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Users Guide

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ABOUT THIS GUIDE

The *Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In Users Guide* provides you with information on installing and configuring the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In.

Intended Audience The guide is intended for system administrators responsible for installing, configuring, or using plug-in components on your IBM Security QRadar SIEM Console.

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INSTALLING THE NSM PLUG-IN

You can use the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In to view policy details from the Juniper Networks NSM server for an event.

This section includes the following topics:

- [NSM Plug-In Overview](#)
- [Installing the NSM Plug-In](#)

NSM Plug-In Overview

Juniper Networks Network and Security Manager (NSM) is a software application that centralizes control and management of your Juniper Networks devices. Juniper Networks NSM delivers integrated, policy-based security and network management for all devices.

Ensure you have the latest QRadar SIEM patch installed on your IBM Security QRadar SIEM Console (Patch 7.0.0.182810 or later).

Installing the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In results in the httpd and Tomcat processes automatically restarting. This causes a service disruption while the processes restart.

Installing the NSM Plug-In

To install the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In:

Step 1 Using SSH, log in to QRadar SIEM as the root user.

Username: **root**

Password: **<password>**

Step 2 To verify that you have the `nsm_plugin-7.0.0-<build>.i386.rpm` file, type the following command:

```
ls /opt/qradar/rpms
```

Where `<build>` is the related build number.

If the file is not listed, go to [Step 3](#). If the file is listed, go to [Step 4](#).

Step 3 Mount the QRadar SIEM installation ISO file and install the NSM Plug-in rpm:

- a To mount the IBM Security QRadar SIEM installation ISO file, type the following command:

```
mount -o loop <path to the QRadar ISO> /media/cdrom
```

Where **<path to the QRadar SIEM ISO>** is the directory path to where the installation ISO is stored.

- b Type the following command to unpack and install the NSM Plug-in rpm:

```
rpm -Uvh  
/media/cdrom/post/qradar/nsm_plugin-7.0.0-<build>.i386.rpm
```

Where **<build>** is the related QRadar SIEM build number.

The package manager automatically unpacks and installs the NSM Plug-in rpm.

The NSM Plug-in installation is complete when the following text is displayed:

```
Starting Tomcat: [ok]  
Starting httpd: [ok]
```

- c Go to **Step 5**.

Step 4 Type the following command:

```
rpm -Uvh /opt/qradar/rpms/nsm_plugin-7.0.0-<build>.i386.rpm
```

Where **<build>** is the related QRadar SIEM build number.

The package manager automatically unpacks and installs the NSM Plug-in rpm.

The NSM Plug-in installation is complete when the following text is displayed:

```
Starting Tomcat: [ok]  
Starting httpd: [ok]
```

Step 5 Log in to the QRadar SIEM user interface:

```
https://<IP Address>
```

Where **<IP Address>** is the IP address of the QRadar SIEM system.

Username: **admin**

Password: **<password>**

The target directory `/opt/qradar/conf/webplugins/117/` must exist on your QRadar SIEM system and is automatically created when you log in to the QRadar SIEM user interface.

Step 6 Choose one of the following options:

- To connect to a Juniper NSM 2010 device, go to **Step 7**.
- To connect to another Juniper NSM version, go to **Step 10**.

Step 7 Using SSH, log in to QRadar SIEM as the root user.

Username: **root**

Password: **<password>**

Type the following command to copy the server certificate from your Juniper NSM appliance to QRadar SIEM:


```
scp root@<NSM IP
address>:/usr/netscreen/GuiSvr/lib/webproxy/conf/server.crt
/opt/qradar/conf/webplugins/117/nsmPlugin.cert
```

Where **<NSM IP address>** is the IP address of the Juniper Networks NSM server.

The server.crt file is copied from the Juniper Networks NSM appliance and renamed to nsmPlugin.cert on your QRadar SIEM Console. If an error occurs and the target directory does not exist, go back to [Step 5](#) and log in to QRadar SIEM again.

