

KEYSIGHT CLOUDLENS WITH RIVERBED APPRESPONSE QUICKSTART GUIDE IN AWS



PROBLEM:

Organizations, even those not typically associated with technology, are migrating to the cloud. This trend is growing because the cloud offers increased flexibility and agility. With this mass migration, organizations have more segments to manage and more potential blind spots in their networks. Regardless of where infrastructure and applications reside, security and compliance needs remain the same. Organizations are finding that their traditional network visibility solutions are unable to meet their needs for visibility of cloud-based data.

SOLUTION:

CloudLens™, Keysight's platform for public, private and hybrid cloud visibility addresses the challenges of granular data access in the cloud. CloudLens is a solution that provides network tap and packet brokering services in the cloud. It is also the industry's first cloud service-provider agnostic visibility platform. This guide describes how to deploy Riverbed AppResponse together with CloudLens visibility in AWS (but CloudLens is also available in Azure, GCP or other clouds).

KEY CLOUDLENS FEATURES:

- Cloud visibility management is controlled by the cloud customer, not reliant on the cloud provider
- Elastically scales on-demand – so visibility auto-scales horizontally along with the Virtual Machines monitored and the Virtual Machines that are needed to do the monitoring
- Reduces errors occurring due to complex and manual cloud configuration
- Easy to use and setup with a drag and drop interface
- Reduces bandwidth to tools by filtering packets at the source Virtual Machines, eliminating unwanted traffic so tools operate optimally
- Supports monitoring of Linux, Windows, and Containers
- Allows sharing of monitor traffic to multiple destinations.
- Supports monitoring of multi-cloud environments

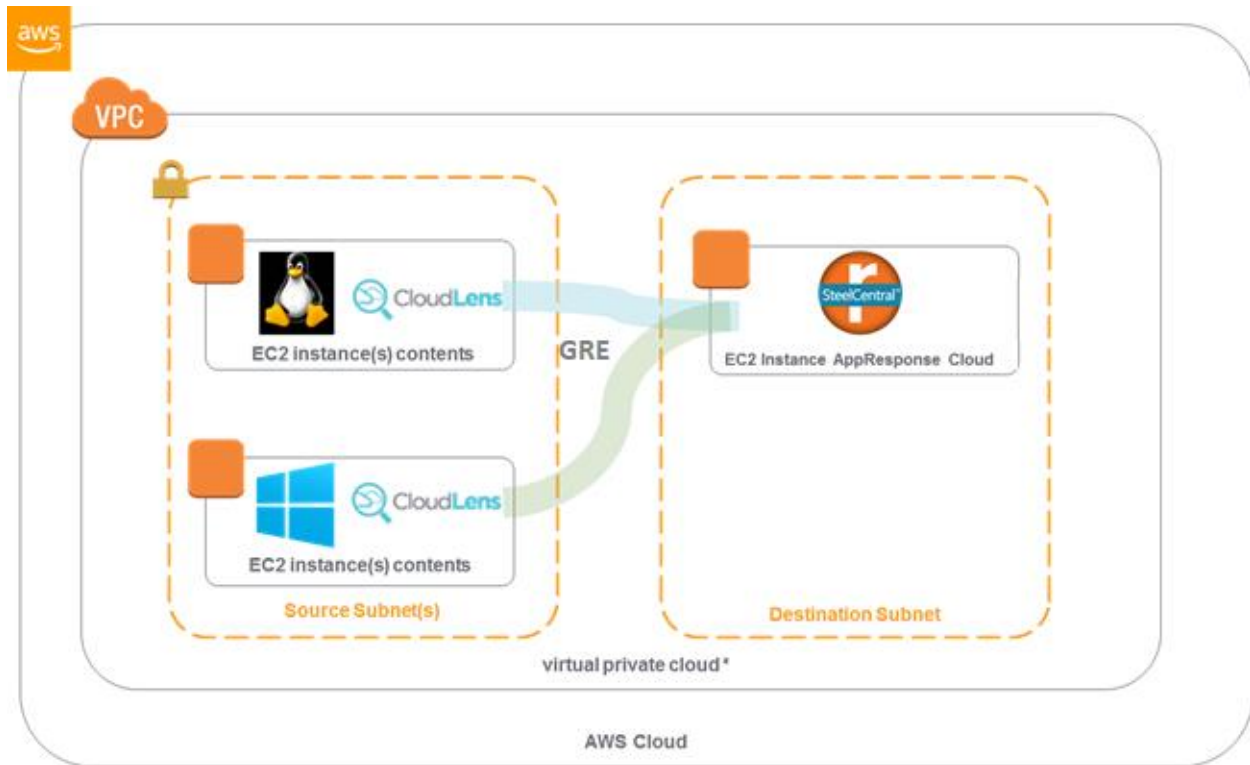
ABOUT THIS GUIDE;

This guide is meant to summarize steps required for interoperability of Keysight CloudLens and Riverbed AppResponse Cloud. Not all details of every configuration step of each product is detailed here. Full product installation and user guides are available from cloudlens.support@keysight.com and support@riverbed.com respectively. This guide also assumes working familiarity with configuration of AWS. Examples shown in this guide were tested with Keysight CloudLens v6.1.0, and AppResponse Cloud v 11.11.5

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1. Sample deployment architecture



* Shown above is a sample deployment, monitored sources instances can be located in any subnet, VPC, or AWS Region. CloudLens Sensors run on customer AWS instances, register up to the CloudLens Manager which manages them and forwards desired traffic to the destination using GRE tunneling.

In this sample set up we will be creating one sample Windows 2019 instance and an AWS Linux instances (other Linux types are also supported) as source instances. Mirrored and filterer traffic will be sent over GRE tunnels to Riverbed AppResponse.

Only two source instances are shown in this diagram, however many source instances are permitted (your CloudLens license determines now many CloudLens Sensors which the CloudLens manager is allowed to control. **(see CloudLens documentation for instructions on Licensing)**

NOTE: in this guide it is assumed you have already installed CloudLens Manager into your AWS account. Please see CloudLens User Guide for details of that installation procedure

2. Deploying Riverbed AppResponse.

Please refer to Riverbed's guide for complete details on how to deploy AppResponse in AWS. Here below are the main steps.

SteelCentral™ AppResponse Cloud

AppResponse Cloud Deployment and Configuration Guide For AWS

Version 11.11.5

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2.1. Log into the AWS Portal. Click "Launch Instance" within the EC2 service.

The screenshot shows the AWS Management Console interface for selecting an instance type. The breadcrumb trail at the top indicates the current step is '2. Choose Instance Type'. Below the breadcrumb, there is a heading 'Step 2: Choose an Instance Type' followed by a brief description of Amazon EC2 instance types. The main area contains a table of instance types with various filters and columns. The 't2.xlarge' instance type is selected, highlighted in blue. At the bottom right, there are navigation buttons: 'Cancel', 'Previous', 'Review and Launch', and 'Next: Configure Instance Detail'.

Family	Type	vCPUs	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GiB)	EBS-Optimized Available	Network Performance	IPv6 Support
t2	t2.nano	1	0.5	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
t2	t2.micro	1	1	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
t2	t2.small	1	2	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
t2	t2.medium	2	4	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
t2	t2.large	2	8	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
t2	t2.xlarge	4	16	EBS only	-	Moderate	Yes
t2	t2.xlarge	8	32	EBS only	-	Moderate	Yes
t3	t3.nano	2	0.5	EBS only	Yes	Up to 5 Gigabit	Yes
t3	t3.micro	2	1	EBS only	Yes	Up to 5 Gigabit	Yes
t3	t3.small	2	2	EBS only	Yes	Up to 5 Gigabit	Yes
t3	t3.medium	2	4	EBS only	Yes	Up to 5 Gigabit	Yes
t3	t3.large	2	8	EBS only	Yes	Up to 5 Gigabit	Yes
t3	t3.xlarge	4	16	EBS only	Yes	Up to 5 Gigabit	Yes

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1. Choose AMI 2. Choose Instance Type 3. Configure Instance 4. Add Storage 5. Add Tags 6. Configure Security Group 7. Review

Step 3: Configure Instance Details

No default VPC found. Select another VPC, or create a new default VPC.

