



CPS Installation

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Obtain the CPS Software

Obtain the CPS software from the download link provided in the CPS Release Notes for this release.

The CPS software distribution includes the following files:

- The `CPS_x.x.x.release.iso` file which serves as a temporary virtual CD driver containing the installation software.
- A compressed tar file that contains a `base.vmdk` which serves as the virtual hard drive in building the Cluster Manager virtual machine (VM).
- An Excel spreadsheet included in the `*.iso` which you manually edit to contain the IP addresses, virtual topology, and cluster settings for a High Availability (HA) deployment.

Instructions are provided later in this document on how to obtain this Excel spreadsheet.

Note: This spreadsheet is **not** required for an All-in-One (AIO) CPS deployment.

A VMware OVF tool is also needed to install CPS. This utility can be downloaded as described later in this guide.

Cluster Manager VM

Overview

Cluster Manager is the main virtual machine that manages the deployment, installation, upgrade, configuration and patching of the CPS cluster. The Cluster Manager stages artifacts such as Configuration, Puppet scripts, Shell script tools and CPS application software. The artifacts are applied to the CPS virtual machines (VMs) during initial CPS installation, CPS upgrades, and application of patches to the CPS.

There are four categories of artifacts:

- **Cluster Deployment Configuration**

All the cluster deployment configuration files used for full deployment as well as individual VM deployment are stored in `/var/qps/config/deploy`. These files are created by exporting the CSV files from the CPS Deployment Template Excel spreadsheet and contains the cluster deployment configuration. For more information related to deployment template and CSV files, refer to the section [Configure System Parameters for Deployment](#), on page 12.

These configuration files are used by the deployment scripts (`deploy.sh` and `deploy_all.py`) during VM deployment.

- **CPS Software Configuration**

All the CPS software configuration files which includes the configuration files in `/etc/broadhop` such as features file, `qns.conf`, `jvm.conf` and policy files (such as charging rules policy) are stored in `/var/qps/current_config/`. These configurations are applied to CPS VMs after CPS software is installed. The configuration files are copied to Cluster Manager's `/var/www/html` directory. After a VM is deployed, the puppet script in the VM downloads the configuration files and applies the configuration to the CPS software in the VM.

The iomanager configuration file (`/etc/broadhop/iomanager/qns.conf`) is controlled by puppet. So in case you want to modify iomanager configuration file, you must modify `/etc/puppet/modules/qps/templates/etc/broadhop/iomanager/qns.conf.erb` file.



Note When you are upgrading/migrating from one release to another, you need to modify the iomanager configuration files again with the changes.

- **Puppet**

Puppet (<http://puppetlabs.com/>) is the tool utilized for installing, deploying, and upgrading cluster virtual machines and configurations. Refer to [Puppet Overview](#), on page 3 for more information.

- **Tools**

- Various tools used for operation and maintenance in Cluster Manager.

`/var/qps/bin -> /var/qps/install/current/scripts/bin (-> is a Linux softlink)`

- Deployment Scripts: Scripts used for VM deployment.

- Build Scripts: Scripts that are used to tar the configuration, puppet scripts and software into the `/var/www/html` directory on the Cluster Manager for download by each VM during deployment.
- Control Scripts: Scripts that are used on Cluster Manager to perform tasks such as start/stop of the CPS processes running on the VM nodes.

Directory Structure

- All the artifacts for a release are stored in:
`/var/qps/install/current -> /var/qps/install/CurrentRelease (-> is a Linux softlink)`
- Tools: `/var/qps/bin -> /var/qps/install/current/scripts/bin (-> is a Linux softlink)`
- Deployment scripts are used to deploy VMs.
- Build scripts that zips the configuration, puppet and CPS software to `/var/www/html` directory in Cluster Manager.
- Control scripts
- Configurations includes the configuration files in `/etc/broadhop` such as `features` file, `qns.conf`, `jvm.conf` and policy files. All the configurations in this directory are pushed to the VMs during deployment.
- Files unchanged after upgrade: All the files in `/etc/broadhop` after upgrade remain unchanged.

Puppet Overview

Puppet (<http://puppetlabs.com/>) is a tool utilized for installing, deploying, and upgrading CPS virtual machines and configurations.

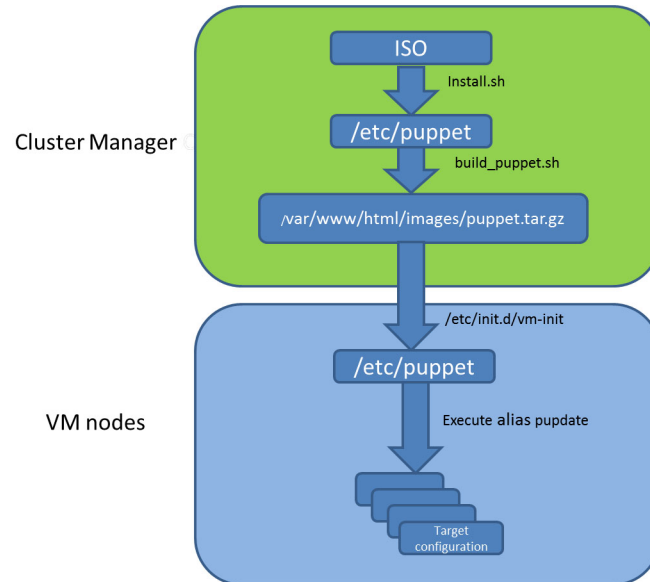
Puppet operations are initiated automatically when CPS installation or upgrade scripts are run. These scripts in turn utilize numerous utility scripts to configure system modules.

For example: `reinit.sh` (used for upgrades) triggers `/etc/init.d/vm-init`.

- 1 When the Cluster Manager VM is deployed, puppet scripts are copied from the CPS ISO to `/etc/puppet`.
- 2 The `build_puppet.sh` moves them to `/var/www/html/images/puppet.tar.gz`.

- 3 `vm-init` downloads the `puppet.tar.gz` from cluster manager and populates them to the `/etc/puppet` directory in the VM nodes.

Figure 1: Installation Flow



Many CPS modules are managed by Puppet, including: java, ntp, zero mq, haproxy, mongo, socat, memcache, diameter, elasticsearch, monit, iomanager, unifiedapi, license manager, policybuilder, collectd, logserver, snmp, grafana.

Puppet files are stored centrally in `/etc/puppet` on the Cluster Manager.

CPS VM nodes and their software and configurations are staged in the `/var/www/html/` directory in zip files. When a VM is rebooted, the VM downloads and runs the appropriate puppet scripts to update the configuration.

Once puppet files are downloaded to each VM node, they reside in `/etc/puppet/` directory on the each VM node.

- `/etc/puppet/puppet.conf`: Basic configuration of puppet.
- `/etc/puppet/classifyNode.sh`: Determines the node type and the appropriate puppet script from `/etc/broadhop.profile`.
- `/etc/puppet/modules/qps/manifests/roles/*.pp`: These are the corresponding scripts for a node to run. For example: `pcrfclient01.pp`, `pcrfclient02.pp`, `lb01.pp`, `qns.pp`, `sessionmgr.pp`, etc.
- `/etc/puppet/modules/`: Contains all the puppet code.
- `env_config -> /var/qps/env_config`: Contains custom puppet files.

Puppet scripts can be started manually using the `pupdate` command, however this should be reserved for troubleshooting, reconfiguration, or recovery of CPS systems with assistance from a Cisco representative.

Modification or execution of puppet scripts should only be performed under the direction of a Cisco Advanced Services representative. Puppet scripts require root level permissions to be modified.

Additional information about custom deployments is provided in [Enable Custom Puppet to Configure Deployment](#), on page 55.

For more information about Puppet, refer also to the Puppet documentation available at: <https://docs.puppetlabs.com/puppet/>.

Deploy the Cluster Manager VM

The Cluster Manager is a server that maintains the system (Operating System) and application artifacts such as software and CPS and Linux configuration for the CPS cluster. It also is responsible for deploying, installing/upgrading the software for the Virtual Machines in the CPS cluster.



Important

User must use standard VMware Switch during VM deployment and avoid using distributed switches. If distributed switches are really needed, initial deployment should be made using standard Switch and post deployment user can change the switch type to distributed.

To deploy the cluster manager VM, perform the following steps:


- Step 1** Login to the vSphere Web Client and select the blade where you want to create a new VM to install the cluster manager VM.
- Step 2** Right-click on the blade and select **New Virtual Machine > New Virtual Machine**. **New Virtual Machine** window opens up.
- Step 3** Select **Create a new virtual machine** and click **Next** to open **Select a name and folder**.
- Step 4** Enter a name for the virtual machine (e.g., CPS Cluster Manager) and select the location for the virtual machine. Click **Next**.
- Step 5** Select blade IP address from **Select a compute resource** window and click **Next** to open **Select storage** window.
- Step 6** From **Select storage** window, select *datastorename* and click **Next** to open **Select compatibility** window.
- Step 7** From **Compatible with:** drop-down list, select ESXi 5.0 and later and click **Next** to open **Select a guest OS** window.
- Step 8** From **Guest OS Family:** drop-down list, select Linux and from **Guest OS Version:** drop-down list, select CentOS 4/5 or later (64-bit).
- Step 9** Click **Next** to open **Customize hardware** window.
- Step 10** In **Virtual Hardware** tab:
 - a) Expand **CPU** node and select **CPU** and **Cores per Socket** as given in [Virtual Machine Requirements](#).
 - b) Select **Memory** size as 12 GB.
 - c) Expand **New SCSI controller** and from **Change Type** drop-down list, select **LSI Logic Parallel**.
 - d) 2 NICs are required (one for eth1 as internal and second for eth2 as management). One NIC already exists as default under **New Network**.
 - e) To add another NIC, from **New device** drop-down list, select **Network** and click **Add**.

f) Click **Next** to open **Ready to complete** window.

Step 11 Review the settings displayed on **Ready to complete** window and click **Finish**.

Step 12 Select the ESXi host (not the new VM just created) and select **Datastores** tab from right pane.

Step 13 Right-click on the *datastorename* and select **Browse Files** to open *datastorename* window.

Step 14 To upload the CPS software to the datastore, select the new directory created for your VM, and click  (Upload a file to the Datastore) button to open **File Upload** window.

Step 15 Navigate to the location of the *CPS_*.tar.gz* file which you downloaded earlier. Select it and click **Open**.

Step 16 To upload CPS ISO, repeat [Step 14](#), on page 6.

Step 17 Navigate to the location of the *CPS_*.release.iso*, select it and click **Open**.

Step 18 Open a secure shell (ssh) connection to the blade ESXi host.

Step 19 Cd to the directory with the data store.

```
cd /vmfs/volumes/<datastore name>/foldername
```

For example:

```
cd /vmfs/volumes/datastore5/CPS Cluster Manager
```

Step 20 Untar the file:

For example:

```
tar -xvzf CPS_13.0.0_Base.vmdk.release.tar.gz
```

Note After extracting tar file, you will get a *base.vmdk* file in a newly created folder (with name *base*).

Step 21 Convert the vmdk file to ESX format:

```
cd base
```

```
vmkfstools --diskformat thin -i base.vmdk newbase.vmdk
```

Note This command can take several minutes to complete.

Step 22 Press **Ctrl + Alt + 2** to go back to **Hosts and Clusters** and select the VM created above (*CPS Cluster Manager*).

a) Right-click and select **Edit Settings... Virtual Hardware** tab will be displayed as default.

b) From **New device** drop-down list, select **Existing Hard Disk** and click **Add**.

c) Navigate to the location of your new VM and select *newbase.vmdk* (created in [Step 21](#), on page 6) and click **OK**.

d) Expand **New Hard disk** and select **Virtual Device Node** as IDE(1:0) from the drop-down list and click **OK**.

Step 23 Mount ISO on CD/DVD:

a) Expand **CD/DVD drive 1** and change the option from **Client Device** to **Datastore ISO File**. Browse to the ISO image file, select the required ISO image and click **OK**.

b) Check **Connect At Power On** to connect the device when the virtual machine turns on and click **OK**.

Step 24 Mount Cluster Manager seed ISO on CD/DVD:

a) From **New device** drop-down list, select **CD/DVD Drive** and click **Add**. The newly added New CD/DVD Drive will appear at the end of the window.

b) Change the **New CD/DVD Drive** option from **Client Device** to **Datastore ISO File**. Browse to required *Cluman seed ISO image* (For example, *base/cluman_seed.iso*), select it and click **OK**.

c) Check **Connect At Power On** to connect the device when the virtual machine turns on.

d) Select **Virtual Device Node** as IDE(0:1) from the drop-down list and click **OK**.

Step 25 Power on the *CPS Cluster Manager* VM.

Note The following message may be reported on the Cluster Manager VM console. You can disregard this message.

Probing EDD (edd=off to disable)

Configure Cluster Manager VM

To configure cluster manager VM, perform the following steps:

Common Steps

Step 1 Login to the vSphere Web Client.

Step 2 To open VM console, you have two options:

Option	Description
1	You can launch the console by selecting the Cluster Manager VM, right-click on VM and select Open Console .
2	Select the Cluster Manager VM from the left panel and click Summary tab from the top menu on the right panel. For 6.0 version: Click Launch Remote Console . For 6.5 version: Click on the small gear icon and select Launch Web Console to open the VM console.

Step 3 Login to the VM as the root user. The default password is cisco123.

Step 4 Configure the network settings:

a) Private LAN for future VMs (a private sub network).

