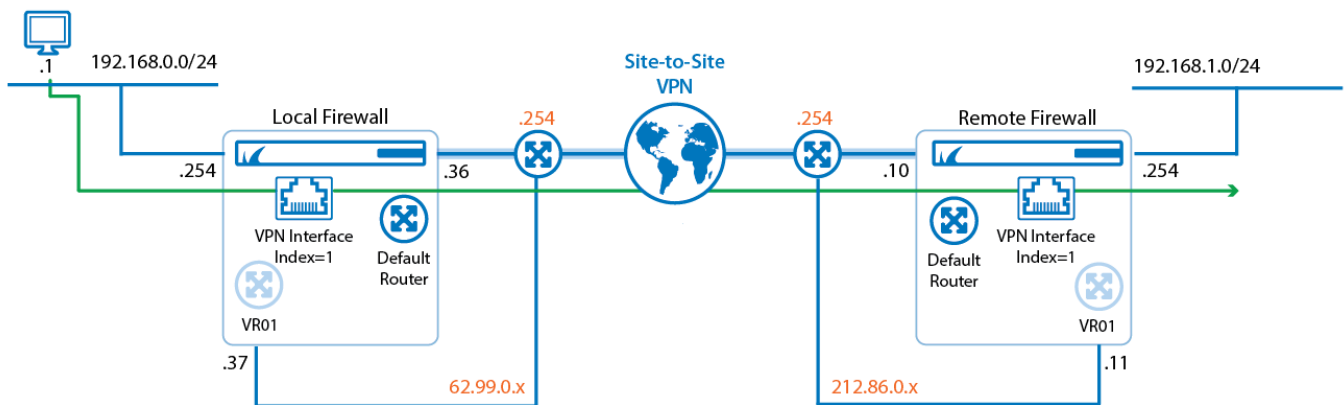


## How to Create a VPN TINA Tunnel for Forwarding Traffic from a Local Default Router Instance to a Remote Default Router Instance

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If you are running multiple virtual routers on your CloudGen Firewall, each virtual router instance can be configured independently of any other one. Because the VPN service is available only to the default router, the traffic managed by an additional virtual router instance must be handed over to the VPN service running in the default router so that it can be encapsulated into the VPN TINA tunnel. This is achieved by a VPN interface index that binds the tunnel configuration and the traffic from the additional virtual router instance to the VPN interface running on the default router.



In the following example, a VPN TINA tunnel is used for forwarding traffic between two private networks that are located behind a local and a remote firewall. The local firewall actively initiates a TINA tunnel while the remote firewall passively listens for tunnel connection requests. The first private network (192.168.0.0/24) is attached to an interface on the local firewall. This interface is managed by an additional virtual router instance (VR01). The second private network (192.168.1.0/24) is attached to an interface on the remote firewall. This interface is also managed by an additional virtual router instance (VR01). Both public IPs of the VPN TINA tunnel are managed by the default router. A client PC sends ping messages to the router address of the private network on the remote firewall (192.168.1.254).

Although not required, it is recommended for a better overview to use the same number for the VPN interface index as the number of your additional virtual router. For example, VR01 should correspond to a VPN interface index equal to 1.

### Before You Begin

- Configure an additional virtual router instance on both the local and remote firewall. For more information, see [Virtual Routing and Forwarding \(VRF\)](#) and [How to Configure and Activate a](#)

