

# Enabling Email Alerting

**GFI LanGuard®**

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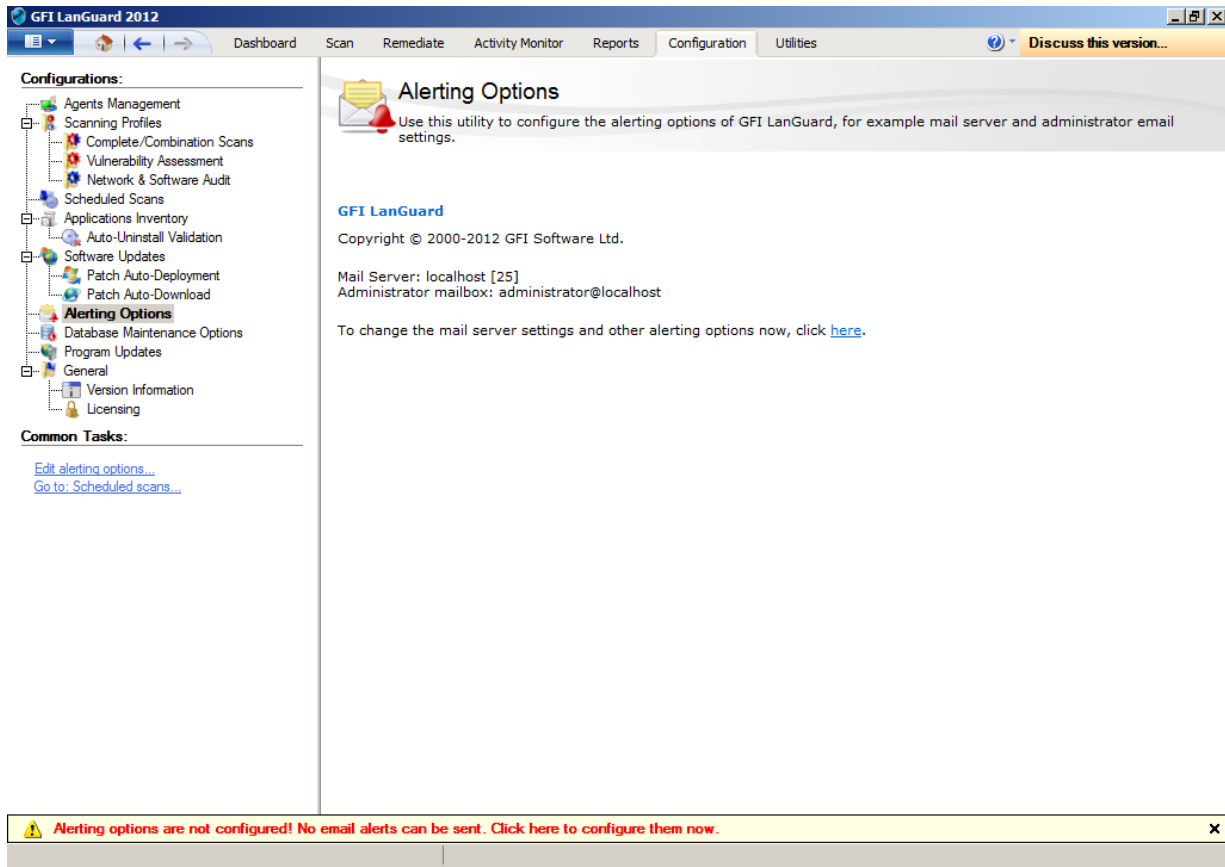
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To enable email alerts within GFI LanGuard, select the Configuration Tab within the Management Console. In the left hand pane you'll see "Configurations" and below that a tree view of a number of configurable sections within the product.

Locate the Alerting Options section and select it. This will change the right hand pane (details pane) to Alerting Options. Locate the "here" (click here) hyperlink and select it.



