Configuration Aid To Ingate Firewall/SIParator® - How to Configure PPTP Connections to Ingate Firewall/SIParator®

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How to configure Ingate Firewall/SIParator® for PPTP connections

When a VPN connection using PPTP is established, the firewall/SIParator will assign a local IP address to the PPTP client, which then can look like it is located on the local network.

Follow these steps to configure the firewall/SIParator for PPTP connections.

Networks and Computers

Go to the **Networks and Computers** page under **Network** and create a new network. The new network should contain IP addresses from the local network which the PPTP clients can use. Select "-" as the Interface for this network.

Also, make sure that there are networks for the computers which the PPTP clients should be allowed to access. These networks are used when rules are set up for the PPTP traffic.

Networl Comp	ks and Default uters Gateway	All s Interfaces	NAT VLA	N EthO	Eth1	Eth2	Eth3	Interfac Status	^e PPPoE																				
Netw	Networks and Computers																												
Lower limit (for IP ranges)																													
Edit Row	Name	Subgroup	DNS name or IP address	IP addre	ess	DNS or IP	5 name addre:	e s s	IP address		Interface/VLAN	Delete Row																	
	+ All	-	0.0.0.0	0.0.0.0)	255.255.255.255		255 25	255.255.255.255		-																		
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PPTP

Go to the **PPTP** page under **Virtual Private Networks** to do settings for the PPTP server in the firewall/SIParator.

First, select that the PPTP server should be On and select an IP address for it. This IP address is one of the firewall/SIParator's own IP addresses and is the one which PPTP clients should access, which means that it must be available from the Internet. It is recommended that you select one of the addresses on the firewall/SIParator outside.



Then, select a firewall/SIParator IP address which will act as a local peer for the PPTP clients. You must select an IP address on the same firewall/SIParator interface and logical network as the IP addresses in the PPTP client network.

Select the network created above as the Client IP addresses. When a PPTP client connects, it will be assigned one of these IP addresses on the local network.

Client Network (Help) PPTP local IP address:	
PPTP (10.7.0.1)	•
Client IP addresses:	
PPTP clients	

You can enter local DNS and WINS servers for the PPTP clients to use. This will enable the clients to use local network services.

DNS Servers (Hel	<u>p)</u>	WINS Servers (Help)			
Primary DNS:		Primary WINS:			
DNS name or IP address	IP address	DNS name or IP address	IP address		
10.7.0.7	10.7.0.7	10.7.0.9	10.7.0.9		
Secondary DNS:		Secondary WINS:			
DNS name or IP address	IP address	DNS name or IP address	IP address		
		10.7.0.12	10.7.0.12		

Enter the users allowed to connect using PPTP, and their passwords. The user must enter this username and password in her PPTP client.

Edit row	User	Password	Enabled	Delete row
2	bob	Change Password	On 💌	
Γ	cindy		On	
Γ	fred		On	
Γ	lucy		On	
Γ	minnie		On	
Γ	steve		On	

Rules

Go to the **Rules** page under **Rules and Relays** and create rules for the traffic between the PPTP clients and the local network. The PPTP clients are represented by the network of local PPTP IP addresses.

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If the PPTP clients should initiate all traffic (i.e., they are not supposed to act as servers), you don't need a reply rule for TCP.

Rules	Relays	DHCP Relay	Servio	es Pro	otocols 1	Time Cla	sses						
Rule	s												
Edit Row	Rule no.	Rule State	Client	From IPsec peer	Server	To IPsec peer	Direction	Service	Action	Time class	Log class	Comment	Delete Row
	1	On	PPTP clients	-	Office	-	Indeterminate interface -> Internal	tcp	Allow	24/7	Local		
Γ	2	On	Office	-	PPTP clients	-	Internal -> Indeterminate interface	udp	Allow	24/7	Local		
	3	On	PPTP clients	-	Office	-	Indeterminate interface -> Internal	udp	Allow	24/7	Local		

Save/Load Configuration

Finally, go to the **Save/Load Configuration** page under **Administration** and apply the new settings by pressing **Apply configuration**.

Save/Load Configuration	Show Configuration	User Administration	U						
Test Run and Apply Conf (Help) Duration of limited test mode:									
30 seconds									
Apply configuration									

When the configuration has been applied, you should save a backup to file. Press **Save config to CLI file** to save the configuration.

Save/Load CLI Command File (Help)							
The permanent configuration might be affected by loading a CLI file.							
Save config to CLI file Load CLI file Local file:	Browse						

Configuring the Client

When the firewall/SIParator has been configured, you also need to configure the PPTP client. This is, of course, done differently with different clients. A Windows XP computer has a built-in PPTP client which is configured under Control Panel -> Network connections.