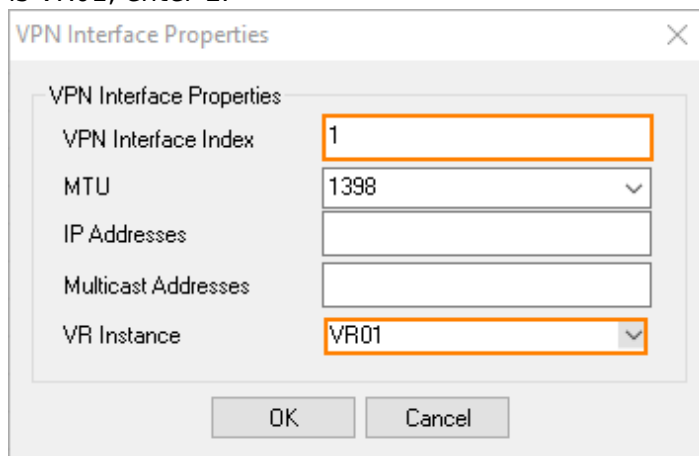
[Virtual Router Instance with Hardware, Virtual, VLAN or Bundled Interfaces.](#)

- Configure the VPN service for general operation. For more information, see [How to Assign Services.](#)

## Create a VPN Interface on the Local and Remote Firewall

Execute the following steps for both the local and remote firewall. Start with the local firewall.

1. Go to **CONFIGURATION > Configuration Tree > Box > your local firewall > Assigned Services > VPN > VPN Settings.**
2. Click **Lock.**
3. In the left menu, select **Routed VPN.**
4. Next to the **Interface Configuration** table, click **Add.** The **VPN Interface Properties** window opens.
5. For **VPN Interface Index**, enter a number. For a better overview, always use the same number as the number of your additional virtual router. For example, in case your router instance name is VR01, enter 1.



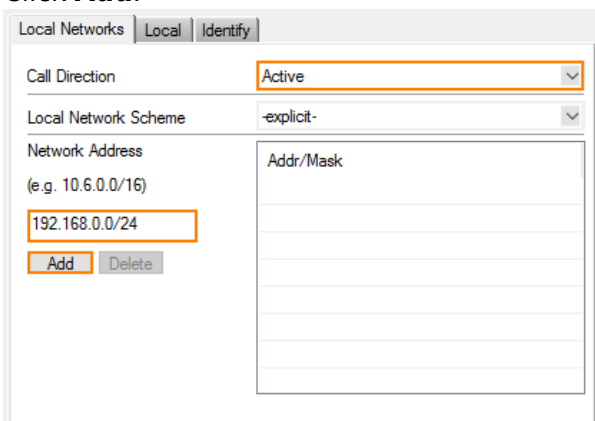
6. From the **VR Instance** list, select your virtual router instance, e.g., VR01.
7. Click **OK.**
8. Click **Send Changes** and **Activate.**

If not yet done, repeat the previous steps on the remote firewall.

## Create a VPN TINA Tunnel on the Local Firewall

1. Go to **CONFIGURATION > Configuration Tree > Box > your local firewall > Assigned Services > VPN > Site to Site.**
2. Click **Lock.**
3. Select **TINA Tunnels.**

4. Right-click and select **New TINA tunnel...** from the list.
5. In the **TINA Tunnel** window, enter a name for the TINA tunnel.
6. In the **Name** field, enter the name for the new VPN tunnel.
7. (IPv6 only) Select the **IPv6** check box.
8. Configure the **Basics** TINA tunnel settings to match the settings configured for the local firewall.
9. In the **Local Networks** tab, select the **Call Direction** to **Active**.
10. For the **Network Address**, enter the network address of the private network behind the local firewall, e.g., 192.168.0.0/24.
11. Click **Add**.



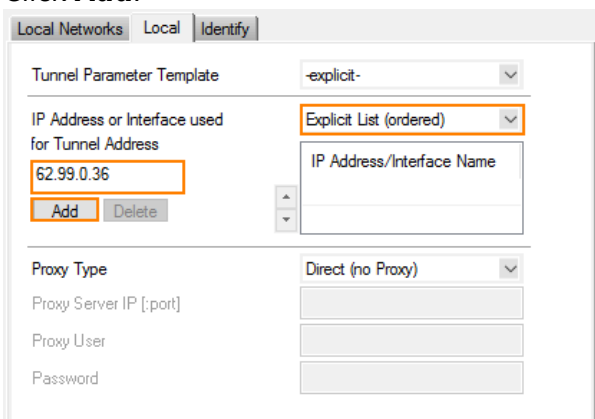
Local Networks Local Identify

Call Direction Active

Local Network Scheme -explicit-

Network Address  
(e.g. 10.6.0.0/16)  
192.168.0.0/24  
Add Delete

12. Click the **Local** tab and select **Explicit List (ordered)** from the list.
13. Enter the **IP address or Interface used for Tunnel Address**.
14. Click **Add**.