Configure the instance to suit your requirements. You can launch multiple instances from the same AMI, request Spot instances to take advantage of the lower pricing, assign an access management role to the instance, and more.

Number of instances Launch into Auto Scaling Group

Purchasing option Request Spot instances

Network Create new VPC
No default VPC found. Create a new default VPC.

Subnet Create new subnet
240 IP Addresses available

Auto-assign Public IP

Hostname type

DNS Hostname Enable IP name IPv4 (A record) DNS requests
 Enable resource-based IPv4 (A record) DNS requests
 Enable resource-based IPv6 (AAAA record) DNS requests

Placement group Add instance to placement group

Capacity Reservation

Domain join directory Create new directory

IAM role Create new IAM role

Shutdown behavior

2.2. Add a second storage as recommended by Riverbed

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1. Choose AMI 2. Choose Instance Type 3. Configure Instance 4. Add Storage 5. Add Tags 6. Configure Security Group 7. Review

Step 4: Add Storage

Your instance will be launched with the following storage device settings. You can attach additional EBS volumes and instance store volumes to your instance, or edit the settings of the root volume. You can also attach additional EBS volumes after launching an instance, but not instance store volumes. Learn more about storage options in Amazon EC2.

Volume Type	Device	Snapshot	Size (GiB)	Volume Type	IOPS	Throughput (MB/s)	Delete on Termination	Encryption
Root	/dev/xvda	snap-0b99d66f8e8b3ae49	1863	General Purpose SSD (gp2)	5569	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not Encrypted
EBS	/dev/sdb	Search (case-insensit)	1024	General Purpose SSD (gp2)	3072	N/A	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not Encrypted

Add New Volume

Free tier eligible customers can get up to 30 GB of EBS General Purpose (SSD) or Magnetic storage. Learn more about free usage tier eligibility and usage restrictions.

Shared file systems

You currently don't have any file systems on this instance. Select "Add file system" button below to add a file system.

Add file system

Cancel Previous Review and Launch

Configure Security Group Inbound rules to allow GRE and ICMP traffic from CloudLens Sensors

Inbound rules (4)

Filter security group rules

<input type="checkbox"/>	Security group rule...	Type	Protocol	Port range	Source
<input type="checkbox"/>	sgr-05e5c311c12009fdb	All ICMP - IPv4	ICMP	All	TrafficSourceIPs/xx
<input type="checkbox"/>	sgr-04e49ff1ababa2bc8	SSH	TCP	22	AppResponseAdmin/32
<input type="checkbox"/>	sgr-079ff82faacdaa8eb	HTTPS	TCP	443	AppResponseUsers/xx
<input type="checkbox"/>	sgr-0b623c0ae74ed05...	GRE (47)	GRE (47)	All	TrafficSourceIPs/xx

TrafficSourceIP.xx is the range of IPs from the Cloudlens Source Instances, ie, the VMs from which you will get traffic from

Cloudlens 6.1.0 note. It is possible to not require the opening of ICMP port from Cloudlens source instances running Linux, see Section 9 for more details.

2.3. Log in to AppResponse. User is admin and default password is your AWS <instance-id>

riverbed

SteelCentral™ AppResponse

Sign in to appresponse

Initializing application...

2.4. Add Riverbed licenses. Administration – OTHER- Licensing

appresponse /SteelCentral™ AppResponse

11.12.0 #39084 • ip 10.1.1.199 • VSCAN-AWS-010 • Jan 3, 2022 6:45:56 AM PST admin | Sign out

For the details of System Health, please check Administration > System Status: System Health

- Product Health problem detected
- Time Synchronization problem detected

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Licensing

License Information

For the details of System Health, please check Administration > System Status: System Health

- System License problem detected
- Product Health problem detected
- Time Synchronization problem detected

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All Traffic Today 5:41 AM - 6:24 AM

Insights

User Response Time | Round Trip Time | Total Throughput | Connection Requests

Mbps

5:42 AM 5:44 AM 5:46 AM 5:48 AM 5:50 AM 5:52 AM 5:54 AM 5:56 AM 5:58 AM 6:00 AM 6:02 AM 6:04 AM 6:06 AM 6:08 AM 6:10 AM 6:12 AM 6:14 AM 6:16 AM 6:18 AM 6:20 AM 6:22 AM 6:24 AM

Applications Server IPs Client IPs IP Conversations

- SYSTEM SETTINGS**
 - General
 - System Operations
 - System Health Notifications
 - Default User Preferences
 - Storage Configuration
- GENERAL TRAFFIC SETTINGS**
 - Capture Jobs/Interfaces
 - Traffic Analysis Filters
 - Packet Format
 - SSL Decryption
- ACCOUNT MANAGEMENT**
 - Authentication
 - User Administration
- INTEGRATION**
 - NetProfiler Integration
 - Portal Integration
 - Integration Links
- FEATURE SETTINGS**
 - CXA Module
 - DBA Module
 - UCA Module
 - Preferred IPs
 - Server Response Time (TCP)
 - Web Page Analysis
 - Web Traffic Masking
 - Web User Session Tracking
 - SSL/TLS Analysis
 - DNS Analysis
- SYSTEM STATUS**
 - System Health
 - Hardware/Storage
 - Traffic Diagnostics
 - Flow Export Status
 - System Alert Events
 - Audit Trail
 - Downloads
- OTHER**
 - User Preferences
 - Licensing

3. Creating a Windows Source Instance in AWS.

Note: this assumes you don't already have a Windows instance running that you want to monitor, if your Windows instance is already running you can skip ahead to Step 5. (however please also make note of required security group settings in Section 9).

3.1. Step 1 – Log into the AWS Portal. Click “Launch Instance” within the EC2 service.

Create Instance

To start using Amazon EC2 you will want to launch a virtual server, known as an Amazon EC2 instance.

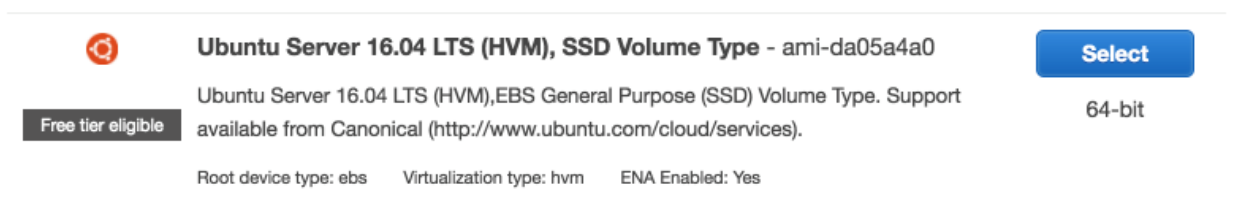
Launch Instance

Note: Your instances will launch in the US East (N. Virginia) region

3.2. Choose Windows 2019 Server. Click “Select”



and



3.3. Enter Virtual Machine instance type (e.g. t2.xlarge)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	General purpose	t2.xlarge	4	16	EBS only	-	Moderate	Yes
	t2	t2.large	2	8	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes

3.4. Select configuration details

Configure the instance to suit your requirements. You can launch multiple instances from the same AMI, request Spot instances to take advantage of the lower pricing, assign an access management role to the instance, and more.