For example, `/etc/sysconfig/network-scripts/ifcfg-eth0` as:

This is specific to VMware deployments:

```
DEVICE=eth0
TYPE=Ethernet
ONBOOT=yes
NM_CONTROLLED=no
IPADDR=XX.XX.XX.XX
NETMASK=XX.XX.XX.XX
```

b) Public address (access the cisco network).

For example, `/etc/sysconfig/network-scripts/ifcfg-eth1` as:

This is specific to VMware deployments:

```
DEVICE=eth1
TYPE=Ethernet
ONBOOT=yes
NM_CONTROLLED=no
IPADDR=XX.XX.XX.XX
```

```
NETMASK=XX.XX.XX.XX
GATEWAY=XX.XX.XX.XX
```

Step 5 Restart the network.

```
/etc/init.d/network restart
```

Step 6 Login to the CPS Cluster Manager VM as a root user using SSH and public address (or via the console).

Step 7 Edit/add the eth0 private IP address of the Cluster Manager in `/etc/hosts`.

For example:

```
XX.XX.XX.XX installer
```

Note If the actual hostname for Cluster Manager VM is other than 'installer', then modify installer/cluman entry in `/etc/hosts` accordingly.

Example:

```
XX.XX.XX.XX installer <actual-hostname>
```

Step 8 Download and install the VMware Open Virtualization Format (OVF) tool.

Note The OVF tool is **not** required for AIO deployments. It is only required for High Availability or Geographic Redundant deployments.

a) Download the VMware Open Virtualization Format Tool:

Version 4.1.0 for VMware 6.0 or 6.5: `VMware-ovftool-4.1.0-2459827-lin.x86_64.bundle`

<https://my.vmware.com/web/vmware/details?downloadGroup=OVFTOOL410&productId=491>

b) Copy it to `/root` directory.

c) Install the OVF tool that you downloaded in step a.

```
/bin/sh VMware-ovftool-4.1.0-2459827-lin.x86_64.bundle
```

d) Accept the license prompts to complete the OVF tool installation.

Step 9 Update the RSA public key:

```
cp /etc/ssh/ssh_host_rsa_key.pub /root/.ssh/id_rsa.pub
```

Step 10 Mount the ISO from CD/DVD:

```
mkdir -p /mnt/iso
```

```
mount -o loop /dev/sr0 /mnt/iso/
```

Note Verify whether `install.sh` command is available in `/mnt/iso`. If `install.sh` command is not available, perform the following:

a) Unmount the CPS ISO:

```
umount /mnt/iso
```

b) Mount the ISO from CD/DVD:

```
mount -o loop /dev/sr1 /mnt/iso/
```

Step 11 Proceed to the next sections to continue the installation for a High Availability (HA) deployment, or for an All-in-One deployment.

HA Installation

To proceed with a new High Availability (HA) installation:

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- Step 1** Run the **install.sh** script from the ISO directory.
- ```
cd /mnt/iso
./install.sh
```
- Step 2** When prompted for the install type, enter the required type based on your CPS deployment requirements.  
Please enter install type [mobile|wifi|mog|pats|arbiter|dra|andsf|escef]:  
Enter **mobile** to install Diameter, **arbiter** to install Arbiter, **andsf** to install ANDSF module.
- Important**
- RADIUS-based policy control is no longer supported in CPS 14.0.0 and later releases as 3GPP Gx Diameter interface has become the industry-standard policy control interface.
  - For more information on Arbiter installation, refer to *Standalone Arbiter Deployment on VMware* section in *CPS Geographic Redundancy Guide*.
  - For more information on MOG/PATS, contact your Cisco Technical Representative.
  - Currently, DRA installation type is not supported.
  - Currently, eSCEF is an EFT product and is for Lab Use Only. This means it is not supported by Cisco TAC and cannot be used in a production network. The features in the EFT are subject to change at the sole discretion of Cisco.
- Step 3** When prompted to initialize the environment, enter **y**.
- ```
Would you like to initialize the environment... [y|n]:
```
- Step 4** When prompted for the type of installation, enter **1** (New Deployment).
Please select the type of installation to complete:
- ```
1) New Deployment
2) Upgrade to different build within same release (eg: 1.0 build 310 to 1.0 build 311)
 or Offline upgrade from one major release to another (eg: 1.0 to 2.0)
3) In-Service Upgrade from one major release to another (eg: 1.0 to 2.0)
```
- Note** Refer to the *CPS Migration and Upgrade Guide* for detailed instructions on option 2 and 3.
- Step 5** When prompted to change the Cluster Manger default root password, enter the new password.  
Need to change the default root password for security reasons..  
Changing password for user root.  
New password: XXXXX  
Retype new password:
- Step 6** After finishing the installation (or upgrade) process, unmount the ISO image using the following commands. This prevents any “device is busy” errors when a subsequent upgrade/new installation is performed.
- ```
cd /root
umount /mnt/iso
```
- Note** If you are not able to unmount the ISO using `umount` command, then use `umount -l`.
- Step 7** (Optional) After unmounting the ISO, delete the ISO image to free system space.
- ```
rm -rf /dev/sr0/xxxx.iso
```

where, `xxxx.iso` is the name of the ISO image.

- Step 8** (Optional) Change the host name of the Cluster Manager.
- Run `hostname xxx`, where `xxx` is the new host name for the Cluster Manager.
  - Edit `/etc/sysconfig/network` to add the new host name for the Cluster Manager.
- Step 9** Run `change_passwd.sh` script on Cluster Manager to change the password of root user across the system. For more information, refer to [Update Default Credentials](#).
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## AIO Installation

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- Step 1** To install an All-in-One (AIO) deployment where all CPS components are installed on a single VM, configure this node to be an 'aio':
- ```
echo NODE_TYPE=aio > /etc/broadhop.profile
```
- Step 2** Run the `install.sh` script from the ISO directory.
- ```
cd /mnt/iso
./install.sh
```
- Step 3** When prompted for the install type, enter the required type based on your CPS deployment requirements. Please enter `install type [mobile|wifi|mog|pats|arbiter|dra|andsf|escef]`:
- Enter `mobile` to install Diameter, `wifi` to install RADIUS, `mog` to install MOG module, `pats` to install PATS, `arbiter` to install Arbiter, `dra` to install DRA module, `andsf` to install ANDSF module or `escef` to install eSCEF module.
- Important**
- RADIUS-based policy control is no longer supported in CPS 14.0.0 and later releases as 3GPP Gx Diameter interface has become the industry-standard policy control interface.
  - For more information on Arbiter installation, refer to *Standalone Arbiter Deployment on VMware* section in *CPS Geographic Redundancy Guide*.
  - For more information on MOG/PATS, contact your Cisco Technical Representative.
  - Currently, DRA installation type is not supported.
  - Currently, eSCEF is an EFT product and is for Lab Use Only. This means it is not supported by Cisco TAC and cannot be used in a production network. The features in the EFT are subject to change at the sole discretion of Cisco.
- Step 4** When prompted to initialize the environment, enter `y`.
- ```
Would you like to initialize the environment... [y|n]:
```
- Step 5** When prompted for the type of installation, enter 1 (New Deployment).
- ```
Please select the type of installation to complete:
1) New Deployment
2) Upgrade to different build within same release (eg: 1.0 build 310 to 1.0 build 311)
 or Offline upgrade from one major release to another (eg: 1.0 to 2.0)
3) In-Service Upgrade from one major release to another (eg: 1.0 to 2.0)
```

**Note** Refer to the *CPS Migration and Upgrade Guide* for detailed instructions on option 2 and 3.

**Step 6** When prompted to change the Cluster Manger default root password, enter the new password.

Need to change the default root password for security reasons..

Changing password for user root.

New password: XXXXX

Retype new password:

**Step 7** When `install.sh` finishes, execute the following command to reinitialize CPS.

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

`reinit.sh` executes puppet on AIO and also checks if it is executed successfully.

**Step 8** Open Policy Builder and modify the Local Host Name of Diameter Stack to 'localhost'.

**Step 9** Save and Publish the configuration.

**Step 10** After finishing the installation (or upgrade) process, unmount the ISO image using the following commands. This prevents any “device is busy” errors when a subsequent upgrade/new installation is performed.

```
cd /root
```

```
umount /mnt/iso
```

**Note** If you are not able to unmount the ISO using `umount` command, then use `umount -l`.

**Step 11** (Optional) After unmounting the ISO, delete the ISO image to free system space.

```
rm -rf /dev/sr0/xxxx.iso
```

where, `xxxx.iso` is the name of the ISO image.

**Step 12** (Optional) Change the host name of the Cluster Manager.

a) Run `hostname xxx`, where `xxx` is the new host name for the Cluster Manager. Currently, you can change the hostname to `lab` only.

b) Edit `/etc/sysconfig/network` to add the new host name for the Cluster Manager.

c) After modification of the hostname, restart your system (preferred) or login again to the shell.

**Note** Before executing `puppet` command, make sure command prompt is displaying the modified hostname.

d) Execute `puppet apply` command to apply the appropriate configurations changes to the system:

```
puppet apply -v --modulepath "/etc/puppet/modules:/etc/puppet/env_config/modules" --pluginsync /etc/puppet/manifests/init.pp --logdest /var/log/puppet.log
```

**Note** Manually enter `puppet apply` command in your system.

## What to Do Next

After completing the steps in this section, refer to 4 in [Convert the Cluster Manager VM to an All-in-One](#) to continue the AIO conversion.

# Configure System Parameters for Deployment


**Note**

This section applies only for High Availability CPS deployments. For All-in-One deployments, proceed to section [Convert the Cluster Manager VM to an All-in-One](#).

The following section guides you through the steps needed to properly configure a new installation of CPS. The Deployment Template file is a spreadsheet used for populating deployment parameters.

