

Application Based Connection Objects

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Use application-based connection objects to select the WAN connection based on the application. Add application-based link polices for each application or application category. Each policy can use a different connection object. Traffic that does not match one of these policies is sent using the default connection object.



Before you Begin

• (optional) Create custom connection objects for each Internet connection.

Step 1. Create the Application Based Connection Object

- 1. Go to **FIREWALL > Connection Object**
- 2. In the APPLICATION BASED CONNECTION OBJECTS section, click Add Connection Object.



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5. Click Save.



Step 2. Add Application Based Link Policies

Edit the application-based connection object you just created and add the application-based link policies. Applications can be added individually, through the application browser, or by application category. All selected applications will use the connection object selected for this policy.

- 1. Stay on the **FIREWALL > Connection Object** page.
- 2. Click \checkmark to edit the application-based connection object you created in Step 1.
- 3. Click Add. The Add Application Based Link Policy pop-over opens.

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- 4. Select the connection object from the **Connection** dropdown.
- 5. Add applications to the links policy by name, application browser and/or category:
 - Start typing the application name in the Select applications textbox and then click on the application from the list.

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- Click **Browse** to select the applications in the application browser.
- Select the application categories from the **Categories** list.



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	Uncategorized	□ ^		
	Standard Network			
.	File Sharing P2P	•		
3	VOIP			
191	Conferencing			
•	Instant Messaging			
1	Media Streaming			
4	Proxies and Anonymizers			
(I)	Tunneling			
Q	File Storage and Backup			
P	Games			
	Mobile			
	Business			

6. Click **Save**.

The application-based link policy is now listed in the in the application-based connection object.

Name 🔺	Connection \$ Applications	Categories	Actions
Facebook	Dynamic SNAT Facebook		Ø 🖬 🖬
FileSharing	SNAT with DHCP IP	L. File Sharing P2P	Ø 🖻 🖬

Step 3. Edit the Access Rule to use the Application Based Connection Object

- 1. Go to **FIREWALL > Firewall Rules**.
- 2. Double-click on the access rule you want to use the Application Based Connection Object. The **Edit Access Rule** pop-over opens. E.g., **LAN-2-INTERNET**
- 3. Select the application-based connection object created in Step 1 from the **Connection** dropdown.



Edit Access Rule ③ Advanced General Bi-directional: Yes No Action: Name: LAN-2-INTERNET Allow Ŧ Disable Description: IPS: Yes O No Allows internet access from Trusted LAN for typical applications. Application Control: Yes O No No URL Filter: Yes DNAT (port forwarding) - Redirect traffic to a specific IP Connection: address Virus Protection: Yes No AppBasedConnectionObject Redirect to Service - Redirect traffic to a service on the Barracuda Firewall. SSL Inspection: ○ Yes ● No Bi-directional - Source and destination networks are Adjust Bandwidth: interchangeable. URL Filter, Virus Protection and SSL Inspection depend Internet Ŧ on Application Control enabled. URL Filter and Virus The interface must have bandwidth management enabled Protection require a valid Web Security subscription. on the NETWORK > IP Configuration page for this policy to be applied Network Services Source Destination Any Any Any v + ÷ v +Ref: Trusted LAN Any Ref: Internet -_ _ 4. Click Save.

To check which outgoing interface is used for a connection, go to **BASIC > Active**

Connections or **BASIC** > **Recent Connections** and check the **SNAT** column.

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