A window will pop open titled "Alerting Options Properties." You'll find the following configuration options:

To: (our recommendation is to put a Distribution Group email address in this location)

CC: (you might want to specify a specific user on the Carbon Copy)

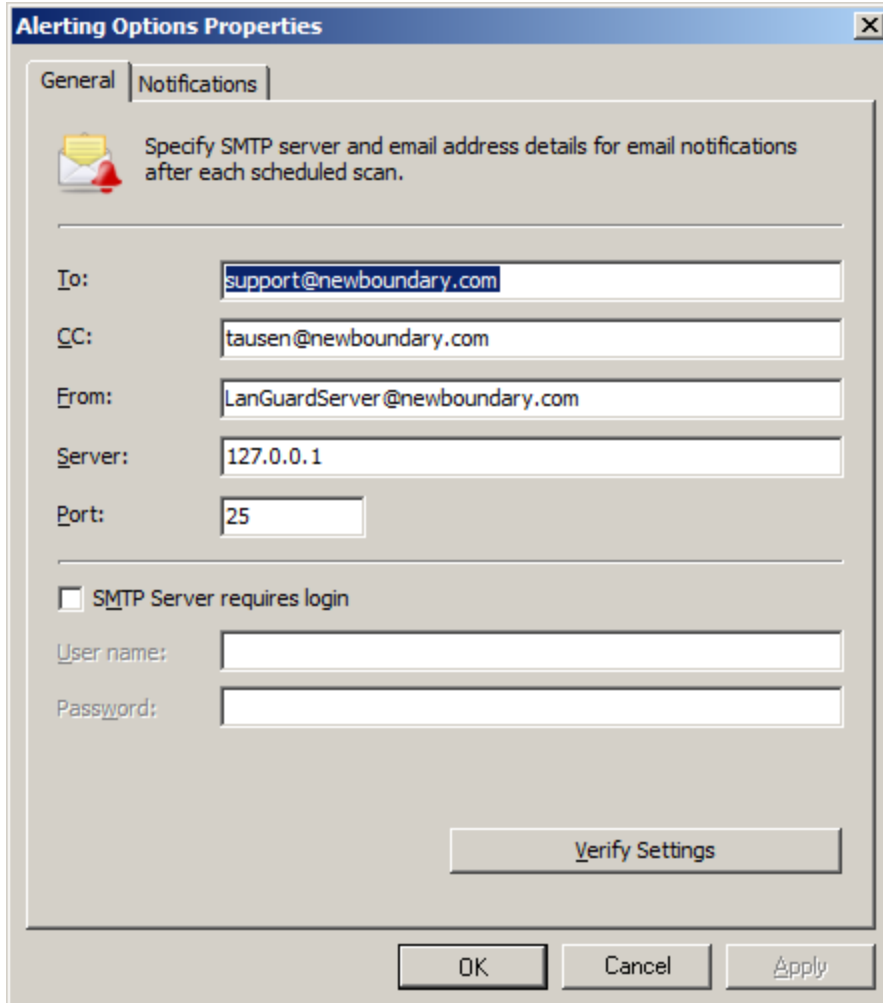
From: (identify the server with a unique address)

Server: (this is your SMTP server)

Port: (port that the SMTP server is listening on, typically 25)

If your SMTP server requires authentication, you'll need to supply that information and check "SMTP Server Requires Login."

Once you've configured the options you can click on the "Verify Settings" button at the bottom of the page. A test email will be sent to the addresses you specified.



The image shows a Windows-style dialog box titled "Alerting Options Properties" with a close button (X) in the top right corner. It has two tabs: "General" and "Notifications", with "Notifications" selected. Below the tabs is a yellow envelope icon and the text: "Specify SMTP server and email address details for email notifications after each scheduled scan." Below this are several input fields: "To:" with "support@newboundary.com", "CC:" with "tausen@newboundary.com", "From:" with "LanGuardServer@newboundary.com", "Server:" with "127.0.0.1", and "Port:" with "25". There is a checkbox labeled "SMTP Server requires login" which is currently unchecked. Below the checkbox are two empty input fields labeled "User name:" and "Password:". At the bottom of the dialog box are three buttons: "OK", "Cancel", and "Apply". A "Verify Settings" button is also present, centered below the "SMTP Server requires login" checkbox area.

You can also set how often GFI LanGuard sends daily digests of the events on your network.