- Step 8** Type the following command to set the file permission for the directory and the nsmPlugin.cert file:

```
chown nobody:nobody
/opt/qradar/conf/webplugins/117/nsmPlugin.cert
```

- Step 9** Type the following command to restart Tomcat:

```
service tomcat restart
```

- Step 10** Log in to the QRadar SIEM user interface:

```
https://<IP Address>
```

Where **<IP Address>** is the IP address of the QRadar SIEM system.

Username: **admin**

Password: **<password>**

- Step 11** Click the **Admin** tab.

- Step 12** On the navigation menu, click **Plug-ins**.

The NSM Plug-in Settings icon is displayed.

NOTE

If multiple users or remote users are viewing the **Admin** tab, you may need to refresh your browser for the NSM Plug-in Settings icon to be displayed.

You are now ready to set up your plug-in. For more information, see [Setting Up the Plug-In](#).

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SETTING UP THE PLUG-IN

The Juniper Networks NSM Plug-in allows IBM Security QRadar SIEM to integrate with your Juniper Networks NSM appliance to view policy-based security and network management information from NSM appliances. Before you can view policy information, you must configure QRadar SIEM permissions and user roles.

This section includes the following topics:

- [Configuring the Server Settings](#)
- [Setting User Permissions](#)
- [Setting User Preferences](#)

Configuring the Server Settings

After you have successfully installed the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-in, you must configure your QRadar SIEM Console with the IP address and port number of your Juniper Networks NSM appliance.

To configure the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In settings:

- Step 1** Click the **Admin** tab.
- Step 2** In the navigation menu, click **Plug-ins**.
- Step 3** In the Plug-In Configuration pane, click the **NSM Plug-in Settings** icon.
- Step 4** In the **NSM Server URL** field, type the IP address or hostname of the Juniper Networks NSM server to which you want to connect.
For example, `https://192.168.2.1:8443`.
- Step 5** Click **Save Changes**.

Setting User Permissions

You must ensure that each QRadar SIEM user who requires access to the Juniper NSM Plug-in has been assigned the appropriate user permissions. You must have administrative privileges to configure user roles in QRadar SIEM.

To set the appropriate user permissions for the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-in:

- Step 1** Click the **Admin** tab.
- Step 2** On the navigation menu, click **System Configuration**.

Step 3 In the User Management pane, click the **User Roles** icon.

Step 4 Choose one of the following options:

- a If you want to create a new role, click **Create Role**.
- b If you want to edit an existing role to include NSM Plug-in Settings, click the **Edit** icon for the role which requires the assigned permissions.

Step 5 Select the user permissions for the NSM Plug-in Settings:

- **Launch NSM Client** - Select this check box if you want to allow users to launch the NSM Client from the main user interface. By default, this check box is clear.
- **View NSM Policy Details from Events interface** - Select this check box if you want to allow users to view policy details for the Juniper Networks NSM server from the Log Activity page. By default, this check box is clear.

Step 6 Select the remaining permissions.

For more information on role permissions, see the *IBM Security QRadar SIEM Administration Guide*.

NOTE

Make sure you have Events permissions to access the policy details.

Step 7 Complete the steps of the wizard.

Step 8 On the **Admin** tab, click **Deploy Changes**.

Setting User Preferences

All users with the **View NSM Policy Details from Events interface** role permission must enter their user settings to authenticate their user account with the Juniper Networks NSM server. This ensures that appropriate users are able to view policy details for an event.

To configure user details:

Step 1 In the upper-right corner of the IBM Security QRadar SIEM user interface, click **NSM Preferences**.

NOTE

If your administrator has not completed the configuration of the plug-in, an information message is displayed. Contact your system administrator to complete the configuration before continuing. For more information, see [Configuring the Server Settings](#).

Step 2 Enter values for the following parameters:

- **NSM Login** - Type your user name, as defined on the Juniper Networks NSM server.
- **NSM Password** - Type your password, as defined on the Juniper Networks NSM server.
- **NSM Domain** - Type your domain, as defined on the Juniper Networks NSM server. The default is global.

