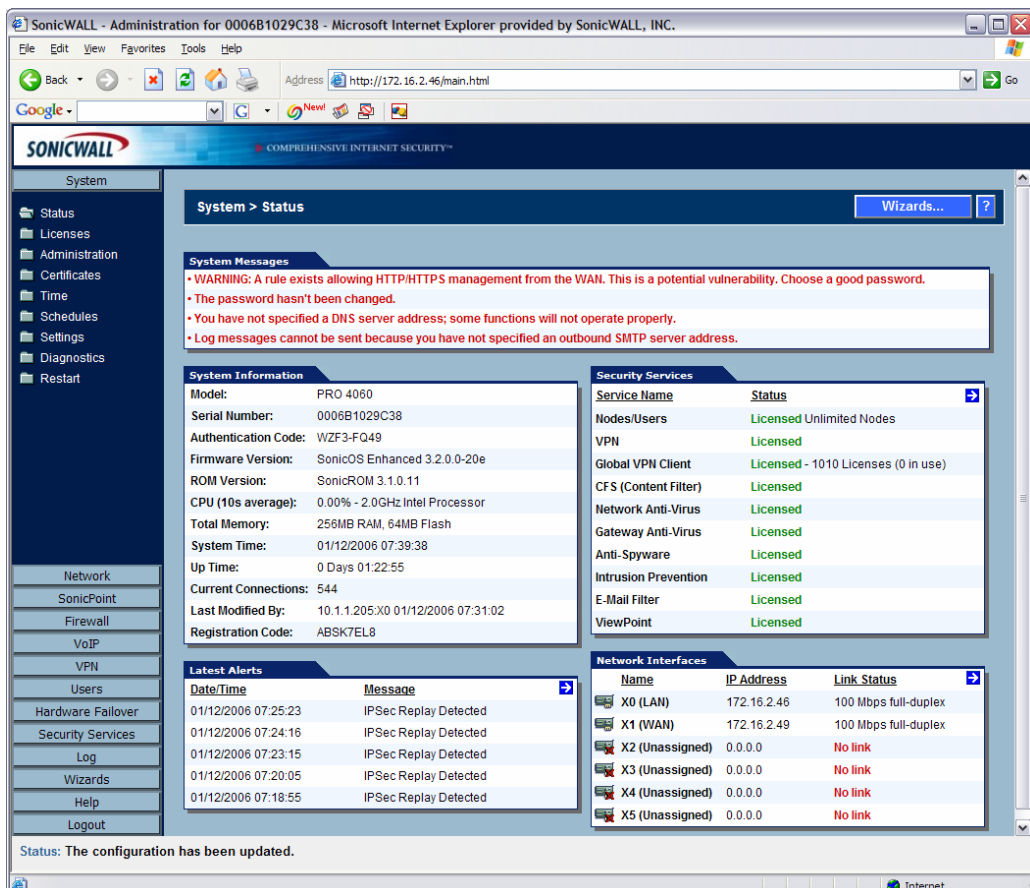
The SonicWALL Unified Threat Management (UTM) devices SonicWALL PRO 4060 and TZ 170, were used to establish a VPN tunnel between the Main Site and Branch site A and provide Network Address Translation between the Main Site and Branch Site B. The following steps outline the configuration for SonicWALL Unified Threat Management devices and the VPN tunnel.

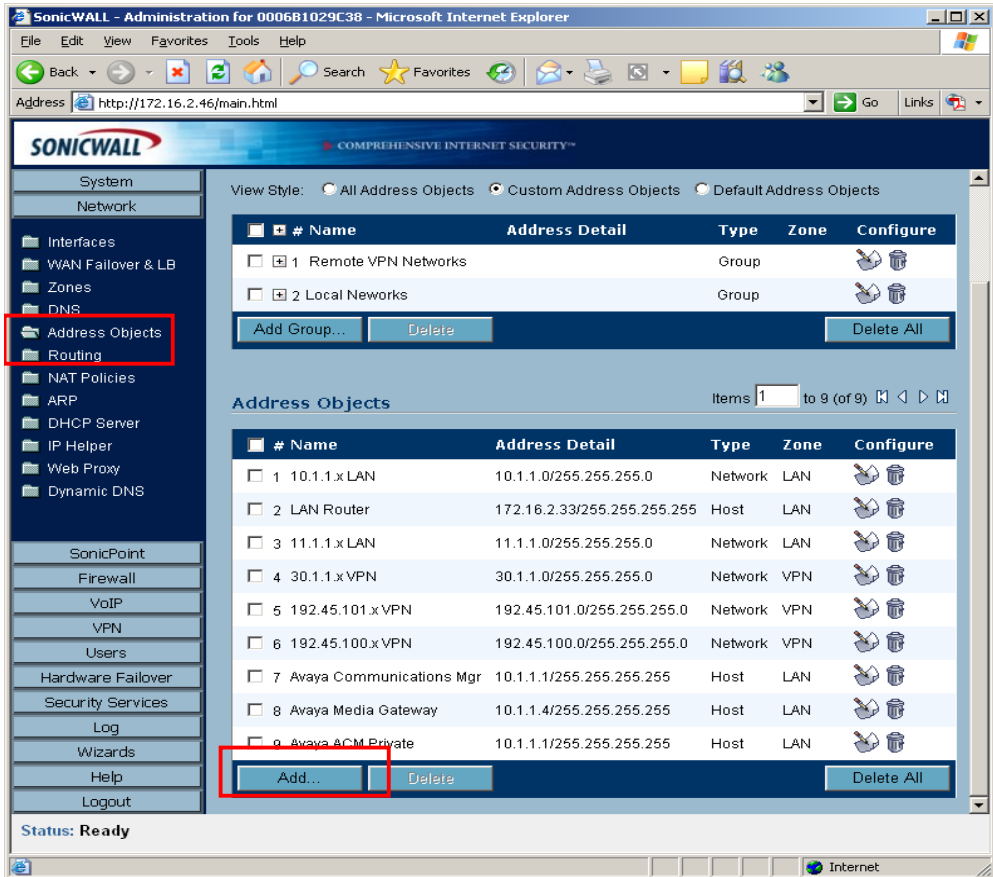
The steps in this section depict the screen displays for the SonicWALL PRO 4060 at the Main Site. Repeat these steps for the SonicWALL TZ 170 at Branch Site A with the appropriate IP address information.

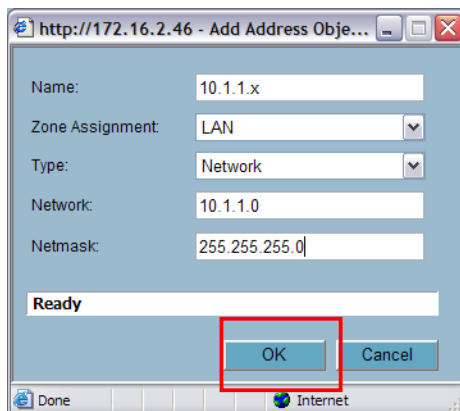
3.1. General SonicWALL UTM Configuration

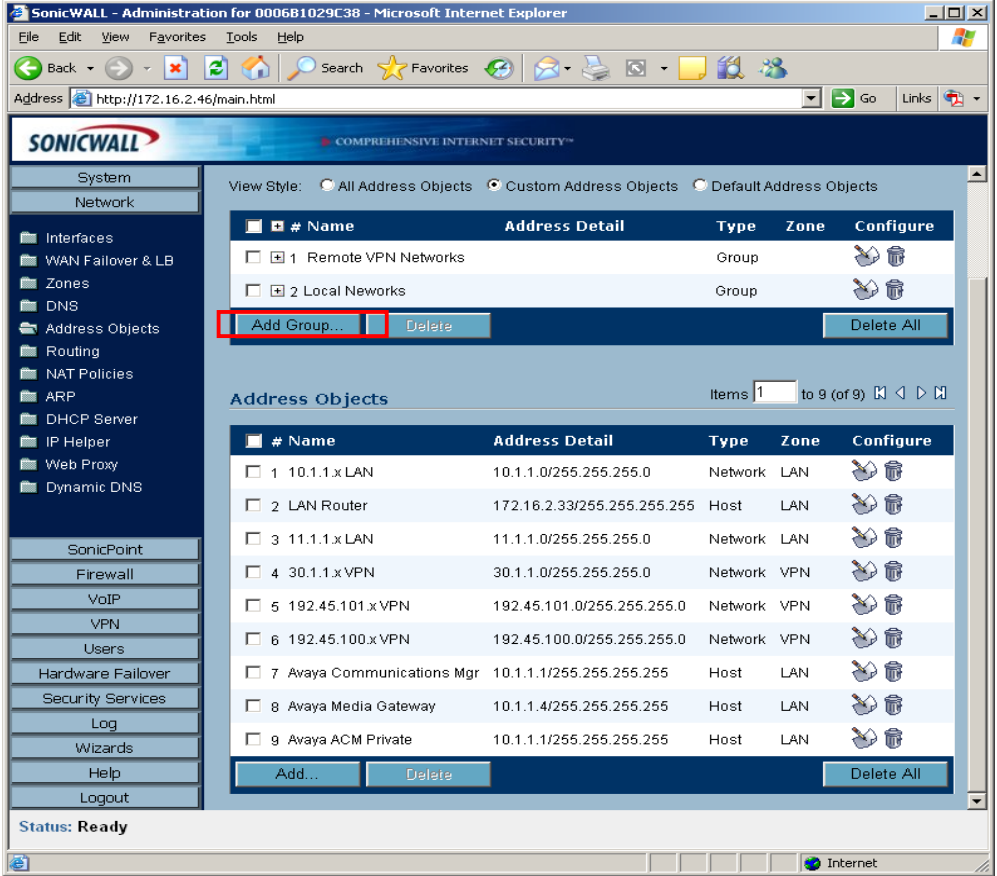
This section presents the SonicWALL VPN tunnel configuration.

