



# Liebert® SiteScan™ Web

Installer/User Guide

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# 1 Overview

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web building-automation system offers an intuitive user interface and powerful tools to help facility managers keep occupants comfortable, manage energy conservation measures, identify key operational problems, and analyze the results. The web-based Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system can be accessed from anywhere in the world through a web browser. On a workstation or mobile device, user can perform building management functions such as:

- Adjust setpoints and other control parameters
- Set and change schedules
- Graphically trend important building conditions
- View and acknowledge alarms
- Run pre-configured and custom reports on energy usage, occupant overrides, and much more

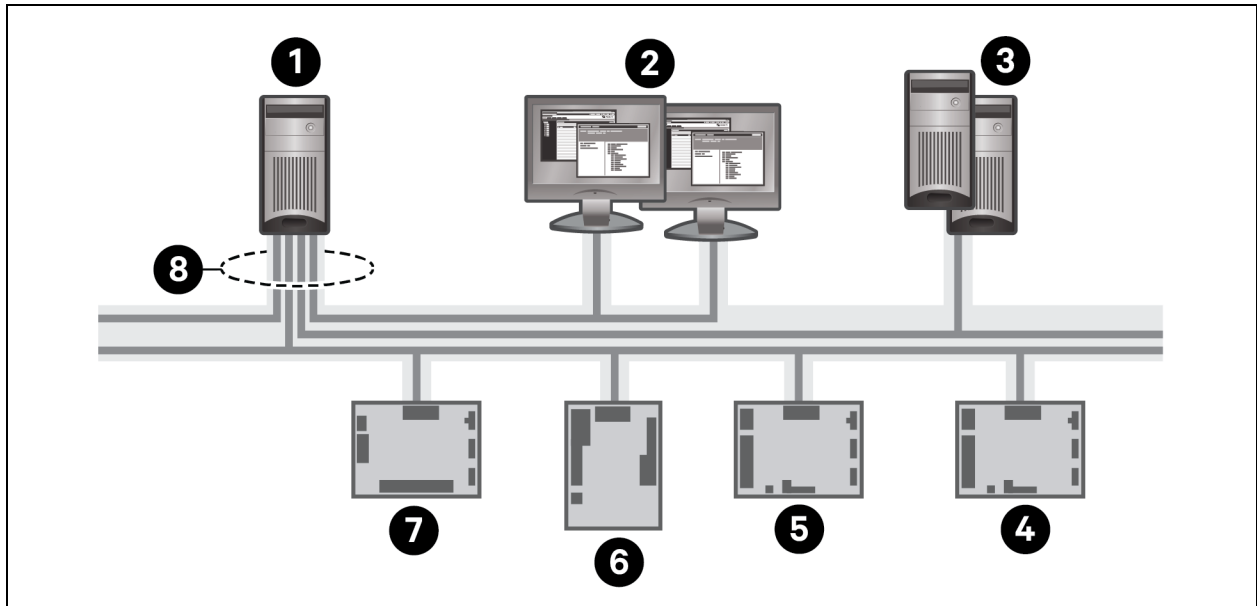
A Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system supports:

- Unlimited simultaneous users
- Multiple operating systems and databases
- Mobile devices
- Built-in and custom alarms, trends, and reports
- International languages (International English, Brazilian Portuguese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Russian, Traditional and Simplified Chinese, Spanish, Swedish, Thai, Vietnamese)
- Third-party integration
- Secure server access using TLS

## 1.1 Working of Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web

A Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system uses a network of microprocessor based controllers to control heating, air conditioning, and other facility systems. A web based server communicates with these controllers and generates the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface that the user can access through a web browser. Through the interface, user can gather information, change operating properties, run reports, and perform other building management functions on a single building, an entire campus, or a network of facilities that stretch around the globe.

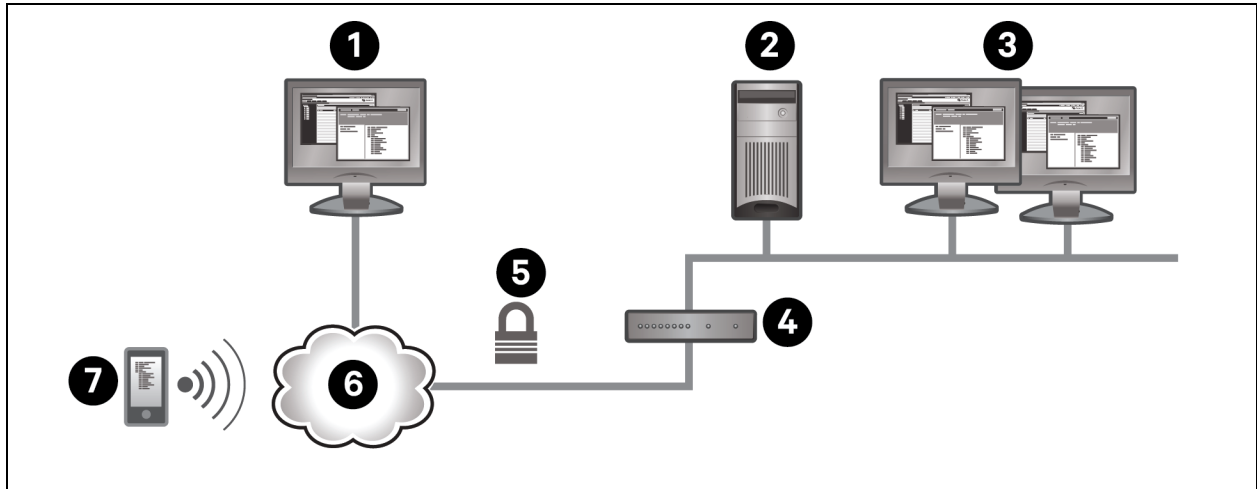
Figure 1.1 Typical Liebert® SiteScan™ Web System



Item	Description
1	Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server. Runs the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Server application.
2	Liebert® SiteScan™ Web clients. Access the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server as a web site using a standard web browser. Simultaneous users allowed based-on licensing.
3	Enterprise integration. With add-ons and web services, Liebert® SiteScan™ Web integrates with other enterprise applications to share data across a facility's network.
4	SiteTPI-E integrates third-party protocols such as Modbus, LonWorks, and N2.
5	SiteIP-E integrates SNMP devices.
6	SiteIO-E is a multi-equipment controller.
7	Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteLink-E communications with Liebert environmental/power equipment and with the Liebert gateway.
8	Ethernet TCP/IP. Protocols include: BACnet, HTTP/HTTPS, XML/SOAP, and Liebert legacy.

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web client uses a web browser to access the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Server application as a website.

**Figure 1.2 Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Access and Security Options**



Item	Description
1	Liebert® SiteScan™ Web client with outside, internet connection
2	Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server (Java platform)
3	Liebert® SiteScan™ Web clients on internal network
4	I/P router/Firewall
5	Network security: Transport layer security (TLS/HTTPS), Virtual private network (VPN)
6	Internet
7	Liebert® SiteScan™ Web clients with outside, wireless browsers

## 1.2 Client Requirements

### Computers

The client computer should have at least the following:

- Dual-core processor
- 1.5 GB RAM
- Communication link of 10 Mbps or higher

**NOTE:** Liebert® SiteScan™ Web will work with slower computers, but the results may not be satisfactory.

### Operating systems and web browsers

A computer with Windows® operating system supports:

- Google Chrome™ v84.0 or later
- Microsoft Edge® v84 or later

- Mozilla Firefox® v79.0 or later

A computer with Mac® OS X® (Apple® Mac only) operating system supports:

- Safari® v11 or later
- Google Chrome™ v84.0 or later
- Mozilla Firefox® v79.0 or later

A computer with Linux® operating system supports:

- Google Chrome™ v84.0 or later
- Mozilla Firefox® v79.0 or later

### Mobile devices

For smartphone devices, the Android™ and iOS platforms are supported. For tablet devices, the Android™, iOS, and Surface™ platforms are supported.

**NOTE: Some functionality may be limited by the capability of the mobile device and operating system.**

## 1.3 Server Requirements

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server must be 64-bit, and memory requirements will vary based on the following:

- Number of pieces of equipment and device instances
- Size of the control programs
- Number of simultaneous users logged in to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application

**Table 1.1 Server Requirements by System Size**

Size	With the Following Number of:		The Server should have at least a dual-core processor and the following:			
	Equipment and Device Instances <sup>1</sup>	Physical Points and Display Objects	Passmark Total Score <sup>2</sup>	Passmark Single-Threaded Score	GB RAM (Minimum /Recommended)	GB JVM Memory (Minimum /Recommended)
Small	0 – 250	0 – 1000	2000	800	4/4	4/4
Medium	250 – 1000	1000 – 5000	3000	1000	8/12	4/8
Large	1000 – 10,000	5000 – 50,000	5000	1400	12/16	8/12
Extra Large	More than 10,000	More than 50,000	6500	1600	16/24	16/24

1. Total number of control programs and controllers.
2. For more information, see [www.CPUBenchmark.net](http://www.CPUBenchmark.net).
3. For a huge system with minimal user activity, the average piece of equipment or instance device requires approximately 300 KB of server RAM. Contact Vertiv Technical Support for server sizing recommendations.



## Operating system and database requirements

To determine which operating system and database management system (DBMS) to use, consider:

- Operating systems and DBMS's already in use in your customer's organization.
- Project size and trending requirements. See [Trend archival requirements](#) on page 7.
- Project budget
- User's skill with the operating system and DBMS

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system use of database resources may require:

- A moderate increase in the number of allowed connections if your database management system is set to the default value for the maximum allowed connections.
- An increase in the maximum number of database cursors allowed may also be required for Oracle databases.

## Supported operating systems and database management systems

A Liebert® SiteScan™ v7.0 or later system is supported on the following 64-bit operating systems. The **Table 1.2** on the next page shows which operating systems can be used with each DBMS.

- Windows® 11 Professional
- Windows® 10 Professional and Enterprise
- Windows® Server 2016, 2019, 2022
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux® 7.4
- Ubuntu® Desktop 20.04 or 22.04 LTS

**Table 1.2 DBMS and Supported OS Matrix**

Database	Supported OS	Speed	Multiple Servers Supported	Dynamic Defragmentation	Database Replication	Notes
SQL Server® Express 2016, 2017, 2019	Windows®	Fast	No	Yes	Yes	Database cannot exceed 10 GB.
SQL Server 2016, 2017, 2019	Windows®	Fast	Yes	Yes	Yes	SQL Server 2016 Enterprise, Business Intelligence, and Standard editions can be used.
Oracle 12c through 19c	Windows® Linux®	Moderate	Yes	Yes	Yes	Oracle 12c Standard Edition is sufficient. Oracle 12c requires a Named-User License for each Liebert® SiteScan™ user or a Processor License. (Dual processor machines count as two users.) See Oracle License Policies for more details.

**Table 1.2 DBMS and Supported OS Matrix (continued)**

Database	Supported OS	Speed	Multiple Servers Supported	Dynamic Defragmentation	Database Replication	Notes
MySQL® 5.7.2 through 8.0	Windows® Linux®	Fast	Yes	No	Yes	This open source database is free under the GNU Public License.
PostgreSQL® 9.4 through 14 and 10	Windows® Linux®	Fast	Yes	Yes	Yes	This open source database is free under the BSD Public License.
Apache Derby	Windows® Linux®	Slow	No	No	Yes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Installs for Windows® and Linux® include all the files needed to use an Apache Derby database.</li> <li>Only one application can access the database at one time. Example: VewBuilder cannot access the database if SiteBuilder is already running.</li> <li>Do not use Derby if total historical trend capacity will exceed 2 GB.</li> <li>Audit database cannot contain an entry of more than 32,700 characters; compact the database before migrating to Derby.</li> </ul>

## Trend archival requirements

Trend archival (historical trending) requirements are the most significant factors in database selection. Alarms are not usually an issue unless large quantities (10,000+) will be kept for online access. For each archived trend sample, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ application stores approximately 30 bytes of data. Disk space requirements per trended point are:

Sample Interval	For 1 week	For 1 Month	For 3 Months	For 1 Year
1 minute	300 kB	1.5 MB	5 MB	18 MB
5 minutes	60 kB	250 kB	1 MB	4 MB
15 minutes	21 kB	85 kB	250 kB	1 MB
1 hour	5 kB	20 kB	60 kB	240 kB

For example, a system with 2000 points archiving at 15 minute intervals for one year will require as much as 5.6 GB (2000 x 2.8 MB) disk space.

Notes on trend requirements:

- To limit disk space required for trend storage, archive trend data only for important system points.
- If your archival requirements are 5 GB or greater, you should consider using a separate server for the trend database.
- If you use a separate trend database server, you can run the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application on a Microsoft operating system with any or all of its databases on non-Microsoft operating systems. But, user cannot run the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application on a non-Microsoft operating system and connect to Microsoft™ database products. So, if user have Apache Derby or SQL Server® databases, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application must be running on Windows® 8.1 Professional, 8.1 Enterprise, or 10.

Example: The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application on Linux® can connect to MySQL® on Linux® But, it cannot connect to Apache Derby, SQL Server® on Windows.

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## 2 Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web User Interface Overview

Figure 2.1 on the next page, describes the main sections and features of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web window.

Views logically divide the functions of Liebert® SiteScan™ Web. **Table 2.1** below, describes the icons located above the navigation tree that select the items and functions displayed in the navigation tree, menu tabs, and view pane.

**Table 2.1 View Selection Icons**





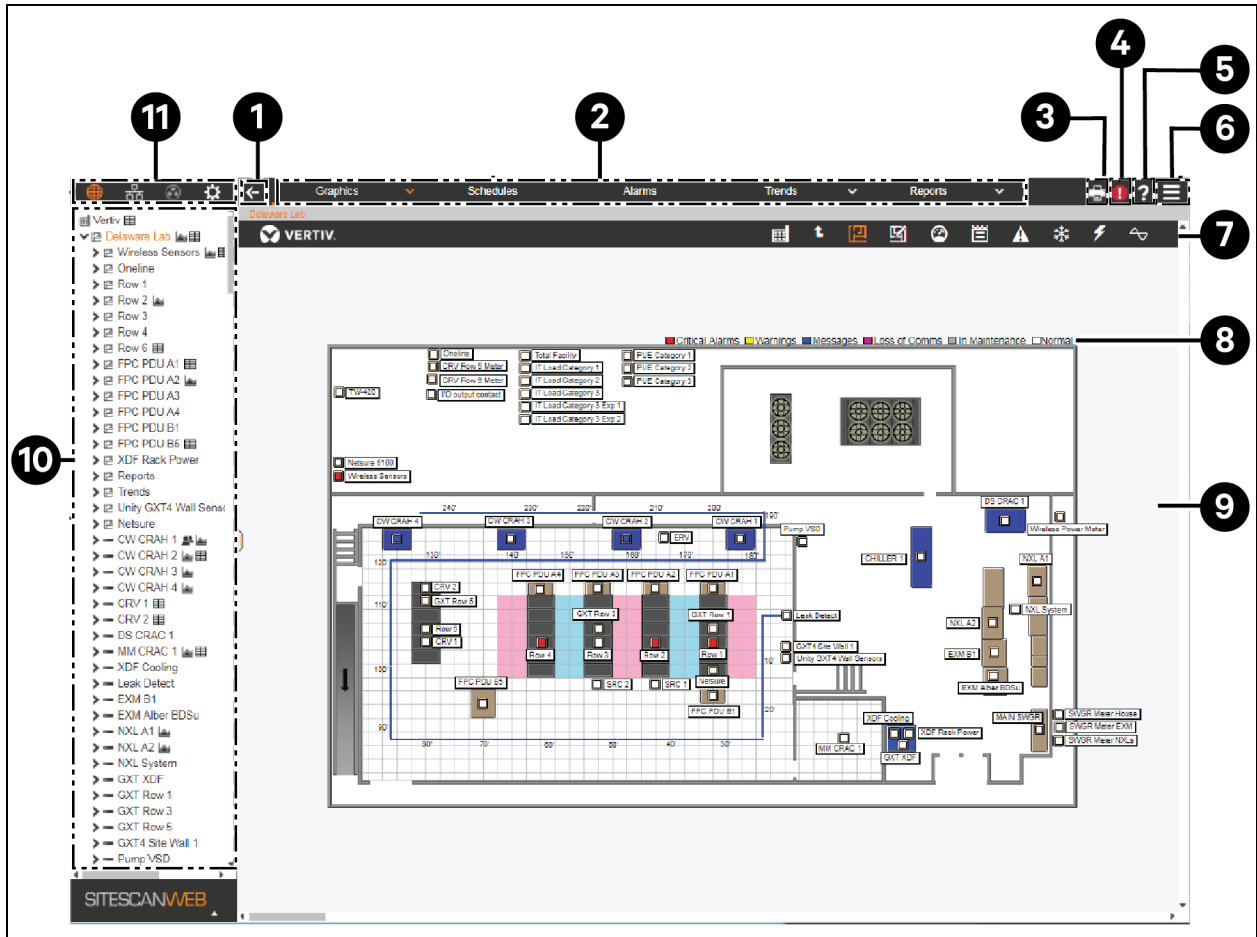
Icon	Description
	Geographic view. See <a href="#">Using the Geographic View</a> on page 15.
	Network view.
	Schedule Groups view.
	System Configuration view. See <a href="#">Using the Configuration View</a> on page 117.

Figure 2.1 Workspace Features and Options



Item	Description
1	Back button
2	Menu tab options
3	Print
4	System-wide alarms. See <a href="#">Viewing, Troubleshooting, Acknowledging, and Deleting Alarms</a> on page 1.
5	Help
6	Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Menu
7	Shortcuts bar. See <a href="#">Using Shortcuts in the Geographic View</a> on page 25.
8	Color-coded shortcuts legend. See <a href="#">Viewing Statuses on the Graphic Floor Plan</a> on page 17.
9	View pane
10	Navigation tree pane. See <a href="#">Navigation Tree</a> on the facing page.
11	Navigation tree options. See <a href="#">Navigation Tree</a> on the facing page.

## 2.1 Logging-on to Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web

To access Liebert® SiteScan™ Web:

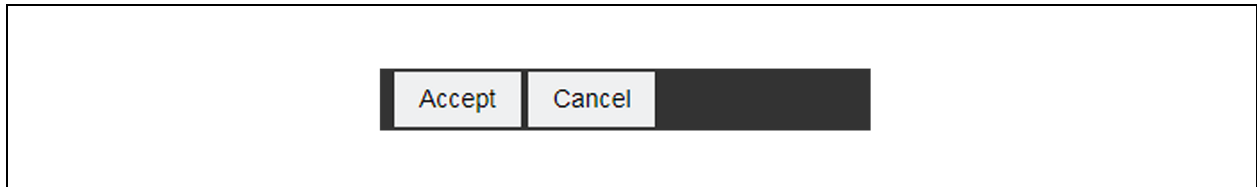
1. Open a web browser, and enter the URL for the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server in the address bar.
2. Enter your user name and password (provided by Vertiv Technical Support), and click *Log in*.

## 2.2 Saving Changes

You must save certain changes to Liebert® SiteScan™ Web. Whenever you make a change that must be saved, the Accept and Cancel buttons appear in the toolbar.

- Click *Accept* to save the changes.
- Click *Cancel* to discard the changes.

Figure 2.2 Save-changes Buttons in Toolbar



## 2.3 Navigation Tree

The Navigation tree provides quick access to options depending on the selected view.

To show the navigation tree:

- Click the down arrow next to the application name in the upper-left of the window, see **Figure 2.3** below.

To hide the navigation tree:

- Click the up arrow next to the application name at the bottom of the navigation tree, see **Figure 2.3** below.

Figure 2.3 Opening and Closing the Navigation Tree








Item	Description
1	Down arrow to expand the navigation tree
2	Up arrow to hide the navigation tree

## 2.4 Tree Icons and Hover Text


The navigation tree displays an icon to the left of each item to denote the type of item. For example:

**Table 2.2 Display of Navigation Tree Icons**







Icon	Name
	System
	Area
	Equipment

To select custom equipment icons in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, right-click the *equipment* on the Geographic  or Network  tree, select *Configure*, then select the Icon. Custom icons can also be selected in the EIKON application.


### Optional icons

To denote locations on the Geographic  tree, where items were created or assigned, the user can display the following icons:

**Table 2.3 Optional Icons**

Icon	Name
	Schedules
	Trend Graphs
	Alarm Actions
	Schedule Groups
	Reports
	Privileges

To turn On optional icons:

1. Right-click on the Geographic  tree.
2. Select *Tree Display Options*.
3. Select the desired Tree Icons.
4. Click *Accept*.



## Optional hover text

If the hover text option is turned on, the user can hold the cursor over a system, area, or equipment icon to display information about its item. The information displayed depends on which hover text options are selected.

**Figure 2.4 Hover Text**



### To turn On hover text:

1. Right-click on the tree.
2. Select *Tree Display Options*.
3. Select the desired Tree Hover Text.
4. Click *Accept*.

## 2.5 Zooming and Resizing in the Viewing Area

- Hold the **CTRL** key while rolling the mouse wheel to zoom in or out on the contents of the Viewing Area.
- Right-click the Viewing Area and select *Scale to 100%* to restore the contents to their original size.
- If a graphic does not fit in the viewing area, right-click it and select *Scale to Fit* to make it fit the viewing area.

## 2.6 Hover-over Text

Hover text reveals information about an item when you hold the cursor over a system, area or equipment icon. Depending on the options enabled, you can display a list of associated schedules, trends, reports, and alarm actions.

1. Right-click anywhere in the navigation tree and select *Tree Display Options*.
2. Click to check the information to display, click *Apply* and then *Close*.

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## 3 Using the Geographic View

The Geographic view lets you navigate Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web based on the geographic layout of the monitored site.

When you select the geographic view, the menus described in **Table 3.1** below, are offered.

**Table 3.1 Geographic View Menus and Options**

Menu tab	Description
Graphics	Offers a quick look of the status of your entire system or any portion of it as a graphic-overlay. See <a href="#">Viewing the Graphic for an Area</a> on the next page.
Alarms	Lets you view and acknowledge system alarms. See <a href="#">Viewing, Troubleshooting, Acknowledging, and Deleting Alarms</a> on page 1. This menu tab also offers several other alarm management options, see <a href="#">Alarms</a> on page 28, for more details.
Trends	Lets you review equipment status values over time to monitor the equipment's operation. See <a href="#">Using trend graphs</a> on page 69. You can also use this tab to customize and manage trends, see <a href="#">Trends</a> on page 63, for more details.
Reports	Lets you compile alarm and other information to help manage and troubleshoot your system. See <a href="#">Preconfigured reports</a> on page 71. You can also use this tab to configure existing reports and create and customize reports, see <a href="#">Reports</a> on page 71, for more details.




### 3.1 Using the Geographic View Navigation Tree

When you are in the geographic view, the navigation tree provides information about and access to your site and equipment.

#### 3.1.1 Icons in the geographic view tree

The navigation tree displays an icon to the left of each item to denote the type of item. **Table 3.2** below, describes the icons.

**Table 3.2 Geographic View Tree Icons**





Icon	Description
	System
	Area
	Equipment

In addition to the identification icons that display to the left of the equipment in the tree, you can display additional icons to the right of the items to indicate where equipment was created or is assigned. **Table 3.3** on the next page, describes the optional icons.

#### To display the optional icons:

1. Right-click anywhere in the navigation tree and select *Tree Display Options*.
2. Click to check the icons to display, click *Apply* and then *Close*.

**Table 3.3 Optional Geographic View Tree Icons**

Icon	Description
	Indicates schedules assigned to the item.
	Indicates trends assigned to the item.
	Indicates reports assigned to the item.
	Indicates alarm actions assigned to the item.

## 3.2 Viewing Unit Data

The unit data view shows the status and other information about the unit in the view pane. Select a unit in the navigation tree to display the unit data.

The unit data view includes an alarms section at the bottom of the window that displays descriptive text for detected alarms.

## 3.3 Viewing the Graphic for an Area

The Graphics menu tab in the geographic view opens a drawing or floor plan that shows device placement.

**To view an area graphic:**

Select a unit in the geographic view tree, then click *Graphics* in the menu bar or  in the shortcuts bar.

### 3.4 Viewing Statuses on the Graphic Floor Plan

In the geographic view, when you view an area graphic, status information is available for the units and equipment.

Each item in the floor plan has an icon with two parts:

- A text label with the assigned name of the item.
- A color coded button that indicates whether or not notifications or alarms are present. **Table 3.4** below, describes the color coding, which are also defined in a legend above the floor plan in the view pane. For more details on alarms, see [Viewing, Troubleshooting, Acknowledging, and Deleting Alarms](#) on page 1.

**Table 3.4 Graphic-status Color Codes**

Color	Indication
Red	Critical alarm present
White	No alarms present
Yellow	Warning present
Blue	Message present
Purple	Loss of communication
Gray	In maintenance mode

**To view status and other information for any item:**

- Hover over the color coded button to display key information pop-up, the current status and the number of alarms, warnings and other information.
- Click the color coded button to open the view of that item.

### 3.5 Viewing a Summary Page

Summary pages list the status of all the components of a selected item. **Table 3.5** on the next page describes the available summaries.

**To view a summary page:**

- Select a unit in the geographic view tree, and click the appropriate icon in the shortcuts bar. See **Table 3.7** on page 26.
- Or –
- Select a unit in the geographic view tree, click the drop-down arrow next to the Graphics tab to display the available summaries, and select a summary.

**NOTE: The summaries available depend on the item you select in the navigation tree.**

**Table 3.5 Summary Pages**

Summary	Description
Unit_summary	The unit summary differs depending on the level of the item selected in the tree. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At the top level, all areas are listed along with the alarm information for each.</li> <li>The unit summary for an area lists all the monitored equipment in that area, including cooling units, power equipment, UPS's and static switches.</li> <li>At lower levels, the summary lists data for the monitored equipment at that level.</li> </ul>
Air_summary	Summary list of all thermal management units at the site.
Power_summary	Summary list of all power units at the site.
UPS_summary	Summary list of all UPS units at the site.
Staticswitch_summary	Summary list of all static switches at the site.

### 3.5.1 Viewing, troubleshooting, acknowledging, and deleting alarms

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Alarms page displays alarms as they are received. When an alarm is received, the user can set options on the My Settings page to have the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application play an audio file.

The setup of an alarm may require that it be acknowledged and/or the alarm condition returned to normal. An alarm incident group includes the alarm, its return to normal, and any other alarms associated with the incident. The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application closes an alarm incident group when all of the following have occurred:

- You acknowledge the alarm (if required).
- The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application receives a return to normal (if required).
- The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs all alarm actions defined for the group.

**NOTE: The user should delete alarms from your system as they are closed because large quantities of stored alarms can reduce the efficiency of your system.**

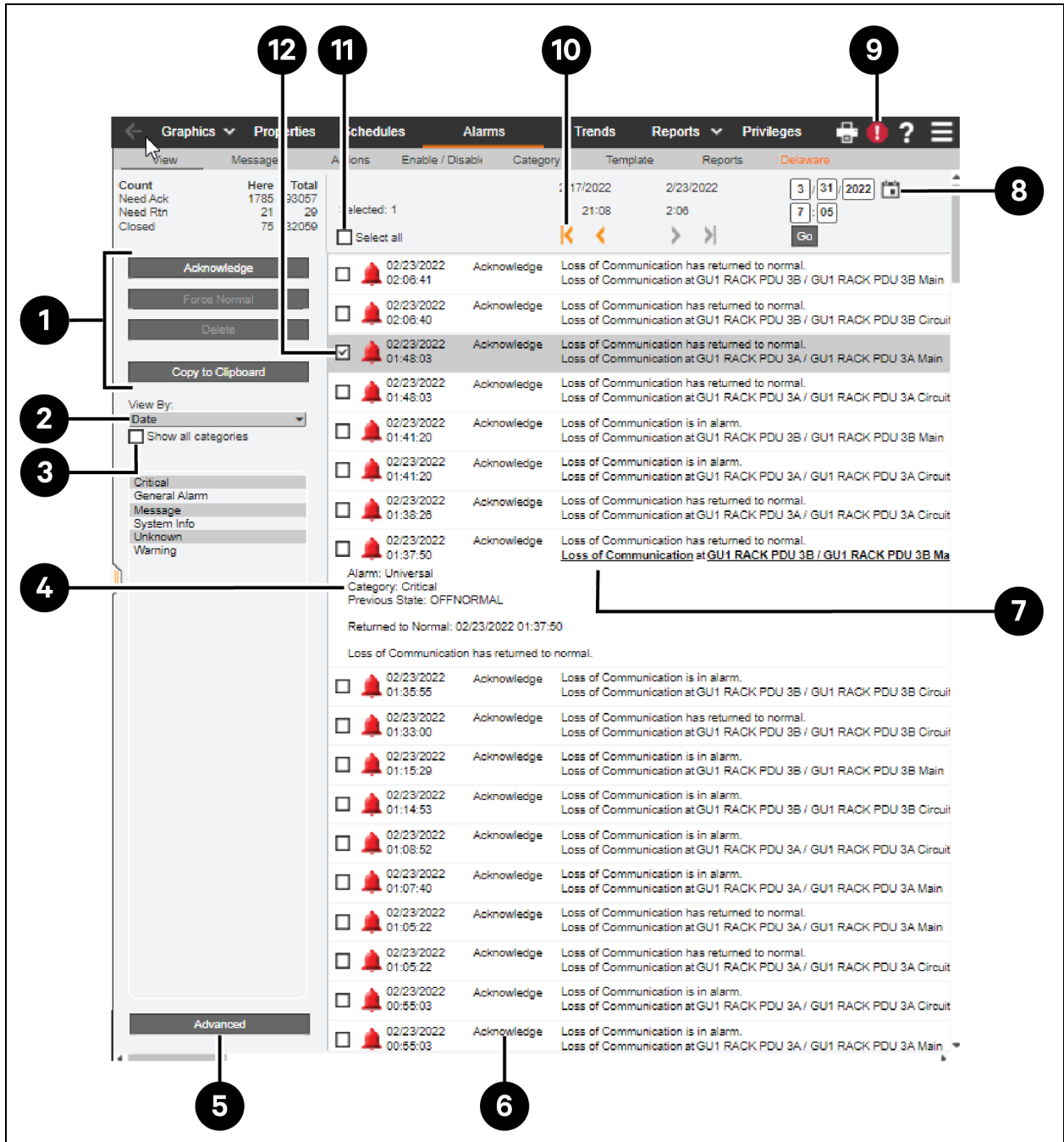
#### Viewing alarms in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface

- Click  at the top of the page to see all alarms in the system.

-Or-

Click the *Alarms* button and then select an item on the navigation tree to see all alarms at and below that level.

Figure 3.1 Alarm Overview



Item	Description
1	Acknowledge, Force Normal, or Delete Alarms
2	View By: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Date:</b> Most recent at top.</li> <li>• <b>To do:</b> Only alarms that require action.</li> <li>• <b>Incident Group:</b> All alarms for one incident.</li> </ul>
3	Show all Categories
4	Alarm Category
5	Advanced <b>NOTE: Click on <i>Advanced</i> to acknowledge or delete all alarms in selected categories, or to delete closed incident groups.</b>
6	Alarm Status: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Acknowledge:</b> Needs to be acknowledged. Red text indicates a return to normal is also required.</li> <li>• <b>Waiting for Normal:</b> Require return to normal.</li> <li>• <b>Closed:</b> All required actions have been performed.</li> </ul>
7	Show/Hide details <b>NOTE: Click on the alarm to show or hide details.</b>
8	Date and Time <b>NOTE: Enter or select a <i>Date</i>. Click <i>Go</i> to see alarms since that date/time.</b>
9	Click to see all alarms in system. Color indicates alarm needs to be acknowledged. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Red:</b> Critical</li> <li>• <b>Yellow:</b> Non-Critical</li> <li>• <b>Gray:</b> None</li> </ul>
10	<i>Alarms &gt; Views</i> shows 50 alarms at a time. Click <i>arrows</i> to see more alarms.
11	Select all Alarms
12	Select one or more alarms

**NOTE: The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web tree can show 10 levels. If an alarm source is deeper than 10 levels, the alarm is reassigned to the system level.**

**Alarms generated by the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application appear at the system level.**













**Alarms generated by controllers appear at the system level on the Geographic tree, but in the network hierarchy on the Network tree.**

The details of an alarm include a path to the alarm source. Each section of the path is a link to that location. For example, in the path East Wing/RTU-4/SSP\_LO, East Wing links to the East Wing graphic, RTU-4 links to the equipment graphic, and SSP\_LO links to the Properties page of the microblock.

The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface may display any of the following alarms icons:






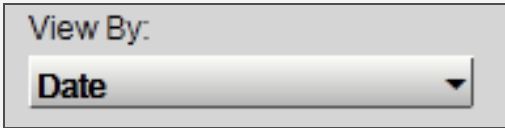
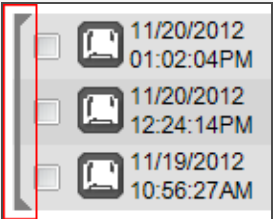
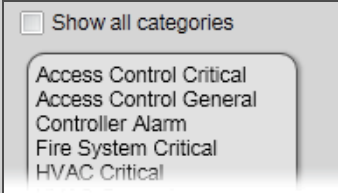


Figure 3.2 Alarm Icons

<u>These icons...</u>	<u>Indicate...</u>	<u>Icon color indicates..</u>
	Access control	Red = Critical
	HVAC	Blue = Maintenance
	Fire system	Gray = General
	Lighting system	Grayed out = Closed
	General alarm	
	Unknown	
	System	
	FDD	
	FDD comfort	
	FDD energy	
	General message	
	Controller alarm	

## Controlling the alarms

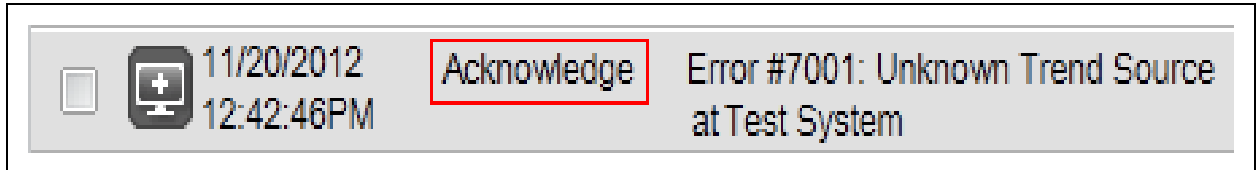
Table 3.6 Controlling the Alarms

Tools	Actions to Control the Alarms List
 <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Oldest Alarms</li> <li>2. Previous 50 Alarms</li> <li>3. Next 50 Alarms</li> <li>4. Newest Alarms</li> </ol>	<p>Click the arrow buttons to display other alarms.</p>
	<p>Enter a date and time or click  to select a date. Click Go to show up to 50 alarms since that date/time. When finished, click  to display the 50 newest alarms or  to display the oldest 50 alarms.</p>
	<p><b>Date:</b> Sorts list by date/time the alarms were generated with the most recent at the top.</p> <p><b>To Do:</b> Shows only alarms that require one or more actions before they are closed.</p> <p><b>Incident Group:</b> Sorts alarms by incident. For example, an alarm and its return to normal form an incident group.</p>  <p>Brackets indicate a group.</p>
	<p>Select the alarm categories that you want to see in the alarms list. Use <b>Ctrl+click</b>, <b>Shift+click</b>, or both to select multiple categories, or select Show all categories checkbox.</p>

## Acknowledging alarms

Alarms that have been set up to require acknowledgement must be acknowledged. An alarm shows if it needs to be acknowledged.

Figure 3.3 Acknowledging Alarms



The table in the upper left corner of the page displays the number of alarms that need to be acknowledged at the current location (**Here**) and in the entire system (**Total**). This table also displays the number of alarms that need a return to normal and the number of alarms that are closed. See **Figure 3.4** below.

Figure 3.4 Alarm Count

	View	Message
<b>Count</b>	<b>Here</b>	<b>Total</b>
Need Ack	637	637
Need Rtn	12	12
Closed	0	0

### Acknowledging an alarm:

1. On the *Alarms* page > *View* tab, select the checkbox of an alarm that shows *Acknowledge*.
2. Click the *Acknowledge* button.

### Acknowledging all alarms in the alarms database for selected categories:

1. On the *Alarms* page > *View* tab in the left hand column, select the categories whose alarms you want to acknowledge.

**NOTE: Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or both to select multiple categories, or select the **Select All** checkbox.**

2. Click *Advanced*.
3. Click *Acknowledge All*.

**NOTE: It takes a long time to acknowledge multiple alarms simultaneously. To avoid long waits, acknowledge alarms as they occur.**

## Deleting alarms

Alarms should be deleted from your system as soon as they are closed because having a large number of stored alarms can reduce the efficiency of your system. To save alarm information before deleting, select *Alarms* > *Reports* tab > *Alarms*, then click the *Run* button.

**To delete an alarm, follow the below steps:**

1. On the *Alarms* page > *View* tab, select an alarm's checkbox.
2. Click *Delete*.

**To delete all alarms in the alarms database for selected categories, follow the below steps:**

1. On the *Alarms* page > *View* tab in the left hand column, select the categories whose alarms you want to delete.

**NOTE:** Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or **both** to select multiple categories, or select the **Select All** checkbox.

2. Click *Advanced*.
3. Click *Delete All Acknowledged*.

**To delete all closed alarm incident groups in the alarms database, follow the below steps:**

An incident group contains all alarms related to a particular incident. For example, an alarm and its return-to-normal form an alarm incident group. An incident group is considered closed when all the alarms in the group are closed.

1. On the *Alarms* page > *View* tab in the left-hand column, select the categories whose alarms you want to delete.

**NOTE:** Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or **both** to select multiple categories, or select the **Select All** checkbox.

2. Click *Advanced*.
3. Click *Delete Closed Incidents*.

**NOTE:** An alarm that requires acknowledgment cannot be deleted until it has been acknowledged.


To have the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application automatically delete alarm incident groups a specified number of days after the groups close, select this option on the *System Settings* > *Scheduled Tasks* (see [Scheduled tasks tab](#) on page 1) tab.

Also on the *System Settings* > *Scheduled Tasks* tab, you can set the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application to archive alarm information to a text file as alarms are deleted.

