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Audience

This publication is for network administrators who configure and maintain Cisco Nexus devices.

This guide is for network and server administrators with the following experience and knowledge:

- An understanding of virtualization
- Using hypervisor host machine software to create a virtual machine and configure a virtual switch.

Document Conventions

Command descriptions use the following conventions:

Convention	Description
bold	Bold text indicates the commands and keywords that you enter literally as shown.
Italic	Italic text indicates arguments for which the user supplies the values.
[x]	Square brackets enclose an optional element (keyword or argument).
[x | y]	Square brackets enclosing keywords or arguments separated by a vertical bar indicate an optional choice.

Convention	Description
{x | y}	Braces enclosing keywords or arguments separated by a vertical bar indicate a required choice.
[x {y | z}]	Nested set of square brackets or braces indicate optional or required choices within optional or required elements. Braces and a vertical bar within square brackets indicate a required choice within an optional element.
variable	Indicates a variable for which you supply values, in context where italics cannot be used.
string	A nonquoted set of characters. Do not use quotation marks around the string or the string will include the quotation marks.

Examples use the following conventions:

Convention	Description
screen font	Terminal sessions and information the switch displays are in screen font.
boldface screen font	Information you must enter is in boldface screen font.
italic screen font	Arguments for which you supply values are in italic screen font.
< >	Nonprinting characters, such as passwords, are in angle brackets.
[ ]	Default responses to system prompts are in square brackets.
!, #	An exclamation point (!) or a pound sign (#) at the beginning of a line of code indicates a comment line.

This document uses the following conventions:

Note Means *reader take note*. Notes contain helpful suggestions or references to material not covered in the manual.

Caution Means *reader be careful*. In this situation, you might do something that could result in equipment damage or loss of data.

Related Documentation for Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform

This section lists the documents used with the Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform and available on Cisco.com at the following URL:

http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps12752/tsd_products_support_series_home.html

General Information

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Release Notes

Install and Upgrade

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Hardware Installation Guide

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Software Installation and Upgrade Guide

Regulatory Compliance and Safety Information for the Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform

Configuration Guide

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Software Configuration Guide

Reference Guides

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Command Reference

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Compatibility Information

Troubleshooting and Alerts

Cisco Nexus Cloud Services Platform Troubleshooting Guide

Nexus 1000V Documentation

For the Cisco Nexus 1000V for VMware vSphere Documentation:

http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps9902/tsd_products_support_series_home.html

For the Cisco Nexus 1000V for Microsoft Hyper-V Documentation:

http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps13056/tsd_products_support_series_home.html

Virtual Security Gateway Documentation

Cisco Virtual Security Gateway Documentation

Virtual Network Management Center Documentation

Virtual Network Management Center

Virtual Wide Area Application Services (vWAAS) Documentation

Virtual Wide Area Application Services (vWAAS)

ASA 1000V Cloud Firewall Documentation

Cisco ASA 1000V Cloud Firewall

Network Analysis Module Documentation

Network Analysis Module

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