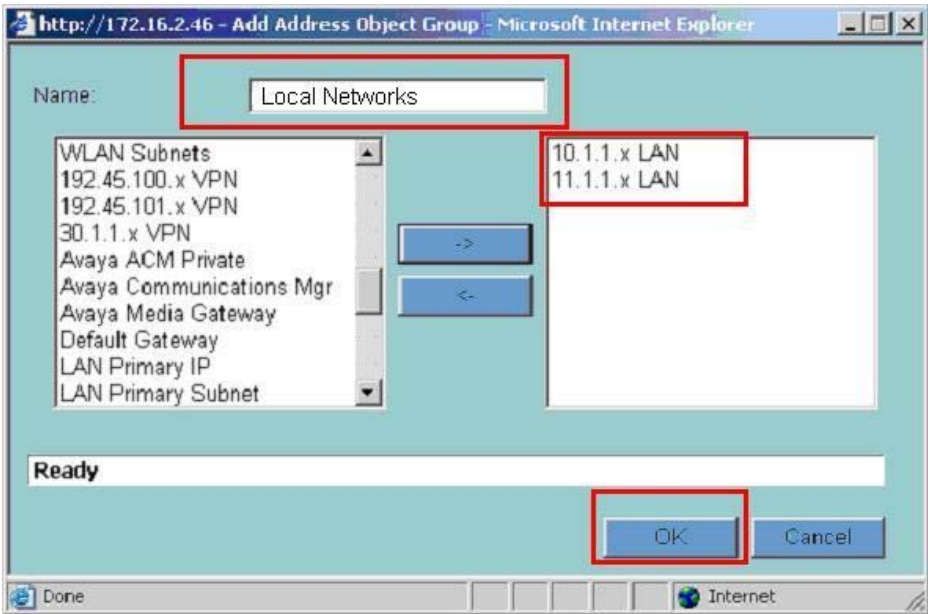
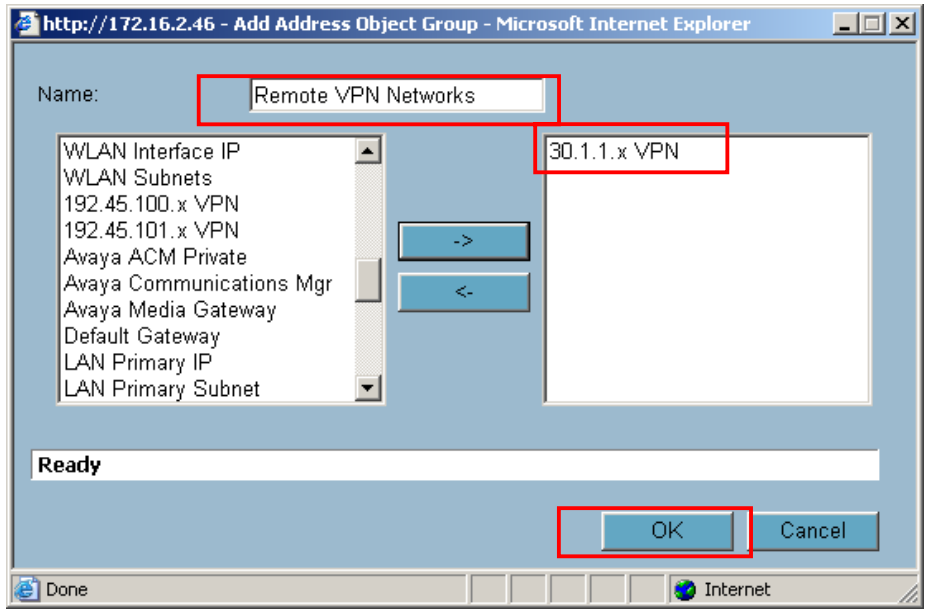
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1.	<p>Enter the IP address of the SonicWALL PRO 4060 into the Web Browser. Enter the appropriate Name and Password to log into the system.</p> 

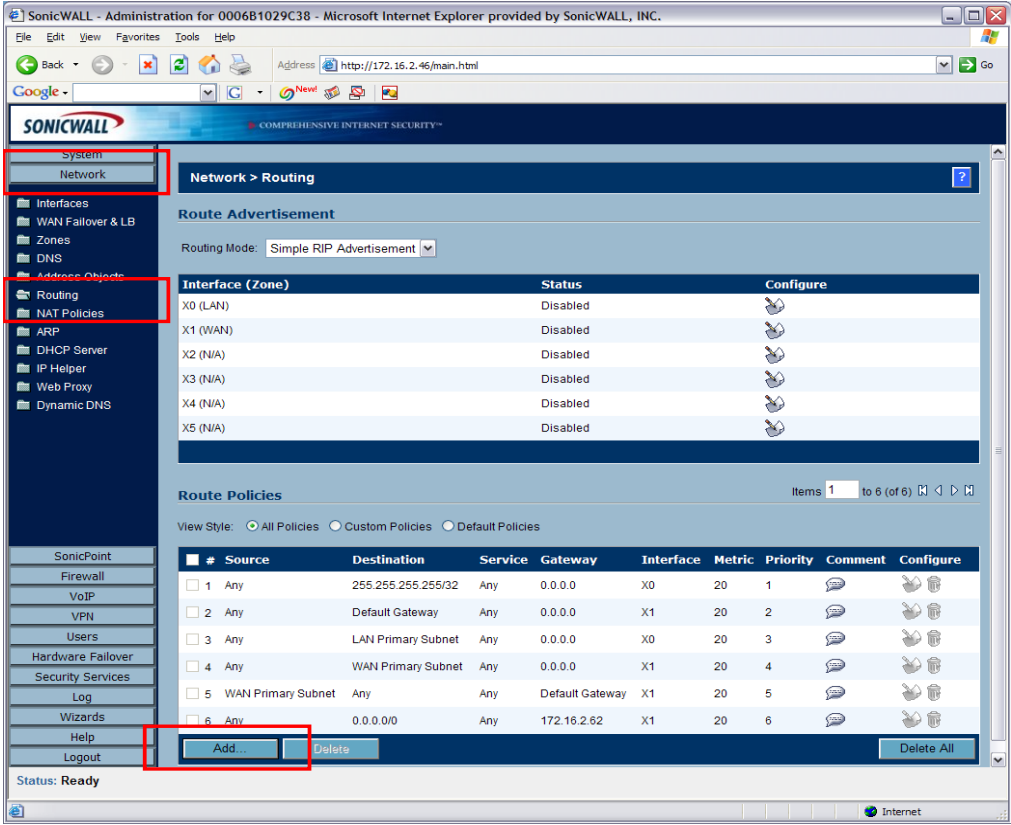

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2.	<p>The System>Status screen is displayed after successfully logging on. Click on the Network tab on the left to expand it.</p> 