Number of instances ⓘ [Launch into Auto Scaling Group](#) ⓘ

Purchasing option ⓘ Request Spot instances

Network ⓘ ⓘ [Create new VPC](#)
No default VPC found. [Create a new default VPC.](#)

Subnet ⓘ ⓘ [Create new subnet](#)
239 IP Addresses available

Auto-assign Public IP ⓘ

Hostname type ⓘ

DNS Hostname ⓘ Enable IP name IPv4 (A record) DNS requests
 Enable resource-based IPv4 (A record) DNS requests
 Enable resource-based IPv6 (AAAA record) DNS requests

Placement group ⓘ Add instance to placement group

Capacity Reservation ⓘ

Domain join directory ⓘ ⓘ [Create new directory](#)

IAM role ⓘ ⓘ [Create new IAM role](#)

Shutdown behavior ⓘ

Stop - Hibernate behavior ⓘ Enable hibernation as an additional stop behavior

Enable termination protection ⓘ Protect against accidental termination

Monitoring ⓘ Enable CloudWatch detailed monitoring
Additional charges apply.

Tenancy ⓘ ⓘ
Additional charges will apply for dedicated tenancy.

3.5. Add storage

Volume Type ⓘ	Device ⓘ	Snapshot ⓘ	Size (GiB) ⓘ	Volume Type ⓘ	IOPS ⓘ	Throughput (MB/s) ⓘ	Delete on Termination ⓘ	Encryption ⓘ
Root	/dev/sda1	snap-0d440ae44c5a94ef9	<input type="text" value="30"/>	General Purpose SSD (gp2)	100 / 3000	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not Encrypted

[Add New Volume](#)

3.6. Add Tags as desired, allows for easier identification and grouping of instances in CloudLens

Key (128 characters maximum)	Value (256 characters maximum)	Instances ⓘ	Volumes ⓘ	Network Interfaces ⓘ
<input type="text" value="Owner"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⓘ
<input type="text" value="Options"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⓘ
<input type="text" value="Name"/>	<input type="text" value="Demo Windows 2019 Server"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ⓘ

[Add another tag](#) (Up to 50 tags maximum)

3.7. Assign a security group

Please see list of CloudLens required port numbers in Section 7 of this document for guidance when creating or editing your security group.

▼ Inbound rules

Q Filter rules

Security group rule ID	Port range	Protocol	Source
sgr-0c0426c977e37b291	443	TCP	CloudlensManagerIP/32
sgr-0a422094109ada7c9	3389	TCP	MyAdminPC-RDP

3.8. Launch the instance with the correct key pair

The screenshot shows the AWS console interface for launching an instance. On the left, the 'AMI Details' section is expanded, showing the 'Microsoft Windows Server 2019 Base' AMI. Below this, the 'Instance Type' section shows a table with one entry: 't2.large' with 2 vCPUs and 8 GB of memory. The 'Security Groups' section shows the 'Cloudlens-Demo-Security_Group' with a description 'launch-wizard-4 created 2022-01-03T14:27:06.023+01:00'. On the right, a modal dialog titled 'Select an existing key pair or create a new key pair' is open. The dialog contains explanatory text about key pairs, a note about adding the key pair to the instance's authorized keys, and two dropdown menus. The first dropdown is set to 'Choose an existing key pair' and the second is set to 'gustavo_aws_eu_paris_west3 | RSA'. A checkbox is checked, indicating acknowledgment of access to the private key file. At the bottom right of the dialog are 'Cancel' and 'Launch Instances' buttons.

4. Creating a Linux Source Instance in AWS

Note: this assumes you don't already have a Linux instance running that you want to monitor, if your Windows instance is already running you can skip ahead to Step 6. (however please also make note of required security group settings in Section 9).

In this example we will deploy Cloudlens in an Amazon Linux instance. The process is similar for any other Linux OS instances.

4.1. Step 1 – Log into the AWS Portal. Click “Launch Instance” within the EC2 service.

Create Instance

To start using Amazon EC2 you will want to launch a virtual server, known as an Amazon EC2 instance.

Launch Instance

Note: Your instances will launch in the US East (N. Virginia) region

4.2. Choose Amazon Linux 2 AMI (HVM) Kernel 5.10 Click “Select”

Amazon Linux 2 AMI (HVM) - Kernel 5.10, SSD Volume Type - ami-0d3c032f5934e1b41 (64-bit x86) / ami-0aafb005572f23aba (64-bit Arm)

Amazon Linux 2 comes with five years support. It provides Linux kernel 5.10 tuned for optimal performance on Amazon EC2, systemd 219, GCC 7.3, Glibc 2.26, Binutils 2.29.1, and the latest software packages through extras. This AMI is the successor of the Amazon Linux AMI that is now under maintenance only mode and has been removed from this wizard.

Root device type: ebs Virtualization type: hvm ENA Enabled: Yes

Select

64-bit (x86)
 64-bit (Arm)

4.3. Enter Virtual Machine instance type (e.g. t2.micro)

Currently selected: t2.micro (1 vCPUs, 2.5 GHz, 1 GiB memory, EBS only)

	Family	Type	vCPUs	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GiB)	EBS-Optimized Available	Network Performance	IPv6 Support
<input type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.nano	1	0.5	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	t2	t2.micro	1	1	EBS only	-	Low to Moderate	Yes

4.4. Select your VPC and Subnet in configuration details

4.5. Specify storage, otherwise keep default.

Volume Type	Device	Snapshot	Size (GiB)	Volume Type	IOPS	Throughput (MB/s)	Delete on Termination	Encryption
Root	/dev/sda1	snap-0d440ae44c5a94ef9	30	General Purpose SSD (gp2)	100 / 3000	N/A	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Not Encrypted

Add New Volume

4.6. Add Tags as desired, allows for easier identification and grouping of instances in CloudLens

Step 5: Add Tags

A tag consists of a case-sensitive key-value pair. For example, you could define a tag with key = Name and value = Webserver. A copy of a tag can be applied to volumes, instances or both. Tags will be applied to all instances and volumes. [Learn more](#) about tagging your Amazon EC2 resources.

Key	Value	Instances	Volumes	Network Interfaces
Owner		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Options		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Name	gamadomieto-Linux-1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Add another tag (Up to 50 tags maximum)

4.7. Assign a security group

Please see list of CloudLens required port numbers on Section 9 of this document for guidance when creating or editing your security group.

Type	Protocol	Port Range	Source
SSH	TCP	22	MyAdminPC-SSH/32
HTTPS	TCP	443	CloudlensManagerIP/32

4.8. Launch the instance with the correct key pair

AMI Details

Amazon Linux 2 AMI (HVM) - Kernel 5.10, SSD Volume Type - ami-0d3c032f5934e1b41

Free tier eligible

Amazon Linux 2 comes with five years support. It provides Linux kernel 5.10 tuned for optimal performance on Amazon EC2, systemd 219, GCC 7.3, Glibc 2.26, Binutils 2.29.1, and the latest software packages through extras. This Root Device Type: ebs Virtualization type: hvm

Instance Type

Instance Type	ECUs	vCPUs	Memory (GiB)	Instance Storage (GB)
t2.micro	-	1	1	EBS only

Security Groups

Security Group ID	Name
sg-0babdc956005b3c45	gamadomieto-Cloudlens-6.0-default-sg

All selected security groups inbound rules

Type	Protocol	Port Range
SSH	TCP	22
HTTPS	TCP	443

Select an existing key pair or create a new key pair

A key pair consists of a **public key** that AWS stores, and a **private key file** that you store. Together, they allow you to connect to your instance securely. For Windows AMIs, the private key file is required to obtain the password used to log into your instance. For Linux AMIs, the private key file allows you to securely SSH into your instance. Amazon EC2 supports ED25519 and RSA key pair types.

