Welcome to the December 2025 Content Newsletter
Our Year in Review

December edition offers a curated recap of all the content we delivered across 2025, along with the latest updates from December. From Product Documentation and Blogs to Videos and KB Articles, this newsletter is your one-stop snapshot of the year.

We'd love to hear your feedback and suggestions on what you'd like to see more of in the coming year.

Product Documentation – Release Notes

22 release notes delivered for **13** releases for various Qualys Products

Infrastructure Security	
Enterprise TruRisk™ Platform 3.23	Enterprise TruRisk™ Platform Release 10.36.2
Enterprise TruRisk™ Platform 3.23 API	Enterprise TruRisk™ Platform Release 10.36.2 API
Vulnerability Management, Detection and Response 2.8	

Cloud & SaaS Security	
TotalCloud 2.20	Container Security 1.41
TotalCloud 2.20 API	Container Security 1.41 API
Container Security Sensor 1.41.0	SaaS Detection and Response Release 1.12.0 API
QScanner 4.7.0	

IT Operations	
Custom Assessment and Remediation 2.7	Custom Assessment and Remediation 2.7 API

Audit and Compliance Management	
Policy Audit Release 1.6	Policy Audit Release 1.6 API

Application Security	
TotalAI 1.6.1	TotalAI 1.6.1 API

Platform and Sensor Management	
Connector 2.13	Unified Dashboard Release 2.10
Connector 2.13 API	Network Passive Sensor 2.1

View all Release Notes

Rewind 2025: Most Viewed Release Notes

Qualys Cloud Agent for Windows Release 6.3

Container Security Release 1.41

Custom Assessment and Remediation Release 2.7

Container Security Sensors Release 1.41.0

Qualys Enterprise TruRisk™ Platform Release 10.31.3 API

Content Enhancement

Content Collation

To elevate the customer experience, we've collated and centralized all product documentation for each specific product in a single place. This consolidation ensures quick and seamless access to all the information you need.

Customer-Centric Benefits

- Find everything you need in one place with a unified source for all product documentation, designed for your convenience.
- Navigate effortlessly and discover content quickly, without the hassle of searching through multiple documents.
- Get clear, concise information with no repetitive content, saving you time and ensuring a smoother experience.
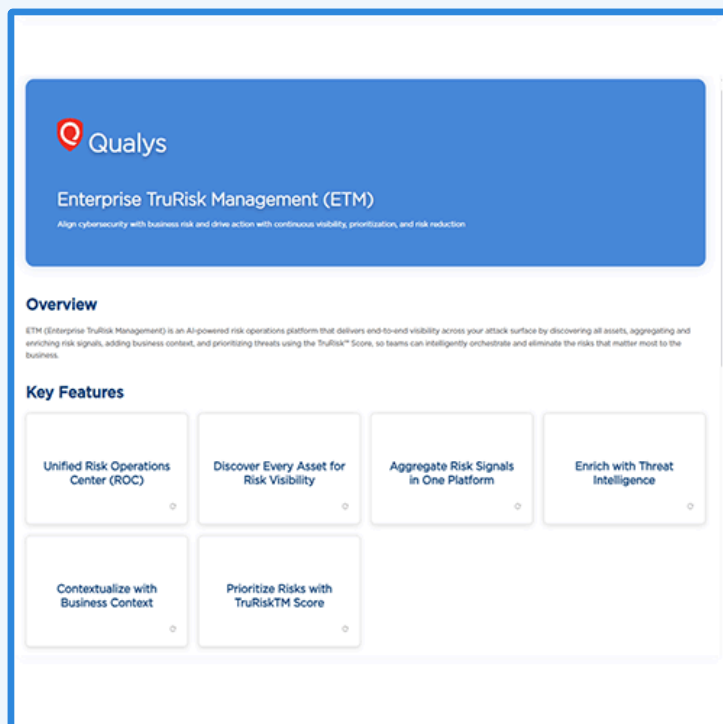
What Does It Include?

The comprehensive product documentation includes Online Help, API User Guides, Release Notes, Knowledge Base Articles, and product-specific video libraries all accessible from a single location.

