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Hosted Cloud Connector Using Cisco UCS E-Series

Technology Design Guide

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Preface

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Commands to enter at a CLI appear as follows:

```
configure terminal
```

Commands that specify a value for a variable appear as follows:

```
ntp server 10.10.48.17
```

Commands with variables that you must define appear as follows:

```
class-map [highest class name]
```

Commands at a CLI or script prompt appear as follows:

```
Router# enable
```

Long commands that line wrap are underlined. Enter them as one command:

```
police rate 10000 pps burst 10000 packets conform-action set-discard-class-  
transmit 48 exceed-action transmit
```

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```
interface Vlan64  
  ip address 10.5.204.5 255.255.255.0
```

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Use Cases

This guide addresses the following technology use cases:

- **Remote-Site Hosted Cloud Connector Applications**—This guide helps organizations deploy applications at remote-site locations and improve network performance by using local Internet access.

For more information, see the “Use Cases” section in this guide.

Scope

This guide covers the following areas of technology and products:

- Design and configuration of Cisco UCS-E series module in the Cisco ISR-G2 router platform for use with VMware ESXi and Hosted Cloud Connector applications.

For more information, see the “Design Overview” section in this guide.

Proficiency

This guide is for people with the following technical proficiencies—or equivalent experience:

- **CCNA Routing and Switching**—1 to 3 years installing, configuring, and maintaining routed and switched networks
- **VCP VMware**—At least 6 months installing, deploying, scaling, and managing VMware vSphere environments

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Introduction

The *Hosted Cloud Connector Using Cisco UCS E-Series Technology Design Guide* enables an organization to access cloud-based services from their remote sites and provides the following benefits:

- Optimal routing from the remote site to the cloud service provider using local Internet access
- Flexible, on-demand deployment of applications on the existing remote-site routing platform
- Simple operational model for distributed service deployment

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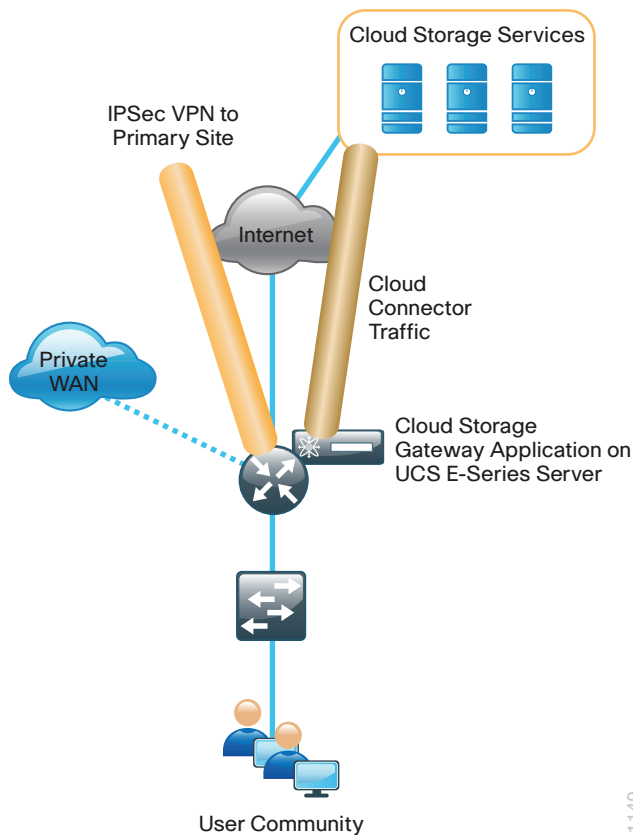
The [Remote Site Using Local Internet Access Technology Design Guide](#) provides guidance and configuration for deploying remote site WAN connectivity with Local Internet Access.

Technology Use Cases

Organizations are quickly adopting cloud services to help enable new business models for greater flexibility at lower cost. Organizations are increasingly looking at the benefits of hosting cloud-based applications at the remote office and accessing the public cloud directly. These types of applications are called *cloud connectors* and can be hosted directly on the remote office router using an integrated Cisco Unified Computing System (UCS) server.

A cloud connector is a Cisco or third-party software component embedded in, hosted on, or integrated with enterprise routing platforms. You can use cloud connectors for a variety of applications, including storage, virtualization, document handling, security, collaboration, and provisioning.

Figure 1 - Remote site hosted cloud connector on UCS E-Series Server



When you deploy hosted cloud applications by using Cisco ISRG2 and UCS E-Series integrated server modules, you gain unique benefits such as unified support and serviceability, integrated security, and increased application visibility using Cisco AVC for an overall reduction in total cost of ownership (TCO).

Use Case: Remote Site Hosted Cloud Connector Applications

This guide helps organizations deploy applications at remote-site locations and improve performance by using local Internet access and by reducing traffic transmitted over private WAN links to the primary site. The operational model is simplified by integrating the application within the existing Cisco Integrated Services Router (ISR) platform at the remote site without requiring additional standalone platforms.

This design guide enables the following network capabilities:

- Deployment of UCS E-Series Servers in ISRG2 routers
- Deployment of UCS-E specific VMware ESXi for Hosted Cloud Connector Applications
- Deployment of host cloud connector applications that communicate directly with a cloud service by using the local Internet connection

Design Overview

Due to the adoption of cloud services and virtualized data centers, organizations are undergoing a tremendous transition. When deploying cloud connectors and a distributed cloud-services model for business continuity, increased productivity, and enhanced application performance, organizations are faced with several key challenges in network application security and visibility.

When organizations deploy Cisco Cloud Connector applications as part of an integrated platform using the Cisco ISRG2 and UCS E-Series Server module to leverage cloud services in the remote office, the organizations increase network performance by:

- Eliminating WAN backhaul
- Enabling service localization
- Reducing service and support costs

This is all possible while increasing security and visibility through advanced capabilities such as Cisco IOS Zone-Based Firewall (ZBFW) and Cisco Cloud Web Security (CWS), and Cisco AVC.

Cisco Cloud Connector applications deliver business-continuity solutions for voice, data retrieval, cloud storage, and security applications by leveraging local direct Internet access from the remote office location to the cloud-service provider. Additionally, this combined platform eliminates the need for additional remote office footprint and deployment concerns that often arise with multiple component solutions.

There are many Cisco Cloud Connectors available today, with more in development through the Cloud Connector ecosystem. The ecosystem is designed to foster third-party development of Cloud Connectors for hosted and scripted connectors.

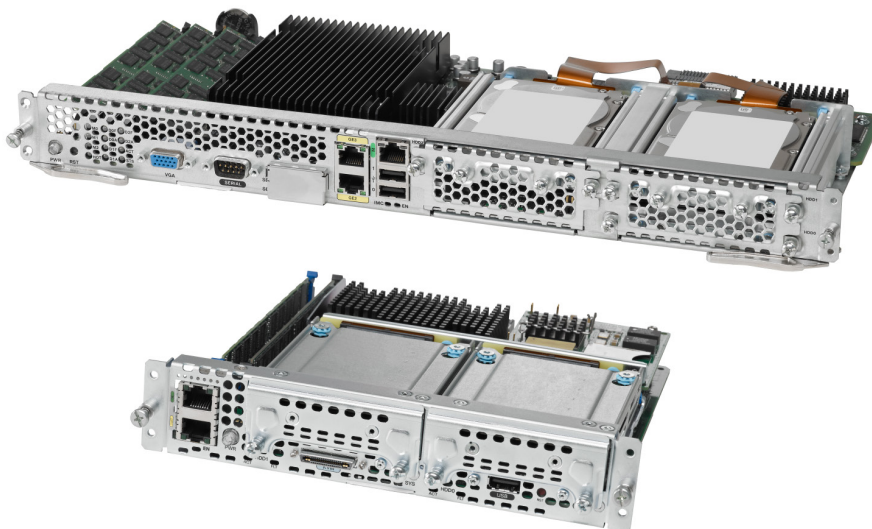
Deploying hosted Cisco Cloud Connector applications today using a combined Cisco platform prepares an organization for additional benefits and integration of scripted Cloud Connectors. This is an integral part of the Cisco software-defined networking (SDN) strategy where the intelligence of the networking platforms can be accessed through the Cisco Open Network Environment Platform Kit (Cisco OnePK) application programming interface (API). The Cisco OnePK API allows modification of network behavior for a specific application.

UCS E-Series Integrated Servers

The Cisco UCS E-Series Server is a converged computing solution, offering a bare metal OS, or virtualization-ready integrated networking platform.

Cisco UCS E-Series Server provides an integrated platform for Cisco and third-party cloud connector applications to run virtually “within the network” and is the basis for Cloud Connector Solutions. The hardware capabilities, ease of deployment and hypervisor support (VMware, Microsoft Hyper-V Server, Citrix XenServer) make UCS E-Series Server a viable platform for cloud services deployments.

Figure 2 - UCS E-Series Server modules



The Cisco UCS E-Series Server is offered in two form factors for the ISR-G2 2900 and 3900 series platforms with a fully integrated BMC controller (CIMC) like the UCS C-Series. Cisco SMARTnet Service for the ISRG2 router covers support for the UCS E-Series Server module. The UCS E-Series Servers are extremely efficient, using as much as 80% less power than a typical server resulting in a lower total cost of ownership (TCO).

Table 1 - UCS E-Series Server module options

Component	UCS E140S	UCS E140D	UCS E160D	UCS E140DP	UCS E160DP
Router slot width	Single	Double	Double	Double	Double
CPU family	Zeon E3	Zeon E5	Zeon E5	Zeon E5	Zeon E5
CPU cores	4	4	6	4	6
DDR3 memory slots	2	3	3	3	3
Max memory	16G	48G	48G	48G	48G
Hard drive bays ¹	2	3	3	3	3
Internal 1GE ports	2	2	2	2	2
Built-in External 1GE ports	1	2	2	2	2
PCIe card support ²	No	Yes	Yes	Included	Included
10/100 management ports	1	1	1	1	1
RAID support	0/1	0/1/5	0/1/5	0/1/5	0/1/5

1. Drive bays support 2.5 inch SAS, SSD, and SED drives.
2. There are two PCIe card options, a four-port 1GE module or a single port 10GE (SFP) with FCoE support.

Cloud Storage Connectors

A *cloud storage connector* is locally hosted software that connects an organization via the Internet to cloud-based storage services. Cloud storage provides cost savings and business agility for organizations, while delivering easier ways to store, share, and protect enterprise data.

To enable distributed cloud storage, organizations must address several key challenges regarding security and overall network impact—specifically, the speed and latency in remote sites. By deploying storage cloud connector solutions using the solution presented in this guide, an organization can secure integration of an on-premises storage gateway and the cloud-based storage infrastructure with greatly reduced impact on WAN.

Deploying Hosted Cloud Applications

Router Selection for Remote Sites

The actual WAN remote-site routing platforms remain unspecified because the specification is tied closely to the bandwidth required for a location and the potential requirement for the use of service module slots. One of the benefits of a modular design approach is that organizations have the ability to implement this solution with a variety of potential router choices.

There are many factors to consider in the selection of the WAN remote-site routers. Among those, and key to the initial deployment, is the ability to process the expected amount and type of traffic. You also need to make sure that you have enough interfaces, enough module slots, and a properly licensed Cisco IOS Software image that supports the set of features that is required by the topology. Cisco tested multiple integrated service router models, and the expected performance is shown in the following table.

Table 2 - WAN remote site Cisco Integrated Services Router options

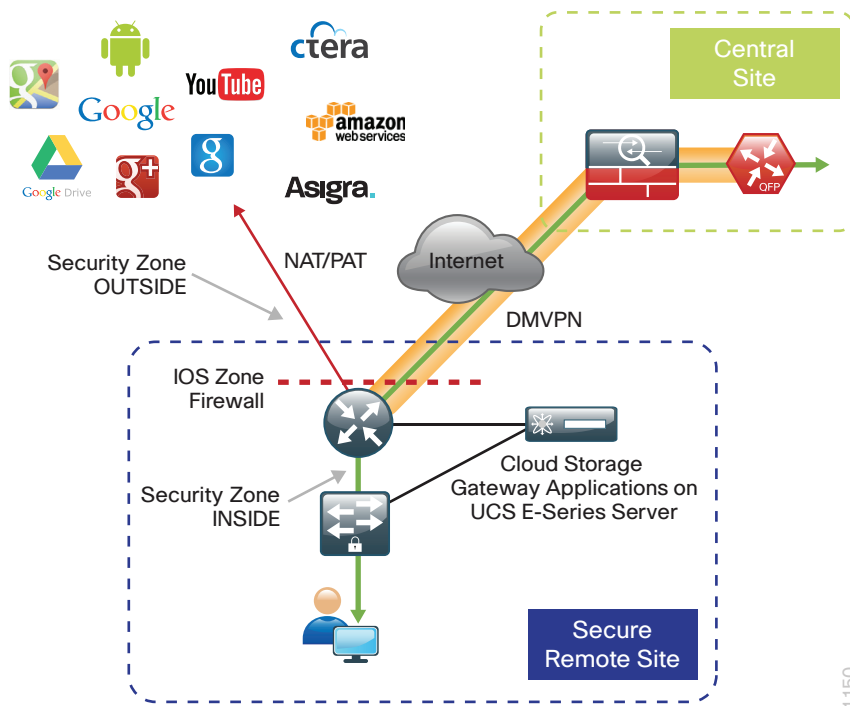
Option	2911	2921	2951	3925	3945
Ethernet WAN with services ¹	35 Mbps	50 Mbps	75 Mbps	100 Mbps	150 Mbps
On-board FE ports	0	0	0	0	0
On-board GE ports ²	3	3	3	3	3
Service module slots	1	1	2	2	4
Redundant power supply option	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
Supported UCS E-Series Server module	UCS E140S	UCS E140S UCS E140D	UCS E140S UCS E140D	UCS E140S UCS E140D UCS E160D	UCS E140S UCS E140D UCS E160D

1. The performance numbers are conservative numbers obtained when the router is passing Internet MIX (IMIX) traffic with heavy services configured and the CPU utilization is under 75 percent.
2. A single-router, dual-link remote-site requires four router interfaces when using a port-channel to connect to an access or distribution layer. Add the EHWIC-1GE-SFP-CU to the Cisco 2900 and 3900 Series Integrated Services Routers in order to provide the additional WAN-facing interface.

Deploying Hosted Cloud Connectors on UCS E-Series Servers