This file is available on the Cluster Manager VM at the following location:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/deployer/templates/QPS_deployment_config_template.xlsx
```

After entering your parameters into the spreadsheet (as described in the following sections), the information from the spreadsheet is loaded onto the Cluster Manager VM. The Cluster Manager uses the information to configure the other CPS VMs in the cluster.


**Note**

All alphabet characters used in virtual IPv6 addresses configured in csv files must be in small case letters.

To add values to the corresponding sheets in the template file, refer to the following sections:

## Definitions Configuration

The **Definitions** sheet defines default parameters used by other sheets.

Select the **Definitions** sheet.

**Figure 2: Definitions**

|    | A                    | B                 | C            | D | E |
|----|----------------------|-------------------|--------------|---|---|
| 1  | <b>Diskmode</b>      | <b>Datastores</b> | <b>Alias</b> |   |   |
| 2  | thin                 | datastore1        | lb01         |   |   |
| 3  | monolithicSparse     | datastore2        | lb02         |   |   |
| 4  | monolithicFlat       | datastore3        | prfclient01  |   |   |
| 5  | twoGbMaxExtentSparse | datastore4        | prfclient02  |   |   |
| 6  | woGbMaxExtentFlat    | datastore5        | portal01     |   |   |
| 7  | seSparse             | datastore6        | portal02     |   |   |
| 8  | eagerZeroedThick     |                   | sessionmgr01 |   |   |
| 9  | thick                |                   | sessionmgr02 |   |   |
| 10 | sparse               |                   | sessionmgr03 |   |   |
| 11 |                      |                   | sessionmgr04 |   |   |
| 12 |                      |                   | sessionmgr05 |   |   |
| 13 |                      |                   | sessionmgr06 |   |   |
| 14 |                      |                   | sessionmgr07 |   |   |
| 15 |                      |                   | sessionmgr08 |   |   |
| 16 |                      |                   | sessionmgr09 |   |   |
| 17 |                      |                   | sessionmgr10 |   |   |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 1: Definitions Configuration Sheet Parameters**

| Parameter  | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
|------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Diskmode   | Do not modify this column.<br>The Diskmode column defines the disk mode for VMware. This is used by the VMSpecification sheet.                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| Datastores | The Datastore column defines all the storages in the virtualization environment. It is used by the datastore column in the Hosts sheet. Add an entry here for each datastore in the virtualization environment.<br>The datastore name must not contain spaces.                                                                        |
| Alias      | Be cautious modifying the values of the column. Add new names only if the number of session manager node names exceed 20, Policy Server (QNS) node names exceed 20. Use the naming convention: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• For Policy Server (QNS) nodes: qnsxxx</li> <li>• For session manager: sessionmgrxx</li> </ul> |

## VMSpecifications Configuration

In a CPS cluster, there are few types of nodes: Policy Director (LB), sessionmgr, Policy Server (QNS), and OAM (PCRCLIENT). Each VM is assigned with a particular type of node. The following sheet defines the attributes for each type of node.

Select the **VMSpecification** sheet.

**Figure 3: VM Specifications Configuration Sheet**

| 1  | Role           | Host Name Prefix | Memory | vCPU | Diskmode |
|----|----------------|------------------|--------|------|----------|
| 2  | lb01           | dc1              | 8192   | 8    | thin     |
| 3  | lb02           | dc1              | 8192   | 8    | thin     |
| 4  | sm             | dc1              | 24576  | 6    | thin     |
| 5  | qps            | dc1              | 8192   | 6    | thin     |
| 6  | pcrfclient01   | dc1              | 16384  | 6    | thin     |
| 7  | pcrfclient02   | dc1              | 16384  | 6    | thin     |
| 8  | smarb          | dc1              | 4096   | 2    | thin     |
| 9  |                |                  |        |      |          |
| 10 |                |                  |        |      |          |
| 11 | Convert To CSV |                  |        |      |          |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 2: VMSpecification Configuration Parameters**

| Parameter        | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Role             | Do not change the value of this column.<br>The Role column defines different types of VMs: lb01, lb02, sm, qps, pcrfclient01, pcrfclient02.                                                                                                              |
| Host Name Prefix | The Host Name Prefix is prepended to the Guest Name (the host name of the VM in the Hosts sheet), which is used as the VM name in the ESX server, i.e dc1-sessionmgr01 is the VM name in VCenter and sessionmgr01 is the host name in the VM's Linux OS. |
| Memory           | The Memory column is the size of memory needed for the type of the VMs in Megabytes (MB).                                                                                                                                                                |
| vCPU             | The vCPU column is the number of CPU needed for the VM.                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Diskmode         | The Diskmode is how the Hypervisor should keep the disk of the VM in the storage. See VMware documentation for the meaning of different modes. Our recommendation is to keep it as thin mode unless specific needs arise in your Hypervisor environment. |

## VLANs Configuration

The VLAN Configuration sheet defines different subnets in the virtual infrastructure.

Select the VLANs sheet.

**Figure 4: VLANs Configuration**

| 1 | VLAN Name  | Network Target Name | Netmask       | Gateway | VIP Alias | Pcrfclient VIP Alias | guestNic |
|---|------------|---------------------|---------------|---------|-----------|----------------------|----------|
| 2 | Internal   | VM Network          | 255.255.255.0 | NA      | lbvip02   | arbitervip           | eth0     |
| 3 | Management | VLAN 94             | 255.255.255.0 | NA      | lbvip01   |                      | eth1     |
| 4 | Gx         | VM Network          | 255.255.255.0 | NA      | lbvip03   |                      | eth2     |
| 5 |            |                     |               |         |           |                      |          |

Contact your Cisco Technical Representative for further information on VLANs.

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 3: VLANs Configuration Parameters**

| Parameter           | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
|---------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| VLAN Name           | The VLAN Name column defines the name for a particular VLAN. It is recommended to use a name representing the network for certain traffic. For additional networks, add more as needed.<br><br>The "Internal" VLAN Name is always needed.<br><br>Names must consist only of alphanumeric characters and underscores, and must not start with a number. |
| Network Target Name | The Network Target Name column is the name of the networks defined in the Hypervisor (VMware), for example the network in vSphere for a blade server.                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Netmask             | The Netmask column is the network mask for the network. If the VLAN supports IPv6, the network mask can be IPv6 mask. If the VLAN interface supports both IPv4 and IPv6, add both netmasks in the cell, separated by space.                                                                                                                            |
| Gateway             | The Gateway column is the gateway for the network, If the VLAN supports IPv6, the gateway can be IPv6 gateway address. If the VLAN interface supports both IPv4 and IPv6, add both gateways in the cell, separated by space. An example is provided in the <a href="#">Table 4: Example</a> .                                                          |
| VIP Alias           | Enter the alias name for the virtual interfaces in Policy Director (lb). The virtual addresses are used to distribute the traffic between two Policy Directors (LBs).                                                                                                                                                                                  |

| Parameter            | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Pcrfclient VIP Alias | Enter the alias name for the virtual interfaces between OAM (PCRFCLIENTS) whenever you want VIP between pcrfclient01 and pcrfclient02 (for example, lbvip02 is VIP between lb01 and lb02).<br><br>This virtual IP is used to support redundancy for arbiter member of replica set. |
| guestNic             | This field is optional and it supports custom NIC/interface name other than default one i.e. eth0/1/2, which can support SR-IOV enabled interfaces. If guestNic field is empty, it takes the value eth0, eth1, eth2 in order of its appearance.                                    |

Table 4: Example

| VLAN Name  | Network Target Name | Netmask       | Gateway         | VIP Alias | Pcrfclient VIP Alias |
|------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Internal   | VLAN_2017           | 255.255.255.0 | NA              | lbvip02   | arbitervip           |
| Management | VLAN_2025           | 255.255.255.0 | 172.20.25.1     | lbvip01   | -                    |
| Gx         | VLAN_3041           | 64            | 2003:3041::22:1 | lbvip03   | -                    |
| Rx         | VLAN_3043           | 64            | 2003:3043::22:1 | lbvip05   | -                    |
| Syp        | VLAN_3042           | 64            | 2003:3042::22:1 | lbvip04   | -                    |

## Hosts Configuration

In this sheet, all the VM/nodes are defined. The deployment uses the information here to deploy the VMs.



### Note

The host addresses used in the examples may be different from those in your deployment.



Select the **Hosts** sheet.

**Figure 5: Hosts Configuration**

|    | A               | B                | C            | D            | E          | F            | G            | H                                                                                                      |
|----|-----------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1  | Hypervisor Name | Guest Name       | Role         | Alias        | Datastore  | Networks --> | Internal     | Management                                                                                             |
| 2  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-lb01         | lb01         | lb01         | datastore5 |              | 192.20       | Please enter valid network names in the drop down list, which should be configured in the VLANs sheet. |
| 3  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-lb02         | lb02         | lb02         | datastore5 |              | 192.20       |                                                                                                        |
| 4  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-sessionmgr01 | sm           | sessionmgr01 | datastore5 |              | 192.20       |                                                                                                        |
| 5  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-sessionmgr02 | sm           | sessionmgr02 | datastore5 |              | 192.20       |                                                                                                        |
| 6  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-qns01        | qps          | qns01        | datastore5 |              | 192.20       |                                                                                                        |
| 7  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-qns02        | qps          | qns02        | datastore5 |              | 192.20.20.12 |                                                                                                        |
| 8  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-pcrfclient01 | pcrfclient01 | pcrfclient01 | datastore5 |              | 192.20.20.5  |                                                                                                        |
| 9  | esxi-host-1     | dc1-pcrfclient02 | pcrfclient02 | pcrfclient02 | datastore5 |              | 192.20.20.6  |                                                                                                        |
| 10 | esxi-host-1     | dc1-portal       | portal       | portal       | datastore5 |              | 192.20.20.17 |                                                                                                        |
| 11 | esxi-host-1     | dc1-sessionmgr03 | sm           | sessionmgr03 | datastore5 |              | 192.20.20.12 |                                                                                                        |
| 12 |                 |                  |              |              |            |              |              |                                                                                                        |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 5: Hosts Configuration Parameters**

| Parameter       | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|-----------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Hypervisor Name | The Hypervisor Name column specifies the host names for the blade servers. The names should be routable by the Cluster Manager VM.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| Guest Name      | <p>The Guest Name column is the host name of the VMs resolvable in the enterprise DNS environment.</p> <p><b>Note</b> Host name is a text string up to 24 characters and can include alphabets, digits (0-9), minus sign (-), and period (.). The first letter of the host name can be either a letter or a digit. For more information on host names, refer to the following links:</p> <p><a href="https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc952">https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc952</a></p> <p><a href="https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc1123">https://tools.ietf.org/html/rfc1123</a></p> |
| Role            | <p>The role defines the type of VM within the CPS cluster.</p> <p>The Role column is a drop-down entry from a list specified in VMSpecification sheet.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• lb01, lb02: Policy Director</li> <li>• pcrfclient01, pcrfclient02: OAM</li> <li>• qps: Policy Server</li> <li>• sm: Session Manager</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |

| Parameter           | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Alias               | The Alias is the internal host name used by CPS nodes for internal communication, such as qns01.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Datastore           | The Datastore column is the datastore name used by the Hypervisor for the physical storage of the VM. The datastore is a drop-down list from column data in the Definition sheet.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| Networks -->        | The Networks --> column is a read only column. Do not write anything to it.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Internal/Management | <p>The columns following the Networks --&gt; specifies all the IP addresses for the VMs. For each VLAN Name in the VLANS sheet for the VM, a new column should be added for that network.</p> <p>The title of the column should come from the VLAN name in the VLANS sheet. The content should be the IP address. If the network is IPv6, add IP v6 address. If the interface has both IPv4 and IPv6 addresses, add both addresses in the cell, separated by space.</p> <p>The "Internal" network name is reserved and should always be present. The IP address for the internal network can only be either IPv4 or IPv6, but not both.</p> |

**Important**

Verify that all VM IP addresses and host names (Guest Name) are configured properly in the Hosts sheet. You cannot modify the IP addresses or host names manually on the VMs (excluding Cluster Manager) after deploying the VMs. Instead, you must correct the IP addresses and host names in the Hosts sheet, then import the file to the Cluster Manager and re-deploy the VMs with the updated IP address or host names.

## Additional Hosts Configuration

There are many hosts in the environment that CPS needs to interact with, for example: NTP server, NMS server, etc. The AdditionalHosts sheet contains all these hosts and IP addresses. The host entries are copied to the `/etc/hosts` file of the Cluster Manager during the deployment.

**Note**

Each line in the `/etc/hosts` file must start with an IP Address.

For additional information about `/etc/hosts`, refer to <http://unixhelp.ed.ac.uk/CGI/man-cgi?hosts>.

Select the **AdditionalHosts** sheet.

**Figure 6: Additional Hosts**

| 1  | Host             | Alias           | IP Address      |
|----|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 2  | ntp-primary      | ntp             | 155.165.201.253 |
| 3  | ntp-secondary    | btp             | 155.165.132.253 |
| 4  | lbvip01          | lbvip01         | 10.105.94.232   |
| 5  | lbvip02          | lbvip02         | 192.20.20.27    |
| 6  | snmp-trapdest    | nms-destination | 155.174.11.118  |
| 7  | esxi-host-1      | esxi-host-1     | 10.105.93.226   |
| 8  | esxi-host-2      | esxi-host-2     | 10.105.93.227   |
| 9  | esxi-host-3      | esxi-host-3     | 10.105.93.228   |
| 10 | esxi-host-4      | esxi-host-4     | 10.105.93.229   |
| 11 | corporate_nms_ip | nms_manager     | 155.174.11.118  |
| 12 |                  |                 |                 |
| 13 |                  |                 |                 |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 6: Additional Hosts Configuration Parameters**

| Parameter  | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Host       | <p>The Host column is the arbitrary value that can be added by user as the name of the virtual machines added to the Hypervisor.</p> <p><b>Attention</b> Make sure lbvip01, lbvip02 and sslvip01 host values are not changed from their default values. By default, the values for lbvip01, lbvip02 and sslvip01 are lbvip01, lbvip02 and sslvip01 respectively.</p> |
| Alias      | <p>The Alias is the internal host name used by CPS nodes for internal communication, such as qns01.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| IP Address | <p>IP address of the host.</p> <p>Currently, IPv6 is supported only for policy director (lb) external interfaces. An example is provided in the <a href="#">Table 7: Example</a>, on page 20.</p>                                                                                                                                                                    |

**Table 7: Example**

| Host    | Alias   | IP Address       |
|---------|---------|------------------|
| lbvip04 | lbvip04 | 2003:3042::22:22 |
| lbvip05 | lbvip05 | 2003:3043::22:22 |

## NTP Configuration

For HA, add a row for each NTP server in the **AdditionalHosts** sheet. The Alias for the primary has to be ntp and the Alias for the secondary has to be btp. The NTP servers are configured in the `/etc/ntp.conf` of lb01/lb02.

For AIO, add the NTP server information manually in `/etc/hosts` file.

## Configuration based on Diameter Endpoints Interface

If the CPS platform is acting as a Diameter Server and using HAProxy, then you can configure AdditionalHosts and VipProxyConfiguration with interface hostname in the CPS Deployment Configuration Template (Excel Worksheet) based on the following table:

**Table 8: Configuration with/without VIP Proxy**

| Traffic on Interface                                        | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Only on LBvips                                              | <p>Configuration can be done using <code>VipProxyConfiguration.csv</code> file or <code>AdditionalHosts.csv</code> file.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>VipProxyConfiguration.csv</b><br/>If using <code>VipProxyconfiguration.csv</code> file, remove <code>diam-int*</code> entries from <code>AdditionalHosts.csv</code> file. Configure all your VIPs in <code>VipProxyConfiguration.csv</code> file. For more information, refer to <a href="#">VIP Proxy Configuration, on page 39</a>.</li> <li>• <b>AdditionalHosts.csv</b><br/>Remove <code>VipProxyconfiguration.csv</code> file. All VIPs must be added in <code>AdditionalHosts.csv</code> file. For more information, refer to <a href="#">Diameter Related Configuration, on page 21</a>.</li> </ul> |
| Only on Policy Director (lb) interface<br>For example, eth1 | All entries should be present in <code>AdditionalHosts.csv</code> file. Remove <code>VipProxyconfiguration.csv</code> file.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| On both the interfaces.<br>For example, eth1 and eth1:1     | All entries should be present in <code>AdditionalHosts.csv</code> file. Remove <code>VipProxyconfiguration.csv</code> file.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

## Diameter Related Configuration

If the CPS platform is acting as a Diameter Server and using HAProxy, then configure the AdditionalHosts tab with interface hostname in the CPS Deployment Configuration Template (Excel Worksheet) using the format and naming standard as described below. For a proper diameter stack configuration, the Policy Builder configuration must match ports defined in this tab (see the mapping table below for the port mapping in the [Additional Notes](#), on page 23 section).

The Cluster Manager supports the following scenarios for HAProxy Diameter:

- Single Endpoint:

All diameter traffic comes into one NIC and same port. This is defined by adding an entry to **AdditionalHosts** tab of the Excel spreadsheet. The HAProxy binds to port 3868 on the defined IP for each host. Format of the hostname is *diam-int1- $\{hostname\}$* .



**Note** The format of the Hostname is *diam-int1- $\{hostname\}$* , where  *$\{hostname\}$*  is the guest name of a Policy Director (LB) VM. There will be one  *$\{hostname\}$*  for each Policy Director (LB) node (lb01, lb02...). Refer to your **Hosts.csv** file to get the required  *$\{hostname\}$*  values. An example is provided in the above screen shot.

For example:

**Table 9: Single Endpoint**

| Hostname       | IP Address      |
|----------------|-----------------|
| diam-int1-lb01 | XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX |
| diam-int1-lb02 | YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY |

where, *XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX* is the IP address of diam-int1-lb01 and *YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY* is the IP address of diam-int1-lb02.

- Multiple VIP Endpoints:

Diameter traffic for different interfaces (Gx, Rx and so on) can come into different NICs either on lb01 or lb02. This is defined by adding multiple 'diam-intx-vip' entries to **AdditionalHosts** tab of the deployment template spreadsheet. The HAProxy binds to port 3868 on the defined VIP on each host (that is, lb01 and lb02). Format of the hostname is *diam-intx-vip*.



**Note** For each VIP Endpoint, you must add the respective entry in VLANs tab.

For example,

Hostname IP Address

diam-intx-vip *XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX*

where,

*x* can have value from 1 to 4.

and *XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX* is the VIP address of the respective diameter interface.

If using `VipProxyConfiguration.csv` file, no need to configure the `diam-int*` entries in `AdditionalHosts.csv` file. Configure all your VIPs in `VipProxyConfiguration.csv` file. For more information, refer to [VIP Proxy Configuration](#), on page 39.

- Multiple Endpoint/Multiple Interfaces:

Multiple Interface/Endpoints are used when different diameters are coming from different networks and ports to provide more isolation of traffic. Diameter traffic comes into multiple NICs in Load Balancer, but all other traffic comes into the same interface and shares the same port. This is defined by adding multiple entries to **AdditionalHosts** tab of the Excel spreadsheet. The HAProxy binds to port 3868 on the defined IP for each host. Format of the hostname is `diam-int[1-4]-{hostname}`.

For example:

**Table 10: Multiple Endpoint/Multiple Interfaces**

| Hostname       | IP Address             |
|----------------|------------------------|
| diam-int1-lb01 | <i>XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX</i> |
| diam-int1-lb02 | <i>YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY</i> |
| diam-int2-lb01 | <i>AAA.AAA.AAA.AAA</i> |
| diam-int2-lb02 | <i>BBB.BBB.BBB.BBB</i> |

where, *AAA.AAA.AAA.AAA* is the IP address of `diam-int2-lb01` and *BBB.BBB.BBB.BBB* is the IP address of `diam-int2-lb02`.

- Multiple Endpoint/Single Interface/Multiple Ports:

Diameter traffic comes into Load Balancer via the multiple NIC, and also through different ports such as 3868, 3869, etc. This is defined by adding multiple entries to **AdditionalHosts** tab of the Excel spreadsheet. The HAProxy binds to port 3868 through 3871 on the defined IP for each host. Format of the hostname is `diam-int1-{hostname}` for port 3868 and `diam-int1-{hostname}-[69|70|71]` for ports 3869, 3870 and 3871.

For example:

**Table 11: Multiple Endpoint/Single Interface/Multiple Ports**

| Hostname          | IP Address      |
|-------------------|-----------------|
| diam-int1-lb01    | XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX |
| diam-int1-lb01-69 | XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX |
| diam-int1-lb01-70 | XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX |
| diam-int1-lb01-71 | XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX |
| diam-int1-lb02    | YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY |
| diam-int1-lb02-69 | YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY |
| diam-int1-lb02-70 | YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY |
| diam-int1-lb02-71 | YYY.YYY.YYY.YYY |

**Additional Notes:**

The HAProxy configuration that is generated routes the requests to local endpoints in the same Policy Director VM (LB) where the diameter endpoints are anchored. In order to utilize this, the Policy Builder settings for diameter ports must be: 3868 for haproxy server 1, 3878 for haproxy server 2, 3888 for haproxy server 3 and 3898 for haproxy server 4. For example, setting up two stacks on separate VIPs would require setting the two hosts settings: stack 1 to port 3868 and stack 2 to 3878.