Step 3 Click **Save Changes**.

NOTE

If your credentials are rejected by the Juniper Networks NSM server, but you have verified your access information, your IP address may be blocked by the Juniper Networks NSM server as a result of too many failed login attempts. Contact your Juniper Networks NSM server administrator to unblock the following IP address: 127.0.0.1 using the **Tools > Manage Blocked Hosts** option in the Juniper Networks NSM client.

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USING THE PLUG-IN

After you have configured and set up the plug-in, you can view policy event information.

This section includes the following topics:

- [Launching NSM](#)
- [Viewing Policy Details](#)

Launching NSM

This section provides information about launching NSM.

To launch NSM:

Step 1 In the upper-right corner of the IBM Security QRadar SIEM user interface, click **Launch NSM**.

Step 2 Choose one of the following options:

- If you are using FireFox and this is the first time you are launching NSM, go to [Step 3](#).
- If you are using Microsoft® Internet Explorer 8.0 or 9.0, with Compatibility View enabled, and this is the first time you are launching NSM, go to [Step 4](#).
- If you have previously launched NSM, go to [Step 5](#).

Step 3 To launch NSM for the first time using FireFox:

- a In the Opening window, select the **Open with** option.
- b Click **Browse**.
- c Select the NSM executable from the appropriate directory:
 - For NSM 2010, the file path is c:\Program Files\Network and Security Manager\NSM.exe.
 - For previous NSM versions, the file path is c:\Program Files\NSM\NSM.exe.
- d Click **OK**.
- e Select the **Do this automatically for files like this from now on** check box.
- f Click **OK**.
- g Go to [Step 5](#).

- Step 4** To launch NSM for the first time using Internet Explorer 8.0 or 9.0, with Compatibility View enabled, you must:
- a Create a new association for the .nsm extension and change the extension to access the NSM.exe file. Select the NSM executable from the appropriate directory:
 - For NSM 2010, the file path is c:\Program Files\Network and Security Manager\NSM.exe.
 - For previous NSM versions, the file path is c:\Program Files\NSM\NSM.exe.
 For more information on creating a file association, see your vendor documentation.
 - b Go to **Step 5**.
- Step 5** Type the necessary login credentials for the Juniper Networks Client.
- Step 6** Click **OK**.
- For more information, see your Juniper documentation.

Viewing Policy Details

After the Juniper Networks NSM Plug-In is installed and configured, you can view policy details using the Log Activity page. However, before you can view policy details, you must add the Policy column to the Log Activity page display.

This section includes the following topics:

- [Adding the Policy Column](#)
- [Viewing Policy Details](#)

Adding the Policy Column

To add the NSM Policy column to the Log Activity page:

- Step 1** Click the **Log Activity** tab.
- Step 2** From the **Search** list box, select **New Search**.
- Step 3** From the **Available Columns** list, select **NSM Policy (custom)**.
- Step 4** Select the arrow to move the item to the Column list.

NOTE

For information about additional search parameters, see the *IBM Security QRadar SIEM Users Guide*.

- Step 5** Click **Filter**.
- The Log Activity page displays the Policy (custom) column.

Viewing Policy Details

To view policy details:

- Step 1** Click the **Log Activity** tab.
- Step 2** Navigate to the event on which you want to view policy details.

For more information on navigating the Log Activity pane, see the *IBM Security QRadar SIEM Users Guide*.

Step 3 In the Policy (custom) column of the event you selected in **Step 2**, right-click on the column to access additional menu options.

Step 4 From the menu, select **More options > View NSM Policy Details**.

NOTE

The More options menu item is not available in Streaming mode.

Each Juniper Networks NSM policy includes groups of rule bases and rules. This window provides details of the selected NSM policy and details of the associated rules for this policy. This window may require several minutes to populate depending on the amount of data.

For more information on the Juniper Networks NSM policy, see your Juniper Networks NSM documentation.

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- [Notices](#)
- [Trademarks](#)

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