

# Cisco Advanced Web Security Reporting

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## Introduction

Cisco® Advanced Web Security Reporting Application is a reporting solution that rapidly indexes and analyzes logs produced by Cisco Secure Web Appliance (formerly Web Security Appliance) and Cisco Umbrella. This tool provides scalable reporting for customers with high traffic and storage needs. It allows reporting administrators to gather detailed insight into web usage and malware threats.

## Directory-Group-Based Reporting

With Advanced Web Security Reporting Application, administrators can generate reports based on a group or user ID, as defined within a central authentication server such as Active Directory. Reports can be created easily along functional or geographical boundaries that have been defined by the authentication groups. Roles can be created to allow managers to view reports only for a defined set of directory groups (such as the groups that they manage), protecting the privacy of individuals who are not within those groups.

human resources  
Access controls » Roles » human resources

Default app  
cisco\_wsa\_reporting

Search restrictions  
Restrict the scope of searches run by this role. Search results for this role will only show events that also match this search string.

Restrict search terms  
department="Human Resources"

Restrict search time range  
-1

User-level concurrent search jobs limit  
3

User-level concurrent real-time search jobs limit  
6

### Setting up the directory-group-based reporting

## Detailed Layer 4 Traffic Monitor Visibility

Administrators can run reports on activities on nonweb ports. These Layer 4 Traffic Monitor (L4TM) reports connect hosts associated with particular ports and users, and they can be used to identify malicious behavior on nonstandard ports - behavior that would evade many traditional web-security solutions.

## SOCKS Reporting

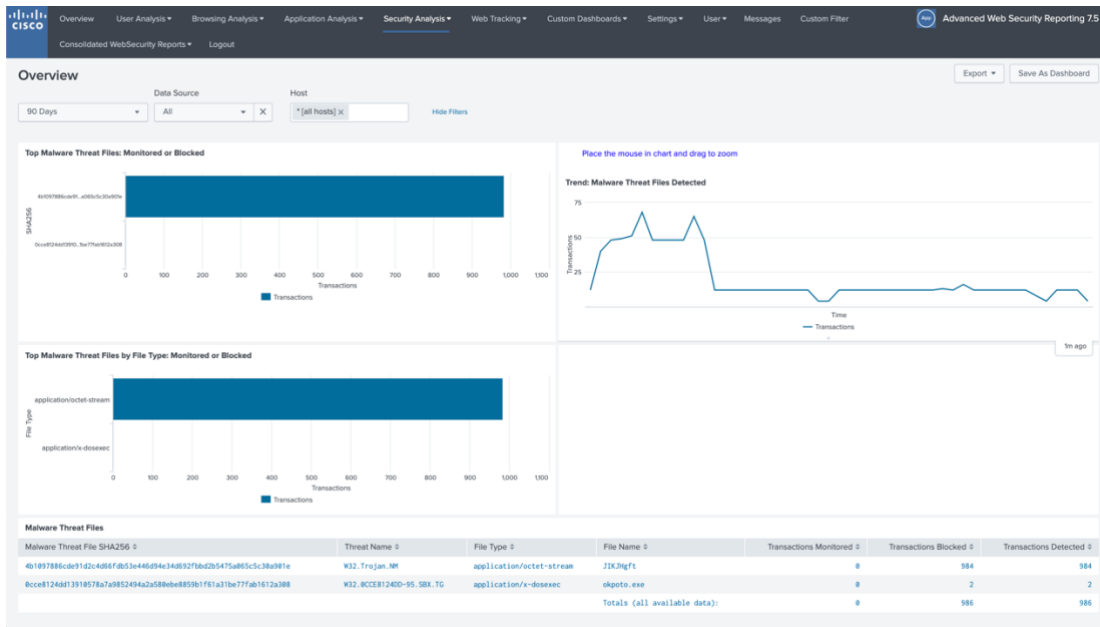
For customers using Socket Secure (SOCKS) proxy settings, administrators get information about SOCKS traffic.

## Historical Data Import

Historical logs can be imported during forensic investigations. Logs from any time period can be imported into the reporting tool for analysis, allowing human resources and legal personnel to conduct forensic investigations spanning several years. Administrators can focus on a specific user's web activity, if needed.

# Advanced Malware Protection Reporting

Featuring file reputation scoring and blocking, static and dynamic file analysis (sandboxing), and file retrospection for the continuous analysis of threats, even after they have traversed the Secure Web Appliance. This reporting application consolidates data provided by the Cisco Advanced Malware Protection solution that produces a single pane of glass for even richer analysis for administrators to gather more detailed insight into web usage and malware threats.



Advanced Malware Protection reporting

# Cisco Umbrella Reports support

You can point the Advanced Web Security Reporting application to the AWS bucket containing logs provided by Umbrella. You can view the reports in the Consolidated Web Security Reports dashboards.