```
diam-int1-lb01(3868) - base port defined in stack as 3868, 3869, 3870
diam-int2-lb01 (3868)- base port defined in stack as 3878, 3879, 3880
diam-int3-lb01(3868) - base port defined in stack as 3888, 3889, 3890
diam-int4-lb01(3868) - base port defined in stack as 3898, 3899, 3900
diam-int1-lb01-69(3869) - base port defined in stack as 3878, 3879, 3880
diam-int1-lb01-70(3870) - base port defined in stack as 3888, 3889, 3890
diam-int1-lb01-71(3871)- base port defined in stack as 3898, 3899, 3900
```

HAProxy is used to perform least connection load balancing within a VM in CPS implementation and does not load balance across a VM.

In a CPS cluster which is configured with more than 2 Policy Directors (LBs), HAProxy and the VIPs are hosted only on LB01 and LB02. The additional LBs serve only as diameter endpoints to route diameter traffic.

**Add Diameter Endpoints**

To add diameter endpoints manually, modify the `/var/qps/current_config/image-map` file as follows.

In CPS 10.0.0 and higher releases, the `lb01` and `lb02` entries are replaced with a single `lb` entry, as shown in the following example:

```
lb=iomanager
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
```

```
lb=diameter_endpoint
qns=pcrf
pcrfclient=controlcenter
pcrfclient=pb
aio=pcrf
aio=pb
```

In releases prior to CPS 10.0.0:

