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McAfee Next Generation Firewall 5.9.1

McAfee VPN Client for Windows

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About this release

This document contains important information about the current release. We strongly recommend that you read the entire document.

McAfee® VPN Client (VPN Client) for Windows is an end-user component for use with McAfee® Next Generation Firewall (McAfee NGFW). The VPN Client provides a secure remote connection to your company network. Strong encryption prevents eavesdropping and modification of the traffic. The VPN Client provides easy and secure remote access to private networks where McAfee NGFW is used as a VPN gateway.

System requirements

The VPN Client is compatible with several Microsoft Windows operating systems and needs a specific software environment.

- Use any of these operating systems, 32-bit or 64-bit:
    - Windows 10
    - Windows 8.1

- Windows 7 with Service Pack 1
- Windows Vista with Service Pack 2
- Microsoft .NET Framework 4.5

Build version

The VPN Client 5.9.1 for Windows build version is 5.9.1.2911.

Product binary checksums

Use the checksums to make sure that the installation files downloaded correctly.

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McAfee-VPN-Client-5.9.1.2911.exe
MD5SUM:
1c4457778270b897372a10a62ad2d1f0
SHA1SUM:
cfb1dcf19556f48c22f5fd22ce65f27af5304cb3
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McAfee-VPN-Client-x64.msi
MD5SUM:
a8f759cb2194c8cf06cd0a5d54858f9d
SHA1SUM:
b9c40f3f691a164ac25aa1adbb5d4fdb32dc864d
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McAfee-VPN-Client-x86.msi
MD5SUM:
0a1c1bc9aa3dfd452eeb4588ad8edda5
SHA1SUM:
12d9c01970713022bd6647c8b45f16429777858e
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Compatibility

The VPN Client is recommended for use with these McAfee NGFW component versions.

Component	Minimum compatible version	Recommended version
Security Management Center (SMC)	5.8.1	Latest 5.9.x maintenance version
McAfee NGFW in the Firewall/VPN role		

New features

This release of the product includes this new feature.

Windows

Windows 10 operating system is now supported.

Resolved issues

These issues are resolved in this release of the product. For a list of issues fixed in earlier releases, see the Release Notes for the specific release.

- Resolves an issue where packet latency is high and throughput through the SSL VPN tunnel slow when using the VPN Client. Performance is now significantly better when the VPN Client is used with McAfee NGFW 5.10. (1073241)

- Resolves an issue where starting the McAfee VPN Client Policy Manager sometimes fails after Windows hibernation. (1094977)

- Resolves an issue where VPN is not disabled after clicking the **Disable** button in the **Authentication** dialog box when SSL VPN is used. (116050)

- Resolves an issue where DNS cache can contain incorrect information after reconnecting when using SSL VPN. External and internal DNS server IP address entry responses are different, because the local cache contains outdated information. (116058)

Installation instructions

For information about installing or upgrading the VPN Client, see the *McAfee VPN Client Product Guide* and *McAfee VPN Client User Guide*.

Before upgrading your Windows operating system to Windows 10, it is mandatory to uninstall the existing VPN Client. On Windows 10, use the latest VPN Client version (5.9.1).

Known issues

For a list of known issues in this product release, see this McAfee KnowledgeBase article: KB83467.

Find product documentation

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Task

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Product documentation

Every McAfee product has a comprehensive set of documentation.

- *McAfee Next Generation Firewall Product Guide*

> ℹ Help is available online. To install Help locally, see KB84639.

- *McAfee Next Generation Firewall Installation Guide*

Other available documents include:

- *McAfee Next Generation Firewall Quick Start Guide*
- *McAfee Next Generation Firewall Hardware Guide* for your model
- *McAfee SMC API Reference Guide*
- *McAfee VPN Client User Guide* for Windows or Mac
- *McAfee VPN Client Product Guide*

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