Note: The selected key pair will be added to the set of keys authorized for this instance. Learn more about [removing existing key pairs from a public AMI](#).

Choose an existing key pair

Select a key pair

gustavo_aws_eu_paris_west3 | RSA

I acknowledge that I have access to the corresponding private key file, and that without this file, I won't be able to log into my instance.

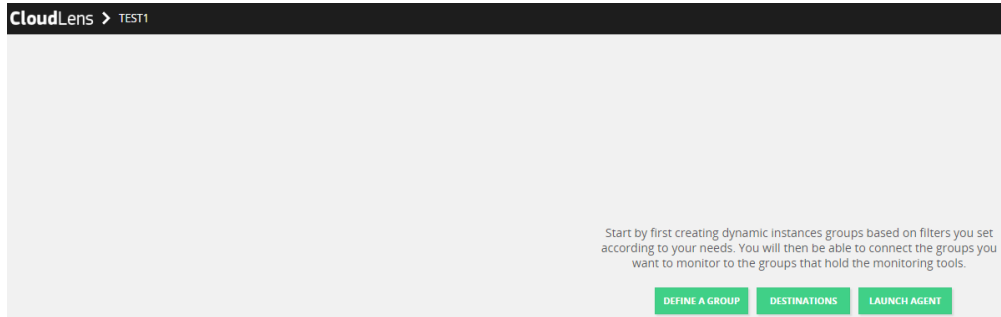
5. Installing Cloudfens Agent in Windows Server VM

5.1. Go inside a project of your Cloudfens Manager Log into `https://<ipaddress-cloudfens-manager/startup>`

Note: default credentials are admin / Cloudfens@dm!n

Create a new Project or open an existing Project

(make a copy of the Project Key, aka API Key, you will need this later in step 5.8)



5.2. Click on Launch Agent to see information about the Cloudfens Agent.

START NEW AGENTS

SSL Verify Enabled (requires a TLS certificate to be uploaded into Cloudfens)

[Linux agents](#)

Please provide the path to the **directory** that contains the CA (.crt extension required) used to sign the Cloudfens certificate (replace the `<path/to/ca/>` placeholder in the run command)

Run this command:

```
$ sudo docker run -v /lib/modules:/lib/modules -v /var/log:/var/log/cloudfens -v /:/host -v /var/run/docker.sock:/var/run/docker.sock -v <path/to/ca>:/usr/local/share/ca-certificates:ro --cap-add SYS_MODULE --cap-add SYS_RESOURCE --cap-add NET_RAW --cap-add NET_ADMIN --name cloudfens-agent -d --restart=on-failure --net=host --log-opt max-size=50m --log-opt max-file=3 <Cloudfens Manager IP>/sensor --accept_eula yes --project_key f3a42bf5b429418796cb69b7566e0f77 --server <Cloudfens Manager IP>
```

If you are deploying agents into Google Cloud or Amazon Cloud please also check: [Collector Deploy Guide](#)

[Windows agents](#)

Download and run any of the following executable files:

[cloudfens-win-agent.exe](#)

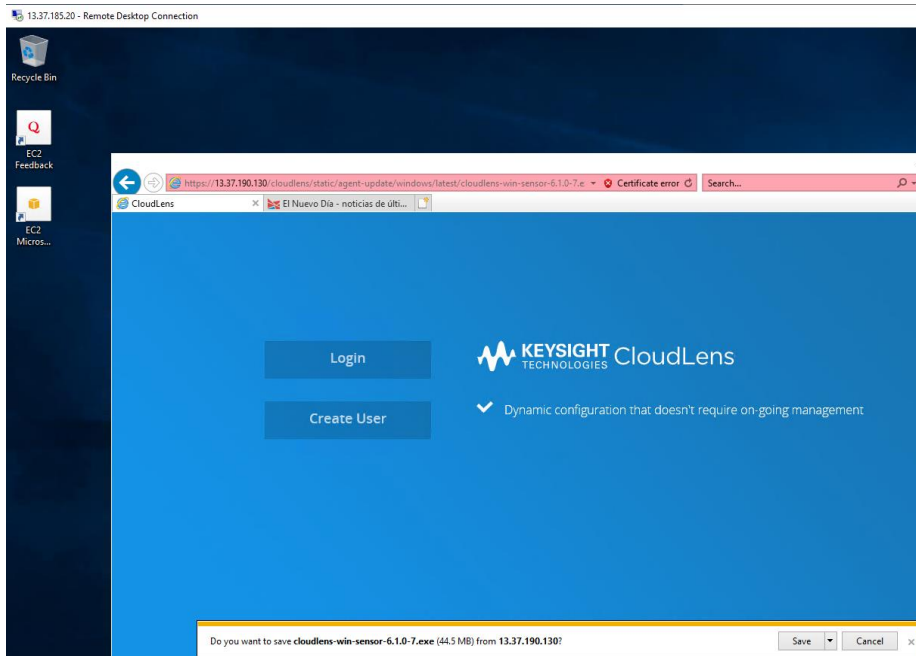
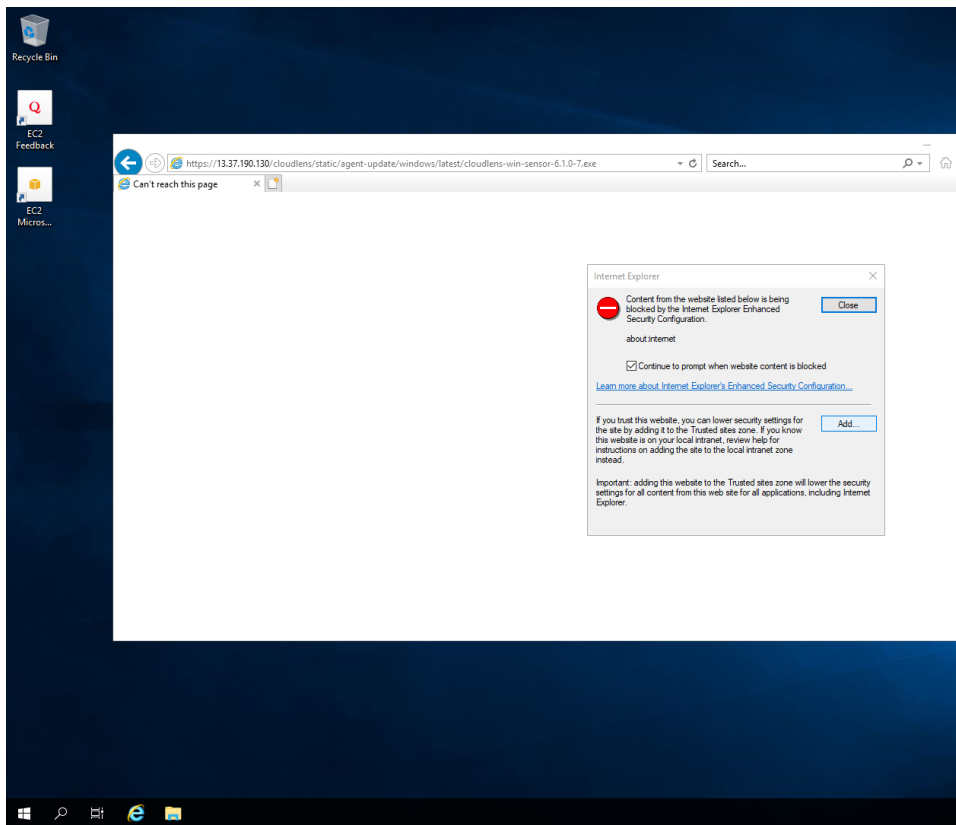
Make sure to install the Cloudfens certificate before running the agent