Hosted cloud connector applications such as Amazon Web Services (AWS) storage gateway, Asigra, and CTERA, can be deployed at remote locations using an integrated UCS E-Series Server module.

Figure 3 – Cisco secure remote site – cloud storage connector



Cisco has chosen and validated several cloud storage solutions including the AWS storage gateway, Asigra Cloud Backup Connector, and the CTERA cloud storage solutions.

- The AWS storage gateway combined with the Cisco UCS E-Series Server platform is an easy to deploy secure and flexible cloud storage connector for small to large organizations.
- The Asigra offers the Asigra Cloud Backup Connector solution in partnership with Cisco. A Cisco 3900 and 2900 family of routers are pre-installed with Asigra Cloud Backup, providing organizations with a simple, cost effective, and ready to use data protection infrastructure while avoiding the need for separate IT investments for backup and recovery.
- CTERA's enterprise cloud storage solution combined with Cisco the ISRG2 and UCS E-Series Server platform enables the secure deployment of integrated cloud storage applications to remote offices locations.



Reader Tip

This guide assumes the remote-site router has been configured for local Internet access using the [Remote Site Using Local Internet Access Technology Guide](#). This guide provides both local Internet routing and configuration guidelines for deploying security for local Internet configurations.


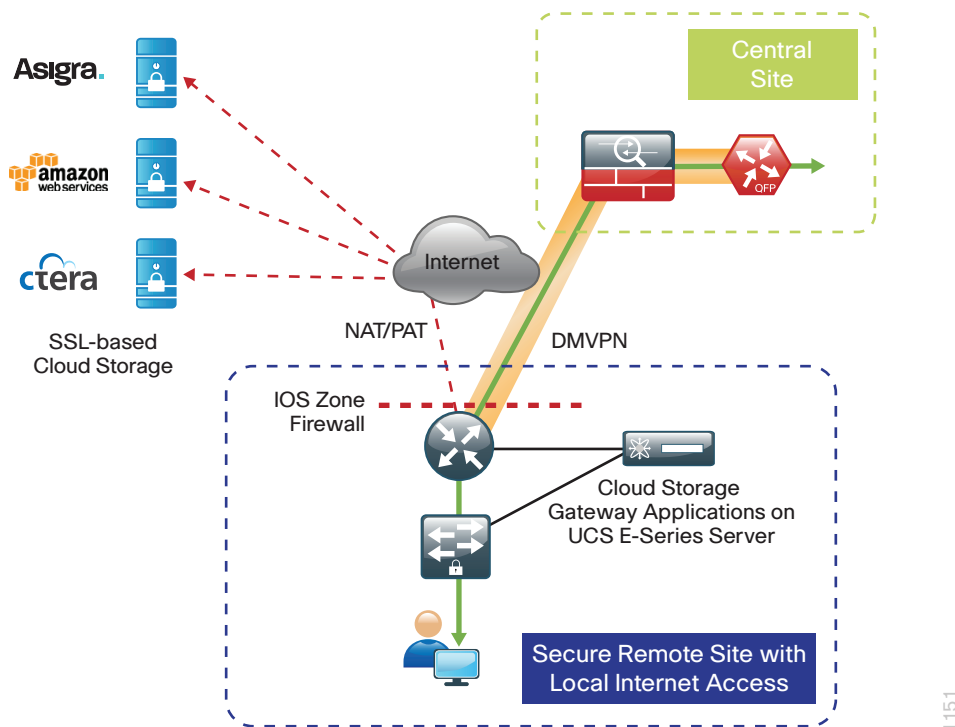
These applications allow remote-site locations to backup data directly to the cloud for disaster recovery (DR) and continuity of operations (COOP) requirements. Local Internet access provides increased performance for cloud-based applications as well as reduces bandwidth utilization on more expensive private WAN connections when compared to centralized Internet solutions.

Table 3 - Cloud storage connector gateways

Gateway application	Software version	UCS E-Series Server ESXi versions
AWS	v145-VM	5, 5.1.0
Asigra	12.2	5, 5.1.0
CTERA	3.2.47.3	5, 5.1.0

The UCS E-Series Server module can be deployed in Cisco 2900 and 3900 routers configured as part of remote site with local Internet designs taking advantage of the combined and integrated security features of the catalyst switching platform, UCS E-Series Server, and the ISR G2 router.

Figure 4 - Hosted cloud storage applications



Tech Tip

UCS E-Series Server modules can be configured with SAS self-encrypting drives (SEDs). The contents of an SED are always encrypted. The encryption keys are also encrypted and protected in hardware that cannot be accessed by other parts of the system. Disk encryption is done in hardware on each drive without performance penalty. Disks are also not subject to attacks targeting other components of the server system.

For this capability use the E100S-HDSASED600G drive for the single-wide servers and E100D-HDSASED600G drives for the double-wide servers.

Single Router Remote-Site Designs

In the single router VPN WAN design, you install a single or double-wide UCS E-Series Server module into the ISR G2 router.

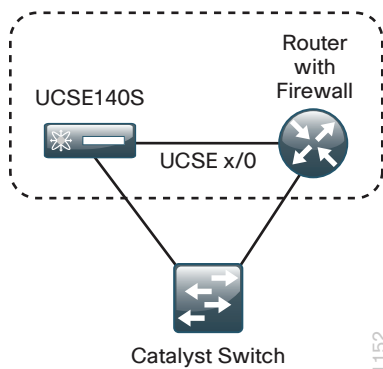


Tech Tip

When resiliency is required the use of the double-wide modules is recommended in all designs. Double-wide modules provide greater application performance and resiliency options with RAID 5 and additional external interfaces.

The single-wide UCS E140S module can be deployed in designs where resiliency is not a critical factor and when router hardware is limited. In these designs, the external gigabit interface is connected to a single external switch.

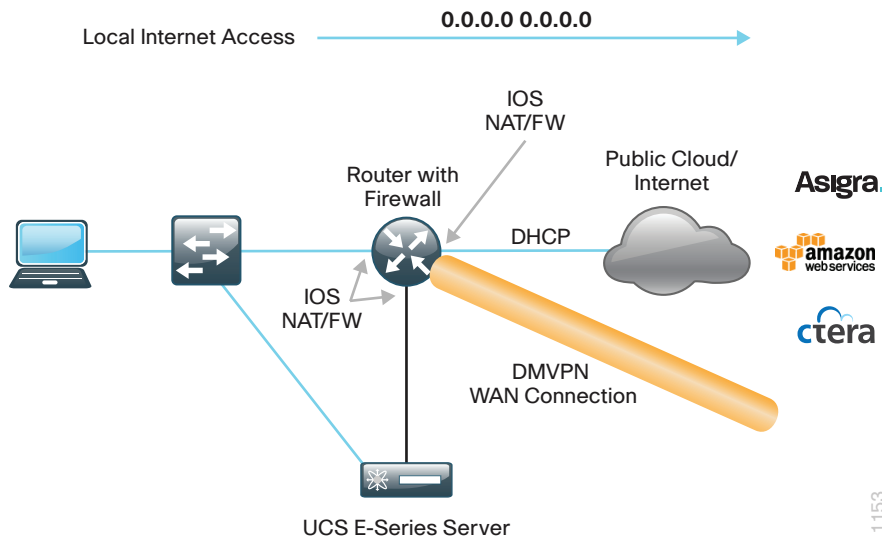
Figure 5 - Cisco ISR G2 router with integrated UCS E-Series Server



Hosted Cloud Connector applications access cloud services directly via split tunneling on the single outside Internet interface. Cloud applications communicate securely with cloud services using SSL-based communications.

You configure DMVPN for secure encrypted connectivity to internal network resources in a central location. In this configuration bandwidth is shared for internal and external communication. This design model has no redundancy for internal or external traffic.

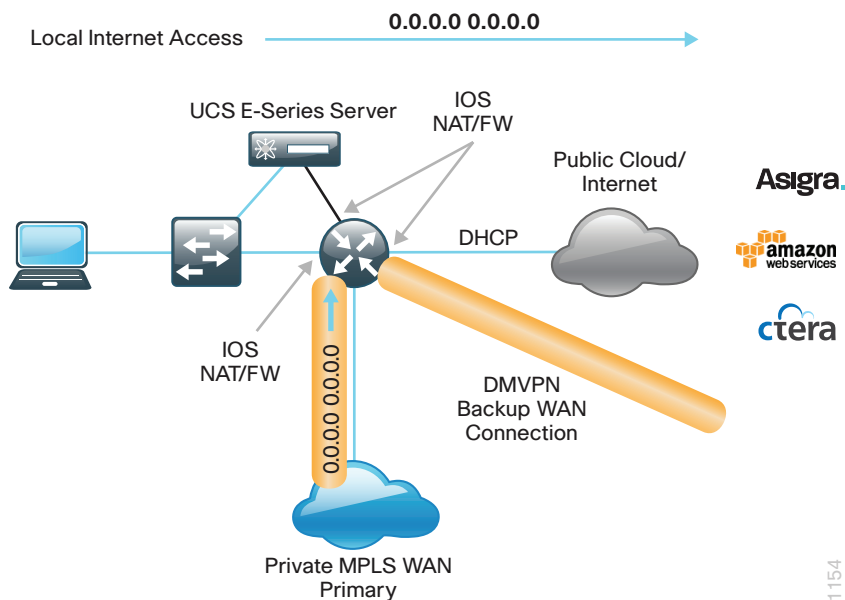
Figure 6 - Single router VPN WAN - UCS E-Series Server



In the single router MPLS Primary or L2 WAN primary with VPN WAN backup, you install a UCS E-Series Server module into the ISR/G2 router. Hosted Cloud Connector applications access cloud services directly via split tunneling on the single outside Internet interface. Cloud applications communicate securely with cloud services using SSL-based communications.

You configure DMVPN as a backup path for secure encrypted connectivity to internal network resources in a central location. In this configuration, bandwidth is not shared for internal and external communication during normal operation. All internal traffic uses dedicated private WAN services and external communications for Internet browsing and cloud connector applications use the separate local Internet connection. During Internet failure situations, cloud services can be redirected to use central Internet access.

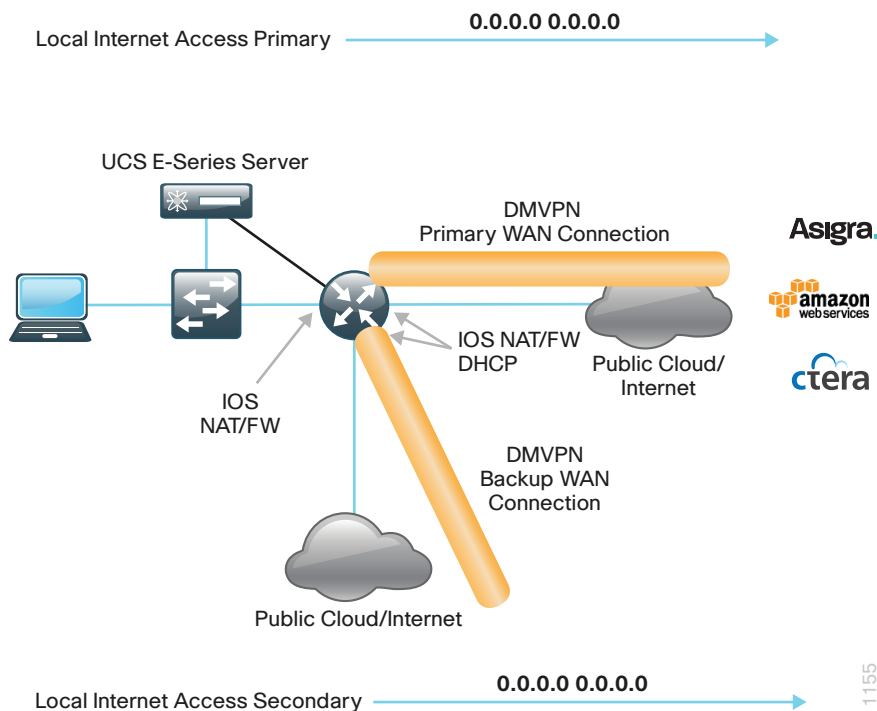
Figure 7 - MPLS WAN & L2 WAN primary with VPN backup - UCS E-Series Server



In the single router Dual VPN WAN configuration, hosted Cloud Connector applications access cloud services directly via split tunneling on the single outside Internet interface. Cloud applications communicate securely with cloud services using SSL-based communications.

You configure DMVPN for primary and backup paths for secure encrypted connectivity to internal network resources in a central location. In this configuration, bandwidth is not shared for internal and external communication during normal operation. All internal traffic uses the primary VPN WAN connection and external communications for Internet browsing and Cloud Connector applications use the secondary local Internet connection. During Internet failure situations, local Internet access is maintained.

Figure 8 - VPN WAN primary with backup link - UCS E-Series Server



Dual Router Remote-Site Designs

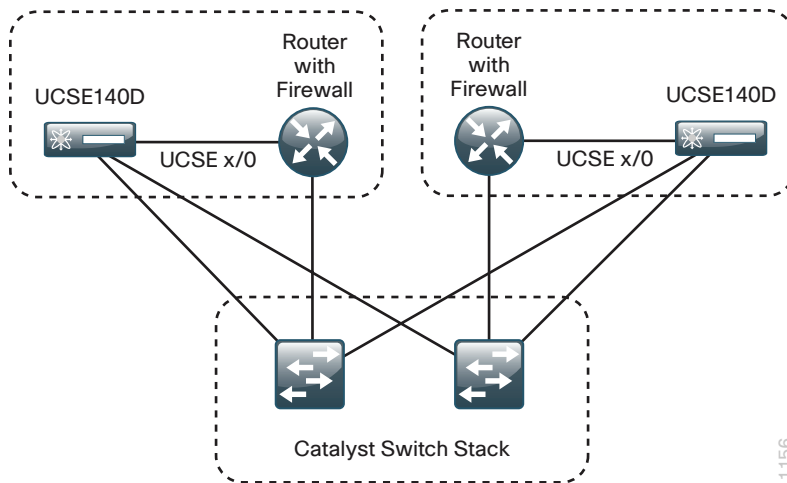
Where possible, in dual router deployments you should deploy the double-wide UCS E-Series Server such as the UCS E140D. The double-wide modules have two external Ethernet connections that can each be connected to different external switches to provide resilient connectivity for applications.



Tech Tip

When resiliency is required, you should use double-wide modules in all designs. Double-wide modules provide greater application performance and resiliency options with RAID 5 and additional external interfaces.

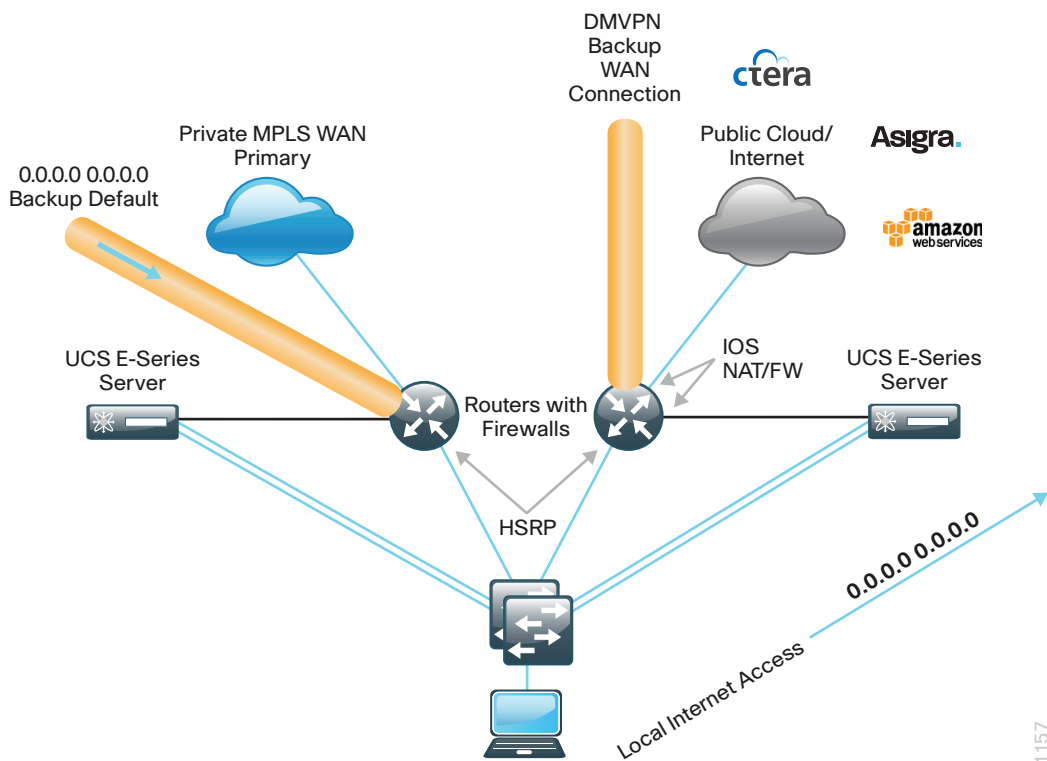
Figure 9 - Cisco ISRG2 routers with integrated UCS E-Series Servers



In dual router MPLS Primary or L2 WAN primary with VPN WAN backup, you install a UCS E-Series Server module into each ISRG2 router. Hosted Cloud Connector applications access cloud services directly via split tunneling on the single outside Internet interface. Cloud applications communicate securely with cloud services using SSL based communications.

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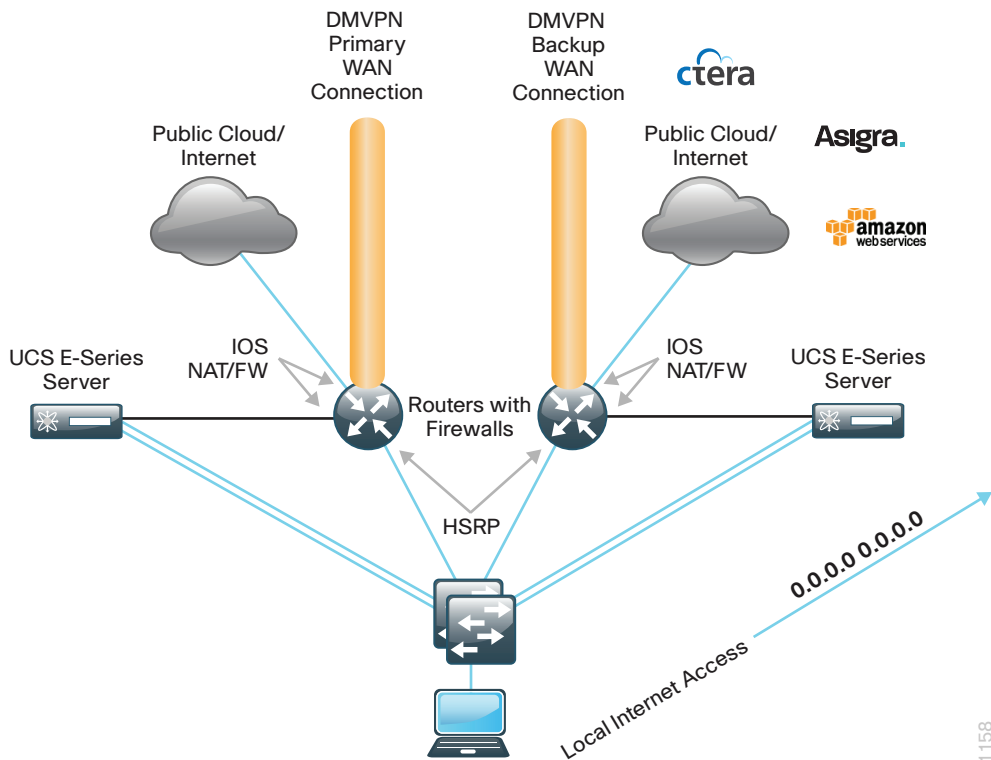
Figure 10 - MPLS primary backup link and router - UCS E-Series Server



In the dual router Dual VPN WAN, you install a UCS E-Series Server module into each ISR2 router. Hosted Cloud Connector applications access cloud services directly via split tunneling on the single outside Internet interface. Cloud applications communicate securely with cloud services using SSL-based communications.

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Figure 11 - VPN WAN backup link and router - UCS E-Series Server



Tech Tip

Although this task is not shown in this guide, you can configure multiple UCS E-Series Server modules for application scale and redundancy.

In single and dual router designs, you can install multiple UCS E-Series Server modules within a single router to meet specific organizational requirements. You can maintain some levels of application redundancy using VMware capabilities.

In these configurations, external storage solutions are probably required. For these and other types of requirements, consult your application and hypervisor technical representatives for configuration details.

Installing and Configuring the UCS E-Series Server Module

1. Connect UCS E-Series Server to remote-site switch
2. Configure ISRG2 for CIMC access
3. Configure UCS E-Series Server using CIMC
4. Configure RAID using CIMC

In this process, you configure the remote site access switch, ISRG2 CLI for UCS E-Series Server Cisco Integrated Management Controller (CIMC) access, and prepare the integrated server hardware for applications.



Reader Tip

To complete the full installation and configuration of a hosted cloud storage application on the Cisco UCS E-Series Server module, this process must be combined with the “Installing VMware ESXi on the UCS E-Series Server Module” and “Deploying Hosted Cloud Storage Applications on the UCS E-Series Server Module” processes in this guide.

Configuration Checklist

The following table specifies the parameters, data, and universal design parameters that you need in order to set up and configure applications running on the Cisco UCS E-Series Server module. For your convenience, you can enter your values in the table and refer to it when configuring the UCS E-Series Server module. The values you enter will differ from those in this example, which are provided for demonstration purposes only.

Table 4 - Cisco UCS E-Series Server module network parameters

Parameter	CVD values for an access-layer connection	CVD values for a distribution-layer connection	Site-specific values
In-band management network	10.5.252.0/24 (existing data subnet)	10.5.241.0/25 (new subnet for UCS E-Series Server management)	
UCS E-Series Server interface address	unnumbered gig0/2.64	10.5.241.1/25	
CIMC interface address	10.5.252.10/24	10.5.241.30/25	
VMware ESXi interface address	10.5.252.11/24	10.5.241.31/25	
Switch interface number	1/0/15, 2/0/15	1/0/15, 2/0/15	
UCS E-Series Server default gateway	10.5.252.3	10.5.241.1	
UCS E-Series Server host name	RS242-UCS-E	RS240-UCS-E	

Procedure 1 Connect UCS E-Series Server to remote-site switch

Use this procedure to configure an access-layer switch for UCS E-Series Server connectivity. The access switch is the appropriate location to physically connect Cisco UCS E-Series Server modules at single-tier remote sites. Regardless of the switch type—single switch, switch stack, or modular—this type of connection must use a Layer 2 access interface. At distribution layer sites, the Cisco UCS E-Series Server module is physically connected to the distribution-layer switch.

This guide assumes that the Cisco UCS E-Series Server module has been installed into the remote-site router and that the LAN switch has already been configured. Only the procedures required to complete the connection of the switch to the UCS E-Series Server module are included. For more information about how to configure switches, see the [Campus Wired LAN Technology Design Guide](#).

Option 1: Single-wide UCS E-Series Server module

Step 1: Connect the Cisco UCS E-Series Server's external Ethernet interface to an Ethernet port on the remote site switch, and then return the switchport configuration to the default.