Local Networks Local Identify

Tunnel Parameter Template -explicit-

IP Address or Interface used for Tunnel Address  
Explicit List (ordered)  
62.99.0.36  
Add Delete

IP Address/Interface Name

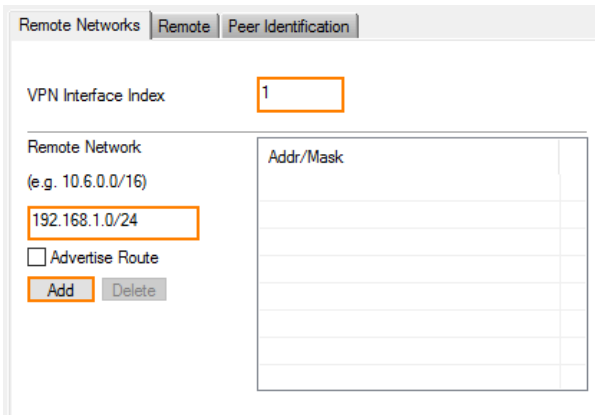
Proxy Type Direct (no Proxy)

Proxy Server IP [:port]

Proxy User

Password

15. In the **Remote Networks** tab, enter 1 for the **VPN Interface Index**.
16. For the **Remote Network**, enter the network address for the private network behind the remote firewall, e.g., 192.168.1.0/24.
17. Click **Add**.



Remote Networks Remote Peer Identification

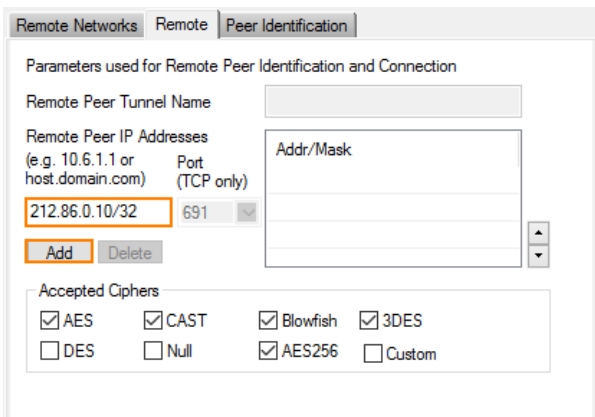
VPN Interface Index

Remote Network  
(e.g. 10.6.0.0/16)

Advertise Route

Addr/Mask

18. Click the **Remote** tab and enter the **Remote Peer IP Address**, e.g., 212.86.0.10.
19. Click **Add**.



Remote Networks Remote Peer Identification

Parameters used for Remote Peer Identification and Connection

Remote Peer Tunnel Name

Remote Peer IP Addresses  
(e.g. 10.6.1.1 or host.domain.com) Port (TCP only)

Accepted Ciphers

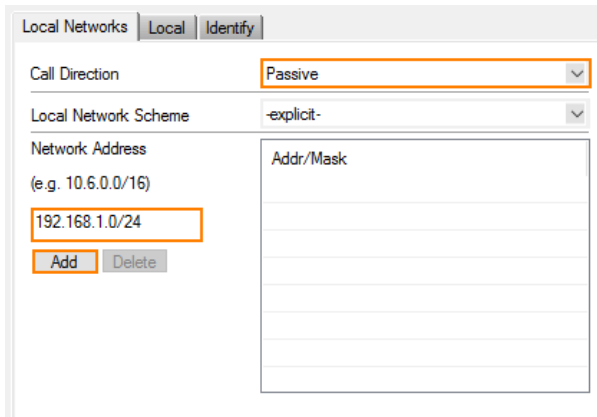
AES  CAST  Blowfish  3DES

DES  Null  AES256  Custom

20. Click **OK** to leave the **TINA Tunnel** window.
21. When you are informed that the identification information between the two sites has not been set, click **OK** to proceed. This information will be configured in a following step.