An alarm source may be set up to generate an alarm and a return to normal. If an alarm occurs but the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application never receives the return to normal, you can select the alarm and then click *Force Normal* so that the alarm can be closed. *Force Normal* has no effect on the alarm condition that generated the alarm.

**Receiving audible notification of alarms**

The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can be configured to play an audio file on your workstation when it receives a critical or non critical alarm.


1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *My Settings*. See [Changing My Settings](#) on page 1.
2. On the Settings tab, select *Non critical alarms* or *Critical alarms* to be notified of each type of alarm.
3. In the Sound File field, enter the path to the sound file.

When an alarm triggers the audio file to play, you can click  and then select:

- Snooze to temporarily stop the sound for 5 minutes.
- Silence to stop the sound.

The alarm sound is silenced until another alarm that triggers a sound is received.

### 3.5.2 Viewing a built-in, single point trend graph

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the equipment whose trend you want to view.
2. Click the *Trends* button drop-down arrow, select *Enabled Points*, and then select the graph you want to view.
3. Select the *View* tab. See [Using trend graphs](#) on page 1.

**NOTE:** On the *Configure* tab, you can:









- Enable/disable the grid.
- Set the time range for the X-axis. For example, enter 7 days to see the data for the last week.
- Turn off autoscaling so that the user can define a range for the Y-axis.
- Enter a Y-axis label that will appear on the right side of the graph.

## 3.6 Using Shortcuts in the Geographic View













A toolbar with shortcuts appears directly below the menu tabs in the view pane. The icons vary according to the item you are viewing. If power equipment is selected, the icons relate to power equipment. If cooling equipment is selected, icons related to cooling equipment display. [Table 3.7](#) on the next page describes the icons.

**NOTE:** The toolbar icons disappear in some views. They reappear when the cursor hovers over the toolbar area.



**Table 3.7** Shortcut Icons

Icon	Description
	System Overview: Navigates to the highest level of the geographic view tree.
	Summary: Displays summary data for the equipment selected in the tree/displayed in the area graphic (in the view pane). See <a href="#">Viewing a Summary Page</a> on page 17.
	Show/Hide Notes: View or add notes about the item. See <a href="#">Using the notes shortcut</a> on the next page.
	Area Graphic: Displays the floor plan of the selected item. See <a href="#">Viewing the Graphic for an Area</a> on page 16.
	Up One Level: Moves the view up one level in the tree.
	Maintenance mode: Enables/Disables maintenance mode and lets you schedule maintenance for the selected equipment. See <a href="#">Using maintenance mode</a> on page 27.
	Trend Graphs: Opens the trend graph for the selected item. See <a href="#">Using trend graphs</a> on page 69.
	Edit Page: Opens a page to view and edit the characteristics of the selected item. See <a href="#">Using the edit page shortcut</a> on page 27.

**Table 3.7 Shortcut Icons (continued)**

Icon	Description
	Area Edit. Displays an editable floor plan to moving and rename units and customize the area floor plan. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.
	Air Summary: Displays a summary of thermal-management units, temperature, heating, cooling, humidification, and dehumidification. See <a href="#">Viewing a Summary Page</a> on page 17.
	Power Summary: Displays a summary of power status, input voltage, output (voltage and amps), load percentage, and power factor. See <a href="#">Viewing a Summary Page</a> on page 17.
	Static Switch Summary: Displays a summary of static-switch status (voltage, current, and power in kVA, kW, and Hz). See <a href="#">Viewing a Summary Page</a> on page 17.
	UPS Summary: Displays a summary of UPS status, bypass voltage, input voltage, battery conditions, inverter status, output (voltage, current, and power in kVa, kW, and Hz). See <a href="#">Viewing a Summary Page</a> on page 17.
	Disable Notifications: Displays a list of notifications for the unit with option to disable notifications.
	Pencil (only in area-edit mode): Edit item names and setpoints for selected units. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.
	Save Changes (only in area-edit mode): Saves changes to the floor plan. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.
	Unlock Units (only in area-edit mode). Unlocks the floor plan to move units and their labels. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.
	Lock Units (only in area-edit mode): Locks the floor plan to prevent moving units and labels. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.
	Add Object (only in area-edit mode): Opens a drop-down list of items to add to the floor plan. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.
	Delete Object (only in area-edit mode): Deletes an object for the floor plan. See <a href="#">Editing an area</a> on the facing page.


### 3.6.1 Using the notes shortcut

1. With an item selected, click . The notes page opens.
2. Enter the note text.
3. Click  again to return to the previous view.

**NOTE: Notes remain until deleted.**


## 3.6.2 Using maintenance mode

To view or edit a maintenance schedule:

1. With an item selected, click . The maintenance page opens listing the Description (name of the device) and the Maintenance Status (On or Off).
2. Select the type of maintenance:
  - **Now:** Enables the option to Run Maintenance Now.
  - **Future:** Enables the option to Schedule Maintenance, and displays time and date options to schedule the maintenance.
3. Set the Duration of maintenance for the device in hours and minutes.
4. If scheduling future maintenance, select the date and time for maintenance to begin.
5. Depending on the type of maintenance selected:
  - Click *Run Maintenance Now* to perform maintenance immediately.
  - Click *Schedule Maintenance* to save and activate the maintenance schedule.
6. In the menu bar, click *Accept* to confirm the maintenance mode settings or *Cancel* to discard the changes.

## 3.6.3 Using the edit page shortcut

To view or change the characteristics of the selected unit or point:




1. With an item selected, click . The edit page opens.
2. Make changes as needed.
3. When finished, click *Submit*. To cancel changes, navigate to another page without clicking Submit.

## 3.6.4 Editing an area



In area edit mode, you can add, move, rename, and delete items on a floor plan.

**NOTE: If any units are outside the view: CTRL+Right-click > Clear Unit Positions and reposition units as needed.**





To add an object:

1. View an area graphic, and click  in the shortcuts bar.
2. Click , select an object from the list, adjust the parameters, and click *Apply*.
3. Click  to save the changes.



**To rename an object:**

1. View an area graphic, and click  in the shortcuts bar.
2. Click , and edit the name.
3. Click  to save the changes.

**To move an object:**

1. View an area graphic, and click  in the shortcuts bar.
2. Click  to unlock the floor plan.
3. Drag the unit and/or label to the new location.
4. Click  to save the changes.
5. Click  to lock the floor plan and prevent unauthorized changes.

**To delete an object:**

1. View an area graphic, and click  in the shortcuts bar.
2. Select an object to delete, then click .
3. Click  to save the changes.

## 3.7 Alarms

An alarm is a message sent from an alarm source (usually a microblock in a control program) to the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application to notify the user that certain conditions exist, such as a piece of equipment has stopped running or a temperature is too high. When the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application receives an alarm, it displays information about the alarm on the Alarms page. It can also perform alarm actions to inform personnel of the condition and to record information about the alarm. An alarm source can also send a return to normal message when the alarm condition returns to its normal state.

**Figure 3.5 Alarm Configuration**

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Item	Description
1	Start point of Alarm Process
2	Alarm Source
3	Alarm
4	Return to Normal
5	Alarm Action

Alarm sources and the alarms they generate are assigned to categories, such as HVAC Critical or HVAC Maintenance, to help you work with related alarms.

The application engineer usually sets up alarm sources in the EIKON application. In the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, you can:

- View, troubleshoot, acknowledge, and delete alarms (see [Viewing, Troubleshooting, Acknowledging, and Deleting Alarms](#) on page 1).
- Set up the alarm actions that the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs (see [Setting up alarm actions](#) below).
- Edit alarm sources that were set up in the EIKON application or set up new alarm sources to generate alarms (see [Setting up alarm actions](#) below).
- Customize alarms by changing the category or message (see [Customizing alarms](#) on page 49).

**NOTE: The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application features built-in system and equipment alarms in addition to the alarms that you set up.**

### 3.7.1 Setting up alarm actions

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can perform alarm actions listed below to notify personnel of an alarm or to record information about the alarm. You can assign alarm actions to an alarm source, a category of alarm sources, alarm sources from a certain location, or a combination of these criteria.

The alarm actions that the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can perform are:

- Alarm pop-up
- Print
- Propagate To Server
- Run External Program
- Send Alphanumeric Page
- Send E-Mail
- Send SNMP Trap
- Send Web Service Request
- Write Property
- Write to Database
- Write to File



See the following topics for a description of each alarm action:

## Assigning alarm actions to alarm sources

### Assigning alarm actions to multiple alarm sources

Although the user can assign an alarm action to a single alarm source, at the area or equipment level, the user typically assigns an action to multiple alarm sources. The alarm action applies to all instances of the alarm sources at the selected location and below. Click the *Edit* button of Action tab to make any changes.

To assign an alarm action to alarm sources, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the area, equipment, or controller containing the alarm sources.
2. On the *Alarms* page > *Actions* tab, follow the 3 steps on the screen.



**NOTE:** Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or **both** to select multiple items.

3. Click *Add*.
4. Set up the alarm action by editing the fields on the alarm action page. See the appropriate alarm action below for field descriptions.
5. Click *Accept*.

Once the alarm actions are assigned to an alarm source, simulate the alarm (see [Simulating an alarm](#) on page 49) to check your work. If an alarm action fails, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application receives an alarm for the failed action.

**NOTE:** Click *View Selected Sources* to view or change settings for each alarm.

To assign an alarm action to a single alarm source, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the alarm source (microblock).
2. On the *Alarms* page > *Actions* tab, click the drop-down arrow, then select an alarm action.
3. Click *Add*.
4. Set up the alarm action by editing the fields on the alarm action page. See the appropriate alarm action below for field descriptions.
5. Click *Accept*.

## Alarm popup

The Alarm popup alarm action pops up a message on any computer with a Windows operating system that is running the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Alarm Notification Client application.

**Table 3.8 Alarm Property**


Field	Notes
To Operator To Group	Select individual operators or operator groups who should receive alarm notification. <b>NOTE:</b> When using location dependent security, users only receive alarms for locations they are allowed to access.
Generate alarm if delivery fails	Select this checkbox to generate a System Info alarm if the popup recipient is not currently running the Alarm Notification Client application.
Message text	Use punctuation, spaces, or returns to format the text. To add live data to the text, select field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) from the Append Field Code list.

Table 3.8 Alarm Property (continued)

Field	Notes
Append Field Code	Add field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) to the message text if needed.
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied.</i></li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied.</i></li> </ul>

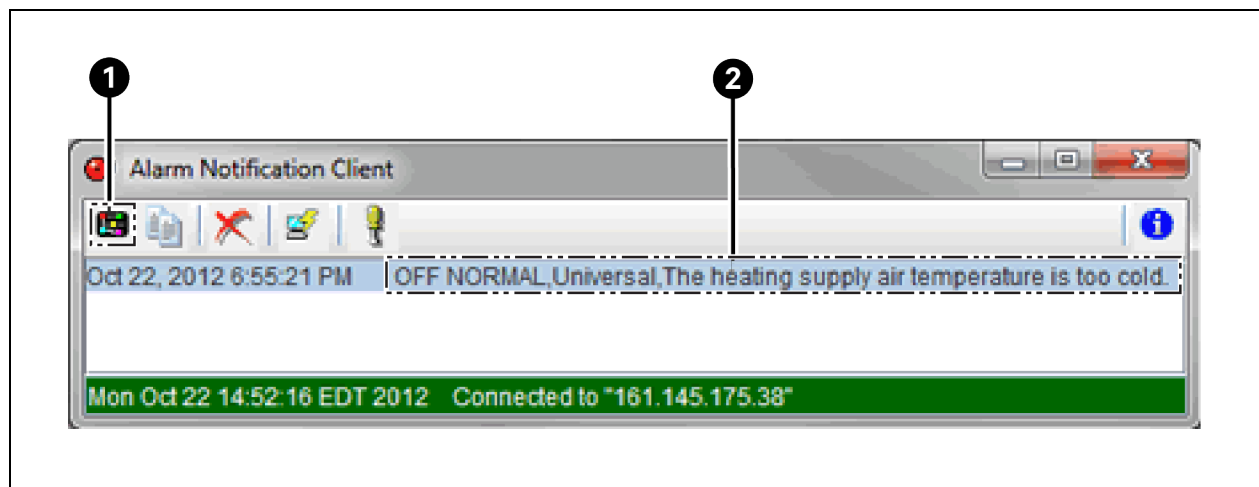
### Alarm notification client application

The Alarm Notification Client application must be running on each client computer (Windows only) that should receive popup notifications. Keep the application minimized to the right side of the Windows task bar. The window pop up with a message when an alarm occurs.

Select an alarm message, then click  to open a web browser window displaying the piece of equipment that generated the alarm. A grayed out alarm indicates that it was acknowledged in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.







If the Alarm Notification Client is set up to play a continuous alarm sound, you can silence an alarm by clicking *Silence!*, by pressing **Ctrl+S**, or by acknowledging the alarm in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.

Figure 3.6 Alarm Notification Client Window




Item	Description
1	Browse to source equipment
2	Alarm message

**Table 3.9 Alarm Notification Client Buttons**

Button	Notes								
	<p>Opens a web browser window that displays the equipment that generated the alarm.</p> <p><b>NOTE: If SiteScan Server is to use https (SSL), you must do the following to enable communication between the server and Alarm Notification Client. In SiteBuilder, go to <i>Configure &gt; Preferences &gt; Web Server</i>. For Enabled Web Server Ports, select Both <i>HTTP and SSL or SSL only</i>. In the Server Connection field described below, enter the number of the SSL port.</b></p> <p><b>If SiteScan Server is v6.0 and an Alarm Notification Client is an earlier version, you will have to login when you click .</b></p>								
	Copies the selected alarm information to the clipboard.								
	Removes the alarm information from the alarm popup list. Removing items from this list has no effect on the alarms list in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.								
	View information about the server connection.								
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To set up the SiteScan Server application to support alarm Popup clients, follow the below steps:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *System Settings*.
2. On the General tab, select *Enable support for Alarm Notification Clients to connect to this server*.
3. If the server has more than one network interface adapter, enter the IP address to which the Alarm Notification Client application will connect in the *Restrict to IP Address* field. You must specify the same IP address in the Server field in the Alarm Notification Client.



4. Use the default port or specify a different port. You must specify the same port in the Port field in the Alarm Notification Client.
5. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE: If the Alarm Notification Client application is not on the local network and will access Liebert® SiteScan™ Web alarms through a NAT router, you must port forward the TCP port you defined in step 4 above.**

**To install the alarm notification client application, follow the below steps:**

Follow the steps below on each client computer that should receive alarm popups.


**Prerequisite:** Enable support for Alarm Popup client in System Settings. See [Alarm popup](#) on page 30.

1. On the System Configuration  tree, click *Client Installs*.
2. Select *Alarm Notification Client*.
3. Click *Run*, then follow the on screen instructions to install the Alarm Notification Client application. After you click *Done*, the application starts automatically.
4. In the Settings dialog box, enter appropriate values. You can also click  to open this box. See the **Table 3.9** on the previous page for a description of each setting.

**NOTE: You can lock the Settings so that a user cannot edit them. See [Locking the settings feature of a client](#): below.**

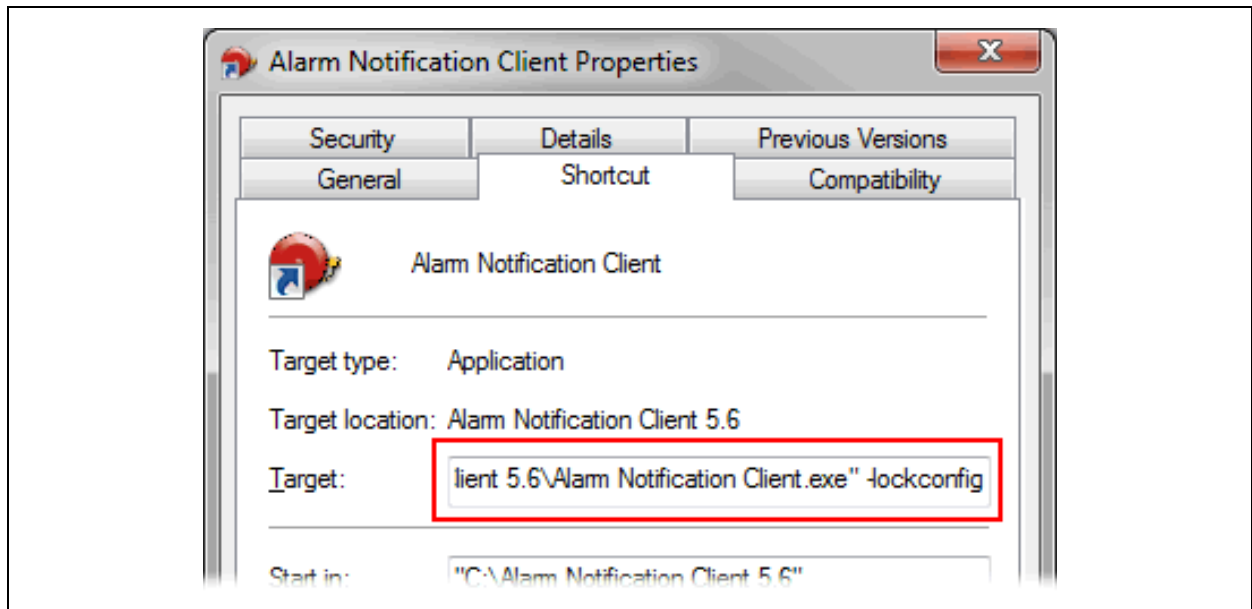
5. Click *OK*.
6. Minimize the Alarm Notification Client window.

**Locking the settings feature of a client:**

**To lock the settings feature of a client to prevent the user from editing the settings , follow the below steps:**

1. Right-click *Alarm Notification Client* in the Windows Start menu.
2. Select *Properties*.
3. On the Shortcut tab, enter **-lockconfig** at the end of the Target path.

Figure 3.7 Locking the Settings Feature of a Client



## 3.7.2 Print

The Print alarm action prints alarm information.

**Table 3.10 Print Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Text Printing	Select to use the local dot-matrix printer of the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server. Text Printing will not print to a network printer.  In the Port Name field, enter the computer port to which the printer is connected. In the Line Width field, enter the number of characters to be printed per line.  Prints multiple alarms per page.
Graphics Printing	Select to use the default printer (local or network printer) of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server.  Prints one alarm per page to the default printer of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server.
Text to Print	Use punctuation, spaces, or returns to format the text. To add live data to the text, select field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) from the Append Field Code list.
Perform Action	By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied</i>.</li> <li>Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under PerformAction, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied</i>.</li> </ul>

## Propagate to server

The Propagate to server alarm action sends the selected alarm to the parent server in a system with hierarchical servers.

**Table 3.11 Propagate To Server Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Message text	The alarm message that is sent to the parent server.
Append Field Code	Add field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) to include live data in the Message text field.
Perform Action	By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol>

**Table 3.11 Propagate To Server Alarm Action Options (continued)**

Field	Notes
	<p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied.</i></li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under PerformAction, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied.</i></li> </ul>

**Run external program**

The Run External Program alarm action starts a program or batch file on the server.

**NOTE: To set up this alarm action, the user must be running SiteScan Design Server.**

**Table 3.12 Run External Program Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Command Line	<p>The path of the executable file on the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server followed by the path of the output file.</p> <p>Example: <code>c:\windows\notepad.exe</code> or <code>c:\SiteScan\webroot\alarms.txt</code></p>
Append Field Code	<p>Add field code (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) to the Command Line field.</p> <p>Example: <code>c:\reports\run_report.bat \$Generation_time\$\$To_State\$</code>. This starts a batch file on the server and uses the generation time of the alarm and state as values.</p>
Synchronize	<p>Tells the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application to wait for the external program to finish running before initiating the next Run External Program alarm action.</p>
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied.</i></li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under PerformAction, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied.</i></li> </ul>

**Send alphanumeric page**

The Send Alphanumeric Page alarm action sends a page to one or more alphanumeric pagers or sends text messages to cell phones. The pager or phone must be able to accept e-mail.



**Table 3.13 Send Alphanumeric Page Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
To	Enter the email address to which the alarm should be sent. To enter multiple addresses, enter a space or press <b>enter</b> after each address.
From	Enter a valid address if required by your mailserver.
Mail Host	Address of the mailserver. This can be an IP address or a system name, such as <b>mail.mycompany.com</b> .
Mail Host Port	Change this field if using a port other than the default port 25.
Mail Host Security Options	Select the type of security the mailserver uses. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Cleartext:</b> Uses the SMTP protocol to send as clear text over TCP/IP.</li> <li>• <b>Secure SSL:</b> Uses SSL, a communication protocol that provides data encryption.</li> <li>• <b>Secure TLS:</b> Uses TLS, but does not begin encryption until the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application issues STARTTLS command.</li> </ul>
Specify Mail User For Mail Host Authentication	Select if your mailserver requires a username and password.
Send mail as MIME attachment	Select if your mailserver allows only MIME attachments.
Message Text	Use punctuation, spaces, or returns to format the text. To add live data to the text, select field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) from the Append Field Code list.
Perform Action	By default, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group. Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied</i>.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied</i>.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>

**NOTE:** This alarm action should not be assigned to frequently occurring alarms since it may cause problems on your network or the Internet.

#### Securing mailserver communication using SSL or TLS

Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application requests an SSL certificate from the mailserver, before the it sends an email using SSL or TLS. If the certificate that the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application receives is in its list of trusted certificates, it sends the email. If the certificate is not in the list, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application generates a system alarm indicating that the email alarm action failed. If this occurs, you will need to add the certificate of mailserver to the SiteScan list of trusted certificates of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.

#### To secure mailserver communication using SSL or TLS:

1. Get a copy of the certificate file from the mailserver. Ask your Network Administrator for help.
2. Put the file on the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server.

3. On the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server, click the *Windows Start* button.
4. In the Search programs and files field, enter the following command:

```
C:\SiteScan_Web_<x.x>\bin\java\jre\bin\keytool.exe -import -trustcacerts -alias smtpserver -keystore
webserver\keystores\certkeys -file <file_path>
```

replacing:

<x.x> with the version number of the system.

<file\_path> with the full path and file name of the certificate file.

5. The information for the smtpserver key is displayed and you are prompted to trust this certificate. Enter **yes**.

**NOTE: If your mailserver is using SSL or TLS, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server is running antivirus software, and the email alarm action fails because an SSL certificate cannot be found, try one of the following solutions:**


**Disable scanning of outgoing SMTP traffic in the antivirus software. For more information, consult the Help section of your antivirus software.**

**Obtain the SSL certificate for the antivirus software and install it on the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server using the above procedure.**

### Setting up a dial up networking connection

The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can use a dial up internet connection through a modem to deliver e-mail for the *Send E-mail* or *Send Alphanumeric Pagealarm* action.

To set up the dial up connection follow the below steps:

1. Set up your modem to dial out to your Internet Service Provider. See your modem documentation.
2. On the Liebert® SiteScan™ server, open Internet Explorer.
3. Select *Tools* or  > *Internet Options*.
4. On the *Connections* tab, click *Setup*.
5. Follow the instructions in the wizard. See Windows Help for assistance.
6. In a text editor such as Windows Notepad, open `SiteScan_Web_x.x\webroot\<system>\system.properties`.
7. At the end of the file, enter the following line:

```
repactions.connection.name=<name of connection>
```

where <name of connection> is the ISP name you entered in the wizard in step 2.

8. Open Internet Explorer, then select *Tools* > *Internet Options* > *Connections* tab.
9. If the box under *Dial up and Virtual Private Network settings* shows more than one connection, select the connection that you just created, then click *Set Default*.
10. Select *Always dial my default connection*.

### Send e-mail

The *Send E-mail* alarm action sends a message to one or more e-mail accounts. The alarm action can also run a report and attach it to the e-mail as a PDF, HTML, or XLS file.

**Table 3.14 Send E-mail Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
To and CC	Enter the mail addresses to which you want to send the alarm. To enter multiple addresses, enter a space or press <b>Enter</b> after each address.
Subject	Enter the text that you want to appear on the Subject line of the email. The subject can include field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ).
Use default email server configuration	Check this field to have this alarm action use the email server configuration settings defined on the <i>System Settings &gt; General</i> tab. Uncheck to enter settings specific to this alarm action.
From	Enter a valid address if required by your mail server.
Mail Host	Address of the mailserver. This can be an IP address or a system name, such as mail.mycompany.com.
Mail Host Port	Change this field if using a port other than the default port 25.
Mail Host Security Options	Select the type of security the mailserver uses. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Cleartext (SMTP):</b> Uses the SMTP protocol to send as clear text over TCP/IP.</li> <li>• <b>Secure SSL (SMTP with SSL):</b> Uses SSL, a communication protocol that provides data encryption.</li> <li>• <b>Secure TLS (STARTTLS):</b> Uses TLS, but does not begin encryption until the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application issues STARTTLS command.</li> </ul>
Specify Mail User For Mail Host Authentication	Select if your mailserver requires a username and password.
Send mail as MIME attachment	Select if your mailserver allows only MIME attachments.
Message Text	Use punctuation, spaces, or returns to format the text. To add live data to the text, select field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) from the Append Field Code list.
Attach Report	Select to attach a report to the e-mail, then select the <i>Report</i> and the <i>Format</i> . The attached report will include the date and time. For example, Alarm Sources 2017 Jan 01 1230.  <b>NOTE: The Report Name field shows a custom report only if it is accessible at the current level.</b>  Run as shows the name and login name of the operator creating the alarm action. The report will be run using the privileges and report options of this operator.  <b>NOTE: For this purpose, you might want to create a new operator with limited privileges.</b>
Perform Action	By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group. Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied</i>.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied</i>.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>

**NOTE: This alarm action should not be assigned to frequently occurring alarms since it may cause network or Internet problems.**

### Securing mailserver communication using SSL or TLS

Before the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application sends an email using SSL or TLS, it requests an SSL certificate from the mailserver. If the certificate that the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application receives is in its list of trusted certificates, it sends the email. If the certificate is not in the list, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application generates a system alarm indicating that the email alarm action failed. If this occurs, you will need to add the certificate of the mailserver to the list of trusted certificates of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.

#### To secure mailserver communication using SSL or TLS:

1. Get a copy of the certificate file from the mailserver. Ask your Network Administrator for help.
2. Put the file on the SiteScan server.
3. On the SiteScan server, click the *Windows Start* button.
4. In the Search programs and files field, enter the following command:

```
C:\SiteScan_Web_<x.x>\bin\java\jre\bin\keytool.exe -import -trustcacerts -alias smtpserver -keystore
webserver\keystores\certkeys -file <file_path>
```

replacing:

<x.x> with the system's version number

<file\_path> with the full path and file name of the certificate file

5. The information for the smtpserver key is displayed and you are prompted to trust this certificate. Enter **yes**.

**NOTE: If your mailserver is using SSL or TLS, the SiteScan server is running antivirus software, and the email alarm action fails because an SSL certificate cannot be found, try one of the following solutions:**

**Disable scanning of outgoing SMTP traffic in the antivirus software. For more information, consult the Help section of your antivirus software.**

**Obtain the SSL certificate for the antivirus software and install it on the SiteScan server using the above procedure.**

### Send SNMP trap

The Send SNMP Trap alarm action sends an SNMP trap in response to receive an alarm. Traps contain the text created in the Text to send as the SNMP Trap field in the alarm action dialog box. You can configure up to five SNMP servers to receive traps.

**NOTE: Liebert® SiteScan™ Web supports SNMP v1.**

**Each SNMP server you want to receive these traps must have SNMP monitoring equipment installed. If problems arise with your SNMP connection or receiving traps, contact your IS department.**

This alarm action uses Port 162 to send SNMP traps. To use a different port, open **SiteScanx.x\webroot\<system\_name>\system.properties** in a text editor such as Notepad. In the line **#snmp.trap.port = 162**, delete **#** at the beginning of the line and change 162 to the port you want to use. If you make this change while the Liebert® SiteScan™ Server application is running, you must restart it to have the change take effect.

**Table 3.15 Send SNMP Trap Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Network Address*	The network address of the SNMP server receiving the SNMP trap.
Community Name*	The community name to which the SNMP server belongs.
Comment	The physical location of the SNMP server. This field is optional.
Trap number*	If the network administrator has configured trap numbers, enter a unique number from 1 to 127. <b>NOTE: The same trap number is used for all messages from this alarm action.</b>
Text to send as the SNMP Trap	255 character limit. Enter punctuation, spaces, or returns after the entries to format the message. You can customize this text by selecting field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) from the Append Field Code list.
Perform Action	By default, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied.</i></li> <li>Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied.</i></li> </ul>
<b>NOTE: * Ask your network administrator for this information.</b>	

## Send web service request

The Web Service Request alarm action sends a web service request to a third-party server when an alarm event occurs. For example, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application could send a request to a work order system so it could create a work order for someone to respond to the alarm condition.

**Table 3.16 Web Service Request Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Destination Address	The URL of the server that will receive the request. Example: <a href="https://192.168.168.102/workorder/bas">https://192.168.168.102/workorder/bas</a>
Web Service Action	Select the type of web service request required by the target server: GET or POST
Content Type	If you selected POST in the previous field, select the format required by the target server: <a href="#">Application/json</a> or <a href="#">/x-www-form-urlencoded</a>
Web Service Request Parameters	<b>Optional:</b> Create a parameter for each piece of information that the target server requires. You should be able to find information about required parameters in the documentation for target server.
Parameter Name	Enter a <i>name</i> for the parameter. For example, Parm1 or Date.

**Table 3.16 Web Service Request Alarm Action Options (continued)**

Field	Notes
	Click <i>Add Parameter</i> .
Value	Text required for the parameter. To add live data to the request, select a field code (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) from the <i>Append Field</i> list.
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied</i>.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied</i>.</li> </ul>

**Write property**

The Write Property alarm action writes a specified value to a BACnet property. You typically set up 2 alarm actions, the first writes a value when the alarm occurs and the other writes a value when the return to normal occurs.

**Table 3.17 Write Property Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Expression	<p>Enter the path to the target property. To get the path, right-click the property on a Properties page, then select <i>Global Modify</i>. The Geographic Location field in the Advanced section shows the path. Click to copy it.</p> <p><b>NOTE: The present value of a BACnet parameter microblock cannot be written to directly. However, you can change the present value by writing to the <code>relinquish_default</code> property, or to the <code>priority_array/priority16</code> property. For example, change <code>#rtu-1/vfd_ovrde/present_value</code> to <code>#rtu-1/vfd_ovrde/relinquish_default</code>, or <code>#rtu-1/vfd_ovrde/priority_array/priority16</code>.</b></p> <p><b>Do not use a BACnet address in this field.</b></p>
Value to Write	Enter the value you want to write to the microblock property. Enter <b>0</b> or <b>1</b> for a binary property.
Append field code to value	Select field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a> ) to add this information to the Value to Write field.
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> </ul>

**Table 3.17 Write Property Alarm Action Options (continued)**

Field	Notes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied.</i></li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied.</i></li> </ul>

**Write to database**

The Write to Database alarm action stores alarm information in the tabular form in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web alarm database or in a custom database. Third party applications can access the alarm information for building maintenance management or alarm analysis. For example, an application can perform actions such as triggering a stored procedure or running a report.

**Writing to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web alarm database**

By default the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application writes alarm information to the write\_db\_ra table in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web alarm database when you add the Write to Database alarm action. The information written to the database is described in the **Table 3.18** below, along with the column name and data type you will need to access the alarm data from a third-party application.

**Table 3.18 Database Information**

Description	Column Name	Data type
Alarm generation time	EVENT_TIME_	Datestamp
Path to the alarm source Example: #slm/m073	SOURCE_PATH_	String
Display name path to the alarm source Example: Atlanta Office/R&D Facility/Second Floor/VAV 2-1/Zone Temp	DISPLAY_NAME_	String
Alarm state Example: OFF NORMAL, LOW LIMIT, HIGH LIMIT	EVENT_STATE_	String
Alarm text as defined in the Text to write to the database field on the alarm action page. You can add live data to the text by selecting field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) from the Append Field Code list.	RA_TEXT_	String

**Table 3.19 Write to Database Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group. Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied.</i></li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under PerformAction, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied.</i></li> </ul> </li> </ol>

**NOTE: Use a third party database application to delete old entries to keep the database table from becoming too large. The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface does not allow you to view, edit, or delete entries.**

**If your system uses an Access or Derby database, you cannot open the database in a third party application while the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web or SiteBuilder application is running.**

**Writing to a custom database**

The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can write alarm information to the following types of custom databases. The custom database does not have to be the same enter the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web database.

- SQL Server
- MySQL
- PostgreSQL
- Oracle

You may create a table in an existing third party database or create a new database.

Using your database management tool, create a table in your custom database that includes fields for each alarm field code to be written to the table. Each field length in the table should be as long as the longest value to be written to that field.

To set up writing to a custom database instead of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web alarm database, select the *Specify Custom Database* checkbox on the Alarms page Actions tab, then enter information in the remaining fields. See **Table 3.20** on the facing page.

**Table 3.20 Write to Custom Database Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
Text to write to the database	The text is made up of field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) that add live data to the text. You can select additional field codes from the <i>Append Field Code</i> list.  <b>NOTE: To write the text in this field to the custom database, you must include the Report Text field code (\$report_text\$) in the Database Insert String field described below.</b>
Database Connect String	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><b>Database Type:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• SQL Server</li> <li>• MySQL</li> <li>• PostgreSQL</li> <li>• Oracle</li> </ul> </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><b>Connect String Format:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• jdbc:odbc:&lt;odbc_alias&gt;</li> <li>• jdbc:mysql://&lt;host&gt;:&lt;port&gt;/&lt;instance&gt;</li> <li>• jdbc:postgresql://&lt;host&gt;:&lt;port&gt;/&lt;instance&gt;</li> <li>• jdbc:oracle:thin@&lt;host&gt;:&lt;port&gt;/&lt;instance&gt;</li> </ul> <p><b>Where:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• &lt;host&gt; is the database server name/IP address</li> <li>• &lt;port&gt; is the port number for the database</li> <li>• &lt;instance&gt; is the database name in the database server</li> <li>• &lt;odbc_alias&gt; is the name of the ODBC data source</li> </ul> </div> </div>
Database Login and Password	The login and password to connect to the database.
Database Insert String	Use the following format: Insert into <TABLE_NAME> (<column1_name>, <column2_name> ...) values (<\$field_code1\$>, <\$field_code2\$>, ...) Example: Insert into SiteScan_ALARMS (TIME_, LOCATION_, TO_STATE_, TEXT_) values (\$generation_time\$, \$location_path\$, \$to_state\$, \$report_text\$)



Table 3.20 Write to Custom Database Alarm Action Options (continued)

Field	Notes
	<p><b>NOTE:</b> You can add field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) to the Insert String using the Append Field Code list.</p> <p>If you add a time stamp type field code (for example, \$generation_time\$), you should have the data go into a timestamp data type field in the custom database. Otherwise, you must use field code formatting (see <a href="#">Using field codes</a> on page 58) to format the time.</p>
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>2. After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>3. If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>• Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied</i>.</li> <li>• Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied</i>.</li> </ul>

## Write to file

The Write to File alarm action can do either of the following:

- Record alarm information in a standard ASCII text file that you can view and edit using a text editor such as Windows Notepad.
- Write a report to a file.

**Table 3.21 Write to File Alarm Action Options**

Field	Notes
File Name	<p>Path name for the file you want to write to such as:  <b>c:\SiteScanx\webroot\alarms.txt</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you do not specify a path, the file is written to the system folder.</li> <li>If you enter a path that does not exist, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application will create the necessary folders.</li> <li>You can write to one of the following:                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A file on the server</li> <li>A networked computer if you map the network drive. Use the drive mapping in the path from the server to the computer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>The path name may contain field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a>).</li> </ul>
Write alarm data	<p>Select to record alarm information in a text file.</p> <p>Select <i>Append</i> to add new alarm information to the end of the file instead of writing over existing data.</p> <p><b>NOTE: Because you can append new alarm information to the end of the file, this file can become very large. You must back up and delete this file frequently if you are using this alarm action with many alarms. The file size can become very large as you can append new alarm information to the end of the file.</b></p> <p>In the field Text to write to the file, enter the information you want to record for an alarm. Use punctuation, spaces, or returns to format the text. To add live data to the text, select field codes (see <a href="#">Using field codes on page 58</a>) from the Append Field Code list.</p>
Write a Report	<p>Select to write a report to a file, then select the <i>Report</i> and the <i>Format</i>.</p> <p><b>NOTE: The Report Name field shows a custom report only if it is accessible at the current level.</b></p> <p>Run as shows the name and login name of the operator creating the alarm action. The report will be run using the privileges and report options of this operator.</p> <p><b>NOTE: For this purpose, you might want to create a new operator with limited privileges.</b></p>
Perform Action	<p>By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application performs an alarm action when the alarm source generates an alarm and when it returns to normal. Under Perform Action, you can choose to run the alarm action:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Only when the alarm source generates an alarm or when it returns to normal.</li> <li>After a specified amount of time if the alarm has not been acknowledged or has not returned to normal. Use this option for alarm escalation.</li> <li>If the alarm occurs during the occupied hours defined for a schedule group or run if the alarm occurs during the unoccupied hours defined for a schedule group.</li> </ol> <p>Example: To have one alarm action performed during work hours and a different alarm action performed after work hours:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Create a schedule group, but do not assign members to it.</li> <li>Create a schedule for the group. Set the occupied hours to be the same as the work hours.</li> <li>Create the alarm action that is to be performed during work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Occupied</i>.</li> <li>Create the alarm action that is to be performed after work hours. Under Perform Action, select <i>If schedule group &lt;your new group&gt; is Unoccupied</i>.</li> </ul>

### 3.7.3 Setting up an alarm source in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface

The application engineer usually sets up alarm sources in the EIKON application. In the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application, you can:

- Edit settings of an existing alarm source or set up a new alarm source to generate alarms.

- On the *Alarm Sources > Properties page* page of the equipment, set up all alarms for a piece of equipment at once.
- Simulate an alarm to test its setup.


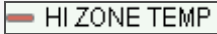

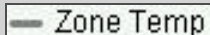
Two types of microblocks generate alarms in control programs.

- Alarm microblocks include logic that considers conditions such as space occupancy.
- I/O point microblocks can generate an alarm when the present value exceeds defined limits (analog) or when the present value changes to an off normal state (binary). This type of microblock is typically set up for analog points to generate alarms for sensor failure.

