

# Set Up RADKit in a Collaboration Environment

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## Introduction

This document describes the steps to set up RADKit and shows the configuration necessary to start the use of it with Collaboration Products.

## Requirements

Cisco recommends that you have knowledge on these topics:

- Basic knowledge of any VOS Collaboration product
- Basic knowledge of CLI/SSH Access

## Components Used

The information in this document is based on these software and hardware versions:

- Cisco Unified Communications Manager 12.5 and 14.0

The information in this document was created from the devices in a specific lab environment. All of the devices used in this document started with a cleared (default) configuration. If your network is live, ensure

that you understand the potential impact of any command.

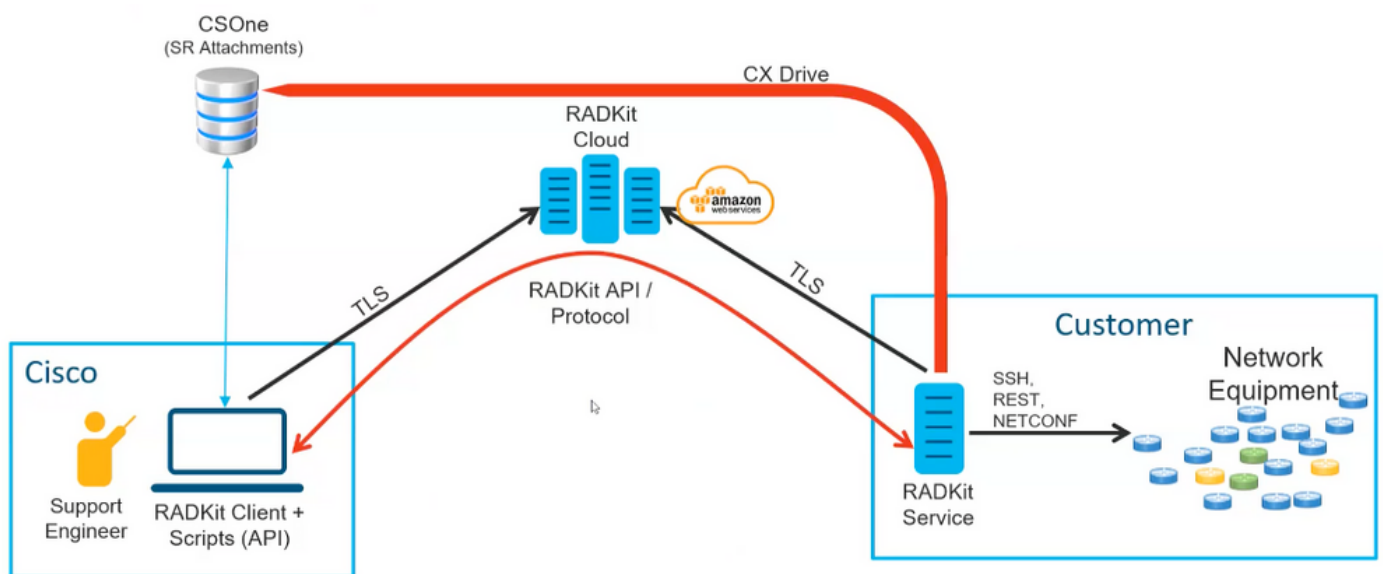
## Terminology

**RADKit:** It is a connector providing secure remote access to the user devices to Cisco TAC engineers and partners. It supports multiple protocols to interact with devices, such as SSH or HTTP/HTTPS.

**RADKit Service:** This is the **Server** side. It is handled and entirely managed by the **User**. From the Server side, user controls, who can access the devices and for how long. Radkit Service must have connectivity to the devices in the network to provide access to them.

**RADKit Client:** This is the **Client** side. It is the PC used to connect to the devices in the user network.

## RADKit Architecture



*RADKit Architecture*

## RADKit Installation

**Step 1.** Navigate to <https://radkit.cisco.com> and click **Downloads**, then go to the **release** folder.

Cisco Remote Automation Development Kit (RADKit)

# CISCO RADKit. FROM NETOPS TO DEVOPS.

RADKit is a network-wide orchestrator. Experience a radical new way of addressing your equipment, boost your Cisco Services, and expand your capabilities.



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**Step 2.** Click the latest release.

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**Step 3.** Download the correct file depending on your OS system.

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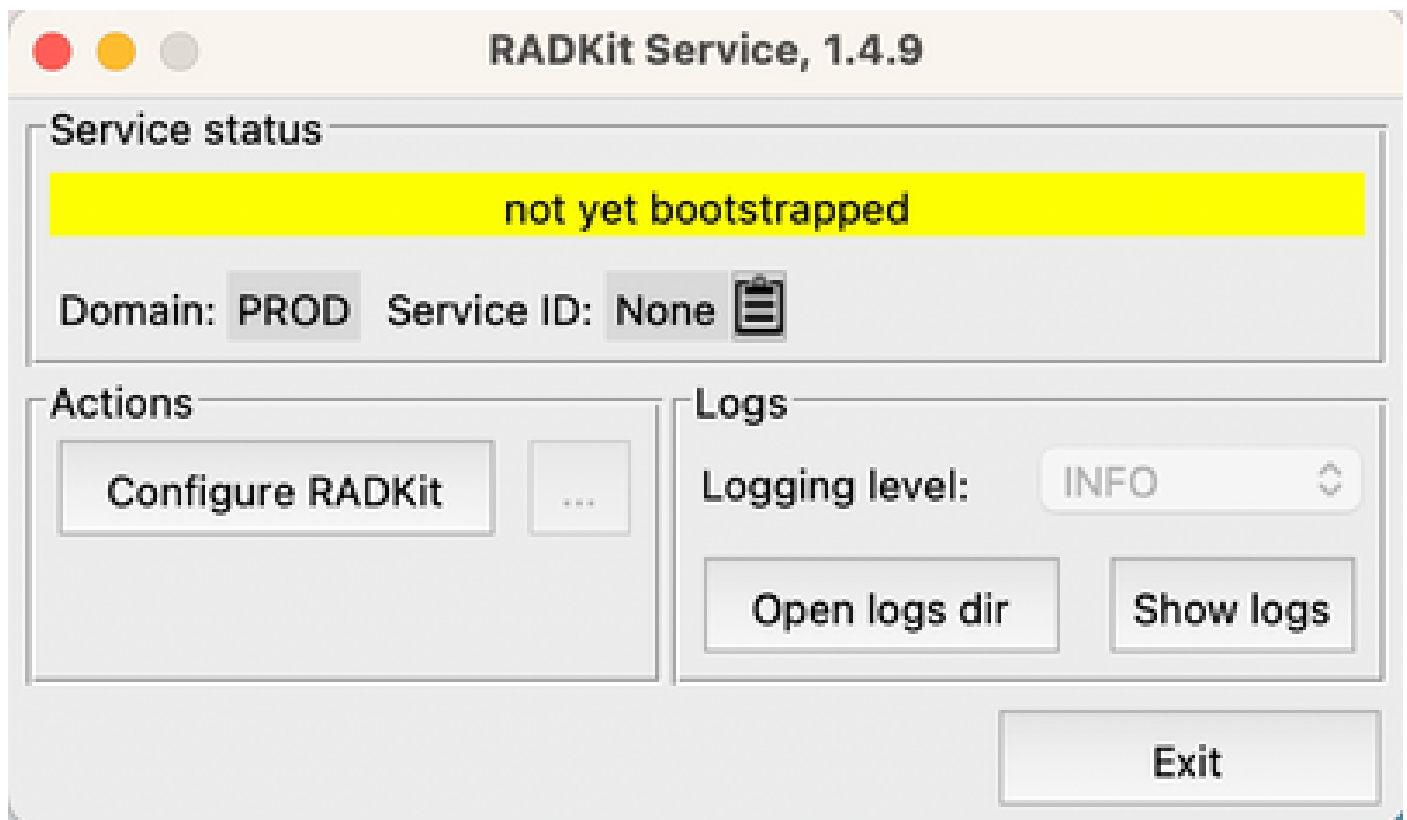
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**Step 4.** Run the installer on the PC or server. As part of the installation, Radkit needs to install three applications: Radkit Service, Radkit Client and Radkit network console.

## RADKit Service (User side)

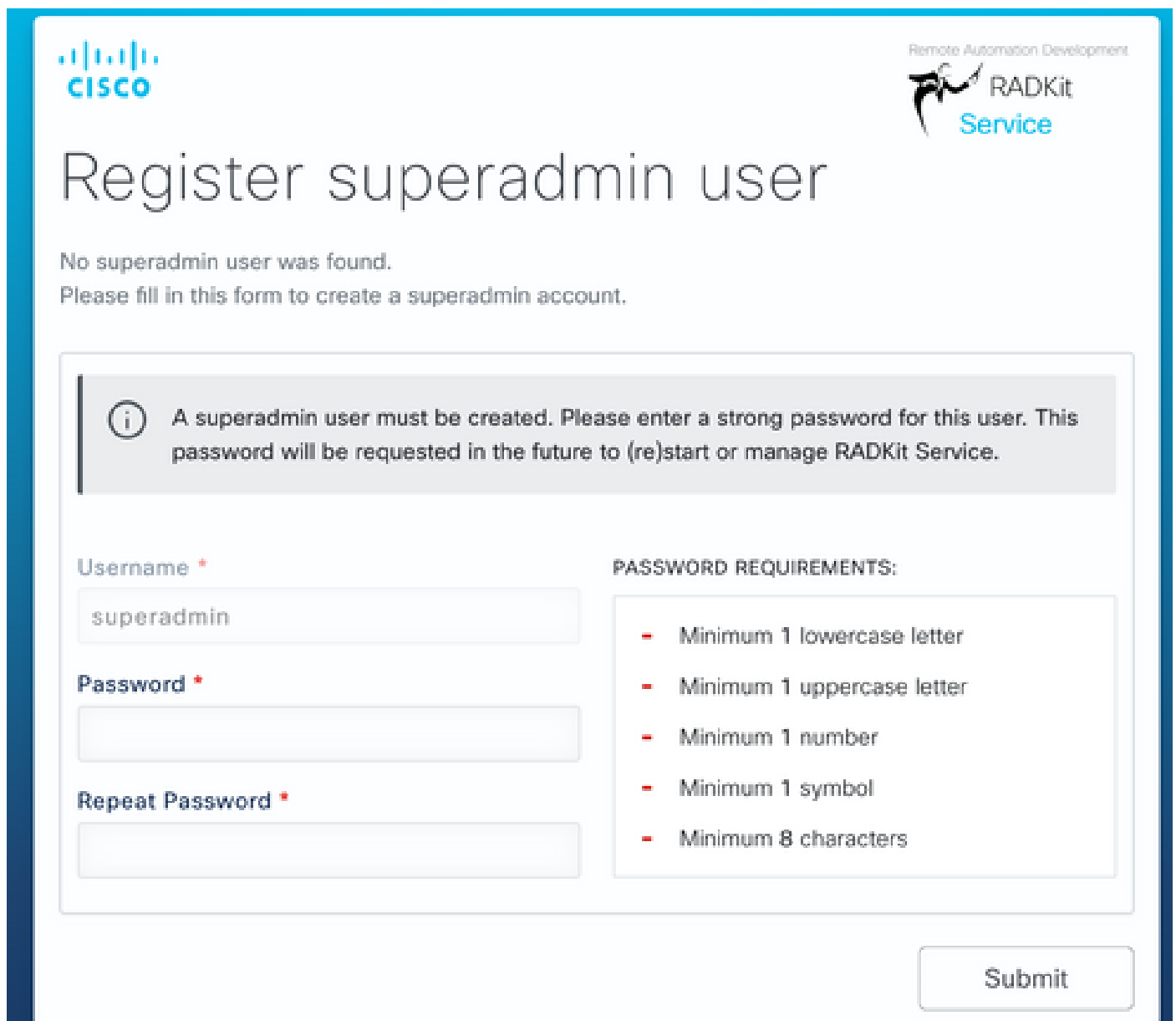
### Onboarding

**Step 1.** To start configuring the RADKit service, navigate to Applications and locate **RADKit Service**. The first time you run it shows a message "not yet bootstrapped".



