



Security

This chapter describes Certificate Management and IPSec Management and provides procedures for performing the following tasks:

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Set Internet Explorer Security Options

To download certificates from the server, ensure your Internet Explorer security settings are configured as follows:

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- Step 1** Start Internet Explorer.
 - Step 2** Navigate to **Tools>Internet Options**.
 - Step 3** Click the **Advanced** tab.
 - Step 4** Scroll down to the Security section on the Advanced tab.
 - Step 5** If necessary, clear the **Do not save encrypted pages to disk** check box.
 - Step 6** Click **OK**.
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Manage Certificates and Certificate Trust Lists

The Certificate Management menu options allow you to perform the following functions:

- Display certificates
- Upload certificates and Certificate Trust Lists (CTL)
- Download certificates and CTLs
- Delete certificates
- Regenerate certificates
- Download and generate Certificate Signing Requests (CSR)
- Monitor certificate expiration dates

**Note**

To access the Security menu items, you must re-log in to Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration using your Administrator password.

Display Certificates

To display existing certificates, follow this procedure:

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- Step 1** Navigate to **Security>Certificate Management>Display Cert.**
The Select Certificates or Trust Store window displays.
- Step 2** Check the check box for the type of certificate that you want to display: Own Certificates or Trust Certificates.
The Display Certificates or Trust Units window displays.
- Step 3** Check the check box for the certificate type that you want to display.
The Display Certificates or Trust Store window displays.
- Step 4** Check the check box for the certificate of trust store that you want to display.
The Details of a Certificate window displays.
- Step 5** After you have viewed the certificate details, choose another menu option to close the Details of Certificate window.
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Download a Certificate or CTL

To download a certificate or CTL from the Cisco Unified Communications Operating System to your PC, follow this procedure:

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| Step 1 | Navigate to Security>Certificate Management>Download Cert/CTL .
The Select Certificate/CTL/CSR Download windows displays. |
| Step 2 | Check the check box for the appropriate download type: Own Cert, Trust Cert, or CTL file. Click Next .
The Download Certificates or Trust Units window displays. |
| Step 3 | Check the check box for the existing certificate type that you want to download and click Next .
The Display Certificate/CTL/CSR Download window displays. |
| Step 4 | Check the check box for existing certificates that you want to download and click Next .
The Certificate/CTL/CSR Download window displays. |
| Step 5 | Click the Continue link.
A directory listing that shows the certificates that you chose displays. |
| Step 6 | To save the certificate or CTL to your PC, right-click the name of the certificate or CTL and choose Save As . |
| Step 7 | Enter the location where you want to save the certificate or CTL. |
| Step 8 | Click Save . |
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Delete and Regenerate a Certificate

Deleting a Certificate

To delete a trusted certificate, follow this procedure:



Deleting a certificate can affect your system operations.

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| Step 1 | Navigate to Security>Certificate Management>Delete/Regenerate Cert . |
| Step 2 | Check the Delete Trust Cert check box and click Next .
The Display Certificates or Trust Units For Delete/Regenerate window displays. |

- Step 3** Check the check box for the existing certificate type that you want to delete and click **Next**.
The Delete Certificates or Trust Store window displays.
- Step 4** Check the Existing Certificate Name check box for the certificate that you want to delete and click **Delete**.
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Regenerating a Certificate

To regenerate a certificate, follow this procedure:



Caution

Regenerating a certificate can affect your system operations.

Procedure

- Step 1** Navigate to **Security>Certificate Management>Delete/Regenerate Cert**.
The Select Certificates or Trust Store for Deletion window displays.
- Step 2** Check the **Regenerate Self-Signed Cert** check box and click **Next**.
- Step 3** Check the appropriate **Existing Certificates Types** check box for the certificate that you want to regenerate, and click **Next**.
- Step 4** Check the appropriate **Existing Certificate** check box and click **Regenerate**.
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Upload a Certificate or Certificate Trust List

When you save certificates that you obtained from a third-party Certificate Authority (CA) to your PC, Cisco recommends that you use Notepad to open and save the certificate because this method maintains the certificate format.

To upload a certificate or CTL to the server, follow this procedure:



Caution

Uploading a new certificate or CTL can affect your system operations.

Procedure

- Step 1** Navigate to **Security>Certificate Management>Delete/Upload Cert/CTL**.
The Select Certificate/CTL Upload window displays.
- Step 2** Check the existing certificate types check box for the certificate or CTL that you want to upload.
The Select Certificate/CTL Upload window displays.
- Step 3** Enter the name of the certificate or CTL that you want to upload or click **Browse** to browse for the file.
- Step 4** To upload the certificate or CTL, click **Upload**.

**Note**

The system does not distribute trust certificates to other cluster nodes automatically. If you need to have the same certificate on more than one node, you must upload the certificate to each node individually.

Download a Certificate Signing Request

To download a Certificate Signing Request, follow this procedure:

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- Step 1** Navigate to **Security>Certificate Management>Download/Generate CSR**.
The Select Certificate type for CSR window displays.
 - Step 2** Check the **Existing Certificate Types** check box for the CSR that you want to download.
 - Step 3** Check the **Download CSR if any** check box.
The Certificate/CTL/CSR Download window displays.
 - Step 4** Click **Continue**.
A directory listing shows the certificates that you chose.
 - Step 5** To save the CSR to your PC, right-click the name of the certificate or CTL and choose **Save As**.
 - Step 6** Enter the location where you want to save the certificate or CTL.
 - Step 7** Click **Save**.
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Monitor Certificate Expiration Dates

The system can automatically send you an e-mail when a certificate is close to its expiration date. To view and configure the Certificate Expiration Monitor, follow this procedure:

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- Step 1** To view the current Certificate Expiration Monitor configuration, navigate to **Security>Certificate Management>Cert Expiry Monitor>Display Config**.
The Show Cert Expiry Monitoring Config window, which shows a summary of the current configuration information, displays.
 - Step 2** To configure the Certificate Expiration Monitor, navigate to **Security>Certificate Management>Cert Expiry Monitor>Change Config**.
The Change Cert Expiry Monitoring Config window displays.
 - Step 3** Enter the required configuration information. See [Table 6-1](#) for a description of the Certificate Expiration Monitor fields.