[CLOSE](#)

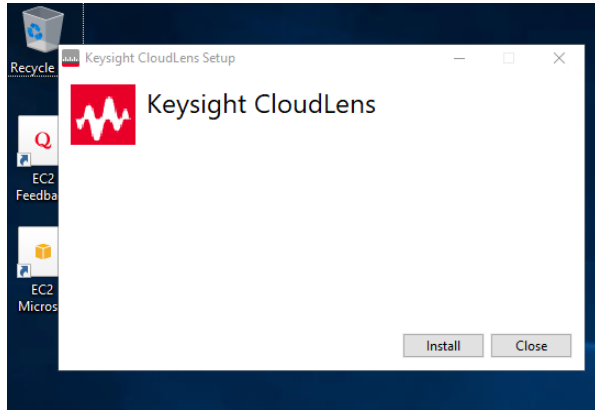
The link to download the exe file has the following structure:

From the Windows Server browse to and then save the .exe file

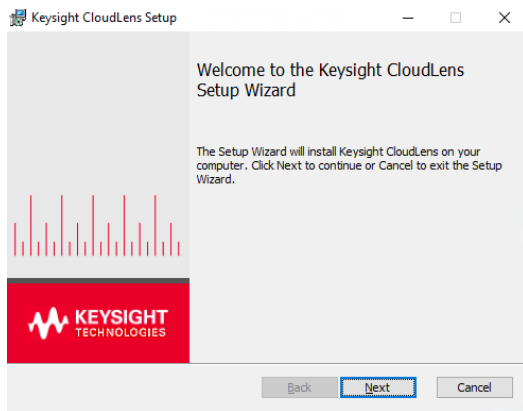
[https:// <CloudfensManagerIP>/cloudfens/static/agent-update/windows/latest/cloudfens-win-sensor-6.1.0-7.exe](https://<CloudfensManagerIP>/cloudfens/static/agent-update/windows/latest/cloudfens-win-sensor-6.1.0-7.exe)



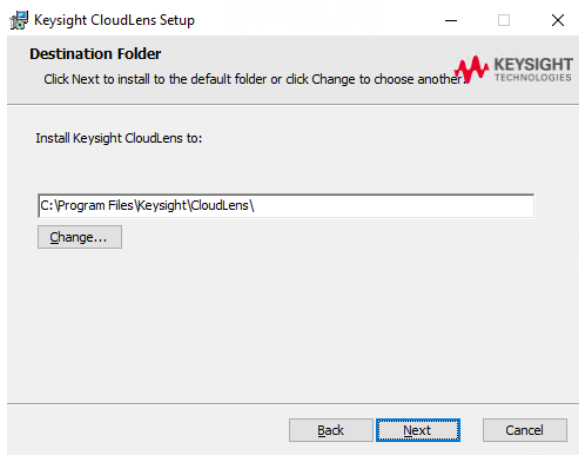
5.3. From the Windows Server Install the CloudLens .exe file which you just saved.



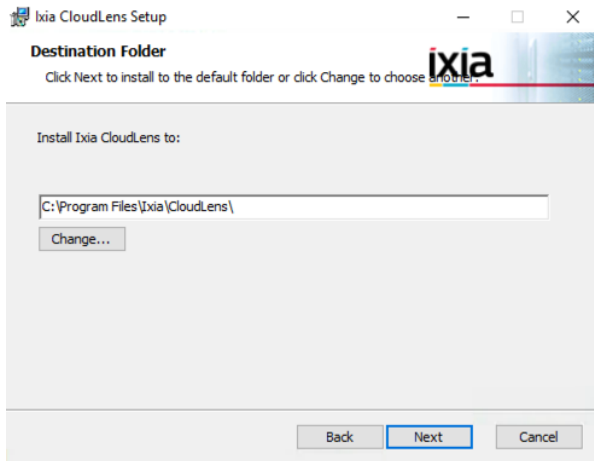
5.4. Installation wizard goes through the CloudLens agent installation and all dependent package installations.



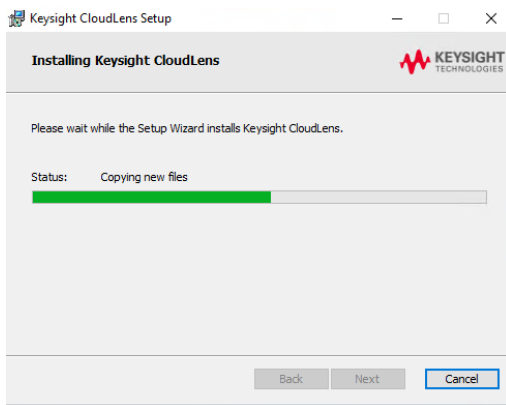
5.5. Accept End User License Agreement



5.6. Accept End User License Agreement



5.7. Click "Install"



5.8. The Windows instance needs to be associated with the IP address of your CloudLens Manager. You must specify your Project Key (aka API key). You may want to define your custom Tags to automatically allocate the instance to the appropriate source group.

CloudLens Connection

Server:	<input type="text" value="13.37.190.130"/>
Project Key:	<input type="text" value="f3a42bf5b429418796cb69b7566e0f77"/>
Custom Tags:	<input type="text" value="Name=Windows_S1 Location=Paris"/>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable auto-update	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enable SSL Verification	
<input type="button" value="OK"/> <input type="button" value="Cancel"/>	

5.9. Finish CloudLens sensor installation

CloudLens Connection

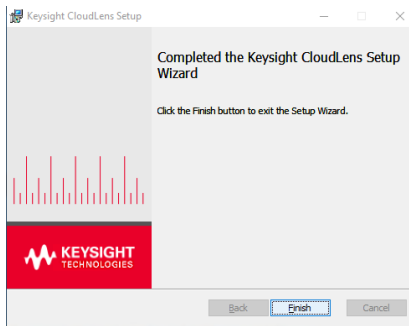
Server:

Project Key:

Custom Tags:

Enable auto-update

Enable SSL Verification



5.10. Return to the CloudLens Manager and verify that the instance is associated with the CloudLens project created.

CloudLens > TEST1 Account: Gustavo Amador Nieto DASHBOARD CONFIGURE

ALL FILTERS ACTIVE FILTERS

type filter name

Tag: Name

Windows_S1

Tag: Location

Paris

TAP ID

52b96337c0

Instance Id

i-0c75f5b23e59ac740

1 instances

#	TAG-NAME	TAG-LOCATION	TAP ID	INSTANCE ID	INSTANCE TYPE
1	Windows_S1	Paris	52b96337c0	i-0c75f5b23e59ac740	t2.large

Choose Columns

6. Installing Cloudfens Agent in Linux VM

Note: Before you begin

Go inside a project of your Cloudfens Manager

Log into `https://<ipaddress-cloudfens-manager/startup>`

Note: default credentials are admin / Cloudfens@dm!n

Create a new Project or open an existing Project

(make a copy of the Project Key, aka API Key, you will need this later in step 6.3)

6.1. SSH to your Linux VM and install Docker

```
sudo yum update -y
sudo yum -y install docker
sudo service docker start
sudo systemctl enable docker
```

6.2. Specify CloudfensManager as a Docker registry and restart Docker Service

```
echo ""{"insecure-registries":["<CloudfensManagerIP>"]}" | sudo tee /etc/docker/daemon.json
sudo service docker restart
```