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3.	<p>Under the expanded Network tab on the left, select Address Objects. Click the Add button in the Address Objects panel to display the Add Address Objects pop-up window.</p>  <p>The screenshot displays the SonicWall Administration web interface in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The left sidebar shows the 'Network' tab expanded, with 'Address Objects' selected and highlighted by a red rectangle. The main content area shows the 'Address Objects' configuration page. At the top, there are radio buttons for 'All Address Objects', 'Custom Address Objects' (selected), and 'Default Address Objects'. Below this is a table listing existing address objects. At the bottom of this table, the 'Add...' button is highlighted with a red rectangle, indicating where to click to open the 'Add Address Objects' pop-up window.</p> <table><tr><th>#</th><th>Name</th><th>Address Detail</th><th>Type</th><th>Zone</th><th>Configure</th></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 1</td><td>Remote VPN Networks</td><td></td><td>Group</td><td></td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 2</td><td>Local Networks</td><td></td><td>Group</td><td></td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr></table> <p>Buttons: Add Group..., Delete, Delete All</p> <p>Address Objects</p> <p>Items 1 to 9 (of 9) [Navigation icons]</p> <table><tr><th>#</th><th>Name</th><th>Address Detail</th><th>Type</th><th>Zone</th><th>Configure</th></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 1</td><td>10.1.1.x LAN</td><td>10.1.1.0/255.255.255.0</td><td>Network</td><td>LAN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 2</td><td>LAN Router</td><td>172.16.2.33/255.255.255.255</td><td>Host</td><td>LAN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 3</td><td>11.1.1.x LAN</td><td>11.1.1.0/255.255.255.0</td><td>Network</td><td>LAN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 4</td><td>30.1.1.x VPN</td><td>30.1.1.0/255.255.255.0</td><td>Network</td><td>VPN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 5</td><td>192.45.101.x VPN</td><td>192.45.101.0/255.255.255.0</td><td>Network</td><td>VPN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 6</td><td>192.45.100.x VPN</td><td>192.45.100.0/255.255.255.0</td><td>Network</td><td>VPN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 7</td><td>Avaya Communications Mgr</td><td>10.1.1.1/255.255.255.255</td><td>Host</td><td>LAN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 8</td><td>Avaya Media Gateway</td><td>10.1.1.4/255.255.255.255</td><td>Host</td><td>LAN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> 9</td><td>Avaya ACM Private</td><td>10.1.1.1/255.255.255.255</td><td>Host</td><td>LAN</td><td>[Edit] [Delete]</td></tr></table> <p>Buttons: Add..., Delete, Delete All</p> <p>Status: Ready</p>	#	Name	Address Detail	Type	Zone	Configure	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Remote VPN Networks		Group		[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Local Networks		Group		[Edit] [Delete]	#	Name	Address Detail	Type	Zone	Configure	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	10.1.1.x LAN	10.1.1.0/255.255.255.0	Network	LAN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	LAN Router	172.16.2.33/255.255.255.255	Host	LAN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	11.1.1.x LAN	11.1.1.0/255.255.255.0	Network	LAN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	30.1.1.x VPN	30.1.1.0/255.255.255.0	Network	VPN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	192.45.101.x VPN	192.45.101.0/255.255.255.0	Network	VPN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	192.45.100.x VPN	192.45.100.0/255.255.255.0	Network	VPN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 7	Avaya Communications Mgr	10.1.1.1/255.255.255.255	Host	LAN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	Avaya Media Gateway	10.1.1.4/255.255.255.255	Host	LAN	[Edit] [Delete]	<input type="checkbox"/> 9	Avaya ACM Private	10.1.1.1/255.255.255.255	Host	LAN	[Edit] [Delete]
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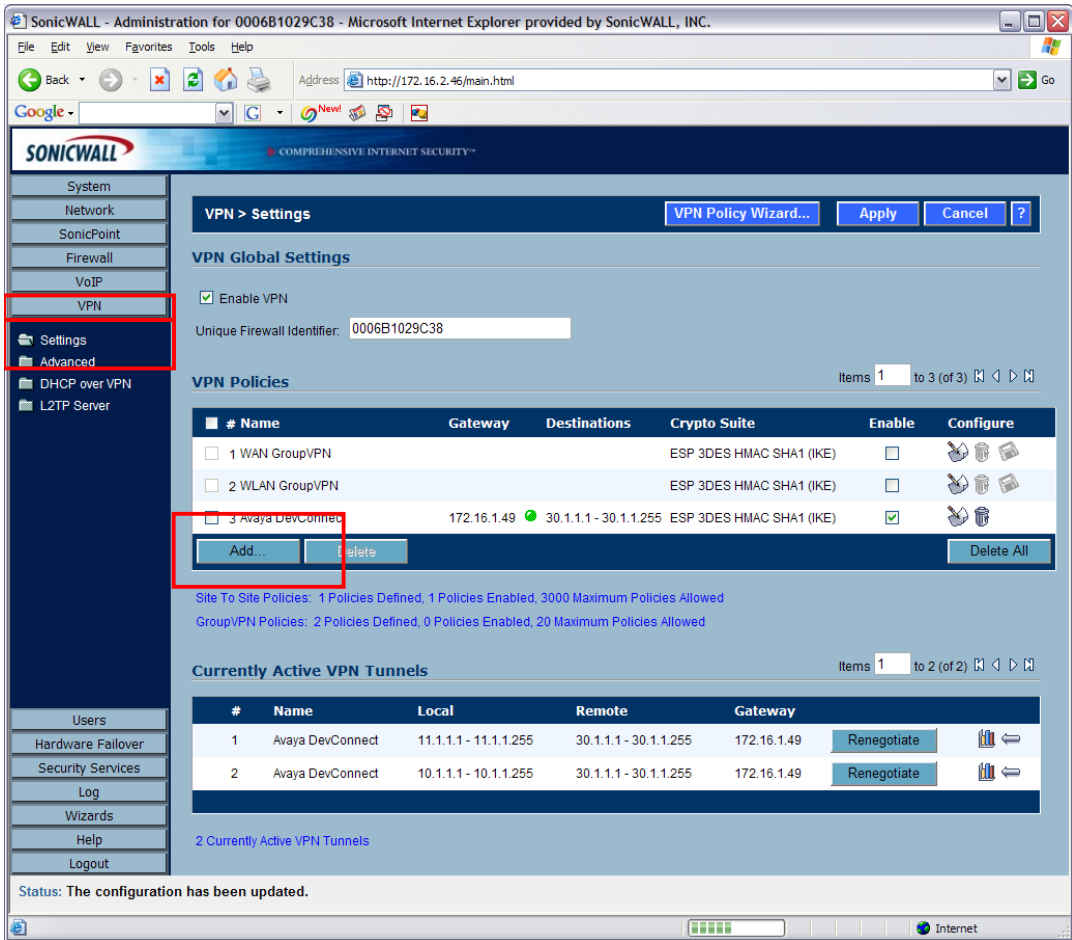
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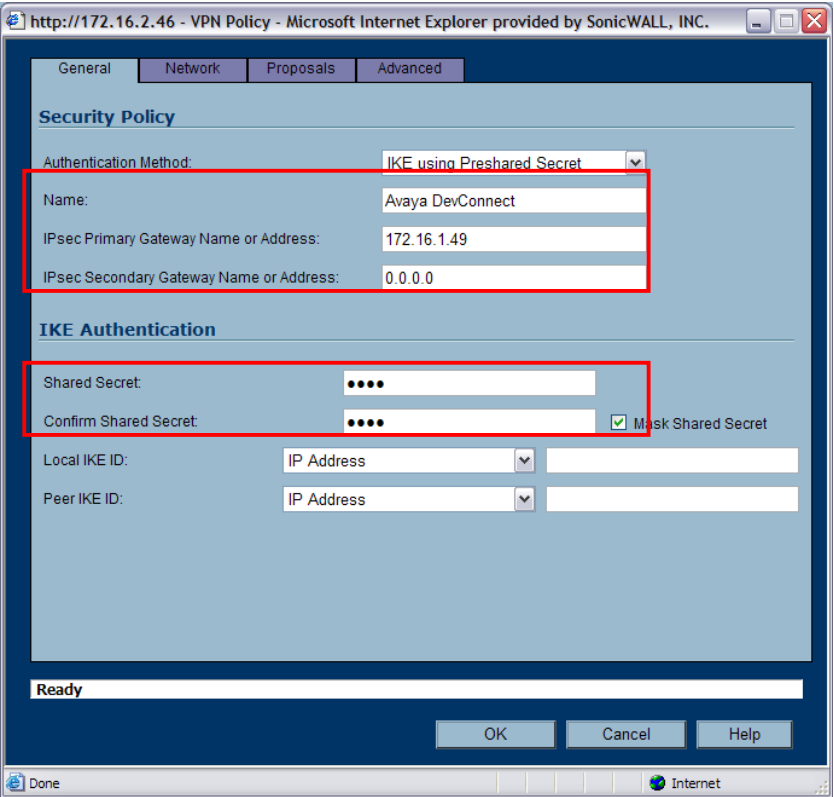
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5.	<p>Define the group where the Address Objects belong. In the sample configuration, there were two groups. The Local Networks was composed of all the locally connected IP networks, and the Remote VPN Networks was composed of all the IP networks on the other end of the VPN tunnel.</p> <p>Click Add Group to display the Add Address Object Group pop-up windows.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the SonicWall Administration web interface in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The browser address bar shows 'http://172.16.2.46/main.html'. The interface has a left sidebar with a tree view containing categories like System, Network, Interfaces, WAN Failover & LB, Zones, DNS, Address Objects, Routing, NAT Policies, ARP, DHCP Server, IP Helper, Web Proxy, and Dynamic DNS. Under the 'Address Objects' category, there are buttons for SonicPoint, Firewall, VoIP, VPN, Users, Hardware Failover, Security Services, Log, Wizards, Help, and Logout. The main content area is titled 'COMPREHENSIVE INTERNET SECURITY™' and shows a 'View Style' section with three radio buttons: 'All Address Objects' (selected), 'Custom Address Objects', and 'Default Address Objects'. Below this is a table with columns: '# Name', 'Address Detail', 'Type', 'Zone', and 'Configure'. The table lists two groups: '1 Remote VPN Networks' and '2 Local Networks', both of type 'Group'. Below the table are buttons for 'Add Group...', 'Delete', and 'Delete All'. The 'Add Group...' button is highlighted with a red box. Below this is a section titled 'Address Objects' with a pagination bar showing 'Items 1 to 9 (of 9)'. This section contains another table with columns: '# Name', 'Address Detail', 'Type', 'Zone', and 'Configure'. This table lists 9 objects, including '10.1.1.x LAN', 'LAN Router', '11.1.1.x LAN', '30.1.1.x VPN', '192.45.101.x VPN', '192.45.100.x VPN', 'Avaya Communications Mgr', 'Avaya Media Gateway', and 'Avaya ACM Private'. At the bottom of this section are buttons for 'Add...', 'Delete', and 'Delete All'. The status bar at the bottom left shows 'Status: Ready' and the bottom right shows 'Internet'.</p>