**Step 2.** Click **Configure RADKit**, the browser pops up automatically with URL <https://localhost:8081/bootstrap>.

- Create password for **superadmin** user and click **Submit**.
- This **superadmin** username and password is requested each time the service is started or configured.



The screenshot shows the 'Register superadmin user' page of the RADKit Service. At the top left is the Cisco logo, and at the top right is the 'Remote Automation Development RADKit Service' logo. The main heading is 'Register superadmin user'. Below the heading, a message states: 'No superadmin user was found. Please fill in this form to create a superadmin account.' A grey information box contains the text: 'A superadmin user must be created. Please enter a strong password for this user. This password will be requested in the future to (re)start or manage RADKit Service.' The form includes three input fields: 'Username' (containing 'superadmin'), 'Password', and 'Repeat Password'. To the right of the password fields is a 'PASSWORD REQUIREMENTS:' box listing: '- Minimum 1 lowercase letter', '- Minimum 1 uppercase letter', '- Minimum 1 number', '- Minimum 1 symbol', and '- Minimum 8 characters'. A 'Submit' button is located at the bottom right of the form area.

**Step 3.** Once you click **Submit**, the browser redirects you to <https://localhost:8081/#/connectivity/>.

Under **Connectivity > Service Enrollment**, there are two authentications methods: **Single Sing-On** and **One-Time Password**.



# Single Sign-On Enrollment



1 Checking prerequisites

2 Email address • • •

Provide email address for SSO login:

3 Connecting to the Access Service

4 OAuth connect

5 Waiting for SSO

6 Requesting service certificate OTP

7 Requesting service certificate

**Step 5.** Complete the wizard and complete the steps until it shows "Service enrolled with new identity: xxxx-xxxx-xxxx", and when clicking on **Close** the service shows as **Connected**.

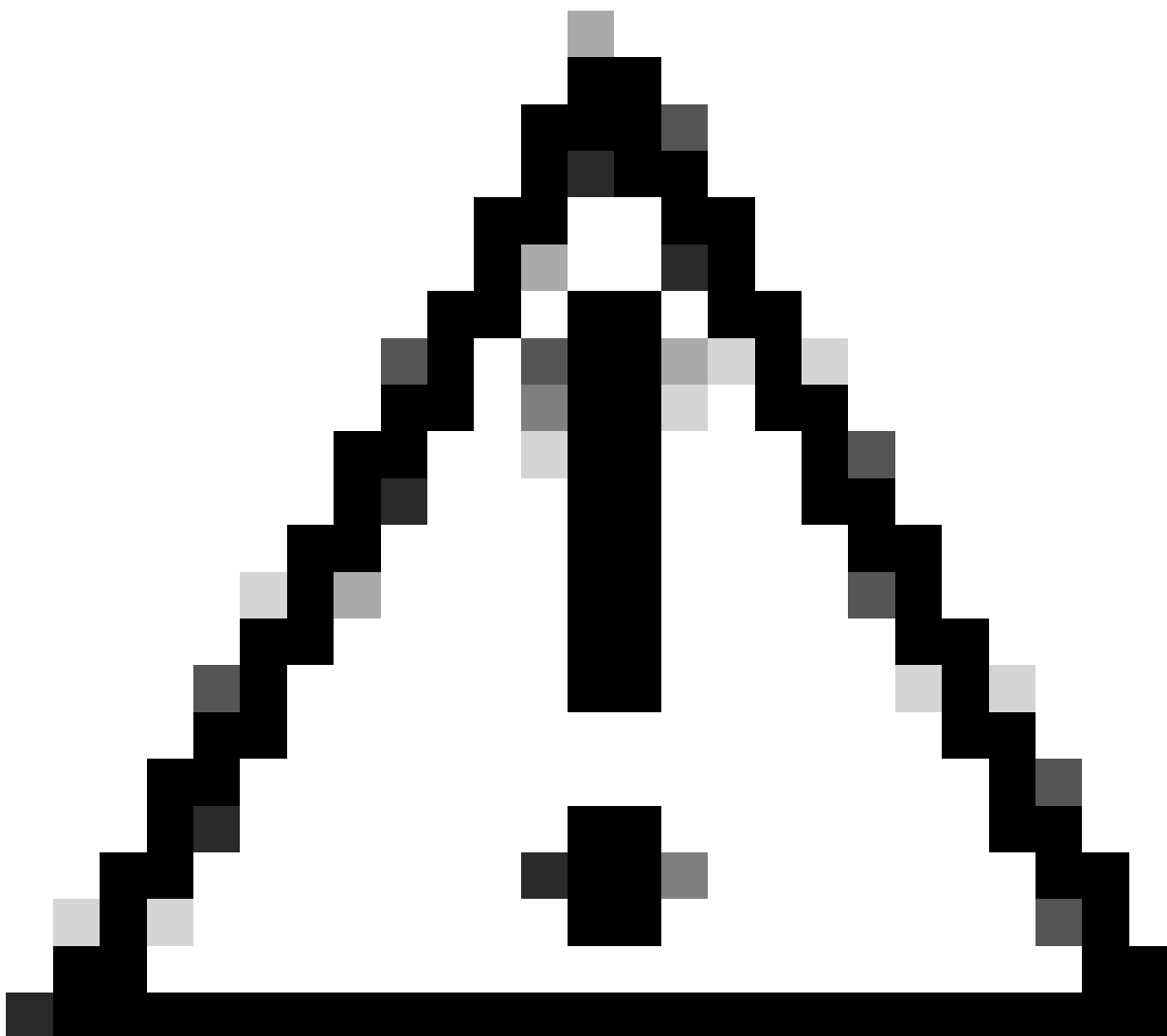
Service enrolled with new identity: k331-0evx-s94g



**Note:** A Cisco account is needed to activate RADKit Service.

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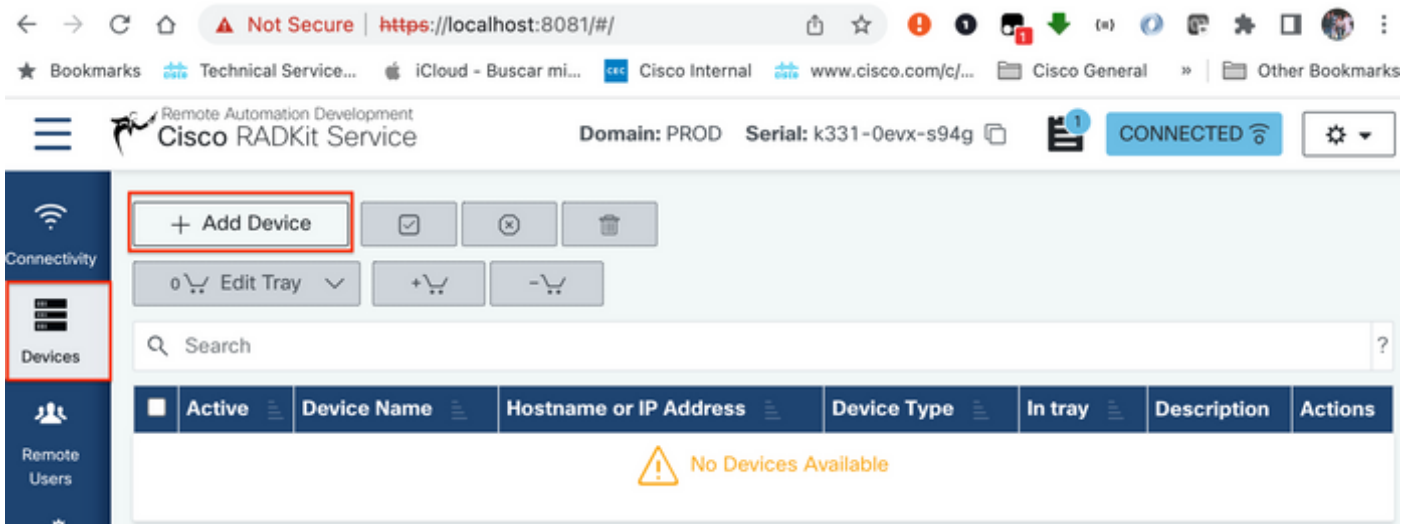
**Caution:**

- If the Server where the RADKit Service is running requires a proxy to be defined, apart from defining the Proxy on the Server/PC itself, a environment variable also needs to be defined for the RADKit Service to work  
RADKIT\_CLOUD\_CLIENT\_PROXY\_URL=<http://proxy.example.com:80>.

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## Add devices

**Step 1.** Navigate to **Devices** and click **Add Device**.



**Step 2.** You need to configure the next details:

- Device Name
- Management IP address or Hostname
- Device Type

Additionally, you must configure **Forwarded TCP ports**, which are ports used by the device that need to be accessible from the RADKit Client. On this example, the ports used are 443 for GUI Access and 8443 for RTMT.

Finally, select the available Management Protocols, in this case **Terminal** and **HTTP**.

### Add New Device ✕

Device Name\* (as it will appear in RADKit)?  
cesavilacum

Management IP Address or Hostname\*?  
10.88.247.197

Forwarded TCP ports ?  
443;8443

Device Type\*  
CUCM

Jumphost Name  
- Optional jumhost -

Description

Label search ?

RBAC status: **ENABLED**

Available Labels - 2 of 2 (click to add)  
active SR697039480

Selected Labels - 0 (click to delete)  
Create new None added

Active (remotely manageable)

Available Management Protocols:  
 Terminal  Netconf  Swagger  HTTP  SNMP

**Step 3.** For each Management Protocol configure the correct settings and click **Add & Close**.

Terminal

Connection method:  SSH  Telnet

Allow connecting using obsolete/insecure SSH algorithms

Use SSH Tunneling when using this device as a jump host

Username: admin Password: .....

Port: 22  Enable Password ?

If left blank, will be set to "" as default.

**Step 4.** Once added, the device must be displayed in the device list, it can be enabled/disabled for remote access.

Remote Automation Development  
Cisco RADKit Service

Domain: PROD Serial: k331-0evx-s94g

CONNECTED

+ Add Device

0 Edit Tray

Search

Active	Device Name	Hostname or IP Address	Device Type	In tray	Description	Actions
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	cesavilaCUCM	10.88.247.197	UNKNOWN			

Showing 1 to 1 of 1 entries. | Selected: 0. Page size 15 25 50 100 250

## Authorize remote users

**Step 1.** In order to grant user access to the Devices configured in the RADKit Service, go to **Remote Users** and select **Add Users**.

Remote Automation Development  
Cisco RADKit Service

Domain: PROD Serial: k331-0evx-s94g

CONNECTED

+ Add User

Search

Active	Remaining Time	User Email	Full Name	Description	Actions
⚠ No Users Available					

Showing 0 to 0 of 0 entries. | Selected: 0. Page size 15 25 50 100 250

**Step 2.** Configure the user details:

- Email address
- Full Name (optional)

- Activate the user.
- Specify if the Activation must be Manually controlled or set a time frame to grant access to that user.