Quick Link To Collated Content

TAS **TotalAppSec Product Documentation**
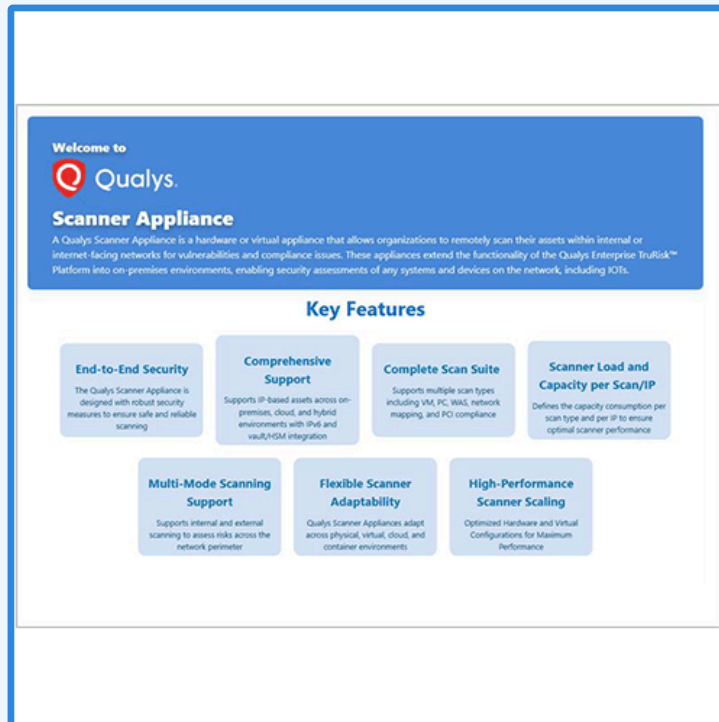
New Landing Pages

ETM Landing Page

Discover our new Enterprise TruRisk Management (ETM) documentation hub for AI-powered risk operations.

A centralized documentation hub for ETM, the Risk Operations Center that unifies asset discovery, risk intelligence, and TruRisk™-based prioritization across the enterprise.
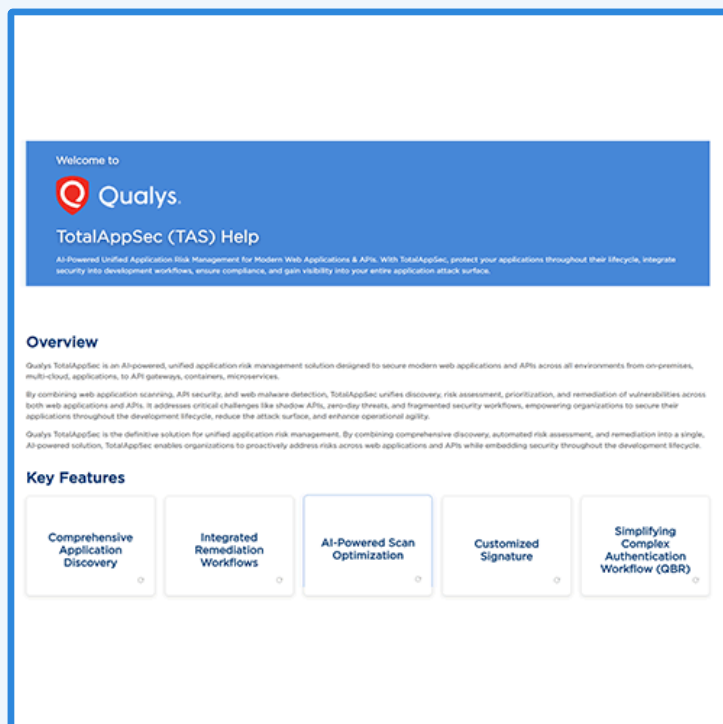
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Scanner Landing Page

We designed a dedicated landing page for the Scanner collated documentation with a focus on structure, clarity, and usability.

It serves as a single entry point that organizes scanner-related information in a logical and easy-to-navigate manner.

The thoughtfully planned structure supports smooth user journeys, improves discoverability, and enables faster onboarding.