```
default interface GigabitEthernet1/0/15
```

Step 2: Define the switchport in the remote-site switch as an access port for the data VLAN, and then apply port-security and quality of service (QoS) configuration.

```
interface GigabitEthernet1/0/15
description Link UCS-E 140S
switchport access vlan 64
switchport host
ip arp inspection trust
logging event link-status
macro apply EgressQoS
no shutdown
```

Option 2: Double-wide UCS E-Series Server module

Step 1: Connect the Cisco UCS E-Series Server's external Ethernet interface to an Ethernet port on the remote site switch, and then return the switchport configuration to the default.

```
default interface GigabitEthernet1/0/15
default interface GigabitEthernet2/0/15
```

Step 2: Define the switchport in the remote-site switch as an access port for the data VLAN, and then apply port-security and QoS configuration.

```
interface GigabitEthernet1/0/15
description Link UCS-E 140D interface gig 0/2
switchport access vlan 64
switchport host
ip arp inspection trust
logging event link-status
macro apply EgressQoS
no shutdown
```

```

interface GigabitEthernet2/0/15
description Link UCS-E 140D interface gig 0/3
switchport access vlan 64
switchport host
ip arp inspection trust
logging event link-status
macro apply EgressQoS
no shutdown

```



Tech Tip

The single-wide UCS E-Series Server modules only have a single external Ethernet interface. The double-wide modules have two external Ethernet interfaces for VM traffic and should be connected to two external switches for redundancy.

Procedure 2

Configure ISRG2 for CIMC access



Tech Tip

The UCS E-Series procedures in this guide assume that you are using an ISR G2 2900 series router or ISR G2 3900 series router. The ISR 4451-X router procedure, while similar, is not included in this guide.

The Cisco UCS E-Series Server module has two internal interfaces on the router. These interfaces are numbered depending on which slot the UCS E-Series Server module is installed. Interface ucse_/0 represents a routed PCIe interface and interface ucse_/1 represents the multi-gigabit fabric (MGF) interface. This procedure configures the PCIe interface, which is also referred to as the Console interface.

Option 1: Layer 2 access switch

This is the recommended configuration for remote sites with an access layer only. Use this configuration if all UCS E-Series Server applications and CIMC access can reside on the remote site user Data VLAN and a dedicated server subnet or DMZ is not required.

Perform these steps to set up the CIMC interface.

Step 1: Determine the UCS E-Series Server interfaces.

```
RS242-2951-2#sh ip int brief
```

Interface	IP-Address	OK?	Method	Status	Protocol
Ucse2/0	unassigned	YES	NVRAM	up	up
Ucse2/1	unassigned	YES	unset	up	up



Tech Tip

This example shows the Cisco UCS E-Series Server module installed in slot 2 of the router.

Step 2: Assign an IP address to the router's UCS E-Series Server interface. In this configuration you use **IP unnumbered** to share the IP address assigned to the internal data VLAN. This will be the gateway IP address for the Cisco UCS E-Series Server CIMC and hypervisor.

```
interface ucse2/0
  ip unnumbered GigabitEthernet 0/2.64
  no shutdown
```

Step 3: Assign an IP address and gateway to the CIMC.

```
interface ucse2/0
  imc ip address 10.5.252.10 255.255.255.0 default-gateway 10.5.252.3
```



Tech Tip

If you have configured Hot Standby Router Protocol (HSRP), do not use the HSRP virtual IP address. Use the real IP address assigned to the interface or subinterface.

```
Configure the CIMC LAN on Motherboard (LOM) for shared access.
interface ucse2/0
  imc access-port shared-lom console
```



Tech Tip

Shared console access allows this interface to be used for CIMC access and network traffic. Dedicated mode allows only CIMC access.

Step 4: Configure a static host route for the CIMC host via the internal UCS E-Series Server interface.

```
ip route 10.5.252.10 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
```

Step 5: Configure an additional static host route for the VMware ESXi host that will reside on the same subnet and share the UCS E-Series Server console for access.

```
ip route 10.5.252.11 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
```

Step 6: If this is a dual router remote site, you must redistribute the static routes created in Step 4 and Step 5 into the LAN EIGRP process (Example: EIGRP-100). You use a route map with an access list to explicitly list which static routes are redistributed.

If static route redistribution has already been configured, then the route map may already exist and you can use it in a redistribute statement. In this case, add the new access list and the additional clause for the route map; otherwise, complete the entire step. The highlighted portion is optional.

```
ip access-list standard STATIC-ROUTE-LIST
  remark UCSE CIMC & ESXi host routes
  permit 10.5.252.10
  permit 10.5.252.11

route-map STATIC-IN permit 30
  match ip address STATIC-ROUTE-LIST
!
router eigrp 100
  redistribute static route-map STATIC-IN
```

Next, verify the CIMC configuration.



Tech Tip

It is not always necessary to redistribute these static routes into the LAN EIGRP process.