## Add New User ✕

**User Email\***

Activate this user

**Full Name**

**USER ACCESS POLICY**

Manual

Time slice (h/m):

**Description**

✖ Clear form

✔ Add & close

+ Add & continue

Step 3. Select Add & Close.

## RADkit Client (TAC side)

### Login

Step 1. On the Client PC, navigate to Applications and locate **RADkit Client**.

Step 2. Create a client instance with your SSO login.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>>
```

```
client = sso_login("cesavila@cisco.com")
```

```

cesavila — radkit-client — 117x32

Example usage:
client = sso_login("<email_address>")           # Open new client and authenticate with SSO
client = certificate_login("<email_address>")    # OR authenticate with a certificate
client = access_token_login("<access_token>")   # OR authenticate with an SSO Access Token
service = client.service("<serial>")           # Then connect to a RADKit Service
service = start_integrated_service()           # Immediately login to an integrated session
client.grant_service_otp()                     # Enroll a new service

>>> client = sso_login("cesavila@cisco.com")

```

Step 3. Accept the SSO Authorization Request opened automatically on your browser.



## Do you accept this authorization request?

Environment: PROD

Client IP address: 128.107.241.164

Client hostname: N/A

This page means that a RADKit instance is attempting to connect to the RADKit Cloud with your SSO credentials.

If you *did not* initiate this request, please click "Deny" now. If you are certain that this request is legitimate, click "Accept".

If you suspect that an illegitimate session may have been granted access in the past, click the "Log out all sessions" button below to immediately log out all RADKit SSO sessions associated with your user ID. This *will not* log out your SSO sessions in other applications.

Accept

Deny

Log out all sessions



## Authentication result: Success

You may now close this window and return to your application.

If you suspect that an illegitimate session may have been granted access now or in the past, click the button below to immediately log out all RADKit SSO sessions associated with your user ID. This *will not* log out your SSO sessions in other applications.

Log out all sessions

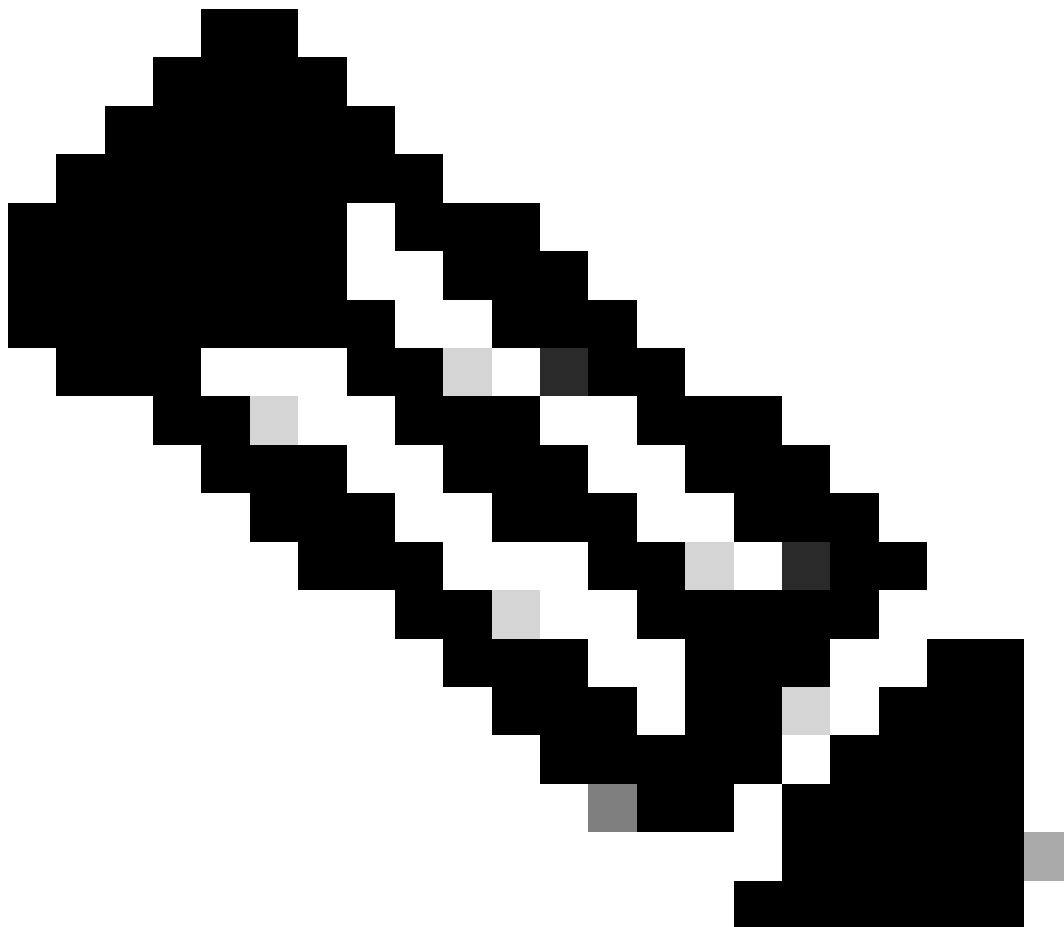
**Step 4.** Create a service instance using the user generated Serial Number from the RADKit Service - Onboarding stage.

<#root>

>>>

```
service = client.service("k331-0evx-s94g")
```

```
>>> service = client.service("k331-0evx-s94g")
05:16:36.349Z INFO | internal | Connecting to forwarder [uri='wss://prod.radkit-cloud.cisco.com/forwarder-2/websocket/']
05:16:37.153Z INFO | internal | Connection to forwarder successful [uri='wss://prod.radkit-cloud.cisco.com/forwarder-2/websocket/']
05:16:39.523Z INFO | internal | Connecting to forwarder [uri='wss://prod.radkit-cloud.cisco.com/forwarder-3/websocket/']
05:16:40.333Z INFO | internal | Connection to forwarder successful [uri='wss://prod.radkit-cloud.cisco.com/forwarder-3/websocket/']
```



**Note:** `service` is a variable that can be anything.

**Step 5.** Check the devices available for access.

<#root>

```
>>>
```

```
service.inventory
```

```
>>>
>>> service.inventory
<radkit_client.sync.device.DeviceDict object at 0x10d7728e0>
name          host          device_type  Terminal  Netconf  Swagger  HTTP  description  failed
-----
cesavilacucm  10.88.247.197 UNKNOWN    True      False    False    True  description  False
```

To refresh the inventory list, use the command `update_inventory`.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> service.update_inventory().wait()
```

## SSH Access

**Step 1.** Create an object from the inventory list.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> cucm = service.inventory['cesavilacucm']
```

```
>>> service.inventory
<radkit_client.sync.device.DeviceDict object at 0x10d7728e0>
name          host          device_type  Terminal  Netconf  Swagger  HTTP  description  failed
-----
cesavilacucm  10.88.247.197 UNKNOWN    True      False    False    True  description  False
Untouched inventory from service k331-0evx-s94g.
>>>
>>> cucm = service.inventory["cesavilacucm"]
```

**Step 2.** Start the SSH session with the interactive command.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> cucm.interactive()
```

```
>>>
>>> cucm.interactive()
05:35:23.882Z INFO | internal | starting interactive session (will be closed when detached)
05:35:24.765Z INFO | internal | Session log initialized [filepath='/Users/cesavila/.radkit/session_logs/client/202304-cesavilacucm.log']
{
  Attaching to cesavilacucm ...
  Type: ~. to detach.
  ~? for other shortcuts.
  When using nested SSH sessions, add an extra ~ per level of nesting.

Command Line Interface is starting up, please wait ...

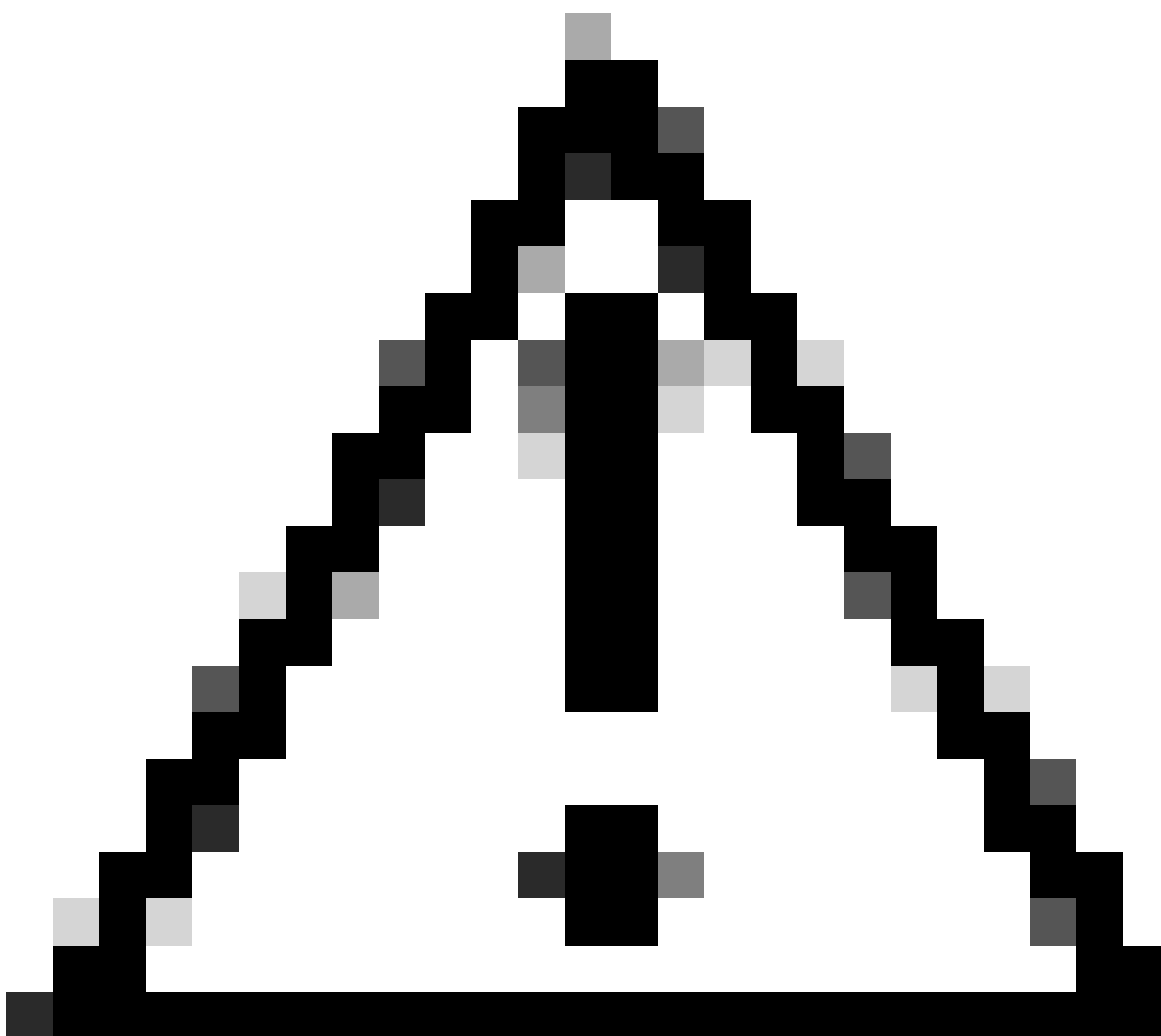
Welcome to the Platform Command Line Interface

VMware Installation:
 2 vCPU: Intel(R) Xeon(R) Silver 4114 CPU @ 2.20GHz
Disk 1: 200GB, Partitions aligned
4096 Mbytes RAM
WARNING: DNS unreachable
WARNING: Ungraceful shutdown detected - A rebuild of this node is highly recommended
to ensure no negative impact(such as configuration or file system corruption). For
rebuild instructions, see the installation guide.

admin:|
```

**Step 3.** Now you are able to manage the device normally.

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**Caution:**

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- Always be mindful of our responsibility when operating in a user environment.
- RADKit must be used as a data collection tool.
- Never do any changes without the user permission.
- Document all your findings in the case notes.