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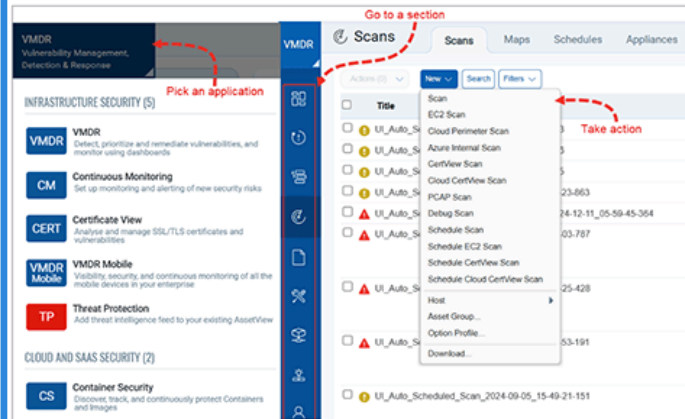
TotalAppSec (TAS) Landing Page

Navigate the TotalAppSec journey with our new, collated, unified help page.

Find everything from asset discovery to compliance scanning, all powered by AI-driven insights.

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Getting Started

VM/VMDR Online Help

- We merged VM and VMDR documentation into one streamlined experience.

- Created a single consolidated resource for vulnerability management and detection workflows.

- Ensured faster answers with unified documentation: less searching, more securing

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Get Started with Qualys Gateway Service

Qualys Gateway Service (QGS) is a packaged virtual appliance developed by Qualys that provides proxy services for Qualys Cloud Agent deployments that require proxy connectivity to connect agents to the Qualys Cloud Platforms.

Qualys Gateway Service is managed using a new module user interface on the Qualys platform. From this interface, one can create, register, monitor, and manage QGS virtual appliance deployments.

The QGS virtual appliance is separate from the virtual scanner appliance used for Vulnerability Management and Policy Audit/Policy Compliance scanning. The QGS virtual appliance provides caching and proxy services for Cloud Agent deployments. It also provides proxy services for Qualys Scanner and Qualys Network Passive Sensor.

The QGS virtual appliance provides proxy services for Cloud Agent deployments, Qualys Scanner, and Qualys Network Passive Sensor and caching service for Cloud Agent deployments.

Qualys Gateway Service

- We created a collated page for Qualys Gateway Service documentation.

- Consolidated deployment guides, configurations, and platform support in one hub

- Streamlined navigation, which lets users find proxy setup and caching guidance effortlessly.

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Patch Management & Mitigation

- We created a unified, collated page for Patch, Mitigation, and Isolation documentation.

- Consolidated Windows, Linux, Mac patching guides with automation workflows.

- Streamlined access for training videos, APIs, knowledge articles in one hub.

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Custom Assessment and Remediation (CAR) Help

With Qualys CAR, you can easily create and deploy custom detections, remediations, and configurations while usi security processes for managing vulnerabilities and configurations.

CAR Online Help Landing Page

- We created an interactive landing page for decoding CAR, loaded with clickable cards & visual workflows.

- Included journey maps, training videos, API docs & guides in one hub.

- Eliminated confusion, reduced onboarding time, accelerated CAR implementation

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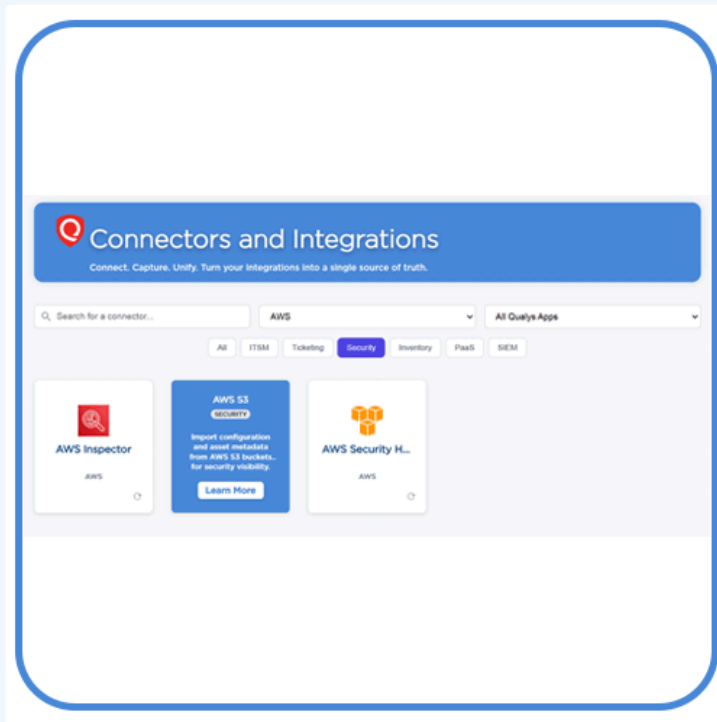
Connector Landing Page

- We created an interactive, centralized & searchable hub with all Qualys Connector

- Deployed instant search and smart filtering by categories & metadata.