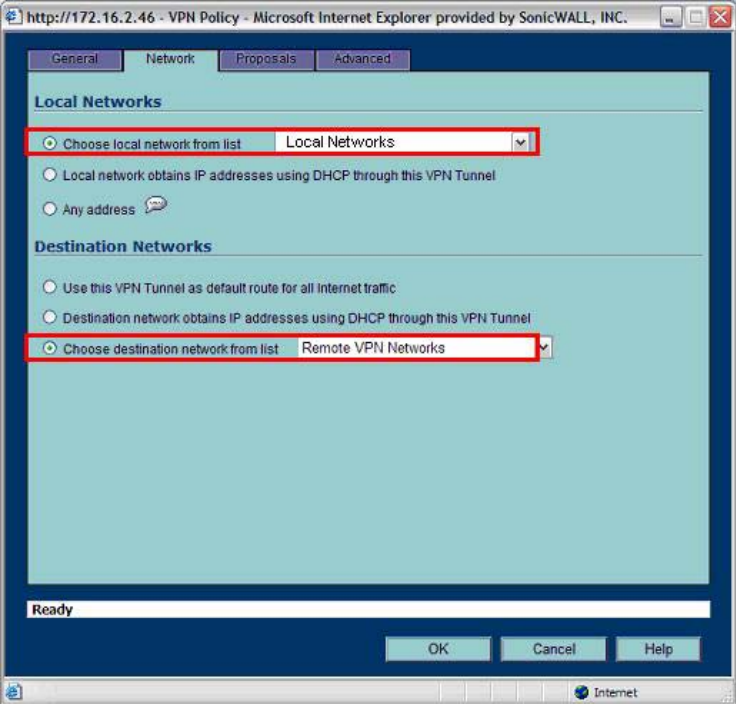
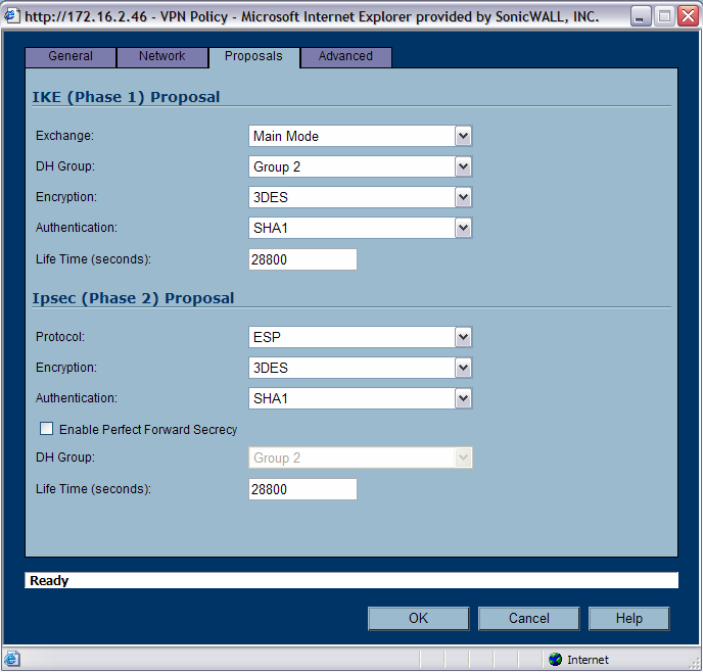
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6.	<p>At the Add Address Object Group window, enter the name for the network group. The sample configuration used the name Local Networks. Highlight the desired networks to be included in this group on the left, then click -> to move the highlighted objects to the right. Click OK to complete.</p> 
7.	<p>Repeat Step 5 for the Remote VPN Networks. Click OK to complete.</p> 

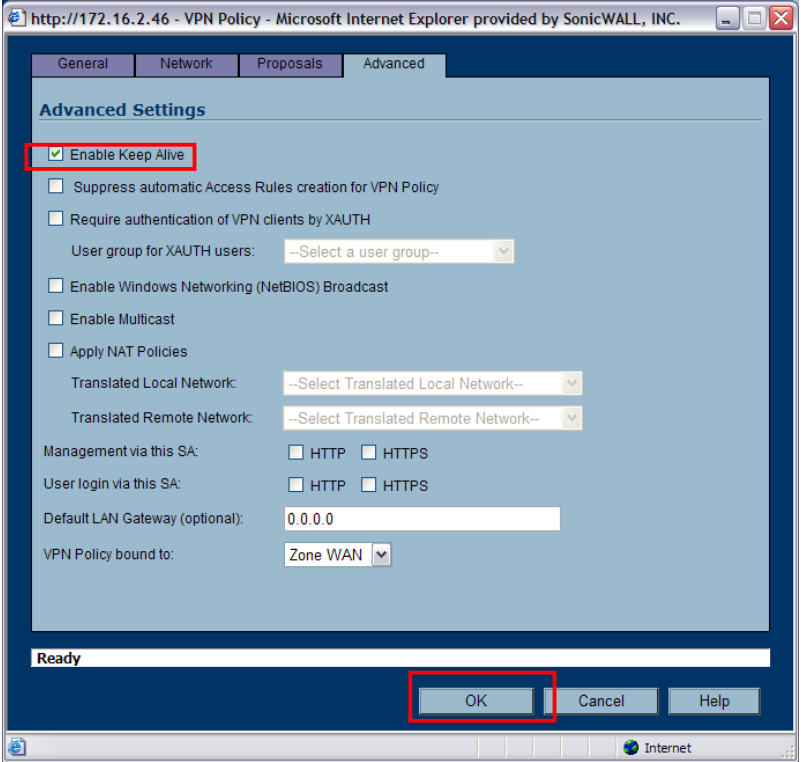
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8.	<p>Define the routing configuration of the SonicWALL PRO 4060 by clicking on Routing under the Network tab on the left. Click Add under the Route Policies panel to display the Add Route Policy pop-up windows.</p> 
9.	<p>Define a route policy as shown:</p> <p>Traffic from <i>Any</i> source destined to the <i>Local Networks</i> for <i>Any</i> service use <i>LAN Router</i> gateway reachable from interface X0 with a metric of <i>1</i>.</p> <p><i>Local Networks</i> and <i>LAN Router</i> were defined in step 6 and 4 above respectively.</p> 

3.2. Configure the VPN tunnel for the SonicWALL UTM devices

Step	Description
1.	<p>Begin configuration of the VPN tunnel by clicking on Settings under the VPN tab on the left. Click Add under the VPN policies panel to display the Security Policy pop-up window.</p> 


Step	Description
2.	<p>In the General tab of the Security Policy pop-up window, enter the following information for the VPN tunnel.</p> <p>Name: <i>Avaya DevConnect</i> (a descriptive name for the VPN tunnel)</p> <p>IPsec Primary Gateway Name or Address: <i>172.16.1.49</i> (the IP address of the remote SonicWALL's WAN interface)</p> <p>IPsec Secondary Gateway Name or Address: <i>0.0.0.0</i></p> <p>Shared Secret: <i>1234</i> (a secret string that will be entered into both SonicWALL devices)</p> <p>Click on the Network tab after entering the above information.</p> 

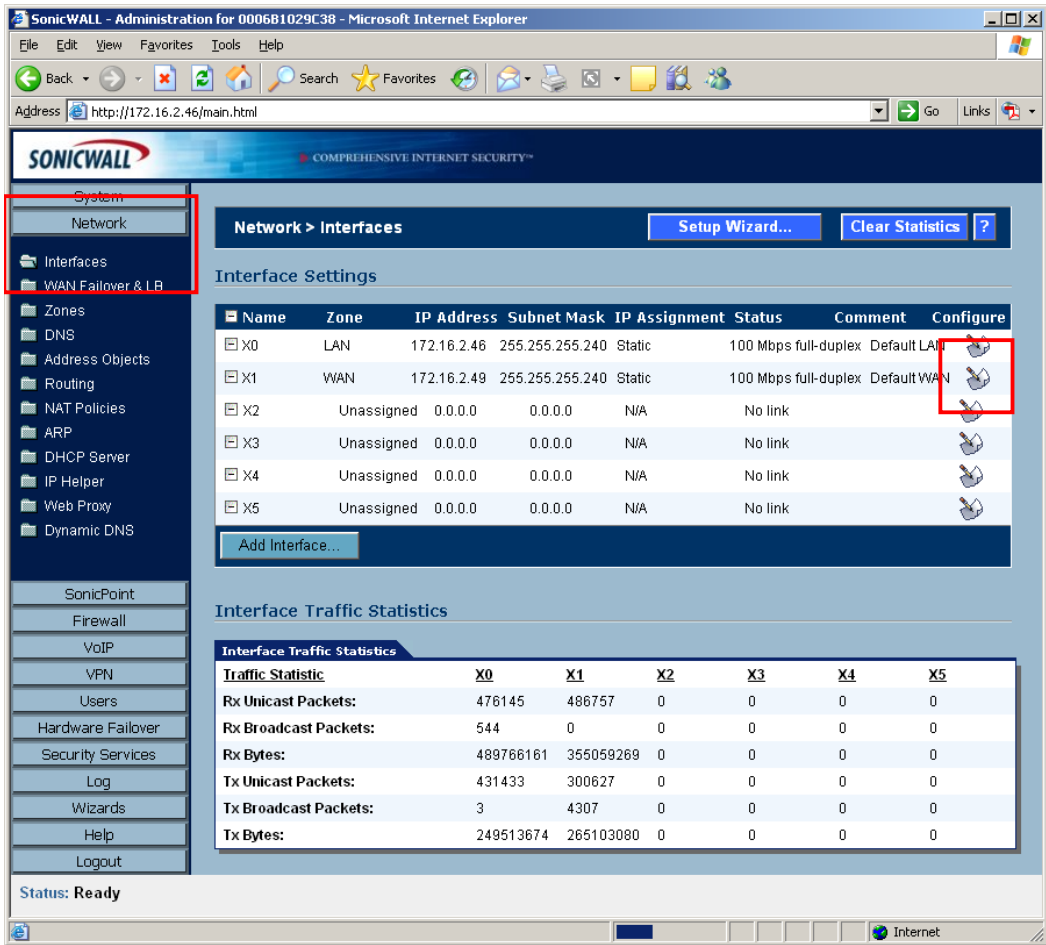
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3.	<p>Under the Network tab, select Local Networks and Remote VPN Networks as defined in Section 3.1 step 6 and 7 respectively. Click on the Proposals tab.</p> 
4.	<p>All the fields in the Proposal tab were left at the default value in the sample configuration. Click on the Advanced tab to continue.</p> 