## GUI Access

- **HTTP Proxy**

**Step 1.** Ensure the HTTP Credentials are added in the RADKit Service on the device configuration.

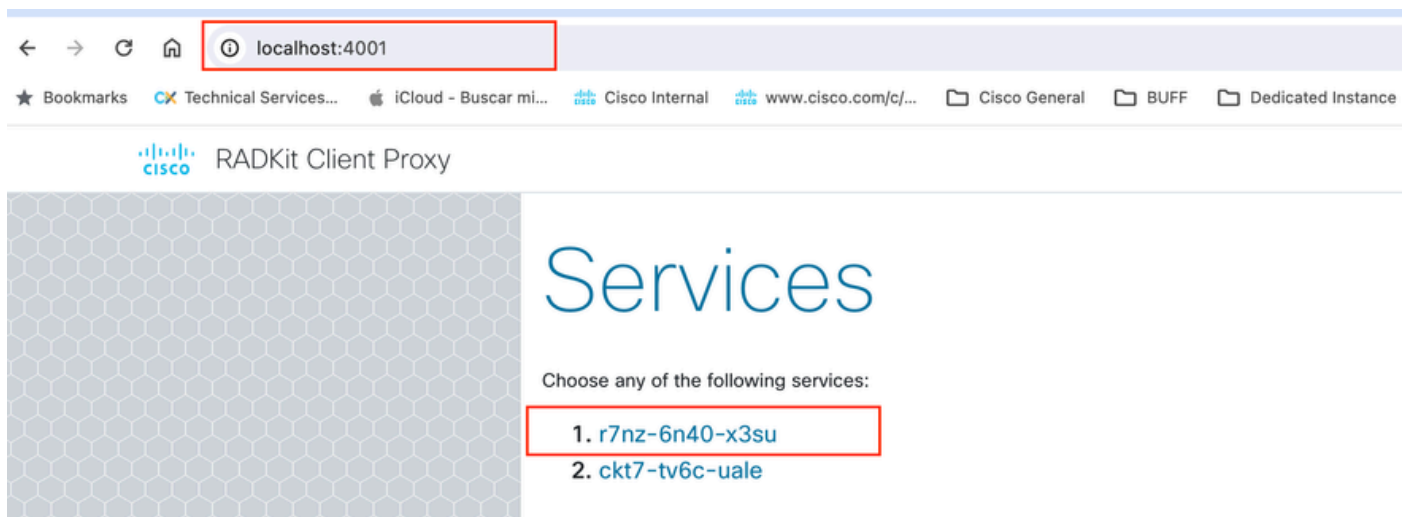
**Step 2.** Start the HTTP Proxy on the Radkit Client and define the Local port used to connect to the Proxy.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> http_proxy = client.start_http_proxy(4001)
```

```
>>>
>>> http_proxy = client.start_http_proxy(4001)
22:24:19.981Z WARNI | HTTP proxy is NOT PROTECTED by username/password
>>> █
```

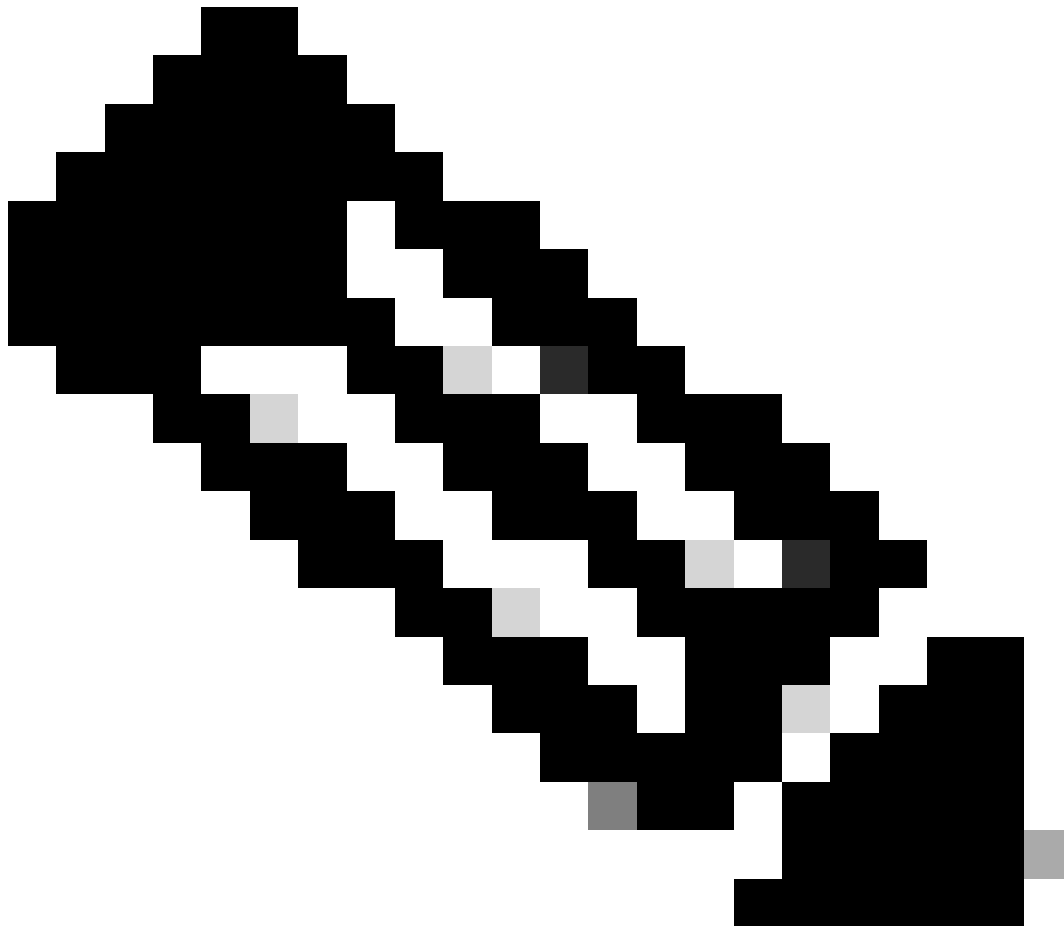
**Step 3.** From the Web Browser, navigate to <https://localhost:4001> and select the Service you want to connect to.



**Step 4.** Click the option **Go to Web Page** on the correct device to connect to its Web Page.

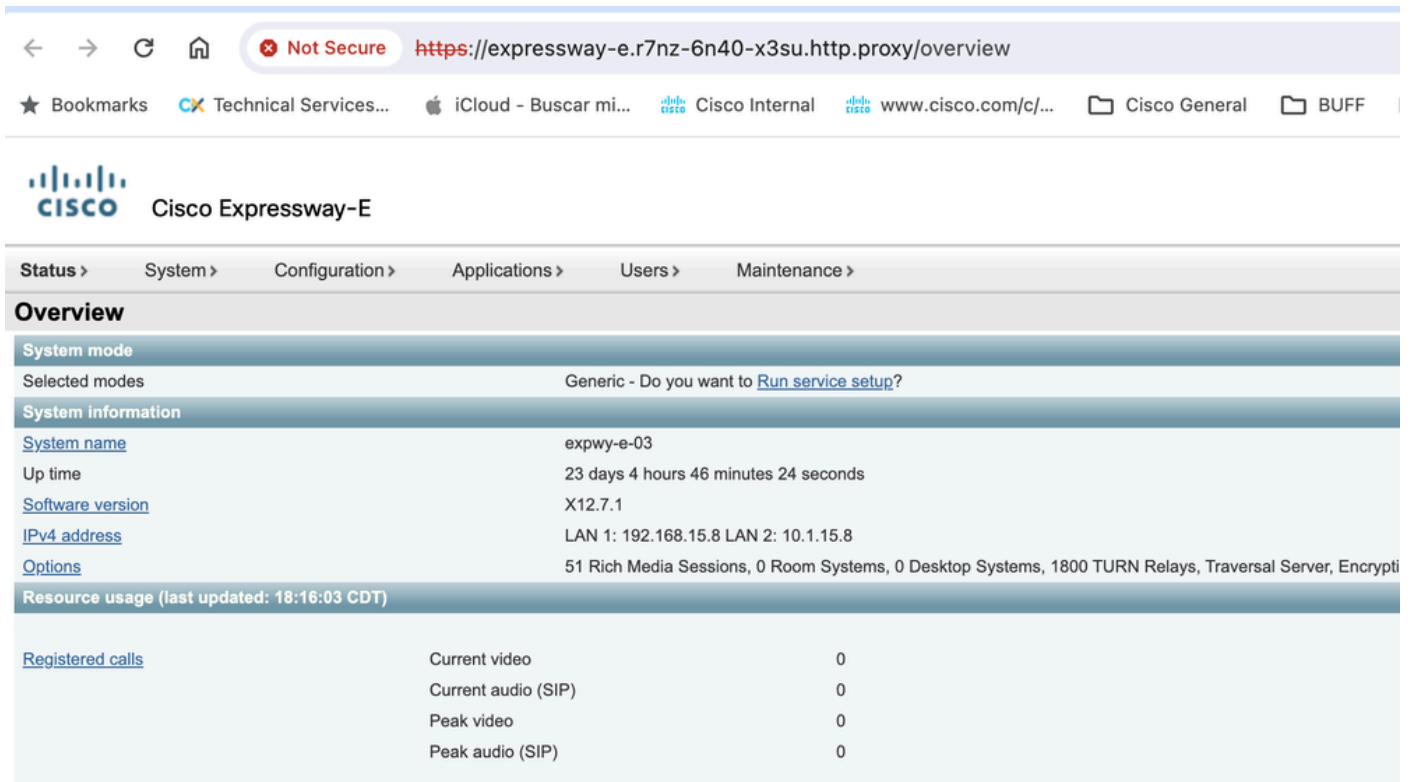
# Service ID: r7nz-6n40-x3su

Device name	TCP port forwards	Supports HTTP	Reset Session
expressway-c	443;8443	<a href="#">Go to web page</a>	<input type="button" value="Reset"/>
expressway-e	443;8443	<a href="#">Go to web page</a>	<input type="button" value="Reset"/>
cucmhq	443;8443	<a href="#">Go to web page</a>	<input type="button" value="Reset"/>



**Note:** The first time HTTP Proxy is setup on a RADKit Client, it is recommended to click on the option Reset for each Devices before attempting to open the Device Web Page.

**Step 5.** The Web Page is displayed.



← → ↻ 🏠 ⚠ Not Secure <https://expressway-e.r7nz-6n40-x3su.http.proxy/overview>

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**CISCO** Cisco Expressway-E

Status > System > Configuration > Applications > Users > Maintenance >

### Overview

**System mode**  
Selected modes: Generic - Do you want to [Run service setup?](#)

**System information**

<a href="#">System name</a>	expwy-e-03
Up time	23 days 4 hours 46 minutes 24 seconds
<a href="#">Software version</a>	X12.7.1
<a href="#">IPv4 address</a>	LAN 1: 192.168.15.8 LAN 2: 10.1.15.8
<a href="#">Options</a>	51 Rich Media Sessions, 0 Room Systems, 0 Desktop Systems, 1800 TURN Relays, Traversal Server, Encrypti

**Resource usage (last updated: 18:16:03 CDT)**

<a href="#">Registered calls</a>	Current video	0
	Current audio (SIP)	0
	Peak video	0
	Peak audio (SIP)	0

- **Port Forwarding**

**Step 1.** Verify the TCP Forwarded ports configured for the device.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> cucm.forwarded_tcp_ports
```

```
>>> cucm.forwarded_tcp_ports
'443;8443'
>>> █
```