Alarm microblocks and I/O microblocks can have similar names. So, when you are going to enable an alarm source, first look

for an alarm microblock on the Geographic  or Network  tree.

**Table 3.22 Microblock Appearance on Geographic and Network Tree**

Microblock Type	Appearance on the Geographic or Network Tree
	
	

### Setting up, editing, or disabling alarm sources

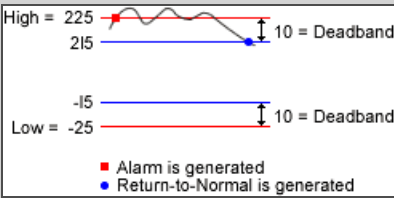


To set up, edit, or disable a single alarm source, follow the below steps:

**NOTE:** On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the alarm source (microblock).



1. Click *Alarms*, then select the *Enable/Disable* tab.
2. Make changes to the fields as needed. The fields can vary for different types of alarm sources. See **Table 3.23** on the next page.
3. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** To set up all the alarms for a piece of equipment at once, click *Properties*, then select *Alarm Sources*.

**Table 3.23 Alarm Source List**

Field	Notes
Potential alarm source	Check to enable the alarm source to generate alarms. Uncheck to disable the alarm source.
Alarm	<p>Check to have the alarm source generate an alarm when the specified conditions occur.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For a binary input, enter the conditions for generating an alarm.</li> <li>For an analog input, type the low and high limits that, when exceeded, will generate an alarm.</li> </ul> <p><b>Deadband:</b> The amount inside the normal range by which an alarm condition must return before a return to normal notification is generated.</p> <p>Example:</p>  <p><b>NOTE: If Status is checked, the alarm condition currently exists.</b></p>
Return to Normal	Check to have the alarm source generate a return to normal when the alarm condition returns to a normal state.
Alarm requires acknowledgment	Check to have the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application require that an operator acknowledge the alarm.
Return requires acknowledgment	Check to have the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application require that an operator acknowledge the return to normal.
Classified as critical	<p>This property determines the color of the system wide alarm button when the alarm comes in.</p> <p> - Critical</p> <p> - Non critical</p>
Event State	<p>The current state of the alarm source can be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Normal:</b> The value is normal.</li> <li><b>Off Normal:</b> The value is not normal (binary only).</li> <li><b>Fault:</b> The alarm source microblock may be misconfigured.</li> <li><b>High Limit:</b> The value exceeds the normal range (analog only).</li> <li><b>Low Limit:</b> The value is below the normal range (analog only).</li> </ul>
<b>BACnet Configuration:</b>	
Dial on alarm	<p>Check to have this alarm immediately delivered through a modem connection.</p> <p><b>NOTE: When monitoring your system through a modem connection, non-critical alarms are stored in the gateway until one of the following happens:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A critical alarm occurs.</li> <li>The gateway is contacted by the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.</li> <li>The gateway buffer is full, at which time all alarms are sent to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.</li> </ul>
Notification Class	Do not change this field.

To set up, edit, or disable multiple alarm sources simultaneously, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the area, equipment, or controller containing the alarm sources.
2. Click *Alarms*, then select the *Enable/Disable* tab.
3. In step 1, select the categories that contain the alarm sources.

**NOTE:** In step 1 and step 2, **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or both to select multiple items, or check **Select All**.




4. In step 2, select the alarm sources.
5. Make appropriate changes in step 3.
6. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** Click *View Selected Sources* to view or change settings for each alarm.

## Simulating an alarm



To test the setup of an alarm source and its alarm actions (see [Setting up alarm actions](#) on page 29), you can simulate an alarm or its return to normal.

To simulate an alarm:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the alarm source (  , but not  ) whose alarm you want to simulate.
2. On the *Alarms > Enable/Disable* tab, check *Enable* next to *Alarm* or *Return to Normal*.
3. Click *Simulate* next to *Alarm* or *Return to Normal*.
4. Select the equipment on the tree, then select the *View* tab to see the alarm.

## Viewing all instances of an alarm source

To find all instances of an alarm source at and below a selected area:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select an *area*.
2. Select the *Message*, *Actions*, *Enable/Disable*, or *Category* tab.
3. Select an *alarm source* from the list in step 2.
4. Click *View Selected Sources*.

Each path in the dialog box links to the alarm source microblock.

**NOTE:** It is possible to change the settings that relate to the tab you selected.

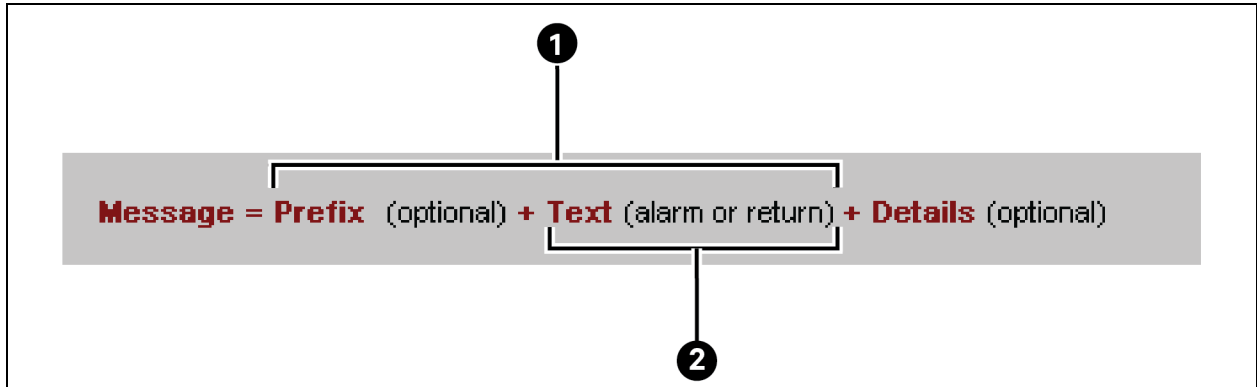
### 3.7.4 Customizing alarms

Each alarm source has an alarm message, category, and template defined in the EIKON application. You can change messages and categories in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.

## Alarm messages

An alarm message is the information that appears on the Alarms page View tab for an alarm. An alarm message can consist of 3 parts.

Figure 3.8 Alarm Message




Item	Description
1	Prefix and Text make up the alarm message you see without double clicking the alarm.
2	Text defined in the control program.

You can edit Text only at the alarm source in the EIKON application.

Prefix and Details are hierarchical. They apply at the location where they are added and to all its children. For example, you could enter Details at the system level to show the acknowledge time for alarms in the HVAC Critical category. The acknowledge time would then be in any HVAC critical alarm message in the system.

**NOTE: An alarm action can have a different message from the alarm message seen on the View tab. To edit the message for a particular alarm action, see Setting up alarm actions (see Setting up alarm actions on page 29).**



To edit the message for an alarm source, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the alarm source (microblock).
2. Click *Alarms*, then select the *Messages* tab.

**NOTE: Sample Alarm Message and Sample Return Message show the messages as they are currently defined.**

3. Do the following as needed:
  - Edit the *Text* for *Alarm* or *Return*. You can add live data to the text by selecting field codes (Using field codes on page 58) from the Append Field Code list.
  - Click the *Edit* button to edit Message Prefix or Message Details.
  - In the drop-down list to the right of Message formation, select *Add new prefix to beginning of message* or *Add new details to end of message*, then click *Add*.
4. Click *Accept*.

To add a prefix or details for multiple alarm sources, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the area, equipment, or controller containing the alarm sources.
2. Click *Alarms*, then select the *Messages* tab.
3. In step 1, select the categories that contain the alarm sources whose messages you want to edit.

**NOTE: In step 1 and step 2, Ctrl+click, Shift+click, or both to select multiple items, or check Select All.**

4. In step 2, select the alarm sources.
5. In step 3, select *Add new prefix to beginning of message* or *Add new details to end of message*.
6. Click *Add*.
7. Enter text and add field codes as needed.
8. Click *Accept*.

## Alarm categories



Alarm categories sort related alarm sources and their alarms into groups such as HVAC Critical and Access Control General. Alarm categories allows you to do the following:

- View, acknowledge, or delete selected categories of alarms (see [Viewing a built-in, single point trend graph](#) on page 25) received by the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.
- Assign alarm actions (see [Setting up alarm actions](#) on page 29) to selected categories of alarm sources.
- Set up alarm sources (see [Setting up an alarm source in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface](#) on page 46) in selected categories.

Each alarm source is assigned to an alarm category in either the EIKON application or in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.

In addition to the default alarm categories in your system, you can create custom categories if needed. If you create a custom category in the EIKON application, you must create the same category in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface. The Reference Name must be identical in both applications.

To assign alarm sources to a category in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the area, equipment, or controller containing the alarm sources.
2. Click *Alarms*, then select the *Category* tab.
3. In step 1, select the category that currently contains the alarm sources.

**NOTE: In step 1 and step 2, Ctrl+click, Shift+click, or both to select multiple items, or check Select All.**

4. In step 2, select the alarm sources whose category you want to change.
5. In step 3, select a category from the drop-down list, then click *Change*.
6. Click *Accept*.

To add a custom alarm category, follow the below steps:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, click  to the left of *Categories*.

2. Click *Alarm*.
3. Click *Add*. See **Table 3.24** below.
4. Click *Accept*.

**Table 3.24 Interface Details**

Field	Notes																																																
Reference Name	It must be unique in the database, lowercase, and not contain any spaces. This name must be identical to the name of the custom alarm category that you added in the EIKON application.																																																
Icon	<p>Enter <code>/_common/lv5/graphics/event_categories/&lt;file_name&gt;.gif</code>, replacing <code>&lt;file_name&gt;</code> with the name of the icon file you want to use.</p> <p>The event_categories folder contains the following alarm icons:</p>																																																
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<p><b>NOTE:</b> * Represents critical, maintenance, general, or closed.</p> <p>You can create your own 24 x 24 pixel icon (.gif or .png) and store it in the event_categories folder. However, your custom file will not be transferred during a Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web upgrade, so you will need to copy the file to the new install directory after the upgrade.</p>																																																	

**If you upgraded alarms from v2.0 or earlier**


All v2.5 and later alarms use one template called Universal. This template lets you define your alarm message text, the critical setting, and the required acknowledgments at the alarm source in the EIKON or Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.


**Templates in upgraded systems**



If you upgraded your system from v2.0 or earlier, the alarm sources retained their existing templates and existing alarm settings. If the existing alarm sources contain little or no customization to the alarm settings, Vertiv recommends that you change all of the alarms to use the Universal template. If the alarm sources had customized alarm settings, continue using the existing templates.

To assign a different template to alarm sources, follow the below steps:

**Prerequisite:** The Alarms Template tab must be visible. If it is not, on the System Configuration  tree, select *Privilege Sets*, then check *Maintain Alarm Templates*.


1. On the Geographic  tree, select the piece of equipment containing the alarm sources to be changed.
2. Click *Alarms*, then select the *Template* tab.
3. Follow the 3 steps on the screen.

**NOTE:** Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or **both** to select multiple items.

4. Click *Change*.
5. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** To change all alarms in the system simultaneously, go to the system level and then select all categories and all alarm sources on the *Templates* tab.


**Adding an alarm template:**

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Alarm Templates*.
2. Click *Add*.
3. Select *Source based* (a v2.5 template) or *Stand alone* (a pre-v2.5 template), then click *OK*.
4. Edit the template fields as needed. See **Table 3.25** on the next page.
5. Click *Accept*.

**Table 3.25 Adding an Alarm Template**

Field	Template Type	Notes
Reference Name	All	It must be unique in the database, be lowercase, and not contain any spaces. This name must be identical to the name of the template in the EIKON application.
Display Name	All	The name that will appear in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface for this template.
Alarm Message	Source based	The message text displayed on the View tab or in the alarm action when an Alarm requires acknowledgment.
Return Message	Source based	The message text displayed on the View tab or in the alarm action when a return to normal requires acknowledgment.
Fault Message	Source based	The message text displayed on the View tab or in the alarm action when a Fault requires acknowledgment.
Critical	Stand alone	Select if this is a template you will use with a critical alarm.
Acknowledgement Required	Stand alone	Select which alarm states require an acknowledgment.
Out of Range	Stand alone	Analog inputs and outputs that have low and high limit alarm properties.

**Table 3.25 Adding an Alarm Template (continued)**

Field	Template Type	Notes
		Click  to the left of <i>Out of Range</i> to make changes to the alarm messages displayed on the <i>Alarms page &gt; View</i> tab. Short text is the message displayed when the alarm is not expanded. Long text is the message displayed when the alarm is double clicked and expanded.
Change of State	Stand alone	Binary inputs and alarm microblocks. See <a href="#">Out of Range</a> on the previous page to change the alarm messages.
Copy Field Code to Clipboard	Stand alone	To add a field code to any of the message text fields: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Select a field code to copy it.</li> <li>2. Click in the appropriate text field where you want the field code.</li> <li>3. Press <b>Ctrl+V</b> to paste the field code.</li> </ol>

### 3.7.5 Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths

A path tells the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application the route through the system hierarchy to an item in the system. For example, a path tells the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application where to find a microblock property value to display on a graphic or where to jump to when the operator clicks a link on a graphic.

In Liebert® SiteScan™ Web, you use paths in:

- The **source** field code ([Using field codes](#) on page 1) in alarm actions and messages.
- An Equipment Values report ([Creating an equipment values report](#) on page 1).
- The **go** manual command ([Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths](#) above).
- Custom reports ([Custom Reports](#) on page 1).

You can do one of the following to get the path:

- In the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, determine the path yourself ([Determining a path or microblock property](#) on page 57).

A path consists of the reference name of each tree item included in the path, separated by a forward slash (/). For example, `first_floor/zone_1/lstat`.

A path can be absolute ([Absolute path](#) on the facing page) or relative ([Relative path](#) on the facing page).

Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths are based on parent-child hierarchy. In the tree below, the Lobby is a child of First Floor, and First Floor is a child of Atlanta R&D Facility. Conversely, Atlanta R&D Facility is the parent of First Floor, which is the parent of Lobby.

Figure 3.9 A System in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface

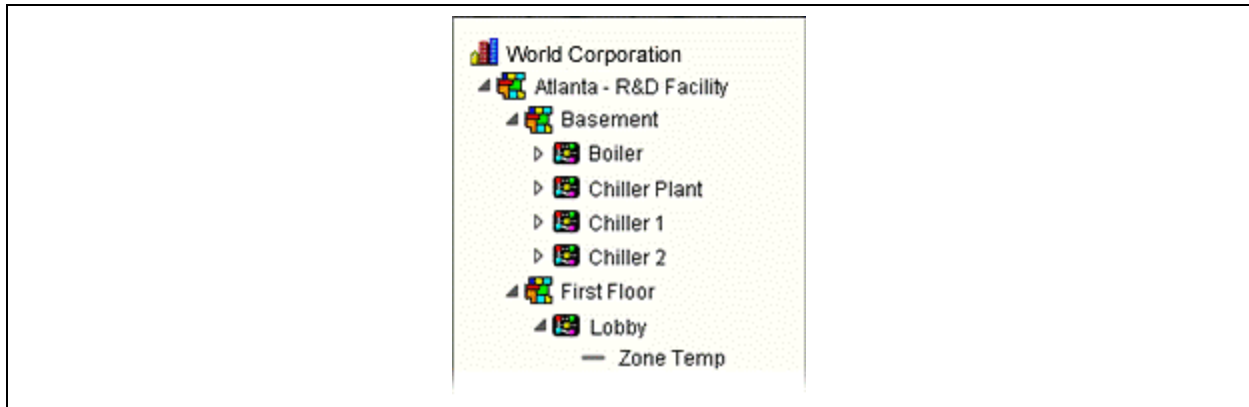
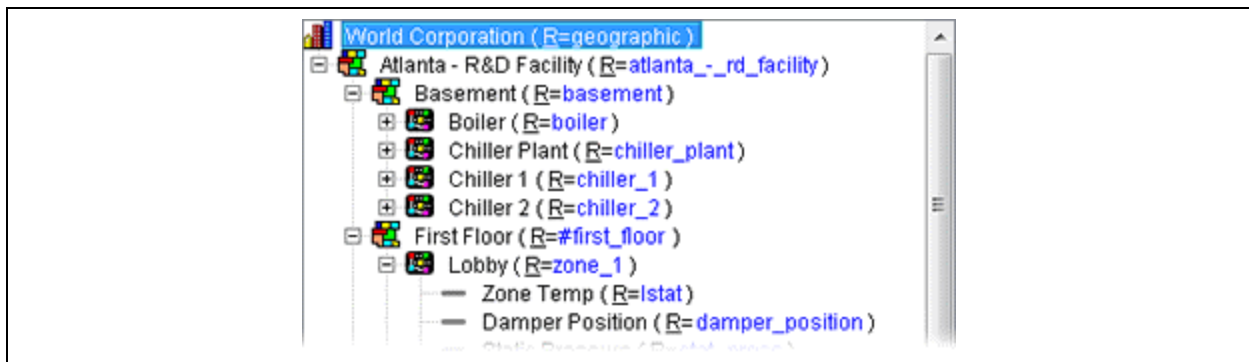


Figure 3.10 Same System in SiteBuilder Showing Reference Names in Blue



## Absolute path

An absolute path begins at a specific point in the system hierarchy and is followed by the children below it down to the object or property of interest. An absolute path can begin with either of the following:

- A global reference name a reference name that is unique within the entire system and begins with a # sign.

Example: If OA Conditions has a global reference name of #oa\_conditions, the absolute path to OA Conditions is simply #oa\_conditions. The absolute path to any child of OA Conditions, such as OA Temperature, begins with #oa\_conditions. For example, #oa\_conditions/oa\_temp.

- The top of the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web tree.

Example: (using the system in the figure above) To display the Lobby's zone temperature on any graphic, the absolute path is /trees/geographic/atlanta\_-\_rd\_facility/first\_floor/zone\_1/lstat.

## Relative path

A relative path is useful for items such as graphics or alarm messages that you will reuse in multiple Liebert® SiteScan™ Web locations because the path is relative to the item that contains the path.

A Relative Path Going Down the Tree:

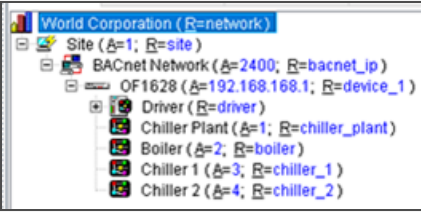
A relative path going down the tree begins with the reference name of the item below the location where the path is used. Examples using the system shown above:

- To display zone temperature of the Lobby on the Lobby graphic, the path is **rs**.
- To display zone temperature of the Lobby on the Atlanta-R&D Facility graphic, the path is **first\_floor/zone\_1/rs**.

**A relative path going up the tree:**

A relative path going up the tree begins with a ~ followed by one of the options shown in **Table 3.26** below:

**Table 3.26 Relative Path**

Use	To Go	Examples Using the System Shown Above
~parent	Up one level	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To put a link on the Lobby graphic that goes to the First Floor graphic, the path is <b>~parent</b>.</li> <li>2. To put a link on the Lobby graphic that goes to the Atlanta R&amp;D Facility (up 2 levels), the path is <b>~parent/~parent</b>.</li> <li>3. To display the Lobby's zone temperature on the Boiler graphic, the path is <b>~parent/~parent/first_floor/zone_1/istat/present_value</b>.</li> </ol>
~equipment	To the control program of microblock	To display the Lobby zone temperature in a High Temp alarm message, the path is <b>~equipment/istat/present_value</b> .
~device	From a control program in the Geographic tree to its device in the Network tree.	To show the device name on an equipment graphic, use <b>~device.display-name</b> .
~network	From a location in the Network tree up to its network (IP, ARCNET, and so on)	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. To show the network name on an equipment graphic, <b>~device/~network.display-name</b>.</li> <li>2. To show the network number on a dead module alarm, use the following field code and path: <b>\$source:~network.network-number\$</b>.</li> </ol>
~geo	From a control program in the Network tree to the same item in the Geographic tree.	Use the manual command go <b>~geo</b> .
~net	From a control program in the Geographic tree to the same item in the Network tree.	Use the manual command go <b>~net</b> .
~instance(#)	To sibling equipment within a multi-equipment device	<p>See the system shown below. To display the Boiler Plant outdoor air temperature on the Chiller Plant graphic, the path is <b>~instance(2)/oat/present_value</b>.</p> 

**Relative path to heat, cool, demand, or custom source values**

To get a heat, cool, demand, or custom source value, use one of the following relative paths, replacing xxx with the reference name of the point you want to display and yyy with the reference name of a custom tree.

**~heat/~parent/~geo/xxx**

**~cool/~parent/~geo/xxx**

**~dem/~parent/~geo/xxx**

`~changetree(yyy)/~parent/~geo/xxx`

**NOTE:** You must do the following before you can display a source value using the above paths. In the EIKON application, configure Analog Status microblocks in the child control program for outgoing heat, cool, and run requests. Also configure Total, Minimum, and Maximum microblocks for the incoming requests in the parent control program. In SiteBuilder, assign your child equipment to its parent on the Heat Source or Cool Source tab.

### Relative path to prime variables and thermographic colors

- To get a prime variable, use the relative path `~prime`. The control program must contain a Prime Variable microblock.
- To get a thermographic color, use the relative path `~color`. The control program must contain a Setpoint or Set Color If True microblock.

### Determining a path or microblock property

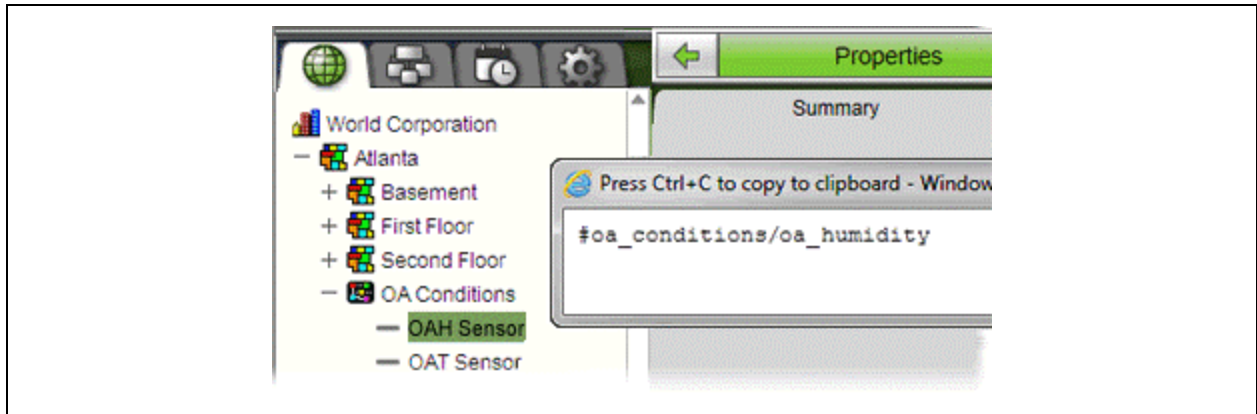
A path tells the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application the route through the system hierarchy to an item in the system. Paths are used in graphics, links, alarm messages, alarm actions, network microblock address, autopilot, and other items.

#### Getting the path to an area, equipment, or microblock

In the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, right-click the item on the tree, then select *Copy Path*. Paste the path where you need it.

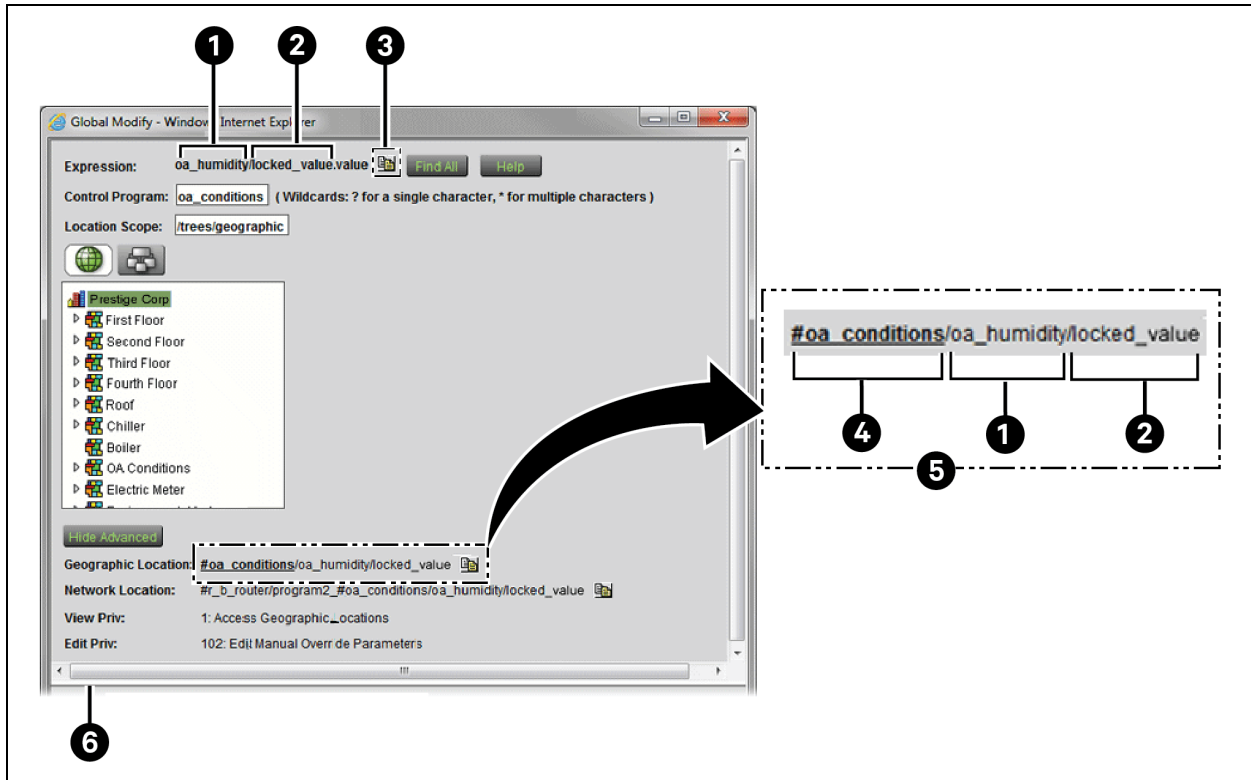
#### Getting the path to a microblock property value:

1. In the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, right click the value, then select *Global Modify*.



2. Click *Show Advanced* to see the full path to the property value and the Edit Privilege associated with the property.

Figure 3.11 Global Modify Window



Item	Description
1	Microblock
2	Property
3	Copies expression to Windows Clipboard
4	Location
5	Full absolute Path
6	Click and drag this divider down to see the view and edit privileges

### 3.7.6 Using field codes

Use field codes to insert live data into:

- The message on an alarm action.
- Text displayed on the *Alarms page > View* tab.
- Alarm information archived to a text file when an alarm is deleted.

By appending field codes to each of these items, you can customize their setup. For example, to have the device that generated the alarm included in the message of an alarm action, append the Device field code to the message of the action.

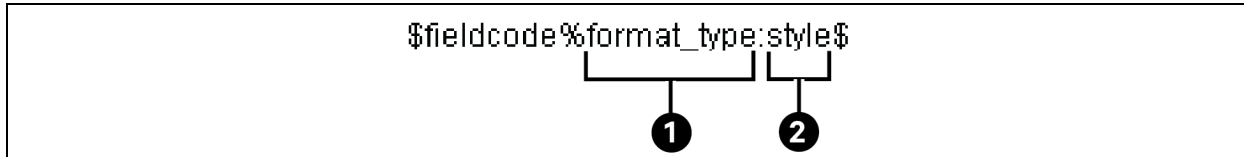
#### Formatting field codes

You can enter a formatting command after a field code to format the field code in one of the following 3 ways:

- Format a number field code (Example: ###).
- Format a date/time field code (Example: MM/dd/yyyy hh:mm:ss).
- Left, right, or center align a field code and set the field width.

A formatting command must have the following syntax:

**Figure 3.12 Syntax for Formatting Command**



Item	Description
1	Format type
2	Style

See the **Table 3.27** below to determine the `format_type` and `style` for a formatting command.

**Table 3.27 Format Type and Style for a Formatting Command**

Formatting Command	Format Type	Style	Example
To format a number	N	The actual formatting, such as ###. The basic format uses the pound sign (#) to represent a number. For more information, search the Internet for <b>customizing number formats with java</b> .	To always round a setpoint value to two digits to the right of the decimal, the field code is: <code>\$setpoint_value%N:###.##\$</code> For example, 78.9935 becomes 78.99.
To format date/time	D	The actual formatting, such as MM/dd/yyyy hh:mm:ss. For more information, search the Internet for <b>customizing date time formats with java</b> .	To show the date and time when an alarm is generated in a format like 03/15/2004 10:50:43, the field code is: <code>\$generation_time%D:MM/dd/yyyy hh:mm:ss\$</code>
To set alignment and field width	L for left align R for right align C for center align	Indicate the field width by number of characters.	To left align the name of the device that generated the alarm and set the field width to 15 characters, the field code is: <code>\$device%L:15\$</code>

### Using multiple formatting commands

You can enter multiple formatting commands for a field code. For example, you can format a number and then set the alignment and field width. The syntax for multiple formatting commands is:

`$fieldcode%format_type1:style%format_type2:style$`

Example: To format the alarm date and time, center it and set the field at 20 characters, the field code is:

`$generation_time%D:MM/dd/yyyy hh:mm:ss%C:20$`

**NOTE:** The date/time or number formatting command must be entered before the alignment/field width command.

## Field codes

**Table 3.28 Field Codes Description**

Field Code Name	Field Code	Description
Acknowledge Operator	\$acknowledge_operator\$	The operator who acknowledged the alarm. Example: John Doe
Acknowledge Time	\$acknowledge_time\$	The time when the operator acknowledged the alarm. Example: Nov 12, 2012 6:46:31 PM
Alarm Category	\$alarm_category\$	The alarm category to which the alarm is assigned. Example: HVAC Critical
Alarm Priority	\$alarm_priority\$	The priority number associated with the priority of the alarm (Off-Normal, Fault, or Normal) on the controller's <i>Driver &gt; Notification Class</i> page.
Alarm Template	\$alarm_template\$	The alarm template that the alarm is assigned. Example: Universal
Alarm Type	\$alarm_type\$	The alarm type of the alarm source. Example: CHANGE OF STATE
Alert Text	\$alerttext\$	<p>For a converted SuperVision system if the option Create a single alarm template... was selected during upgrade. Retrieves alarm message text from cmnet_alert_text.properties.</p> <p>To use this field code:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Select the <i>Alert Text field code</i>.</li> <li>2. After \$alerttext, enter one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• :normalshort</li> <li>• :normallong</li> <li>• :alarmshort</li> <li>• :alarmlong</li> </ul> </li> </ol> <p>For example, \$alerttext:alarmlong\$</p>
Character	\$c\$	A single ASCII character. Often used for form feeds and other printer escape sequences. Example: \$C:65\$ displays A
Command Value	\$command_value\$	The commanded value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type COMMAND FAILURE. Example: 3
Control Program	\$equipment\$	The display name of the equipment where the alarm came from. Example: Chiller
Controller	\$device\$	The display name of the device where the alarm came from. Example: SE6104
Dead Band	\$deadband\$	The deadband value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type OUT-OF-RANGE. EXAMPLE 5
Deletion Operator	\$deletion_operator\$	The operator who deleted the alarm. Example: John Doe
Deletion Time	\$deletion_time\$	The time the alarm was deleted. Example: Nov 12, 2012 6:46:31 PM
Error Limit	\$error_limit\$	The error limit, from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type FLOATING LIMIT. Example: 90
Event Values	\$event_values\$	Returns a string of alarm values associated with the alarm.
Exceeded Limit	\$exceeded_limit\$	The exceeded limit value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type OUT-OF-RANGE. Example: 90
Exceeding Value	\$exceeding_value\$	The exceeding value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type OUT-OF-RANGE. Example: 91
Fault	\$fault\$	The status of the fault condition from the alarm source. Example: True or false
Field Message	\$field_message\$	Text generated in the alarm by the controller.



Table 3.28 Field Codes Description (continued)

Field Code Name	Field Code	Description
Feedback Value	\$feedback_value\$	The feedback value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type COMMAND FAILURE. EXAMPLE: 10
From State	\$from_state\$	The previous state of the alarm source. Example: NORMAL, FAULT, OFF NORMAL, HIGH LIMIT, LOW LIMIT
Generation Operator	\$generation_operator\$	The operator who forced the alarm to return to normal. Example: John Doe
Generation Time	\$generation_time\$	The time in the controller when the alarm was generated. Example: Nov 12, 2012 6:35:18 PM
In Alarm	\$in_alarm\$	The In Alarm status from the alarm source. Example: True or false
Incident Closed Time	\$incident_closed_time\$	The time the entire incident group closed of the alarm. Example: Nov 12, 2012 6:46:31 PM
Latched Data Value (Analog)	\$latched_data_analog:x\$	x ranges from 1 to 10. Returns a numerical value. Use for legacy systems.
Latched Data Value (Digital)	\$latched_data_digital:x\$	x ranges from 1 to 10. Returns On or Off. Use for legacy systems.
Location Path	\$location_path\$	Displays the path display names from root to source. Example: Building B / Basement / VAV AHU B / SSP_STOP The number of levels in the path is based on the System Settings field Levels displayed in paths. To override this setting, enter the field code as \$location_path:#\$, substituting # with the number of path levels you want to show. For example, \$location_path:5\$ will show 5 levels.
Long Message	\$long_message\$	The formatted alarm long text displayed by double clicking the alarm on the Alarms page.
Message Details	\$message_details\$	The message details displayed on the Alarms page View tab.
Message Prefix	\$message_prefix\$	The message prefix displayed on the Alarms page View tab.
Message Text	\$message_text\$	The message text displayed on the Alarms page View tab.
New State	\$new_state\$	The status of new state from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type CHANGE OF STATE. Example: Alarm, Fault
New Value	\$new_value\$	The new value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type CHANGE OF VALUE. Example: 70
Notification Class	\$notification_class\$	The notification class assigned denotes how the received alarm was generated. For example, if set to 1, the alarm would typically be sent to SiteScan by Vertiv controllers.
Object ID	\$object_id\$	Object ID of the alarm source. Example: 526
Out of Service	\$out_of_service\$	The status of 'out of service' from the alarm source. Example: True or false
Overridden	\$overridden\$	The status of 'overridden' from the alarm source. Example: True or false
Program ID	\$program_id\$	The address of the control program that generated the alarm. BACnet program address format: device ID, program number Example: 2423101,1 SuperVision program address format: site, gateway, controller, fb Example: 1, 2, 13, 5
Receive Time	\$receive_time\$	The time at the workstation when the alarm was received. Example: Nov 12, 2012 6:46:31 PM
Recipient Device ID	\$device_id\$	The device ID of the device where the alarm came from. Example: 82423101

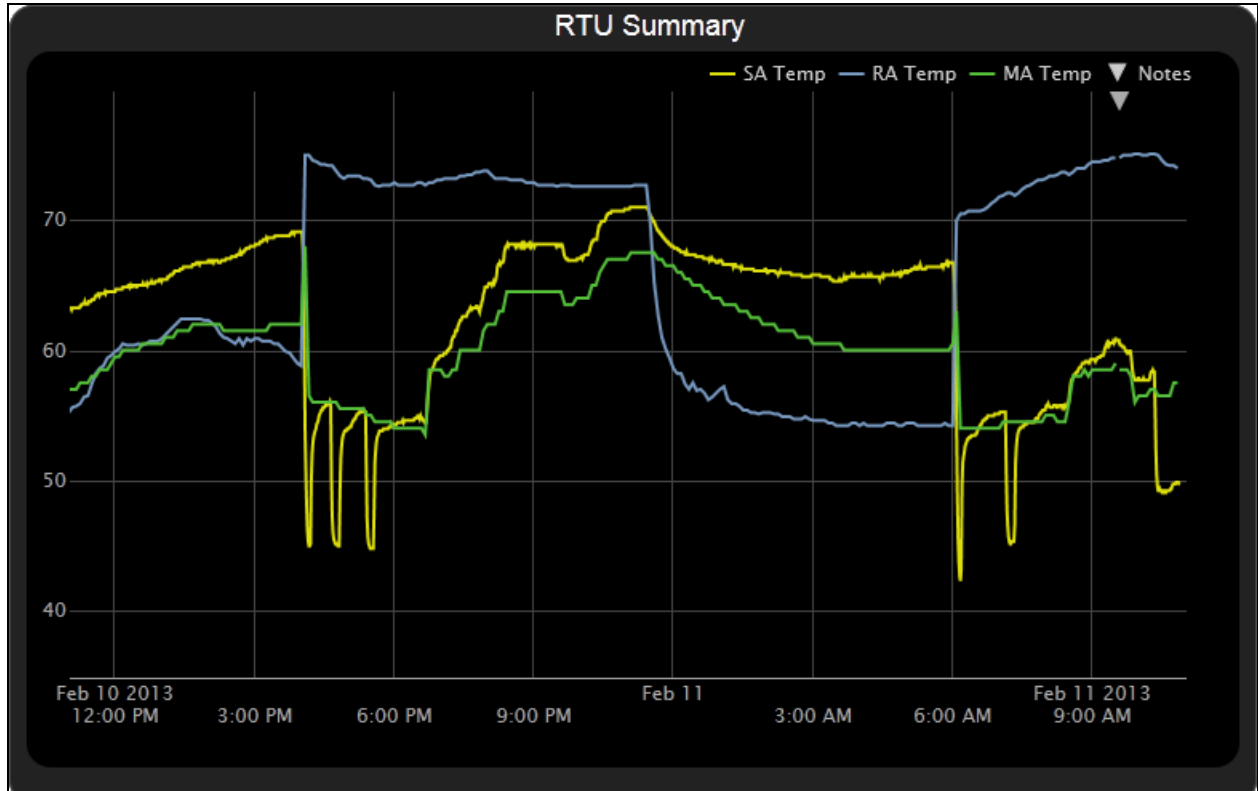
**Table 3.28 Field Codes Description (continued)**

Field Code Name	Field Code	Description
Record Type	\$record_type\$	The type of alarm. Example: BACnet, Supervision, System
Reference Path	\$reference_path\$	Path to alarm source. Available in all alarm actions. Example: #e_b_vav_ahu_b/ssp_stop
Reference Value	\$reference_value\$	The 'reference value' from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type FLOATING LIMIT. EXAMPLE 83
Referenced Bitstring	\$referenced_bitstring\$	The value of the 'referenced bitstring' value from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type CHANGE OF BITSTRING. Example: 1011011101101
RTN Time	\$RTN_time\$	The time when the alarm returned to normal. Example: Nov 12, 2012 6:46:31 PM
Setpoint Value	\$setpoint_value\$	The <b>setpoint value</b> from the alarm source. Valid only for alarm type FLOATING LIMIT. EXAMPLE 72
Short Message	\$short_message\$	The formatted alarm short text.
Site	\$site\$	The display name of the site the alarm came from. Example: Kennesaw
Source	\$source\$	The display name of the alarm source microblock that generated the alarm. Example: SAT_HI
Source description	\$source:description\$	The Description field of the alarm source microblock that generated the alarm. Example: High Cooling Supply Air Temp
Source Path	\$source:<path>\$	Substitute <path> with the path to the value you want to display. See <a href="#">Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths</a> on page 1. Example to add text value: \$source:~equipment.display-name\$ Example to add a numeric value: \$source:/trees/geographic/rd_facility/ zone_1/lstat/present_value\$ <b>NOTE: You can use Global Modify to get the path.</b> <b>For legacy systems, use the latched data field codes.</b>
System Directory	\$system_dir\$	The system folder name. Example: c:\SiteScanx\webroot\ world_corporation
To State	\$to_state\$	The current state of the alarm source. Example: NORMAL, FAULT, OFF NORMAL, HIGH LIMIT, LOW LIMIT

## 3.8 Trends

The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system can read and store equipment status values over time and then display this information in a trend graph to help the user to monitor the operation of the equipment.