Step	Description
5.	<p>Under the Advanced tab, Enable Keep Alive by clicking the check box on the left. Click OK to complete.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows a web browser window titled 'http://172.16.2.46 - VPN Policy - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by SonicWALL, INC.'. The 'Advanced' tab is selected. Under 'Advanced Settings', the 'Enable Keep Alive' checkbox is checked and highlighted with a red box. Other settings include 'Suppress automatic Access Rules creation for VPN Policy' (unchecked), 'Require authentication of VPN clients by XAUTH' (unchecked), 'User group for XAUTH users' (dropdown menu), 'Enable Windows Networking (NetBIOS) Broadcast' (unchecked), 'Enable Multicast' (unchecked), 'Apply NAT Policies' (unchecked), 'Translated Local Network' (dropdown menu), 'Translated Remote Network' (dropdown menu), 'Management via this SA' (HTTP and HTTPS checkboxes), 'User login via this SA' (HTTP and HTTPS checkboxes), 'Default LAN Gateway (optional)' (text field with '0.0.0.0'), and 'VPN Policy bound to:' (dropdown menu with 'Zone WAN' selected). The 'OK' button at the bottom is highlighted with a red box.</p>

3.3. Configure the Firewall Access Rules and Bandwidth Reservation for the SonicWALL VPN Tunnel.

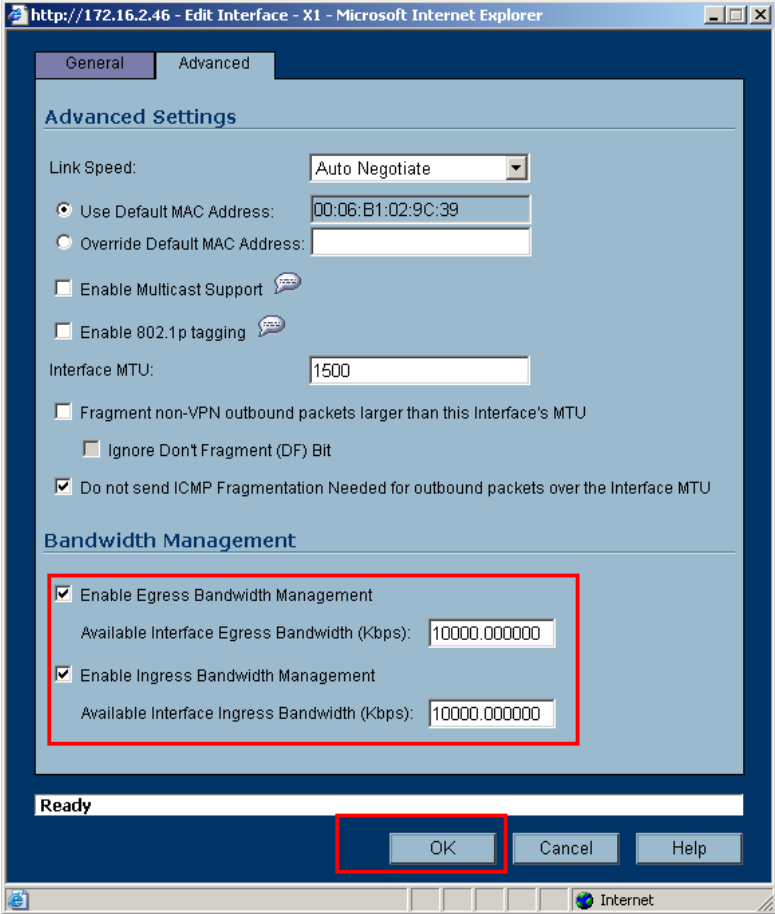
This section defines the necessary Firewall Access Rules and Bandwidth Reservation for VoIP traffic for the VPN Tunnel.

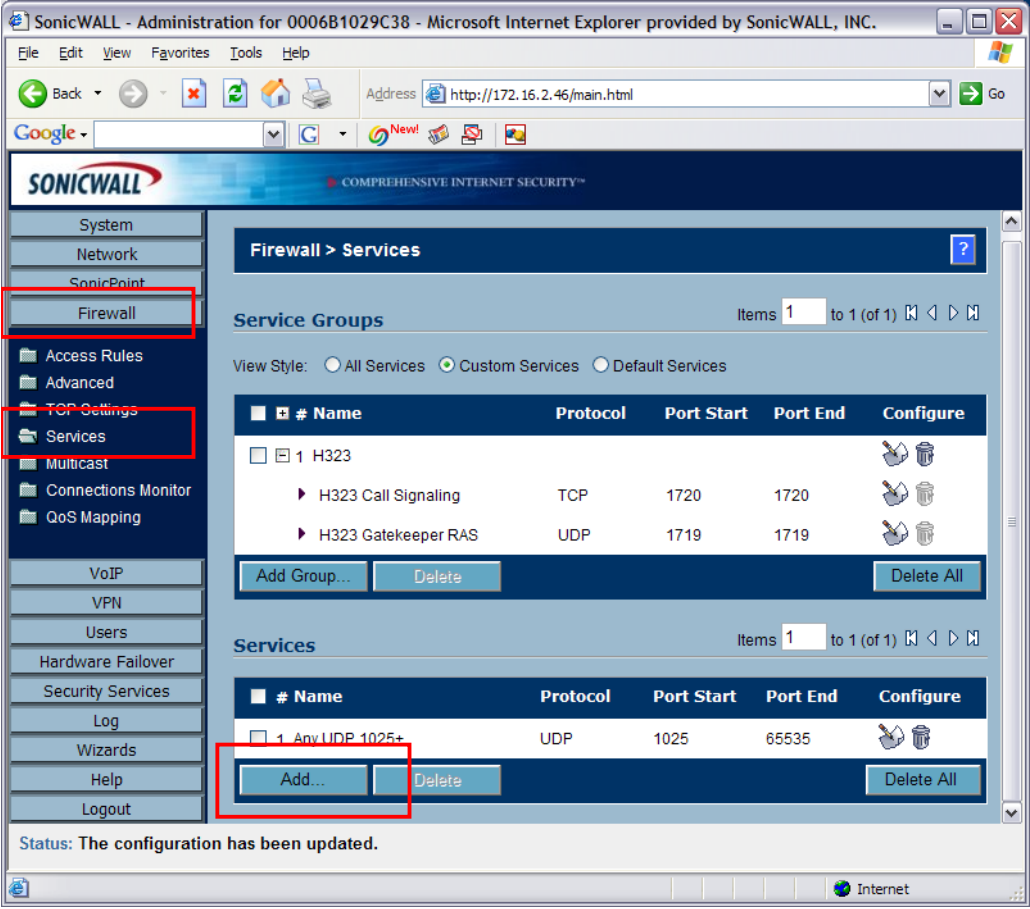
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1.	Begin by defining the Bandwidth for the WAN interface by selecting Interfaces under the Network tab on the left. Click on the  icon on the right for the WAN Zone under the Interface Settings panel.