**Step 2.** Configure a local port to be mapped with the destination port of the device, you must use the local port to access the device GUI.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> cucm.forward_tcp_port(local_port=8443, destination_port=443)
```


```
>>>
>>> cucm.forward_tcp_port(12443,443)
[RUNNING] <radkit_client.sync.port_forwarding.TCPPortForwarder object at 0x10ceb3d60>
-----
status          RUNNING
serial          None
device_name     cesavilacum
local_port      12443
destination_port 443
#active         0
#failed         0
#closed         0
#total          0
bytes up        0
bytes down      0
exception       None
-----
```

**Step 3.** Open your browser and type the URL with the port configured in Step 2: <https://localhost:8443>.

The GUI of the device is now accessible.

← → ↻ 🏠 Not Secure <https://localhost:8443>

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### Installed Applications

- Cisco Unified Communications Manager
- Cisco Unified Communications Self Care Portal
- Cisco Prime License Manager
- Cisco Unified Reporting
- Cisco Unified Serviceability

### Platform Applications

- Disaster Recovery System
- Cisco Unified Communications OS Administration

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**Note:** To access the GUI of the product you still need the credentials to be able to login, therefore it is recommended for user to create a Read-Only User Account for access.

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## Log Collection

- RTMT

**Step 1.** Verify that port **8443** is listed in the TCP Forwarded ports configured for the device.

```
<#root>
```

```
>>> cucm.forwarded_tcp_ports
```

```
>>> cucm.forwarded_tcp_ports
'443;8443'
>>> █
```

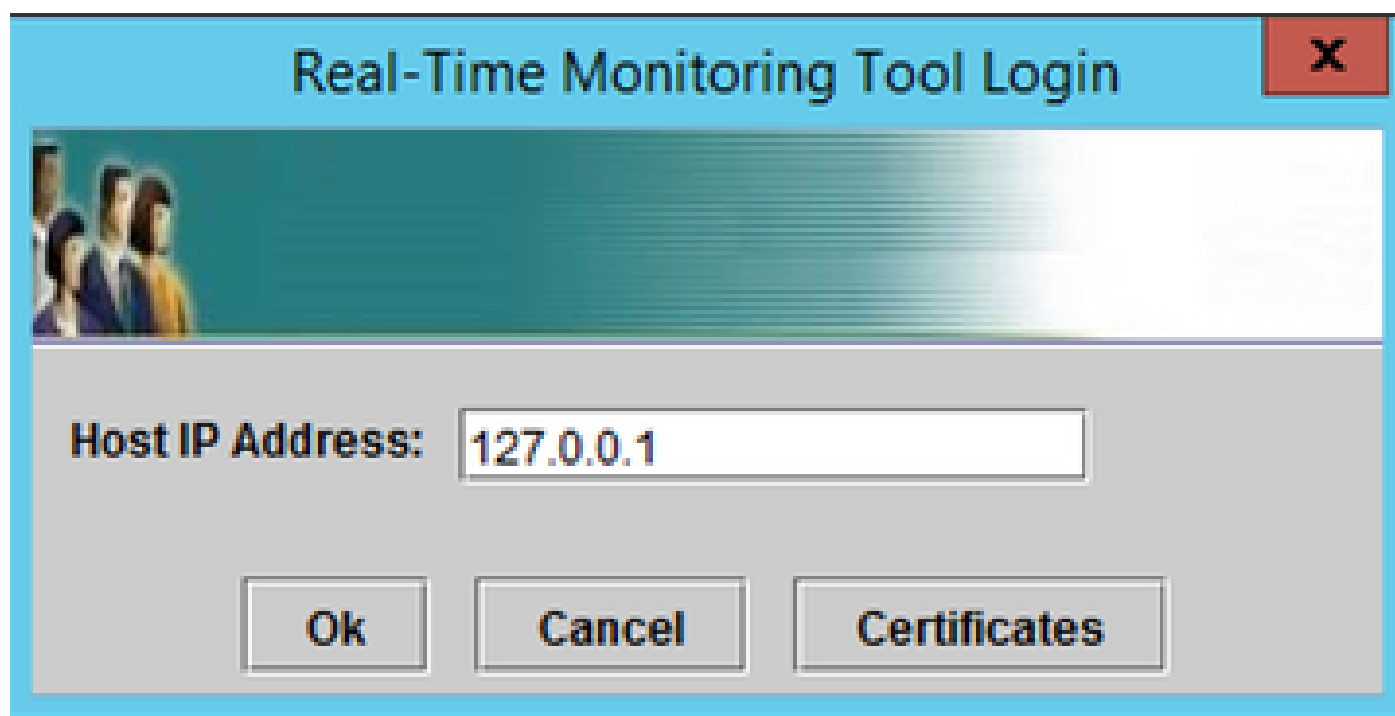
**Step 2.** Configure the same port **8443** as local port to be mapped with port **8443** as the destination port of the device.

```
<#root>
```

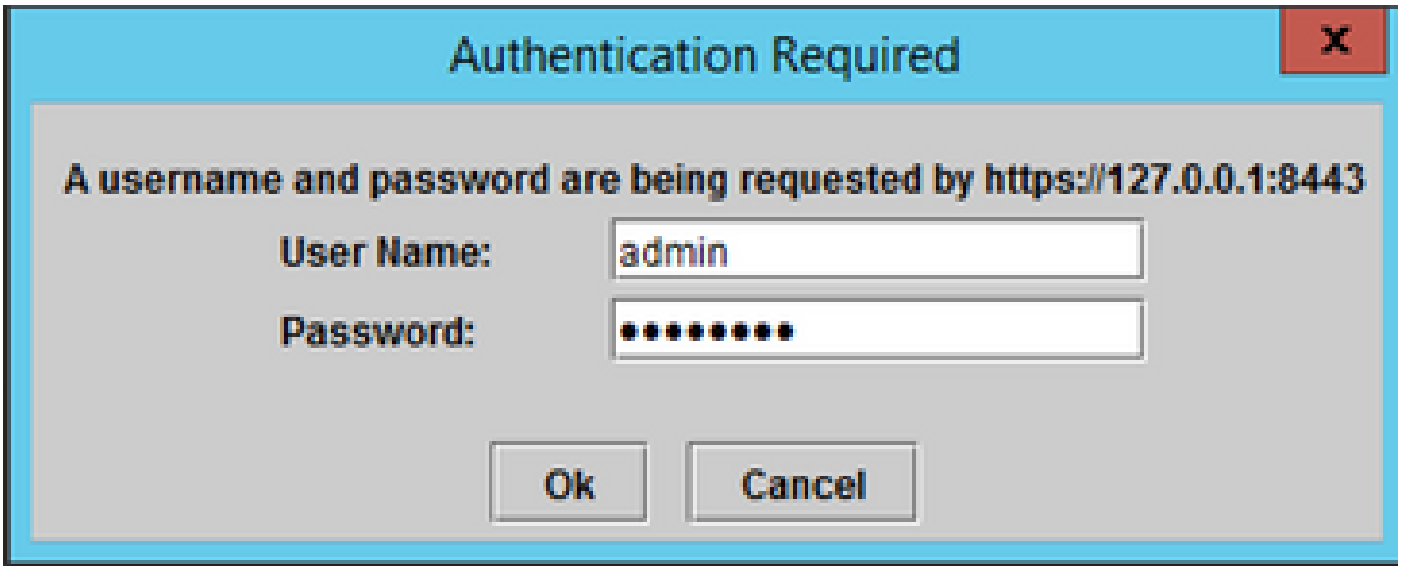
```
>>> cucm.forward_tcp_port(local_port=8443, destination_port=8443)
```