```
ip route 10.5.252.10 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
ip route 10.5.252.10 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
```

This type of static route is known as a *pseudo-static* or *pseudo-connected* route because it meets two conditions:

1) the static route points directly to an interface and 2) the destination IP address is contained within an IP range that is referenced by an EIGRP network statement:

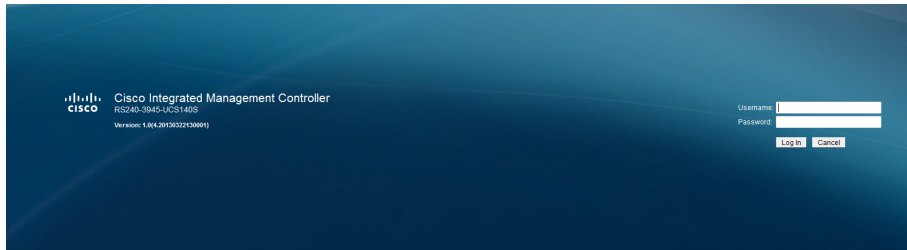
```
router eigrp 100 network 10.5.0.0 0.0.255.255
```

A pseudo-connected route is treated like a connected route and is automatically advertised within the EIGRP autonomous system as an EIGRP internal route (AD 90) and no redistribution is required.

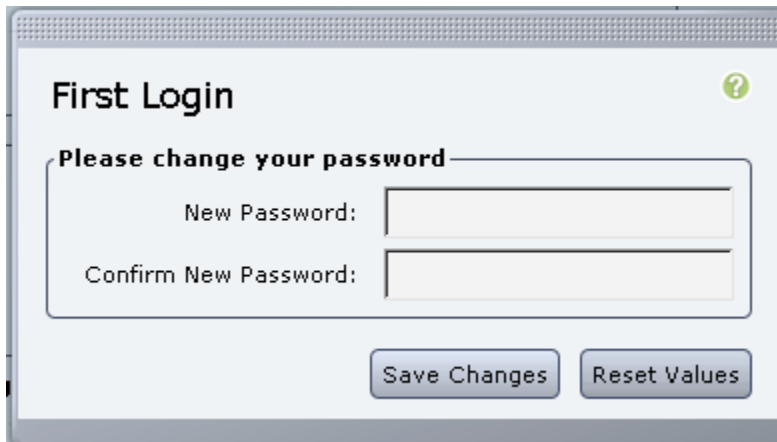
While the route will be automatically brought into the topology and treated similar to a connected route, EIGRP does not reclassify the route as a connected.

As with the example presented above, redistribution of static routes, and then applying configuration commands (such as route maps) to the redistribute routes would affect these routes.

Step 7: Open a browser window to the CIMC address (Example: <https://10.5.252.10>), enter the factory default username **admin** and factory default password **password**, and then click **Log In**.



Step 8: If this is the first time you log in to this device, you are prompted to change the password. Enter a new password (Example: c1sco123), and then click **Save Changes**.



Option 2: Layer 3 distribution switch—dedicated UCS E-Series Server subnet

This is the recommended configuration for remote sites with a distribution layer.

This solution also provides flexibility for different application needs, such as the ability to contain certain applications in a local DMZ for each remote-site location.

When connecting to the distribution layer you must assign a dedicated subnet range for Cisco UCS E-Series Server management. The CIMC and ESXi interfaces are both assigned addresses in this range. The external UCS E-Series Server interfaces are connected to the LAN switches providing application access to internal facing VLANs and the Internet.

Perform these steps to set up the CIMC interface.

Step 1: Determine the UCS E-Series Server interfaces.

```
RS240-3945#sh ip int brief
```

Interface	IP-Address	OK?	Method	Status	Protocol
ucse3/0	unassigned	YES	NVRAM	up	up
ucse3/1	unassigned	YES	unset	up	up



Tech Tip

This example shows the Cisco UCS E-Series Server module installed in slot 3 of the router.

Step 2: Assign an IP address to the router's UCS E-Series Server interface. In this configuration you explicitly assign an IP address on the newly assigned subnet range. This will be the gateway IP address for the Cisco UCS E-Series Server CIMC and hypervisor.

```
interface ucse3/0
ip address 10.5.241.1 255.255.255.128
```

Step 3: Assign an IP address and gateway to the CIMC.