Pulls Logs from Cisco CWS/Umbrella

client\_id: CWS Client ID/AWS Bucket  
umbrella-splunk-se-logs

s3\_key: S3 Key for retrieving Logs  
[Redacted]

s3\_secret: S3 Secret for retrieving Logs  
[Redacted]

More settings:

Interval: 3600  
Number of seconds to wait before running the command again, or a valid cron schedule (leave empty to run this script once)

Source type: Set sourcetype field for all events from this source.  
Set sourcetype: Manual

Source type: ciscoumbrella  
If this field is left blank, the default value will be used for the source type.

Host: Set the host with this value.  
umbrellahost

Index: Set the destination index for this source.  
main

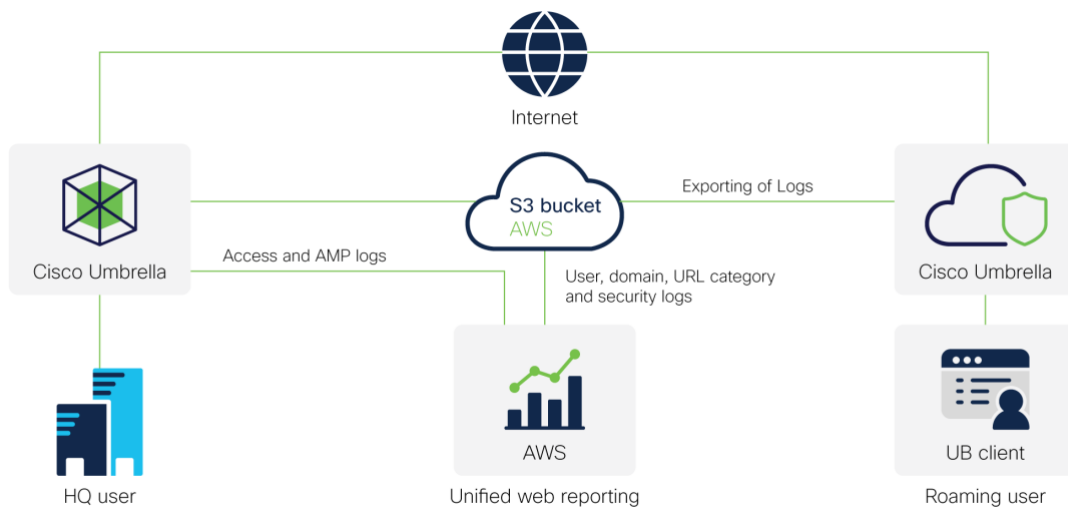
Buttons: Cancel, Save

Setting up the Cisco Umbrella S3 bucket configuration

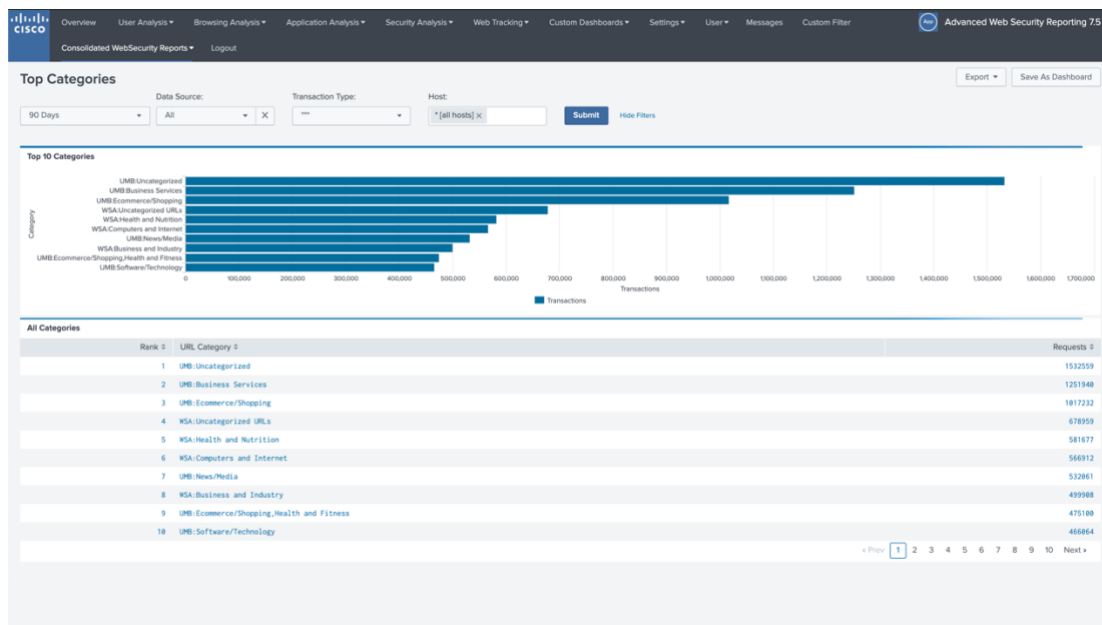
# Consolidated Web Security Reports

You can view consolidated reports from Cisco Umbrella and Secure Web Appliances under following categories:

- Overview
- Activity Search
- Security Activity
- Top Domains
- Top Categories
- Top Users
- Top Security Categories



Consolidated web security reporting architecture



Consolidated Secure Web Appliance and Umbrella Top 10 URL Categories sample report

# Who Should Use Web Reporting?

Built-in reporting capabilities on Cisco Web Security and Security Management Appliances fulfill the reporting needs of most Cisco customers. Advanced Web Security Reporting is an advanced reporting solution for customers who need extended storage for high transaction volumes or directory-group-based reporting. It also serves as a “single pane of glass” for customers who have deployed a hybrid web security solution. The Cisco Web Reporting report format is identical to reports already available on Cisco S-Series and M-Series appliances.