```
lb01=iomanager01
lb02=iomanager02
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
lb=diameter_endpoint
qns=pcrf
pcrfclient=controlcenter
pcrfclient=pb
aio=pcrf
aio=pb
```

## General Configuration

The Configuration sheet contains values for ESXi Users and the default CPS users, and some global variables that the puppet scripts use to generate the VMs.

To change the values on this tab, contact your Cisco Technical Representative.

For users specified in this Configuration sheet, such as qns-admin, qns-svn, qns-ro, the password entered in the sheet is used. Any changes done manually to the system passwords after deployment would be overwritten by the password in the csv file after upgrade.

**Figure 7: General Configuration**

| key               | value                                                                                                 |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| hv_user_0         | root                                                                                                  |
| hv_passwd_0       | *****                                                                                                 |
| sys_user_0        | qns                                                                                                   |
| sys_passwd_0      | \$6\$HtEnOu7S\$8kkHDFJtAZtJXnhRPrPFi8KAIHFch41OJ405OnCCqO0CFuRmexvCRTkCIC3QW5hkd6P/SI3OD8qFHn1aYHxce1 |
| sys_groups_0      | pwauth                                                                                                |
| sys_user_1        | qns-svn                                                                                               |
| sys_passwd_1      | \$6\$HtEnOu7S\$8kkHDFJtAZtJXnhRPrPFi8KAIHFch41OJ405OnCCqO0CFuRmexvCRTkCIC3QW5hkd6P/SI3OD8qFHn1aYHxce1 |
| sys_user_2        | qns-ro                                                                                                |
| sys_passwd_2      | \$6\$HtEnOu7S\$8kkHDFJtAZtJXnhRPrPFi8KAIHFch41OJ405OnCCqO0CFuRmexvCRTkCIC3QW5hkd6P/SI3OD8qFHn1aYHxce1 |
| qps_user          | sys_user_0                                                                                            |
| selinux_state     | disabled                                                                                              |
| selinux_type      | targeted                                                                                              |
| broadhop_var      | broadhop                                                                                              |
| firewall_state    | disabled                                                                                              |
| tacacs_enabled    | FALSE                                                                                                 |
| tacacs_server     | 127.0.0.1                                                                                             |
| tacacs_secret     | *****                                                                                                 |
| nms_managers_list | corporate_nms_ip                                                                                      |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:



**Table 12: General Configuration Parameters**

| Parameter    | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
|--------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| hv_user_0    | Hypervisor username. This is the username of a user with root access to the VMware host/blade. If installing CPS to multiple blade servers, it is assumed that the same username and password can be used for all blades.<br><br>This parameter is optional <sup>1</sup> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| hv_passwd_0  | Hypervisor Password for Hypervisor User. User can also use special (non-alpha numeric) characters in the password.<br><br>This parameter is optional.<br><br><b>Note</b> To pass special characters in the hv_passwd_0, they need to be replaced with its "% Hex ASCII". For example, "\$" would be "%24" or "hello\$world" would be "hello%24world".                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| sys_user_0   | The CPS System user (qns) is the main user set up on the VMs. By default, this is <b>qns</b> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| sys_passwd_0 | Encrypted System Password for System User 0. Refer to <a href="#">Password Encryption, on page 33</a> to generate an encrypted password.<br><br>For High Availability (HA) environments or Geographic Redundancy (GR) environments, the password entered here in the spreadsheet is not used even if you specify one. You must set the password for the user prior to first access by connecting to the Cluster Manager after deployment and running the <code>change_passwd.sh</code> command.                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| sys_group    | Group for the previous System User.<br><br><b>Note</b> User group can be qns-svn, qns-ro, qns-su, qns-admin and pwauth. pwauth group is valid only for qns username and no other username.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| sys_user_1   | The qns-svn system user is the default user that has access to the Policy Builder subversion repository.<br><br>Default: qns-svn                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| sys_passwd_1 | By default, the encrypted password for qns-svn is already added in <code>Configuration.csv</code> spreadsheet.<br><br>If you want to change the password for qns-svn user after CPS is deployed, you can use <code>change_passwd.sh</code> script. You also need to generate an encrypted password. Refer to <a href="#">Password Encryption, on page 33</a> to generate an encrypted password.<br><br>The encrypted password must be added in the <code>Configuration.csv</code> spreadsheet. If the encrypted password is not added in the spreadsheet, then after running <code>reinit.sh</code> script, the qns-svn user takes the existing default password from <code>Configuration.csv</code> spreadsheet. |
| qps_user     | -                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

| Parameter                     | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| selinux_state<br>selinux_type | Security Enhanced Linux (SELinux) support is disabled by default. Refer to <a href="#">Security Enhanced Linux</a> for more information about enabling this functionality.<br><b>Note</b> Cisco recommends not to change this value.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| firewall_state                | Enables or disables the linux firewall on all VMs (IPtables).<br>Valid Options: enabled/disabled<br>Default: enabled (This field is case sensitive)<br>In AIO deployments, IPtables is disabled by default.<br><b>Note</b> An alternate parameter 'firewall_disabled' can be used with true/false options to control the IPtables functionality.<br><b>Note</b> In case the firewall is disabled, mongo authentication functionality for Policy Server (QNS) read-only users is also disabled. When firewall is enabled, mongo authentication functionality for read-only users is enabled by default.                                                                                                                                           |
| broadhop_var                  | Default: broadhop                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| tacacs_enabled                | Enter true to enable TACACS+ authentication.<br>For more information related to TACACS+, refer to <a href="#">TACACS+</a> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| tacacs_server                 | Enter the IP address of the TACACS+ server.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| tacacs_secret                 | Enter the password/secret of the TACACS+ server.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| nms_managers_list             | Define the SNMP Network Management Station (NMS) address or hostname by replacing <i>corporate_nms_ip</i> with the hostname or IP address of your NMS.<br>To add Multiple SNMP NMS destinations, replace <i>corporate_nms_ip</i> with a space separated list of hostnames or IP addresses of your NMS managers. For example:<br>10.105.10.10 10.202.10.10<br>or 10.105.10.10 10.202.10.10 2003:3041::22:22<br>or nms_main nms_bek<br>To change the NMS trap receiver port, update <b>nms_managers_list</b> <i>&lt;nms_manager_list:port_num&gt;</i><br>For example, <b>nms_managers_list</b> corporate_nms_ip:6100<br><b>Note</b> Any hostnames defined should also be defined in the <b>Additional Hosts</b> tab of the deployment spreadsheet. |
| free_mem_per_alert            | By default, a low memory alert is generated when the available memory of any CPS VM drops below 10% of the total memory.<br>To change the default threshold, enter a new value (0.0-1.0) for the alert threshold. The system generates an alert trap whenever the available memory falls below this percentage of total memory for any given VM. Default: 0.10 (10% free).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

| Parameter                     | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
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| free_mem_per_clear            | Enter a value (0.0-1.0) for the clear threshold. The system generates a low memory clear trap whenever available memory for any given VM is more than 30% of total memory. Default: 0.3 (30% of the total memory).                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| syslog_managers_list          | Entries are space separated tuples consisting of <code>protocol:hostname:port</code> . Currently, only UDP is supported.<br>Default: 514<br>For example:<br><code>udp:corporate_syslog_ip:514</code><br><code>udp:corporate_syslog_ip2:514</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| syslog_managers_ports         | A comma separated list of port values. This must match values in the <code>syslog_managers_list</code> .                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| logback_syslog_daemon_port    | Port value for the rsyslog proxy server to listen for incoming connections, used in the rsyslog configuration on the Policy Director (LB) and in the <code>logback.xml</code> on the OAM (PCRCLIENT).<br>Default: 6515                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| logback_syslog_daemon_addr    | IP address value used in the <code>/etc/broadhop/controlcenter/logback.xml</code> on the OAM (PCRCLIENT).<br>Default: <code>lbvip02</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| cpu_usage_alert_threshold     | The following <code>cpu_usage</code> settings are related to the High CPU Usage Alert and High CPU Usage Clear traps that can be generated for CPS VMs. Refer to <i>CPS SNMP and Alarms Guide</i> , Release 9.1.0 and prior releases or <i>CPS SNMP, Alarms and Clearing Procedures Guide</i> , Release 10.0.0 and later releases for more details about these SNMP traps.<br>Set the higher threshold value for CPU usage. System generates an Alert trap whenever the CPU usage is higher than this value. |
| cpu_usage_clear_threshold     | Set the lower threshold value for CPU usage. System generates a Clear trap whenever the CPU usage is lower than this value and alert trap already generated.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| cpu_usage_trap_interval_cycle | This value is used as an interval period to execute the CPU usage trap script. The interval value is calculated by multiplying 5 with the given value. For example, if set to 1 then the script is executed every 5 sec.<br>The default value is 12, which means the script is executed every 60 seconds.                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| snmp_trap_community           | This value is the SNMP trap community string.<br>Default: <code>broadhop</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| snmp_ro_community             | This value is the SNMP read-only community string.<br>Default: <code>broadhop</code>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

| Parameter               | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| monitor_replica_timeout | <p>This value is used to configure timeout value.</p> <p>The default value is 540 sec considering four replica sets. The customer can set timeout value according to the number of replica sets in their network.</p> <p>To recover single session replica-set, it takes approx 120 sec and adding 20% buffer to it; we are using 540 sec for default (for four replica sets).</p> <p>Without any latency between sessionmgr VMs, one replica-set recovers in ~135 sec. If latency (40 -100 ms) is present between sessionmgr VMs we can add 10% buffer to 135 sec and set the timeout value for the required number of replica sets in customer's network.</p> |
| snmpv3_enable           | <p>This value is used to enable/disable the SNMPv3 support on CPS. To disable the SNMPv3 support, set this value to FALSE.</p> <p>Default: TRUE</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| v3User                  | <p>User name to be used for SNMPv3 request/response and trap.</p> <p>Default: cisco_snmpv3</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| engineID                | <p>This value is used for SNMPv3 request/response and on which NMS manager can receive the trap. It should be a hex value.</p> <p>Default: 0x0102030405060708</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| authProto               | <p>This value specifies the authentication protocol to be used for SNMPv3. User can use MD5/SHA as the authentication protocol.</p> <p>Default: SHA</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| authPass                | <p>This value specifies the authentication password to be used for SNMPv3 requests. It should have minimum length as 8 characters.</p> <p>Default: cisco_12345</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| privProto               | <p>This value specifies Privacy/Encryption protocol to be used in SNMPv3 request/response and SNMP trap. User can use AES/DES protocol.</p> <p>Default: AES</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| privPass                | <p>This value specifies Privacy/Encryption password to be used in SNMPv3. It is an optional field. If it is blank then value specified in authPass is used as privPass.</p> <p>Default: &lt;blank&gt;</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| sctp_enabled            | <p>By default, SCTP support is enabled. For more information about enabling/disabling this functionality, refer to <a href="#">SCTP Configuration</a>, on page 33.</p> <p>Default: TRUE</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

| Parameter                  | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
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| corosync_ping_hosts        | <p>Moving corosync resources (like VIPs) when the connectivity is lost between lb01 or lb02 (or perfelient01/02) to hosts configured in this field. So if lb01 cannot connect to sessionmgr01 and sessionmgr02 then corosync resources (like VIPs) are moved from lb01 to lb02.</p> <p>Example: key = corosync_ping_hosts and Value = sessionmgr01 sessionmgr02</p>                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| avoid_corosync_split_brain | <p>If this field is not defined or value is 0, and when both nodes fail to connect to the configured corosync_ping_hosts, then the resources stay on the last active node. If value is 1, and both nodes fail to connect to configured corosync_ping_hosts, then the resources are not available on any nodes.</p> <p><b>Remember</b> A split brain scenario (that is, VIPs are up on both nodes) can still occur when there is connectivity loss between lb01 and lb02 and not with other hosts.</p>                                                         |
| rsyslog_tls                | <p>This field is used to enable or disable encryption for rsyslog.</p> <p>Default: TRUE</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| rsyslog_cert               | <p>This field is used to define the path for trusted Certificate of server.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| rsyslog_ca                 | <p>This field is used to define the Path of certifying authority (CA).</p> <p>Default: /etc/ssl/cert/quantum.pem</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| rsyslog_key                | <p>This field is used to define the path of private key.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| haproxy_stats_tls          | <p>This field is used to enable or disable the encryption for HAproxy statistics (including diameter statistics).</p> <p>Default: TRUE</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| redis_server_count         | <p>This value specifies the number of redis server instances running on each policy director (lb) VM. For more information on redis functionality, refer to <a href="#">Configure Multiple Redis Instances</a>.</p> <p>Redis can be enabled with the number of instances as defined in <i>redis_server_count</i>. If the value for redis server count is not provided, default value of 3 for redis_server_count is considered.</p> <p>To disable redis explicitly, redis server count should have value 0.</p> <p>Default: 3</p> <p>Value range: 0 to 64</p> |
| remote_redis_server_count  | <p>This value can be added for Geographic Redundancy (GR) deployments only.</p> <p>This value specifies the number of redis server instances running on each remote policy director (lb) VM.</p> <p>If this value is not configured, remote redis server instances are not added for GR deployments.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

| Parameter               | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| snmpRouteLan            | This field contains the value of a VLAN name which can be used to access the KPIs value provided by SNMP.<br>Default: Oam                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| redis_for_ldap_required | This parameter is used only when dedicated LDAP instance is required.<br>Default: false<br>Possible values: true, false<br>If you configure LDAP instance explicitly, first redis instance on policy director (lb) VMs running on port 6379 is used for LDAP and the remaining are used for diameter.<br><b>Note</b> If you configure <code>redis_for_ldap_required</code> parameter, then the following changes are automatically added in configuration files.<br>In <code>/etc/broadhop/qns.conf</code> file, an additional parameter <code>-DldapRedisQPrefix=ldap</code> is added.<br><code>/etc/broadhop/redisTopology.ini</code> file has the following content if <code>redis_for_ldap_required=true</code> and <code>redis_server_count=3</code> :<br><pre> ldap.redis.qserver.1=lb01:6379 policy.redis.qserver.2=lb01:6380 policy.redis.qserver.3=lb01:6381 ldap.redis.qserver.4=lb02:6379 policy.redis.qserver.5=lb02:6380 policy.redis.qserver.6=lb02:6381 </pre> If a dedicated LDAP instance is required, you may also want to consider increasing the total redis servers to accommodate the diameter traffic.<br>For example, if <code>redis_for_ldap_required</code> property was not configured, and <code>redis_server_count=3</code> then after configuring <code>redis_for_ldap_required</code> as true, you want to increase total redis server count to 4 by setting <code>redis_server_count=4</code> . |
| andsf_ip                | Specifies the IP address of the ANDSF interface. This is an optional parameter and only used to configure the ANDSF API and URL. <sup>2</sup>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| andsf_port              | Specifies the port number of the ANDSF interface. This is an optional parameter and only used to configure the ANDSF API and URL. <sup>3</sup><br>Default: 443                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| andsf_nic               | Specifies the interface name. This value is required when the firewall is enabled.<br>This is an optional parameter.<br>Possible values: eth2, eth3                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| enable_tlsv1.0_andsf    | Enables TLSv1.0 for the Policy Builder interface.<br>This is an optional parameter.<br>Default: Disabled<br>Possible values: Enabled, Disabled                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

| Parameter                         | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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| min_tls_andsf                     | <p>Defines the minimum TLS version supported by the ANDSF interface.</p> <p>This is an optional parameter.</p> <p>Default: 1.1</p> <p>Possible values: 1.1, 1.2</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| max_tls_andsf                     | <p>Defines the maximum TLS version supported by the ANDSF interface.</p> <p>This is an optional parameter.</p> <p>Default: 1.2</p> <p>Possible values: 1.1, 1.2</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| default_tls_andsf                 | <p>Defines the default TLS version used by the ANDSF interface.</p> <p>This is an optional parameter.</p> <p>Default: 1.2</p> <p>Possible values: 1.1, 1.2</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| database_nics                     | <p>This parameter allows user to provide interface names on which firewall must be opened for replica-set on a VM.</p> <p>If <code>database_nics</code> is not configured, firewall is opened only for internal interface for a replica-set.</p> <p>If <code>database_nics</code> is configured, then firewall is opened for configured interfaces and internal interface as well (even if it is not mentioned in <code>database_nics</code>). This field has semicolon (;) separated interface names for firewall ports to be opened for a replica-set on a VM.</p> <p><b>Note</b> This field is effective only when the firewall is enabled.</p> |
| db_authentication_enabled         | <p>This field is used to enable or disable MongoDB authentication.</p> <p>Default: FALSE</p> <p>Possible value: TRUE or FALSE</p> <p>For more information, refer to <a href="#">MongoDB Authentication, on page 33</a>.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| db_authentication_admin_passwd    | <p>This parameter is the encrypted password for admin user and is applicable only when <code>db_authentication_enabled</code> is set to TRUE. The following command is used to generate encrypted password from Cluster Manager:</p> <pre>/var/qps/bin/support/mongo/encrypt_passwd.sh &lt;Password&gt;</pre> <p>For more information, refer to <a href="#">MongoDB Authentication, on page 33</a>.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| db_authentication_readonly_passwd | <p>This parameter is the encrypted password for readonly user. The following command is used to generate encrypted password from Cluster Manager:</p> <pre>/var/qps/bin/support/mongo/encrypt_passwd.sh &lt;Password&gt;</pre> <p>For more information, refer to <a href="#">MongoDB Authentication, on page 33</a>.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |

| Parameter                 | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| enable_ssh_login_security | This parameter allows user to enable or disable SSH login security.<br>Default: disabled<br>Possible values: enabled, disabled                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
| cps_admin_user_cluman     | This parameter is used to configure Cluster Manager administrator user.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| cps_admin_password_cluman | This parameter is the encrypted password for administrator user.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| whitelisted_hosts_for_ssh | Valid values are colon separated host names/IP addresses of the machine for which SSH access needs to be allowed.<br><br>This configuration is effective only when the SSH login security is enabled.<br><br>If the hostname is mentioned then it should be resolvable by CPS VM's. No validation on hostname/IP addresses is provided. You can specify both IPv4/IPv6 address.<br><br><b>Note</b> New whitelisted host list overwrites the old list. If the new whitelist host configuration is empty then all old additional whitelisted hosts (apart from standard local CPS VM's host ) are deleted. |
| LDAP SSSD Configuration   | For more information, refer to <a href="#">LDAP SSSD Configuration</a> , on page 35.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |

<sup>1</sup> In CPS 11.0.0 and later releases, these two parameters (hv\_user\_0 and hv\_password\_0) are optional in /var/qps/config/deploy/csv/Configuration.csv file and the user is prompted for the parameters at runtime while executing deploy\_all.py and deploy.sh scripts if not configured in Configuration.csv file. Now during installation on VMware, hypervisor password is not displayed on terminal by any scripts. Also, hypervisor password is not logged into any of the log files.

- <sup>2</sup>
- If andsf\_ip and andsf\_port are configured, URL for the ANDSF API is `https://<andsf_ip>:<andsf_port>/qps/rest/andsf`.
  - If ANDSF VLAN (/var/qps/config/deploy/csv/VLANs.csv) and VIP (/var/qps/config/deploy/csv/AdditionalHosts.csv) are configured, URL for the ANDSF API is <https://andsfvip:443/qps/rest/andsf>.
  - If no parameter is configured, default URL for the ANDSF API is <https://lbvip01:443/qps/rest/andsf>.
- <sup>3</sup>
- If andsf\_ip and andsf\_port are configured, URL for the ANDSF API is `https://<andsf_ip>:<andsf_port>/qps/rest/andsf`.
  - If ANDSF VLAN (/var/qps/config/deploy/csv/VLANs.csv) and VIP (/var/qps/config/deploy/csv/AdditionalHosts.csv) are configured, URL for the ANDSF API is <https://andsfvip:443/qps/rest/andsf>.
  - If no parameter is configured, default URL for the ANDSF API is <https://lbvip01:443/qps/rest/andsf>.



## Password Encryption

By default, CPS passwords are encrypted. Execute the following command from Cluster Manager on CentOS to generate a valid password hash:

```
/sbin/grub-crypt --sha-512
```

### For example:

```
/sbin/grub-crypt --sha-512
Password: >>> enter desired password here
Retype password: >>> re-enter same password.
After this system will encrypt the password and print encrypted string for further use.