## Create a VPN TINA Tunnel on the Remote Firewall

1. Go to **CONFIGURATION > Configuration Tree > Box > your remote firewall > Assigned Services > VPN > Site to Site**.
2. Click **Lock**.
3. Select **TINA Tunnels**.
4. Right-click and select **New TINA tunnel...** from the list.
5. In the **TINA Tunnel** window, enter a name for the TINA tunnel.
6. In the **Name** field, enter the name for the new VPN tunnel.
7. (IPv6 only) Select the **IPv6** check box.
8. Configure the **Basics** TINA tunnel settings to match the settings configured for the remote firewall.
9. In the **Local Networks** tab, select the **Call Direction** to **Passive**.
10. For the **Network Address**, enter the network address of the private network behind the local firewall, e.g., 192.168.1.0/24.
11. Click **Add**.



Local Networks | Local | Identify

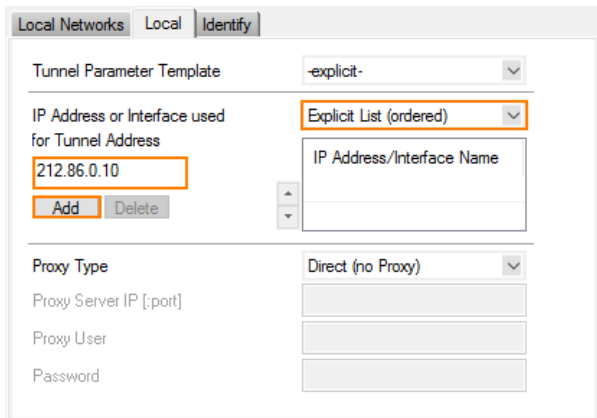
Call Direction: **Passive**

Local Network Scheme: **-explicit-**

Network Address (e.g. 10.6.0.0/16): **192.168.1.0/24**

**Add** Delete

12. Click the **Local** tab and select **Explicit List (ordered)** from the list.
13. Enter the **IP address or Interface used for Tunnel Address**, e.g. 212.86.0.10.
14. Click **Add**.



Local Networks | Local | Identify

Tunnel Parameter Template: **-explicit-**

IP Address or Interface used for Tunnel Address: **Explicit List (ordered)**

IP Address or Interface used for Tunnel Address: **212.86.0.10**

**Add** Delete

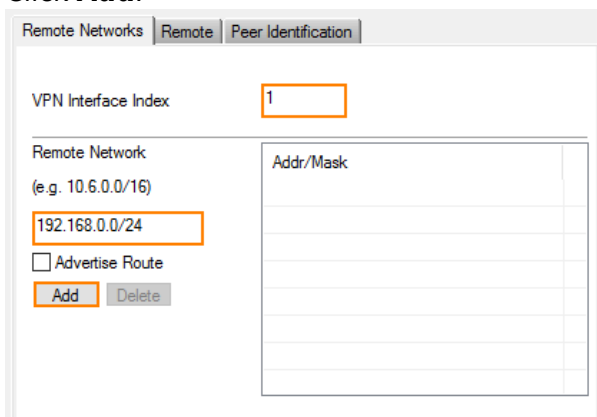
Proxy Type: **Direct (no Proxy)**

Proxy Server IP [:port]:

Proxy User:

Password:

15. In the **Remote Networks** tab, enter 1 for the **VPN Interface Index**.
16. For the **Remote Network**, enter the network address for the private network behind the remote firewall, e.g., 192.168.0.0/24.
17. Click **Add**.



