



# Branch Office VPN mit TLS VPN Anbindung per TCP 443

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# BoVPN over TLS

- Site-to-Site VPN mit TLS 1.2
  - Standortanbindung
  - Basierend auf Client/Server
  - Hub and Spoke Topology
- Vorteile
  - Anbindung kleiner Standorte, “Kiosk Systeme”,  
Ladenketten, Homeoffice, etc.
  - Nutzt TCP 443 (ist aber kein HTTPS)



# BOVPN over TLS

- BOVPN over TLS nutzt TCP Port 443  
(üblicherweise erlaubt in Netzwerken)
- In folgenden Fällen als Alternative zu IPSec  
BOVPN empfohlen:
  - Außenstellenanbindung in eingeschränkten und nicht selbst kontrollierten Lokationen, bei denen IPSec BOVPN unterbunden wird.  
z.B. "Shared Office", Einkaufszentren, Krankenhäuser
  - IPSec Datenverkehr wird nicht korrekt durch den ISP, oder verwendete Hardware (Router / Modem) verarbeitet.
  - IPv6 Light Anschlüsse



# BOVPN Over TLS

- BOVPN over TLS nutzt ein Client/Server Modell
  - Eine Firebox im Server mode, kann VPN-Tunnel zu einer oder mehreren Fireboxen im Client mode herstellen.
  - Eine Firebox im Client mode kann VPN-Tunnel zu einer oder mehreren Fireboxen im Server mode herstellen.
  - Eine Firebox kann nicht gleichzeitig als Server und Client genutzt werden.
  - Unterstützt nur Hub-and-Spoke Topology
- BOVPN over TLS Unterstützung nur für Firebox Gegenstellen.
- BOVPN over TLS kann in Fireware v12.1 nur per Fireware Web UI konfiguriert werden.



# BOVPN Over TLS

## ■ Aktivierung Client Mode

Branch Office VPN over TLS

Enable Branch Office VPN over TLS to configure a hub-and-spoke VPN when IKE/IPSec traffic is not allowed.

Branch Office VPN over TLS is **Enabled In Client Mode**. Click to [Change Mode or Disable](#).

**Client Settings**

BOVPN over TLS Servers

ENABLED	TUNNEL NAME	PRIMARY SERVER	DESCRIPTION
Yes	BovpnTLS.1	198.51.100.2	Tunnel to the Toronto TLS server

[ADD](#) [EDIT](#) [REMOVE](#)



# BOVPN Over TLS

## ■ Konfiguration des Client mode

BOVPN over TLS (Client Mode) / Edit Server

Specify the connection settings for a BOVPN over TLS server that can create a tunnel with this BOVPN over TLS client.

Tunnel Name: BovpnTLS.1

Description: Tunnel to the Toronto TLS server Optional

Enable

Specify the Firebox IP addresses or domain names for client connections.

Primary Server: 198.51.100.2

Backup Server:  Optional

For authentication, specify a Tunnel ID to identify this Firebox and a pre-shared key.

Tunnel ID: TLSTunnel1

Pre-Shared Key:

Advanced Options

Add this tunnel to the BOVPN-Allow policies



# BOVPN Over TLS

- **Advanced Settings** ermöglicht Anpassungen der Authentication und Encryption Settings
- Der TCP data channel ist dauerhaft auf Port 443
- Soll ein anderer Port als 443 genutzt werden, muss UDP zum Einsatz kommen
- **Import configuration file** ist nur zu Testzwecken vorhanden und wird bald entfernt.

The image displays two side-by-side 'Advanced Settings' configuration windows. Both windows have identical field layouts:

- Virtual IP Address Pool:** 192.168.113.0 / 24
- Authentication:** SHA-256
- Encryption:** AES (256-bit)
- Data channel:** TCP : 443 (in the top window) or UDP : 443 (in the bottom window)
- Keep-Alive Interval:** 10 seconds
- Keep-Alive Timeout:** 60 seconds
- Renegotiate Data Channel:** 8 hours

At the bottom of the bottom window, there are 'SAVE' and 'CANCEL' buttons.



# BOVPN Over TLS

- VPN Tunnel zu mehreren TLS Servern sind möglich

Branch Office VPN over TLS

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Branch Office VPN over TLS is **Enabled In Client Mode**. Click to [Change Mode](#) or [Disable](#).