6ka9eqxpIDyODhWZG$5xisazDZWmDD11eQ63h7krUbmfm06.HajqlHr1MvVp7/KfaKKfu4K8bzC/yThDLftX/htLtE..3H5iRRDW/
```

## SCTP Configuration

CPS also support Stream Control Transmission Protocol (SCTP). By default, SCTP support is enabled.

To disable or enable SCTP on an existing deployment:

- 
- Step 1** Update the field `sctp_enabled` to FALSE or TRUE in `/var/qps/config/deploy/csv/Configuration.csv` file with the following information:
- ```
sctp_enabled,FALSE,
```
- or
- ```
sctp_enabled,TRUE,
```
- Step 2** Import the new configuration by executing the following command:
- ```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/import/import_deploy.sh
```
- Step 3** For an existing deployed lb0X VM, after changing `sctp_enabled` (like TRUE to FALSE or FALSE to TRUE), re-initialize lb0X VM by executing the following command:
- ```
ssh lb0X /etc/init.d/vm-init-client.sh
```
- Note** If setting it from TRUE to FALSE, then restart the VM for the changes to take effect.
- 

## MongoDB Authentication

For upgrades/migration, `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/import/import_deploy.sh` updates `dbPassword` parameter in `/etc/broadhop/qns.conf` file based on `db_authentication_enabled` and `db_authentication_admin_passwd` fields. It also creates `<user-home-directory>/dbadmin` and `<user-home-directory>/dbreadonly` files, which store the encrypted password for admin and readonly users respectively.

- `<user-home-directory>/dbadmin` file is created for root, qns, qns-su and qns-admin users.
- `<user-home-directory>/dbreadonly` file is created for root, qns, qns-su, qns-admin and qns-ro users.

## Use Cases

- Disable authentication (Fresh install):

```
db_authentication_enabled=FALSE (or do not configure this field)
```

**Output:** dbPassword field is not present in `/etc/broadhop/qns.conf` file and there is no `<user-home-directory>/.dbadmin` and `<user-home-directory>/.dbreadonly` files.

- Enable authentication (Fresh install):

```
db_authentication_enabled,TRUE
db_authentication_admin_passwd,XXXX
db_authentication_readonly_passwd,YYYY
```

**Output:** dbPassword field is added in `/etc/broadhop/qns.conf` file and `<user-home-directory>/.dbadmin` and `<user-home-directory>/.dbreadonly` files are created for users with permission 400 set to (read only to that user).

- Enabling or disabling authentication on an existing system:

This requires database and application downtime, use the following script to do that:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/modules/mongo_auth_upgrade.py
```

```
Example of /var/qps/install/current/scripts/modules/mongo_auth_upgrade.py:
INFO ===== mongo upgrade =====
INFO Parsing Mongo Config file
INFO Mongo authentication is enabled on this system
INFO Following replica sets need to enable authentication: ['set01', 'set02']
Do you want to enable mongo auth on these sets? (y/n):
```

## MongoDB Authentication Process

- Change mongo user password (Application downtime is involved):

- Modify password in `Configuration.csv` file.

- After modifying the password, update the configuration using

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/import/import_deploy.sh and
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh scripts.
```

- Execute change password script

```
(/var/qps/install/current/scripts/modules/mongo_change_password.py) and enter the old
password.
```

**Syntax:**

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/modules/mongo_change_password.py <old password>
```

- Restart all the JAVA processes.

- Disable mongo authentication (No application downtime is involved):

- Modify mongo authentication configuration in `Configuration.csv` file.

- Update the configuration using `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/import/import_deploy.sh` and `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh` scripts.

- Execute disable mongo authentication script:  
`/var/qps/install/current/scripts/modules/mongo_auth_upgrade.py`
- Restart all the JAVA processes.
- Enable mongo authentication (Mongo and application downtime is involved).
  - Modify mongo authentication configuration in `Configuration.csv` file.
  - Update the configuration using `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/import/import_deploy.sh` and `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh` scripts.
  - Execute enable mongo authentication script:  
`/var/qps/install/current/scripts/modules/mongo_auth_upgrade.py`
  - Restart all the JAVA processes.

## LDAP SSSD Configuration



### Note

For LDAP SSSD routable IP is required. LDAP server must be accessible from CPS VMs (LDAP client).

For information on Policy Builder and Grafana configuration, refer to *LDAP SSSD* section in *CPS Operations Guide*.



### Note

Add the LDAP server IP address and server name in `AdditionalHost.csv` file. For more information, refer to [Additional Hosts Configuration](#), on page 18.

### HA Setup

For LDAP SSSD configuration, the following parameters can be configured in `Configuration.csv` sheet:



### Note

Change the parameter values as per your deployment.

**Table 13: LDAP SSSD Parameters**

| Parameter   | Description                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| ldap_on_all | <p>When set to true, it installs the LDAP SSSD on all CPS VMs.</p> <p>When set to false, it install the LDAP SSSD only on perfcient/policy directors (lb) VMs.</p> <p><b>Note</b> true or false must be in small case.</p> |

| Parameter                 | Description                                                                                                                                                                              |
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| ldap_enabled              | When set to true, applies the SSSD configuration as per input provided by user.<br>When set to false, use the default configuration.<br><b>Note</b> true or false must be in small case. |
| ldap_server               | Contains server IP:port to configure LDAP.<br>Format: ldaps://<serverip>:<port>                                                                                                          |
| ldap_search_base          | This is required for SSSD configuration. The default base DN to use for performing LDAP user operations.<br>Format: ou=users,dc=cisco,dc=com                                             |
| ldap_default_bind_dn      | The default bind DN to use for performing LDAP operations.<br>Format: uid=admin,ou=system                                                                                                |
| ldap_secret               | The authentication token for the default bind DN. Currently, only clear text passwords are supported.<br>For example, secret                                                             |
| ldap_default_user         | The default LDAP user to be configured in LDAP server.<br>For example, admin                                                                                                             |
| ldap_ou_user              | The default LDAP user OU.<br>For example, users                                                                                                                                          |
| ldap_ou_group             | The default LDAP group user OU.<br>For example, groups                                                                                                                                   |
| ldap_default_group        | The LDAP attribute that corresponds to the group name.<br>For example, Admin                                                                                                             |
| ldap_default_group_editor | This is a user group which has the editor access to Grafana.<br>For example, User                                                                                                        |
| ldap_dc_name              | This is a single entity of all domains.<br>Format: dc=cisco,dc=com                                                                                                                       |

Here is an example configuration:

```
ldap_on_all,true
ldap_enabled,true
ldap_server,"ldaps://<serverip>:10648"
ldap_search_base,"ou=users,dc=cisco,dc=com"
ldap_default_bind_dn,"uid=admin,ou=system"
ldap_secret,secret,
```

```
ldap_default_user,admin,
ldap_ou_user,users,
ldap_ou_group,groups,
ldap_default_group,Admin,
ldap_default_group_editor,User,
ldap_dc_name,"dc=cisco,dc=com"
```

Run `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/bin/support/enable_ldap clustermgr` to install the LDAP SSSD configuration on Cluster Manager.

```
Run puppet apply --logdest /var/log/cluman/puppet-run.log
--modulepath=/opt/cluman/puppet/modules --config /opt/cluman/puppet/puppet.conf
/opt/cluman/puppet/nodes/node_repo.pp from Cluster Manager to update the puppet.
```

### AIO/Arbiter Setup

You need to create `ldapconf` file to add the required parameters to configure LDAP SSSD.

Here is an example configuration:

```
/var/qps/config/deploy/ldapconf
ldap_on_all,true
ldap_enabled=true
ldap_server="ldaps://<serverip>:<port>"
ldap_search_base="ou=users,dc=cisco,dc=com"
ldap_default_bind_dn="uid=admin,ou=system"
ldap_secret=secret,
ldap_default_user=admin,
ldap_ou_user=users,
ldap_ou_group=groups,
ldap_default_group=Admin,
ldap_default_group_editor=User,
ldap_dc_name="dc=cisco,dc=com",
NODE_TYPE=aio/arbiter
```

Run `/var/qps/install/current/scripts/bin/support/enable_ldap clustermgr` to install the LDAP SSSD configuration on AIO or arbiter.

```
Run puppet apply --logdest /var/log/cluman/puppet-run.log
--modulepath=/opt/cluman/puppet/modules --config /opt/cluman/puppet/puppet.conf
/opt/cluman/puppet/nodes/node_repo.pp from Cluster Manager to update the puppet.
```

### LDAP SSSD Certificate Authentication

LDAP certificate needs to be copied to `/etc/openldap/certs/` on all VMs.

After copying the certificate, run the following commands on `pcrfclient01` and `pcrfclient02`:



#### Note

LDAP certificate must be provided by the customer.

```
export CLASSPATH=/usr/java/default/bin
keytool -import -noprompt -trustcacerts -alias ldap_1 -file /etc/openldap/certs/ldap_local.cer
-keystore /usr/lib/jvm/zulu-8/jre/lib/security/cacerts
```

This prompts for the password and the keytool password is "changeit".

Once the certificate authentication is complete, `/var/broadhop/scripts/update-uaf.sh` script runs every hour in crontab. This updates the user information in the `/var/www/svn/users-access-file` file on `pcrfclient01` and `pcrfclient02`.

After perflclient VM is rebooted/re-deployed or vm-init script is executed, check whether the class path (CLASSPATH=/usr/java/default/bin) has been set on perflclient01 and perflclient02 by running `echo $CLASSPATH` command.

Also check whether the certificate (/etc/openldap/certs/ldap\_local.cer) is present or not, run `ls -l` command.

If the class path or certificate path is missing, run the following commands:

```
export CLASSPATH=/usr/java/default/bin
keytool -import -noprompt -trustcacerts -alias ldap_1 -file /etc/openldap/certs/ldap_local.cer
-keystore /usr/lib/jvm/zulu-8/jre/lib/security/cacerts
```




---

**Note** After installing LDAP SSSD on all VMs if you want to remove from LDAP SSSD from policy server (qns) and sessionmgr, then you need to run `reinit.sh` script twice or run `/etc/init.d/vm-init` on individual policy servers (qns) and sessionmgr VMs.

---

### Upgrade Consideration

After upgrading from CPS 13.x.x or CPS 14.x.x to CPS 18.0.0 release, LDAP SSSD configuration is installed on default VM (perflclient/lb) and not on all VMs. You need to configure LDAP SSSD on all the other VMs.

Once LDAP SSSD configuration is complete, you need to authenticate the LDAP certificate. For more information, refer to [LDAP SSSD Certificate Authentication](#), on page 37.




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**Note** If upgrading from a lower version such as CPS 13.x.x to CPS 18.x.x and do not want the LDAP SSSD package, modify the LDAP parameters as follows in `Configuration.csv`:

```
ldap_on_all=false
ldap_enable=false
```

After the modification, run `import_deploy.sh` so that LDAP SSSD is not installed by default.

---

### Troubleshooting

- Monitor the following important log files to debug grafana and httpd service:
  - /var/log/messages
  - /var/log/secure
  - /var/log/audit/audit.log
  - /var/log/sss/\*.\*.log
  - /var/log/grafana/grafana.log, /var/log/httpd/\*.\*.log
  - /var/log/broadhop/scripts/ldap\*.\*.log
- Restart the httpd service and grafana-server in case grafana status is Not Running in monit summary after configuring LDAP SSSD.

- If any error is found for AIO/HA deployments after configuring LDAP SSSD, restart the `http/grafana-server`.
- If LDAP SSSD user information is not automatically added in `/var/www/svn/users-access-file` on `perfcient01/02`, then check `/var/log/broadhop/scripts/ldap*.log` for error information.

## VIP Proxy Configuration

This file is used to specify the listen port for each VIP in HAProxy diameter configuration and the port range for the backend diameter endpoints to which the requests are load balanced. Values in this file are used to generate the HAProxy diameter configuration (`/etc/haproxy/haproxy-diameter.cfg` file) on Policy Director 01/02 VMs. Here is an example:

**Figure 8: VipProxyConfiguration.csv**

|   | A         | B           | C          |
|---|-----------|-------------|------------|
| 1 | VIP Alias | Listen Port | Port Range |
| 2 | lbvip02   | 3868        | 3868-3870  |
| 3 | lbvip04   | 3868        | 3868-3870  |
| 4 | lbvip05   | 3868        | 3868-3870  |
| 5 |           |             |            |
| 6 |           |             |            |
| 7 |           |             |            |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 14: VIP Proxy Configuration Parameters**

| Parameter   | Description                                                             |
|-------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| VIP Alias   | Name of the VIP supporting multiple diameter endpoints.                 |
| Listen Port | Front facing diameter endpoint port in HAProxy configuration.           |
| Port Range  | List of backend ports for each front end port in HAProxy configuration. |

The following restriction applies to the `haproxy-diameter.cfg` file for all the installation types:

- You should not use the following list of VIP Aliases in `VipProxyConfiguration.csv` file. The VIP aliases in `AdditionalHosts.csv` invokes the legacy method of `haproxy-diameter` configuration. Hence, Cisco does not recommend the use of legacy VIP aliases listed below:

diam\_int1, diam\_int1\_vip, diam\_int2, diam\_int1\_69, diam\_int2\_vip, diam\_int1\_69\_vip, diam\_int3, diam\_int3\_vip, diam\_int1\_70\_vip, diam\_int4, diam\_int4\_vip, diam\_int1\_71\_vip

## Secure Configuration

The **SecureConfig** sheet defines the Transport Layer Security (TLS) related configuration for secure services in CPS.

Select the **SecureConfig** sheet.