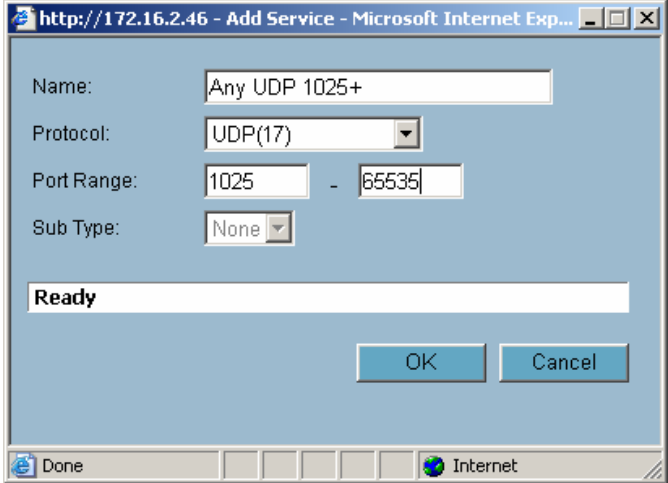


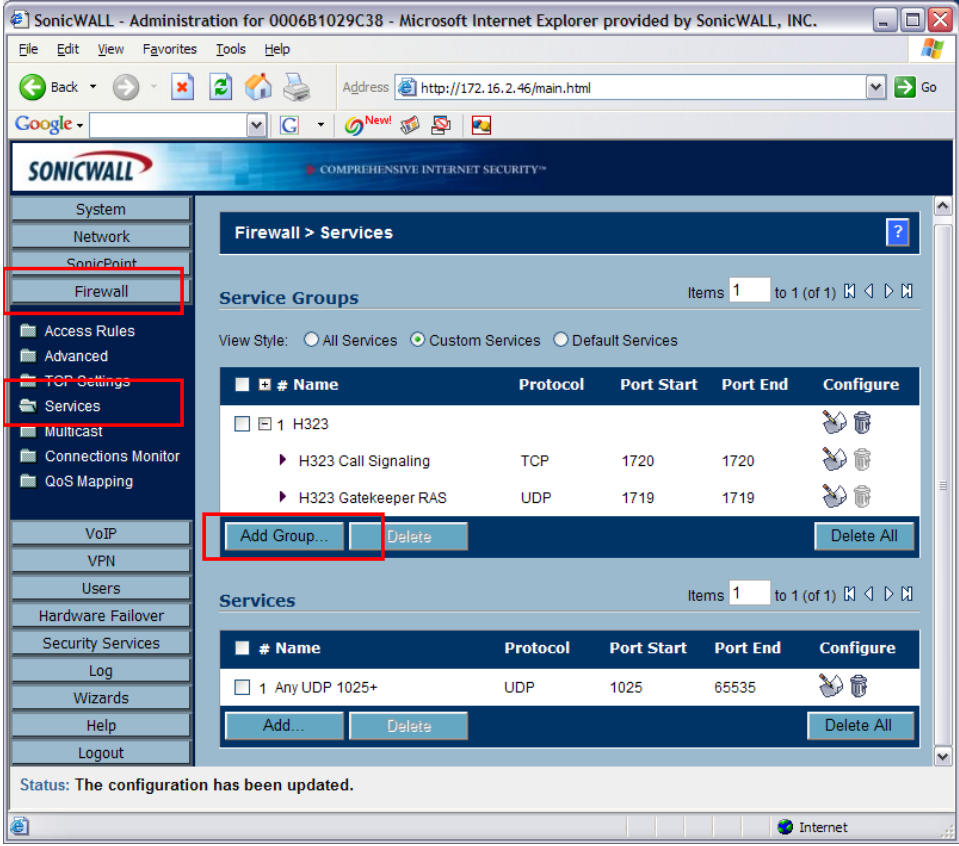
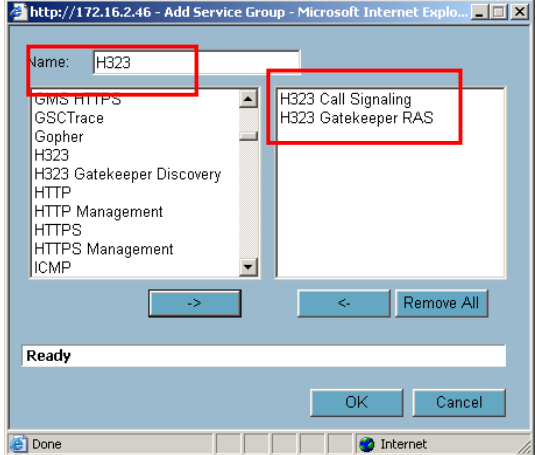
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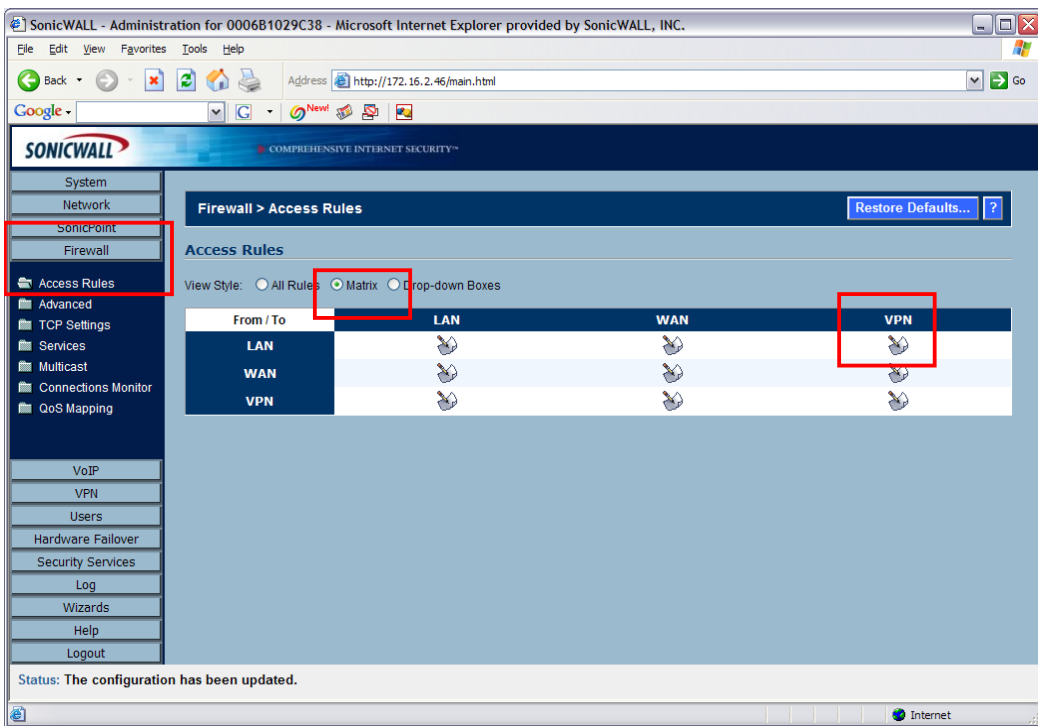



























Traffic Statistic	X0	X1	X2	X3	X4	X5
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Rx Broadcast Packets:	544	0	0	0	0	0
Rx Bytes:	489766161	355059269	0	0	0	0
Tx Unicast Packets:	431433	300627	0	0	0	0
Tx Broadcast Packets:	3	4307	0	0	0	0
Tx Bytes:	249513674	265103080	0	0	0	0

Step	Description
2.	<p>From the Edit Interface pop-up window, select the Advanced tab. Enable bandwidth management by checking the Enable Egress Bandwidth Management and Enable Ingress Bandwidth Management check box. Enter the appropriate Egress and Ingress Bandwidth in kbps. The sample configuration was configured with 10,000 kbps as shown below. This number will be used as the basis for calculating Bandwidth Reservation.</p> <p>Click OK to complete.</p> 

Step	Description
3.	<p>Now define the Firewall services by selecting Services under the Firewall tab on the left. Click on Add under Services panel to display the Add Service pop-up window.</p>  <p>The screenshot displays the SonicWALL Administration interface in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The browser address bar shows 'http://172.16.2.46/main.html'. The interface has a left sidebar with navigation tabs: System, Network, SonicPoint, Firewall, Access Rules, Advanced, TCP Settings, Services, Multicast, Connections Monitor, and QoS Mapping. The 'Firewall' tab is selected, and the 'Services' option under 'TCP Settings' is highlighted with a red box. The main content area is titled 'Firewall > Services'. It contains two sections: 'Service Groups' and 'Services'. The 'Service Groups' section shows a table with columns: #, Name, Protocol, Port Start, Port End, and Configure. It lists one group: 'H323' with sub-items 'H323 Call Signaling' (TCP, 1720-1720) and 'H323 Gatekeeper RAS' (UDP, 1719-1719). The 'Services' section shows a table with columns: #, Name, Protocol, Port Start, Port End, and Configure. It lists one service: '1 Any UDP 1025+' (UDP, 1025-65535). The 'Add...' button under the 'Services' table is highlighted with a red box. A status message at the bottom states: 'Status: The configuration has been updated.'</p>

Step	Description
4.	<p>Enter the following information for the new Firewall service.</p> <p>Name: Any UDP 1025+ (a descriptive name for the Firewall service) Protocol: UDP(17) Port Range: 1025 - 65535</p> <p>This rule is designed to filter out all UDP traffic that has not been negotiated using the H.323.</p> <p>Click OK after entering all the information.</p> 

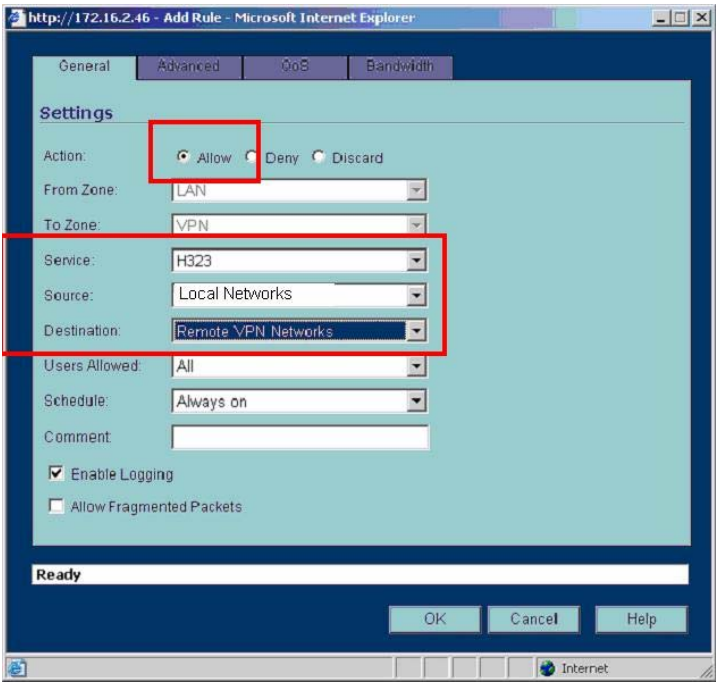
Step	Description
5.	<p>From the Firewall's Services display, click Add Group under the Service Groups panel to add a new Service Group.</p> 
6.	<p>At the Add Service Group pop-up window, enter a name for the new Service Group. The sample network used the name H323. Highlight H323 Call Signaling and H323 Gatekeeper RAS from the left, and then click -> to move the selected Services to the right panel. Click OK to complete.</p> 