Remote Networks | Remote | Peer Identification

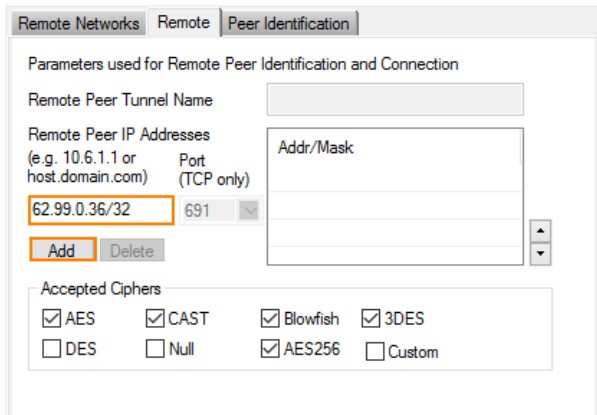
VPN Interface Index: **1**

Remote Network (e.g. 10.6.0.0/16): **192.168.0.0/24**

Advertise Route

**Add** Delete

18. Click the **Remote** tab and enter the **Remote Peer IP Address**, e.g., 62.99.0.36.
19. Click **Add**.



Remote Networks Remote Peer Identification

Parameters used for Remote Peer Identification and Connection

Remote Peer Tunnel Name

Remote Peer IP Addresses  
(e.g. 10.6.1.1 or host.domain.com) Port (TCP only)

62.99.0.36/32 691

Add Delete

Accepted Ciphers

AES  CAST  Blowfish  3DES

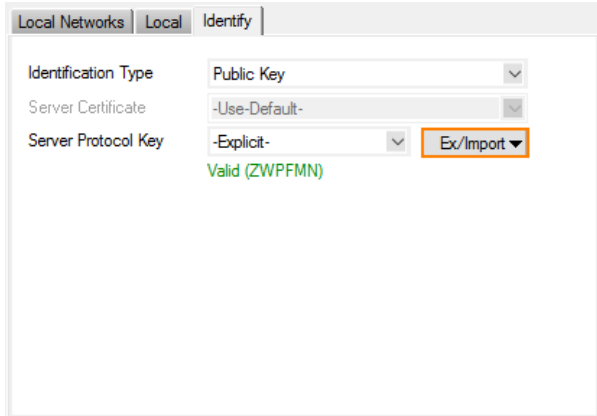
DES  Null  AES256  Custom

20. Directly proceed with the next step without leaving the displayed window.

## Exchange the Public Keys Between the Local and Remote Firewall

Start with exporting the public key in the displayed window on the remote firewall.

1. Click the **Identify** tab.
2. Click **Ex/Import**.



Local Networks Local Identify


Identification Type Public Key

Server Certificate -Use-Default-

Server Protocol Key -Explicit- Ex/Import

Valid (ZWPFMN)

3. In the menu, click **Export Public Key to Clipboard**.



Export Public Key to Clipboard

Export Public Key to File...

Export Private Key to Clipboard

Export Private Key to File...

Export Private Key to Clipboard (Password protected)

Export Private Key to File (Password protected) ...

Blank Key

Import Private Key from Clipboard

Import Private Key from File...

New 512-Bit RSA Key

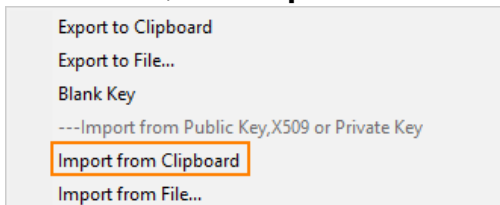
New 1024-Bit RSA Key

New 2048-Bit RSA Key

4. Click **OK** to close the **TINA Tunnel** window.
5. Go to **CONFIGURATION > Configuration Tree > Box > your local firewall > Assigned**