```
>>> cucm.forward_tcp_port(8443,8443)
[RUNNING] <radkit_client.sync.port_forwarding.TCPPortForwarder object at 0x1077defa0>
-----
status          RUNNING
serial          None
device_name     cesavilacucm
local_port      8443
destination_port 8443
#active         0
#failed         0
#closed         0
#total          0
bytes up        0
bytes down      0
exception       None
-----
```

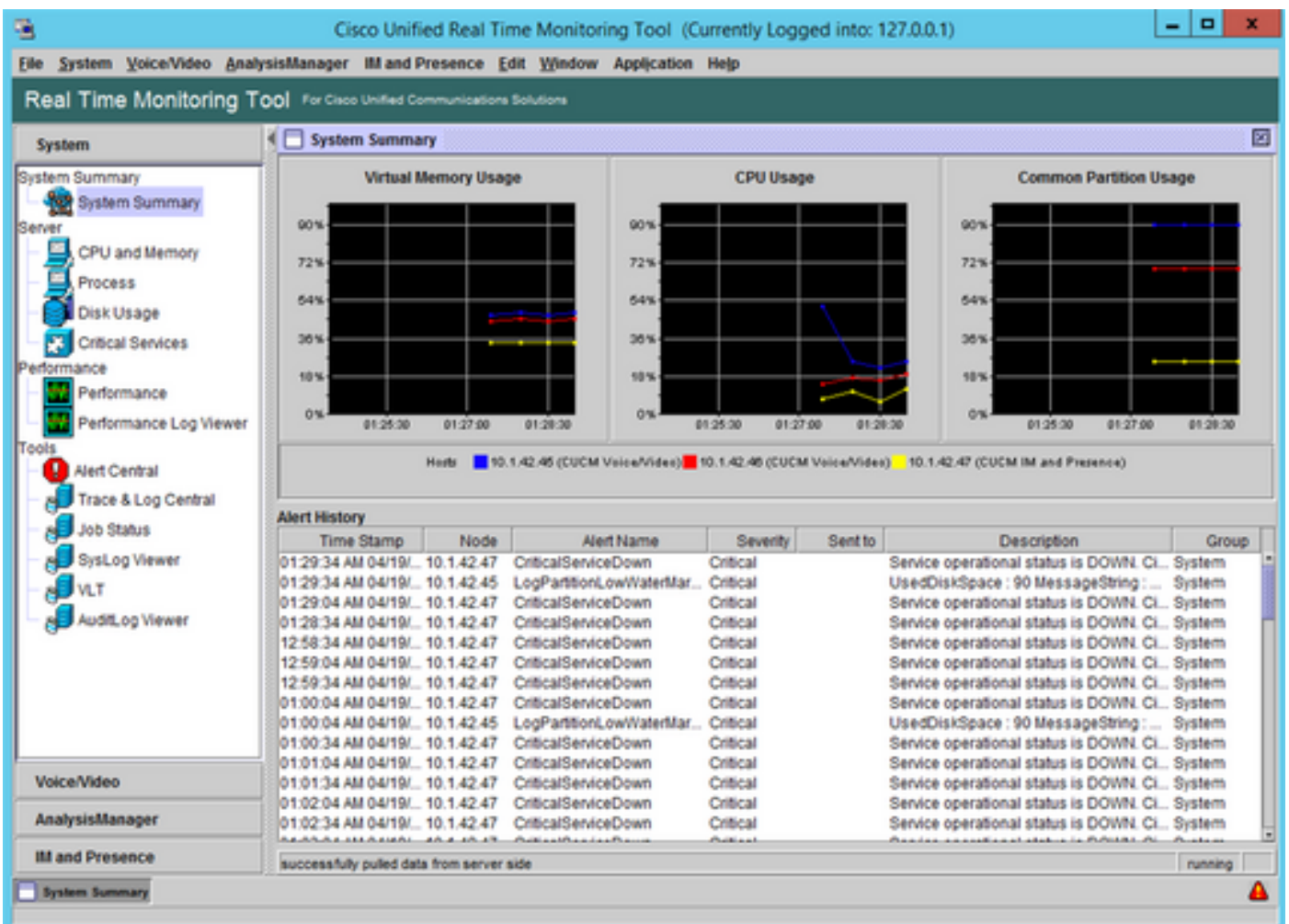
**Step 3.** Open RTMT and type **127.0.0.1** in the Host IP Address, it automatically uses port **8443**.



**Step 4.** Login with the correct credentials.



Step 5. RTMT displays.



Step 6. Go to AnalysisManager on the left panel.

Cisco Unified Real Time Monitoring Tool (Currently Logged into: localhost)

File System Voice/Video AnalysisManager IM and Presence Edit Window Application Help

### Real Time Monitoring Tool

For Cisco Unified Communications Solutions

**System**

System Summary

- System Summary

Server

- CPU and Memory
- Process
- Disk Usage
- Critical Services

Performance

- Performance
- Performance Log Viewer

Tools

- Alert Central
- Trace & Log Central
- Job Status
- SysLog Viewer
- VLT
- AuditLog Viewer

Voice/Video

**AnalysisManager**

IM and Presence

System Summary

**System Summary**

**Virtual Memory Usage**

**CPU Usage**

**Common Partition Usage**

Hosts: 10.1.42.45 (CUCM Voice/Video) 10.1.42.46 (CUCM Voice/Video) 10.1.42.47 (CUCM IM and Presence)

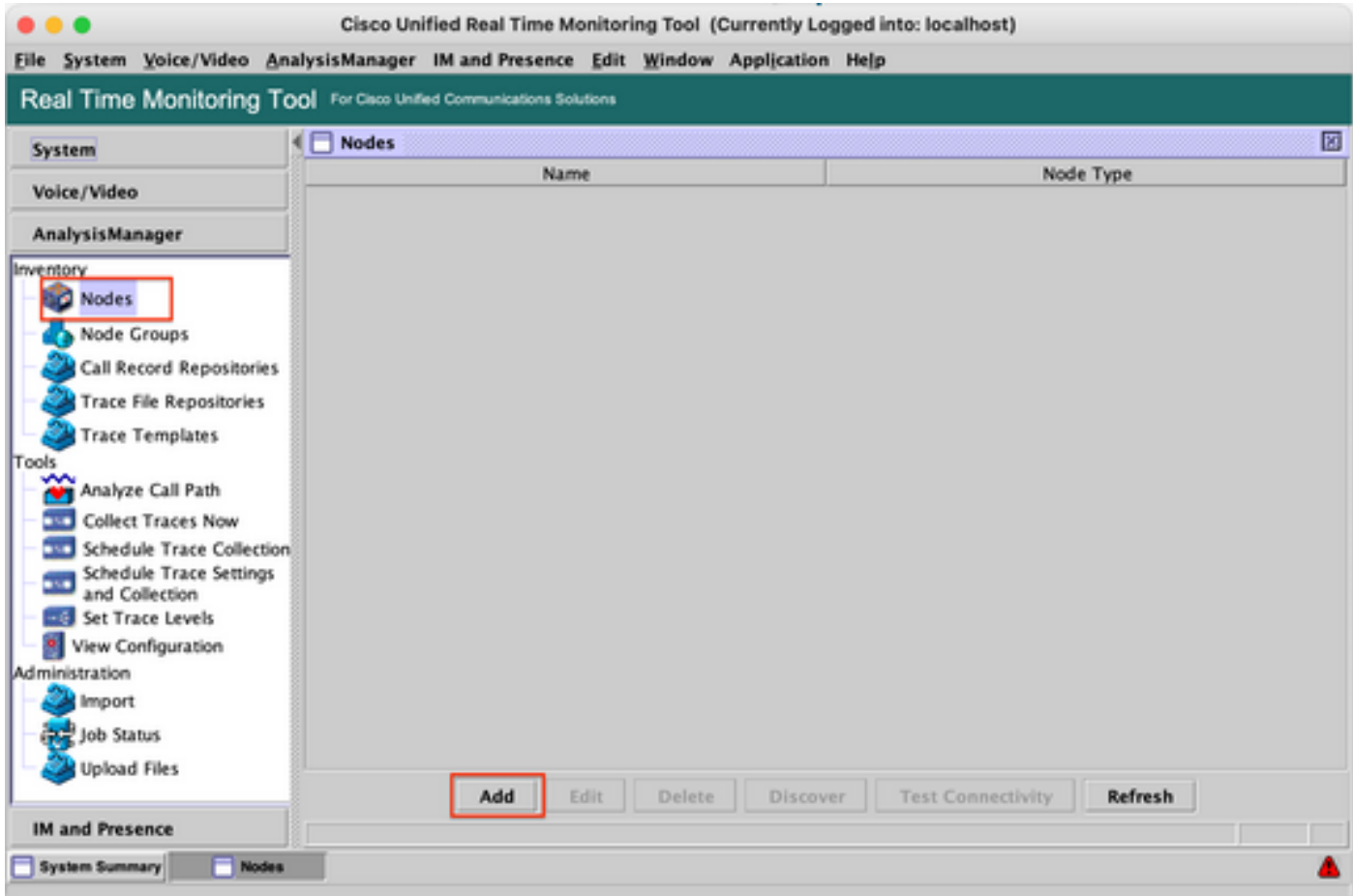
**Alert History**

Time Stamp	Node	Alert Name	Severity	Sent to	Description	Group
09:16:41 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:17:11 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:17:41 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:18:11 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:18:11 PM 0...	10.1.42...	LogPartitionLowWaterM...	Critical		UsedDiskSpace : 90 MessageString...	System
09:18:41 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:19:11 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:19:41 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:20:11 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:20:41 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:21:11 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System
