

# CPView Utility and High Load Traffic

If you have the situation and a fw has a high load on traffic sometimes you need tools to figure it out what causes the resulting high cpu load etc.

A great tool to use is Check Point's CPView:

<https://community.checkpoint.com/videos/5977-the-cpview-utility>

<https://www.youtube.com/embed/OjsvuT2YxKs>

## How to use CPView to get History data

Start the cpview history daemon

```
# cpview history on
```

Check the status of the history daemon

```
# cpview history stat
```

history daemon is activated

Check the history data (use <+> or <-> to scroll the time)

```
# cpview -t
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## Jump directly to timestamp

Start cpview -t for the history mode.

Then press 't' to toggle the date mode and insert the date you want to start at.

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