**Client Settings**

BOVPN over TLS Servers

ENABLED	TUNNEL NAME	PRIMARY SERVER	DESCRIPTION
Yes	BovpnTLS.1	198.51.100.2	Tunnel to the Toronto TLS server
Yes	BovpnTLS.2	192.0.2.2	Tunnel to the New York TLS server

[ADD](#) [EDIT](#) [REMOVE](#)



# BOVPN Over TLS

- Aktivierung Server mode

BOVPN over TLS Mode

Specify the BOVPN over TLS mode. The Firebox can operate as a BOVPN over TLS client or a BOVPN over TLS server, but not both at the same time.

Firebox Mode

Specify the Firebox IP addresses or domain names for client connections.

Primary Server

Backup Server  (Optional)



# BOVPN Over TLS

## ■ Konfiguration Server mode

BOVPN over TLS (Server Mode) / Add Client

Specify the connection settings for a BOVPN over TLS client that can create a tunnel with this Firebox.

Tunnel ID: TLSTunnel1

Description: (Optional)

Pre-Shared Key: \*\*\*\*\*

Enable

Client Routes:

- Send all client traffic through the tunnel
- Specify the destination addresses that the client will route through the tunnel

Server Routes: Specify the destination addresses that the server will route through the tunnel.

DESTINATION	METRIC
10.0.50.0/24	101

Add this tunnel to the BOVPN-Allow policies

**SAVE**   **CANCEL**



# BOVPN Over TLS

## ■ Konfiguration Server mode

Branch Office VPN over TLS

Enable Branch Office VPN over TLS to configure a hub-and-spoke VPN when IKE/IPSec traffic is not allowed.

Branch Office VPN over TLS is **Enabled In Server Mode**. Click to [Change Mode or Disable](#).

**Server Settings**

Specify the Firebox IP addresses or domain names for clients to connect to.

Primary Server	198.51.100.2	Backup Server	192.0.2.2
<a href="#">EDIT</a>			

Aliases for the BOVPN over TLS clients in this list are automatically created for use in firewall policies.

ENABLED	TUNNEL ID	DESCRIPTION
Yes	TLSTunnel1	

[ADD](#) [EDIT](#) [REMOVE](#)

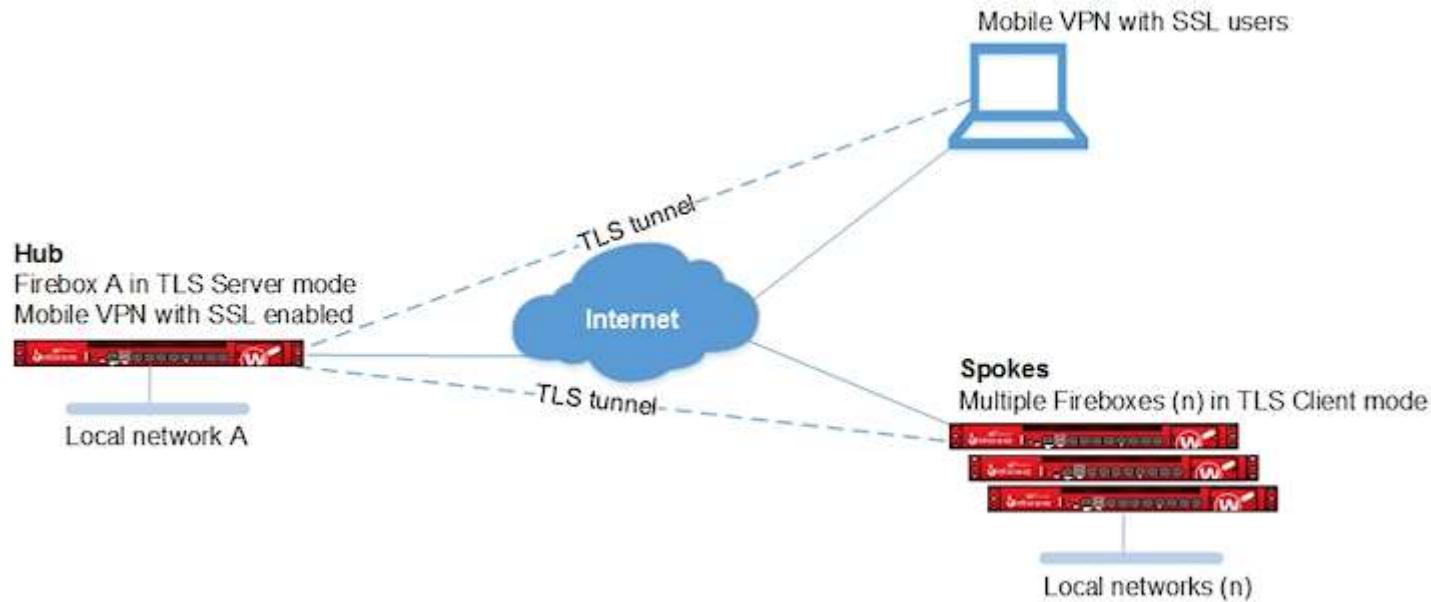
The BOVPN over TLS server is configured to use **TCP port 443** and assign IP addresses to clients from **192.168.113.0/24**.