- Eliminated guesswork, accelerated integration deployment & ensured optimized operational efficiency.

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Integrations Hub

- Created an interactive hub showcasing 35+ integrations across 7 categories.

- Built search and filter functionality for quick integration discovery.

- Organized SIEM, CI/CD, CMDB/ITSM & ticketing solutions in a centralized hub.

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Quick Access to Latest Content Updates

Scan to Discover What's New in Content!

Scan the QR code to get instant access to our What's New page: Discover the latest enhancements, feature releases, collated content landing pages and much more.

[What's New In Content](#)

Qualys Threat Research Updates

December 2025

Threat Research Newsletter

Stay informed to keep your systems secure and resilient

This Month's Update

8 Vulnerabilities exploited in the wild

20 Cloud misconfiguration risk exposure

React2Shell: React Server Components Remote Code Execution Vulnerability

This Month's Top Critical Vulnerabilities, Cloud Misconfigurations, and OpenSSH

yber hreats are constantly evolving, making it essential for businesses to stay informed and proactive. This month's updates cover the late security threa s, vulnerabilities, and attack trends that could affect your organization. Stay updated to protect your assets better and maintain strong security posture.

December - Threat Research Updates

Rewind 2025: Year's Most Critical Vulnerabilities

CVE-2025-53770 (Malware: 4L4MD4r, X2ANYLOCK, LockBit, Qilin, WebShell)

CVE-2025-31324 (Malware: RansomEXX, BianLian, Qilin)

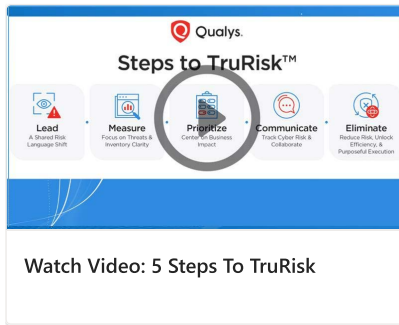CVE-2025-0282 (Malware: MedusaLocker, HeartCrypt)

CVE-2024-55591 (Malware: RansomHub, Qilin, Hunters International, DragonForce)

CVE-2025-49706 (Malware: Warlock, X2ANYLOCK, 4L4MD4r)

5 Steps to Qualys TruRisk

This video brings together all the blogs and webinars to quickly get you started with 5 steps to TruRisk.

ROCon 2025 Masterclasses

Dive deep into technical trainings from ROCon Houston & Mumbai 2025!

If you missed any ROCon trainings or wish to refresh your understanding, new and updated trainings are now available to you in our Video Library.

Technical Training Recap

DeRisk Web Application and APIs with Qualys TotalAppSec

Stay Continuously Audit Ready with Qualys Policy Audit

Streamline your Implementation using Qualys APIs

Strengthen Your Cloud Security Posture with Qualys TotalCloud

Rewind 2025: Most Viewed Training Videos

Introduction To VMDR

Add Scannable Host Assets to VMDR

Qualys Enterprise TruRisk Platform Overview

Performing Basic Cloud Agent Management Tasks

Creating Asset Tags for VMDR Scans and Reports
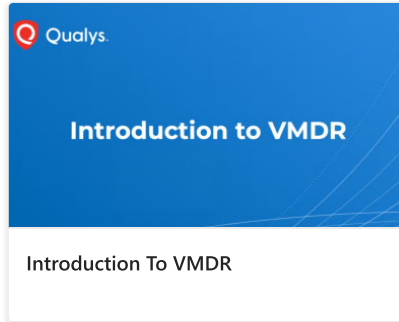
Instructor-Led Trainings

We encourage you to register for our upcoming Instructor-Led Trainings (online).

View Upcoming Schedule

Qualys Blogs

Do read the thoughts brought by subject matter experts to highlight new trends in products and their functionality.