**Services > VPN > Site to Site.**

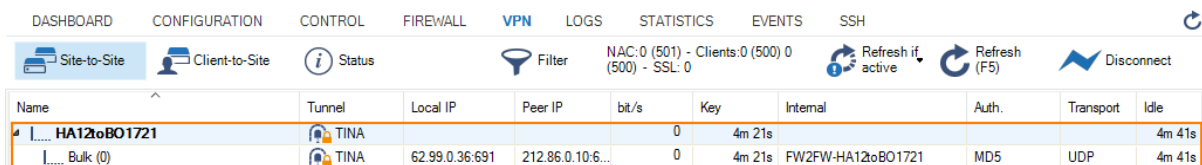
6. Click **Lock**.
7. Select **TINA Tunnels**.
8. Double-click the entry for the VPN tunnel.
9. The **TINA Tunnel** window is displayed.
10. Click the **Peer Identification** tab.
11. Click **Ex/Import**.
12. In the menu, click **Import Private Key from Clipboard**.



13. Click the **Identify** tab.
14. Click **Ex/Import**.
15. In the menu, click **Export Public Key to Clipboard**.
16. Click **OK** to close the **TINA Tunnel** window.
17. Go to **CONFIGURATION > Configuration Tree > Box > your remote firewall > Assigned Services > VPN > Site to Site**.
18. Click **Lock**.
19. Select **TINA Tunnels**.
20. Double-click the entry for the VPN tunnel.
21. The **TINA Tunnel** window is displayed.
22. Click the **Peer Identification** tab.
23. Click **Ex/Import**.
24. In the menu, click **Import Private Key from Clipboard**.
25. Click **OK** to close the **TINA Tunnel** window.

**Verify that the VPN TINA Tunnel is up**

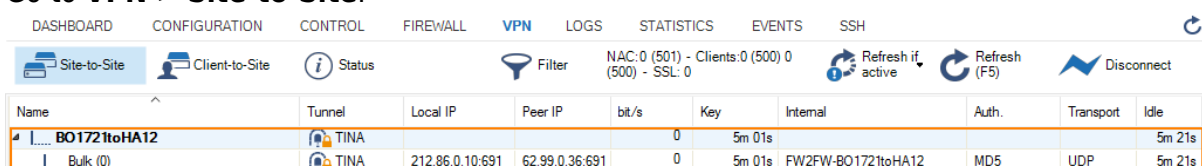
1. Log into your local firewall.
2. Go to **VPN > Site-to-Site**.



The screenshot shows the VPN Site-to-Site configuration page. At the top, there are tabs for DASHBOARD, CONFIGURATION, CONTROL, FIREWALL, VPN, LOGS, STATISTICS, EVENTS, and SSH. Below the tabs, there are buttons for Site-to-Site, Client-to-Site, Status, Filter, and Disconnect. A table lists the tunnels:

Name	Tunnel	Local IP	Peer IP	bit/s	Key	Internal	Auth.	Transport	Idle
HA12toBO1721	TINA			0	4m 21s				4m 41s
Bulk (0)	TINA	62.99.0.36:691	212.86.0.10:6...	0	4m 21s	FW2FW-HA12toBO1721	MD5	UDP	4m 41s