Figure 3.13 Trends Graph

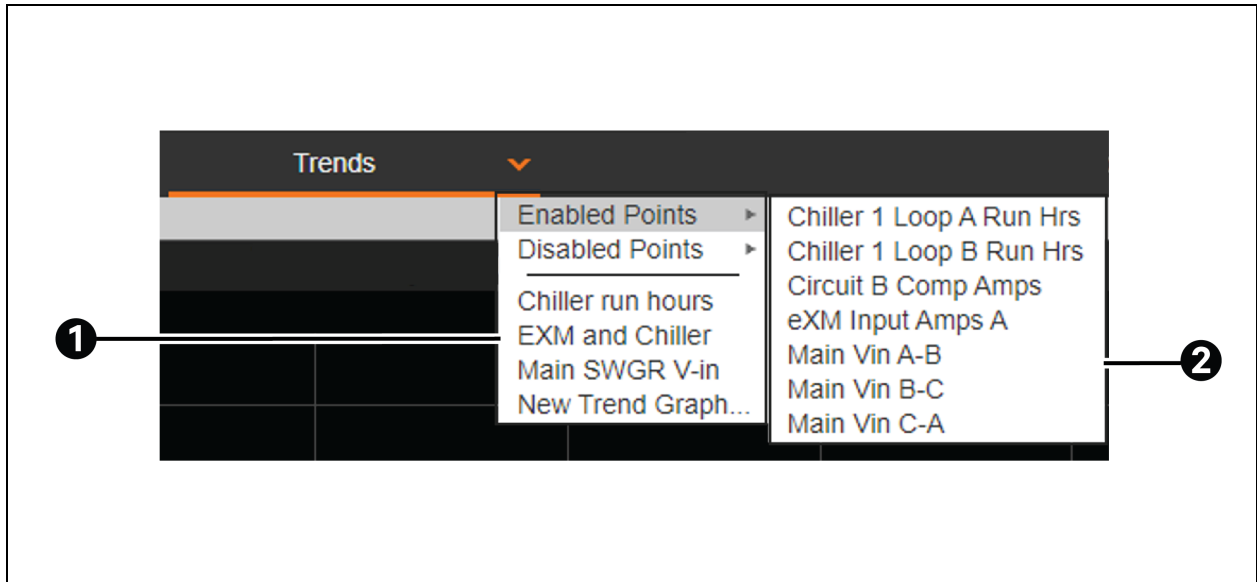


The user can collect trend data for any point value in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system. The controller reads point values at intervals that the user defines and then stores that data in the controller. A controller has limited memory for storing trend data, so the user can set up historical trending to archive the trend data from the controller to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web database. A trend graph can display data from the controller and the database, or it can display only data stored in the database.

Once the desired points for trend data collection are set (see [Collecting trend data for a point](#) on the next page), you can:

- View built in trend graphs that show a single point (see [Viewing a built-in, single point trend graph](#) on page 66).
- Create custom trend graphs with multiple points (see [Creating a custom trend graph](#) on page 66).

Figure 3.14 Trends




Item	Description
1	Custom Trend Graph
2	Single-point graphs

### 3.8.1 Collecting trend data for a point

To see a trend graph for a point, the user must first enable trending for that point and then define how the user wants the controller to collect the data for that point. This can be done in the EIKON application or in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface using the instructions below.

**NOTE: I/O microblocks have trending capability built in, and you enable trend logging in the I/O microblock. Any other microblock value must have a trend microblock attached in the control program, and you enable trend logging of the value in the trend microblock.**

To set up trending for a point in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface, follow the below steps:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the equipment that has the point you want to trend.
2. Click the *Trends* button drop-down arrow, select *Disabled Points*, then select the point.
3. On the Enable/Disable tab, check Enable Trend Log.
4. Enter information in the appropriate fields. See **Table 3.29** on the facing page.
5. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE: On the Trend Sources tab of the Properties page of the equipment, the user can set up all trends for a piece of equipment at once.**


**Table 3.29 Property of Various Category**

Field	Notes
Sample every ___ (hh:mm:ss)	Records the value of the point at this interval. <b>NOTE: Set trend intervals for U line controllers to one minute or greater. U line controllers are designed to meet low end, high volume terminal control applications and are not suited to very short trend intervals.</b>
Sample on COV (change of value)	Records the value of the point only when the value changes by at least the amount of the COV increment. <b>NOTE: Use this method for a binary point or for an analog point that has infrequent changes in value.</b>
Max samples	The maximum number of samples that you want the controller to store.  <b>CAUTION: Changing the value in Max samples will delete all the trend samples of the point currently stored in the controller. Click the Store Trends Now button before changing the value to transfer the trend data from the controller to the system database.</b> <b>NOTE: Trending consumes memory in the controller. The amount of memory available depends on the type of controller. Each trended point consumes 48 bytes of memory plus 10 bytes for each trend sample. Each trend microblock consumes 416 bytes of memory plus 10 bytes for each trend sample.</b> <b>NOTE: Click Reset to delete all samples currently stored in the controller.</b>
<b>NOTE: The above sample and memory allocation fields together define trend data storage in the controller in terms of hours. Example: If you set these fields so that samples are collected every 5 minutes for a maximum of 120 samples, the controller will store 600 minutes (5 x 120) or 10 hours of trend data.</b>	
Stop When Full	Check this field to stop trend sampling when the maximum number of samples is reached.
Enable trend log at specific times only	Collects trend data for the specific period of time that the user defines in the time and date fields.
Enable Trend Historian	Archives trend data to the system database.
Store Trends Now	Writes all trend data in the controller to the system database without having to enable trend historian.
Write to historian every __ trend samples	Writes all trend data in the controller to the system database each time the controller collects the number of samples that the user enters in this field. This number must be greater than zero and less than the number entered in the field Max samples. The number of trends specified must be accumulated at least once before the historical trends can be viewed.
Trend samples accumulated since last notification	Shows the number of samples stored in the controller since data was last written to the database.
Last Record Written to Historian	Shows the number of trend samples that were last written to the database.
Keep historical trends for __ days	This is based on the date that the sample was read. Select the first option to use the system default that is defined on the <i>System Settings &gt; General</i> tab. Select the second option to set a value for this trend only.
Delete	Deletes all trend samples stored in the database for the item selected on the Geographic  tree.
BACnet Configuration	The Object Name is a unique alphanumeric string that defines the BACnet object. Although the Object Name field can be edited, it is not recommended. The Notification Class is set to 1 to receive alarms generated by Vertiv controllers.

**NOTE: Use Global Copy to copy trend properties to other pieces of equipment that use the same control program.**

**Run a Trend Usage report (see Preconfigured Reports on page 1) to view trend configurations.**

### 3.8.2 Viewing a built-in, single point trend graph

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the equipment whose trend you want to view.
2. Click the *Trends* button drop-down arrow, select *Enabled Points*, and then select the graph you want to view.
3. Select the *View* tab. See [Using trend graphs](#) on page 69.

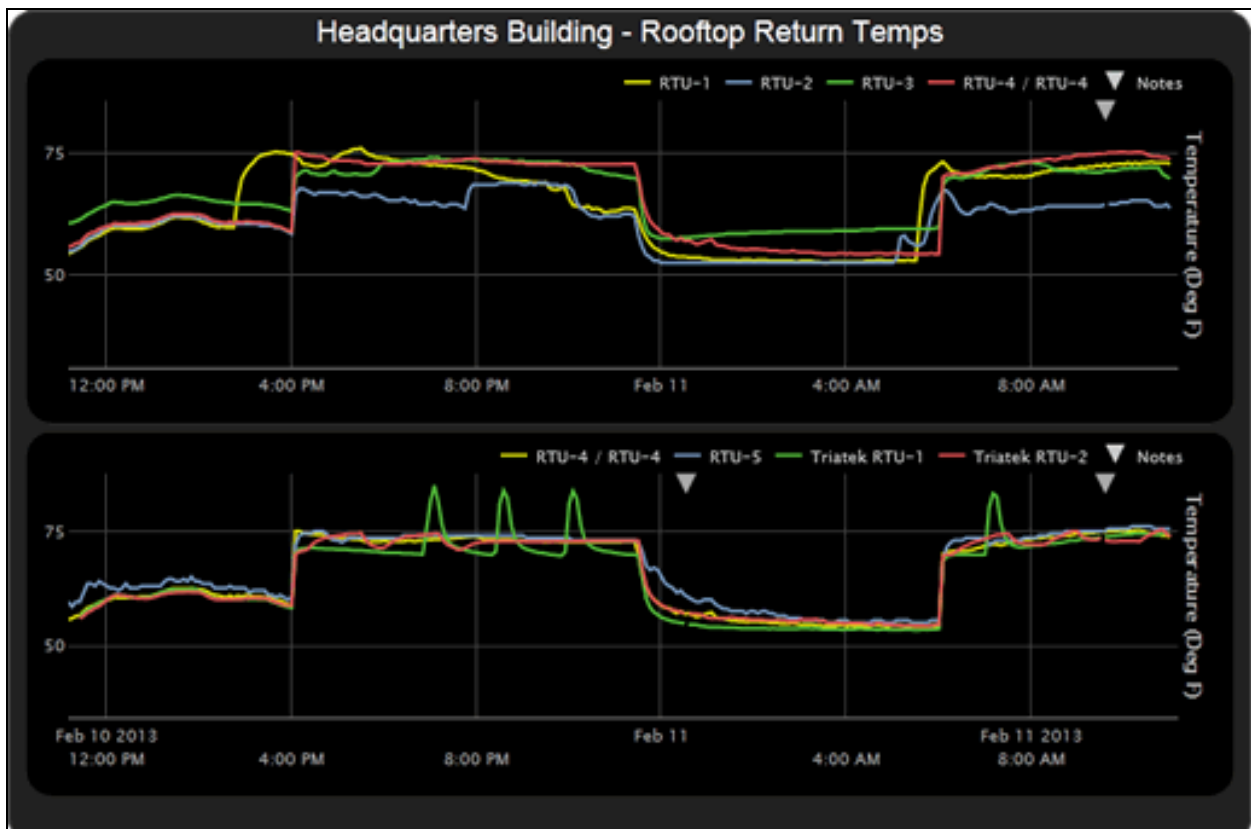
**NOTE:** On the *Configure* tab, you can:

- Enable/disable the grid.
- Set the time range for the X-axis. For example, enter 7 days to see the data for the last week.
- Turn off autoscaling so that the user can define a range for the Y-axis.
- Enter a Y-axis label that will appear on the right side of the graph.


### 3.8.3 Creating a custom trend graph

The user can select up to 16 points when creating a custom trend graph. The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application divides the data into subgraphs if more than 4 points or points with different units are selected. A maximum of 4 points with comparable units can be displayed in each subgraph.

Figure 3.15 Custom Trend Graph




**NOTE:** To include points in the custom trend graph, enable trending for that points. See [Collecting trend data for a point](#) on page 64.

The user can display icons and hover text on the Geographic  tree that show where custom trend graphs were created. See [Tree Icons and Hover Text](#) on page 12.

## Creating a custom trend graph

Follow the below steps to create a custom trend graph:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the area or equipment where you want to see the graph.
2. Click the *Trends* button drop-down arrow, then select *New Trend Graph*.

**NOTE: If the Trends button does not have a drop-down arrow, the New Trend Graph page is already displayed.**


3. In the tree on the New Trend Graph page, use **Ctrl+click** or **Shift+click** to select the points (16 maximum) that you want to see on a graph.

**NOTE: The tree shows only points that have trending enabled. See [Collecting trend data for a point](#) on page 64.**

4. Click *Save*.
5. **Optional:** If your system has trend categories defined, you can select a Category for this trend. For more information on trend categories, see [Adding trend categories](#) on the next page.
6. Enter a Name for the graph that will appear at the top of the graph and in the Trends button drop-down list.
7. Click *OK*.
8. To see custom trend graph and to edit trend graph:
  - Select the *View* tab to see the custom trend graph. See [Using trend graphs](#) on page 69.
  - Select the *Configure* tab to edit the trend graph. See [Editing a custom trend graph](#) below.

## Editing a custom trend graph

Follow the below steps to edit a custom trend graph:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the area or equipment where you created the graph.
2. Select the *Trends > Configure* tab. On this page, you can:
  - Change the name of the custom trend graph.
  - Enable/disable the grid.
  - Set the time range for the X-axis.
  - Edit a Y-axis label of subgraph that will appear on the right side of the graph.
  - Turn off autoscaling so that you can define a range for the Y-axis.
  - Add/delete subgraphs (see [Adding a subgraph to a custom trend graph](#): below).
  - Add/delete points (see [Adding a point to a subgraph](#): on the next page).
  - Change the name of a point on the graph.
  - Change the active/inactive text of a binary point on the graph.
  - Click *Delete Trend Graph* to delete the entire custom trend graph.

### Adding a subgraph to a custom trend graph:

1. Click *Add* below the Subgraphs list.

2. Type a Y-axis label.
3. Click *Add* below the Points list.
4. Select a point in the Data source tree.

**NOTE:** The tree shows only points that have trending enabled. See [Collecting trend data for a point](#) on page 64.

5. Repeat steps 3 and 4 to add up to 4 points to the subgraph.
6. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** To delete a subgraph, select it in the Subgraphs list, click *Delete* below the list, and then click *Accept*.

**Adding a point to a subgraph:**

1. Select the subgraph in the Subgraphs list.
2. Click *Add* below the Points list.
3. Select a point from the Data source tree.

**NOTE:** The tree shows only points that have trending enabled. See [Collecting trend data for a point](#) on page 64.

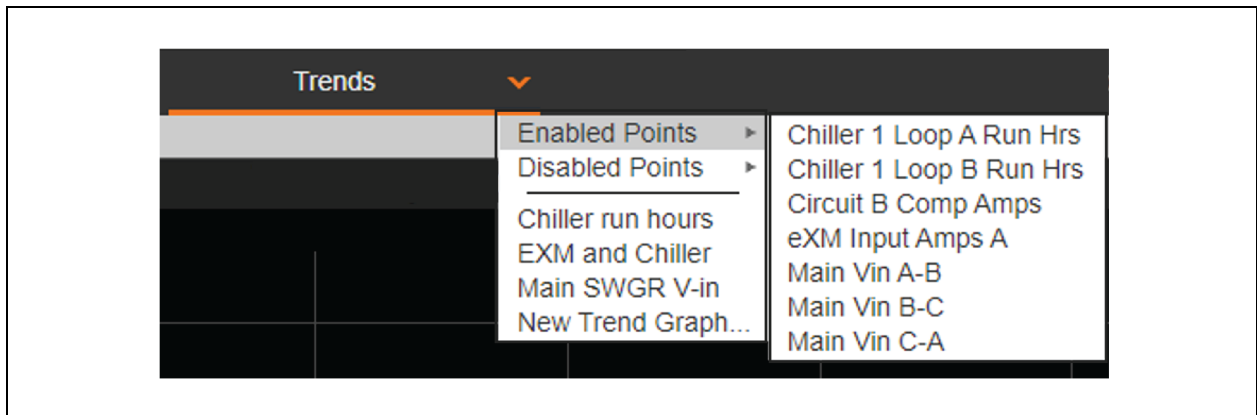
4. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** To delete a point, select the appropriate subgraph, select the point, click *Delete* below the Points list, and then click *Accept*.



### 3.8.4 Adding trend categories

A point trend graph is in the *Enabled* or *Disabled* category in the *Trends* button drop-down menu.

Figure 3.16 Enabling/Disabling Point Trend Graph



Follow the below steps to create additional categories for your custom trend graphs:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, click  to the left of Categories, then select *Trend*.
2. Click *Add*.
3. Enter the Category Name and Reference Name.
4. **Optional:** Select a privilege so that only operators with that privilege can access trends in the category.
5. Click *Accept*.

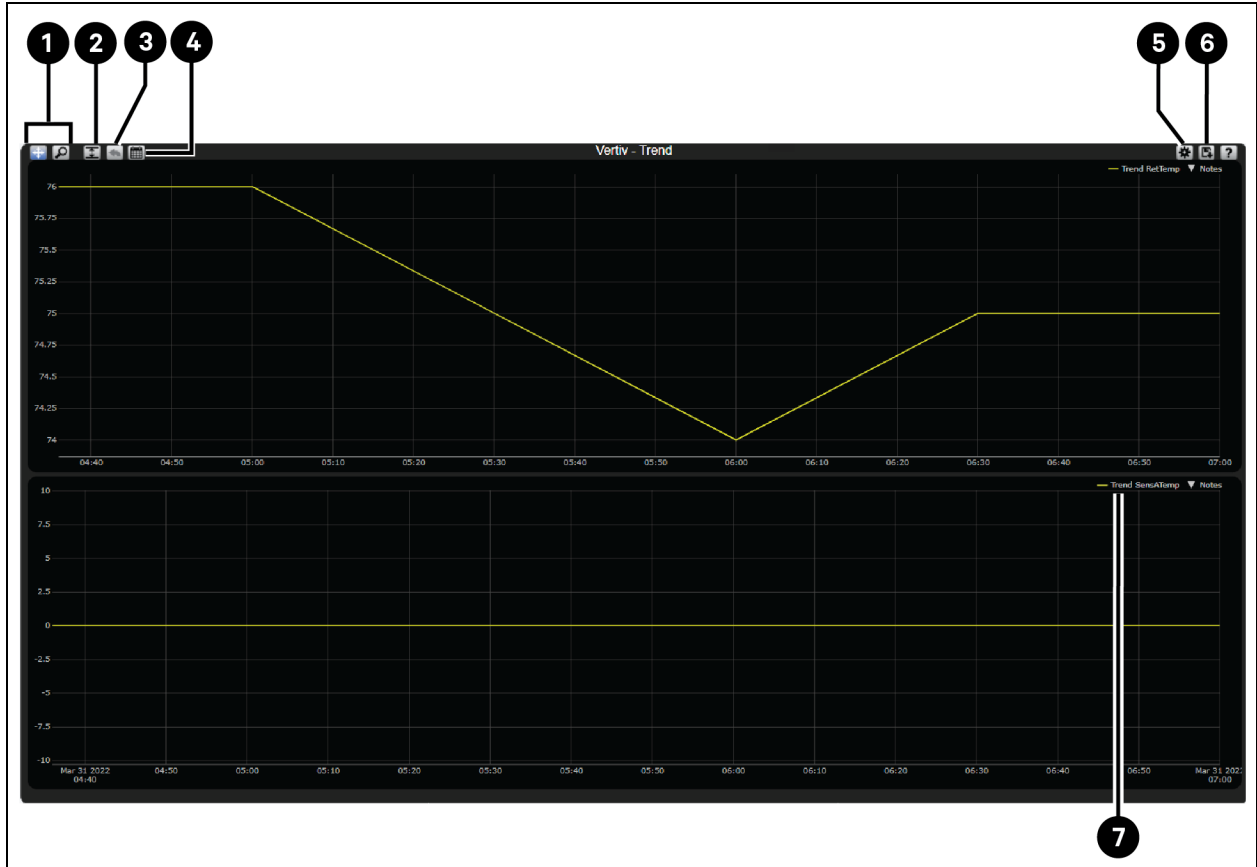
**NOTE:** To edit a category, select the category, make your changes, then click *Accept*.



To delete a category, select the category, click *Delete*, then click *Accept*.

### 3.8.5 Using trend graphs

Figure 3.17 Graph Trend




Item	Description
1	Mouse mode: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pan</li> <li>• Zoom</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE:</b> Click and drag will Pan or Zoom. Hold Shift to swap.</p>
2	Scale <p><b>NOTE:</b> Scale the Y-axis to fit the data.</p>
3	Back
4	Graph center

Item	Description
5	Toolbar options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Auto update from field</li> <li>• Show database values only</li> <li>• Black and White</li> <li>• Display gap in graph line for missing data</li> </ul>
6	Save as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PNG</li> <li>• JPEG</li> <li>• SVG</li> <li>• PDF</li> <li>• CSV</li> </ul>
7	Legend <b>NOTE: Click <i>Legend</i> to toggle visibility.</b>

A gray triangle at the top of a graph indicates a note from the system. Hover the cursor on the triangle to see which of the following occurred:

- Equipment received a time synchronization from its network router or from the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.
- Trend Historian has been enabled or disabled.
- Trend Log has been enabled or disabled.


The trend object ID of a third party trend source has been changed. This is for information only, and the user do not need to do anything.

- Click Print  icon at the top of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web page to print the graph. You may need to set your printer's orientation to Landscape.
- Toolbar options are also accessible by right clicking a trend graph.
- You can check Display gap in graph line for missing data on an individual trend graph page, or you can go to the *System Settings > General* tab (see [General tab](#) on page 1) to set this for all future trend graphs.

### Viewing trend data in a spreadsheet program

To view trend data in a spreadsheet program:

The user can save trend data as csv data that can be opened in a spreadsheet program such as Microsoft Excel.

1. On the *Trends > View* tab, select  > *Save as CSV data*.
2. Save the data (.zip file) wherever you want. The .zip file contains the following:
  - A .csv file for each trend source (point). The file names match the point names.
  - A combined folder containing a file with the combined data for all the trend sources of the graph.
3. Open the .csv file in a spreadsheet program.

**NOTE: The data in the Time column of the spreadsheet must be converted to a readable date/time format**

If you are using Microsoft Excel on a Mac and the converted date shows the wrong year, follow the below steps:

1. In Excel, go to *File > Options > Advanced*.
2. Scroll down to the section when calculating this workbook, and then uncheck Use 1904 date system.

## 3.9 Reports

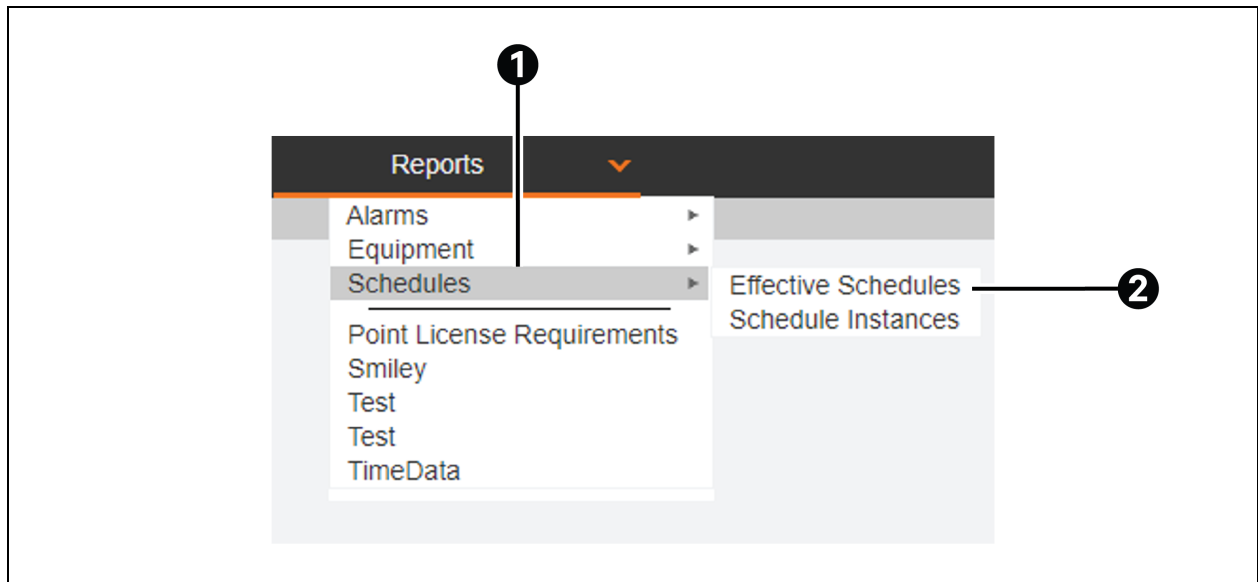
Monitor and troubleshoot your system with Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web reports. The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web license and/or edition determines which of the following things you can accomplish in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface:

- Run preconfigured reports
- Run custom reports
- Schedule reports
- Create custom reports

### 3.9.1 Preconfigured reports

The preconfigured reports shown in the Reports button drop-down list vary depending on which tree you selected.

Figure 3.18 Preconfigured Reports in the Geographic Tree and Network Tree





Item	Description
1	Report category
2	Report name

A preconfigured report shows data for the selected tree item and all its children.



**Table 3.30 Preconfigured Report for Selected Tree Item**

Preconfigured Report	Allows
<b>Alarms</b>	
Alarm Actions	Create a summary of the information configured on the <i>Alarms &gt; Actions</i> (see <a href="#">Setting up alarm actions</a> on page 1) tab.
Alarm Prefixes & Details	Create a summary of the information configured on the <i>Alarms &gt; Messages</i> (see <a href="#">Alarm messages</a> on page 1) tab.
Alarm Sources	Create a summary of potential alarm sources as configured on the <i>Alarms &gt; Enable/Disable</i> (see <a href="#">Setting up an alarm source in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface</a> on page 1) tab.
Alarms	View, sort, and filter the information on the Alarms View (see <a href="#">Viewing, Troubleshooting, Acknowledging, and Deleting Alarms</a> on page 1) tab.
<b>Commissioning</b>	
Equipment Checkout	View the information on the Equipment Checkout tab on the Properties page of the equipment during commissioning. Also, find equipment that has not been fully commissioned.
Test & Balance	View the results of VAV box commissioning. Running this report automatically uploads calibration parameters to the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application.
<b>Equipment</b>	
Locked Values	Find all locked points and locked values. <b>NOTE: Locks in the Airflow microblock are not reported.</b>
Network IO	Verify the programming and status of all network points especially useful for commissioning controllers used for third-party integration.
Parameter Mismatch	Discover where your system has parameter mismatches that need to be resolved.
Point List	View the details of all points. Verify that all points have been checked out during commissioning. Also, create custom lists for other contractors. For example, create a list of BACnet IDs.
Trend Usage	Creates a summary of the information configured on the <i>Trends &gt; Enable/Disable</i> (see <a href="#">Collecting trend data for a point</a> on page 64) tab.
<b>Schedules</b>	
Effective Schedules	View all equipment that may be scheduled and the net result of all schedules in effect for a selected date and time.
Schedule Instances	Find every schedule with its location that is entered at and below a selected tree item. This report can help you discover newly added and conflicting schedules.
Security	<b>NOTE: You must have the Advanced Security package to run these reports.</b>
Location Audit Log	View chronological lists of location-based changes, the operators that made them, and the reasons for the changes. This report includes changes such as property edits, downloads, driver changes, and view changes.
Operator Information	Lists operator name, login name, date of last login, date of last password change, password exemption status, auto logoff setting, ready to e-sign status, system-wide privilege sets, and starting location.
System Audit Log	View chronological lists of system-wide changes, the operators that made them, and the reasons for the changes. This report includes changes such as any change made on the System Configuration tree, login/logout, and scheduled processes like deleting expired trends.
<b>Network</b>	
Controller Status	Discover network communication problems (shown as purple squares on the report) that need troubleshooting. The report also shows boot and driver version, download information, and if controller has 4.x or later driver, the report shows the serial number and Local Access port status.

**Table 3.30 Preconfigured Report for Selected Tree Item (continued)**

Preconfigured Report	Allows
Equipment Status	Display the thermographic color, status, and prime variable of each control program.
Quarantine Summary Report	Provides a summary of trend data that has been quarantined due to recording discrepancies (switching from daylight saving time, changing a timezone, and so on). This report is available in the Reports menu once you select a System or Area in the Geographic  tree.
Quarantine Detail Report	Lists trend data that has been quarantined due to recording discrepancies (switching from daylight saving time, changing a timezone, and so on). This report is available in the Reports menu once you select a piece of Equipment in the Geographic  tree.

### Running a preconfigured report

1. Select an item on the Geographic  or Network  tree.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, then select a *report*.
3. On the Options tab, define the layout and content of the report.

**NOTE:** Changing the size and orientation of the printed page also changes the report layout on the View tab.

To create a CSV (Comma Separated Values) file after you run the report, select Support CSV text format. See [Creating a PDF, XLS, or CSV file on page 109](#).

The report options of the current operator are saved so that when that operator logs in again, the same options are used.

4. Click *Run*.

**NOTE:** Click *Schedule* to schedule the report to run on a recurring basis. See [Scheduling reports on page 109](#).

### Running an Ad Hoc alarms or security report

Follow these steps to run a single ad hoc version of an alarms, or security report:

1. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select the report that you want to schedule.
  - *Alarms > Alarms*
  - *Security Reports > Location Audit Log*
  - *Security Reports > System Audit Log*
2. Go to the *Options* tab.
3. In the Ad Hoc Report section, select the time span of the report.

**Table 3.31 Type of Date Range Option**

Date Range Option	Description
Unrestricted	The report contains all data for the entire duration of available dates.
Continuous Data (Date)	The report contains all data occurring between the specified Start and End dates.
Continuous Data (Date and Time)	The report contains only the data occurring between the specified Start Date and Time and End Date and Time.
Shift Report*	The report contains only the data occurring between the specified Shift Start and End Times within the specified date range.
<b>NOTE: * Requires Advanced Reporting Package.</b>	

4. Click *Accept*, and then click *Run*.



**CAUTION: Changes made here affect Ad Hoc report settings for the selected Alarms or Security report in all locations.**

### Configuring scheduled alarms and security reports

The following reports have additional scheduling options available. Scheduling these reports without configuring schedule options results in an error; see [Managing scheduled reports](#) on page 110.

- *Alarms > Alarms*
- *Security Reports > Location Audit Log*
- *Security Reports > System Audit Log*

#### To configure scheduled alarms and security reports:

1. Go to the Options tab, open Scheduled Report, and check Enable schedule options for this location.
2. Select the *time span of the report*.

**Table 3.32 Type of Date Range Option**

Date Range Option	Description
Continuous Data (Date)	The report contains all data occurring between the specified Start and End dates.
Continuous Data (Date and Time)	The report contains only the data occurring between the specified Start Date and Time and End Date and Time.
Shift Report*	The report contains only the data occurring between the specified Shift Start and End Times within the specified date range.
<b>NOTE: * Requires Advanced Reporting Package.</b>	

3. Select the number of Days, Weeks, Months, Quarters, or Years the report will contain.

**NOTE: The use of *previous*: Selecting *previous week* returns data for the previous full calendar week, Sunday through Saturday. Select *previous 7 days* to see the most recent week of data. For example, selecting *previous 7 days* on a Wednesday returns data from last Wednesday through the current Tuesday.**

Checking include current causes the report to contain data for the most recent iteration of the report. For example, a report for the previous week with the include current option checked contains only the data for the current week, even if it is not a complete week. In order to get the last week and the current week, it would be necessary to specify the previous 2 weeks.

4. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** Changes made here affect the selected Alarm or Security scheduled report in the current location only.

### 3.9.2 Custom reports

Custom reports are managed through the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Report Manager that shows a list of all custom reports in your system. In the Report Manager, you can:

- Create a new custom report (see [Creating a custom report](#) below).
- Copy an existing report as a starting point for a new report (see [Creating a custom report](#) below).
- Edit or delete an existing report (see [Editing or deleting a custom report](#) on page 93).
- Export reports to a file so that it can be imported into another system (see [Exporting or importing a custom report](#) on page 93).

A custom report can provide data for a data table ([To Produce a Data Table](#) on page 96), chart ([Producing a Chart](#) on page 100), or color map ([Producing a Color Map](#) on page 104) on a Graphics page.

**NOTE:** A custom report may appear in the Report Manager but not appear in the Reports button menu because its only purpose is to provide data to an item on a Graphics page.

To support upgraded systems, you can still create and access legacy (v6.5 and earlier) custom reports (see [Working with legacy \(v6.5 and earlier\) custom reports](#) on page 111). These reports appear only in the Reports button drop-down menu, but not in the Reports Manager.

#### Creating a custom report

To create custom reports:

1. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select *Report Manager*.
2. Click *Add*.

**NOTE:** To save time when making a report that is similar to an existing report, select the existing report in the Report Manager, and then click *Copy*. The Report Editor opens the new report so that you can make changes.

Click on the *Display Name* or *ID* heading in the Report Manager to sort the column.

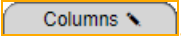
3. Enter information on the following Report Editor tabs until you have created the report.
  - Type tab (see [Type tab](#): on the next page).
  - Columns tab (see [Columns tab](#) on page 78).
  - Variables tab (see [Variables tab](#) on page 88).
  - Where tab (see [Where tab](#): on page 89).
  - Options tab (see [Options tab](#): on page 89).
  - Output tab (see [Output tab](#) on page 90).

**NOTE:** As you create your report, you can use the Preview section on each tab to check your work. See [Previewing a report](#) on page 92.

After you create the report, you can go to any item in the tree where the report is accessible, and run it. See [Running a custom report on page 93](#).

A report can have a maximum of 50 columns and 1000 rows.



**CAUTION:** As you move from tab to tab in the Report Editor, click *Apply* to save your changes on a tab. If you click *Cancel* on a tab, all unsaved changes on any tab will be lost. Tabs that have unsaved changes have a pencil icon beside the tab name. For example, .

**Type tab:**

1. Enter the necessary information about the report you are creating. See [Table 3.33](#) on page 78.
2. Click *Accept* or *Apply*.

**Table 3.33 Type Tab Fields**

Field	Notes	
Display name	The name that will appear in the Reports button drop-down list.	
ID	A unique ID for the report (letters, numbers, underscores, and hyphens only; no spaces or special characters).	
Show in Reports menu	By default, the report name will appear directly in the Reports button drop-down list, not in a category. You can: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check this box and then select a category for the report. See <a href="#">Organizing custom reports by category on page 94</a>.</li> <li>• Uncheck this box so that this report does not appear in the Reports button drop-down list. For example, you could uncheck this box if the report will provide data to a Graphics page but does not provide valuable information as a stand-alone report.</li> </ul>	
Primary column	Select the type of information on which you want the report to be based. Click <i>Change</i> if you want to change your initial selection and have your new selection to take effect.	
	<b>Select</b>	<b>Then</b>
	Control Programs	To create the list of control programs, do one or both of the following. The primary column will list the equipment that use those control programs. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enter a control program name, and then click <i>Add</i>. You can use wild cards. See the help text to the right of this field.</li> <li>• Select from the list of existing control programs.</li> </ul>
	Locations	To create the list of locations that will appear on each row in the primary column, do one or both of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Select locations in the Geographic or Network tree.</li> <li>• Enter a location name, and then click <i>Add</i>.</li> </ul>
	Reference Names	Enter a reference name and then click <i>Add</i> . You can use wildcards. See the help text to the right of this field.  If needed, add more reference names, to build a list of reference names. The primary column will list the locations that have the reference names.  Select the types of reference names that you added.
	Tag Names	To create the list based on tagged locations for each row in the primary column of the report: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click to the left in the list of system tags to add that tag to the Tag Names table.</li> </ol>



Table 3.33 Type Tab Fields (continued)

Field	Notes
	<p><b>NOTE: To combine several tags for a single location, keep clicking next to each tag you want.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Click <i>Add</i> to assign the selected tags to the list of tag names to use for a location.</li> <li>3. Check the types of locations (Area, Equipment, Microblock) that you want in the column.</li> <li>4. Click <i>Apply</i>.</li> </ol> <p>The locations selected for the report will be those that match any row of tag names.</p> <p>For example, to get a report of locations tagged Chilled Water and Hot Water:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click <i>next to Chilled</i>.</li> <li>2. Click <i>next to Water</i>.</li> <li>3. Click <i>Add</i>.</li> <li>4. Click <i>next to Hot</i>.</li> <li>5. Click <i>next to Water</i>.</li> <li>6. Click <i>Add</i>.</li> </ol>
Date Range	<p>Choose any one of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Previous:</b> A specified number of previous days, weeks, months, quarters, or years. You can choose to include the current time period.</li> <li>• <b>From date:</b> A specified number of days, weeks, months, quarters, or years starting at a specific date (yyyy/mm/dd).</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE: In the fields for the above 2 options, you can enter a value or variable name. If you enter a variable, it must be defined on the Variables tab on page 88.</b></p> <p><b>Frequency:</b> If you choose Months or Days in the Previous or From date fields, you can choose how often the data is to be reported. For example, if you choose a frequency of Every 15 minutes, the primary column could look similar to the following:</p> <div data-bbox="818 1310 1127 1518" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 10px 0;"> <p style="text-align: center; background-color: #333; color: white; padding: 2px;"><b>Date</b></p> <p style="padding: 2px;">Feb 05, 2018 12:00 AM</p> <p style="padding: 2px;">Feb 05, 2018 12:15 AM</p> <p style="padding: 2px;">Feb 05, 2018 12:30 AM</p> <p style="padding: 2px;">Feb 05, 2018 12:45 AM</p> </div> <p><b>Date Range Format in Report:</b> Type the date format that you want to see in the report. See Date formats (<a href="#">Date formats on the next page</a>) for a list of supported formats.</p>
Existing Report	<p>Select an existing report from the drop-down list or enter a report name in the text field. The existing report will be embedded in the new report so that you can add columns to it. Any changes to the existing report will also be reflected in the new report.</p>

**Table 3.33 Type Tab Fields (continued)**

Field	Notes
	Color Map Select this option to show colors on a Graphics page. For example, you could have a campus map where each building would show green for good energy usage or red for high energy usage. See <a href="#">Producing a Color Map</a> on page 104.
Hide Primary column in report	Check if you don't want this column to appear in the report.
Primary column header	If you do not hide the Primary column, type the header that you want to appear at the top of this column.