6.3. Start Cloudfens docker

Find your Cloudfens Project Key ID



```
sudo docker run -v /lib/modules:/lib/modules -v /var/log:/var/log/cloudlens -v /:/host -v
/var/run/docker.sock:/var/run/docker.sock --privileged --name cloudlens-agent -d --restart=on-failure --
net=host --log-opt max-size=50m --log-opt max-file=3 <CloudfensManagerIP>/sensor --accept_eula
yes --project_key <CloudfensProjectKey> --server <CloudfensManagerIP> --ssl_verify no --
custom_tags sensor_owner=gustavo.amador-nieto@keysight.com sensor_type=ami
location=Toulouse Name=linux-1
```

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root@ip-10-1-1-168 ~]# sudo docker run -v /lib/modules:/lib/modules -v /var/log:/var/log/cloudlens -v /:/host -v /var/run/dock
r.sock:/var/run/docker.sock --privileged --name cloudlens-agent -d --restart=on-failure --net=host --log-opt max-size=50m --lo
g-opt max-file=3 13.37.190.130/sensor --accept_eula yes --project_key f3a42bf5b429418796cb69b7566e0f77 --server 13.37.190.130 --
ssl_verify no --custom_tags sensor_owner=gustavo.amador-nieto@keysight.com sensor_type=ami location=Toulouse Name=linux-1
Unable to find image '13.37.190.130/sensor:latest' locally
latest: Pulling from sensor
f5952930446: Pull complete
385bb58d08e6: Pull complete
96908cd499d2: Pull complete
31e581fc14b2: Pull complete
51e7440243ed: Pull complete
3464f6c9a65d: Pull complete
9c4a63f39d39: Pull complete
2f67d7344102: Pull complete
fde75cc40a59: Pull complete
34fc96112879: Pull complete
5649d6e00e0e: Pull complete
00d78ccd276: Pull complete
9f8bbc749878: Pull complete
250d53010d5f: Pull complete
a3d4b286011c: Pull complete
0f08344edbd: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:06adf6b33d928863a29b3dc1b0211a09662f6517d2662371c721babb3c37dcbd
Status: Downloaded newer image for 13.37.190.130/sensor:latest
312ed50458f23fee7379c96fdeb4fb8ac5a0d3ac2091184a4cf92ee02271b80e
root@ip-10-1-1-168 ~]#
root@ip-10-1-1-168 ~]# docker ps -a
CONTAINER ID        IMAGE               COMMAND              CREATED            STATUS              PORTS              NAMES
312ed50458f2       13.37.190.130/sen  "python3 /sensor/sta..."  4 minutes ago     Up 4 minutes              cloudlens-agent
root@ip-10-1-1-168 ~]#

```

Go inside the project of your Cloudfens Manager to check that the instance has registered

The screenshot shows the Cloudfens Manager interface with a table of 5 instances. The table has columns for #, TAG NAME, TAG TYPE, TAG NAME, TAG LOCATION, and TAG ID. The instances are as follows:

#	TAG NAME	TAG TYPE	TAG NAME	TAG LOCATION	TAG ID
1	n/a	n/a	linux-1	n/a	96040cab4
2	n/a	n/a	Windowst_51	Paris	721970a3bd
3	AppResponse	n/a	Riverbed	n/a	7589b07ad7
4	NOSENSOR	n/a	NoSensor	n/a	9cc1188be23
5	n/a	db	gamadornieto-Cloudlens-6.0-db0	n/a	a805e9f7b1

Note: If you optionally want to verify SSL between the Cloudfens Docker and the CloudfensManager SSL or use additional flags please refer to CloudfensManager wizard and help

START NEW AGENTS

SSL Verify Enabled (requires a TLS certificate to be uploaded into Cloudfens)

Linux agents

Please provide the path to the **directory** that contains the CA (.crt extension required) used to sign the Cloudlens certificate (replace the <path/to/ca/> placeholder in the run command)

Run this command:

```

$ sudo docker run -v /lib/modules:/lib/modules -v /var/log:/var/log/cloudlens -v /:/host -v /var/run/docker.sock:/var/run/docker.sock -v
<path/to/ca>:/usr/local/share/ca-certificates:ro --cap-add SYS_MODULE --cap-add SYS_RESOURCE --cap-add NET_RAW --cap-add NET_ADMIN
--name cloudlens-agent -d --restart=on-failure --net=host --log-opt max-size=50m --log-opt max-file=3 <Cloudlens Manager IP>/sensor --accept_eula
yes --project_key f3a42bf5b429418796cb69b7566e0f77 --server <Cloudlens Manager IP>

```

If you are deploying agents into Google Cloud or Amazon Cloud please also check: [Collector Deploy Guide](#)

Windows agents

Download and run any of the following executable files:

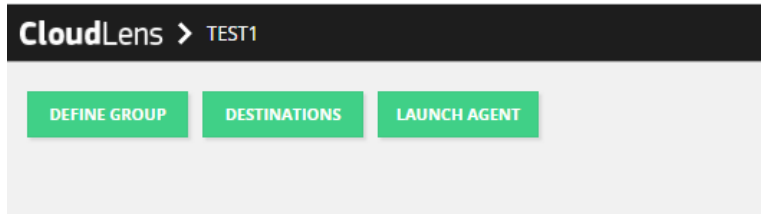
[cloudlens-win-agent.exe](#)

Make sure to install the Cloudlens certificate before running the agent

CLOSE

7. Setting up AppResponse as a Static Destination

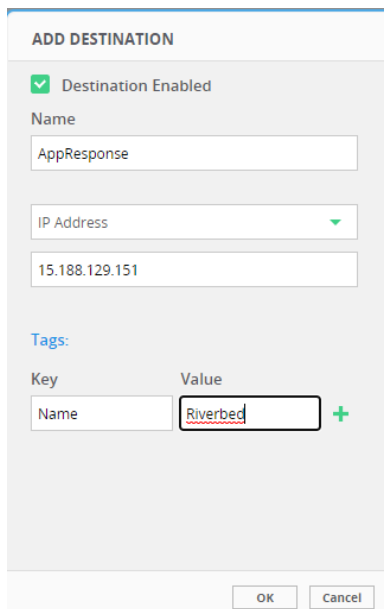
7.1. Log into your Cloudlens Project. Click on Destinations



7.2. Click on New Static Destinations

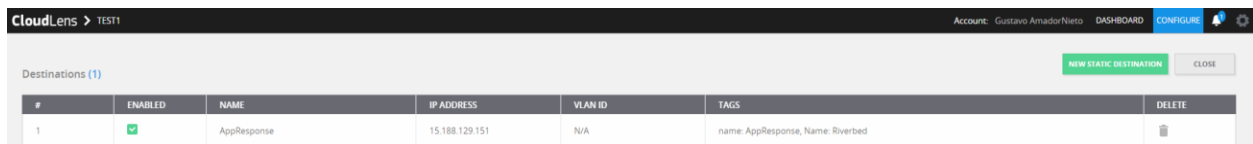


7.3. Specify the IP address of the Riverbed AppResponse. Although no mandatory, it's a good practice to specify some custom tags to simplify the allocate of the the instance to the appropriate destination group.



The screenshot shows the 'ADD DESTINATION' form. It has a checkbox for 'Destination Enabled' which is checked. The 'Name' field contains 'AppResponse'. The 'IP Address' dropdown menu is set to '15.188.129.151'. Under the 'Tags' section, there is a table with 'Key' and 'Value' columns. The 'Key' is 'Name' and the 'Value' is 'Riverbed'. There is a '+' button next to the 'Value' field. At the bottom, there are 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons.

7.4. Riverbed AppResponse will appear on the list of static destinations



7.5. Go back to your Cloudlens project. Define a new group

CloudLens > TEST1

DEFINE GROUP DESTINATIONS LAUNCH AGENT

7.6. Filter on the relevant tags to only select the Riverbed instance.

CloudLens > TEST1 Account: Gustavo Amador Nieto DASHBOARD CONFIGURE

1 instances

#	TAG NAME	TAG NAME	TAG LOCATION	TAP ID	INSTANCE ID
1	AppResponse	Riverbed	n/a	7589007ad7	n/a

Choose Columns

ALL FILTERS ACTIVE FILTERS

type filter name

Tag: name

AppResponse

Tag: Name

Windows_51

Riverbed

SAVE GROUP CLOSE

7.7. Save it as a tool.

SAVE SEARCH

Save as an instance group

Save as a tool

Name

Riverbed

Aggregation Interface

cloudlens0

Comment

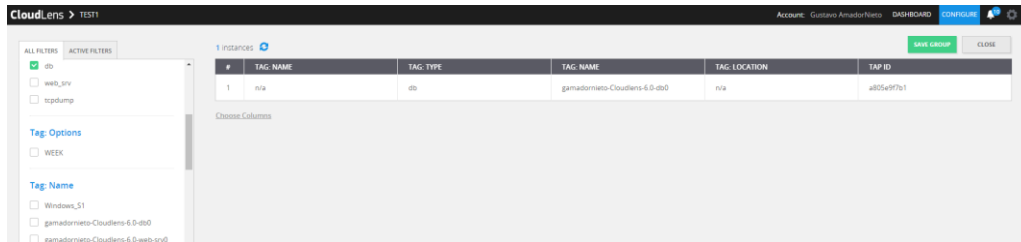
OK Cancel

8. Configuring traffic from VM Sources to Riverbed AppResponse

8.1. Verify the VMs are reflected in the CloudLens Manager portal once they are launched with the correct project key.



8.2. If not done previously, use Cloudfens tags to group instances as source groups. For instance, I will create 2 different source groups.



SAVE SEARCH

Save as an instance group
 Save as a tool

Name

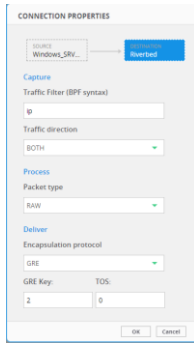
Aggregation Interface

Comment

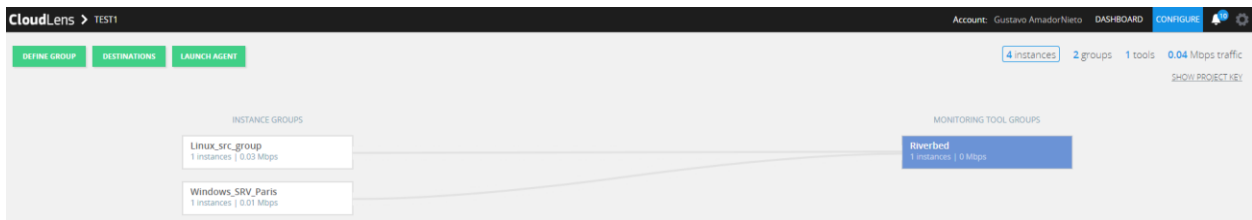


8.3. Drag a secure visibility paths between the source groups and the tool group (Riverbed). Choose Encapsulation Protocol GREG, and set a value for the GRE key



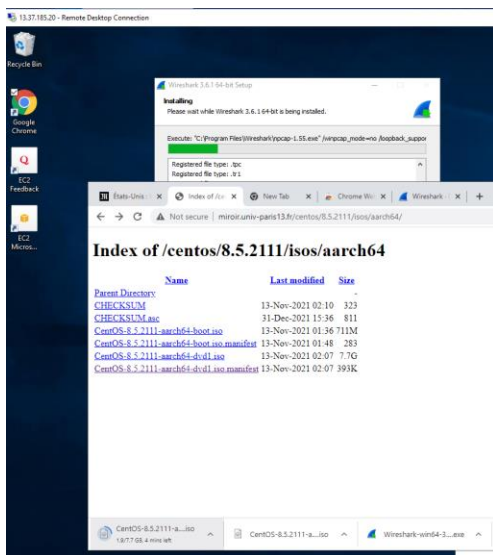


8.4. Repeat for all the source groups



8.5. Generate traffic from the sources.

For example, from one of my Windows instances I download the following image:



For example, from one of my Linux db instances I download the following image:

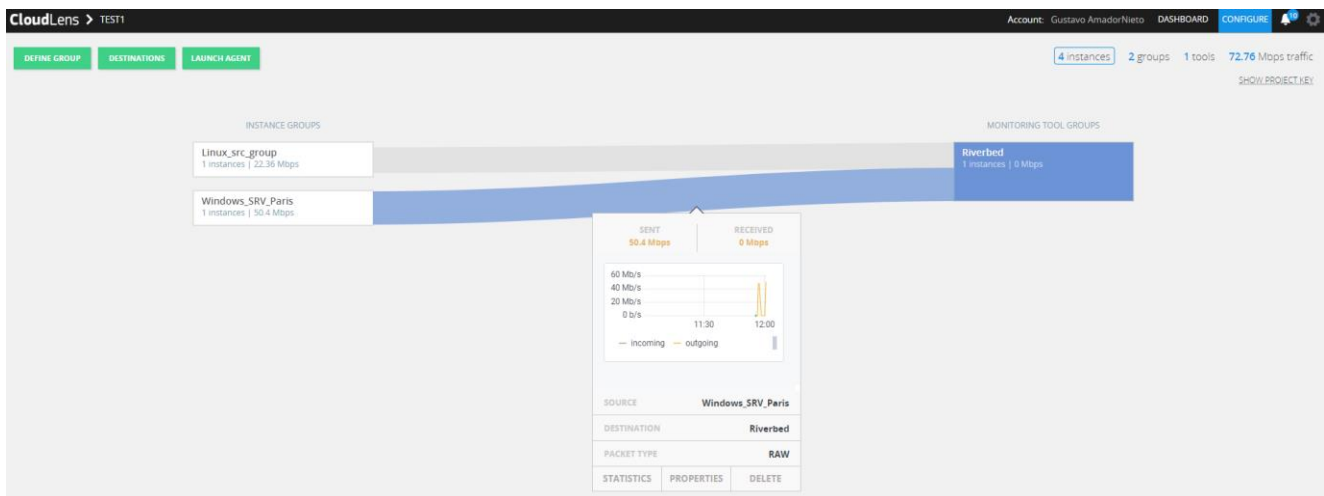
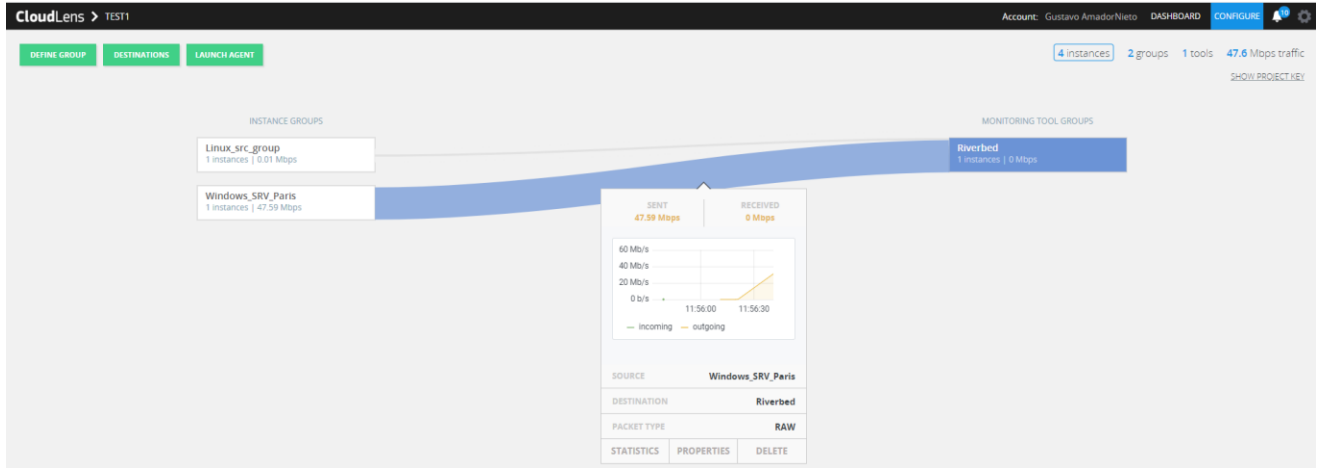
```