09:21:41 PM 0...	10.1.42...	CriticalServiceDown	Critical		Service operational status is DOWN...	System

successfully pulled data from server side running

**Step 7.** Click **Nodes** and **Add** to configure the details of the device to be added using localhost and the forwarded TCP Port.





**Add Node**

Node Type\* CUCM Voice/Video

IP/Host Name\* 127.0.0.1

Transport Protocol\* HTTPS

Port Number\* 8443

User Name\* admin

Password\* .....

Confirm Password\* .....

Description

Associated Call Record Repositories

Associated Trace File Repositories

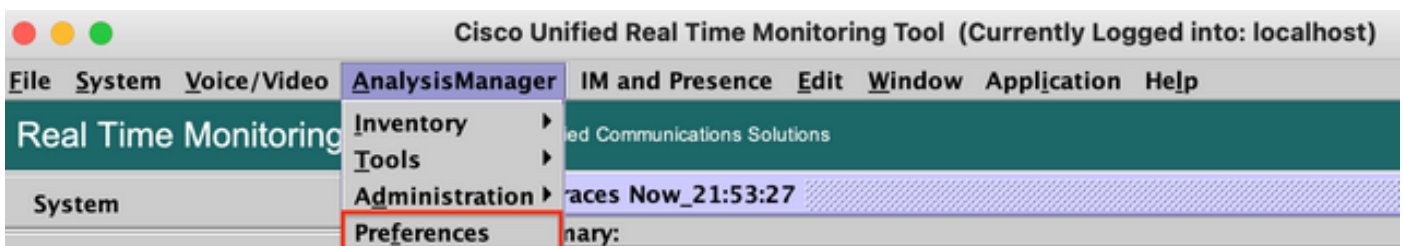
Associated Group  AllNodes

[Advanced...](#)

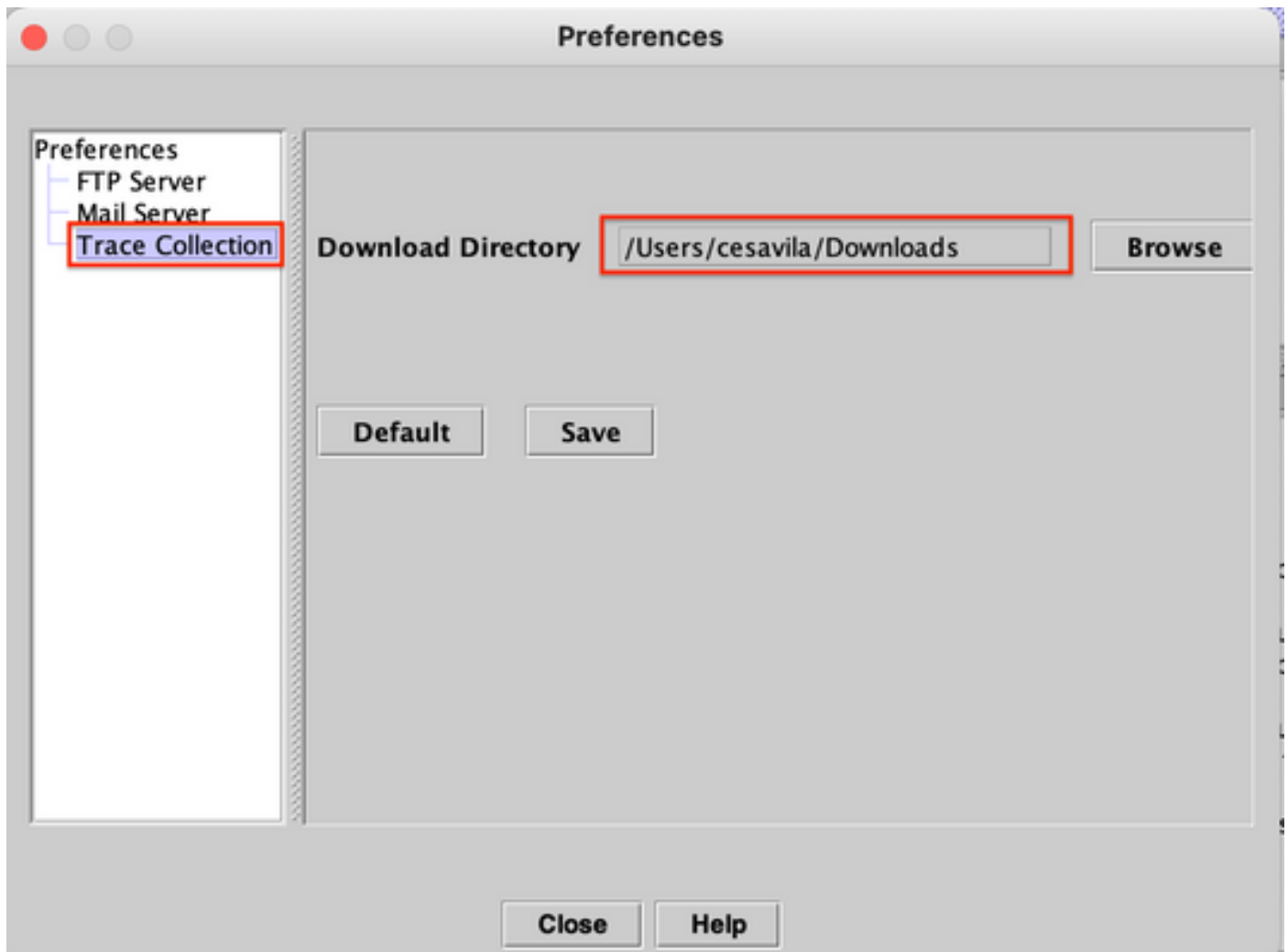
\* Required Fields

**Save** **Cancel**

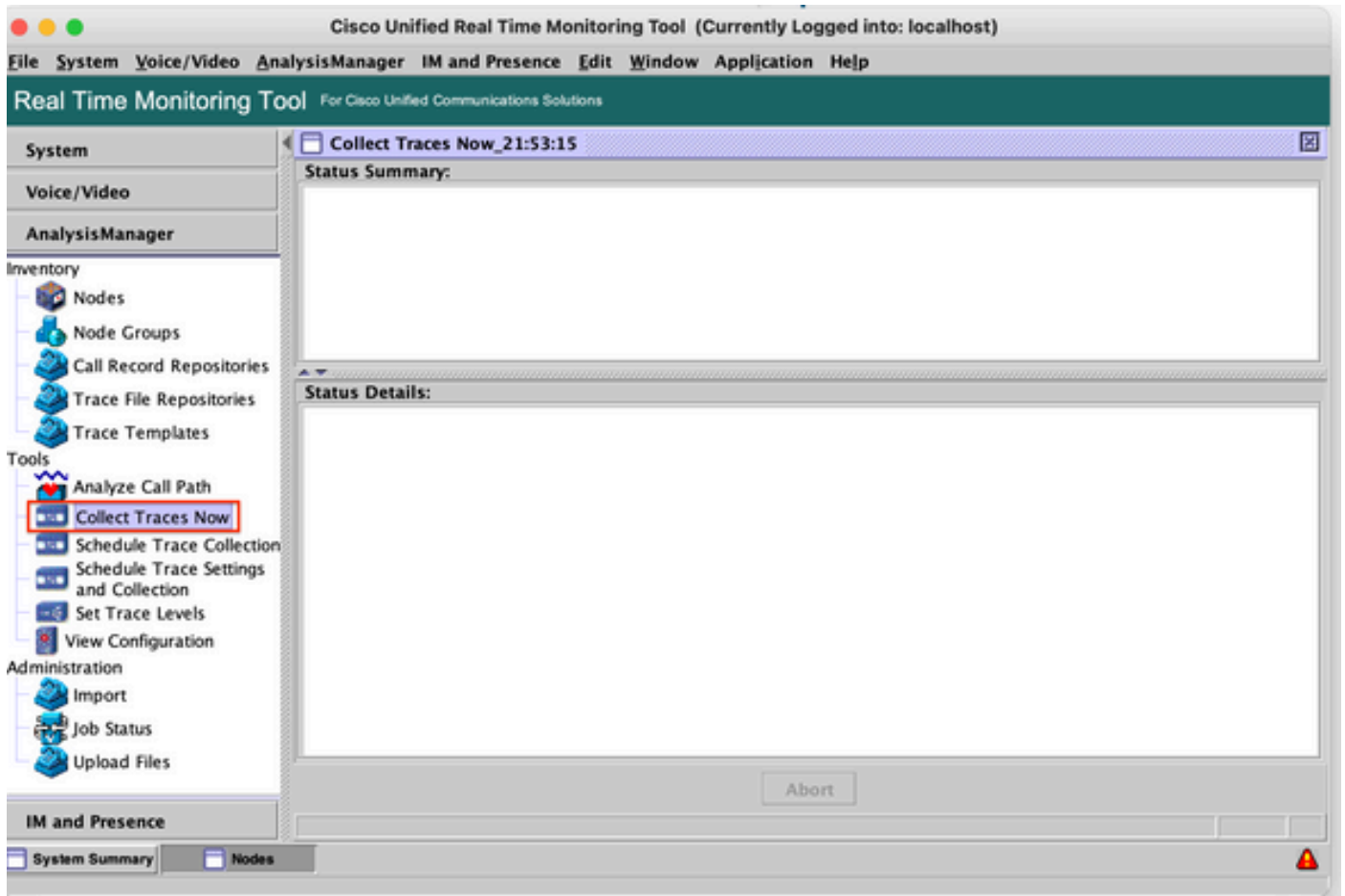
**Step 8.** Click **Analysis Manager** on the menu at the top and select **Preferences**.



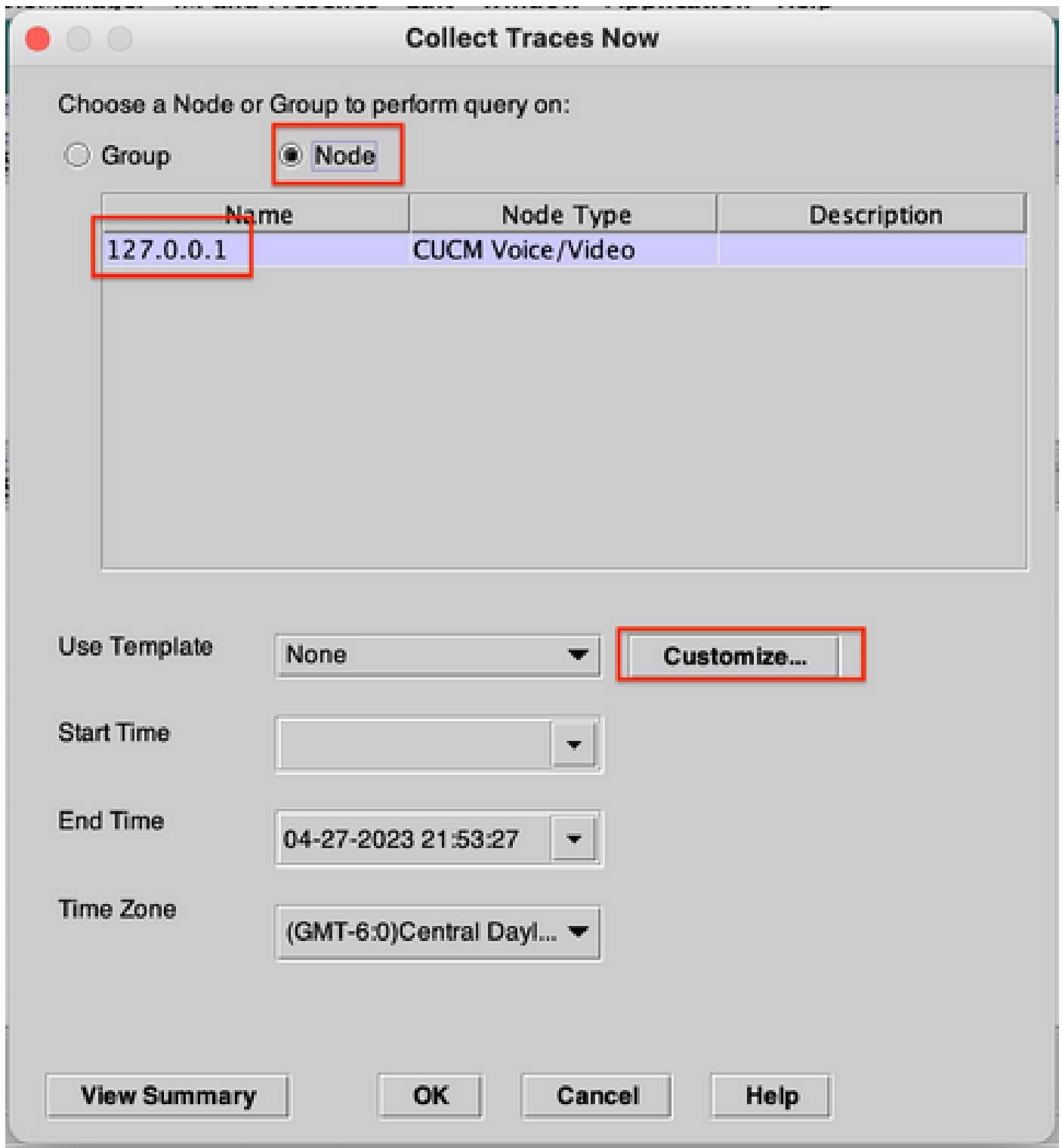
**Step 9.** Go to **Trace Collection** and select the Correct folder to download the logs, Click **Save** and then **Close**.



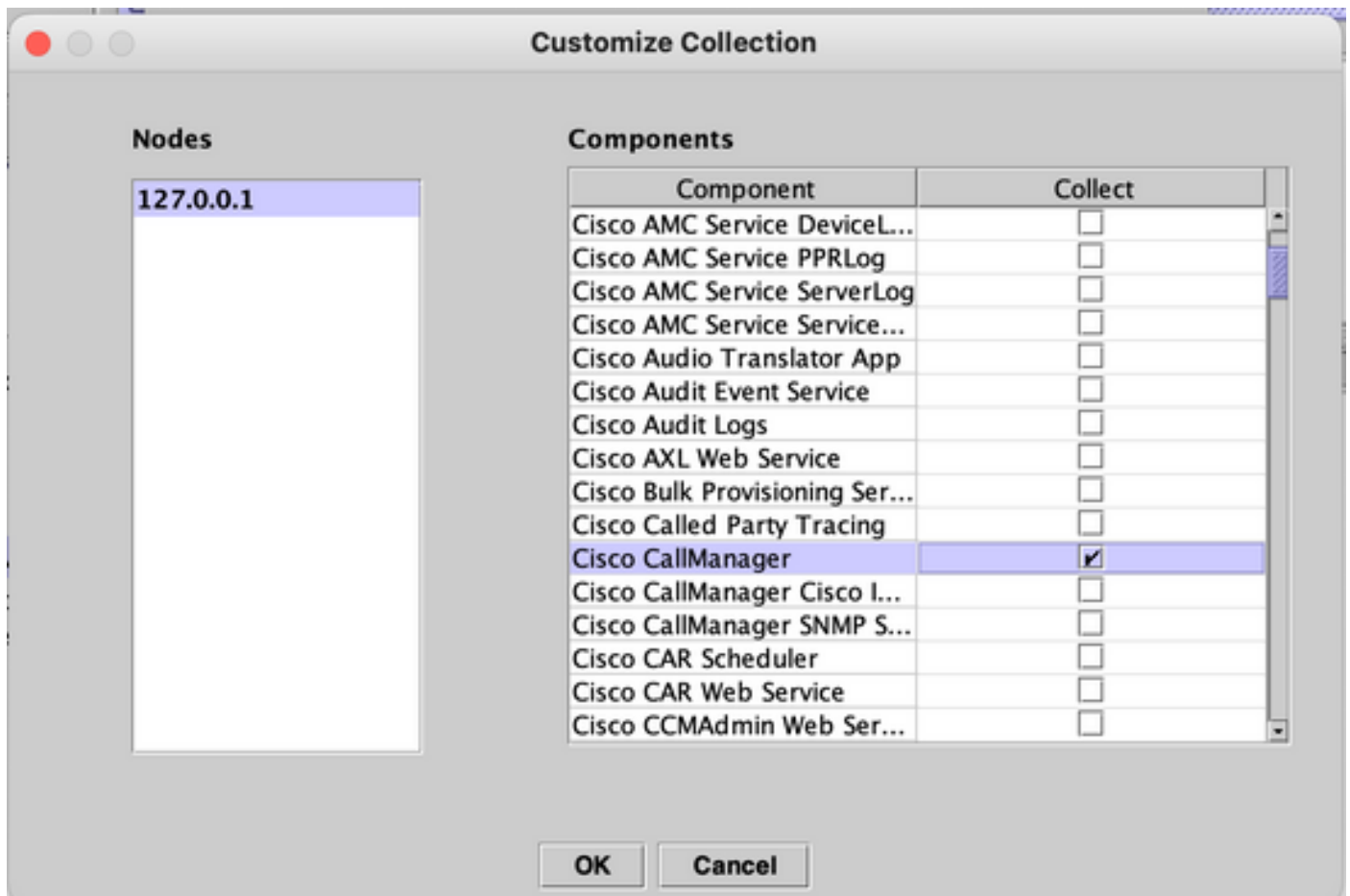
Step 10. Go to **Collect Traces** now.



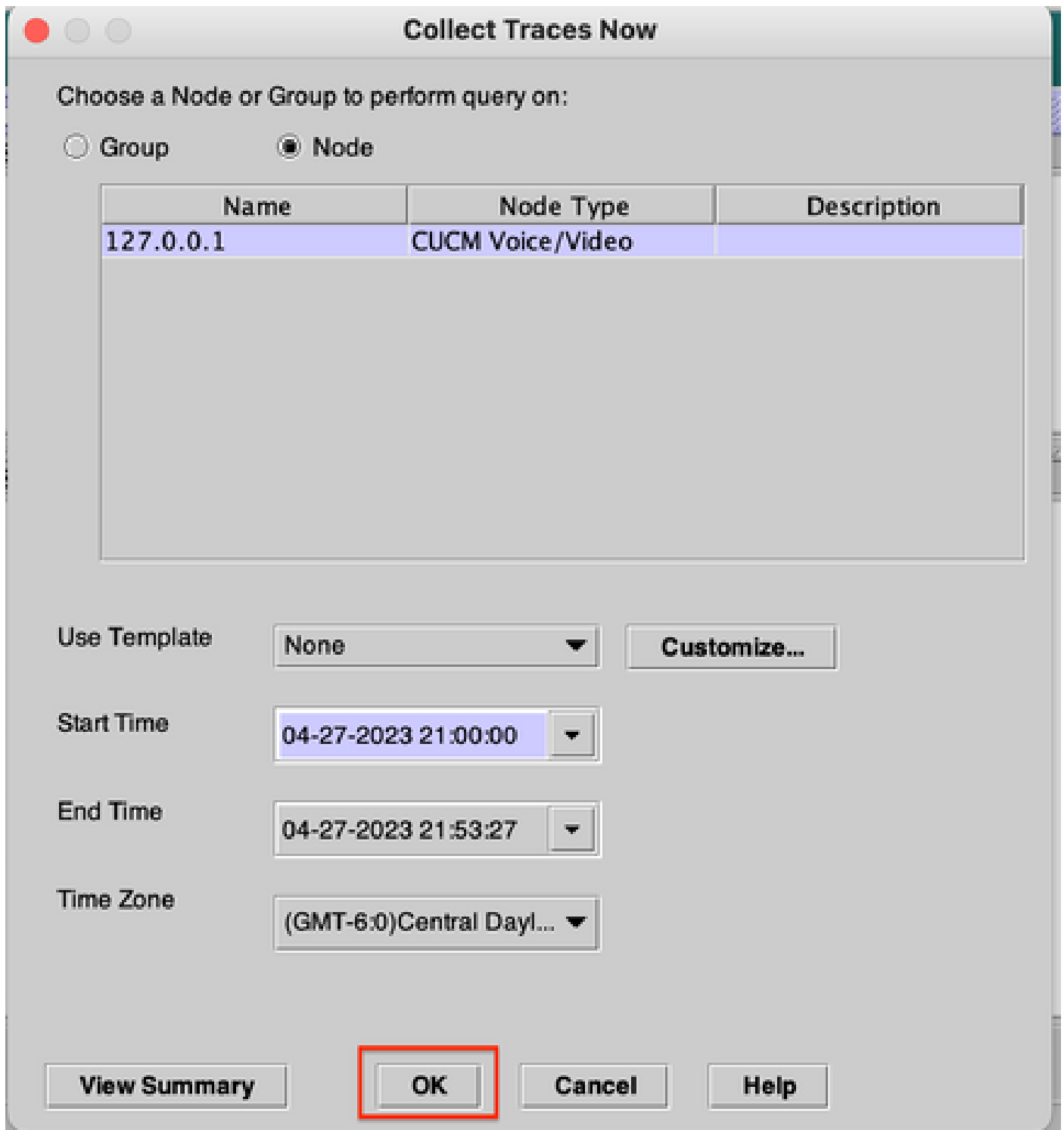
Step 11. Select the option **Node**, select the device that was added on Step 7 and click **Customize**.



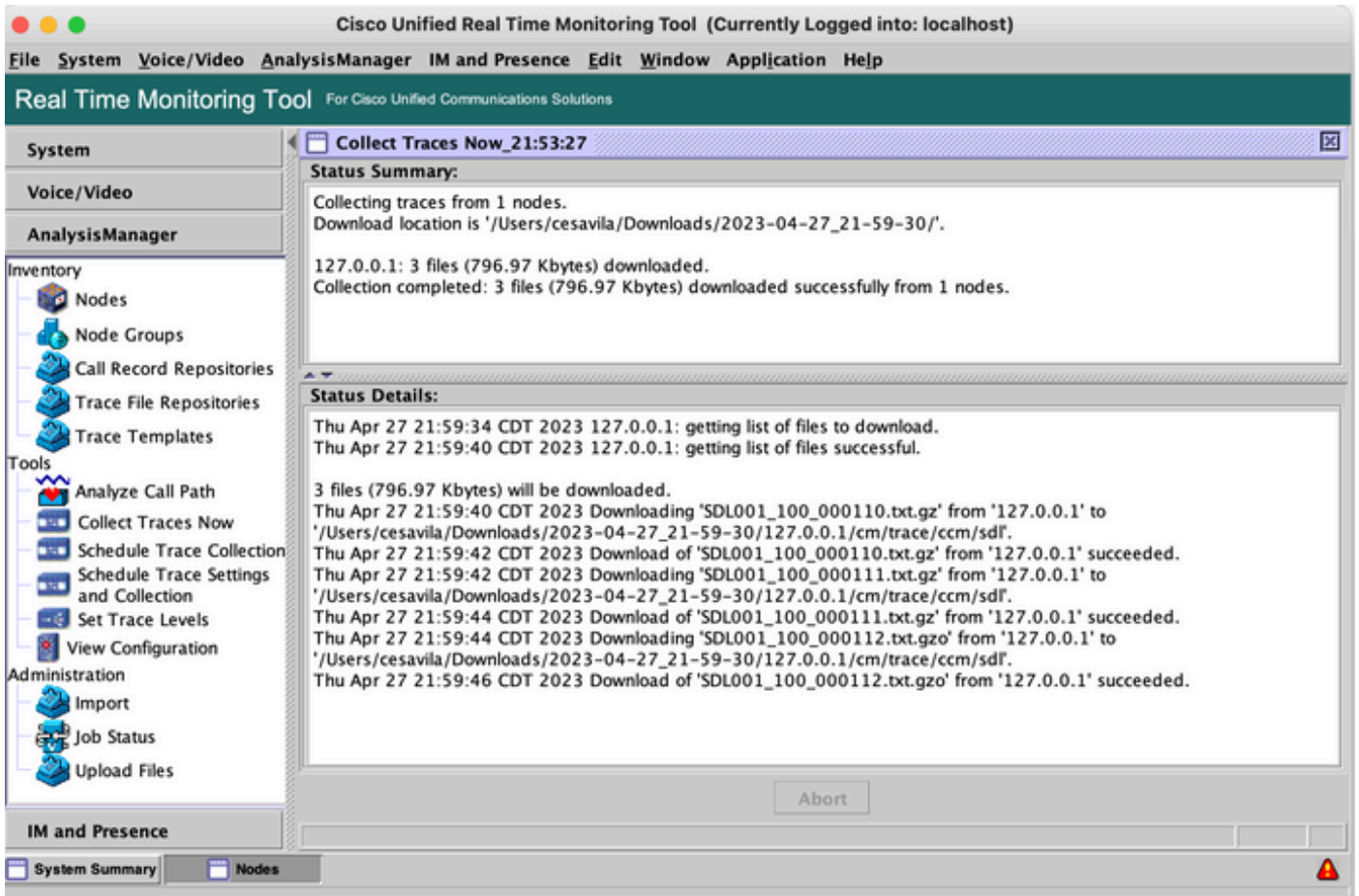
**Step 12.** Select the logs to be collected from the device and click **OK**.



**Step 13.** Finally select **Start Time** and **End Time** of the logs to be collected and click **OK**.



**Step 14.** Files are downloaded to the local PC (RADKit Client PC) successfully.



- SOAP API

SOAP API is currently supported for CUCM. Additionally, Swagger is supported for CMS, Expressway, CVP, and so on.

**Step 1.** Ensure the HTTP Credentials are added in the RADKit Service on the device configuration.

**Step 2.** Run the HTTP Post command on the RADKit Client, specify the resource path, request body with the necessary parameters and headers.