**Figure 9: Secure Configuration Sheet**

| key                    | value    |
|------------------------|----------|
| enable_tlsv1.0_pb      | disabled |
| enable_tlsv1.0_cc      | disabled |
| enable_tlsv1.0_uapi    | disabled |
| enable_tlsv1.0_grafana | disabled |
| min_tls_pb             | 1.1      |
| max_tls_pb             | 1.2      |
| min_tls_cc             | 1.1      |
| max_tls_cc             | 1.2      |
| min_tls_uapi           | 1.1      |
| max_tls_uapi           | 1.2      |
| min_tls_grafana        | 1.1      |
| max_tls_grafana        | 1.2      |
| default_tls_grafana    | 1.2      |
| default_tls_pb         | 1.2      |
| default_tls_cc         | 1.2      |
| default_tls_uapi       | 1.2      |

The following parameters can be configured in this sheet:

**Table 15: Secure Configuration Sheet Parameters**

| Parameter         | Description                                       | Possible Values     | Default Value |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| enable_tlsv1.0_pb | Enables TLSv1.0 for the Policy Builder interface. | Enabled<br>Disabled | Disabled      |



| Parameter              | Description                                                                | Possible Values     | Default Value |
|------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| enable_tlsv1.0_cc      | Enables TLSv1.0 for the Control Center interface.                          | Enabled<br>Disabled | Disabled      |
| enable_tlsv1.0_uapi    | Enables TLSv1.0 for the Unified API interface.                             | Enabled<br>Disabled | Disabled      |
| enable_tlsv1.0_grafana | Enables TLSv1.0 for the Grafana interface.                                 | Enabled<br>Disabled | Disabled      |
| min_tls_pb             | Defines the minimum TLS version supported by the Policy Builder interface. | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.1           |
| max_tls_pb             | Defines the maximum TLS version supported by the Policy Builder interface. | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |
| min_tls_cc             | Defines the minimum TLS version supported by the Control Center interface. | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.1           |
| max_tls_cc             | Defines the maximum TLS version supported by the Control Center interface. | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |
| min_tls_uapi           | Defines the minimum TLS version supported by the Unified API interface.    | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.1           |
| max_tls_uapi           | Defines the maximum TLS version supported by the Unified API interface.    | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |
| min_tls_grafana        | Defines the minimum TLS version supported by the Grafana interface.        | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.1           |
| max_tls_grafana        | Defines the maximum TLS version supported by the Grafana interface.        | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |
| default_tls_grafana    | Defines the default TLS version to use for Grafana.                        | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |
| default_tls_pb         | Defines the Default TLS version to use for Policy Builder.                 | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |
| default_tls_cc         | Defines the default TLS version to use for Control Center.                 | 1.1<br>1.2          | 1.2           |

| Parameter        | Description                                             | Possible Values | Default Value |
|------------------|---------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| default_tls_uapi | Defines the default TLS version to use for Unified API. | 1.1<br>1.2      | 1.2           |

**Note**

- All the configuration changes are applied on the HAProxy server during **vm-init** on all Load Balancer VMs.
- For configuration parameters that are not defined in the `SecureConfig.csv` file, its logical default value is considered.
- If you enter a wrong value for any parameter, that value is discarded and the default value for that parameter is used. The Puppet log file displays a warning message.

## Finish and Save

After entering your deployment information, save the Deployment Template file in Excel format.

## Import the Excel Information into the Cluster Manager VM

The settings in the excel sheet must be converted to a csv file and imported into CPS.

## Save the csv Files

Click the **Convert to CSV** button on the VMSpecification sheet.

**Figure 10: Convert To CSV**

|    | A              | B                | C      | D    | E        | F |
|----|----------------|------------------|--------|------|----------|---|
| 1  | Role           | Host Name Prefix | Memory | vCPU | Diskmode |   |
| 2  | lb01           | dc1              | 8192   | 8    | thin     |   |
| 3  | lb02           | dc1              | 8192   | 8    | thin     |   |
| 4  | sm             | dc1              | 24576  | 6    | thin     |   |
| 5  | qps            | dc1              | 8192   | 6    | thin     |   |
| 6  | portal         | dc1              | 2048   | 4    | thin     |   |
| 7  | pcrfclient01   | dc1              | 16384  | 6    | thin     |   |
| 8  | pcrfclient02   | dc1              | 16384  | 6    | thin     |   |
| 9  | smarb          | dc1              | 4096   | 2    | thin     |   |
| 10 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 11 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 12 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 13 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 14 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 15 | Convert To CSV |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 16 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |
| 17 |                |                  |        |      |          |   |

The **Convert to CSV** button exports each individual sheet into a separate CSV file in a new folder (csv\_files) where the source file is located. Each csv file is named as the sheet name. Make sure the Host names, Alias, datastore, network names are all correct and created in VMware. Any mismatch of the attribute can cause the deployment to fail and restart the deployment process.



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**Attention** It is strongly recommended to go through this list with Cisco AS and Virtualization system administrator, network administrator to make sure all the settings are correct.

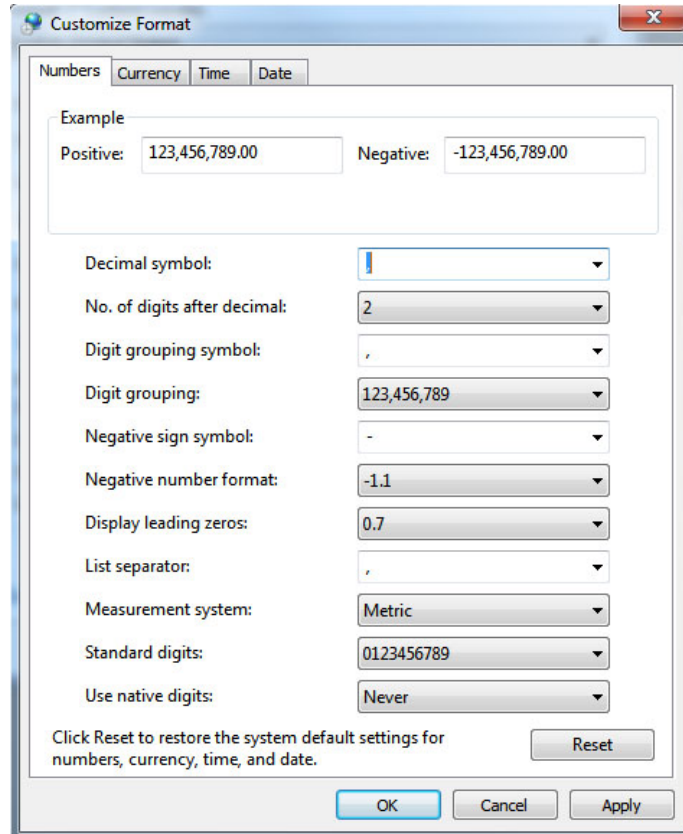
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The following list of csv files are generated:

- AdditionalHosts.csv
- Configuration.csv
- Definitions.csv
- Hosts.csv
- SecureConfig.csv
- VLANs.csv
- VMSpecification.csv
- VipProxyConfiguration.csv

Verify that the generated csv files are separated with commas. If needed, modify the regional settings. For reference, see the following image.

**Figure 11: Regional Settings**



## Copy the csv Files into Cluster Manager VM

Use a tool such as Secure Copy (scp) to copy all the csv files to the Cluster Manager VM to the following directory:

```
/var/qps/config/deploy/csv/
```

## Import the csv Files into the Cluster Manager VM

Execute the following command to import csv files into the Cluster Manager VM:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/import/import_deploy.sh
```

This script converts the data to JSON format and outputs it to `/var/qps/config/deploy/json/`.

## Validate Imported Data

Execute the following command to validate the imported data:

```
cd /var/qps/install/current/scripts/deployer/support/
python jvalidate.py
```

This script validates the parameters against the ESX servers to make sure ESX server can support the configuration and deploy the VMs.

Continue with [Customize Features in the Deployment](#), on page 45.

## Update System Parameters

Refer to section [Update the VM Configuration without Re-deploying VMs](#) if you need to update any of the parameters you defined in the spreadsheet after deploying the CPS VMs.

## Customize Features in the Deployment

Certain deployments require additional features to be installed. To add or remove features, perform the following steps on Cluster Manager VM:

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**Step 1** Determine which features are needed with the assistance of your Cisco Technical Representative.

**Step 2** If this is HA environment, edit the corresponding features files in Cluster Manager VM:  
Modify the features file for the corresponding server types. Here are some examples:

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/controlcenter/features
The server and infrastructure features do not need to be specified.
IO Manager Features
com.broadhop.controlcenter.feature
com.broadhop.server.runtime.product
com.broadhop.infrastructure.feature
com.broadhop.snmp.feature
com.broadhop.faultmanagement.service.feature
```

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/diameter_endpoint/features
com.broadhop.server.runtime.product
com.broadhop.snmp.feature
com.broadhop.diameter2.service.feature
```

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/iomanager/features
IO Manager Features
com.broadhop.iomanager.feature
com.broadhop.server.runtime.product
com.broadhop.snmp.feature
iomanager02
```

**Note** In releases prior to CPS 10.0.0, there are two separate `iomanager` directories, `iomanager01` and `iomanager02`. For these older releases, changes to the `iomanager` features files must be populated in both directories:

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/iomanager01/features
```

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/iomanager02/features
```

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pb/features
```

```
com.broadhop.client.product
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.ws
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.isg
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.balance
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.spr
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.unifiedapi
```

```
#com.broadhop.client.feature.pop3auth
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.vouchers
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.isg.prepaid
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.notifications
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.diameter2
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.ldap
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.relianceutil
```

```
#com.broadhop.client.feature.policyintel
```

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.custrefdata
```

```
#com.broadhop.client.feature.congestionrefdata
```

```
#com.broadhop.client.feature.audit
```

```
com.broadhop.balance.crdbalance.feature
```

```
/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pcrf/features
```

```
The server and infrastructure features do not need to be specified.
```

```
PCRF Features
```

```
com.broadhop.server.runtime.product
```

```
com.broadhop.policy.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.externaldatacache.memcache.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.snmp.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.ws.service.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.unifiedapi.ws.service.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.spr.dao.mongo.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.spr.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.unifiedapi.interface.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.balance.service.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.vouchers.service.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.ui.controlcenter.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.diameter2.local.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.custrefdata.service.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.policyintel.service.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.balance.crdbalance.feature
```

If VMs are already deployed, after modifying the feature files, execute the following commands:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

### Step 3

If this is AIO environment, edit the following features files in Cluster Manager VM:

- `/var/qps/current_config/etc_aio/broadhop/pb/features`
- `/var/qps/current_config/etc_aio/broadhop/pcrf/features`

For an AIO environment, after modifying the feature files, execute the following commands:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

**Note** `reinit.sh` executes puppet on AIO and also checks if it is executed successfully.

---

## Feature Installation

By default, ANDSF functionality is not enabled in CPS deployments. You must perform the following steps to manually add the ANDSF features.

To verify whether the ANDSF features is enabled, from the Cluster Manager VM, execute the following command:

```
list_installed_features.sh
```

For ANDSF, if `com.broadhop.client.feature.andsf` is included in the output, the ANDSF feature is enabled.

## LDAP Feature Installation

### Enable LDAP on HA Deployment

To enable the LDAP feature on an High Availability (HA) deployment:

---

#### Step 1

Edit the features files in Cluster Manager VM:

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pb/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.ldap
```

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pcrf/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.ldap.interface.feature
```

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/iomanager0X/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.ldap.service.feature
```

#### Step 2

After modifying the feature files, execute the following commands from Cluster Manager:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

---

## Enable LDAP on AIO Deployment

To enable the LDAP feature on an All-In-One (AIO) deployment:

### Step 1

Edit the features files in Cluster Manager VM:

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pb/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.ldap
```

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pcrf/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.ldap.service.feature
```

### Step 2

After modifying the feature files, execute the following commands:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

**Note** `reinit.sh` executes puppet on AIO and also checks if it is executed successfully.

```
/var/qps/bin/control/restartall.sh
```

`restartall.sh` process will prompt for either Y/N to restart process. Enter Y to restart the process.

## Subscriber Lookup Feature Installation

### Enable Subscriber Lookup on HA Deployment

To enable the Subscriber Lookup feature on an High Availability (HA) deployment:

### Step 1

Edit the features files in Cluster Manager VM:

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pb/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.ldapserver
```

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pcrf/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.ldapserver.local.feature
```

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/iomanager0X/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.ldapserver.service.feature
```

### Step 2

After modifying the feature files, execute the following commands from Cluster Manager:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```



## Enable Subscriber Lookup on AIO Deployment

To enable the Subscriber Lookup feature on an All-In-One (AIO) deployment:

### Step 1

Edit the features files in Cluster Manager VM:

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pb/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.client.feature.ldapserver
```

In the `/var/qps/current_config/etc/broadhop/pcrf/features` file, add the following line:

```
com.broadhop.ldapserver.local.feature
```

```
com.broadhop.ldapserver.service.feature
```

### Step 2

After modifying the feature files, execute the following commands:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

**Note** `reinit.sh` executes puppet on AIO and also checks if it is executed successfully.

```
/var/qps/bin/control/restartall.sh
```

`restartall.sh` process will prompt for either Y/N to restart process. Enter Y to restart the process.

# License Generation and Installation

## License Generation

For HA or GR systems, contact your Cisco Technical support representative to generate a license. You must provide the MAC addresses and hostnames for your `pcrfclient01` and `pcrfclient02` VMs.

For AIO system, license is not required. You can use the DeveloperMode to work on AIO system. For more information, contact your Cisco Technical support representative.



### Note

Cisco Smart Licensing is supported for CPS 10.0.0 and later releases. For information about what Smart Licensing is and how to enable it for CPS, refer to the *CPS Operations Guide*.

### Step 1

To generate a unique MAC address, execute the following command on the Cluster Manager once for `pcrfclient01` and again for `pcrfclient02`:

```
python /var/qps/install/current/scripts/deployer/support/genmac.py
```

The MAC address generated by this script is applied to `pcrfclient01/02`.

**Important** For the pcrfclient01/pcrfclient02 VMs, the eth0 MAC address reported in the VMware Virtual Machine properties may not match what is listed in the VM's when executing the `ifconfig -a | grep HW` command output. This mismatch can be ignored. Use the MAC address displayed by `ifconfig -a | grep HW` command.

**Step 2** To get the hostname, refer to the **Hosts.csv** file, and use the Guest Name that corresponds to pcrfclient01 and pcrfclient02 roles.

**Step 3** Submit this information to your Cisco Technical support representative. After you receive the license, continue with [License Installation](#), on page 50.

## License Installation

The following section describes:

- how to install the license files prior to deploying all of the CPS VMs, as described in the [Deploy the VMs](#).
- the steps you perform to preserve the license files during an upgrade of CPS to the current release.

To install the licenses:

**Step 1** Copy the license files you received to the Cluster Manager VM.

**Step 2** Create pcrfclient01 and pcrfclient02 directories in the Cluster Manager VM in `/etc/broadhop/license/`.