View the newly published **10** blogs, covering a variety of information from Product and Technical Perspectives to Vulnerabilities and Qualys Insights.

Patch Management

Active Exploitation of 7-Zip RCE Vulnerability Shows Why Manual Patching is No Longer an Option	ShadyPanda: The Silent Browser Takeover Threat and How Qualys TruRisk Eliminate Helps You Stop It

Product and Technical

Your Guide to PCI DSS 4.0.1 Web Application and API Controls with a Simplified Path to Compliance	Navigating Change: Evolving Your Exposure Management Strategy in a Post-Kenna World with Qualys
Scale AI Securely with Qualys TotalAI's Streamlined Onboarding, Deeper Risk Detection, and Compliance-Ready Reporting	

Vulnerabilities and Threat Research

React2Shell: Decoding CVE-2025-55182 – The Silent Threat in React Server Components	

Patch Tuesday

Microsoft and Adobe Patch Tuesday, December 2025 Security Update Review	

Notifications

Application Security Detections Published in December 2025	Policy Compliance Library Updates, December 2025
Qualys Container Sensor Compatibility With Docker Version 29	

Rewind 2025: Most Viewed Blogs

Qualys TRU Discovers Two Vulnerabilities in OpenSSH: CVE-2025-26465 & CVE-2025-26466

Lessons from Qilin: What the Industry's Most Efficient Ransomware Teaches Us

DeepSeek Failed Over Half of the Jailbreak Tests by Qualys TotalAI

When Dependencies Turn Dangerous: Responding to the NPM Supply Chain Attack

Qualys TRU Uncovers Chained LPE: SUSE 15 PAM to Full Root via libblockdev/udisks

Knowledge Base Articles

Access our **13** Knowledge Base articles and **5** updated WAS Runbooks. A Runbook is a step-by-step guide that helps you gather required details for a Qualys Support case, and perform basic health checks before contacting Support. This enables more efficient troubleshooting and faster resolution.

Updated WAS Runbooks

- [Data Required to Troubleshoot Web Application Scanning (WAS) Issues](#)
- [Data Required to Troubleshoot WAS Authentication](#)
- [Data Required to Troubleshoot WAS Scans Issues](#)
- [Data Required to Troubleshoot WAS Reports Issues](#)
- [Data Required to Troubleshoot WAS False Positive or False Negative Issues](#)

Knowledge Base Articles

VM/VMDR

- [Resolving 'Missing Host ID' and 'Missing Port' Errors in VMDR Jira Integration](#)
- [Troubleshooting a MAP Scan That Does Not Progress Beyond Error or Queued Status](#)
- [How to Provide Dashboard Access to a Reader User in Qualys](#)
- [Understanding "Exclude Superseded Patches" in Qualys VMDR Reports.](#)
- [Understanding Red Hat Enterprise Linux (RHEL) EUS and E4S Detection in Qualys](#)
- [How to Manually Delete Assets and External Sites from the Qualys UI](#)
- [How to Verify LTSS Status on SUSE Linux Enterprise Server](#)
- [Troubleshooting "Hosts Not Alive"](#)
- [Virtual Scanner Capacity Based on Hardware](#)

Qualys Gateway Service

- [How to Verify the Installed QGS Version When It Is Not Displayed in the UI](#)

Global AssetView (GAV) / Cybersecurity Asset Management (CSAM)

- [How the 'Last Updated' Date for Open Ports Is Updated in CSAM Asset Details](#)

File Integrity Monitoring

- [FIM Manifest Deployment Fails or Does Not Apply](#)

Cloud Agent

- [Cloud Agent Files Required by Qualys Support for Troubleshooting](#)

Rewind 2025: Most Viewed KB Articles

Search QID information in Qualys Vulnerability Knowledge Base

Cloud Agent Platform Availability Matrix (PAM)

Authentication Technologies Matrix

Detection of ROBOT

Chain issues show "Contains Anchor" when scanning through SSL Labs

Explore More!

Deep dive into other Qualys Products Features & Resources here:

Release Notes | **Documentation** | **Video Library** | **Trainings** | **Blogs**

We look forward to keeping you informed with the latest product releases, features, and content enhancements. Feel free to share your feedback with us at ContentExperience@qualys.com.