```
>>>
... r = cucm.http_post('/logcollectionservice2/services/LogCollectionPortTypeService', content = '''<soapenv:Envelope xmlns:soapenv="http://schemas.xmlsoap.org/so
... ap/envelope/" xmlns:soap="http://schemas.cisco.com/ast/soap">
... <soapenv:Header>
... <soapenv:Body>
... <soap:FileName>/var/log/active/cm/trace/ccm/sdl/SDL002_100_000819.txt.gz</soap:FileName>
... </soapenv:Body>
... </soapenv:Envelope>''', headers = {"Content-Type": "text/xml; charset=utf-8", "SOAPAction": "GetOneFile"}, postprocessors = ['cucm-extract'])
>>>
```



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**Note:** The postprocessors option '**cucm-extract**' is used to remove the HTTP Response headers to be able to save the log to a file.

```
>>> r
[SUCCESS] HttpResponse(device_name='cucmsiteb', method='POST', url='/logcollectionsservice2/services/LogCollectionPortTypeService', status_code=200)
-----
identity      cesavila@cisco.com
service_id    ckt7-tv6c-uale
device_name   cucmsiteb
method        POST
url           /logcollectionsservice2/services/LogCollectionPortTypeService
status_code   200 OK
content       b'\x1f\x8b\x08\x00\x00\x00\x00\x04\x03\xd4X[\x8f\xdaF\x14-0\xe2?\x9c\xbe%\x95\x81\xc1\x170N\xa9\xca\x1aH\xac,\xae\xcd\xf6\xa6\xd6\x1a\xdb\x03
X16\xb1\xc7\xc9n\xb5?\xbeg\xcc%\xf6n\xd8\x90\xaaUU\xb4f\x99\xe3\xb9|s\xae\xdf\x0cQ\xd4...'
-----
```

**Step 3.** Save the content to a file to get the Trace File saved in the local PC.

```
<#root>
>>> content = r.content
>>> with open('SDL002_100_000819.txt.gz', 'wb') as file:
```

```
file.write(content)
```

## RADKit Use Cases

As it has been highlighted, RADKit provides a secure connection to the network devices including Collaboration servers without the need of being on a webex. The idea is to simplify some of the challenges around data collection by providing on demand access to the required devices.

Talking specifically about Collaboration deployments, RADKit currently can be very useful for a variety of issues such as:

- DB Replication issues.
- Certificate regeneration procedures.
- System Health check.
- Configuration validation in GUI / CLI.
- Log Collection through Web Interface (E.g. CER, Expressway, CIMC, etc).
- Debug logs via CLI on Voice Gateways.

## Related Information

- RADKit Main page <https://radkit.cisco.com/>
- External RADKit support page <https://community.cisco.com/t5/radkit-discussions/bd-p/disc-radkit>