```
mkdir -p /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient01
```

```
mkdir -p /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02
```

**Step 3** Copy the pcrfclient01 license to the `/etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient01` directory, and the pcrfclient02 license to the `/etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02` directory on the Cluster Manager VM:

```
cp <filename1> /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient01
```

```
cp <filename2> /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02
```

where,

<filename1> is the license filename generated for pcrfclient01.

<filename2> is the license filename generated for pcrfclient02.

**Step 4** If you are performing an upgrade of the system from an earlier version to the current release:

- Copy the existing pcrfclient02 license file from the pcrfclient02 VM (found in `/etc/broadhop/license`) to the `/etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02` directory on the Cluster Manager VM.
- During an upgrade, the license on pcrfclient01 is automatically retrieved and re-installed. Do not manually copy or move this license to the `/etc/broadhop/pcrfclient01` directory on the Cluster Manager VM.

**Note** As a best practice, make a backup of your existing pcrfclient01 license under `/etc/broadhop/license` on the Cluster Manager VM.

**Step 5** Create a `features.properties` file in the `/etc/broadhop/license` directory on the Cluster Manager with the following content from the license file. For example:

```
LicenseFeature=MOBILE_CORE, FIXED_CORE, SP_CORE
```

**Note** The content of this file is based on the contents of the license file and your deployment.

**Step 6** Execute the following command to rebuild the `/etc/broadhop/license` directory in the Cluster Manager VM.

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build/build_etc.sh
```

This script makes a zip file with the new license file and copies it to the `/var/www/html/images` directory. Later the file is pushed to the target VMs when the `reinit.sh` script is executed.

**Step 7** If `pcrfclient01/pcrfclient02` is already deployed, the license must be pushed to the `pcrfclient01/02` VMs. For this, execute the following commands:

```
ssh pcrfclient01
```

```
/etc/init.d/vm-init
```

and

```
ssh pcrfclient02
```

```
/etc/init.d/vm-init
```

**Note** If `pcrfclient01` and `pcrfclient02` VMs have not yet been deployed, the license will be automatically pushed to `pcrfclient01/02` when all VMs are deployed later in section [Deploy the VMs](#).

**Step 8** If `pcrfclient01/pcrfclient02` is already deployed and are being updated, you must restart the LMGRD process by executing the following commands:

```
killall -9 lmgrd
```

```
service lmgrd start
```

## Validate Installed License

Use the `lmutil lmstat` command on `pcrfclient01/02` to check the status of license and list all the licenses available (Change `XXXX` to valid license file name).

### Command Syntax:

```
/opt/broadhop/lmgr/x64_lsb/lmutil lmstat -a -c /etc/broadhop/license/XXXX.lic
```



**Note** Users of Feature-name shown is 0 in the below example (i.e. Total of 0 licenses in use). This is due to limited support for `lmgrd` from CPS side.

### Example:

```
/opt/broadhop/lmgr/x64_lsb/lmutil lmstat -a -c /etc/broadhop/license/XXXX.lic
lmutil - Copyright (c) 1989-2013 Flexera Software LLC. All Rights Reserved.
Flexible License Manager status on Fri 7/24/2015 16:11
License server status: 27000@pcrfclient01
License file(s) on pcrfclient01: /etc/broadhop/license/XXXX.lic:
pcrfclient01: license server UP (MASTER) v11.11
Vendor daemon status (on pcrfclient01):
cisco: UP v11.11
```

```

Feature usage info:
Users of SPR: (Total of 0 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of SP_CORE: (Total of 0 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of POLICY_REPORT: (Total of 2000 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of QUOTA: (Total of 0 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of Diameter_UD: (Total of 0 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of Diameter_SH: (Total of 0 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of SCE_PRPC: (Total of 2000 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of SCE_GY: (Total of 2000 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)
Users of DIAMETER_SD: (Total of 2000 licenses issued; Total of 0 licenses in use)

```

## Upgrade License

User needs to upgrade license if the current licenses have expired or if you need to increase the session capacity of the system.

**Step 1** Contact your Cisco Technical representative to generate a license. You must provide the MAC addresses and hostnames for your pcrfclient01 and pcrfclient02 VMs.

**Step 2** Copy the license files you received to the Cluster Manager VM.

**Step 3** Delete the existing license files from the Cluster Manager VM.

```
rm -fr /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient01/<filename1>
```

```
rm -fr /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02/<filename2>
```

where,

<filename1> is the existing license filename of pcrfclient01.

<filename2> is the existing license filename of pcrfclient02.

**Note** As a best practice, create a backup of your existing licenses.

**Step 4** Copy the pcrfclient01 license to the /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient01 directory, and the pcrfclient02 license to the /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02 directory on the Cluster Manager VM:

```
cp <filename1> /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient01
```

```
cp <filename2> /etc/broadhop/license/pcrfclient02
```

where,

<filename1> is the license filename generated for pcrfclient01.

<filename2> is the license filename generated for pcrfclient02.

**Step 5** Execute the following command to rebuild the /etc/broadhop/license directory in the Cluster Manager VM.

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build/build_etc.sh
```

This script makes a zip file with the new license file and copies it to the /var/www/html/images directory.

Later the file is pushed to the target VMs when the vm-init.sh script is executed.

**Step 6** Push new license to the pcrfclient01/02 VMs. For this, execute the following commands:

```
ssh pcrfclient01 /etc/init.d/vm-init
```

and

```
ssh pcrfclient02 /etc/init.d/vm-init
```

**Step 7** Restart the LMGRD process by executing the following commands:

```
ssh pcrfclient01 "killall -9 lmgrd; service lmgrd start"
ssh pcrfclient02 "killall -9 lmgrd; service lmgrd start"
```

**Step 8** Validate installed license, refer to [Validate Installed License](#), on page 51.

**Step 9** Rolling restart of all Policy Server (QNS) nodes (no need to restart Policy Directors (LBs) or OAM (PCRFCLIENT)).

a) User needs to execute the following commands for each Policy Server (QNS) node from Cluster Manager:

- Check Policy Server (QNS) service status, using:

```
ssh qnsXX monit status qnsXX
```

If running then stop existing process, using:

```
ssh qnsXX monit stop qnsXX
```

If the process has stopped then wait for few seconds to let the Policy Server (QNS) processes start automatically through monit.

- Check whether Policy Server (QNS) process has restarted, using:

```
ssh qnsXX monit status qnsXX
```

## SSL Certificates

Default SSL cipher supported:

```
ciphers ECDH+AESGCM:DH+AESGCM:ECDH+AES256:DH+AES256:ECDH+AES128:DH+AES:RSA+AESGCM:RSA+AES:
```

For more information, refer to <https://www.openssl.org/docs/man1.0.2/apps/x509.html>.

## Create SSL Certificates

Certain deployments have customized certificates (for example, \*.der and \*.cer files) installed in their systems. To create Self-Signed certificates (SSL) that can be used in CPS, perform the following steps on Cluster Manager VM:

**Step 1** Convert the user provided files to pem files. Consider the user has provided \*.der and \*.cer files.

For example, if the user has provided the following files:

- x.der: Server certificate
- y.cer: ROOT CA certificate file
- z.cer: Intermediate file

```
openssl x509 -inform der -in x.der -out x.pem
```

```
openssl x509 -inform der -in y.cer -out y.pem
```

```
openssl x509 -inform der -in z.cer -out z.pem
```

**Note** For details on how to generate certificates using openssl, refer to: <https://www.openssl.org/docs/man1.0.2/apps/x509.html>.

**Step 2** Generate your chain crt file in the following order: server > intermediate > root.

```
cat x.pem z.pem y.pem > server.crt
```

**Step 3** Remove passphrase from KEY file (You will be asked to supply the passphrase of the KEY file).

```
openssl rsa -in server.key -out server.nopass.key
```

**Step 4** Combine the key without pass and certificate chain to create pem file.

```
cat server.nopass.key server.crt > server.pem
```

**Step 5** Copy the server.pem, server.crt and server.nopass.key to

```
/var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/.
```

```
cp server.crt /var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/quantum.crt
```

```
cp server.nopass.key /var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/quantum.key
```

```
cp server.pem /var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/quantum.pem
```

**Step 6** Execute the following commands from Cluster Manager:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build_all.sh
```

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

## Replace SSL Certificates

To replace the default Self-Signed certificates (SSL) during installation process, replace the crt, key and pem (contains both the crt/key) in `/var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs` directory on the Cluster Manager VM with the new certificates.



### Important

The custom certificates are replaced with the default CPS certificates after the migration or upgrade. In this case, you need to apply the custom certificates again on Cluster Manager once the upgrade or migration is complete.

Consider the user has the following new SSL certificates and wants to replace the default SSL certificates in the system:

- SSL\_new.crt
- SSL\_new.key
- SSL\_new.pem

The new certificates can be stored anywhere on the Cluster Manager. In the following steps the new certificates are stored in `/root`. To replace the old keys/certs/pem with the new ones, perform the following steps:

**Step 1** Execute the following commands from Cluster Manager to replace the old certificates with the new certificates:

```
mv /root/SSL_new.crt /var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/quantum.crt
mv /root/SSL_new.key /var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/quantum.key
mv /root/SSL_new.pem /var/qps/install/current/puppet/modules/qps/templates/certs/quantum.pem
```

**Important** Retain the permissions of the old files.

**Step 2** Execute the following command from Cluster Manager to rebuild puppet:

```
build_puppet.sh
```

**Step 3** Execute the following command from each VM to replace the certs/keys:

```
/etc/init.d/vm-init
```

OR

Execute the following command from Cluster Manager to replace the puppet on all VMs.

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

## Enable Custom Puppet to Configure Deployment

Some customers may need to customize the configuration for their deployment. When customizing the CPS configuration, it is important to make the customization in a way that does not impact the normal behavior for VM deployment and redeployment, upgrades/migration, and rollbacks.

For this reason, customizations should be placed in the `/etc/puppet/env_config` directory. Files within this directory are given special treatment for VM deployment, upgrade, migrations, and rollback operations.



### Note

If system configurations are manually changed in the VM itself after the VM has been deployed, these configurations will be overridden if that VM is redeployed.

The following section describes the steps necessary to make changes to the puppet installer.

Customizations of the CPS deployment are dependent on the requirements of the change. Examples of customizations include:

- deploying a specific facility on a node (VM)
- overriding a default configuration.

To explain the process, let us consider that we modify all VMs built from an installer, so we use the Policy Server (QNS) node definition.

For the above mentioned example, add custom routes via the `examples42-network` Puppet module. (For more information on the module, refer to <https://forge.puppetlabs.com/example42/network>).

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**Step 1** Make sure that the proper paths are available:

```
mkdir -p /etc/puppet/env_config/nodes
```

**Step 2** Install the necessary Puppet module. For example:

```
puppet module install \
--modulepath=/etc/puppet/env_config/modules:/etc/puppet/modules \
example42-network
Notice: Preparing to install into /etc/puppet/env_config/modules ...
Notice: Downloading from https://forge.puppetlabs.com ...
Notice: Installing -- do not interrupt ...
/etc/puppet/env_config/modules
example42-network (v3.1.13)
```

**Note** For more information on installing and updating Puppet modules, refer to [https://docs.puppetlabs.com/puppet/latest/reference/modules\\_installing.html](https://docs.puppetlabs.com/puppet/latest/reference/modules_installing.html).

**Step 3** Copy the existing node definition into the `env_config` nodes:

```
cp /etc/puppet/modules/qps/nodes/qps.yaml \
/etc/puppet/env_config/nodes
```

**Step 4** Add a reference to your custom Puppet manifest:

```
echo ' custom::static_routes:' >> \
/etc/puppet/env_config/nodes/qps.yaml
```

**Step 5** Create your new manifest for static routes:

```
cat
>/etc/puppet/env_config/modules/custom/manifests/static_routes.pp <<EOF class custom::static_routes
{
 network::route {'eth0':
 ipaddress => ['192.168.1.0'],
 netmask => ['255.255.255.0'],
 gateway => ['10.105.94.1'],
 }
}
EOF
```

**Step 6** Validate the syntax of your newly created puppet script(s):

```
puppet parser validate
/etc/puppet/env_config/modules/custom/manifests/static_routes.pp
```

**Step 7** Rebuild your Environment Configuration:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/build/build_env_config.sh
```

**Step 8** Reinitialize your environment:

```
/var/qps/install/current/scripts/upgrade/reinit.sh
```

At this point your new manifest is applied across the deployment. For more details, refer to the installer image in the `/etc/puppet/env_config/README`.

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## What to Do Next

It is recommended that version control is used to track changes to these Puppet customizations.

For example, to use 'git', perform the following steps:

- 1 Initialize the directory as a repository:

```
git init
```

```
Initialized empty Git repository in /var/qps/env_config/.git/.
```

- 2 Add everything:

```
git add .
```

- 3 Commit your initial check-in:

```
git commit -m 'initial commit of env_config'
```

- 4 If you are making more changes and customizations, make sure you create new revisions for those:

```
git add .
```

```
git commit -m 'updated static routes'
```