**Date formats**

If your Primary column is a Date Range, use the following information to enter a format in the Date Range format in report field.

**Table 3.34 Date Range Format**

For	Type	Example
Year	yyyy yy	2017 17
Month	MMMM MMM MM	September Sep 9
Week in year	w	27
Week in month	W	2
Day in year	D	189
Day in month	d	12
Day of week in month	F	2 (2nd Thursday in June)
Day name	EEEE E	Tuesday Tue
Day number in week	u	1 (Monday), 2 (Tuesday), and so on.

**Table 3.35 Examples of Combinations**

Type	Example
yyyy-MM-dd	2017-06-02
MMMM yy	June 17
MMM/yyyy	Jun/2017
MM/dd/yy D	06/02/17 153

**NOTE:** To include a single quote, type two single quotes. Example: MMM "yy = Jun '17

To include static text, enclose it in single quotes. Example: 'Year' yyyy = Year 2017

For more information on date formats, search the Internet for [java simple date format](#).

**Columns tab**

The Primary column for a table is defined on the Type tab. The remaining columns can be defined on the *Columns* tab. To define the columns in your report, you can:

- Add each individual column (see [Adding a column](#): on the facing page).

- Copy an existing column (see [Copying a column](#): on the next page).
- Replicate a column (Trend Data only) (see [Replicating a trend data column](#): on the next page).

#### Adding a column:

1. Click *Add*.
2. Enter or select *options* in the first four fields that appear. See **Table 3.36** on the next page.
3. Select an option in the *Column data is from* field. See the bold highlighted rows in the **Table 3.36** on the next page for a description of the options.

**NOTE:** Click *Change* if you want to change your initial selection and have your new selection to take effect.

4. Select or enter information for the option you chose in step 1. See **Table 3.36** on the next page.
5. Click *Accept* or *Apply*.

**Table 3.36 Properties of Column**

Field	Notes	
The following four fields are common to all the options from 1.		
Display name	The name that will be shown in the report as the column's header.	
ID	A unique ID for the column (letters, numbers, underscores, and hyphens only; no spaces or special characters).	
Render data as	Value	Shows a value in the report.
	Hidden	Hides the column in the report. The column's data can be used to produce a value for another cell.
	Color	Uses the column's value to determine a color on a color map (see <a href="#">Producing a Color Map</a> on page 104). Set the Column data is from field to Expression or Function, and then enter the appropriate information that returns a color value.
	Icon	Shows an icon to indicate a certain condition. Set the Column data is from field to Expression, and then enter an expression that says what icon filename to show for a particular condition. You can use the icons included with your system or you can create custom icons. See <a href="#">Icons</a> : on page 87 for more information.
Column format	Lets you define the column's alignment, width, and format of digits. <b>NOTE: Column format does not apply if you select Hidden or Color in the Render data as field.</b>	
The following fields are based on your selection in the Column data is from field.		
<b>Path</b>	<b>The column output will be based on a path to a value in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system.</b>	
Path	Enter the path to the value you want. See <a href="#">Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths</a> on page 54.	
Show value as text	Check to have the value reported as text instead of its numerical value. For example, show the word On instead of 1.	
Expression	The column output will be based on the result of an expression ( <a href="#">Expressions</a> on page 81).	
<b>Trend Data</b>	<b>The column's output will be based on a value calculated from a range of trend data.</b>	
Trend path	Do one of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Click the Select <i>Trend Path</i> button to select the trended point. Typically, you want the full (absolute) path, but if needed, you can select the relative path.</li> <li>• Enter the path to the trend that you want the report to pull data from.</li> </ul> See <a href="#">Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths</a> on page 54.	
Operation	Select the type of value or calculation that you want the column to show. See <a href="#">Operations</a> on page 87 for a description of each option.	

**Table 3.36 Properties of Column (continued)**

Field	Notes	
Interval sample	If the selected operation allows, you can choose how to handle the first and last sample of the time period. For example, Include start time / exclude end time.	
Database trends only	Check to include only trends saved in the database, not those in the controller.	
Show time of sample	Check to include the time of the sample in the column.	
Time range	From primary column	You can use this option if the primary column of the report is a date range.
	From column	You use this option if your report began with an embedded external report that has a column containing date ranges.
	Value	A time period specified by entering a Start date and End date.
	Past	Enter the number of days, weeks, months, quarters, and years in the past. You can select whether to include the current time period or not.
	<b>NOTE: You can use a variable (Variables tab on page 88) for a Time range count or date field. The variable must be defined on the Variables tab.</b>	
Function	The column output will be based on the value or manipulation of the value from another column.	
Input column	The column on which you want to perform a function.	
Function	Select an option in the drop-down list. See <a href="#">Functions</a> on page 86.	
Arguments	A statement that contains the criteria of the function. See <a href="#">Functions</a> on page 86 for argument formats and examples. <b>NOTE: You can use a variable (Variables tab on page 88) name in the argument. The variable must be defined on the Variables tab.</b>	
+/- Date Range	The column output will be based on the date range you choose.	
Adjust by	Adjusts the data by these many days, weeks, months, quarters, or years. Enter a value or variable name.	
From column	Enter the Column ID of the date range you want to adjust. To adjust the primary date range, leave this field blank.	

**NOTE: To delete a column, select the column in the table at the top of the page, then click *Delete*.**

To change the order of the columns, select a column and then click  or  to move the column.

#### Copying a column:

1. Select the column you want to copy in the table at the top of the Columns tab.
2. Click the *Copy* button.
3. Change the fields of the column as needed. See field descriptions in To add a column ([Adding a column](#): on the previous page).

**NOTE: The column's ID is incremented by 1.**

#### Replicating a trend data column:

When you have defined all the criteria for a trend column, you can quickly reproduce that column for other trend sources.

1. Select the column in the table at the top of the Columns tab.
2. Click the *Replicate Column* button.

3. Select whether you want the Trend Path for the new columns to be the full (absolute) path or the relative path. This is usually set to Full path. See [Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths](#) on page 54.
4. In the left column, select a location.
5. The right column displays all trend sources at or below the selected location. Select the trend sources that you want. A column will be added for each instance of the selected trend sources at or below the selected location.
6. Repeat steps 4 and 5 for any additional locations and points that you want in your report.
7. Click *Apply*.
8. Click *Close*.
9. Change the fields in each column as needed. See field descriptions [Adding a column:](#) on page 79.

## Expressions

On the Columns tab of the Report Editor, you can specify that a column's data is from an expression. Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web expressions are similar to expressions used in spreadsheet programs. The most basic expression is a math calculation, but an expression can also manipulate text.

An expression generally consists of at least one item in dollar signs and an operator. See table below. The item in dollar signs can be:

- Another column's ID.
- A path to an item in your system or a semantic tag.
- A variable defined on the Variables tab of the Report Editor.

Static text in an expression must be enclosed with quotes (either single or double quotes can be used). Any item that results in text should also be enclosed with quotes. This example shows both situations: 'Filter is ' + '\$filter\_status\$'

**Example of a simple expression:** to compute the average value of min\_temp and max\_temp columns

**Expression:** ( $\$min\_temp\$ + \$max\_temp\$$ ) / 2

To verify that the expression you entered is formatted correctly, click *Check Syntax*. The result appears to the right of the button. The numerical position of the first error in the expression appears and the error is highlighted.

**NOTE: The result of checking an expression with a variable may not be accurate since variables can be used in such a wide variety of ways.**

## Operators

An operator defines how each piece of an expression is to be handled. The **Table 3.37** on the next page lists operators that can be used in expressions.

**Table 3.37 List of Operators to be Used in Expressions**

Symbol	Name	Description
Operators that return true/false (1/0)		
<	Less than	Compares numeric data. Returns true if the value to the left of the operator is smaller than the value to the right.
>	Greater than	Compares numeric data. Returns true if the value to the left of the operator is larger than the value to the right.
<=	Less than or equal to	Compares numeric data. Returns true if the value to the left of the operator is smaller than or equal to the value to the right.

**Table 3.37 List of Operators to be Used in Expressions (continued)**

Symbol	Name	Description
>=	Greater than or equal to	Compares numeric data. Returns true if the value to the left of the operator is larger than or equal to the value to the right.
!	Not	Evaluates the expression and returns the opposite. Example: !\$zone_temp\$ > 72 If zone_temp is greater than 72, the expression is false. If zone_temp is not greater than 72, the expression is true.
==	Equal to	Compares data. Returns true if the values on both sides of the operator are equal.
!=	Not equal to	Compares data. Returns true if the value to the left of the operator does not match the value to the right.
&&	And	Combines expressions. Returns true if the expressions on both sides of && result in true.
	Or	Combines expressions. Returns true if the expression on either side or both sides of the operator results in true.
<b>Operators that return a numeric value</b>		
+	Add	Adds numeric data, expressions, or values. <b>NOTE: You can use this operator to concatenate mixed numbers and strings. Example: 1 + alpha returns 1alpha.</b>
-	Subtract	Subtracts numeric data, expressions, or values.
*	Multiply	Multiplies numeric data, expressions, or values.
^	Power	To the power of. Example: 2^3 (returns 8)
/	Divide	Divides numeric data, expressions, or values.
%	Modulus	Finds the remainder in the division of numeric data, expressions, or values.
<b>Other operators</b>		
()	Parentheses	Use to nest expressions. Operations in parentheses are evaluated before those outside parentheses.
if		<b>Syntax:</b> if (expression, true value, false value) Expression is evaluated and if 1/true, the true value is returned, otherwise the false value is returned.
?	Ternary	<b>Syntax:</b> <condition> ? <expression to execute if the condition is true> : <expression to execute if the condition is false> This operator can be used as an alternative to an if statement. Example: 1 == 2 ? true : false
#	Comment	Use to make the characters in the line after this operator a comment.

**NOTE: If no operator is present in an expression, + is assumed. Example: 12 3 returns 6, and a b c returns abc.**

**Combining Expressions**

**Example 1:**

**Expression:** \$zone\_temp\$ < 60 || \$zone\_temp\$ > 75

**Translation:** True if the current zone temperature is less than 60 or greater than 75

**Example 2:**

**Expression:** !( \$ai1/locked\$ || \$ai1/present\_value\$ > 100 )

**Translation:** True if ai1 is not locked and al's present value is not greater than 100

**Example 3:**

**Expression:** If ( $\$zone\_temp\$ < 60 \parallel \$zone\_temp\$ > 75$ , 'out of range', 'good')

**Translation:** If zone temperature is less than 60 or greater than 75, show out of range. Otherwise, show good.

**Math functions**

**Table 3.38 Math Functions**

Function	Description
abs (a)	Returns the absolute value of a value.
acos (a)	Returns the arc cosine of a value; the returned angle is in the range 0.0 through pi.
asin (a)	Returns the arc sine of a value; the returned angle is in the range -pi/2 through pi/2.
atan (a)	Returns the arc tangent of a value; the returned angle is in the range -pi/2 through pi/2.
atan2 (y, x)	Returns the angle theta from the conversion of rectangular coordinates (x, y) to polar coordinates (r, theta).
cbrt (a)	Returns the cube root of a value.
ceil (a)	Returns the smallest (closest to negative infinity) value that is greater than or equal to the argument and is equal to a mathematical integer.
cos (a)	Returns the trigonometric cosine of an angle.
exp (a)	Returns Euler's number e raised to the power of a value.
floor (a)	Returns the largest (closest to positive infinity) value that is less than or equal to the argument and is equal to a mathematical integer.
hypot (x, y)	Returns $\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$ without intermediate overflow or underflow.
IEEERemainder (f1, f2)	Computes the remainder operation on two arguments as prescribed by the IEEE 754 standard.
log (a)	Returns the natural logarithm (base e) of a value.
log10 (a)	Returns the base 10 logarithm of a value.
max (a, b)	Returns the greater of two values.
min (a, b)	Returns the smaller of two values.
pow (a, b)	Returns the value of the first argument raised to the power of the second argument.
random ()	Returns a value with a positive sign, greater than or equal to 0.0 and less than 1.0.
rint (a)	Returns the value that is closest in value to the argument and is equal to a mathematical integer.
round (a)	Returns the closest long to the argument, with ties rounding to positive infinity.
sin (a)	Returns the trigonometric sine of an angle.
signum (float f)	Returns the signum function of the argument; zero if the argument is zero, 1.0 if the argument is greater than zero, -1.0 if the argument is less than zero.
sqrt (a)	Returns the correctly rounded positive square root of a value.
tan (a)	Returns the trigonometric tangent of an angle.
toDegrees (angrad)	Converts an angle measured in radians to an approximately equivalent angle measured in degrees.
toRadians (angdeg)	Converts an angle measured in degrees to an approximately equivalent angle measured in radians.



## Text functions

Table 3.39 Text Functions

Function	Description
char (code)	Returns a single character string for the given Unicode character code. For example, char(36) will create the string \$.
charAT (s, pos)	Returns the character and the position.
compareTo (s1, s2)	Compares two strings. <0 if s1 < s2, 0 if s1 == s2, >0 if s1 > s2
compareToIgnoreCase (s1, s2)	Compares two strings ignoring case. <0 if s1 < s2, 0 if s1 == s2, >0 if s1 > s2
concat (s1, s2, ...)	Concatenates the two or more strings together. Same as <b>s<sup>1</sup> + s<sup>2</sup> +</b>
dateDiff (s1, s2)	Returns the difference between two dates, in days. Parameters may be date variables or strings of format <b>yyyy/mm/dd</b>
endsWith (s1, s2)	Returns <b>1</b> if s1 ends with the string s2, else <b>0</b> .
equals (s1, s2)	Returns <b>1</b> if strings are equal, else <b>0</b> .
equalsIgnoreCase (s1, s2)	Returns <b>1</b> if strings are equal ignoring case, else <b>0</b> .
indexOf (s1, s2, start)	Returns the index (position) of the first occurrence of the second string in the first string after <b>start</b> position. Use 0 to start from beginning of string. It returns <b>-1</b> if S2 is not found.
lastIndexOf (s1, s2)	Returns the index (position) of the last occurrence of the second string in the first string. It returns <b>-1</b> if S2 is not found.
length (s1)	Returns the length of the strings.
newline or \n	Inserts a return.
now (s1)	Returns the current time and accepts one time-format string based on <b>Java SimpleDateFormat</b> . If the string is empty, the default system date and time format is used.  Examples: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>"" → 08/28/2020 8:56:59 AM</li> <li>"EEEE" → "Friday"</li> <li>"MM/dd/yyyy" → 08/28/2020</li> <li>"h:mm a" → 8:56 AM</li> <li>"hh:mm a" → 08:56 AM</li> </ul>
replace (s1, s2, s3)	Replaces all occurrences in <b>s1</b> of <b>s2</b> with <b>s3</b> .
startsWith (s1, s2)	Returns <b>1</b> if s1 starts with s2.
substring (s1, i1, i2)	Returns subset from string s1 starting at index i1 to index i2. (i2 must be >= i1).
toLowerCase (s)	Converts string to lower case.
toUpperCase (s)	Converts string to upper case.
trim (s)	Removes white space from the beginning and end of the string.
\	Used to escape operator characters by placing it before the operator.  Example: 'Cost is \\$' + \$cost\$ returns "Cost is \$10.99".

## Functions

On the Columns tab of Report Editor, you can specify that the data of a column comes from one of the following functions that returns another column's value or manipulation of that value.

**Table 3.40 Functions on Column Tab**

Function	Description
Valid Column	Returns true/false if input column is valid.
Default Value	Returns the column's value if it is a valid value, otherwise returns the argument.
Format	Formats a value using Java String format function. For more information, search the Internet for <b>string format with java 8</b> .
Format Duration	Formats a trend duration value. <b>Argument format:</b> %d%, %h%, %m%, %s% (clock based) %D%, %H%, %M%, %S% (total count rounded down) Example 1: %ddd% days %hh%:%mm% = 003 days 13:50 Example 2: %M% min = 283 min
Convert Values to Text	Converts a number to a text value. <b>Argument format:</b> Define a set of comma separated statements. Format of each statement: lower limit=value Example 1: 0=F,60=D,70=C,80=B,90=A,100=A+ Example 2: F,60=D,70=C,80=B,90=A,100=A+ (first bucket is default for anything below second bucket's value) Example 3: Cold,68=Perfect,75=Warm Example 4: 65=Cold,68=Perfect,74=Perfect,75=Warm,76=Warm
Convert Integer to Text	Converts an integer value to text. If no match, value is empty. <b>Argument format:</b> Comma separated list of statements. Format of each statement: #=text Example: 0=Zero, 1=One, 2=Two, 3=Oops
Convert Text to Integer	Converts text to an integer value. Matching is case insensitive. <b>Argument format:</b> Comma separated list of statements. Format of each statement: text=# Use * to match any letters. Example 1: Off=0, On=1 -or- off=0 -or- OFF=0 Example 2: a*=1,b*=2 a=1 -or- APPLE=1 B=2 -or- Book=2
Convert to Color	Attempts to convert an ALC color value (0 to 15) to a color for a color map.
Color Gradient	Converts a defined minimum and maximum number each to a color. It then maps numbers between minimum and maximum to colors to form a gradient. <b>Format:</b> min, max, color1, color2 Example 1: 1, 10, red, blue Example 2: 1, 10, #FF0000, #0000FF
Date Range Start	Formats the START date/time of a Date Range. Examples: yyyy/MM/dd hh:mm = 2017/07/04 11:30 hh:mm:ss = 08:35:16 For more information, search the Internet for <b>customizing date time formats with java</b> .
Date Range End	Formats the END date /time of a Date Range. Examples: yyyy/MM/dd hh:mm = 2017/07/04 11:30 hh:mm:ss = 08:35:16 For more information, search the Internet for <b>customizing date time formats with java</b> .
Ordinal Value	Converts a text enumeration to its integer value when possible.
Location Tags	Lists all of the semantic tags assigned to the location in each row. Enter location for the input column ID to create a simple report that shows all of the tags for the locations.
Regular Expression	Finds a piece of text from a larger text body. Example: Finds a piece of text in a modstat. For more information, search the Internet for <b>regular expression patterns with java 8</b> .

## Operations

On the Columns tab of Report Editor, you can specify that the data of a column comes from trend data. You can then specify one of the following operations be performed on the trend data.

**Table 3.41 Operations to be Performed on Trend Data**

























Operation	Shows the following for the specified time range
Average Value	The average value.
Count All Trend Records	Number of trend records collected (includes items such as time changes and enabling/disabling the trend log).
Count Trend Samples Only	Number of times the trend value was read.
First Value w/Time	The first trend sample and the time it was read.
Last Value w/Time	The last trend sample and the time it was read.
Maximum Value w/Time	The largest value and the time it was read.
Minimum Value w/Time	The smallest value and the time it was read.
Aggregate Consumption	Total consumption for meter trend data. This operation makes appropriate calculations for meters that reset to 0.
Sum of Values	The total of all trend values.
% Time in Range	<p>You can enter 3 types of arguments to determine the percentage of time that the trend value was:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One or more single values. Format: A comma separated list of values Example: Enter 1, 2, 3, 4 to get the percentage of time that the trend value was 1, 2, 3, or 4.</li> <li>Between two values Format: A single statement or a comma separate list of statements Example 1: Enter the statement 65:75 to get the percentage of time that the trend value was 65 to 75. Example 2: Enter the statement 28:30, 38:40, 48:50 to get the percentage of time that the trend value was 28 to 30, 38 to 40, or 48 to 50.</li> <li>Not a specified value or between two values Format: !(value) Example 1: Enter !10 to get the percentage of time that the trend value was not 10. Example 2: Enter !28:30,38:40 to get the percentage of time that the trend value was not 28 to 30 or 38 to 40.</li> </ul>

## Icons:

You can design a report that displays icons to indicate different conditions. You can use the icons included with your system or create custom icons. On the Columns tab of the Report Editor:

1. Set Column data is from field to Expression.
2. Set Render data as field to Icon.
3. Enter an Expression that contains the file name of the icon. See the **Table 3.42** on the next page for the file names of icons included with your system, or see [Custom icons](#) on the next page.

**Table 3.42 Included Icons**

Color	On	Off	Animated .gif that flashes on and off
Red	 light_on_red.png	 light_off_red.png	 light_alarm_red.gif
Blue	 light_on_blue.png	 light_off_blue.png	 light_alarm_blue.gif
Light blue	 light_on_ltblue.png	 light_off_ltblue.png	 light_alarm_ltblue.gif
Green	 light_on_green.png	 light_off_green.png	 light_alarm_green.gif
Yellow	 light_on_yellow.png	 light_off_yellow.png	 light_alarm_yellow.gif
Magenta	 light_on_magenta.png	 light_off_magenta.png	 light_alarm_magenta.gif
Orange	 light_on_orange.png	 light_off_orange.png	 light_alarm_orange.gif
White	 light_on_white.png	 light_off_white.png	 light_alarm_white.gif

**Custom icons**

If you choose to use a custom icon, put the icon in one of the following places:

- In Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web `XX\webroot\<system name>\tables`. Put only the icon's file name in the expression.
- Anywhere under the webroot folder. Put the full path from the webroot folder in the expression.

Example: `/_common/lv5/skin/graphics/type/area.gif`.

**Variables tab**

You can enter a variable in a Report Editor field so that you can edit that field when you run the report. For example, if you create a date range report for the previous 4 months, you can put a variable named `number_of_months` in the field instead of a 4. When you run the report, you can change the variable value to 12 to show the previous 12 months.

1. Click *Add* to create a new variable.
2. Enter the criteria of variable. See **Table 3.43** on the facing page.
3. Click *Accept* or *Apply*.

**Table 3.43 Variables Tab Fields**

Field	Notes	
ID	This ID is what you will insert in a report field that you want to be able to change when you run the report. (Use letters, numbers, underscores, and hyphens only; no spaces or special characters).	
Type	Select an option from the drop-down list, and then enter a Value.	
	<b>Type</b>	<b>Value</b>
	String	A text phrase. Can contain letters, numbers, and special characters.
	Number	Can contain any number in any format.
	Date	Format is yyyy/mm/dd.
	Time	Format is hh:mm:ss.
User editable Display name	Check to let a user edit the value of variable when they run the report. Enter a Display name for the variable that will appear on the page where you run the report.	

**NOTE:** The table at the top of the Variables tab shows the variables that you defined. Their order in this table is how they will appear in on the page where you run the report. To change the order on the Variables tab, select a variable in

the table and then click  or .

**Where tab:**

1. Click the drop-down list for This report can be accessed from, and then select an option.
2. Click *Define Where*.
3. Select or enter information for the option you chose. See **Table 3.44** below.
4. Click *Accept* or *Apply*.

**Table 3.44 Where Tab Fields**

Field	Notes
Anywhere	The report can be run from anywhere in the system.
Control Programs	Do one or both of the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enter a control program name, and then click <i>Add</i>.</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE: You can use wildcards. See the examples in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Select existing control programs from the list.</li> </ul>
Location Types	Select the types of locations where you want the report to be available.
Locations	Select locations on the trees, or type a location name in the text box.

**Options tab:**

1. Click the drop-down list to the left of the Add button, and select an option.
2. Click *Add*.
3. Select or enter information for the option you chose. See **Table 3.45** on the next page.
4. Click *Accept* or *Apply*.

**Table 3.45 Options Tab Fields**

Field	Notes																		
Show Max/Min/Avg/Total	<p>Check the appropriate boxes to show the maximum value, minimum value, average, standard deviation, or total at the bottom of the columns. Enter the Column ID of the column that you want labels to be in.</p> <table border="1" style="float: right;"> <thead> <tr> <th>Date Range</th> <th>KW Usage</th> <th>Normalizer</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>May 20, 2017</td> <td>743.1</td> <td>1263.2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>May 21, 2017</td> <td>785.7</td> <td>1335.7</td> </tr> <tr> <td>May 22, 2017</td> <td>823.1</td> <td>1399.3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Average</td> <td>784.0</td> <td>1332.8</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>2352.0</td> <td>3998.3</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Date Range	KW Usage	Normalizer	May 20, 2017	743.1	1263.2	May 21, 2017	785.7	1335.7	May 22, 2017	823.1	1399.3	Average	784.0	1332.8	Total	2352.0	3998.3
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Show first ___rows	<p>Enter the maximum number of rows to be displayed when the report is previewed or run. This does not include the Max/Min/Avg/Total rows.</p> <p><b>NOTE: You can enter a value or variable name in this field. If you enter a variable, it must be defined on the Variables tab.</b></p>																		
Sort column	<p>Sorts the specified columns from A to Z or 1 to infinity.</p> <p>Example of comma separated list of column IDs: date_range, kw_usage, normalizer</p> <p>Check Reverse Sort to sort Z to A, Infinity to 1.</p>																		
Filter rows	Select <i>Include row when</i> or <i>Exclude row when</i> a specified column (ID) equals a specified value.																		
Table Calculations	Allows custom expressions to be run after all columns have been generated.																		
Reorder columns	Set the order in which columns appear by listing the column IDs separated by commas.																		
Add appended rows to chart	Displays data from appended rows in charts, such as Maximum and Minimum.																		

**NOTE: You can create a report with multiple options, but take into account that they will be processed in the order they appear in the table at the top of the Options page. For example, if your first option is to Show the first 10 rows and your second option is Filter rows, only the 10 rows will be filtered. To change the order of processing, select an**

**option in the table and then click  or .**

**Output tab**

**On this tab, you can define the criteria for a report PDF or a chart on a graphic:**

1. Select or enter information as needed. See **Table 3.46** on page 92.
2. Click *Accept* or *Apply*.

**Table 3.46 Output Tab Fields**



Field	Notes
<b>PDF Output</b>	
Page orientation	Select Portrait  or Landscape  .
Page size	Select the page size that you want for a pdf.
Ignore page width	If the report exceeds the width of the selected Page size, select to ignore that width and show all columns in the online PDF.
Font size	You can adjust the font size for the body of the report.
Title font size	You can adjust the font size for the title of the report.
Chart	These fields apply if you add a Chart control to a graphic in ViewBuilder. See <a href="#">Producing a Chart</a> on page 100.

Table 3.46 Output Tab Fields (continued)

Field	Notes																
Axis label	For a Horizontal Bar Chart, this label will appear below the X-axis. For a Vertical Bar Chart or Line Chart, this label will appear to the left of the Y-axis.																
Data series	A column or row of numbers that are plotted in the chart.																
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NOTE: Pie charts show only one data series.																	

**Table 3.46 Output Tab Fields (continued)**

Field	Notes								
Show title Show legend Show chart border	 <p>1. Title</p> <p>2. Chart Border</p> <p>3. Legend</p>								
Graphics Refresh	<p>A chart or data table control will refresh its report data every time you visit the Graphics page or at the following refresh rates while the Graphics page is displayed.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Primary column of report</th> <th>Default refresh rate</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>A Date Range with a Frequency of Hourly or Every 15 minutes</td> <td>Every 5 minutes</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Any other Date Range</td> <td>0 (never refreshes)</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Anything else</td> <td>Every 30 seconds</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Primary column of report	Default refresh rate	A Date Range with a Frequency of Hourly or Every 15 minutes	Every 5 minutes	Any other Date Range	0 (never refreshes)	Anything else	Every 30 seconds
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Use custom refresh rate	Check this field to change the refresh rate. If your chart or data table shows a lot of data, refreshing frequently could slow down your system. If most of the data is historical data that does not change, you may want to set a longer refresh time.								
Reset to defaults	Click <i>Reset</i> to return all fields on the Output tab to their original settings.								

**Previewing a report**

At the bottom of every tab in the Report Editor is a Preview section so that you can check your work. Click *Show* to see the report. If you make changes to the report, click *Refresh* to update the preview.

You have the following options when previewing the report: See **Table 3.47** below.

**Table 3.47 Options in Previewing Report**

Option	Description
Show all columns	Includes columns defined as hidden and a column with additional information about the Primary column.
Show Column ID	Each column header shows the display name and column ID.
Show Debug Information	Gives information for troubleshooting a report.





**NOTE:** If the preview shows **Error**, hover your cursor over the word to see a description of the error.

If the preview shows **?**, this indicates there is no data.

## Running a custom report

To run a custom report:

1. Select an item on the Geographic  or Network  tree where the report you want to run is accessible.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select the *report*.
3. **Optional:** If the report was designed with variables ([Variables tab](#) on page 88), you can change the values of the variable at the top of the page.

**NOTE:** Click *Reset* if you want to change the variables back to the value that was assigned when the report was created.

4. Click *Run*.

**NOTE:** A **?** in the report indicates there is no data.

Click *Edit* to change the design of the report. See [Creating a custom report](#) on page 75 for field descriptions.

Click *Schedule* to schedule the report to run on a recurring basis. See [Scheduling reports](#) on page 109.

## Editing or deleting a custom report

1. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select *Report Manager*.

**NOTE:** Click on the **Display Name** or **ID** heading to sort the column.

2. Select the *report*, and then do one of the following:
  - Click *Edit* to open the Report Editor, make changes as needed, then click *Accept*. See [Creating a custom report](#) on page 75) for field descriptions.

**NOTE:** To open a report in the Report Editor, double click on it.

- Click *Delete*, then click *OK*.

## Exporting or importing a custom report

You can export one or more reports from one system, copy them to another system, and then import the reports into the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.

To export reports, follow the below steps:

1. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select *Report Manager*.
2. Click *Export*.
3. Select the checkboxes for the reports that you want to export, or check *Select All*.
4. Click *Export*.

**NOTE:** A single report is exported as a **.table** file. Multiple reports are exported as a **.zip** file.

**NOTE:** In the Report Manager or Export Report window, you can click on the **Display Name** or **ID** heading to sort the column.

**To import reports, follow the below steps:**

1. Copy the **.table or .zip file** to the computer where you are importing them.
2. In the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select *Report Manager*.
3. Click *Import*.
4. Browse to the file that you are importing.
5. If a report ID that you are importing matches an existing report ID, select *how you want to handle the situation*:

**Table 3.48 Option in the Exporting or Importing the Custom Report**

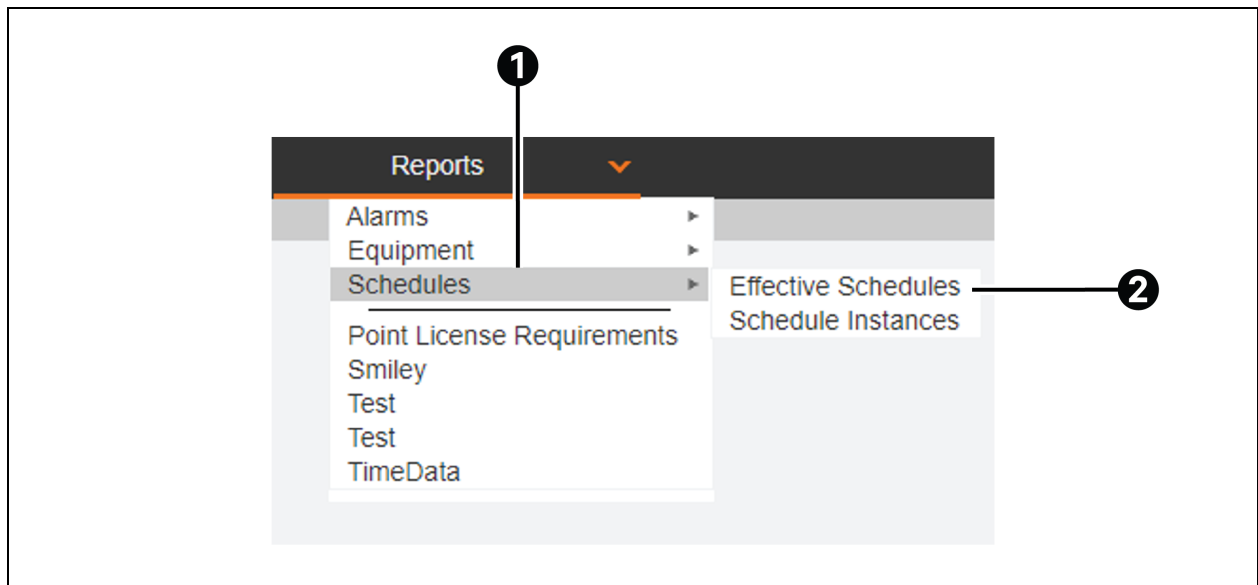
Option	Description
Rename	Rename the report that you are importing.
Replace	Replace the existing report with the report you are importing.
Skip	Do not import the report with the duplicate name.

6. Click *Import*.

**Organizing custom reports by category**



When you create a custom report, you can assign it to a category so that the report appears in the category in the Reports button drop-down list.

**Figure 3.19 Reports Button Drop-down List**



Item	Description
1	Report Category
2	Report Name

To create a report category, follow the below steps:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, click  to the left of the Categories folder, then click *Report*.
2. Click *Add*.
3. Enter the Category Name and Reference Name.
4. Select a privilege so that only operators with that privilege can access reports in the category.
5. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** To edit a category, select the category, make your changes, then click *Accept*. To delete a category, select the category, click *Delete*, then click *Accept*.

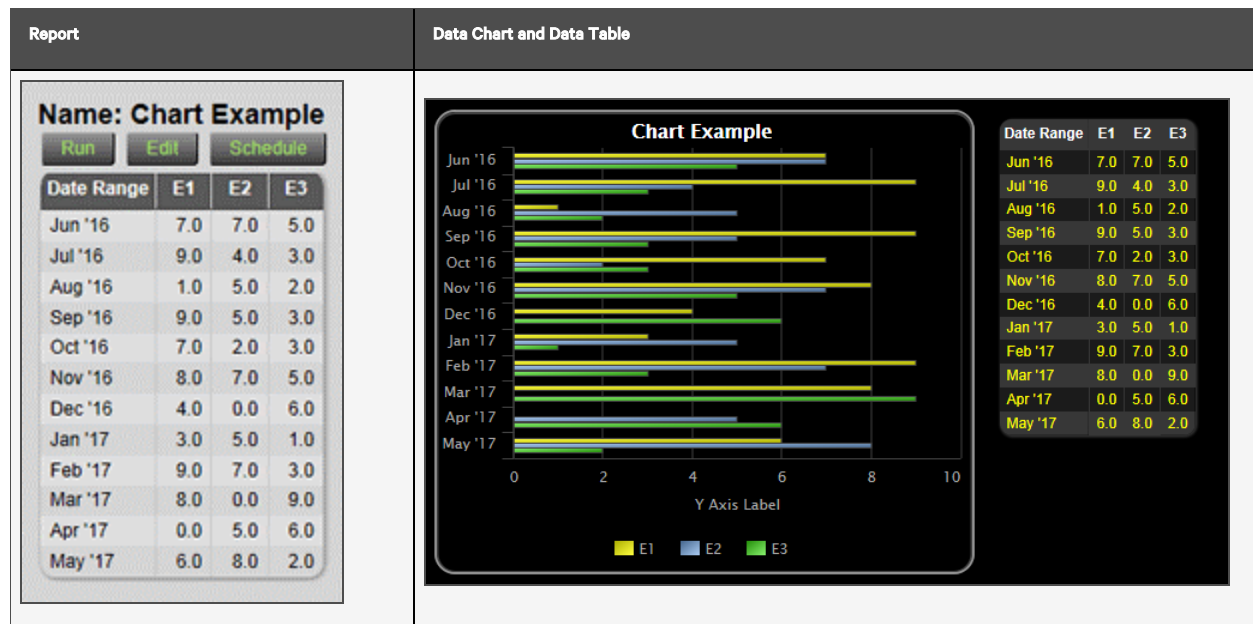
### Using a custom report as the source for a graphics page

A Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web custom report can be the data source for the following items on a Graphics page:

- A data table
- A value
- A chart
- A color map

Please see the **Table 3.49** below that shows the report that supplies data to the chart and data table.

**Table 3.49 Data Chart and Data Table for a Report**



**NOTE:** When the graphic is viewed in Time Lapse:

The data in a data table or chart will not change.

A color map will ignore report data and show thermographic colors.

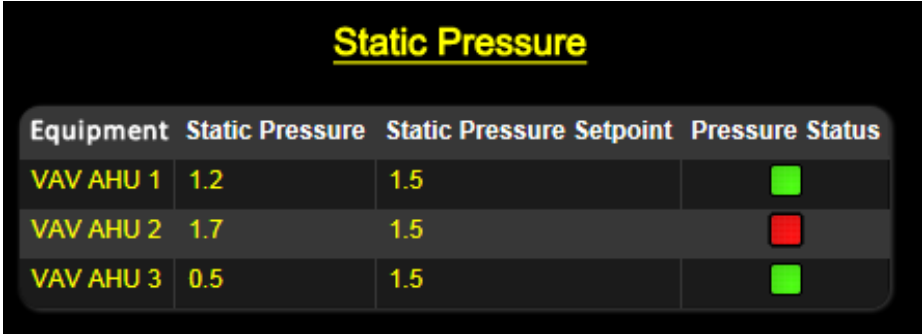
You can modify custom report variables (**Variables tab** on page 88) directly from a graphic in Liebert® SiteScan™ Web

by clicking  the button.

**To Produce a Data Table**

To produce a data table like the example in **Figure 3.20** below, first create the report in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface and then create the corresponding graphic in ViewBuilder.