```
interface ucse3/0
imc ip address 10.5.241.30 255.255.255.128 default-gateway 10.5.241.1
```

Step 4: Configure the CIMC LOM for shared access.

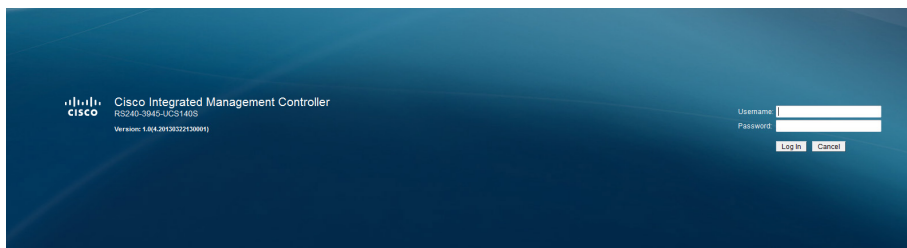
```
interface ucse3/0
imc access-port shared-lom console
no shutdown
```



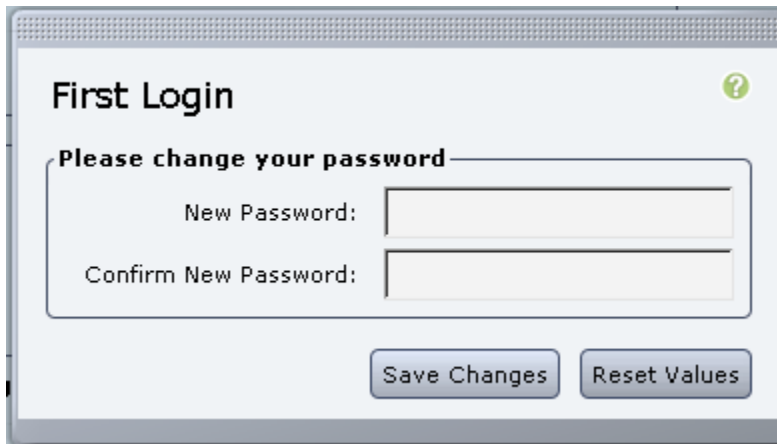
Tech Tip

Shared console access allows this interface to be used for CIMC access and network traffic. Dedicated mode allows only CIMC access.

Step 5: Open a browser window to the CIMC address (Example: <https://10.5.241.30>), enter the factory default username **admin** and factory default password **password**, and then click **Log In**.



Step 6: If this is the first time you log in to this device, you are prompted to change the password. Enter a new password (Example: c1sco123), and then click **Save Changes**.

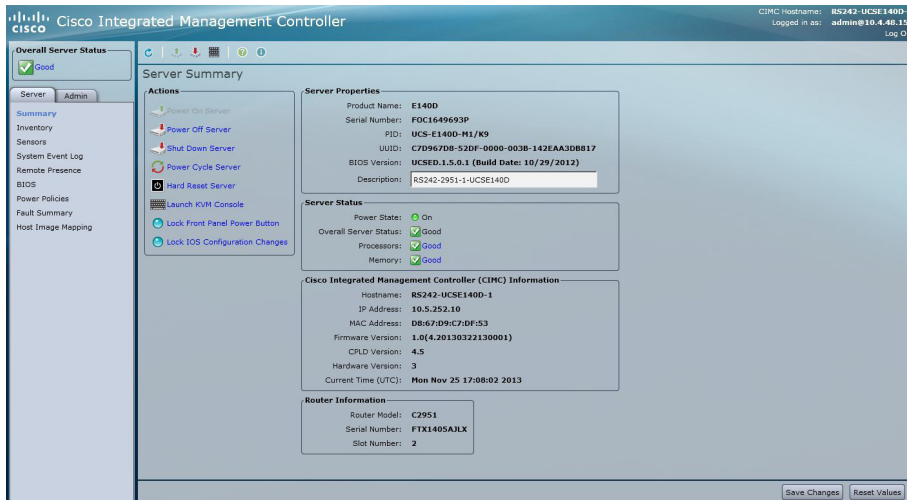


The image shows a web interface titled "First Login" with a green question mark icon. Below the title, it says "Please change your password". There are two input fields: "New Password:" and "Confirm New Password:". At the bottom, there are two buttons: "Save Changes" and "Reset Values".

Procedure 3 Configure UCS E-Series Server using CIMC

Step 1: On the Server Summary screen, verify the installed CPU and, if the memory and disk are correctly reported, that the correct versions of CIMC and BIOS are installed.

Step 2: Enter a description for this device (Example: RS242 UCS E-Series), and click then **Save Changes**.



The image shows the Cisco Integrated Management Controller (CIMC) web interface. The top bar displays the Cisco logo and the title "Cisco Integrated Management Controller". On the right, it shows "CIMC Hostname: RS242-UCSE1400-1" and "Logged in as: admin@10.4.40.155". The main content area is titled "Server Summary" and is divided into several sections:

- Overall Server Status:** Shows a green "Good" status.
- Actions:** A list of actions including "Power On Server", "Power Off Server", "Shut Down Server", "Power Cycle Server", "Hard Reset Server", "Launch KVM Console", "Lock Front Panel Power Button", and "Lock IOS Configuration Changes".
- Server Properties:** Displays details for the server, including Product Name (E140D), Serial Number (F0C1649693P), PID (UCS-E1400-H1/K9), UUID (C7D967DB-52DF-0000-003B-142EAA3D8B17), BIOS Version (UCSED.1.5.0.1 (Build Date: 10/29/2012)), and Description (RS242-2951-1-UCSE1400).
- Server Status:** Shows the Power State (On), Overall Server Status (Good), Processors (Good), and Memory (Good).
- Cisco Integrated Management Controller (CIMC) Information:** Displays Hostname (RS242-UCSE1400-1), IP Address (10.5.252.10), MAC Address (DB:67:D9:C7:DF:53), Firmware Version (1.0(4.20130322130001)), CPLD Version (4.5), Hardware Version (3), and Current Time (UTC) (Mon Nov 25 17:08:02 2013).
- Router Information:** Displays Router Model (C2951), Serial Number (FTX1405AJLX), and Slot Number (2).

At the bottom right, there are "Save Changes" and "Reset Values" buttons.

Step 3: Click the **Admin** tab, click **Network**, and then click the **Network Settings** tab.

Step 4: Configure a host name (Example: RS242-UCSE140D and the primary DNS server if necessary (Example: 10.4.48.10), click **Save Changes**, and then, on the warning dialog box, click **OK**.

The screenshot displays the Cisco Integrated Management Controller (CIMC) interface. On the left, a sidebar shows the 'Overall Server Status' as 'Good' and a navigation menu with options like 'User Management', 'Network', 'Communications Services', etc. The main content area is titled 'Network' and contains two tabs: 'Network Settings' (selected) and 'Network Security'. Under 'Network Settings', there are four sections: 'NIC Properties', 'Common Properties', 'IPv4 Properties', and 'VLAN Properties'. The 'NIC Properties' section shows 'NIC Mode' as 'Shared LOM (host)', 'NIC Redundancy' as 'None', 'NIC Interface' as 'Console', and 'MAC Address' as 'D8:67:D9:C7:DF:53'. The 'Common Properties' section shows 'Hostname' as 'RS242-UCSE140D-1'. The 'IPv4 Properties' section shows 'Enable IPv4' checked, 'Use DHCP' unchecked, 'IP Address' as '10.5.252.10', 'Subnet Mask' as '255.255.255.0', 'Gateway' as '10.5.252.2', 'Obtain DNS Server Addresses From DHCP' unchecked, 'Preferred DNS Server' as '10.4.48.10', and 'Alternate DNS Server' as '0.0.0.0'. The 'VLAN Properties' section shows 'Enable VLAN' unchecked, 'VLAN ID' as '1', and 'Priority' as '0'.

Cisco Integrated Management Controller

Overall Server Status