3. Log into your remote firewall.
4. Go to **VPN > Site-to-Site**.



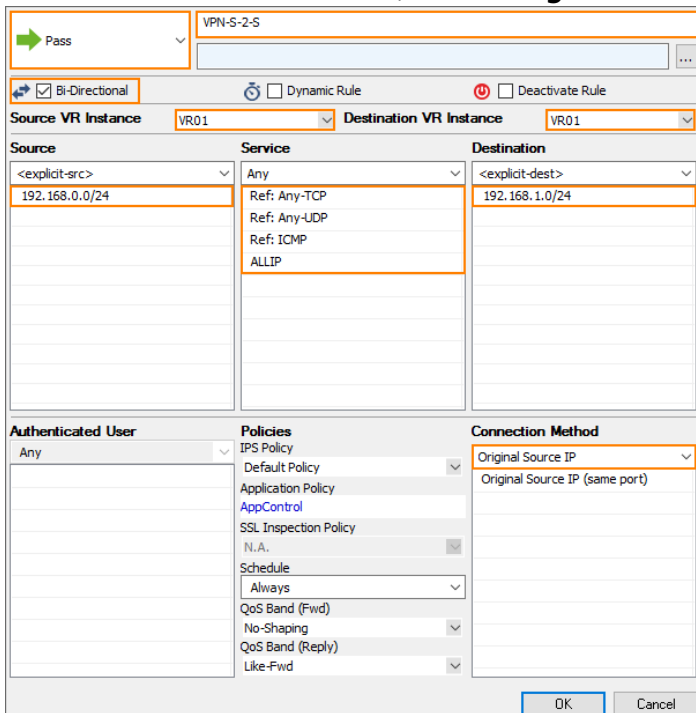
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Name	Tunnel	Local IP	Peer IP	bit/s	Key	Internal	Auth.	Transport	Idle
BO1721toHA12	TINA			0	5m 01s				5m 21s
Bulk (0)	TINA	212.86.0.10:691	62.99.0.36:691	0	5m 01s	FW2FW-BO1721toHA12	MD5	UDP	5m 21s

## Create an Access Rule for the Local and Remote Firewall to let VPN Traffic Pass

Traffic originating from the private network behind the local firewall must be able to reach the private network behind the remote firewall. The access rule must be configured to be **Bi-Directional**. In order to forward traffic from the interfaces that are assigned to the additional virtual router instance, the access rule must be applied to this virtual router instance, e.g., VR01. The access rule must be created on both the local firewall and the remote firewall.

1. On the local firewall, go to **CONFIGURATION > Configuration Tree > Box > your local firewall > Assigned Services > Firewall > Forwarding Rules**.
2. The **Forwarding Rules** window is displayed.
3. Click **Lock**.
4. Click **+** to add a new access rule.
5. For the access rule type, select **Pass**.
6. Enter the name for the access rule, e.g., VPN-S-2-S.
7. Click **Bi-Directional**.
8. Select the virtual router instance for **Source VR Instance** and **Destination VR Instance**, e.g., VR01.
9. For **Source**, click **<explicit-src>** from the list, and enter the network address for the private network behind the local firewall, e.g., 192.168.0.0/24.
10. For **Service**, select **Any** from the list.
11. For **Destination**, click **<explicit-src>** from the list, and enter the network address for the private network behind the remote firewall, e.g., 192.168.1.0/24.
12. For the **Connection Method**, select **Original Source IP**.



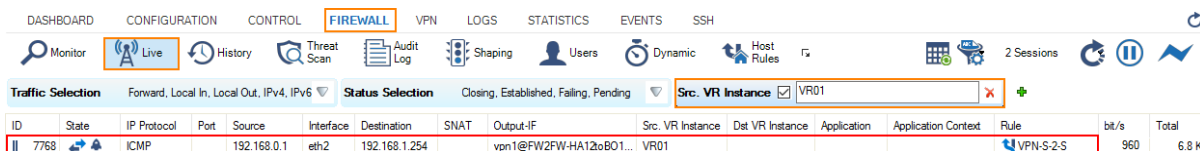
Source	Service	Destination
<explicit-src>	Any	<explicit-dest>
192.168.0.0/24	Ref: Any-TCP Ref: Any-UDP Ref: ICMP ALLIP	192.168.1.0/24

13. Click **OK**.

Repeat the previous steps for the remote firewall.