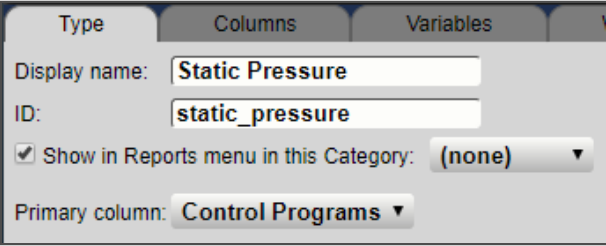
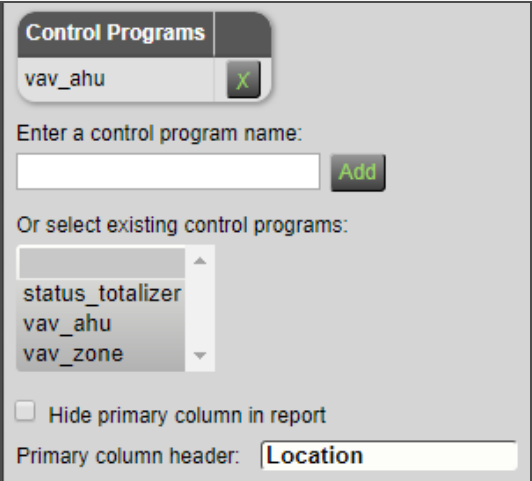
**Figure 3.20 Data Table**



Equipment	Static Pressure	Static Pressure Setpoint	Pressure Status
VAV AHU 1	1.2	1.5	Green
VAV AHU 2	1.7	1.5	Red
VAV AHU 3	0.5	1.5	Green

**Creating the Report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface**

**Table 3.50 Instructions to Create a Report in Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface**

Instructions	Example
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Click the Reports drop-down arrow, and then select <i>Report Manager</i>.</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Click <i>Add</i>.</li> <li>On the Type tab of the Report Editor, type a Display name and ID for the report.</li> <li>In the Primary column field, select the type of information that you want the report to be based on (Control Programs in this example).</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On the Type tab (<a href="#">Type tab</a>: on page 76), enter the criteria for the option that you selected in 4.</li> <li>In the Primary column header field, enter the heading that you want for that column (Equipment in this example).</li> </ol>	

**Table 3.50 Instructions to Create a Report in Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface (continued)**



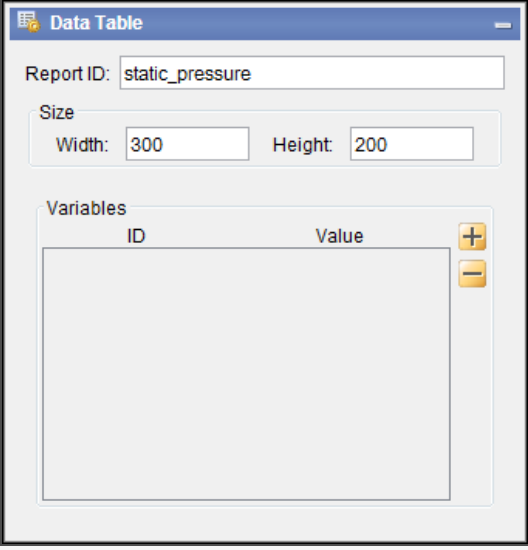
Instructions	Example															
<p>7. Define each column in the report on the Columns tab (<a href="#">Columns tab</a> on page 78). See the examples on the right.</p> <p>8. Define any other information you may want, and then click <i>Accept</i>.</p>	<p>The screenshot shows the 'Columns' configuration tab in the SiteScan web interface. At the top, there are five tabs: 'Type', 'Columns', 'Variables', 'Where', and 'Options'. The 'Columns' tab is active, displaying a table with the following data:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Type</th> <th>Path</th> <th>Path</th> <th>Expression</th> <th>Expression</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Display Name</td> <td>Static Pressure</td> <td>Static Pressure Setpoint</td> <td>Difference</td> <td>Pressure Status</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ID</td> <td>static_pressure</td> <td>static_pressure_setpoint</td> <td>static_delta</td> <td>status</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Below the table, there are several configuration options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Display name:</b> Static Pressure</li> <li><b>ID:</b> static_pressure</li> <li><b>Render data as:</b> Value</li> <li><b>Column format:</b> Align: Left, Width: 0, Digits: 0.0</li> <li><b>Column data is from:</b> Path</li> <li><b>Path:</b> stat_press</li> <li><b>Show value as text?</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul>	Type	Path	Path	Expression	Expression	Display Name	Static Pressure	Static Pressure Setpoint	Difference	Pressure Status	ID	static_pressure	static_pressure_setpoint	static_delta	status
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**Table 3.50 Instructions to Create a Report in Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface (continued)**

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## Creating the Graphic in ViewBuilder

**Table 3.51 Instructions to Create a Graphic in ViewBuilder**

Instructions	Example
1. Select <i>File &gt; New &gt; Graphic</i> , and then click <i>OK</i> .	
2. Click the <i>Add Control</i> tab  in the Tools window. 3. Click the <i>Data Table</i> control and then click in the <i>workspace</i> .	
<p>4. In the Properties window, enter the Report ID exactly as it appears in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Report Editor.</p> <p>5. Resize the control to at least the same size as the table in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface. Enter a specific size in the Properties window or drag the handles on the control to resize it.</p> <p><b>NOTE: Increase the size of the data table control in ViewBuilder if the table is cut off when viewing the graphic in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.</b></p> <p>6. If you defined variables in the Report Editor and you want to use a different default value for the Data Table, click  in the Properties window, enter the variable's ID (from the Report Editor), and then type the new default value.</p> <p><b>NOTE: To have the data table show data for a location other than the graphic's location, add a variable and type location in the ID column. Enter the path to the location in the Value column.</b></p>	
7. Save the graphic.	

## Referencing a Value in a Data Table

To reference the value of a cell in a data table, use one of these expressions:

- CELL: table ID,column ID,column ID=value
- CELL: table ID,column ID,numerical position in the column

**NOTE: The numerical position in the column can be positive if counting for the top or negative if coming from the bottom.**

## Examples

There are several methods to refer to the value of 17.02 in the table called **sample table** as shown in **Figure 3.21** on the next page:

- CELL: sample\_table,c1,location=#e8
- CELL: sample\_table,c1,ref=#e8
- CELL: sample\_table,c1,3
- CELL: sample\_table,c1,-5

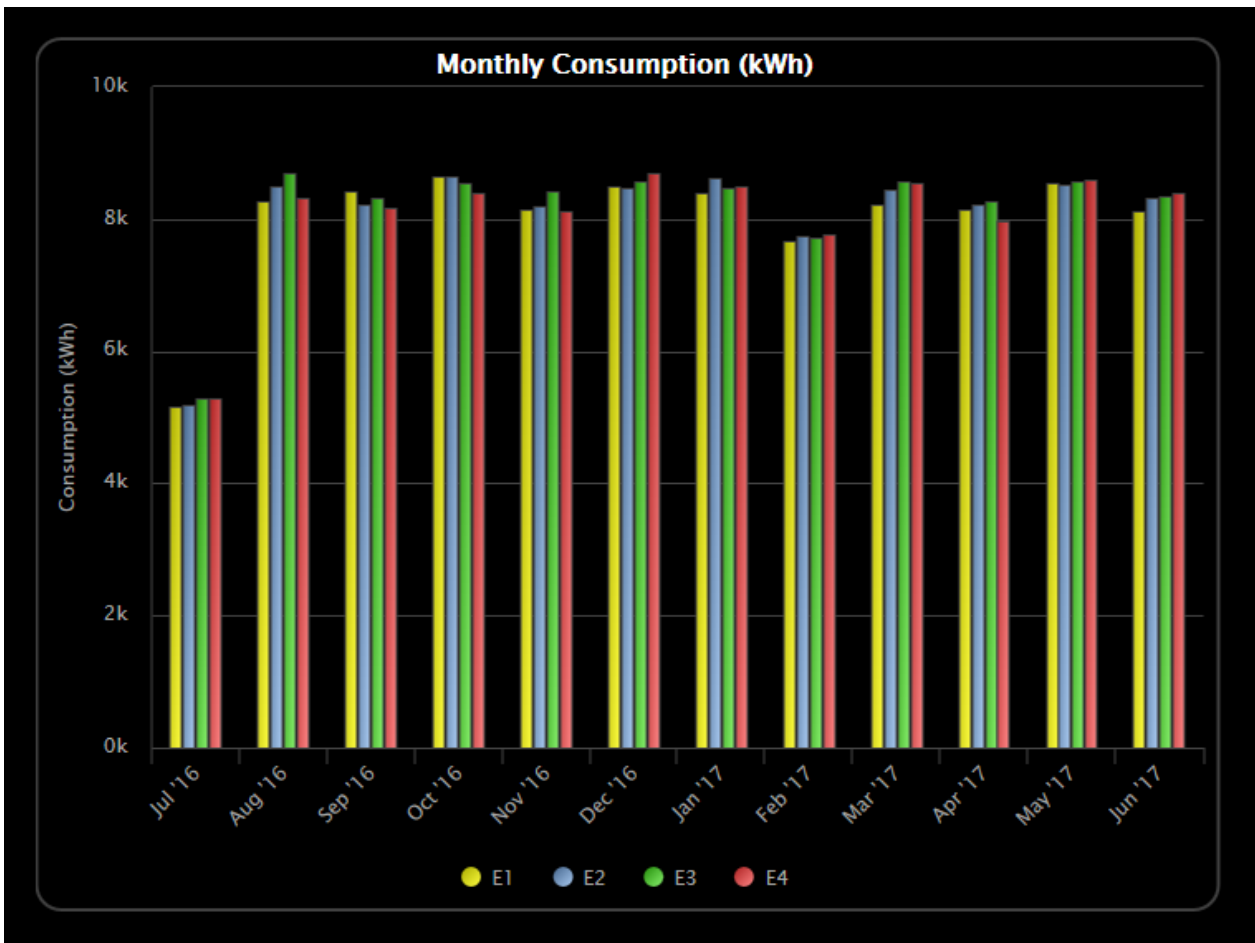
Figure 3.21 Sample Table

Location Path	Location	RefName	Col1	Col2	C1 > C2*10
location	location_name	ref	c1	c2	c1_v_c2
#e6	E6	#e6	20.24	4.06	0
#e7	E7	#e7	43.96	0.25	1
#e8	E8	#e8	17.02	7.15	0
#e9	E9	#e9	60.78	6.16	0
#e10	E10	#e10	80.66	4.20	1
	Average		44.53	4.36	
	Total		222.67	21.82	

Producing a Chart

To produce a bar chart as shown in Figure 3.22 below, first create the report in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface and then create the corresponding graphic in ViewBuilder.

Figure 3.22 Bar Chart for Monthly Consumption

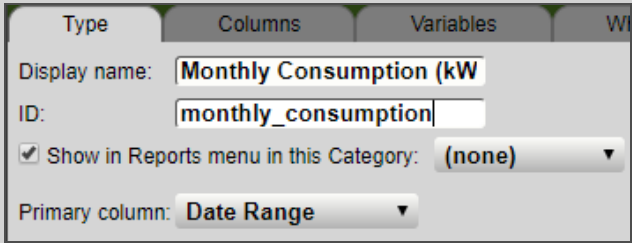
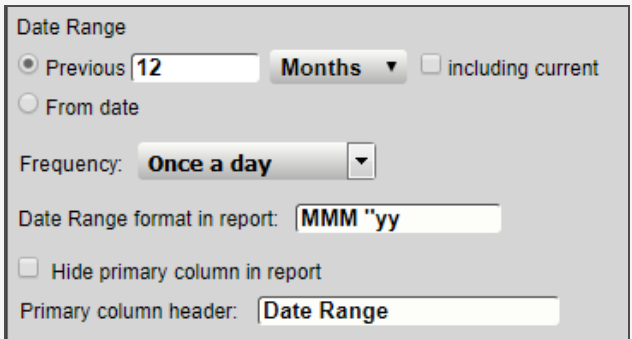




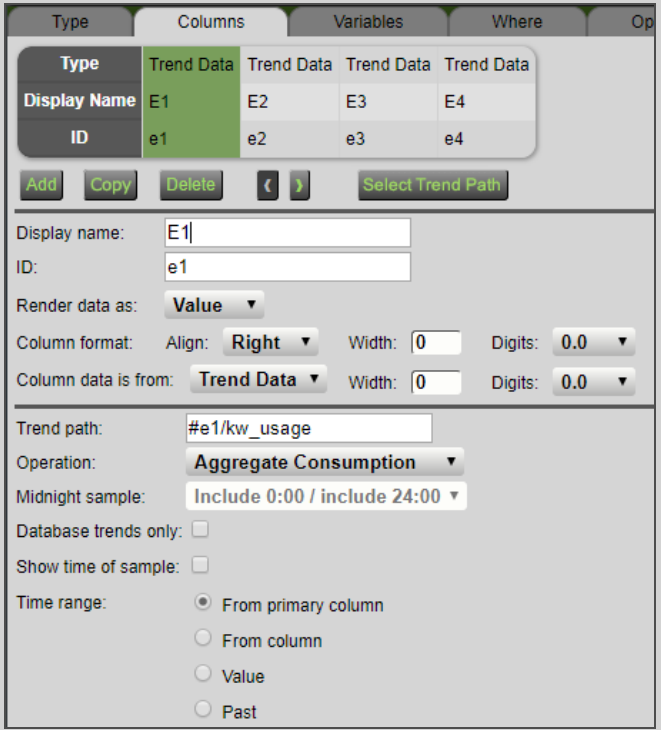
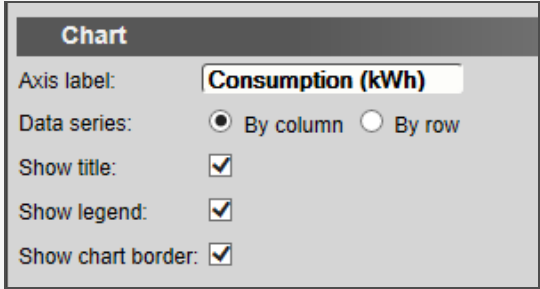
**NOTE:** When a chart that is based on a report is displayed on a Graphics page, you can hover over various points on the chart to see values. You can also click on each item in the legend to turn that information on and off. See [Using a custom report as the source for a graphics page](#) on page 95 in Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Help for more information on a chart.

### Creating the Report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface

**Table 3.52 Instructions to Create Report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface**



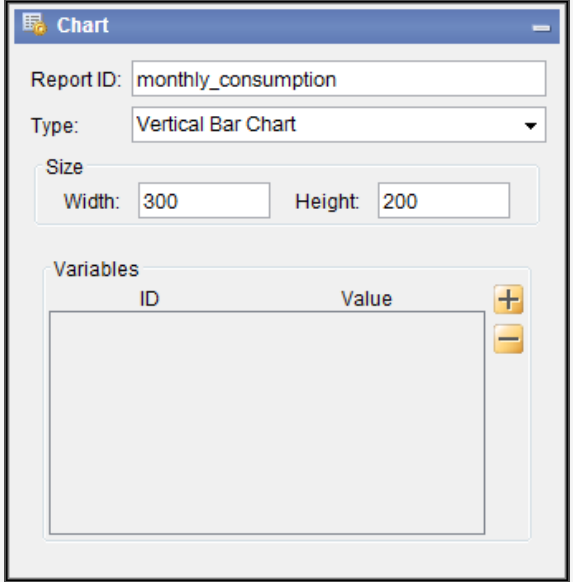
Instructions	Example
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click drop-down arrow and select <i>Report</i>, and then select <i>Report Manager</i>.</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Click <i>Add</i>.</li> <li>3. On the <i>Type</i> tab of Report Editor, type a Display name and ID for the report.</li> <li>4. In the Primary column field, select the type of information that you want to report based on (Date Range in this example).</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. On the <i>Type</i> tab (<a href="#">Type tab</a> on page 76), enter the criteria for the option that you selected in step 4.</li> <li>6. In the Primary column header field, enter the heading that you want for that column (Date Range in this example).</li> </ol>	

**Table 3.52 Instructions to Create Report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface (continued)**

Instructions	Example															
<p>7. Define each column in the report on the Columns tab (<a href="#">Columns tab</a> on page 78).</p> <p><b>NOTE: In the example to the right, all four columns have the same criteria.</b></p>	 <p>The screenshot shows the 'Columns' tab configuration in the Liebert SiteScan web interface. At the top, there are tabs for 'Type', 'Columns', 'Variables', 'Where', and 'Op'. Below these is a table with the following data:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Type</th> <th>Trend Data</th> <th>Trend Data</th> <th>Trend Data</th> <th>Trend Data</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Display Name</td> <td>E1</td> <td>E2</td> <td>E3</td> <td>E4</td> </tr> <tr> <td>ID</td> <td>e1</td> <td>e2</td> <td>e3</td> <td>e4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Below the table are buttons for 'Add', 'Copy', 'Delete', and 'Select Trend Path'. The 'Select Trend Path' button is highlighted in green. Below the buttons are several input fields and dropdown menus:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Display name: E1</li> <li>ID: e1</li> <li>Render data as: Value</li> <li>Column format: Align: Right, Width: 0, Digits: 0.0</li> <li>Column data is from: Trend Data, Width: 0, Digits: 0.0</li> <li>Trend path: #e1/kw_usage</li> <li>Operation: Aggregate Consumption</li> <li>Midnight sample: Include 0:00 / include 24:00</li> <li>Database trends only: <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Show time of sample: <input type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Time range: <input checked="" type="radio"/> From primary column, <input type="radio"/> From column, <input type="radio"/> Value, <input type="radio"/> Past</li> </ul>	Type	Trend Data	Trend Data	Trend Data	Trend Data	Display Name	E1	E2	E3	E4	ID	e1	e2	e3	e4
Type	Trend Data	Trend Data	Trend Data	Trend Data												
Display Name	E1	E2	E3	E4												
ID	e1	e2	e3	e4												
<p>8. Define the Chart options on the Output tab (<a href="#">Output tab</a> on page 90).</p> <p>9. Define any other information you may want, and then click <i>Accept</i>.</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows the 'Chart' options configuration in the Liebert SiteScan web interface. The 'Chart' section is highlighted with a dark header. Below the header are several input fields and checkboxes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Axis label: Consumption (kWh)</li> <li>Data series: <input checked="" type="radio"/> By column, <input type="radio"/> By row</li> <li>Show title: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Show legend: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> <li>Show chart border: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/></li> </ul>															

## Creating the Graphic in ViewBuilder

Table 3.53 Instructions to Create a Graphic in ViewBuilder

Instructions	Example
1. Select <i>File &gt; New &gt; Graphic</i> , and then click <i>OK</i> .	
2. Click the <b>Add Control</b> tab  in the Tools window. 3. Click the <i>Chart</i> control and then click in the <i>workspace</i> .	
4. In the Properties window, enter the Report ID exactly as it appears in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Report Editor. 5. Select the Type of chart you want. 6. Resize the control so that it is at least the size that the chart will be in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface. To resize, enter a specific size in the Properties window or drag the handles on the control.  <b>NOTE: Increase the size of the chart control in ViewBuilder if the chart is cut off when you view the graphic in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.</b>  7. If you defined variables in the Report Editor and you want to use a different default value for the chart, click  in the Properties window, enter the variable's ID (from the Report Editor), and then enter the new default value.  <b>NOTE: To have the chart show data for a location other than the location of the graphics, add a variable and type location in the ID column. Enter the path to the location in the Value column.</b>	
8. Save the graphic.	

### Producing a Color Map

A Graphics page color map shows specified colors for various conditions that are defined in a Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web report. For example, each building on a campus map could show a color that indicates its energy usage. See **Figure 3.23** below.

A color map can also have an option that lets a user switch between different kinds of information. For example, in the **Figure 3.23** below, a user could click on the MTD kWh drop-down list and select *YTD kWh*.

**Figure 3.23 Graphics Page Color Map**




To produce a color map, follow the below steps:

1. Create the graphic in ViewBuilder.
2. Create the corresponding report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.
3. Edit the graphic to add information specific to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web report.

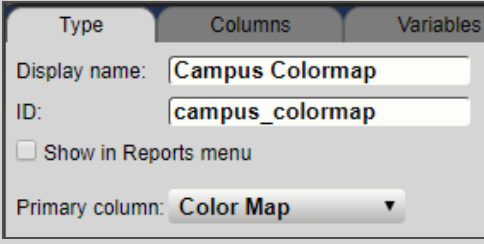
## Create the Graphic in ViewBuilder

Table 3.54 Instructions to Create the Graphic in ViewBuilder

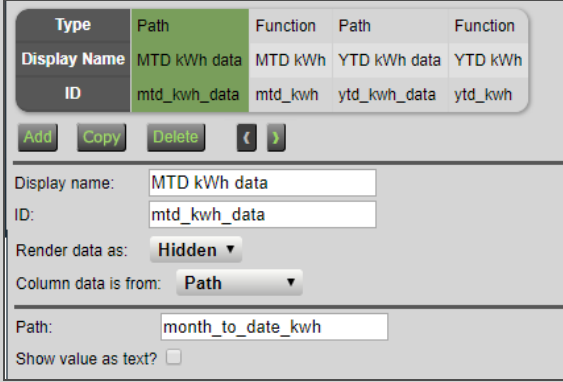
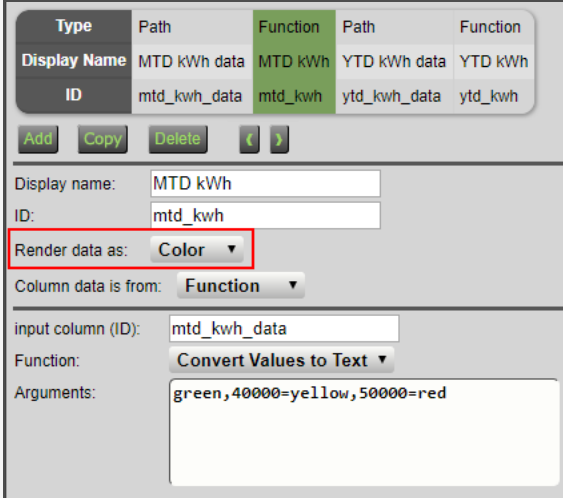
Instructions	Example
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Add an image (floorplan, campus map, and so on) to the graphic, and then double click the image to open the Associations window.</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Associate each item on your image (zone, building, and so on) just as you would associate zones on a thermographic floorplan. See "Associating zones on a floorplan to equipment" in ViewBuilder Help.</li> </ol> <p><b>NOTE: The Variable Color checkbox in the Associations window must be checked.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3. Click <i>Save and Close</i>.</li> </ol>	

## Create the Report in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface

Table 3.55 Instructions to Create the Report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface


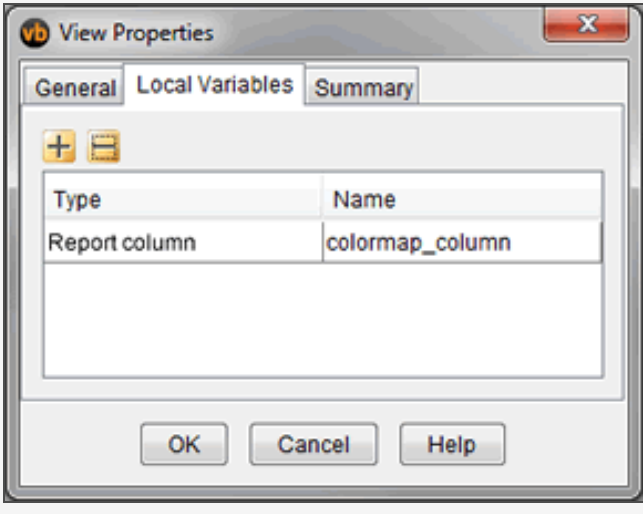

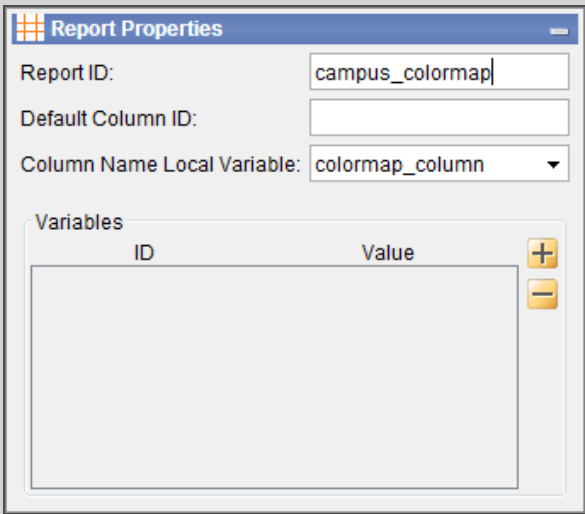

Instructions	Example
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click drop-down arrow and select <i>Report</i>, and then select <i>Report Manager</i>.</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>2. Click <i>Add</i>.</li> <li>3. On the Type tab of Report Editor, enter a Display name and ID for the report.</li> <li>4. In the Primary column field, select <i>Color Map</i>.</li> </ol>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. Enter a location in your system so that you can preview the report (#building_1 in the example). This location is only for testing your entries in the Report Editor. Associations to actual locations in the system will be made in ViewBuilder.</li> </ol> <p><b>NOTE: You can add more than one location if you want to see more in the preview.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6. Click <i>Add</i>.</li> <li>7. <b>Optional:</b> Select <i>Include equipment color column</i> if you want to automatically include a column for Liebert® SiteScan™ Web thermographic colors.</li> </ol> <p><b>NOTE: You can see this column in the Preview section if you check Show all columns.</b></p>	

**Table 3.55 Instructions to Create the Report in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface (continued)**

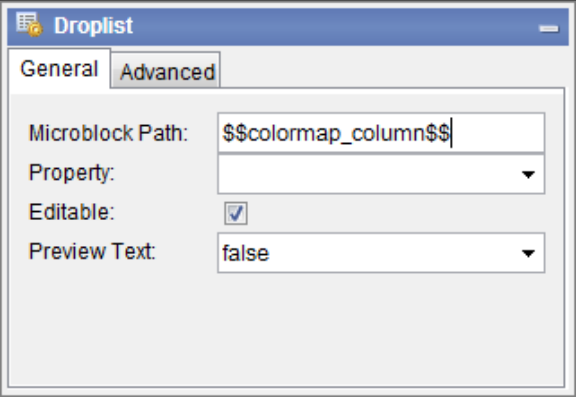
Instructions	Example
<p>8. Define each column in the report on the Columns tab (Columns tab on page 78). See examples of the first two columns on the right.</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows a table with columns: Type, Path, Function, Path, Function. The first row is highlighted in green. Below the table are buttons for Add, Copy, Delete, and navigation arrows. Below that are input fields for Display name (MTD kWh data), ID (mtd_kwh_data), Render data as (Hidden), Column data is from (Path), Path (month_to_date_kwh), and Show value as text? (checkbox).</p>
<p>A color map can retrieve color information only from a column that has the Render data as field set to Color.</p> <p>9. Define any other information needed on the Report Editor tabs, and then click <i>Accept</i>.</p>	 <p>The screenshot shows a table with columns: Type, Path, Function, Path, Function. The first row is highlighted in green. Below the table are buttons for Add, Copy, Delete, and navigation arrows. Below that are input fields for Display name (MTD kWh), ID (mtd_kwh), Render data as (Color), Column data is from (Function), input column (ID) (mtd_kwh_data), Function (Convert Values to Text), and Arguments (green,40000=yellow,50000=red).</p>

## Edit the Graphic in ViewBuilder to Add Report Information

Table 3.56 Instructions to Edit the Graphic in ViewBuilder to Add Report Information

Instructions	Example
<p>Follow steps 1 to 5 if the colormap will show information from more than one report column. If not, skip to step 6.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Select <i>Configure &gt; View Properties</i>.</li> <li>2. On the Local Variables tab, click .</li> <li>3. Double-click Boolean in the Type column, and then select <i>Report column</i> in the drop-down list.</li> <li>4. Double-click variable in the Name column, and then replace variable with colormap_column.</li> </ol> <p><b>NOTE: If the Graphic has multiple images that will pull data from different reports, add one variable called colormap_column1, another called colormap_column2, and so on.</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5. Click <i>OK</i>.</li> </ol>	 <p>The screenshot shows the 'View Properties' dialog box with the 'Local Variables' tab selected. It contains a table with two columns: 'Type' and 'Name'. The first row has 'Report column' under 'Type' and 'colormap_column' under 'Name'. There are '+', '-', and '=' icons at the top left of the table area. At the bottom are 'OK', 'Cancel', and 'Help' buttons.</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6. Double-click the image to open the Associations window.</li> <li>7. Click , and then enter the following information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Report ID:</b> Get the report ID from the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Report Editor.</li> <li>• <b>Default Column ID:</b> This is the column whose color is displayed when the graphic first appears. Get the Column ID from the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Report Editor. Leave blank if the graphic will pull data from only one report column.</li> <li>• <b>Column Name Local Variable:</b> Type the name of the variable that you created in step 5. Leave blank if the graphic will pull data from only one report column.</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	 <p>The screenshot shows the 'Report Properties' dialog box. It has three input fields: 'Report ID' with the value 'campus_colormap', 'Default Column ID' which is empty, and 'Column Name Local Variable' with a dropdown menu showing 'colormap_column'. Below these is a 'Variables' section with a table with columns 'ID' and 'Value'. There are '+', '-', and '=' icons to the right of the table.</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>8. If a report uses a variable and you want the colormap to use a different default value than what is defined in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Report Editor, click  in the Report Properties window, enter the variable's ID (defined in the Report Editor), and then enter the new default value.</li> </ol>	

**Table 3.56 Instructions to Edit the Graphic in ViewBuilder to Add Report Information (continued)**

Instructions	Example
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9. If the colormap will show information from more than one report column, add a control (droplist or radio buttons) that will allow the user to select the information they want to see.</li> <li>10. In the Microblock Path field, enter the local variable that you defined in step 4 enclosing it in \$\$.</li> <li>11. Finish the graphic and then test it in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.</li> </ol>	

### Troubleshooting custom reports

If a Graphics page contains a chart, data table, or color map that is retrieving information from a very large report, the graphic may be slow to load or refresh. You can do the following to improve this condition:

- Verify that your system follows the recommendations in Liebert® SiteScan™ Web v8.5 client, server, operating system, and database requirements.
- Reduce the size of the report by redefining the primary column criteria on the Type tab of Report Editor.
- Filter the report to show only a portion of the information. You can filter the report on the Options tab of Report Editor.
- Increase the refresh time (default is 30 seconds). If the chart, data table, or color map is based on information that changes infrequently, increase the refresh rate or set it to 0 to turn off refreshing. You can adjust the refresh rate on the Report Editor's Options tab.
- Reduce the number of controls on the graphic that are pulling data from different reports.

If an Invalid Report Definitions section appears at the bottom of the Report Manager page, one of the following has occurred:

- The file or file name of the report has been manually manipulated, invalidating the report's digital signature. Contact Technical Support to resolve this problem.
- The report is set up to have an add-on supply content for the report, but the add-on has not been installed in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface. Install the add-on to resolve this problem.



### 3.9.3 Creating a PDF, XLS, or CSV file

To create a PDF, XLS, or CSV file of the reports, see [Table 3.57](#) below.

**Table 3.57 Create Output for Reports**

Reports	Output	Notes
v7.0 and later custom reports	A PDF file A CSV file	
Preconfigured reports and v6.5 and earlier custom reports	A PDF file An XLS file A CSV file	For a v6.5 and earlier CVS file, you must enable <i>Support CSV text format</i> on the <i>Reports &gt; Options</i> tab before you run the report.

To create an output file, follow the below steps:

1. Run a report.
2. Click *PDF*, *XLS*, or *CSV* to download the file.

To create a CSV file when using Safari, follow the below steps:

1. Run a report.
2. Click *CSV*. A popup displays the results.
3. Select *File > Save As*.
4. In the *Format* field, select *Page Source*.
5. Add the **.csv** extension to the file name.
6. Select the *save location* in the *Where* field.
7. Click *Save*.
8. Close the popup.

**NOTE:** If you need a digitally signed PDF to comply with 21 CFR Part 11, open it in a program that supports digital signatures, such as Adobe Acrobat, and sign it. The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application does not support digital signing because 21 CFR Part 11 requires that the signature be added manually, not through an automated process.

### 3.9.4 Scheduling reports

You can schedule a report so that it runs on a recurring basis. The report is saved as a file (PDF, CSV, or XLS), and you can choose to have it automatically emailed to someone.

**NOTE:** To run a report, use the following alarm actions:

The **Send E-mail alarm action** ([Send e-mail](#) on page 1) can run any Liebert® SiteScan™ Web report and attach it to the email.

The **Write to File alarm action** ([Write to file](#) on page 1) can run any Liebert® SiteScan™ Web report and save it as a file. For both alarm actions, the report can be a PDF, HTML, XLS, or CSV file.

#### Scheduling a report

1. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select the report that you want to schedule.
2. Click the *Schedule* button.

3. Enter the information in each field.

**Table 3.58 Scheduling a Report Fields**

Fields	Notes
Description	Enter a brief description of the report or how this schedule will be used.
Operator	The report will be run based on the selected operator's privileges.
Run report	Define when the report will run by selecting options in the drop-down lists.
At ____	Enter the time of day that you want the report to run.
Save report as	v7.0 and later reports can be output as a PDF or CSV file. Preconfigured reports and v6.5 reports can also be output as an XLS file. Select the type of report file that you want. <b>NOTE: See Output tab on page 90 for a description of the PDF options that are available in the Report Editor.</b>
Keep latest	Enter the number of files and Schedule History entries that you want to keep for this report. As a new file or entry is saved, the oldest one is deleted.
Email report	Enter the information needed to email the report each time it runs. <b>NOTE: For the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application to email a report, you must define the Email Server configuration on the System Settings &gt; General tab (General tab on page 1).</b>

4. Click Accept.

**NOTE: The following reports have additional scheduling options available. Scheduling these reports without configuring schedule options results in an error; see View History in Managing scheduled reports below.**

- Alarms > Alarms
- Security Reports > Location Audit Log
- Security Reports > System Audit Log


See [Configuring scheduled alarms and security reports](#) on page 74.

## Managing scheduled reports

Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, and then select *Scheduled Reports*. The **Table 3.59** below shows any report that was scheduled to run.

**Table 3.59 Reports Scheduled to Run**



Select a Schedule and then Click	To
Edit	Change the schedule of the report in the Schedule Editor. <b>NOTE: You can also double click a schedule in the table to open the Schedule Editor.</b>
View History	See when the report ran. Click <i>PDF</i> , <i>CSV</i> , or <i>XLS</i> in the Results column to download the report that was produced. <b>NOTE: The XLS option is not available for v7.0 custom reports.</b>
Delete	Remove the schedule. This removes its history and all associated files.

**NOTE: You can also access this table by going to the System Configuration  tree and selecting *Scheduled Reports*.**

## If a Report Fails

The table shown in **Figure 3.24** below will show a red X and a system alarm will be generated.

**Figure 3.24** Displaying Failed Report

Scheduled Reports					
Report Name	Description	Location	Last run	Next run	Schedule ID
Trend Sample	Trend Sample 13	E1	 08/16/2017 1:45 PM	12/01/2017 1:45 PM	14
Trend Sample 13	Trend Sample 14	E1	 08/16/2017 1:47 PM	12/01/2017 1:47 PM	15


Select the schedule in the table above, and then click *View History*. Hold the cursor over the word *Failure* to see hover text describing what failed.

## 3.9.5 Working with legacy (v6.5 and earlier) custom reports

Although the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web v7.0 and above interfaces have a new method of creating and managing reports, you can still create or edit the following reports that were available in Liebert® SiteScan™ Web v6.5 and earlier systems. These reports will be accessible from the *Reports button drop-down* list, but not the Report Manager.

**Table 3.60** Type of Custom Reports

Report	Allows to
Equipment Summary	View the following information for equipment at or below the location where the report was created: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Color</li> <li>• Active alarm</li> <li>• Locked values</li> <li>• Current value of selected points</li> <li>• Combined schedule</li> </ul> See <a href="#">Creating an equipment summary report</a> below).
Equipment Values	Compare point information. See <a href="#">Creating an equipment values report</a> on the next page.
Trend Samples	View trend values for a particular time frame. See <a href="#">Creating a trend samples report</a> on page 114.

**NOTE:** You can display icons and hover text on the Geographic  tree that show where custom reports have been created. See [Tree Icons and Hover Text](#) on page 12.


You can schedule a report to run on a recurring basis. See [Scheduling reports](#) on page 109.

### Creating an equipment summary report

An Equipment Summary report can provide the following information for equipment at or below the location where the report is created.

- Color
- Active alarm
- Locked values
- Current value of selected points
- Effective schedule

### To create an equipment summary report:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the location where you want to view the report.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, then select *Add Legacy Report*.
3. Select *Equipment Summary*.
4. **Optional:** Select a *Category*.

**NOTE:** The category field is visible only if you have defined report categories. See [Organizing custom reports by category on page 94](#).

5. Enter a name for the report.
6. Click *Create*.
7. Define the Title, Page Size and orientation, and the Maximum number of rows.
8. Check or uncheck the Optional Sections checkboxes as needed.
9. **Optional:** Check Include only specific control programs at or below this location, then type the names of the control programs.
10. Select Available Points that you want to include in the report. Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or both to select multiple items.
11. Click *Add*.
12. Click *Accept*.
13. Click *Run*.


**NOTE:** To run this report later, go to the location where the report was created. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, select the report, then click *Run*.

### Creating an equipment values report

**NOTE:** To see if your system has this optional package, click , then select *About*. You have this package if [Enabled Features](#) shows **Adv. Reporting**.


An equipment values report allows you to compare point information.

### To create an equipment values report:

1. On the Geographic  tree, select the location where you want to view the report.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, then select *Add Legacy Report*.
3. Select *Equipment Values*.
4. **Optional:** Select a *Category*.

**NOTE:** The Category drop down list is only visible if you have defined report categories. See [Organizing custom reports by category on page 94](#).


5. Enter a name for the report.
6. Click *Create*.
7. Do one of the following:

- Select *Include only specific control programs at or below this location*, then type the control program names.
  - On the selection tree, select the pieces of equipment you want to view in the report. (Use **Ctrl+click**, **Shift+click**, or both to select multiple items.) Then click *Add*.
8. **Optional:** Check *Highlight alternate rows* to make the report easier to analyze.
  9. Click *Next* or  *next to Columns*.
  10. Verify or change the report title, Page units of measure for defining column widths, and Outer border characteristics.
  11. Select a *Column* in the report preview.

**NOTE: The selected column is light blue.**

12. Under *Column Header*, define how you want the column header to look.
13. Under *Column Data*, define the data you want in the column and how you want it to look. See **Table 3.61** on the next page.