Good

Network

Network Settings | Network Security

NIC Properties

NIC Mode: Shared LOM (host)
NIC Redundancy: None
NIC Interface: Console
MAC Address: D8:67:D9:C7:DF:53

Common Properties

Hostname: RS242-UCSE140D-1

IPv4 Properties

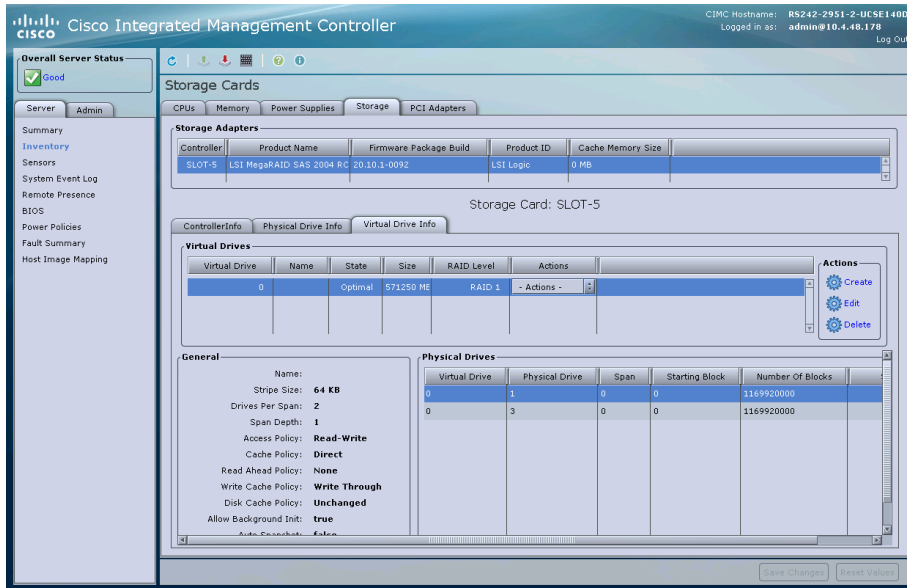
Enable IPv4: ☒
Use DHCP: ☐
IP Address: 10.5.252.10
Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0
Gateway: 10.5.252.2
Obtain DNS Server Addresses From DHCP: ☐
Preferred DNS Server: 10.4.48.10
Alternate DNS Server: 0.0.0.0

VLAN Properties

Enable VLAN: ☐
VLAN ID: 1
Priority: 0

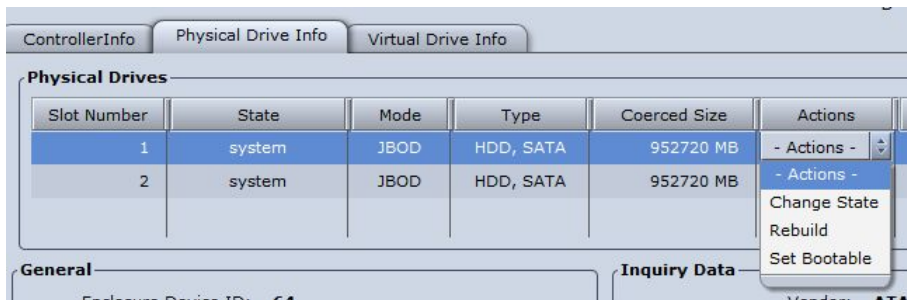
Procedure 4 Configure RAID using CIMC

Step 1: Click the **Server** tab, click **Inventory**, and then click the **Storage** tab.

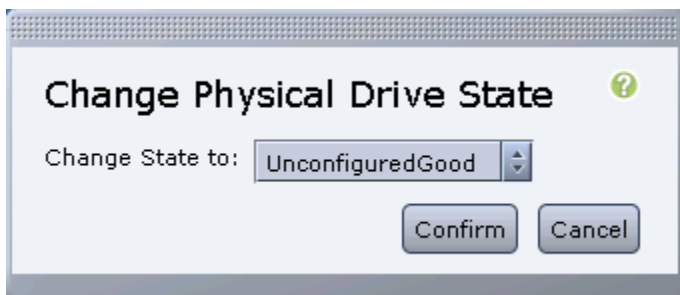


Step 2: Click the **Physical Drives Info** tab.

Step 3: For the drive in Slot Number 1, click **Actions**, and then choose **Change State**.



Step 4: If necessary, for the Physical Drive State, choose **UnconfiguredGood**, and then click **Confirm**.



Step 5: If necessary, repeat Step 3 and Step 4 for the remaining drives.

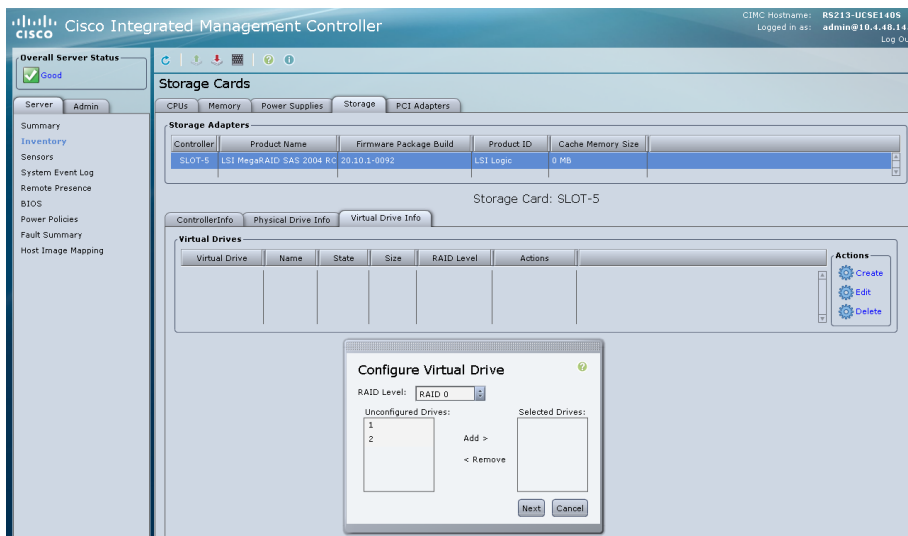
Step 6: Click the **Virtual Drive Info** tab.

Step 7: In the **Actions** pane, choose **Create**.

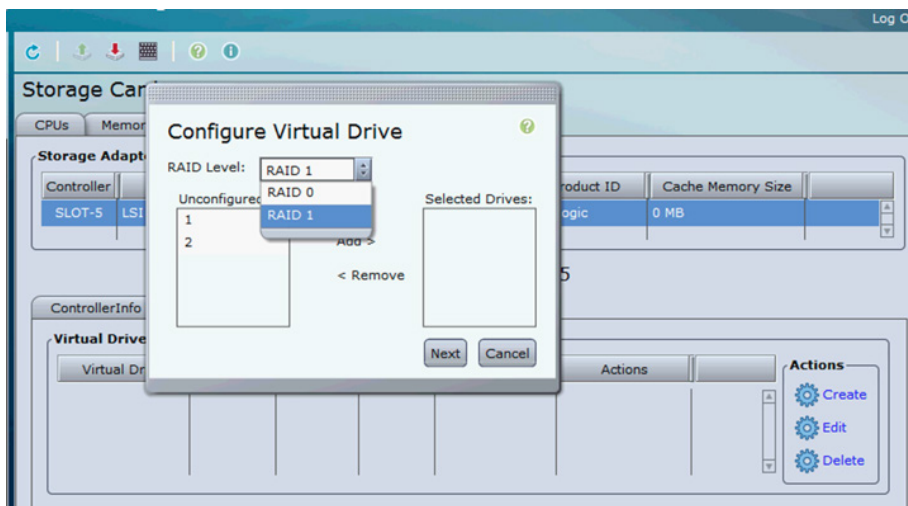


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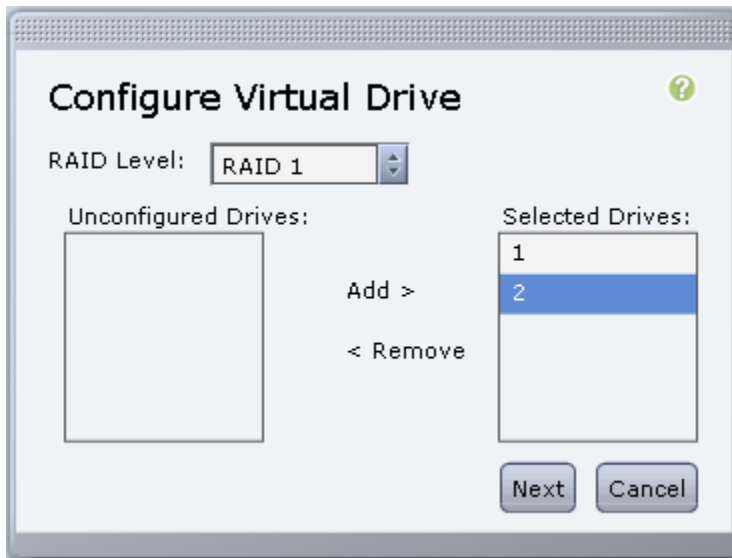
If you are configuring a Cisco UCS E-Series Server module with a single hard drive you can select RAID 0 and add the single drive to the list. It is best to use two drives when possible.



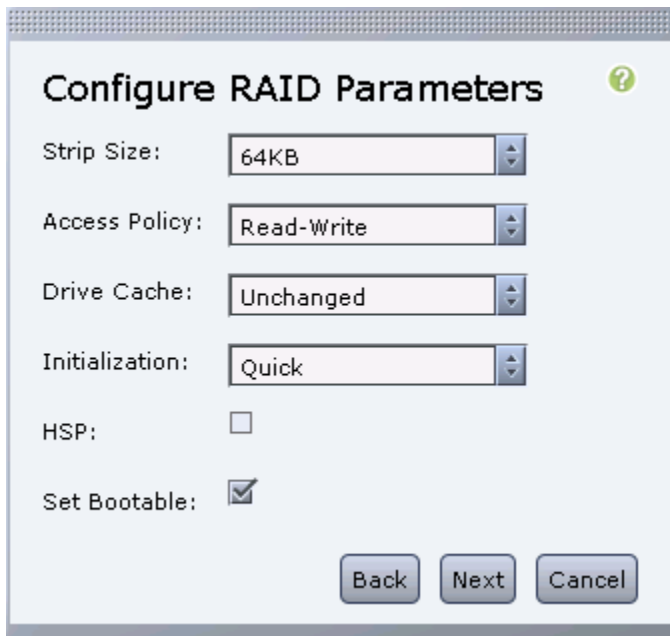
Step 8: In the **Configure Virtual Drive** dialog box, choose **RAID Level RAID 1** from the drop-down list. If your system only has a single drive, choose **RAID Level RAID 0** (this will be the only available option).



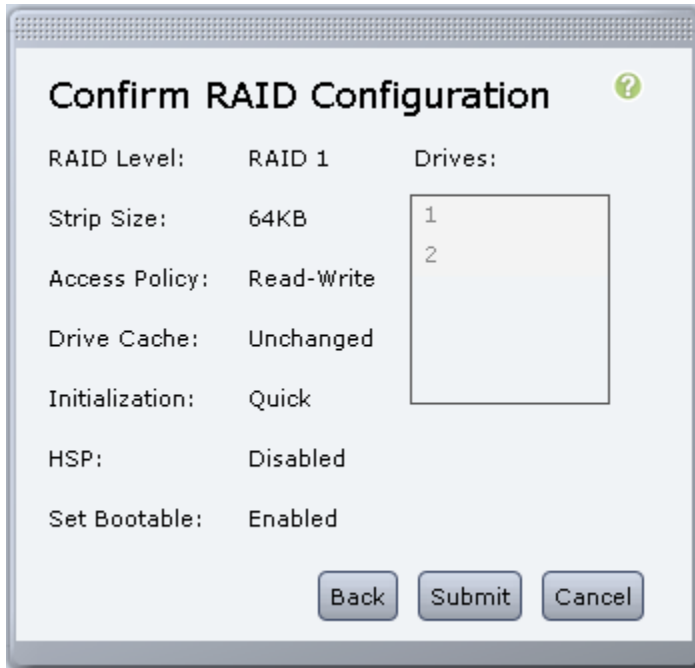
Step 9: Select the drives you want to include in the RAID configuration, move them from the **Unconfigured Drives** column to the **Selected Drives** column by clicking **Add**, and then, after you finish selecting all the drives click **Next**.



Step 10: In the Configure Raid Parameters dialog box, select **Set Bootable**, and then click **Next**.



Step 11: In the Confirm RAID Configuration dialog box, verify that the proper drives are listed, and then click Submit.



Confirm RAID Configuration ?

RAID Level: RAID 1 Drives:

Strip Size: 64KB

Access Policy: Read-Write

Drive Cache: Unchanged

Initialization: Quick

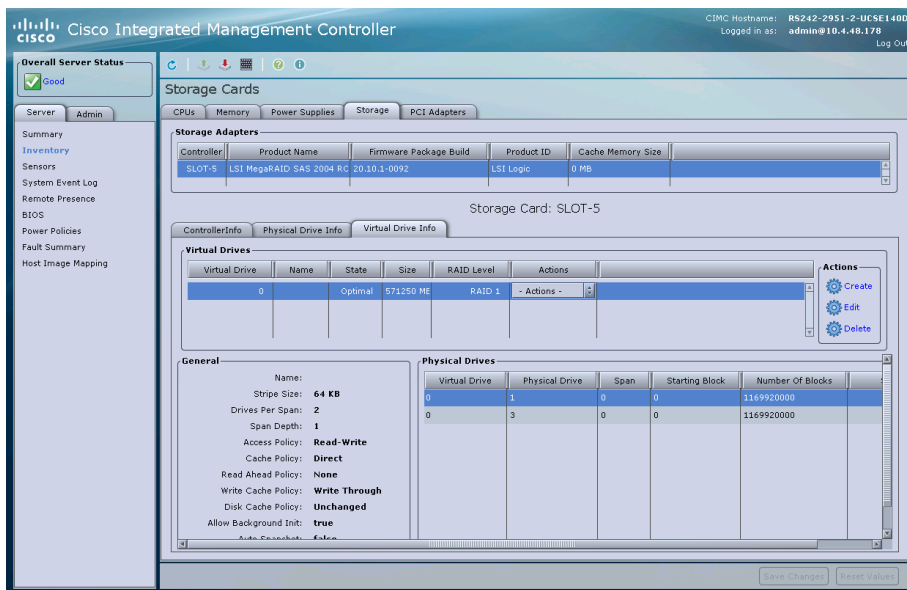
HSP: Disabled

Set Bootable: Enabled

Back Submit Cancel

The dialog box shows the RAID configuration settings. The 'Drives' list contains two drives, labeled 1 and 2.

Step 12: Verify that the virtual and physical drives are properly assigned by clicking the **Server** tab, clicking **Inventory**, clicking the **Storage** tab, and then clicking the **Virtual Drive Info** tab.



Cisco Integrated Management Controller

Overall Server Status: Good

Server Admin

Summary
Inventory
Sensors
System Event Log
Remote Presence
BIOS
Power Policies
Fault Summary
Host Image Mapping

Storage Cards

CPU's Memory Power Supplies Storage PCI Adapters

Storage Adapters

Controller	Product Name	Firmware Package Build	Product ID	Cache Memory Size
SLOT-5	LSI MegaRAID SAS 2004 RC	20.10.1.0092	LSI Logic	0 MB

Storage Card: SLOT-5

Controller Info Physical Drive Info Virtual Drive Info

Virtual Drives

Virtual Drive	Name	State	Size	RAID Level	Actions
0		Optimal	571250 MB	RAID 1	Actions -

Actions: Create, Edit, Delete

General

Name:
Stripe Size: 64 KB
Drives Per Span: 2
Span Depth: 1
Access Policy: Read-Write
Cache Policy: Direct
Read Ahead Policy: None
Write Cache Policy: Write Through
Disk Cache Policy: Unchanged
Allow Background Init: true

Physical Drives

Virtual Drive	Physical Drive	Span	Starting Block	Number Of Blocks
0	1	0	0	1169920000
0	3	0	0	1169920000

Save Changes Reset Values

Installing VMware ESXi on the UCS E-Series Server Module

1. Download the VMware ESXi image specific to the UCS E-Series Server
2. Install VMware ESXi on the UCS E-Series Server
3. Configure VMware ESXi Host Settings
4. Add VMware ESXi host to vCenter
5. Add a datastore to ESXi hosts
6. Configure networking for ESXi host
7. Configure ESXi NIC teaming for resiliency

Use this process if your UCS E-Series Server module did not come with VMware ESXi pre-installed.

To avoid WAN utilization and possible congestion problems on your network, if possible you should install ESXi on the UCS E-Series Server modules before shipping them to remote locations.