Step 4 To save your changes, click **Submit**.

Table 6-1 Certificate Expiration Monitor Field Descriptions

Field	Description
Notification/Alert Start Time	Enter the number of days before the certificate expires that you want to be notified.
Initial Frequency of Notification	Enter the frequency for notification, either in hours or days.
Click on the right to Enable/Disable	To turn on e-mail notification, click Enable .
Email IDs entered for Notification	Enter the e-mail address to which you want notifications sent. Note For the system to send notifications, you must configure an SMTP host.

IPSEC Management

The IPsec menu options allow you to perform the following functions:

- Display or change an existing IPsec policy
- Set up a new IPsec policy



Note

IPsec does not get automatically set up between nodes in the cluster during installation.

Display or Change an Existing IPsec Policy

To display or change an existing IPsec policy, follow this procedure:



Note

Because any changes that you make to an IPsec policy during a system upgrade will get lost, do not modify or create IPsec policies during an upgrade.



Caution

IPsec, especially with encryption, will affect the performance of your system.

Procedure

Step 1 Navigate to **Security>IPSEC Management>Display/Change IPSEC**.



Note

To access the Security menu items, you must re-log in to Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration using your Administrator password.

The Display IPSEC Policy window displays.

Step 2 Check the appropriate Existing Policy check box, and click **Next**.

Step 3 Perform one of the following actions:

- To view an IPsec policy, click the **Display Detail** link.
- To delete an IPsec policy, click **Delete**.
- To activate an IPsec policy, click **Enable**.
- To deactivate an IPsec policy, click **Disable**.



Caution

Any changes that you make to the existing IPsec policies can impact your normal system operations.

Step 4 If you click the Display Detail link, the Association Details window displays. For an explanation of the fields in this window, see [Table 6-2](#).

Set Up a New IPsec Policy

To set up a new IPsec policy and association, follow this procedure:



Note

Because any changes you make to an IPsec policy during a system upgrade will get lost, do not modify or create IPsec policies during an upgrade.



Caution

IPsec, especially with encryption, will affect the performance of you system.

Procedure

Step 1 Navigate to **Security > IPSEC Management > Setup New IPSEC**.

The Setup Select window displays.

Step 2 Check the **Certificate** or **Pre-Shared Key** check box.

- If you check Certificate, check **Same Type** or **Different Type** node.
- If you check Pre-Shared Key, enter the key name.

Step 3 Click **Next**.

The Setup IPSEC Policy and Association window displays.

Step 4 Enter the appropriate information on the Setup IPSEC Policy and Association window. For a description of the fields on this window, see [Table 6-2](#).

Step 5 To set up the new IPsec policy, click **Submit**.

Table 6-2 *IPSEC Policy and Association Field Descriptions*

Field	Description
Policy Name	Specifies the name of the IPsec policy.
Dest. Address Type	Specifies the Destination Address Type: • IP—Dotted IP address of the destination • FQDN—Fully qualified domain name of the destination
Source Address Type	Specifies the Source Address Type: • IP—Dotted IP address of the source • FQDN—Fully qualified domain name of the source
Tunnel/Transport	Specifies tunnel or transport.
Protocol	Specifies the specific protocol, or Any: • TCP • UDP • Any
Dest. Port	Specifies the port number to use at the destination.
Phase 1 Life Time in Seconds	Specifies the lifetime for phase 1, IKE negotiation, in seconds.
Hash Algorithm	Specifies the hash algorithm: • SHA1—Hash algorithm that is used in phase 1 IKE negotiation • MD5—Hash algorithm that is used in phase 1 IKE negotiation
Phase 2 Life Time in Seconds	Specifies the lifetime for phase 2, IKE negotiation, in seconds.
AH Algorithm	Specifies the AH algorithm: • HMAC_MD5—Authentication algorithm that is used to authenticate IP packets • HMAC_SHA1—Authentication algorithm that is used to authenticate IP packets
Assoc. Name	Specifies the association name that is given to each IPsec association.
Dest. Address	Specifies the IP address or FQDN of the destination.
Source Address	Specifies the IP address or FQDN of the source.
Remote Port	Specifies the port number at the destination.
Source Port	Specifies the port number at the source.
Encryption Algorithm	From the drop-down list, choose the encryption algorithm. Choices include: • DES • 3DES
Phase 1 DH Value	From the drop-down list, choose the phase 1 DH value. Choices include: 2, 1, 5, 14, 16, 17, and 18.

Table 6-2 *IPSEC Policy and Association Field Descriptions (continued)*

Field	Description
ESP Algorithm	From the drop-down list, choose the ESP algorithm. Choices include: • NULL_ENC • DES • 3DES • BLOWFISH • RIJNDAEL
Phase 2 DH Value	From the drop-down list, choose the phase 2 DH value. Choices include: 2, 1, 5, 14, 16, 17, and 18.