**NOTE: Select *General* from the *Format* drop-down list unless you want to define the number of places to the right of the decimal point for the displayed value.**

14. **Optional:** Use the *Add*, *Delete*, and arrow buttons below the report preview to manipulate the columns.
15. **Optional:** Click  *next to Page* to change the page size and orientation.

**NOTE: Changing the size and orientation of the printed page also changes the report layout on the *View* tab.**

16. Click *Accept*.
17. Click *Run*.

**NOTE: To run this report later, go to the location where the report was created. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, select the report, then click *Run*.**

**Table 3.61 Data and it's Representation**

Type of Column Data	Description	
Point	Displays point data in the column.	
	Display	Select the property to show in this column.
	Data is named differently in some control programs	Select this checkbox if similar points have different names in different control programs. Add each of the names to the Name to use list. For example, if a point is named Zone Temp in one control program and Zone Temperature in different control program, add both names to the list.
	Point to use	Select the name of the point to show in the column.

**Table 3.61 Data and it's Representation (continued)**


Type of Column Data	Description	
Trend Sample	Display	Select <i>First, Minimum, Maximum, or Last</i> recorded trend value.
	Data is named differently in some control programs	Select this checkbox if similar points have different names in different control programs. Add each of the names to the Name to use list. For example, if a point is named <i>Zone Temp</i> in one control program and <i>Zone Temperature</i> in different control program, add both names to the list.
	Trend to use	Select the name of the point to show in the column.
	Set	Click to have all columns in the report use the same time range.
	Time Range	Select the time range to run the report for.
Trend Calculation	Display	Select the type of calculation to show in the column, <i>Average or Total</i> .
	Data is named differently in some control programs	Select this checkbox if similar points have different names in different control programs. Add each of the names to the Name to use list. For example, if a point is named <i>Zone Temp</i> in one control program and <i>Zone Temperature</i> in different control program, add both names to the list.
	Trend to use	Select the name of the point to show in the column.
	Set	Click to have all columns in the report use the same time range.
	Time Range	Select the time range to run the report for.
Control Program	Display	Select <i>Color, Display Name, Display Path, Notes, Prime Variable, or Reference Name</i> to show in the column.
Expression	Data is named differently in some control programs	Select this checkbox if similar points have different names in different control programs. Add each of the names to the Name to use list. For example, if a point is named <i>Zone Temp</i> in one control program and <i>Zone Temperature</i> in different control program, add both names to the list.
	Expression	Type the path relative to the current control program. The path must return a string value. <a href="#">Defining Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths</a> on page 54 for more information on paths.  To display the Notes on an equipment's Properties page, enter <i>.notations</i> in this field.

**Creating a trend samples report**

**NOTE:** To see if your system has this optional package, click , then select *About*. You have this package if **Enabled Features** shows **Adv. Reporting**.

A Trend Samples report provides trend values for a particular time frame.

**To create a trend samples report:**


1. On the Geographic  tree, select the location where you want to view the report.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, then select *Add Legacy Report*.
3. Select *Trend Samples*.
4. **Optional:** Select a *Category*.

**NOTE: The Category drop down list is only visible if you have defined report categories. See [Organizing custom reports by category](#) on page 94.**

5. Enter a name for the report.
6. Click *Create*.
7. Select a Time Range from the drop-down list, then refine that option by selecting an option from the drop-down lists to the right.
8. Define the trend data.

**NOTE: Calculate values for missing samples calculates a value based on the 2 closest values to the time interval.**


**Find the closest sample displays the value closest to the time interval selected.**

9. **Optional:** Check Highlight alternate rows to make the report easier to analyze.
10. Click *Next* or  *next to Columns*.
11. Verify or change the report title, Page units of measure for defining column widths, and Outer border characteristics.
12. Select a column in the report preview.

**NOTE: The selected column is light purple.**

13. Under Column Header, define how you want the column header to look.
14. Under Column Data, select the source of the trend data and how you want the data to look.

**NOTE: Select *General* from the Format drop-down list unless you want to define the number of places to the right of the decimal point for the displayed value.**

15. **Optional:** Use the Add, Delete, and arrow buttons below the report preview to manipulate the columns.
16. **Optional:** Click  next to Page to change the page size and orientation.

**NOTE: Changing the size and orientation of the printed page also changes the report layout on the View tab.**

17. Click *Accept*.
18. Click *Run*.

**NOTE: To run this report later, go to the location where the report was created. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, select the report, then click *Run*.**

### **Saving the design of v6.5 or earlier custom report for use in another location or system**


You can save the design of an Equipment Values report or a Trend Samples report for reuse in another location or in another system. Or, you can create a library of different report designs to pull from as needed.

**To save the design of report, follow the below steps:**

1. Create the Equipment Values (see [Creating an equipment summary report](#) on page 111) or Trend Samples ([Creating a trend samples report](#) on the previous page) report.
2. On the *Reports > Design* tab, click the *Save Report Design* button. The design is saved to `SiteScanx/webroot/<system>/Reports/<report name>.reportdesign`.

**NOTE: The .reportdesign file includes the report name. If you save multiple report designs in your system, each of those reports must have a unique name.**

**To use the report design at a different location in the system, follow the below steps:**

1. Select the location in the Geographic  tree.
2. Select *Reports > Add Legacy Report*.
3. In step 1, select Report design, then select the report name in the drop-down list.
4. In step 2, enter a report Name.
5. In step 3, click *Create*.

**To copy individual report design files to another system, follow the below steps:**

1. In Windows Explorer, go to the `SiteScanx.x/webroot/<system>/Reports/` folder.
2. Copy the **\*.reportdesign** files that you want.
3. In the new system, paste the copied files in the `SiteScanx.x/webroot/<system>/Reports/` folder.
4. Follow the steps above in [To use the report design at a different location in the system, follow the below steps:](#) above.

**To create a .zip file to import into another system, follow the below steps:**

**NOTE: The import process will not import a file if it has the same name as a file in the other system. Make sure your file names are unique.**


1. Do one of the following:
  - Create a **.zip** file that contains the **\*.reportdesign** files that you want. These files may be in the `SiteScanx.x/webroot/<system>/Reports/` folder, or in a library that you created.
  - On the *System Settings > General* tab, under Source Files, click *Export*.

**NOTE: Export creates a .zip file that contains all of the system's source files (control programs, drivers, view files, touchscreen or BACview files, report design files).**

2. In the new system, go to the *System Settings > General* tab.
3. Under Source Files, click *Import*.
4. Browse to the **.zip** file.
5. Click *Continue*.
6. Click *Close*. The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application will put the imported files in the correct folder.

## **Editing or deleting a v6.5 or earlier custom report**

**To edit or delete a v6.5 or earlier custom report:**

1. Select the Item on the Geographic  tree where the report was created.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, then select the report you want to edit or delete.
3. Do one of the following on the Design tab:
  - Edit the report, then click *Accept*.
  - Click the *Delete Report* button, then click *OK*.



## 4 Using the Configuration View

Most of the configuration for Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web is performed by Vertiv. This section provides instructions on how to change the most-commonly-used configuration settings.

When you select the configuration view, the menus described in [Configuration View Menus and Options](#) below, are offered.

**Table 4.1 Configuration View Menus and Options**

Navigation Tree Option	View Tab Options
My Settings	Lets the logged-in user configure personal options and information.
System Settings	Lets you view and in some cases, configure general Liebert® SiteScan™ Web options and daylight saving options. See <a href="#">System settings</a> on page 130
Operators	Lets you set up Liebert® SiteScan™ Web users. See <a href="#">Operator Access</a> below.
Privilege Sets	Lets you set up and assign access and use Liebert® SiteScan™ Web options to individual operators or groups. See <a href="#">Privilege sets</a> on the next page.
Operator Groups	Lets you group operators to simplify assigning access privileges and setting up message notification recipients. See <a href="#">Operators and operator groups</a> on page 121.
Services	Lets you view a list of services used by Liebert® SiteScan™ Web and the status of each. See <a href="#">Services Status</a> on page 140.
Trends Display Setup	Lets you customize the color and other display options of the trend graphs. See <a href="#">Configuring the Trends Display Setup</a> on page 140.
Trends Print Setup	Lets you specify the appearance of printed trend graphs. See <a href="#">Configuring Trends Print Setup</a> on page 141.

### 4.1 Operator Access

Privileges control which parts of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system an operator can access. Privileges also control what an operator can do and what he can change.

**To set up operator access to your system, follow the below steps:**

1. Login to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application as the Administrator. See [Operators and operator groups](#) on page 121.
2. Define privilege sets by job function. See [Privilege sets](#) on the next page.
3. Enter each operator in the system by assigning him privilege sets and entering settings that apply only to him. If you need to assign the same privilege set to multiple operators, you can create an operator group and assign the privilege set to the group. See [Operators and operator groups](#) on page 121.

See [Changing my settings](#) on page 123 change the settings of an operator.

To access the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, an operator must enter his user name and password. See [Advanced password policy](#) on page 125 to change the rules for passwords.

#### Restricting Operator Access

**To restrict access to your system, follow the below steps:**

- Restrict the privileges of an operator.
- Use location dependent operator access ([Location dependent operator access](#) on page 125).

- Change Editing Privilege of a microblock from Preset to a specific privilege. The properties of a microblock will be editable only by an operator that has that privilege.



**CAUTION:** Each microblock property has a default Editing Privilege (represented by the *Preset* option) that is appropriate for that property. Changing *Preset* to a specific privilege changes every property in the microblock to the same privilege which may produce undesirable results.

### 4.1.1 Privilege sets





A privilege set is a group of one or more privileges (see [Privileges](#) below). The Administrator creates privilege sets and assigns them to operators and operator groups.

### Privileges

**Table 4.2 Privilege**

This Privilege	Allows an Operator
System Administration Privilege	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Add, edit, and delete operators, operator groups, and privilege sets.</li> <li>• Update the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system with service packs and patches.</li> <li>• Register the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web software. See <a href="#">Registering your Liebert® SiteScan™ Web software</a> on page 1.</li> <li>• Enable and set up advanced security features such as location dependent operator access (<a href="#">Location dependent operator access</a> on page 125) and the advanced password policy (<a href="#">Advanced password policy</a> on page 125).</li> <li>• Add and remove Liebert® SiteScan™ Web add-ons such as EnergyReports.</li> </ul>

**Table 4.3 Access Privilege**

This Access Privilege	Allows an Operator to Access (But Not Edit)
Access Geographic Locations	Pages from the Geographic  tree.
Access Network Items	Pages from the Network  tree.
Access Groups	Pages from the Schedule Groups  tree.
Access Config Items	Pages from the System Configuration  tree.
Access Alarms	Alarms.
Access Logic Pages	Logic pages.
Access User Category 1-5	Anything in a category that has the same privilege assigned to it. See <a href="#">Creating a custom privilege</a> on page 120 below.

**Table 4.4 Parameter Privilege**

This Parameter Privilege	Allows an Operator to Edit Properties such as
Edit Setpoint Parameters	Occupied and unoccupied heating and cooling setpoints.
Edit Setpoint Tuning Parameters	Demand level setpoint offsets, thermographic color band offsets, heating and cooling capacities and design temperatures, color hysteresis, and learning adaptive optimal start capacity adjustment values.
Edit Tuning and Logic Parameters	Gains, limits, trip points, hysteresis, color bandwidths, design temperatures, and optimal start/stop.
Edit Manual Override Parameters	Locks on input, output, and network points.
Edit Point Setup Parameters	Point number, type, range, and network source and destination.
Edit Restricted Parameters	Properties the installer restricted with this privilege.
Edit Category Assignments	Alarm, Graphic, Trend, and Report category assignments.
Edit History Value Reset	Elapsed active time and history resets, and runtime hours.
Edit Trend Parameters	Enable trend logging, log intervals, and log start/stop times.
Edit Calibration Parameters	Point calibration offsets.
Edit Hardware Controller Parameters	Driver properties.
Edit Critical Configuration	Critical properties the installer protected with this privilege.
Edit Area Name	Area display names.
Edit Control Program Name	Control program display names.
Edit Alarm Configuration	Enabling/disabling alarms and editing alarm messages, actions, categories, and templates.
InterOp Privilege 1 - 10	Those protected by password levels 1-10 in SuperVision.

**Table 4.5 Functional Privilege**

This Functional Privilege	Allows an Operator to
Manage Alarm Messages and Actions	Add, edit, and delete alarm messages and actions.
Maintain System Parameters	Edit all properties on the System Settings page.
Maintain Schedules	Add, edit, delete, and download schedules.
Maintain Schedule Group Members	Add, edit, and delete schedule groups.
Maintain Categories	Add, edit, and delete categories.
Maintain Alarm Templates	Edit Alarm Template and Reporting Action Templates.
Acknowledge Non-Critical Alarms	Acknowledge all non-critical alarms.
Acknowledge Critical Alarms	Acknowledge all critical alarms.
Force Normal Non-Critical Alarms	Force non-critical alarms to return to normal.
Force Normal Critical Alarms	Force critical alarms to return to normal.
Delete Non-Critical Alarms	Delete non-critical alarms.
Delete Critical Alarms	Delete critical alarms.

**Table 4.5 Functional Privilege (continued)**

This Functional Privilege	Allows an Operator to
Execute Audit Log Report	Run the Location Audit Log and System Audit Log reports.
Download Controllers	Mark equipment for download and initiate a download.
System Shutdown	Issue the Shutdown manual command that shuts down the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Server application.
Engineer System	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Login and make database changes in SiteBuilder.</li> <li>• Use the copy, notify, reload, and revert manual commands.</li> <li>• Access the <i>Configure</i> and <i>Set up Tree</i> right-click menus in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.</li> <li>• Add text in the <i>Notes</i> field on an equipment's Properties page of an equipment.</li> <li>• Set Device Passwords in SiteBuilder, or the SiteScan™ interface, to restrict access to the controller setup pages through the Service Port (applies only to routers with the drv_gen5 driver).</li> </ul>
Access Commissioning Tools	Access: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Equipment Checkout</li> <li>• Airflow Configuration</li> <li>• Trend, Report, and Graphic categories that require this privilege</li> <li>• Discovery tool</li> </ul>
Maintain Graphs and Reports	Add, edit, and delete trend graphs and reports.
Maintain Connections	Edit Connections page properties.
Remote File Management	Access files using a WebDAV utility.
Remote Data Access-SOAP	Retrieve Liebert® SiteScan™ Web data through an Enterprise Data Exchange (SOAP) application.
Do not audit changes made using SOAP (Web services)	Not have his SOAP (web services) changes recorded in the Audit Log.
Manual Commands/Console Operations	Access the manual command dialog box and issue basic manual commands.
Manual Commands/File IO	Execute manual commands that access the server's file system.
Manual Commands/Adv Network	Execute manual commands that directly access network communications.
Manual Commands/Unrestricted	Execute manual commands that bypass all safeguards and may cause unpredictable results if used incorrectly.
Change My Settings	Edit his preferences on the My Settings page.

**Creating a custom privilege**

You can assign a privilege to a Graphic, Property, Trend, or Report category so that only operators with that privilege can access the category. You can assign a category privilege on the page where you create or edit categories.


If all the other privileges are too widely used to accomplish the results you want, you can assign one of the five Access User Category privileges to the operators and category.

For example, your system has 2 graphics categories, HVAC and Lighting/Security. You want HVAC technicians to see only the HVAC graphics and security personnel to see only the Lighting/Security graphics. To do this, see **Table 4.6** on the facing page:

**Table 4.6 Creating a Custom Privilege**

Assign	To	Results
Access User Category 1	HVAC graphics category and HVAC technicians only	The security personnel cannot see the HVAC graphics because they do not have Access User Category 1.
Access User Category 2	Lighting/Security Graphics category and Security personnel only	The HVAC technicians cannot see the Lighting/Security graphics because they do not have Access User Category 2.

**Adding or editing a privilege set:**


1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Privilege Sets*.
2. Click *Add* to create a new privilege set, or select a privilege set to edit.
3. Enter the Name and Reference Name for the privilege set.
4. Check each privilege ([Privileges](#) on page 118) that you want to include in the privilege set.
5. Click *Accept*.



**CAUTION:** Include all required access privileges in a privilege set. For example, if you add **Acknowledge Non-Critical Alarms** to a privilege set, also add **Access Alarms** to that privilege set.

**NOTE:** To create a privilege set that is similar to an existing set, select the existing set, then click *Add*. The privileges that are initially selected are identical to those of the existing set (Location independent security only).

**Deleting a privilege set**

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Privilege Sets*.
2. Select the privilege set to be deleted.
3. Click *Delete*.
4. Click *OK*.
5. Click *Accept*.

**4.1.2 Operators and operator groups**

When you create a new system in SiteBuilder, you assign a login name and password to the administrator operator. This administrator operator sets up each operator in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface by entering the necessary settings and assigning one or more privilege sets (see [Privilege sets](#) on page 118) to the operator.


Operator groups give you the ability to assign privilege sets to a group of operators instead of the individual operators. Operator groups are useful if you have multiple operators who need the same privilege set or you have positions with high turnover rates. You can assign an operator to a group when you enter the operator or when you create the operator group.

**NOTE:** When using hierarchical servers, you must create identical operators on each server in order to navigate across servers.



**CAUTION:** Passwords can be forgotten. To ensure access to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web administrative functions, assign the Admin privilege set to at least 2 operators.

## Adding or editing an operator

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Operators*.
2. Click *Add* to enter a new operator, or select an *operator* to edit his settings.
3. Enter information on this page as needed. See **Table 4.7** below.
4. Click *Accept*.


**Table 4.7** Fields for Adding or Editing an Operator

Field	Notes
Login Name	The name the operator must type to login to the system. This name must be unique within the system.
Change password	Enable this field, then type the current and new passwords. <b>NOTE: An operator can change his password on the My Settings page (Changing my settings on the facing page).</b>
Force User to Change Password at login?	Forces the operator to change his password immediately after his next login. <b>NOTE: Use this field with the Change Password field to create a temporary password that the operator must change after his next login.</b>
Exempt From Password Policy	If Use advanced password policy is enabled on the <i>System Settings &gt; Security</i> tab (see <a href="#">Security tab</a> on page 1), select this option if you do not want the policy to apply to this operator.
Ready to e-sign	This checkbox indicates the operator can e-sign documents. It only appears checked when E-signature file uploaded and Signing privileges granted are checked. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• E-signature file uploaded indicates the operator has uploaded a valid e-signature file (see <a href="#">E-signature</a> on page 124).</li> <li>• Signing privileges granted indicates the operator has e-signature signing privileges (see <a href="#">Privilege sets</a> on page 118).</li> </ul> <b>NOTE: These checkboxes are read only.</b>
Logoff options	If Log off operators after __ of inactivity is enabled on the <i>System Settings &gt; Security</i> tab (see <a href="#">Security tab</a> on page 1), select one of the 3 logoff options.
Personal Information	You can enter contact information for this operator. <b>NOTE: An operator can enter contact information on the My Settings page (Changing my settings on the facing page).</b>
Starting Location and Starting Page	The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web location and page that will be displayed after the operator logs in.
System-wide Privilege Sets	Select the privilege sets that you want to assign to the operator. The Effective System-wide Privileges list show which privileges the operator will have. <b>NOTE: Click <i>Show current privileges only</i> to see only the selected privilege sets and privileges.</b> <b>NOTE: A grayed out privilege set with a group name beside it indicates the operator is inheriting that privilege set from the group.</b>

**NOTE: To test the settings and privileges that you gave to an operator, you can open a second browser session on your computer and login as the operator. For instructions on opening a second session in the browser you are using, see [Setting up and using a web browser to view the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface](#) (see [Setting Up a System in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface](#) on page 130).**


## Deleting an operator

To delete an operator:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Operators*.
2. Select the operator.
3. Click *Delete*.
4. Click *Accept*.

## Adding or editing an operator group

To add or edit an operator group:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Operator Groups*.
2. Click *Add* to create a new operator group, or select an operator group to edit it.
3. Enter the Display Name and Reference Name for the operator group.
4. Under Members, select the operators and/or groups that you want to add to the new group.
5. Under Privilege Sets, select the privilege sets (see [Privilege sets](#) on page 118) that you want to assign to the new group.


**NOTE:** To see what privileges are included in a privilege set, go to the [Privilege Sets](#) page and then select the *Privilege set* in the table.

6. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** Every operator is automatically a member of a permanent default group called *Everybody*. You can assign privilege sets to this group.

## Deleting an operator group

To delete an operator group:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *Operator Groups*.
2. Select the operator group.
3. Click *Delete*.
4. Click *Accept*.



**CAUTION:** When you delete an operator group, its individual members lose the privilege sets that were assigned to the group.

## 4.1.3 Changing my settings


On the My Settings page, you can change settings, such as:

- Password
- Viewing preferences

- Contact information

**NOTE: The System Administrator can also change these settings on the Operators page.**

To change your settings:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *My Settings*.
2. Make changes on the Settings or Contact Info tab. See **Table 4.8** below.
3. Click *Accept*.


**Table 4.8 Fields for Changing Settings**

Field	Notes
Settings Tab	
Change password	Enable this field, then type your current and new passwords.
Starting Location and Starting Page	The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web location and page that will be displayed after you login.
Language	The language and formatting conventions you want to see in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface. <b>NOTE: If you will be using a language other than English, see <a href="#">Setting Up a System for Non-English Languages</a> on page 147 for additional requirements.</b> <b>NOTE: If support for your selected language is removed in SiteBuilder, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application will automatically assign the System language to you.</b>
Automatically collapse trees	Expands only one tree branch at a time.
Automatically download schedules on each change	Select to automatically download all new schedules that you create and schedules that you change.
Play sound at browser when server receives	Check Non critical alarms or Critical alarms if you want the system to audibly notify you when that type of alarm is received. You can specify a different sound file. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Microsoft Edge, Firefox, and Safari support <b>.wav</b>, <b>.mp3</b>, or <b>.au</b> files.</li> <li>• Google Chrome supports <b>.wav</b> or <b>.mp3</b> files.</li> </ul> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Put your file in the <b>webroot\_common\lv5\sounds</b> folder.</li> <li>2. In the Sound File field, replace normal_alarm.wav or critical_alarm.wav with the name of your sound file.</li> </ol> <b>NOTE: You can put your sound file anywhere under the SiteScan.x folder, but you must change the path in the Sound File field.</b>
E-signature	
E-signature File	An e-signature file is required to add an e-signature to Scheduled Reports. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Click <i>Choose File</i> and select your e-signature file.</li> <li>2. Click <i>Upload</i>.</li> </ol>
<b>NOTE: These options may be limited to a specific license or optional package. See <a href="#">SiteScan™ editions and optional packages</a> for more information.</b>	



## 4.1.4 Advanced password policy

You can set up a Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web password policy to meet your security needs.

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *System Settings*.
2. On the Security tab under Operators, enter information in the fields described in **Table 4.9** below.

**NOTE:** See [System Settings](#) on page 1 for information on all the other fields.

**Table 4.9** Fields for Advanced Password Policy

Field	Notes
Use advanced password policy	<p>Enable this field to put restrictions on passwords.</p> <p>Login name and password of an operator must be different when this policy is enabled.</p> <p>After you change the password policy, any operator whose password doesn't meet the new requirements will not be locked out of the system, but will be prompted to create a new password.</p> <p><b>NOTE:</b> This password policy also applies to site-level passwords.</p>
Passwords must contain	<p>You can specify how many characters and which of the following types of characters a password must contain:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Numbers</b></li> <li>• <b>Special characters:</b> Any keyboard character that is not a number or letter.</li> <li>• <b>Letters:</b> Uppercase, lowercase, or both.</li> </ul>
Cannot be changed more than once every __ days.	Enter a number to limit how often users can change their passwords. When set to <b>0</b> , users can change them as often as they want.
May not be reused until __ different passwords are used.	Enter a number between <b>1</b> and <b>20</b> . Enter <b>0</b> to reuse passwords without a delay.
Expire after __ days	Enable to set the number of days an operator can use his password before the system requires him to change it. Enter a number between <b>1</b> and <b>999</b> .
Force expiration	Click this button to force every user's password to expire. Each user will be prompted to change their password when they next attempt to login to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.

**NOTE:** The Advanced password policy settings do not synchronize across hierarchical servers. You should set up each system with the same advanced password settings to avoid problems when navigating between the systems.

## 4.1.5 Location dependent operator access

You can set up operator access to your system to be location dependent. This type of operator access lets you assign privileges to an operator only at locations in the system where he needs them. For example, you could assign an operator mechanic privileges in one building in a system, view-only privileges in another building, and no privileges in a third building.

New and converted Liebert® SiteScan™ Web systems default to location independent operator access in which an operator's privileges apply throughout the system. You should understand this type of operator access before switching to location dependent. See [Operator Access](#) on page 117 for more information on location independent operator access.

**NOTE:** When using hierarchical servers, the security policy and privilege sets are local to each server, so you can have location independent security on one server but not on another.

## Switching to location dependent access




**CAUTION:** Create a backup of your system before you begin. Switching to location-dependent operator access changes the configuration of operators and privilege sets. If you need to revert to location-independent operator access, your previous configuration cannot be automatically restored.



**CAUTION:** If you change the policy after you create and assign privilege sets to operators, you may need to reconfigure your operators' privileges.

To switch to location dependent operator access, follow the below steps:

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *System Settings*.
2. On the Security tab under Security Policy, click *Change Policy*.
3. Follow the on screen instructions.

## Privileges and privilege sets

When using location dependent operator access, privileges are either system wide or local.

System wide privileges allow an operator to perform functions throughout the entire system, such as accessing the Configuration tree or performing a system shutdown.

Local privileges allow an operator to perform functions in a specific area of the system, such as editing setpoints or viewing alarms. Assigning any local privilege to an operator also allows him to change his password and set preferences on his My Settings (see [Changing my settings](#) on page 123) page.

You assign system-wide privileges to system-wide privilege sets and local privileges to local privilege sets. See **Table 4.10** on the facing page for planning which privileges to assign to a privilege set. For a description of each privilege, see [Privileges](#) on page 118).

**Table 4.10 System Wide and Local Privileges**

System Wide Privileges	Local Privileges
Access Groups	Access Geographic Locations
Access Config Items	Access Network Items
Maintain System Parameters	Access Alarms
Maintain Schedule Group Members	Access Logic Pages
Maintain Categories	Access User Category 1 - 5
Maintain Trends Display and Print Setup	Edit Setpoint Parameters
Maintain Alarm Templates	Edit Setpoint Tuning Parameters
Acknowledge Non-Critical Alarms	Edit Tuning and Logic Parameters
Acknowledge Critical Alarms	Edit Manual Override Parameters
Force Normal Non-Critical Alarms	Edit Point Setup Parameters
Force Normal Critical Alarms	Edit Restricted Parameters
Delete Non-Critical Alarms	Edit Category Assignments
Delete Critical Alarms	Edit History Value Reset
Execute Audit Log Report	Edit Trend Parameters
Download Controllers	Edit Calibration Parameters
System Shutdown	Edit Hardware Controller Parameters
Engineer System	Edit Critical Configuration
Access Commissioning Tools	Edit Area Name
Maintain Graphs and Reports	Edit Control Program Name
Maintain Connections	Edit Alarm Configuration
Remote File Management	InterOp Privilege 1 - 10
Remote Data Access-SOAP	Manage Alarm Messages and Actions
Do not audit changes made using SOAP (Web services)	Maintain Schedules
Manual Commands/Console Operations	
Manual Commands/File IO	
Manual Commands/Adv Network	
Manual Commands/Unrestricted	
Change My Settings	

**NOTE:** For an operator to add, edit, or delete schedule groups, he must have the system wide privilege **Maintain Schedule Group Members**. He must also have the local privileges **Access Geographic Locations** and **Maintain Schedules** at each location that is a member of the schedule group.

**NOTE:** If you switch to location-dependent operator access in a system that has operators and privileges set up, the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application splits any existing privilege set containing local and system wide privileges into 2 separate privilege sets - one local and one system wide. Operators system wide privilege sets still apply throughout the system. The operators' local privilege sets are automatically assigned at the system level. You can then reassign the local privilege sets to the operators at the locations where they need them.

## Adding a privilege set

Adding a privilege set using location dependent operator access is the same as using location independent operator access except that you must select whether you are adding a system wide or local privilege set. See [Privilege sets](#) on page 118.

## Assigning privilege sets to an operator

Assign a system wide privilege set to an operator on the Operators page in the same way you would assign privilege sets in a system using location independent operator access. See [Operators and operator groups](#) on page 121.

Assign a local privilege set to an operator at locations on the Geographic or Network tree where he needs the privileges.



### To assign privilege sets to an operator:

1. Select a location on the Geographic or Network tree.
2. Click *Privileges*.
3. On the Configure tab, click *Add*.
4. Select the *Operator* or *Operator group*.
5. Click *OK*.
6. Select the privilege sets that you want the operator to have.
7. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** You can display icons and hover text on the Geographic tree that show where privileges have been assigned. See [Tree Icons and Hover Text](#) on page 12.

## Deleting a local privilege set assignment

### To delete a local privilege set assignment:

1. On the Geographic  or Network  tree, select the location where the assignment was made.
2. Click *Privileges*.
3. Select the assignment under Privilege Set Assignments at this Level.
4. Click *Delete*.
5. Click *Accept*.

## Restricting access in the system

### Restricting access of an operator to areas of the system

You can give an operator access to only a specific area of the system. All other areas will be either grayed out or not visible when the operator logs in to the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.

Example: If you give an operator the Access Geographic Locations privilege only at the first floor of the system shown below, he will see a navigation tree like the one on the left. The areas above the first floor are visible because he needs them to navigate to the first floor, but grayed out because he cannot access them. The operator does not see Dallas, New York, or San Francisco because he can't access them and does not need them to navigate.

Figure 4.1 Restricted Access

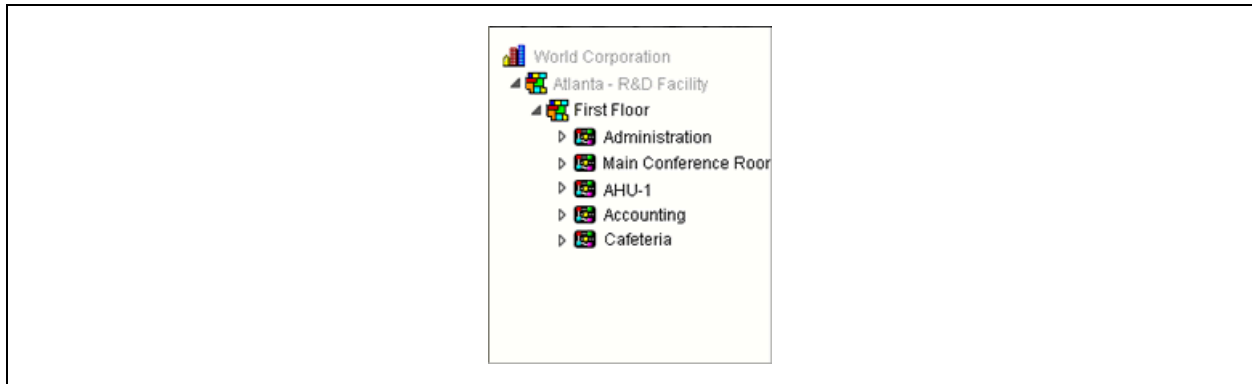
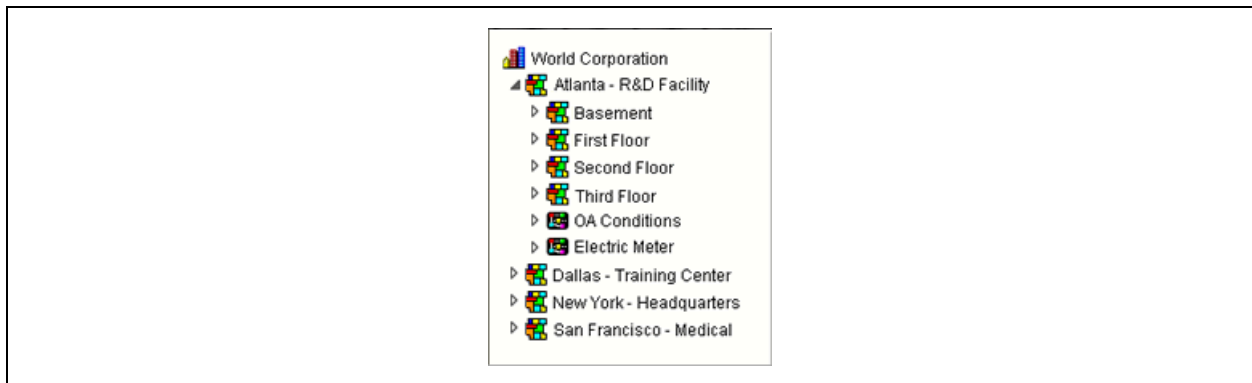


Figure 4.2 Full System Access





### Restricting all operator access to a location

To remove all local privileges of all operators from a location so that you can assign access only to a specific operators, navigate to the location, select *Privileges*, then uncheck *Inherit security privileges from above this level*.

### Security assignments report

A Security Assignments Report shows local and system-wide privileges and privilege sets of an operator at a specific location.

#### To run security assignment report:

1. Select the location on the Geographic  or Network  tree.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, then select *Security > Security Assignments*.
3. On the Options tab, select an operator.
4. Click *Run*.

### Recording reasons for edits (21 CFR Part 11)

Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web provides support for 21 CFR Part 11. The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can require an operator to record a reason for changing an equipment property, or acknowledging an alarm, before it accepts the change. The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Audit Log report then displays the operator's name and the recorded reason for making the change.

**To set up equipment to require reasons for changes, follow the below steps:**

1. On the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Geographic or Network tree, right-click the equipment, then select *Configure*.
2. Check *Require operator to record any changes to control program and when acknowledging alarms*.

**NOTE:** In order to enable this feature to record changes, you must also enable *Alarm requires acknowledgment and/or Return requires acknowledgment*. See [Setting up, editing, or disabling alarm sources](#) on page 47).

3. Click *Accept*.

**NOTE:** You can also turn this setting on in *SiteBuilder* in the equipment's properties dialog box.


**To view reasons for changing equipment properties, follow the below steps:**

1. On the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web tree, select a piece of equipment that requires reasons for change.
2. Click the drop-down arrow and select *Reports*, select *Security > Location Audit Log* or *System Audit Log*.
3. On the *Options* tab under *Display* the following columns, select the *Reason* checkbox.
4. Click *Run*.

## 4.2 Setting Up a System in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Interface

### 4.2.1 System settings

The System Settings page contains information that you must enter before the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application can run properly.

1. On the *System Configuration*  tree, select *System Settings*.
2. Click each tab, then enter the necessary information. Tab details are described below:

#### General tab

The General tab presents the following system information:

- System Directory Name
- Path to the Webroot Directory
- Database Type
- System Language: The language to be used for:
  - The default language for new operators
  - Alarms logged to the database
  - State text and object names downloaded to the field
  - The login page

**NOTE:** Language also refers to formatting conventions. For example, English uses the date format *mm/dd/yy*, but *English (International)* uses the date format *(dd/mm/yy)*.

You can edit or use the following fields and buttons.

Field	Notes
<b>System Information</b>	
System Statistics button	Click to see the following system information: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Number of controllers</li> <li>• Number of controllers that can run control programs</li> <li>• Number of points, regardless of vendor</li> <li>• Number of trend sources in database</li> <li>• Number of trend samples in database</li> </ul>
Levels displayed in paths	The number of levels displayed in Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web paths. For example, if Node Name Display Depth is set at: <p>2, a typical path might be .\AHU-1\RA Temp</p> <p>3, a typical path might be .\Atlanta R&amp;D\First Floor\AHU-1</p> <p><b>NOTE: Changing this field does not take effect until you restart the SiteScan Server application.</b></p>
<b>Logs</b>	
Select a week of logs to review	For troubleshooting, you can download a zip file that contains logs of system activity.
Time	
Time Sync	Click to immediately synchronize the time on all IP network controllers in the system database to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server's time. <p>Time synchronization occurs daily if the Enable time synchronization of controllers daily at ____ field on the Scheduled Tasks tab (see <a href="#">Scheduled tasks tab</a> on page 135) is enabled. (Click this link for more information on time synchronization.)</p>
Time Format	Select one of the following for the system time: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 12 hour clock (Example: 4:34 pm)</li> <li>• 24 hour clock (Example: 16:34)</li> </ul>
Date Format	Select the format you want the system to use.
Update Devices	Click to apply Time Format and Date Format to all IP network controllers in the system database. This function only applies to controllers with Gen 5 firmware or later.
Alarms	
Use a single alarm template for CMnet alarms	If your system is an upgraded legacy system: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Check to have alarms for CMnet equipment use only the alert_auto alarm template.</li> <li>• Uncheck to allow multiple alarm templates.</li> </ul>
Enable support for Alarm Notification Clients to connect to this server	Check to use the Alarm Notification Client application. See Alarm Popup (see <a href="#">Alarm Popup</a> on page 1) alarm action. <p><b>NOTE: When using location-dependent security, users only receive alarms for locations they are allowed to access.</b></p>
Restrict to IP Address	If the server has more than one network interface adapter, enter the IP address of the server network connection that the Alarm Notification Client application will connect to.
Port	Change this field if the Alarm Notification Client application will use a port other than 47806 on the server.
Current client connections	Shows any workstation whose Alarm Notification Client is actively connected to this server.
Reports	
Display Date and Time in	Choose whether to display the date and time together in a single column or to have separate columns for each.