https://aws.amazon.com/amazon-linux-2/
[ec2-user@ip-10-1-1-115 ~]$ wget http://miroir.univ-paris13.fr/centos/8.5.2111/isos/aarch64/CentOS-8.5.2111-aarch64-boot.iso
--2022-01-04 10:58:46-- http://miroir.univ-paris13.fr/centos/8.5.2111/isos/aarch64/CentOS-8.5.2111-aarch64-boot.iso
Resolving miroir.univ-paris13.fr (miroir.univ-paris13.fr)... 81.194.43.155
Connecting to miroir.univ-paris13.fr (miroir.univ-paris13.fr)|81.194.43.155|:80... connected.
HTTP request sent, awaiting response... 200 OK
Length: 745474848 (711M) [application/octet-stream]
Saving to: 'CentOS-8.5.2111-aarch64-boot.iso'

36% [=====] ] 273,003,968 22.9MB/s eta 19s

```

8.6. You can check the statistics of mirrored traffic in the CloudLens Manager



CloudLens Account: Gustavo Amador Nieto DASH-BOARD CONFIGURE

GLOBAL TERRAFORM1 TEST1 PROJECT_TUTORIAL_7 MANUAL Cluster: Operating Normally

Latest Events

- All Events: 10
- Info Events: 0
- Warning Events: 0
- Error Events: 10
- Alerts: 0

Connections

#	NAME	SOURCE	DESTINATION
1	Linux_src_group_to_5	groups/Linux_src_gro	tools/Riverbed
2	Windows_SRV_Paris_1	groups/Windows_SRV	tools/Riverbed

Current Rate (last 5 min)

Connection Name	Transport Type	Send Rate	Receive Rate
Linux_src_group...	GRE	28.2 Mb/s	0 b/s
Windows_SRV_P...	GRE	20.5 Mb/s	0 b/s

Average Rate (last hour)

Connection Name	Transport Type	Send Rate	Receive Rate
Linux_src_group...	GRE	19.5 Mb/s	0 b/s
Windows_SRV_P...	GRE	15.4 Mb/s	0 b/s

Max Rate (last hour)

Connection Name	Transport Type	Send Rate	Receive Rate
Linux_src_group...	GRE	192 Mb/s	0 b/s
Windows_SRV_P...	GRE	50.4 Mb/s	0 b/s

8.7. And check that traffic is received by Riverbed AppResponse

appresponse / SteelCentral AppResponse 11.12.0 #39084 ip 10.1.1.199 VSCAN-AWS-010 jan 3, 2022 9:44:39 AM PST admin | Sign out

HOME INSIGHTS NAVIGATOR TRANSACTIONS REPORTS DEFINITIONS ADMINISTRATION HELP

Capture Jobs/Interfaces

Capture Jobs Monitoring Interfaces Virtual Interface Groups

Group by: Monitoring Interfaces VLAN IDs

Enable Virtual Interface Group Aggregation

Enable Autodiscovery

Enable Autodiscovery

Defaults: Enable Deduplication

Filter: BPF SteelFilter

To enable/disable Flow Export on Autodiscovered groups go to Administration > Integration: NetProfiler Integration > Flow Export Traffic Selection

Apply Revert

Add Delete Set Filter Reset Statistics

Name	Description	Enabled	Interfaces	Filter	Deduplication	Capture Job	Received Bytes	Received Packets	Duplicated Packets
other_vifg	Other VIFG	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			Enabled	Running	1526515168	1374415	141

Rows: 10

appresponse / SteelCentral AppResponse 11.12.0 #39084 ip 10.1.1.199 VSCAN-AWS-010 jan 4, 2022 3:03:09 AM PST admin | Sign out

HOME INSIGHTS NAVIGATOR TRANSACTIONS REPORTS DEFINITIONS ADMINISTRATION HELP

IPs

Today 2:02 AM - 3:02 AM 15m 1h 1d 1w 1M Auto-Update

Individual - DB Server IP [Deprecated]

Individual - App [Deprecated]

Individual - Client Group [Deprecated]

Individual - Client IP [Deprecated]

Individual - Host Group [Deprecated]

Individual - IP [Deprecated]

Individual - Server Group [Deprecated]

Individual - Server IP [Deprecated]

Individual - UC Host Group [Deprecated]

Individual - Web App [Deprecated]

Individual - Web Server IP [Deprecated]

Individual - Web User Group [Deprecated]

Individual - Web User IP [Deprecated]

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Summary Apps [Deprecated]

Summary Client Groups [Deprecated]

Summary Host Groups [Deprecated]

Summary Server Groups [Deprecated]

Summary Web Apps [Deprecated]

Hosts

TOP Host	Traffic by Direction (MB)	Connection Requests	Payload Retrans by Role	Connections Failed	Response Tim
10.1.1.154	166,005	532	30	2	13,813.77
10.1.1.1	76,966	0	0	0	0
10.149.132.48	73,155	15	2	0	76,723.35
par21603-in-f1.1e100.net	2,273	0	4	0	0
par21602-in-f4.1e100.net	1,229	0	4	0	2.71
2.na.dli.wiremark.org	1,006	0	0	0	0
2.na.dli.wiremark.org	832	2	1	0	303.87
vix.f0dnp.amy-01-in-f8.fbcdn.net	0,740	3	0	0	16,124.55
ec2-15-188-129-151.eu-west-3.compute.amazonaws.com	0,609	0	0	0	0
104.26.10.240	0,524	2	0	0	1.34

Summary

Throughput by Direction	Outbound Throughput	Inbound Throughput	Payload Traffic by Direction	Connection Requests	Connections Failed	Server TCP Resets	Payload Retrans by Role	Round Trip Time	Response Time Composition
46,259,755	97.03 kbps	273.04 kbps	1,913,479	532	2	26	30	12,128 ms	13,814

Total Throughput

9. Firewall ports to open for Cloudlens

Note: default Security Group rule settings for AWS Instances is Outbound is open for All Traffic. But for **Inbound** a few ports numbers need to be explicitly opened:

Source Instances :

- TCP 22 ** for SSH if Linux instance
- TCP 3389 ** for RDP if Windows instance
- HTTPS 443 open from IP address of CloudLens Manager

CloudLens Manager:

- HTTPS 443 **

Riverbed AppResponse Instance:

- GRE Protocol 47 *
- ICMP Protocol * required with Cloudlens 6.1.0 ***
- TCP 22 **
- TCP 443 **

* Leave open all IP of Traffic Sources Addresses

** Specify IP addresses of customer administrators

*** Linux Source Instances don't require ICMP protocol allowed in AppResponse if the "out_interface" parameter is specified when invoking the Docker container.

WHERE TO GET HELP

If you experience technical difficulties, please email cloudlens.support@keysight.com for assistance