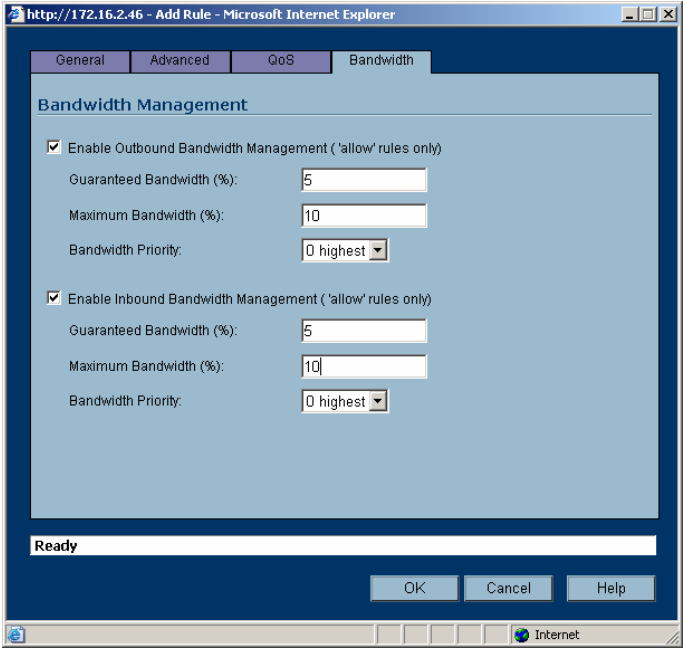
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7.	<p>Select Access Rules under the Firewall tab on the left to configure the Firewall's rules. Select Matrix to better display all the selections. There are two sides of the firewall that need to be configured. One is LAN to VPN and the other is VPN to LAN. Select the  icon in the first row and third column to configure the LAN to VPN Access rule.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the SonicWALL Administration interface in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The left sidebar contains a menu with 'Access Rules' highlighted. The main content area is titled 'Firewall > Access Rules' and shows a table of rules. The 'View Style' is set to 'Matrix'. The table has columns for 'From / To', 'LAN', 'WAN', and 'VPN'. The first row, representing LAN to VPN, is highlighted, and the pencil icon in the third column (VPN) is circled. A status message at the bottom indicates 'The configuration has been updated.'</p> <table><tr><th>From / To</th><th>LAN</th><th>WAN</th><th>VPN</th></tr><tr><td>LAN</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>WAN</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>VPN</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table>	From / To	LAN	WAN	VPN	LAN				WAN				VPN			
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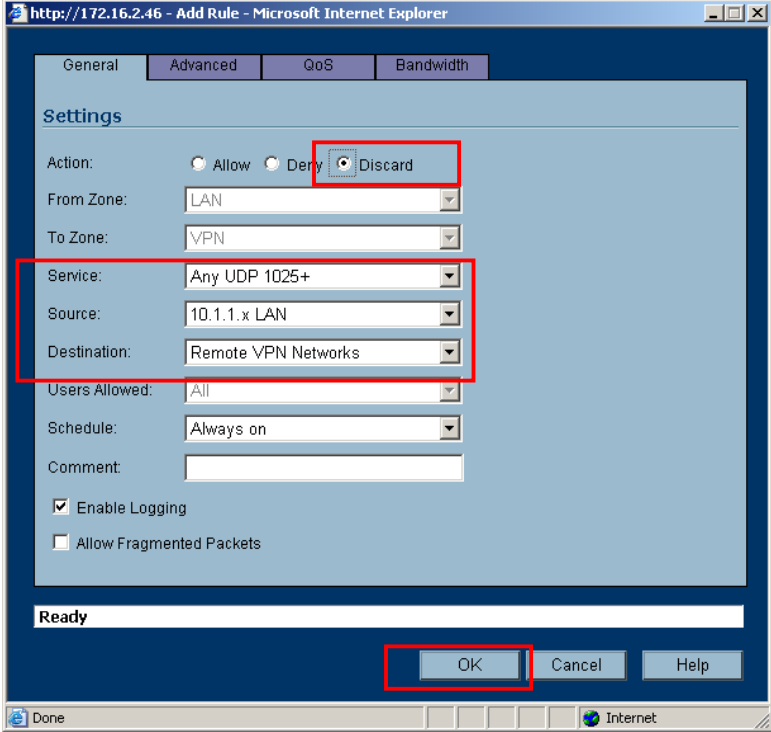

Step	Description
8.	Click on Add under the Firewall > Access Rules > LAN > VPN panel to add a new Access Rule.


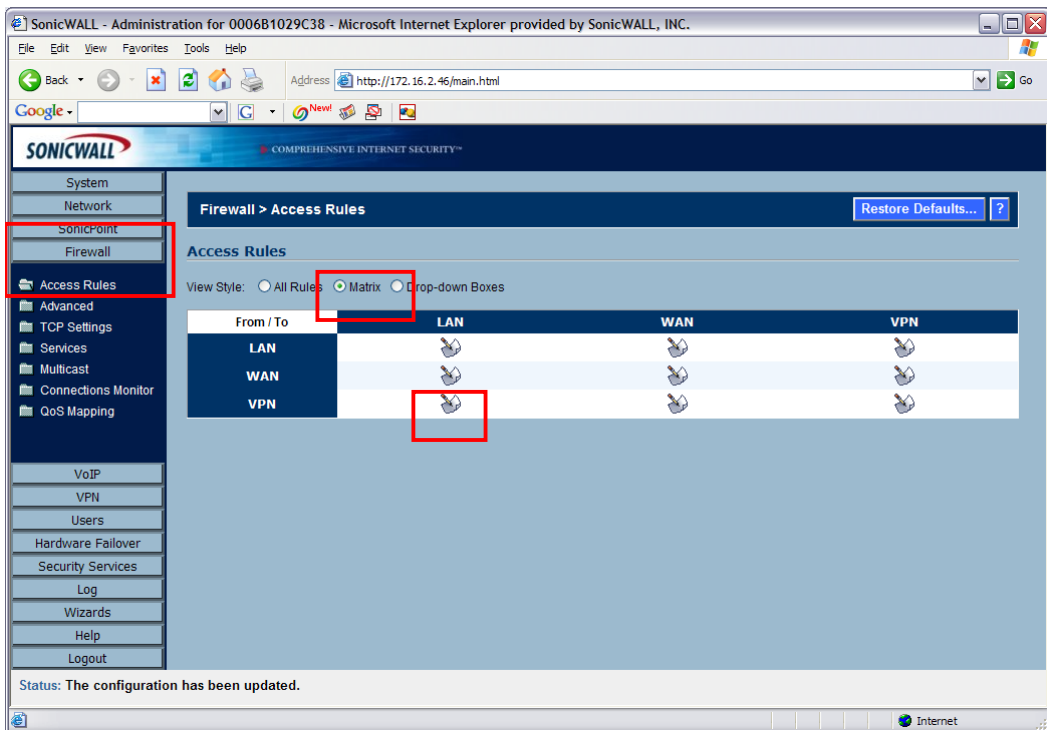
The screenshot displays the SonicWALL Administration web interface in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The browser's address bar shows the URL `http://172.16.2.46/main.html`. The interface features a left-hand navigation menu with options like System, Network, SonicPoint, Firewall, Access Rules, Advanced, TCP Settings, Services, Multicast, Connections Monitor, QoS Mapping, VoIP, VPN, Users, Hardware Failover, Security Services, Log, Wizards, Help, and Logout. The main content area is titled "Firewall > Access Rules > LAN > VPN" and includes buttons for "Public Server Wizard...", "Clear Statistics", and "Restore Defaults...". Below this, the "Access Rules (LAN > VPN)" section shows a table of rules. The table has columns for #, Priority, Source, Destination, Service, Action, Users, Comment, Enable, and Configure. Five rules are listed, with the last one (ID 5) having its "Add..." button highlighted by a red rectangle. The status bar at the bottom indicates "Status: The configuration has been updated."

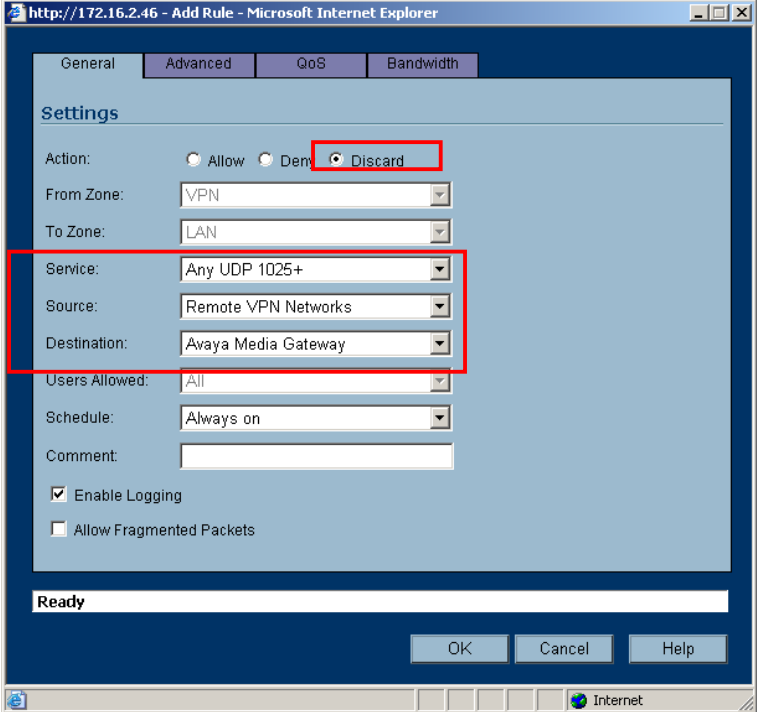
#	Priority	Source	Destination	Service	Action	Users	Comment	Enable	Configure
1	1	Local Networks	Remote VPN Networks	H323	Allow	All		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	[Icons]
2	2	Avaya Media Gateway	Remote VPN Networks	Any UDP 1025+	Discard	All		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	[Icons]
3	3	WAN RemoteAccess Networks	Any	Any	Allow	All		<input type="checkbox"/>	[Icons]
4	4	WLAN RemoteAccess Networks	Any	Any	Allow	All		<input type="checkbox"/>	[Icons]
5	5	Local Networks	Remote VPN Networks	Any	Allow	All		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	[Icons]

Step	Description
9.	<p>Under the General tab of the Add Rules pop-up window, enter the following information:</p> <p>Action: <i>Allow</i> radio button selected</p> <p>Service: <i>H323</i> (defined in section 3.3 step 6)</p> <p>Source: <i>Local Networks</i> (defined in section 3.1 step 6)</p> <p>Destination: <i>Remote VPN Networks</i> (defined in section 3.1 step 7)</p> <p>Click on the Bandwidth tab to continue.</p> 