Field	Notes
Display preceding zeros in Date and Time	<p><b>Yes:</b> Displays preceding zeros. Ex. 01/01/2023 02:05:09 PM</p> <p><b>No:</b> Omits preceding zeros Ex. 1/1/2023 2:05:09 PM</p>
Display missing Trend data as	You can specify text of up to 20 characters to appear in the report when there is no trend data. The default is a dash -.
Report logo	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Click <i>Choose File</i>, and select your logo file. The logo must be a JPEG or PNG of less than 2 MB in size.</li> <li>Click <i>Upload</i>. A preview of the logo appears to the right. You can review the preview to ensure the correct file was uploaded.</li> </ol> <p><b>NOTE: For best results, use a transparent or white background on your logo.</b></p> <p><b>NOTE: The logo is resized to fit within a 100 x 100 pixel area. We recommend that you upload a logo of this size or larger.</b></p>
Schedules	
Disable Schedules	If your system has no need to run schedules, check this box so that the Schedules feature is no longer visible in Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.
Trends	
Keep historical trends for ___ days	Stores trend data in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web database for the time you specify. This is a default setting that you can change when you set up trends for an individual point. Specify the time of day that the trends are deleted on the Scheduled Tasks tab.
Display gap in graph line for missing data	Check to show a gap if trend data is missing.
Enable Server Trending of Color	Leave this checked unless directed otherwise by Technical Support.
Poll Interval	The frequency that the server polls routers for color trend data. Increase this field only if Last Poll Duration exceeds the Poll Interval.
<b>Source Files</b>	
All Source Files	<p>Use to export source files to a .zip file that can be imported into another Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system. Source files include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Control programs (.equipment files only)</li> <li>Drivers</li> <li>Graphics (.view files only)</li> <li>Touchscreen files</li> <li>BACview files</li> <li>Report design files for Equipment Values or Trend Sample reports</li> </ul> <p><b>NOTE: If import detects a difference between a database file and an import file with the same name, import does not overwrite the database file. A message lists any file differences so that you can resolve them.</b></p>
Email Server Configuration	The information in this section is used by the Send email alarm action and used to email a Scheduled Report (see <a href="#">Scheduling reports</a> on page 1).
From	Enter a valid address if required by your mailserver.
Mail Host	The mail server address. This can be an IP address or a system name, such as mail.mycompany.com.
Mail Host Port	Change this field if using a port other than the default port 25.
Mail Host Security Options	<p>Select the type of security the mailserver uses.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Cleartext (SMTP):</b> Uses the SMTP protocol to send as clear text over TCP/IP</li> <li><b>Secure SSL (SMTP with SSL):</b> Uses SSL, a communication protocol that provides data encryption</li> </ul>



Field	Notes
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Secure TLS (STARTTLS):</b> Uses TLS, but does not begin encryption until the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application issues STARTTLS command.</li> </ul>
Specify Mail User for Mail Host Authentication	Select if your mail server requires a username and password.
Test connection	Click to have the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application try to connect to the email server. A message will appear below this button stating if the connection was successful or if it failed.

## Security tab

Field	Notes
<b>Logging</b>	
Log audit data to file	<p>Records operator activities and some system activities (such as opening and closing the database or automatic deletions) in a text file.</p> <p>The default file is auditlog.txt stored in <b>SiteScan\webroot\&lt;system_name&gt;</b>. You can change the file name and include a different path.</p> <p>To prevent the file from growing too large as new data is appended, you can archive the data to another text file by selecting an archive frequency in the Archive log file contents field. The archive file is auditlog_yyyy_mm_dd.txt, where yyyy_mm_dd is the creation date of the archive file. This file is created in the same location as <b>auditlog.txt</b>.</p> <p><b>NOTE: If you do not archive the log file contents, you should manually delete the oldest entries.</b></p>
Log audit data to database	<p>Records audit data in a database named audit.mdb that can be accessed by third party software.</p> <p><b>NOTE: For Access, MSDE, and Derby, the database is automatically created. An Access database is named audit.mdb; a MSDE database is named audit.mdf. The Derby database consists of multiple files in a folder called audit. For MySQL, SQL Server, PostgreSQL, or Oracle, you must create the database manually.</b></p>
Delete database entries older than ____ days	Automatically deletes entries in the database that are older than the number of days you specify.
Log errors for invalid URLs	<p>Enable this field to write to the <b>core.txt</b> log any time an external source sends a request to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Server application.</p> <p><b>NOTE: Regular maintenance scans by external software can cause the log files to grow large.</b></p>
<b>Security Policy</b>	
Change Policy	See <a href="#">Location Dependent Operator Access</a> on page 1) for information on Change Policy.
<b>Remote Access</b>	
Allow remote file management	Lets you access the system using WebDAV.
<b>Operators</b>	
Return operators to previous locations when server reconnects	Returns operators to current tree locations when the server reconnects.
Log off operators after ____ (HH:MM) of inactivity	<p>The system automatically logs off an operator who has had no activity in the system for the time period specified.</p> <p>This is a default setting for the system. The System Administrator can change this setting for an individual operator on the Operators page.</p>

Field	Notes
Lock out operators for __ minutes after __ failed login attempts	Clear Lockouts removes lockouts for all users. <b>NOTE: Restarting the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Server application will remove lockouts.</b>
Use advanced password policy	You can place specific requirements on passwords to increase security. See <a href="#">Advanced Password Policy</a> on page 1.
Do not synchronize operator and privileges	If using hierarchical servers, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application automatically synchronizes the operator/privilege settings on the child servers with those on the parent server. You have the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enable this checkbox on all servers to stop the synchronization process.</li> <li>• Enable this checkbox on a child server to remove it from the synchronization process so that you can manage that server's settings locally.</li> </ul>
Synchronize Now	Click this button on the parent server for immediate synchronization of operator/privilege settings.
Permissions	
Permissions	When control programs, views, and BACview files are created, the creator can remove any of the following permissions from them. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Permit Upload</li> <li>• Permit Download</li> <li>• Permit View Logic</li> <li>• Permit Edit</li> </ul> A restriction applies to anyone who does not have the creator's Liebert® SiteScan™ Web license. However, the creator can produce a key for someone with a different license that will override the restrictions to let them perform any action that the key allows. <p>The table in this Permissions section shows all keys in the <code>SiteScan XX\resources\keys</code> folder. To activate a key, click <i>Add</i>, then browse to the key.</p> <p>To delete a key from your system, select the key in the table, then click <i>Delete</i>.</p> <p>Red text in the table indicates the key has a problem such as it does not apply or has expired. See the Notes column for an explanation.</p>


## Communications tab

The fields on this tab let you define controller communication with the SiteScan Server application and BACnet network communication.

Field	Notes
SiteScan Server BACnet Controller Instance and BACnet Alarm Recipient Instance	The BACnet identifier for the system server and the alarm recipient. You enter these system properties in SiteBuilder.
Always upload properties from controllers to SiteScan database on mismatch	Automatic uploads are listed in the Audit Log. If you do not check this field, properties must be manually uploaded or downloaded by the operator when a mismatch occurs. <b>NOTE: If an automatic upload fails and the operator chooses to do nothing at that time, the upload will be attempted again when he returns to the page where he encountered the mismatch.</b>
Ignore incoming alarms from sources not in this database	The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application will ignore alarms from third party devices not in the database or devices from other Liebert® SiteScan™ Web systems on the same network.
BACnet Settings	Native Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system only.
Log BACnet Binding Conflicts	The Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application uses BACnet (dynamic) binding for communication between devices unless your system uses NAT routing. If using NAT, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application uses information in its database to bind to BACnet devices. When checked, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application logs binding conflicts that result from duplicate network numbers or device IDs.

## Scheduled tasks tab

Field	Notes
Automatically delete alarm incident groups which have been closed for more than ___ days	An incident group is all alarms related to a particular incident, such as Off Normal, Fault, and Return to Normal. <b>NOTE: Alarms in an incident group are not deleted until all alarms in the group have been closed.</b>
Archive alarm information upon alarm deletion	Writes alarm information to a text file.
Automatically delete expired schedules daily at ___	To ensure there are no time zone conflicts, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application waits 2 days after a schedule expires to delete it.

Field	Notes
Remove expired historical trends daily at ____	Deletes trend data that has been in the database longer than the time specified in the Keep historical trends for ____ days field on the General tab.
Enable time synchronization of controllers daily at ____	<p>Automatically synchronizes the time on all equipment to the time on the server, adjusting for different time zones and daylight saving time. We recommend that you check this field.</p> <p>The Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application will send a daily time sync message to each IP network device that is in the system database. IP devices not in the database will not be synchronized. For all ARC156 or MS/TP networks in the database, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application will send a broadcast time sync message. All devices on these networks will be synchronized, regardless of whether or not the devices are in the database.</p> <p> <b>CAUTION: Make sure that your server time and time zone setting are correct. Make sure that each site's time zone setting in SiteBuilder is correct.</b>  <b>To prevent time sync problems when the transition to and from daylight saving time occurs, set the time sync to occur at least 1 hour after the last controller in the system is adjusted for DST. For example, your server and part of your system is in the Eastern Standard Time zone, but you also have controllers in the Pacific Time zone. Your server is adjusted for DST at 2:00 a.m. Eastern Standard Time, but the controllers in the Pacific Time zone are not adjusted until 3 hours later. So you would set the time sync to occur daily at 6:00 a.m. or later.</b></p> <p><b>NOTE: You can disable this function for an individual site on the site Properties page. See <a href="#">Setting up site properties</a> on page 138.</b></p> <p><b>NOTE: You can perform system-wide time synchronizations using the Time Sync button on the General tab (See <a href="#">General tab</a> on page 130). Or, you can synchronize individual devices using the Time Sync button on the devices Properties page.</b></p> <p><b>NOTE: Between time sync broadcasts, Vertiv routers include time sync information in each color request to the devices below the router. This ensures devices without a battery backed clock will get the time shortly after powering up.</b></p>
Check for expiring BACnet/SC certificates daily at ____	Triggers an alarm when a BACnet/SC Hub certificate will expire within the Warning or Critical thresholds. While in the Warning threshold, the alarm repeats once per week. In the Critical threshold, the alarm repeats daily and every operator will get a popup message when they login.

### Daylight saving tab

On this tab, you can adjust the Daylight Saving Time settings for SiteScan Server.

Click *Update* to automatically set the table's Begin and End dates for the next 10 years based on the system's timezone. This marks all controllers with ExecB drivers for a Parameters download.

#### If the updated dates are incorrect:

If you clicked *Update* but the dates are incorrect, your system's Java timezone data may be out of date. Do the following:

1. Go to the Oracle Java SE Download site (<http://java.sun.com/javase/downloads>).
2. Download the *JDK DST Timezone Update Tool (tzupdater-< version >.zip)* and unzip the file. The zip file contains 2 items:
  - **tzdata.tar.gz**
  - **tzupdater.jar**
3. In the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, go to *System Settings > Daylight Saving*, then click *Import*.
4. Browse and select **tzupdater.jar** file then click *Open*.
5. Click *Continue*. This restarts the SiteScan Server application.

6. After the restart, in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, go to *System Settings > Daylight Saving*, and then click *Import*.
7. Browse to the **tzdata.tar.gz** file, select it, and then click *Open*.
8. Click *Continue*. This restarts the SiteScan Server application.
9. On the *System Settings > Daylight Saving* tab, click *Update*.

**NOTE:** If you have sites in different time zones that use Daylight Saving Time, you can click [View DST Dates on the site Properties page](#) to see DST information and time change dates.

## Add-ons tab

A Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system supports add-ons, such as EnergyReports, that retrieve and use the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web data.

By default, the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application allows only signed add-ons that are supported by Vertiv. If needed, you can override this setting in SiteBuilder by going to *Configure > Preferences > Web Server*, and checking *Allow unsigned add-ons*.

### To install an add-on:

1. Save the add-ons file (**.addon** or **.war**) to your computer.
2. On the *System Settings > Add-ons* tab, click *Browse*, and then open the file.
3. Click *Install*. After a few seconds, the add-on will appear in the Installed table, and will be enabled. The table below gives a description of each column.

Column	Notes
Name	The add-ons name.
Path	To open the add-on in a web browser, append this path to your Liebert® SiteScan™ system's address. For example, to open EnergyReports, enter: <b>http://&lt;system_name&gt;/EnergyReports</b> , -Or- <b>http://&lt;system_IP_address&gt;/EnergyReports</b>
Version	The version is shown if the author provided the information in the add-on.
Status	If this column shows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Running, you can open the add-on in a web browser.</li> <li>• Disabled, click <i>Enable</i> to run the add-on.</li> <li>• Startup error, select the table row to see an explanation of the error under Details.</li> </ul>

4. Select an add-on in the Installed table to disable or enable it, or to see the following details.

Column	Notes
Add-on main page	Click the main page link to open the add-on, if the author provided a main page.
Description	A description of the add-on, if the author provided one.
Vendor Name	The add-on author
Public Data Directory	This public directory contains data generated by the add-on. This data is visible in a web browser.
Private Data Directory	This private directory contains information such as configuration data.

**To back up the add-ons private and public data directories:**

**NOTE: This procedure will not back up data stored in an external database. For example, EnergyReports uses an external database.**

1. Select the *add-on* in the table.
2. Click *Save Data*.
3. Click *OK*.
4. Click *Save*.
5. Select the location where you want to save the data, then click *Save*.

**To update an add-on:**

**NOTE: Add-ons for Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web v6.0 or later systems have a different folder structure than previous versions.**


1. Select the *add-on* in the table.
2. Click *Remove Add-on and Data*.
3. Follow the procedure above to install the new version of the add-on.


**To Uninstall an add-on:**

1. Select the *addon* in the table.
2. Click *Remove Add-on and Data*.

## 4.2.2 Setting up site properties

**To set up site properties:**


1. On the *Network*  tree, select the site.
2. Click *Properties*.
3. Configure site properties.

Field	Notes
Enable Timesync	Daily synchronizes the time in the site controllers with the server time, adjusting for different time zones and Daylight Saving Time. Synchronization occurs each day at the time specified in the field <i>Enable time synchronization of controllers daily at</i> on the <i>System Settings &gt; Scheduled Tasks</i> (see <a href="#">Scheduled tasks tab</a> on page 135) tab.   <b>CAUTION: Make sure that your server time and time zone setting are correct. Also, make sure that the site time zone setting is correct in SiteBuilder.</b>
View DST Dates	If the site time zone (set in SiteBuilder) uses Daylight Saving Time, you can click <i>View DST Dates</i> to see DST information and time change dates.
Group Cache Controller	The designated router where colors are cached when peer caching is enabled in SiteBuilder.
Device Password	Applies only to devices with a drv_gen5 driver Set this password to restrict access to the Service Port controller setup pages of a controller with a drv_gen5 driver. You will have to know the password to be able to see the setup interface.

### 4.2.3 Registering your Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web software

To register your software, you must obtain a registered license from Vertiv and then apply it in the Liebert® SiteScan™ interface. You can apply it when you install the software or at a later time.

#### To register your software procedure:

1. Contact your local Vertiv Sales representative to obtain a new license.
2. Apply your license:
  - During the Liebert® SiteScan™ installation: The installation requests the location of your license file. Browse to location where you saved it in step 4 above.
  - After the installation:
    - a. On the Liebert® SiteScan™ System Configuration  tree, select *License Administration*.
    - b. Browse to the license file.
    - c. Click *Apply*.
    - d. Restart the SiteScan Server application.

**NOTE: Do not edit any part of this registered license file. Editing a license file invalidates the license. Store the license in a safe location.**

### 4.2.4 Adding links or text to the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web login page

You can add links or text, such as a disclaimer, to the login page.

#### Adding links to the login page

##### To add links to the login page:

1. In a text editor such as Notepad, type 2 lines for each link that you want on the login page.
  - Line 1:** link#.text=<the link text that is to appear on the login page>
  - Line 2:** link#.url=<the link's address>

**NOTE: link#.text and link#.url must be lowercase.**

2. Save the file with the following name and location.
  - File name:** extra\_login\_links.properties
  - Location:** SiteScanx.x\webroot\<system\_name>

#### Adding text to the login page


##### To add text to the login page:

1. In a text editor such as Notepad, enter the text that you want on the login page.
2. Save the file with the following name and location.
  - File name:** legal\_disclaimer.txt
  - Location:** SiteScanx.x\webroot\<system\_name>

## 4.3 Services Status

The Services window displays all current services for Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web and the status of each.

To view services:

Click , then click *services* in the navigation tree.


## 4.4 Configuring Client Installs

Client Install is used to install the Java Virtual Machine on the current connected workstation. Install only if required.

Wafer Font is used to display specific text in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web session. Install only if required.

Alarm Pop Application is a thin application that can be used by a client to receive alarm notifications to a workstation outside of the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web browser.


To download a client install:

1. Click , then click *Client Install* in the navigation tree.
2. Click a link to download:
  - **Sun's Java VM:** Java Virtual Machine plug-in for Internet Explorer applets.
  - **Wafer font:** Wafer font for use with logic pages. (Place in your Windows install directory/fonts folder.)
  - **Alarm Popup Application:** Stand-alone client application that receives Alarm Popup action messages.
  - **HTTP proxy tool:** Engineering tool to tunnel web pages across BACnet (through RNet or access port).

## 4.5 Configuring the Trends Display Setup

The Trends Display Setup options allow you to specify the appearance of graphs on the screen.

To configure trend display:


1. Click , then click *Trend Display Setup* in the navigation tree.
2. In the *Trend Colors* section, choose options to specify colors for all graphs for the background, grid and axis, as well as text portions: labels for x-axis and y-axis labels, the main title and the y-axis title.
3. You may set up display options for up to four types of graphs, including line style and color and marker color and type.



## 4.6 Configuring Trends Print Setup

The Trends Print Setup options allow you to specify the appearance of printed graphs.

To configure printed trend graphs:

1. Click , then click *Trend Print Setup* in the navigation tree.
2. In the *Trend Colors* section, choose options to specify colors for all graphs for the background, grid and axis, as well as text portions: labels for x-axis and y-axis labels, the main title and the y-axis title.
3. You may set up display options for up to four types of graphs, including line style and color and marker color and type.

## 4.7 Changing Unit Bezel Colors

1. On the top-level floor plan in the geographic view navigation tree, click the drop-down arrow next to the Graphics menu tab, and select *Bezel Color Scheme*.
2. The Unit/System drop-down offers several color schemes and Custom. To change colors, select either an option from the list.
  - Selecting a color from Unit/System, applies a color scheme based on that color to the table header, bezel background, and table background.
  - Selecting *Custom* lets you set different colors for each of the bezel elements. If the color you want is not available, select *New* in the element drop-down to open a color wheel and set the color.

## 4.8 Event Color Scheme

**NOTE: Alarm colors are a System setting. Changing a System setting, such as alarm colors, will affect all users. If any user changes the event color scheme it will overwrite the previous setting.**

**NOTE: Alarm colors can only be changed by an operator with administrative privileges. Changing the event color scheme may also require downloading a module.**

To change the alarm colors:

1. On the top level floor plan in the geographic view navigation tree, click the drop-down arrow next to the Graphics menu tab, and select *Event Color Scheme*.
2. In Event Selection, select *Custom* and select a color under each of the event types to change:
  - Critical Color
  - Warning Color
  - Message Color
  - Maintenance Color
  - Normal Color
3. Click *Save Event Color*, and click *OK* each time a confirmation pops up to make the changes. Making the color change may take more than two minutes, depending on the size of the system.

**NOTE: If the event color scheme does not take effect, a module download may be required. Contact your IT department to download the module.**

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## 5 Advanced Topics

### 5.1 Options for Running the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web System

#### 5.1.1 Running Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server without connecting to controllers

To verify links between graphics and to set up properties, schedules, alarms, and trends before you connect to the network, run SiteScan Design Server instead of SiteScan Server. Then view the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface in a web browser.

**NOTE:** Question marks or purple thermographic color indicates correct microblock paths. Missing data or dark yellow thermographic color indicates errors.

#### 5.1.2 Switching Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server to a different system

Design engineers working on multiple projects can switch systems in the SiteScan Server application.

**To switch SiteScan server to different system:**

1. In the SiteScan Server application, select *Server*.
2. Change the *Active System*.
3. Select a different system (it must be in the webroot folder) and mode.
4. Click *Select*.

#### 5.1.3 Running SiteScan server as a windows service

For Windows 8.1, 10, 2012R2, 2016, 2019, and 2020, Run SiteScan Server as a Windows service if you want SiteScan Server to automatically start up when the server computer is restarted.

**NOTE:** If your Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system uses a database other than Derby and the database is located on the same computer as SiteScan Server, you must set up Windows to delay starting SiteScan Server until the database service has started. See [How to delay loading of specific services \(http://support.microsoft.com/kb/193888\)](http://support.microsoft.com/kb/193888) on the Microsoft website.

#### Installing Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server service

**NOTE:** If you are not sure if the service was previously installed, see [Determining the installation status of SiteScan™ server service](#) on page 1.

**To install Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server service:**

1. In the Windows Start menu, select *All Programs* and then *Accessories*.
2. Right-click on the *Command Prompt*, then select *Run as administrator*.
3. Select *Yes* in the User Account Control message.
4. In the Command Prompt window, enter: `cd<path to the SiteScan install directory>`.

For example, enter: `cd c:\SiteScan_Web_x.x` replacing `x.x` with your current version number.

5. Press **Enter**.
6. Enter: `SiteScan Service.exe`.
7. Press **Enter**.

## Installing Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web server as a windows service

### To start Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Server as a Windows® service:

1. In the Windows Start menu, select *Control Panel*.
2. Select *Administrative Tools*, then double-click *Services*.
3. In the Services (Local) list, double click *SiteScan Service X.X*.
4. In the Startup type drop-down list, select *Automatic*.
5. On the Log On tab, do one of the following:
  - Use the defaulted Local System account.
  - Select *This account*, then browse to select a user who is a member of the Administrator Group on that computer.
6. **Optional:** If you selected Local System account in step 5 and you want to be able to access SiteScan Server on the server computer's desktop, check Allow service to interact with desktop.

**NOTE:** If you do not check this field, the computer screen will give no indication that SiteScan Server is running; you must view the computer's Services page to see if it is running.

This checkbox applies only to a user logged in on the server. A Windows Remote Desktop user cannot access SiteScan Server running as a service.

If you check this field, you cannot use the instructions below to set up printing to a network printer. Ask your Network Administrator to set up Local System account to use a network printer.

If you check this field and the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web application is to run email alarm actions, ask your Network Administrator to set up Local System account to send emails.

7. On the General tab, click *Start*.
8. Click *OK*.

**NOTE:** If SiteScan Server does not start after you click *Start*, you may have a Windows permissions problem. Follow the procedure below in [Setting up the service for network printing](#) on page 1 to set up the Windows user name and password.

## Setting up the service for network printing

If SiteScan Server runs as a service on a computer that is using a network printer, you must set up the Windows user name and password for the service. The Print alarm action requires this setup to be able to print.

### To set up the service for network printing:

1. In the Windows Start menu, select *Control Panel*.
2. Select *Administrative Tools > Services*.
3. Double-click *SiteScan Service x.x*.
4. On the Log On tab, select *This account*.
5. Browse to the computer's domain, then select the user that the service will login as.

**NOTE:** Contact your network administrator, if you need help determining the domain.

6. Enter the user password in the Password and Confirm password fields.

## Stopping or uninstalling SiteScan server service

### To stop or uninstall the SiteScan server service:

1. In the Windows Start menu, select *Control Panel*.
2. Select *Administrative Tools*, then double click *Services*.
3. In the Services (Local) list, double-click **SiteScan Service X.X** (where X.X is the SiteScan version number).
4. In the SiteScan Service X.X, properties dialog box, click *Stop* on the General tab.
5. Click *OK*.

### To uninstall the SiteScan server service:

1. In the Windows Start menu, right-click on the *Command Prompt*, then select *Run as administrator*.
2. Select *Yes* in the User Account Control message.
3. In the Command Prompt window, enter `cd <path to the SiteScan install directory>`.  
  
For example, enter `cd c:\SiteScan_Web_x.x`.
4. Press **Enter**.
5. Enter: `SiteScan Service.exe -remove`
6. Press **Enter**.

## Determining the installation status of Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ WebServer service

If you do not know if the service was previously installed, follow the appropriate steps below.

### To determine if SiteScan server service is installed:

1. In the Windows Start menu, right-click *Command Prompt*, then select *Run as administrator*.
2. Select *Yes* in the User Account Control message.
3. In the Command Prompt window, enter `cd <path to the SiteScan install directory>`.  
  
For example, enter `cd c:\SiteScanx.x`.
4. Press **Enter**.
5. Enter: `SiteScan Service.exe -check`
6. Press **Enter**.

## 5.1.4 Running SiteScan server as a Linux® service

### Setting up as a service on Ubuntu® or RedHat®

#### To set up as a service on Ubuntu® or RedHat®:

1. On the terminal screen, enter `cd /opt/SiteScanx.x`.
2. Press **Enter**.
3. On the terminal screen, enter `sudo ./SiteScan\ Service add`.
4. Press **Enter**.
5. Reboot the computer for the application to run as a service.

## Removing as a service on Ubuntu® or RedHat®

### To remove as a service on Ubuntu® or RedHat®:

1. On the terminal screen, enter `cd /opt/SiteScanx.x`.
2. Press **Enter**.
3. On the terminal screen, enter `sudo ./SiteScan\ Service remove`.
4. Press **Enter**.
5. Reboot the computer.

## 5.2 Setting Up a System for Non-English Languages

English is the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web default language, but you can set up your system to display a different language. You can also set up multiple languages so different operators can view the system in different languages.

**Follow the procedures below to display the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface in non-English languages:**

1. Install a language pack (see [Installing a Language Pack](#) on page 1).
2. Prepare your workstation for non-english text (see [Preparing the Workstation for Non English Text](#) on page 1).
3. Create control programs and translation files (see [Creating Control Programs and Translation Files for a Non English System](#) on page 1).
4. Create graphics (see [Creating Graphics for a Non English System](#) on page 1).
5. Create your system in SiteBuilder (see [Creating your system](#) on page 1).
6. Set an operator's language in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface (see [Setting an operator's language in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface](#) on page 1).

### 5.2.1 Installing a language pack

A language pack translates the text in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface. A Liebert® SiteScan™ Web system is installed with an English language pack.

**To download other language packs:**

1. Go to <http://accounts.oemctrl.com/download>.
2. Under Software Installs and Updates, select **v#** Language Packs, where **#** is your Liebert® SiteScan™ Web version.
3. Select the required language.
4. Follow the instructions given under To install this language pack.

**NOTE: If you create a system by copying an existing system that uses language packs, install the same language packs on the new system.**

### 5.2.2 Preparing the workstation for non-english text

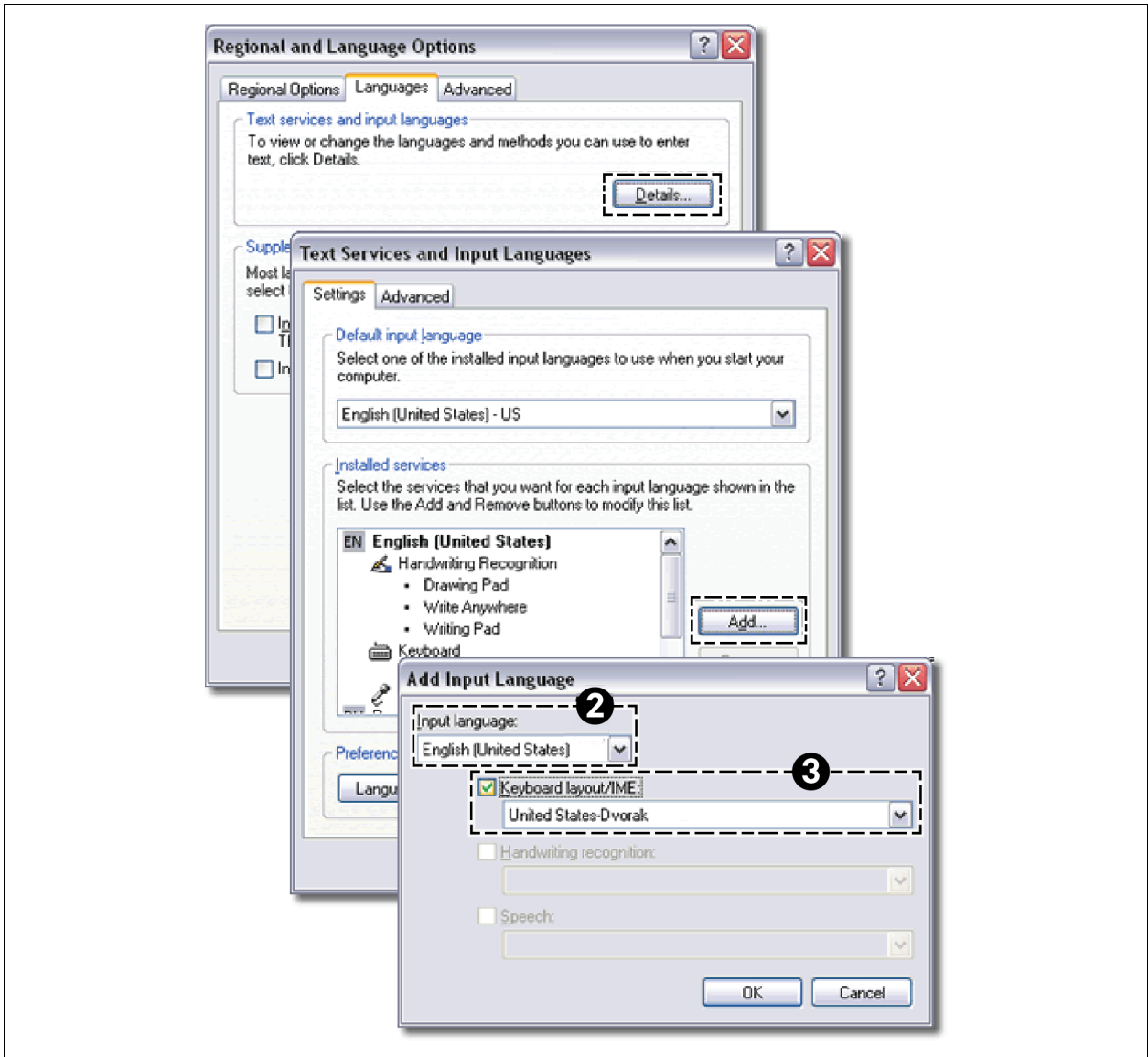
**NOTE: The instructions below are for a Windows XP operating system. If you have a different operating system, see your system's Help for instructions.**

Set up your workstation so you can enter international characters in control programs, graphics, or SiteBuilder.

**To prepare workstation for non-english text:**

1. Install the appropriate fonts for the languages you will be using. In the Windows Control Panel, open Fonts, select *File* and then Install new fonts.
2. In the Control Panel, open *Regional and Language Options*, then select the *Input language*. See **Figure 5.1** on the next page.
3. Install an Input Method Editor (IME) for non-alphanumeric characters. See **Figure 5.1** on the next page.

Figure 5.1 Input Language Addition



See your operating system's Help for more information.

### 5.2.3 Creating control programs and translation files for a non-english system

To have the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface display a control program's user defined text (such as microblock names and property text) in a non-English language, you must:

1. Create the control program using key terms instead of the text.
2. Create translation files of key terms and their language-specific equivalents.

In the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface, the key term is replaced with its equivalent in the translation file for the current operator language. If a Liebert® SiteScan™ Web Properties page or Logic page shows **??key term??**, the key term is missing from the translation file.



**NOTE:** To edit existing control programs or translation files, see [Editing translation files or control programs for a non-english system](#) on page 152.

## Entering a key term in the EIKON application

In the EIKON Property Editor, enter @ before each key term.

Figure 5.2 Property Text Page

The screenshot shows a window titled 'Property Page Text'. Inside, there is a checkbox labeled 'Show Property Page Text' which is unchecked. Below it is a text input field containing the text '@This\_value'. The label 'Property Page Text' is positioned to the left of the input field.

**NOTE:** Enter only the key term in the EIKON application. Expressions such as \$present\_value\$ are put in the translation file as part of the translated text. See [EXAMPLES in Translation files](#) on page 1.

Key terms can contain only alphanumeric characters and underscores (no spaces) and cannot start with a number.

## Translation files

Translation files are used to translate key terms in control programs. A translation file contains key terms and their language-specific equivalents.

For a non-English system, you must create an English translation file and a non-English translation file\* for each of the following:

- Each control program
- Key terms used in multiple control programs

Table 5.1 Examples

Translation files	Key term=Language-specific equivalent
English	This_value=This value is \$present_value\$ Zone_temp=Zone temperature
Spanish	This_value=Este valor es \$present_value\$ Zone_temp=Temperatura de zona

**NOTE:** \*If the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface will display multiple non-English languages, create a translation file for each language.

## Creating and implementing a translation file


To create and implement a translation file:

Create your translation file in a text editor, such as Microsoft Word, that supports the character encoding you need.

1. Enter one key term and language equivalent per line, left justified, starting in column 1. Do not put spaces on either side of the equal sign.
2. Save the file using the appropriate file name and location in the below table.

If key terms are used in...	the file name is...	File location
A single control program	<any_name>_xx.native*	Any location
Multiple control programs	equipment_xx.native*	SiteScan_Web_\webroot\ <system_name>\resources
* xx = the language extension code. See <a href="#">Extension Codes and Encoding</a> below.		

**If you are using:**

- The English character set, save the file as Text only.
  - A non-English character set, save the file as Encoded text . (See your application’s help for information on saving files as encoded text.) When prompted for the language and encoding, see [Extension Codes and Encoding](#) below.
3. Open the control program in the EIKON application, then select *Control Program > Bundled Resources*.
  4. Click , locate and select the *translation files* for this control program, then click *Open*.

**NOTE: Do not add equipment\_xx.native files that you created for multiple control programs.**

**You can use Ctrl+click or Shift+click to select multiple files.**

5. Save the control program. The translation files are embedded in the control program, the original files are no longer necessary.

**Extension Codes and Encoding**

**Table 5.2 Extension Codes and Encoding**

Language	Extension code	Encoding*
Brazilian Portuguese	pt_BR	ISO-8859-1
English	en	ISO-8859-1
Canadian French	fr	ISO-8859-1
French	fr_FR	ISO-8859-1
German	de	ISO-8859-1
Italian	it	ISO-8859-1
Japanese	ja	EUC-JP
Korean	ko	EUC-KR
Russian	ru	KOI8_R
Spanish	es	ISO-8859-1
Swedish	sv	ISO-8859-1
Simplified Chinese	zh	GB2312
Traditional Chinese	zh_TW	Big5
Thai	th	TIS620
Vietnamese	vi	Cp1258

**NOTE: \* Encoding is used when you create the translation file.**

## 5.2.4 Creating a non-english system in SiteBuilder

### Choosing the languages for your system

To choose the languages for your system:

1. In SiteBuilder, select *Configure > Preferences*.
2. Select the *Language* tab.
3. Under Supported Languages, select each language that you want to be available in your system.

**NOTE:** This list shows all installed language packs. To install additional languages, see [Installing a Language Pack](#) on page 1.

4. In the *System* field, select the system Language (see [System language](#) below).
5. Click *OK*.
6. Save your database.

### Creating your system

To create your system in each language that the system will display:

1. In SiteBuilder, select *Configure > Preferences*.
2. **Optional:** The *Font* tab shows the font that will be displayed in SiteBuilder for each language that you selected on the *Language* tab. To change a font, click on the name in the *Preview Font* column, then make a new selection.
3. On the *Language* tab, select a language in the *Current Session* field.
4. Click *OK*.
5. Create your system.
6. Save your database.
7. If your system will display multiple languages:
  - a. Select *Configure > Preferences*, select the *Language* tab, and select another language in the *Current Session* field.
  - b. Re-enter all node names and display names in the current language.
  - c. Save your database.
  - d. Repeat steps a . through c . for each additional language the system will display.

### System language

The system language is used for:

- The default language for new operators
- Alarms sent to the database
- State text and object names downloaded to the field
- The default login page\*


All other information is displayed in the operator's language, which may be different than the system language. See [Setting an operator's language in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface](#) on the next page.

**NOTE:** You can change the language shown on the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web login page by selecting a different language from the list below the *Password* field (\*).

## 5.2.5 Setting an operator's language in the Vertiv™ Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface

An operator can change their language preference in the Liebert® SiteScan™ Web interface.

**To change language preference:**

1. On the System Configuration  tree, select *My Settings*.
2. Under *Preferences*, select the *Language* in the drop-down list.
3. Click *Accept*.

## 5.2.6 Editing translation files or control programs for a non-english system

If you add or edit a key term in a control program, be sure to make the same change in the translation file. See [Creating Control Programs and Translation Files for a Non English System](#) on page 1.



If you make changes after attaching a control program in SiteBuilder, do one of the following:

- If you changed text only in a control program or its translation file, right-click the control program on the Geographic tree, then select *Rebuild Equipment Pages*.
- If you changed logic in the control program, right-click the control program on the Geographic tree, then select *Reload Control Program*.
- If you changed a translation file located in <system\_name>\resources, right-click each applicable graphic on the Geographic tree, then select *Rebuild Graphic Resources*.

### Editing a bundled resource

The EIKON application bundles (embeds) the translation files for a control program into the .equipment file. See steps 3 through 5.

**To edit a bundled translation file:**

1. Open the control program in the EIKON application.
2. Select *Control Program > Bundled Resources*.
3. Select the file, then click  Save to save it to your hard drive.
4. Edit the translation file.
5. In the Bundled Resources dialog box in the EIKON application, click  and select the edited file.
6. Click OK to overwrite the existing file.

### Editing an EIKON for SiteScan control program in the EIKON application

To edit a non English control program that you created in the EIKON for SiteScan application:

1. Open the .eiw or .equipment file in the EIKON application, then make your edits.
2. Select *Control Program > Bundled Resources*.
3. Verify that the list shows all translation files specifically for the control program. Use the plus or minus button to add or delete translation files.

**NOTE:** This list shows the translation files in the `SiteScan\webroot\<<system_name>\programs` folder. This list should not include translation files for multiple control programs.

4. Click *OK*.
5. Save the control program. The translation files are bundled with the control program; the original files are no longer necessary.

**NOTE:** If you need to change a translation file after you save the control program, see [Editing a bundled resource](#) on the previous page.

### **Copying translation files to another system**

To copy most translation files from one system to another, you copy the files in the source system and paste them into the same folders in the destination system.

However, if your source system and destination system have translation files with the same name, copying and pasting would overwrite the files in the destination system. In this case:

1. Open the source system's translation file in a text editor, then copy the key terms and translations.
2. Open the destination system's translation file in a text editor, then paste into it the key terms that you copied. Remove any duplicate key terms.

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# Appendices

## Appendix A: Technical Support and Contacts

### A.1 Technical Support/Service in the United States

Vertiv Group Corporation

24x7 dispatch of technicians for all products.

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Liebert® Thermal Management Products

1-800-543-2378

Liebert® Channel Products

1-800-222-5877

Liebert® AC and DC Power Products

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### A.2 Locations

#### United States

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