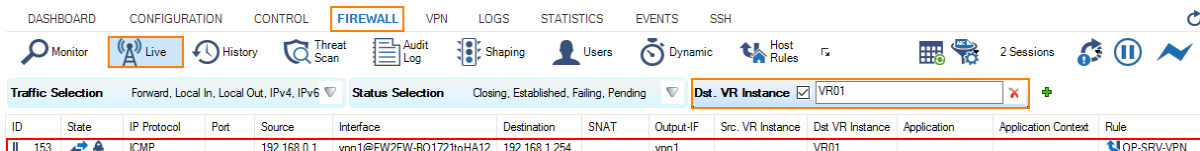
## Verify that the Virtual Tunnel is Forwarding Traffic

1. Attach a client host to the private network behind the local firewall, and configure the standard route pointing to the interface that is managed by the additional virtual router instance, e.g., 192.168.0.254.
2. Start sending ping messages to the gateway address interface on the remote firewall that is managed by the additional virtual router instance, e.g., 192.168.1.254.
3. On the local firewall, go to **FIREWALL > Live**.
4. Set the filter for **Src. VR Instance** to the name of your additional virtual router instance, e.g., VR01.



ID	State	IP Protocol	Port	Source	Interface	Destination	SNAT	Output-IF	Src. VR Instance	Dist VR Instance	Application	Application Context	Rule	bit/s	Total
7768	🔄	ICMP		192.168.0.1	eth2	192.168.1.254		vpn1@FW2FW-HA12toBO1...	VR01			VPN-S-2-S		960	6.8 K

5. In the column **Output-IF**, the firewall displays the name of the VPN tunnel connection, e.g., vpn1@FW2FW-.... Note that the number **1** is part of vpn1@..., indicating the **VPN Interface Index** that was set to 1 at the beginning. The client PC is sending ping messages from its IP address 192.168.0.1.
6. On the remote firewall, go to **FIREWALL > Live**.
7. Set the filter for **Dst. VR Instance** to the name of your additional virtual router instance, e.g., VR01.



ID	State	IP Protocol	Port	Source	Interface	Destination	SNAT	Output-IF	Src. VR Instance	Dist VR Instance	Application	Application Context	Rule
153...	🔄	ICMP		192.168.0.1	vpn1@FW2FW-BO1721toHA12	192.168.1.254		vpn1		VR01		OP-SRV-VPN	

8. In the column **Interface**, the firewall displays the name of the VPN tunnel connection, e.g., vpn1@FW2FW-.... Note that the number **1** is part of vpn1@..., indicating the **VPN Interface Index** that was set to 1 at the beginning. The column Output-IF displays the name of the VPN tunnel, e.g., vpn1.

## (Optional) Verify that a Client Host on the Remote Private Network can be Reached

1. Attach a client host to the private network behind the remote firewall and configure its IP address, e.g., 192.168.1.1.
2. Ensure that there is no local firewall running on the client host. If so, disable the firewall completely on the client host so that all packages can reach the client host.
3. Start sending ping messages from the local client host to the remote client host: On your client host, enter ping 192.168.1.1
4. On the remote firewall, go to **FIREWALL > Live**.
5. Set the filter for **Dst. VR Instance** to the name of your additional virtual router instance, e.g., VR01.

DASHBOARD CONFIGURATION CONTROL **FIREWALL** VPN LOGS STATISTICS EVENTS SSH

Monitor Live History Threat Scan Audit Log Shaping Users Dynamic Host Rules 2 Sessions

Traffic Selection Forward, Local In, Local Out, IPv4, IPv6 Status Selection Closing, Established, Failing, Pending Dest. VR Instance VR01

ID	State	IP Protocol	Port	Source	Interface	Destination	SNAT	Output-IF	Src. VR Instance	Dest VR Instance	Application	Application Context	Rule
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158...		ICMP		212.86.0.11	eth2	212.86.0.254		eth2	VR01	VR01			OP-SRV-VPN

- In the column **Interface**, the firewall displays the name of the VPN tunnel connection, e.g., vpn1@FW2FW-. Note that in this case the access rule is now VPN-S-2-S, which indicates that the ping packages are now forwarded from the VPN service on the remote firewall to the remote client host while traversing the interface eth3 on the virtual router VR01.

## Figures

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