Tech Tip

If you are using VMware FL-SRE-V-HOST license (equivalent to VMware vSphere Hypervisor 5.X), make sure that the installed UCS E-Series Server RAM is 32GB or less. If the installed UCS E-Series Server RAM is more than 32GB, an error message appears and you cannot apply the license.

If you want to use 48GB RAM on the UCS E-Series Server, upgrade your license to FL-SRE-V-HOSTVC. You can verify the memory configuration prior to installing VMware ESXi by navigating to the **Server** tab, clicking **Inventory**, and then clicking the **Memory** tab.

Procedure 1 Download the VMware ESXi image specific to the UCS E-Series Server

A custom version of VMware ESXi has been developed specifically for use on Cisco UCS E-Series Servers. Use the following steps to download the custom ISO image.

Step 1: Open a browser and navigate to the VMware login page:

<https://my.vmware.com/web/vmware/login>

Step 2: Enter your VMware credentials, and then click **Log In**. If you do not have an account with VMware, create an account by clicking **Register**.

Step 3: Click **All Downloads**.

Step 4: Click the **All Products** tab and then click **View Download Components** for VMware vSphere.

All Downloads

My ProductsAll ProductsProducts A-Z

All Products

Datacenter & Cloud Infrastructure

VMware vCloud Suite

View Download Components | Drivers & Tools | Buy

VMware vSphere with Operations Management

View Download Components | Drivers & Tools | Try

VMware vSphere Data Protection Advanced

View Download Components | Drivers & Tools | Try

VMware vSphere

View Download Components | Drivers & Tools | Try

Step 5: Select version 5.1 in the **Select Version:** drop-down list.

Download VMware vSphere

Select Version:

5.15.55.15.04.14.0

Customers who have purchased VMware vSphere 5.1 can download their relevant installation package from the product download tab below. Looking to upgrade from vSphere 4 or Infrastructure 3? Visit the [VMware vSphere Upgrade Center](#).

[Read More](#)

Step 6: Click the **Custom ISOs** tab, and then click the right arrow to expand the **OEM Customized Installer CDs**.

Product DownloadsDrivers & ToolsOpen SourceCustom ISOs

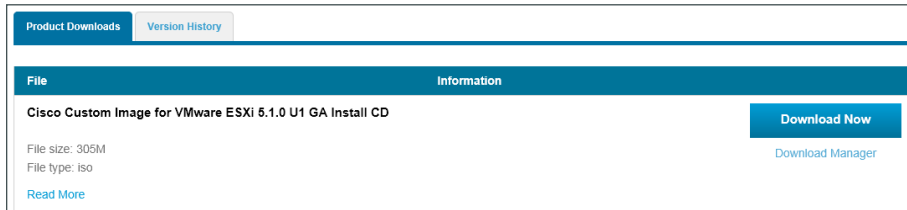
Custom ISOs	Release Date
> OEM Customized Installer CDs	

Step 7: For the **Cisco Custom Image for ESXi 5.1.0 U1 GA Install CD**, click **Go to Downloads**.

Product DownloadsDrivers & ToolsOpen SourceCustom ISOs

Custom ISOs	Release Date
OEM Customized Installer CDs	
HP Custom Image for ESXi 5.1.0 Update 1 Install CD	2013-09-30
Hitachi Custom Image for ESXi 5.1.0 Update 1 Install CD	2013-05-31
Cisco Custom Image for ESXi 5.1.0 U1 GA Install CD	2013-05-30

Step 8: To download the customized VMware vSphere Hypervisor image, click the **Product Downloads** tab, for the **File type: iso** version click **Download Now**.



Procedure 2 Install VMware ESXi on the UCS E-Series Server

This procedure takes you through several important tasks: mounting the VMware ESXi ISO, setting the UCS E-Series Server Boot settings, and installing VMware ESXi onto the SD card of the UCS E-Series Server. It is important to keep both the CIMC and KVM console windows open throughout these steps.



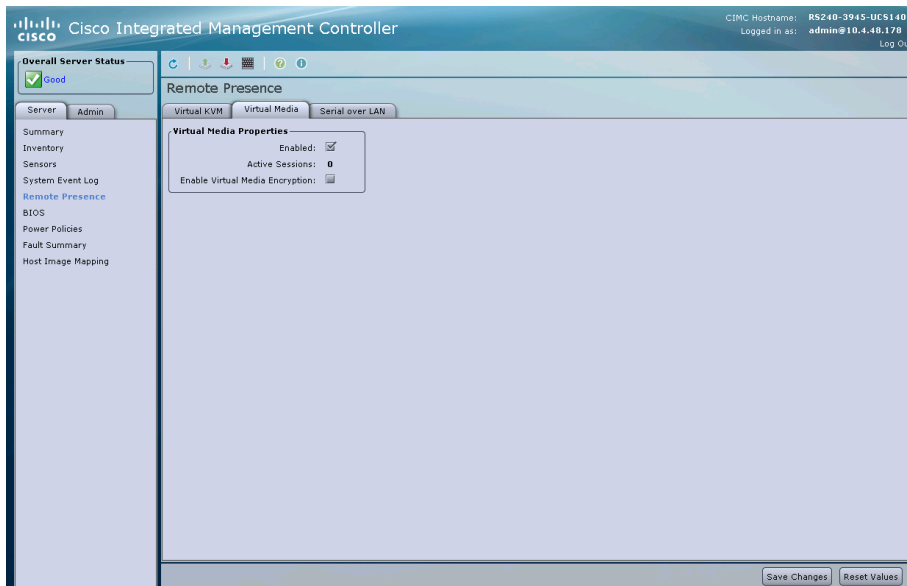
Tech Tip

Installing the hypervisor onto the internal SD card of the ESXi server allows us to maintain separation and dedicate the internal RAID drives to the virtual machines loaded onto the server.

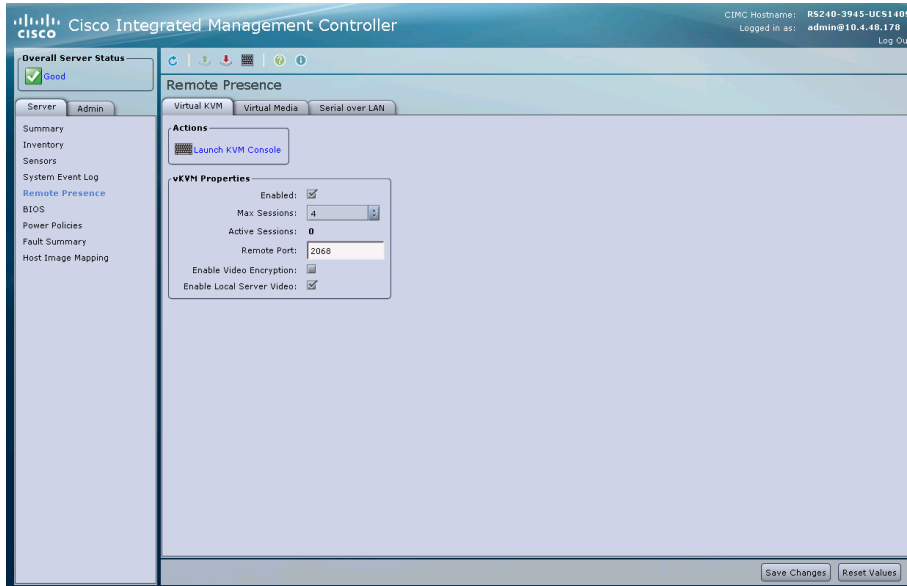
Step 1: Using your web browser, navigate to the CIMC address of the UCS E-Series Server module and log in (Examples: <https://10.5.252.10> and `admin/c1sco123`).

Step 2: Accept any messages regarding untrusted certificates.

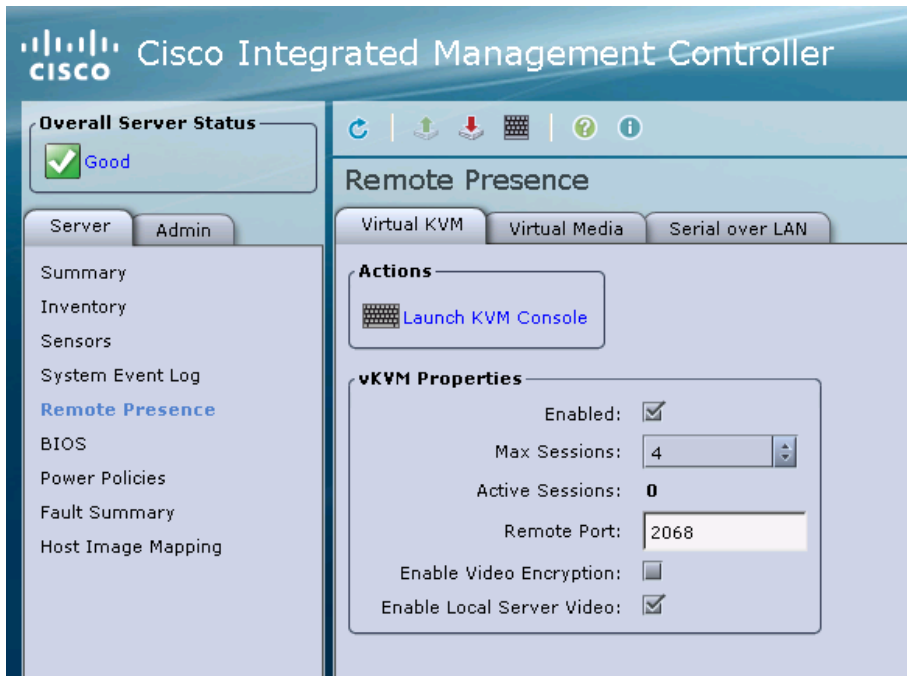
Step 3: In the **Server** tab, click **Remote Presence**, click the **Virtual Media** tab, and then ensure the **Enabled** check box is selected.



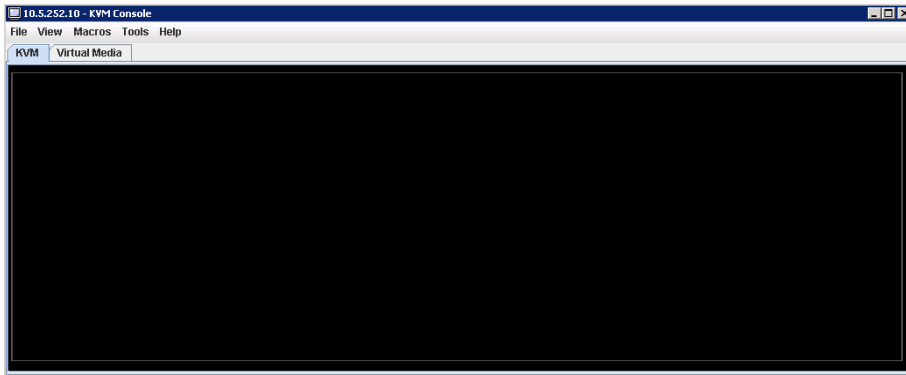
Step 4: Click the **Virtual KVM** tab, and then ensure the **Enabled** check box is selected.



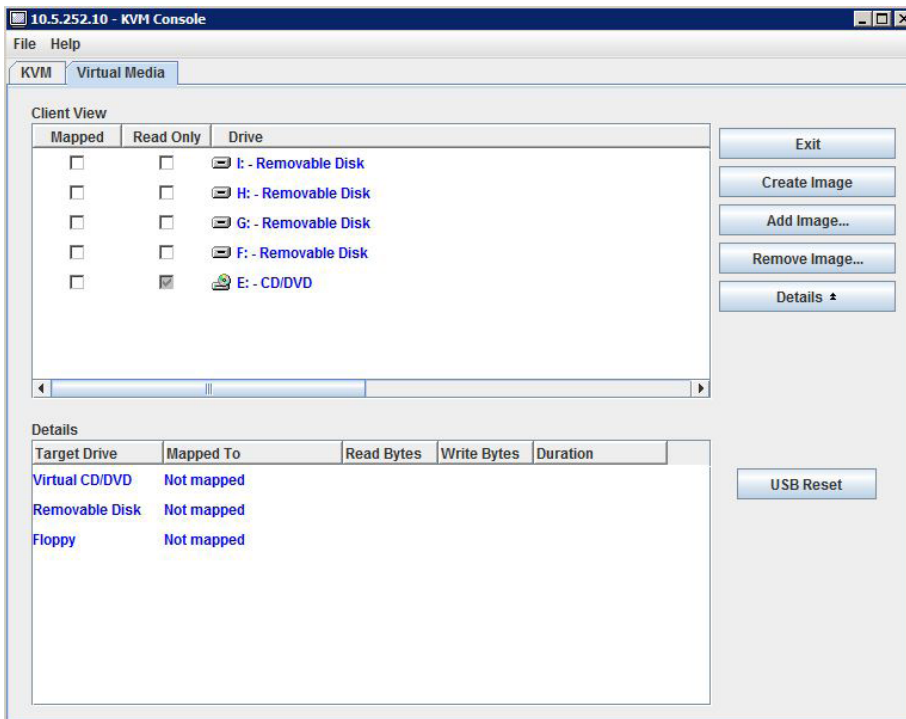
Step 5: On the **Virtual KVM** tab, under **Actions** click **Launch KVM Console**, and then accept any security warnings. The virtual KVM Console window opens.



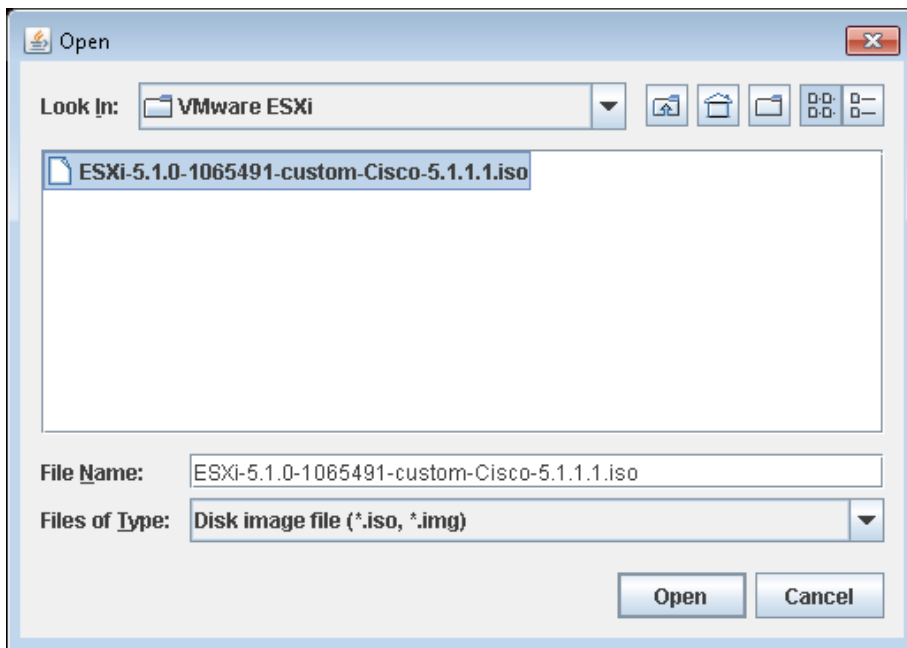
Step 6: In the KVM Console window, click the **Virtual Media** tab.



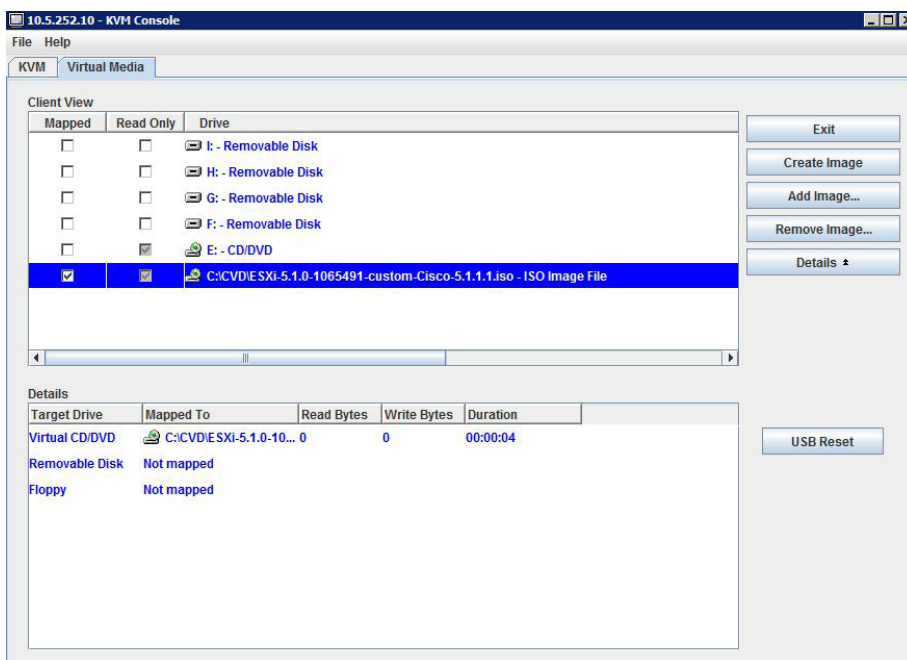
Step 7: In the KVM Console window, click **Add Image**.