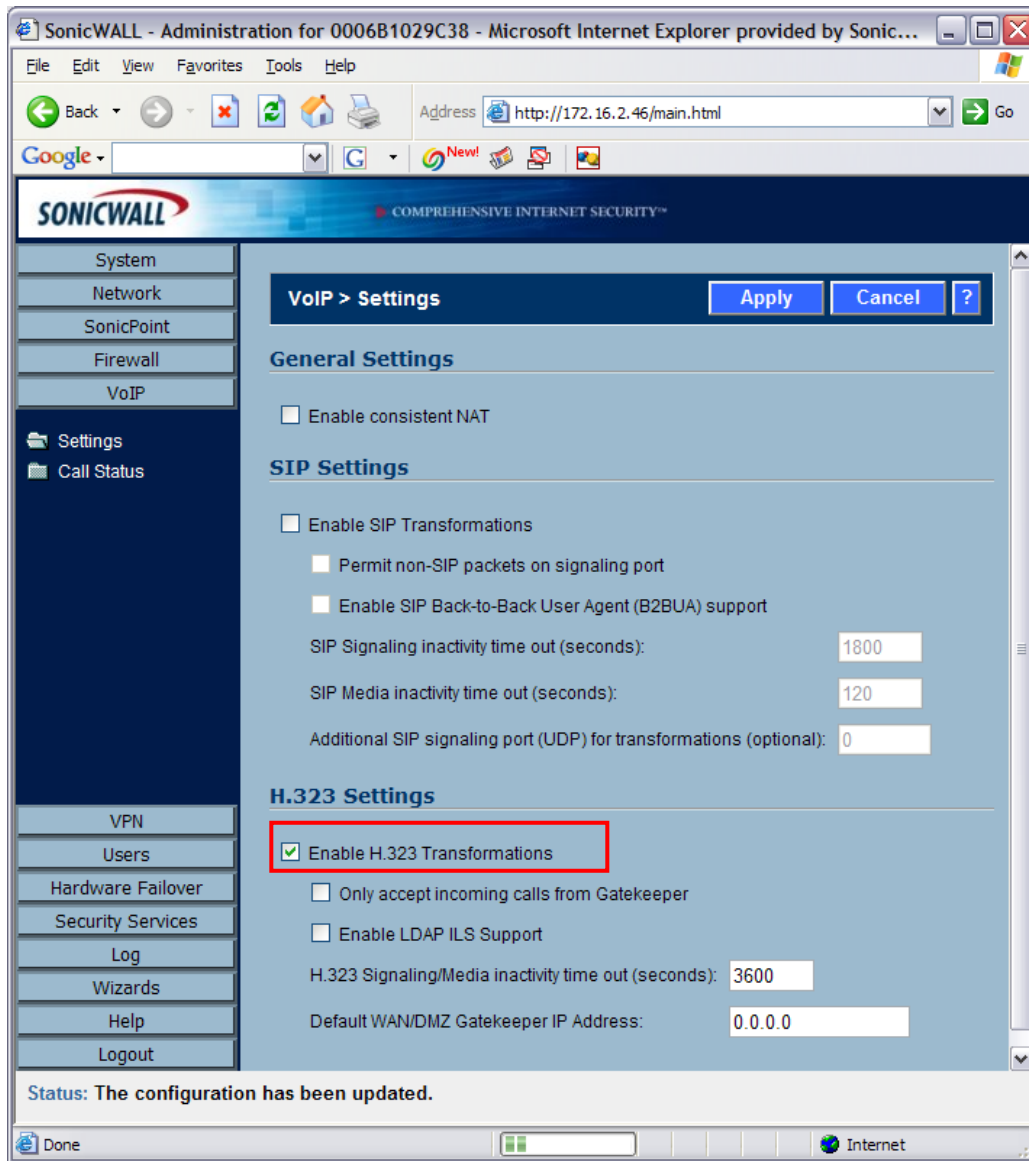
Step	Description
10.	<p>Under the Bandwidth tab, the bandwidth and priority are defined for the Outbound and Inbound traffic.</p> <p>The H323 Access Rule in the sample network has defined the following:</p> <p>Outbound Bandwidth Management</p> <p>Guaranteed Bandwidth (%): 5</p> <p>Maximum Bandwidth (%): 10</p> <p>Bandwidth Priority: 0 highest</p> <p>Inbound Bandwidth Management</p> <p>Guaranteed Bandwidth (%): 5</p> <p>Maximum Bandwidth (%): 10</p> <p>Bandwidth Priority: 0 highest</p> <p>After entering all the information, click OK to complete.</p> <p>Note: The percentage is based on the WAN interface bandwidth defined in Section 3.3 Step 2, not the bandwidth of the VPN tunnel.</p> 

Step	Description
<p>11.</p>	<p>Click Add again from the Firewall > Access Rule > LAN > VPN menu in Section 3.3 Step 6 to add another access rule.</p> <p>Under the General tab of the Access Rules pop-up window, enter the following information:</p> <p>Action: <i>Discard</i> radio button selected Service: <i>Any UDP 1025 +</i> (defined in section 3.3 step 2) Source: <i>10.1.1.x LAN</i> (defined in section 3.1 step 4) Destination: <i>Remote VPN Networks</i> (defined in section 3.1 step 7)</p> <p>This rule discards RTP traffic that has not been negotiated using H.323.</p> <p>Click on the OK tab to complete.</p> 
<p>12.</p>	<p>After entering the “H323” and “Any UDP 1025 +” access rules, make sure the rules order is as displayed in Step 8 of this section. The “H323” must be before the “Any UDP 1025 +” Access Rule. If necessary, use the  icon to move the selected rule up or down to obtain the appropriate order.</p>

Step	Description																
13.	<p>Now configure the VPN to LAN access Rule by selecting Access Rules under the Firewall tab on the left. Select Matrix to better display the selections. Select the  icon in the third row and first column to configure the VPN to LAN access rule.</p>  <p>The screenshot shows the SonicWALL Administration interface in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The left sidebar contains a menu with 'Access Rules' highlighted. The main content area is titled 'Firewall > Access Rules' and shows a 'View Style' dropdown set to 'Matrix'. Below this is a table with columns 'From / To', 'LAN', 'WAN', and 'VPN'. The table has three rows: 'LAN', 'WAN', and 'VPN'. The cell at the intersection of the 'VPN' row and 'LAN' column is highlighted with a red box and contains a hand icon.</p> <table><tr><th>From / To</th><th>LAN</th><th>WAN</th><th>VPN</th></tr><tr><td>LAN</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>WAN</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr><tr><td>VPN</td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table> <p>Status: The configuration has been updated.</p>	From / To	LAN	WAN	VPN	LAN				WAN				VPN			
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Step	Description
14.	<p>Repeat Steps 8-13 in this Section to configure the same Access Rules for the VPN to LAN direction.</p> <p>Note: Make sure in Step 9 the Source is <i>Remote VPN Networks</i> and the Destination is <i>Avaya Media Gateway</i> as shown below.</p> 

Step	Description
15.	<p>Select Settings under the VoIP tab on the left. <i>Check</i> the Enable H.323 Transformations field. Click Apply to complete.</p>



4. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The interoperability compliance testing focused on assessing the ability of the SonicWALL PRO 4060 and TZ170 to establish a VPN tunnel that would support an infrastructure consisting of Avaya Communication Manager, and Avaya 46xx IP telephones while providing guaranteed bandwidth management for Avaya VoIP traffic.

4.1. General Test Approach

The general test approach was to verify that the Avaya IP telephones could successfully place and receive calls through the network as shown in **Figure 1** while competing with simulated non-VoIP low priority traffic. In addition, network traffic to Branch Site B was Network Address Translated to that of the IP address of the SonicWALL PRO 4060 WAN interface.

The main objectives were to verify:

- SonicWALL UTM devices can automatically allow RTP traffic streams based on H.323 signaling.
- Calls between telephones at the different locations were successfully completed and maintained with good voice quality.
- Multiple telephone calls between sites could be completed as per the desired bandwidth configured in the SonicWALL UTM devices.
- Non-VoIP traffic did not encroach upon the bandwidth reserved for the voice application.
- The solution supports G.711 and G.729 codecs.
- The solution supports DTMF.
- Preservation of Layer-3 DiffServ information.
- Network Address Translation (NAT) was implemented between the Main Site and Branch Site B.

4.2. Test Results

The objectives were successfully verified during compliance testing. Multiple telephone calls were successfully placed and received as per the bandwidth policy defined by the SonicWall UTM devices during varying levels of simulated competing traffic. Voice quality was good throughout testing regardless of traffic flow. DTMF was verified via access to the Meet-me Conference configured the Avaya Communication Manager.

5. Verification Steps

The following steps may be used to verify the configuration:

- Make sure all the SonicWALL UTM devices interfaces are reachable.
- Place and receive call from the Avaya telephones.
- From the SonicWALL UTM devices, verify the status of the VPN Link.
- From the SonicWALL UTM devices, verify the Access Rules are configured correctly by placing the mouse pointer over the bar chart icon in Step 8 Section 3.3. A pop-up window will display the packet count and byte processed by the Access Rule.

6. Support

For technical support on the SonicWALL UTM, contact SonicWALL, Inc. at <http://www.sonicwall.com/support/contact.html>

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7. Conclusion

These Application Notes have described the administration steps required to configure the SonicWALL UTM devices to interoperate with and prioritize WAN bandwidth for Avaya IP H.323 phone traffic. During compliance testing, H.323 phone calls traversing the WAN link were successfully established and maintained while sharing the link with non-VoIP traffic.

8. Additional References

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