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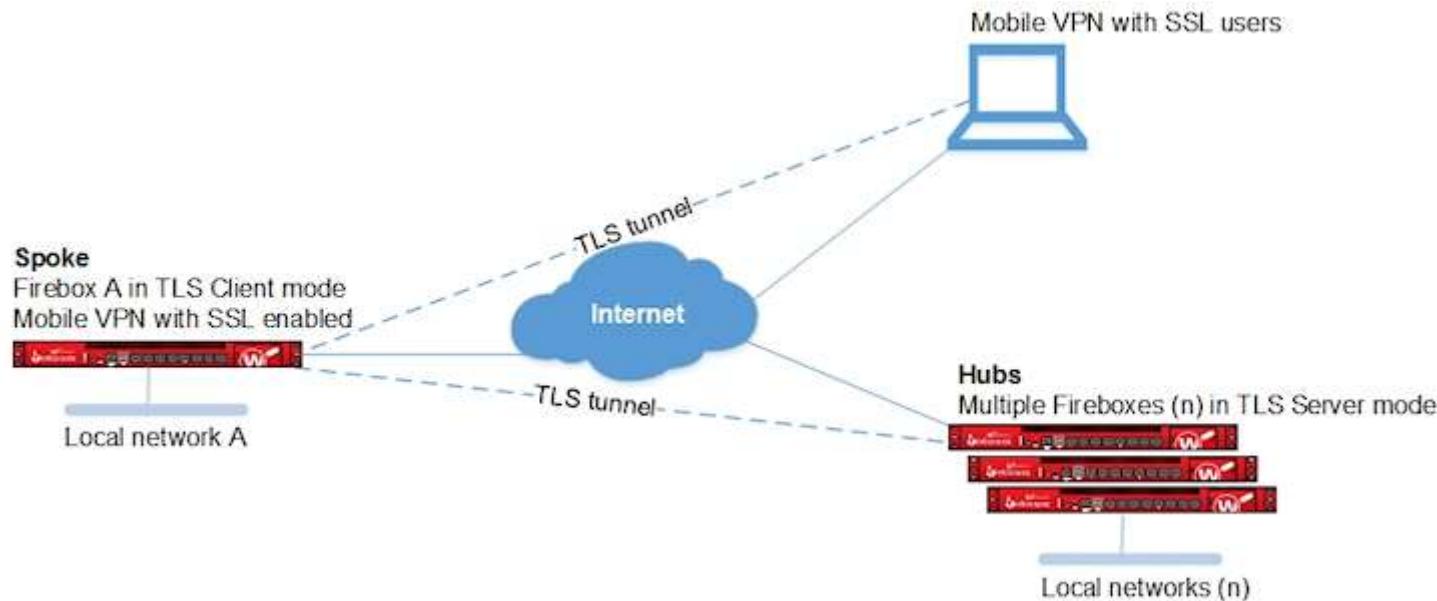
# BOVPN Over TLS

- Option 1: TLS server connects to multiple TLS clients



# BOVPN Over TLS

- Option 2: TLS client connects to multiple TLS servers



# BOVPN Over TLS

- System Status > VPN Statistics > Branch Office VPN zeigt den Status der BOVPN over TLS Tunnel

The screenshot shows the WatchGuard VPN Statistics interface. The 'Branch Office VPN' tab is selected. On the left, there is a 'Show All' dropdown menu. A red box highlights this menu, and a red arrow points from it to the 'TLS Tunnels' option in a secondary dropdown menu on the right. The 'TLS Tunnels' section is also highlighted with a red box. It contains two entries: 'TLS Tunnel: TLSTunnel1' and 'TLS Tunnel: TLSTunnel2', each with an 'EDIT' button.

# BOVPN Over TLS

- Unsupported features:
  - Drop-in Mode
  - Bridge Mode
  - Active/active FireCluster
  - IP address ranges
  - BOVPN NAT
  - Dynamic routing over the VPN tunnel
  - Multicast traffic over the VPN tunnel
  - Policy-based routing
- Third-party certificates werden nicht supported





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Vielen Dank

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