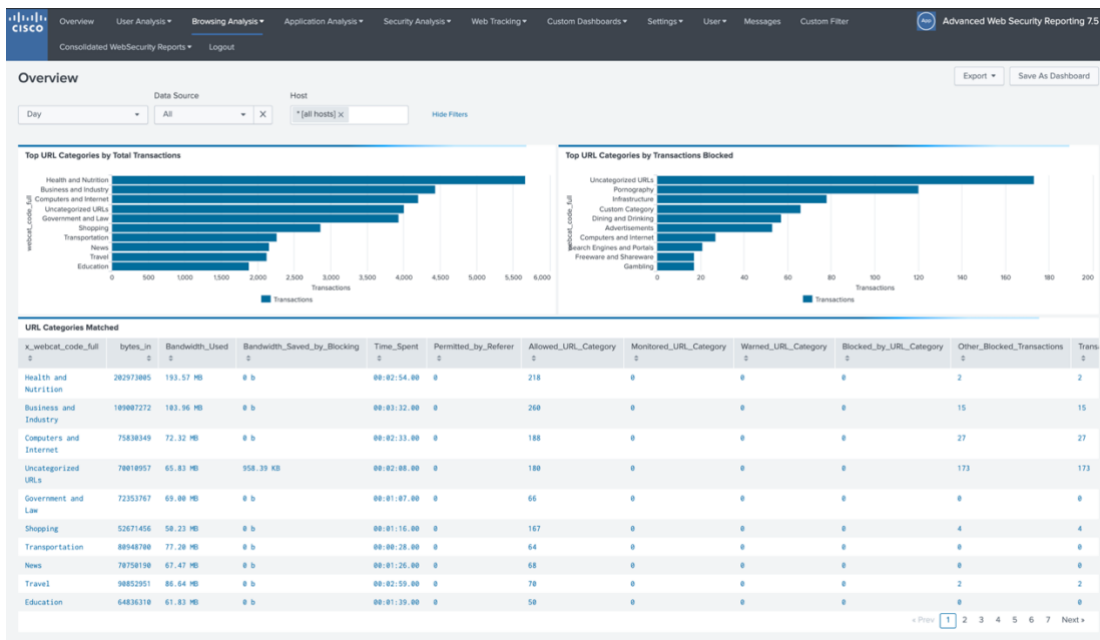
## What Does the Latest Release of Cisco Web Reporting Include?

- **Unified Web Security Reporting:** The Cisco Advanced Web Security Reporting Application integrates diverse information into a single display for easier monitoring of your web security, regardless of deployment (Figure 1). The reporting application polls log data collected from multiple Secure Web Appliances and Umbrella for predefined reports. Customers can also perform ad-hoc searches using the flash timeline view and web-tracking forms.
- **Scale and Performance:** Advanced Cisco Web Security Reporting Application aligns with the introduction of data tiers across seat bands, allowing for purchase flexibility based on daily log volume requirements.
  - **Low tier:** This version meets the limited data needs of current customers who use 2 MB of data per user per day.
  - **High tier:** This version is for Hybrid Web Security and Enterprise License Agreement (ELA) customers whose users have higher data requirements (6 MB per user per day).

There are two types of deployment options available for AWSR.

- Single-instance Deployment
- Distributed Deployment

\* Please note that these options include only a license for Web Security Reporting. The offering does not include Configuration and Policy Management licenses.



Reports for URL Categories and Transactions Blocked

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## System requirements

Advanced Web Security Reporting runs on Microsoft Windows and Red Hat Linux. Refer to “Requirements for Advanced Web Security Reporting” section in [release notes](#) for details on the system requirements for specific release of Advanced Web Security Reporting application.

Please talk to your Cisco account team and refer to the documentation to understand the hardware specifications you will need to run the Cisco Web Reporting Application at your organization.

## Ordering Information:

Ordering Cisco Advanced Web Security Reporting is simple. There are two bundles are available based on per day data limit.

### The top level SKUs are:

#### Web Security Reporting – Lower Tier:

SMA-WSPL-LOW-LIC=; that this license has a data limit of 2 MB per user per day.

#### Web Security Reporting – Higher Tier:

SMA-WSPL-HIGH-LIC=; this license has a higher data limit of 6 MB per user per day.

Refer to the [Cisco ordering guide](#) for subscription SKU.

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