

How to Create File Type Control Rule

Environment : Comodo Dome Secure Web Gateway

Summary : In order to restrict which file types can be downloaded by your users you can choose to restrict file types from specific website categories or all categories by creating file type control rule.

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Prerequisites

- It is assumed that you have already C1 account
- It is assumed that you have already Dome [SWG](#) instance in your C1 portal

Configuration Steps:

Step 1 : *Connecting Dome SWG Portal*

- Login to C1 portal from <https://one.comodo.com>
- Go to Application --> cDome Standard
- Cdome Standard (SWG) portal will be opened on another tab

Step 2: Creating File Type Control Rule

- Go to Configuration --> Web Content Policy --> File Type Control Rule
- Click on "**New File Type Control Rule**"
- Enter Name Policy Name and Remark
 - **Name:** Enter your desired policy name to identify the file type control rule in the 'Name' field.
 - **Remark :** Enter a description about the policy in the 'Remark' field and
- Click '**Next**' to proceed or '**Profile**' to specify categories
- Select File Type :** Select the file formats you want to restrict from the available list in the 'Select File Type' field
- Select Category:** Select the category of websites from where you want to the selected file types to be blocked.
- Click on **Create** button then new file type control rule will be added into **File Type Control Profiles** list
- You can delete or modify the existing **File Type Control Profiles** from Actions column.

Step 3 : Using File Type Control Rule in Policy

- Navigate to Configuration --> Policy
- Click on "New Policy" to create new policy
- After you configure the required settings (name & select objects) in policy wizard then navigate to Apply Policy section then you select your **File Type Control Profiles**.
- When you click on "Create" button then changes will be effective on the selected users.