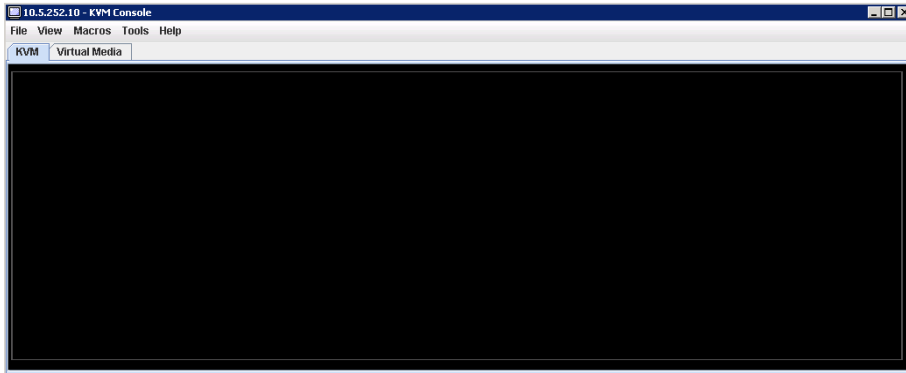
Step 8: Browse to the VMware ESXi ISO image, and then click **Open**.



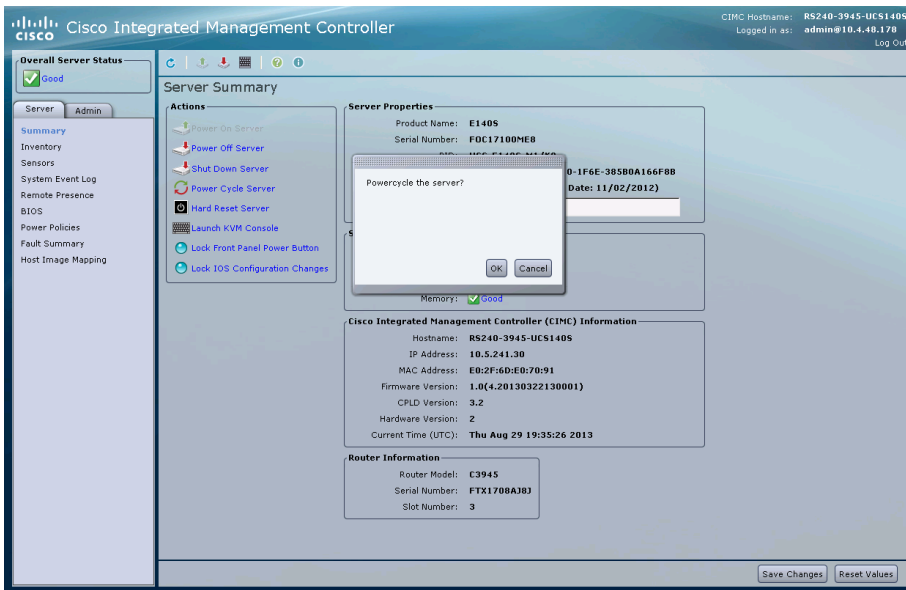
Step 9: For the newly added image, select **Mapped**. This maps the ISO file and completes the mount.



Step 10: Return to the KVM Console window by clicking the **KVM** tab. You can monitor the status of the server by using this console window. Keep this window open and visible.



Step 11: In the CIMC, click the **Server** tab, click **Summary**, reboot the server by clicking **Power Cycle Server**, and then click **OK** in the warning dialog box. The console screen turns blank and green for a moment during this process.



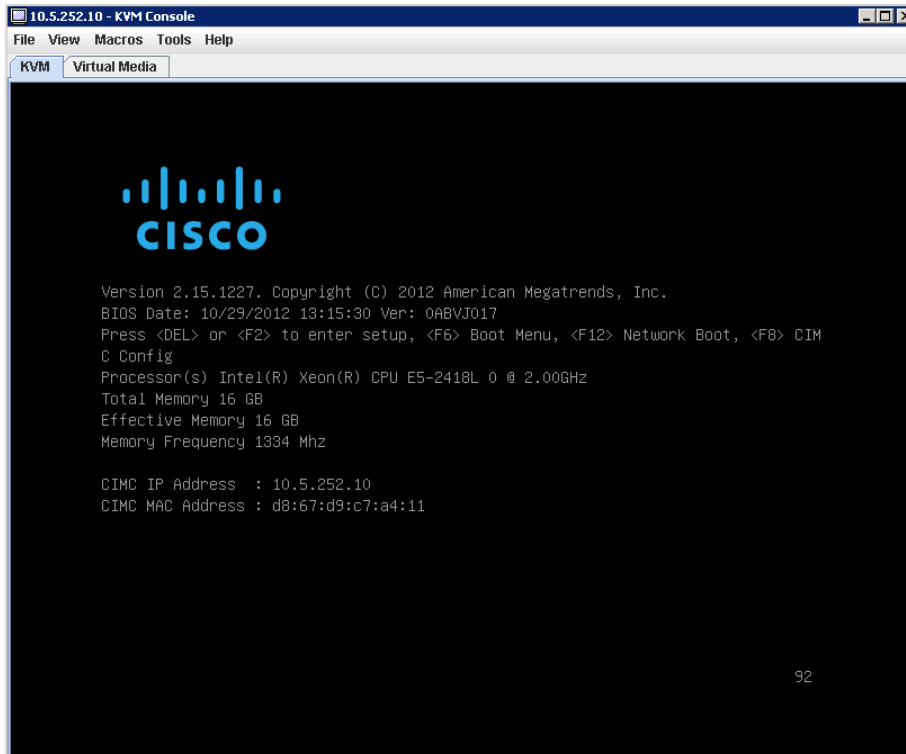
Step 12: Monitor the KVM Console window as the server boots, and, when prompted, enter the BIOS setup by pressing **F2**.

Step 13: When prompted, enter the password (Example: c1sco123). If this is the first time entering the BIOS, you are prompted to set a BIOS password (Example: c1sco123).

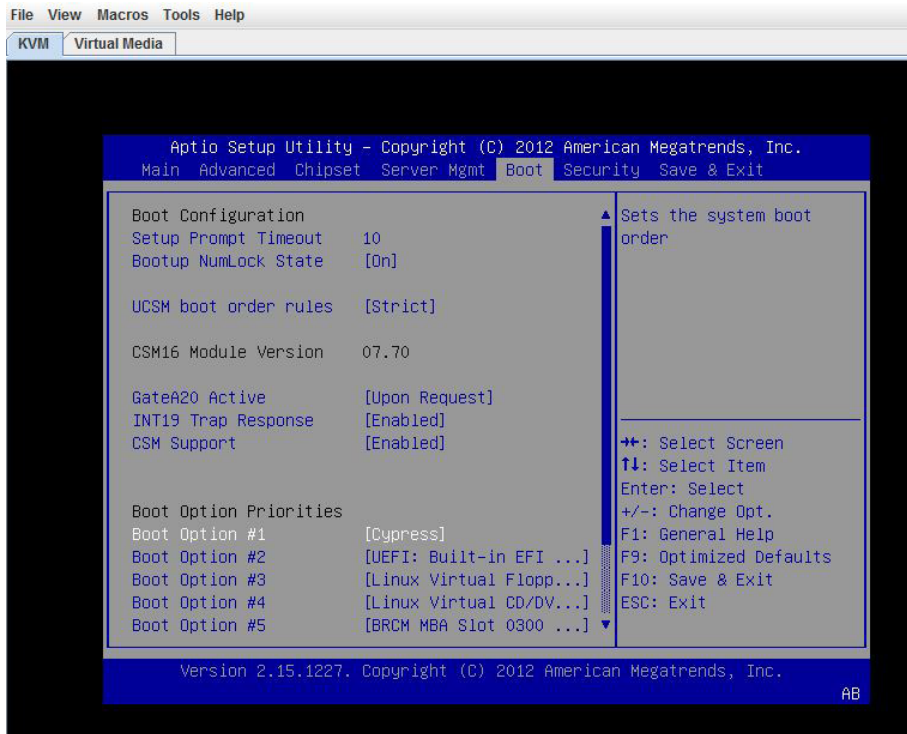


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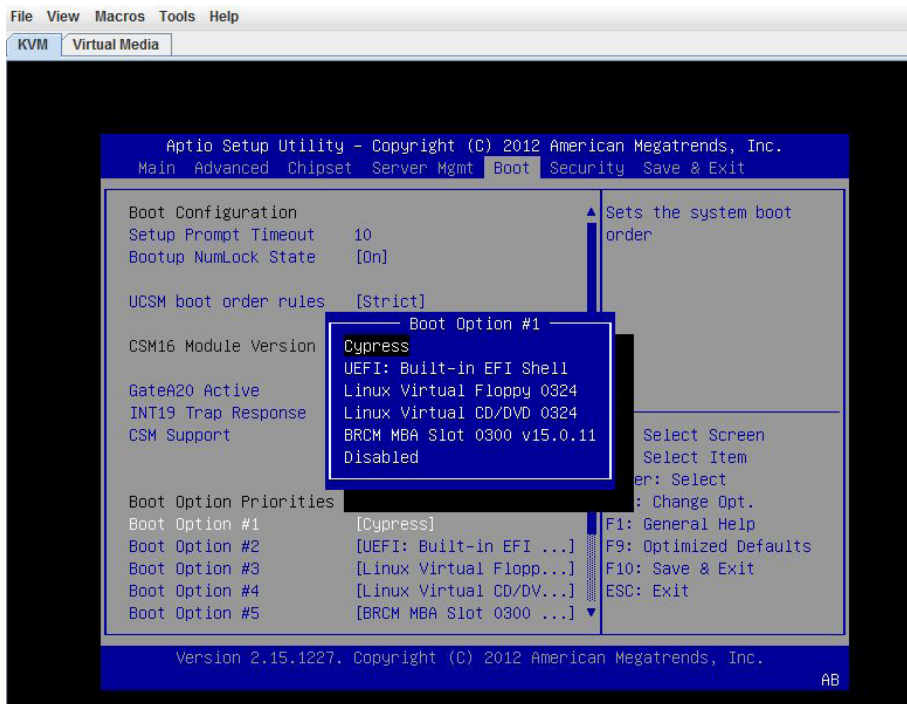
Pay close attention to the KVM console; the **F2** command is accepted for only a short period of time. If you fail to enter the BIOS setup, you must power cycle the server using CIMC and try again.



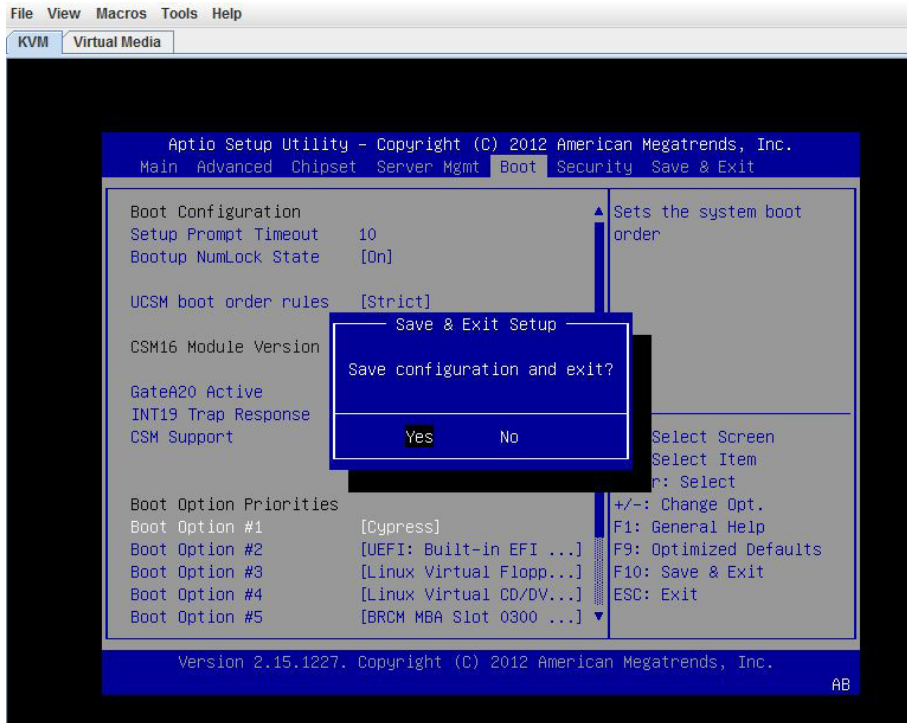
Step 14: Using the arrows on your keyboard, navigate to the **Boot** tab, highlight **Boot Option #1**, and then press **Enter**.



Step 15: In the Boot Option #1 dialog box, choose **Cypress**, and then press **Enter**.

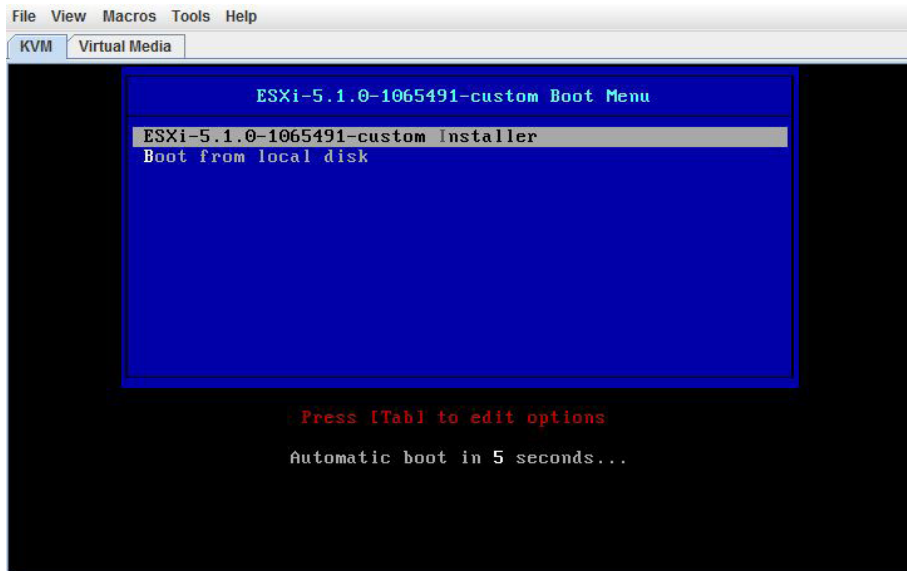


Step 16: Press **F10**. In the save and exit dialog box, choose **Yes**, and then press **Enter**. This saves the BIOS settings and exits BIOS. The system reboots.

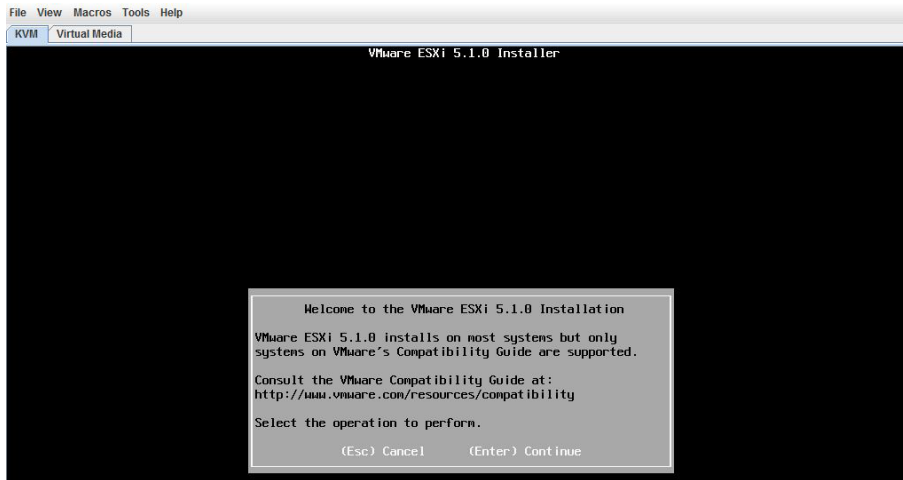


Step 17: In the virtual KVM window, click the **KVM** tab, and then monitor the KVM Console window as the server boots. The server loads the ESXi Installer from the mapped ISO image.

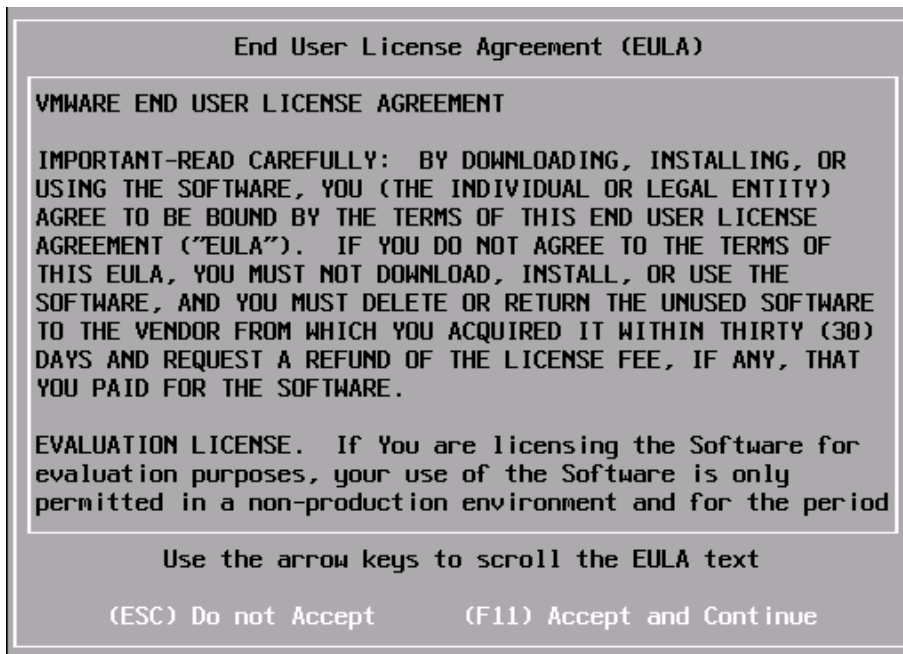
Step 18: When the VMware VMvisor Boot Menu appears, select **ESXi Installer**



Step 19: In the Welcome dialog box, choose **Enter**. The installation of ESXi begins.



Step 20: Accept the End User License Agreement (EULA) by pressing **F11**.



Step 21: Using the down arrow, choose the SD card as the local storage device, press **Enter** (Example: Cypress Astoria SD Card), and then when prompted to confirm disk selection, press **Enter**.

Select a Disk to Install or Upgrade

* Contains a VMFS partition

Storage Device	Capacity

Local:	
* LSI MRSASRoMB-4i (naa.6d867d9c7a40c00019b0f881fe3cd571)	557.86 GiB
Cypress Astoria SD Card (mpx.vnhba33:C0:T0:L0)	7.44 GiB
Remote:	
(none)	

(Esc) Cancel (F1) Details (F5) Refresh (Enter) Continue

Select a Disk to Install or Upgrade

* Contains a VMFS partition

Storage Device	Confirm Disk Selection	Capacity

Local:	You have selected a disk that contains at least one partition with existing data.	6 GiB
LSI MRSASRoMB-4i		4 GiB
Cypress Astoria SD Card	If you continue the selected disk will be overwritten.	
Remote:		
(none)		

(Esc) Cancel (Enter) OK

(Esc) Cancel (F1) Details (F5) Refresh (Enter) Continue

Step 22: For the keyboard layout, choose **US Default**, and then press **Enter**.

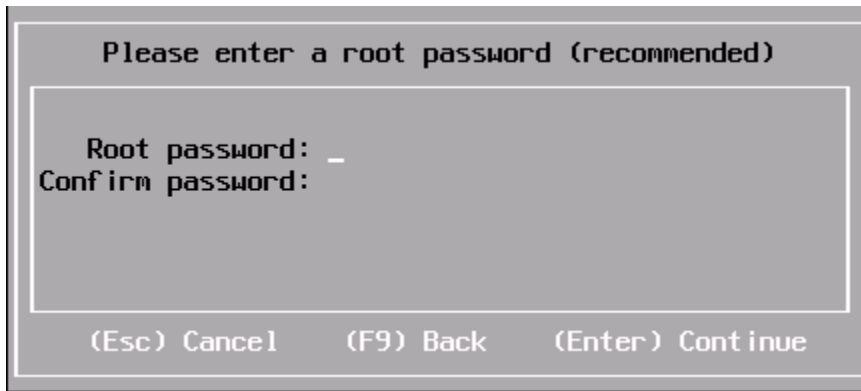
Please select a keyboard layout

Swiss French
Swiss German
Turkish
US Default
US Dvorak
Ukrainian
United Kingdom

Use the arrow keys to scroll.

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Step 23: Set the root password, and then press **Enter** (Example: c1sco123).

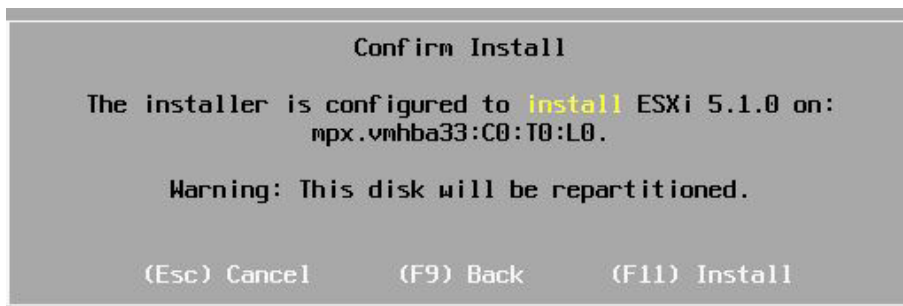


Please enter a root password (recommended)

Root password: _
Confirm password:

(Esc) Cancel (F9) Back (Enter) Continue

Step 24: The system scans for resources, which may take a few moments. Press **F11**. A status bar shows the progress of the ESXi installation.

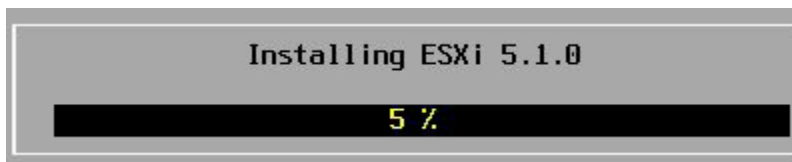


Confirm Install

The installer is configured to **install** ESXi 5.1.0 on:
mpx.vmhba33:C0:T0:L0.

Warning: This disk will be repartitioned.

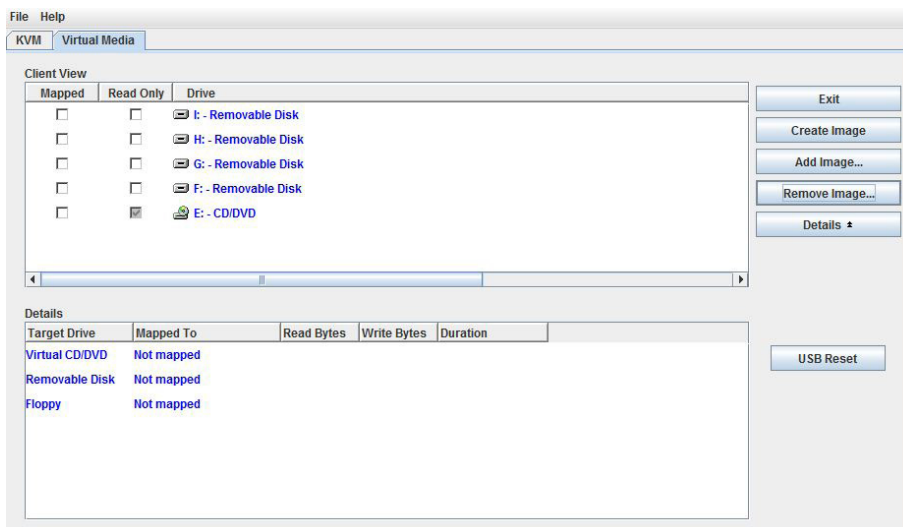
(Esc) Cancel (F9) Back (F11) Install



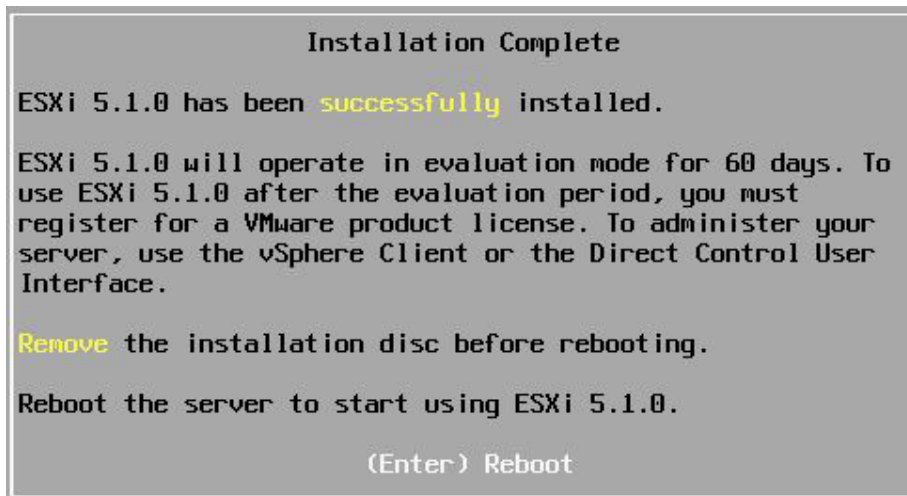
Installing ESXi 5.1.0

5 %

Step 25: After a successful installation of ESXi, in the **KVM Console** window, click the **Virtual Media** tab, click **Remove Image**, and agree to the warning. This unmounts the image.

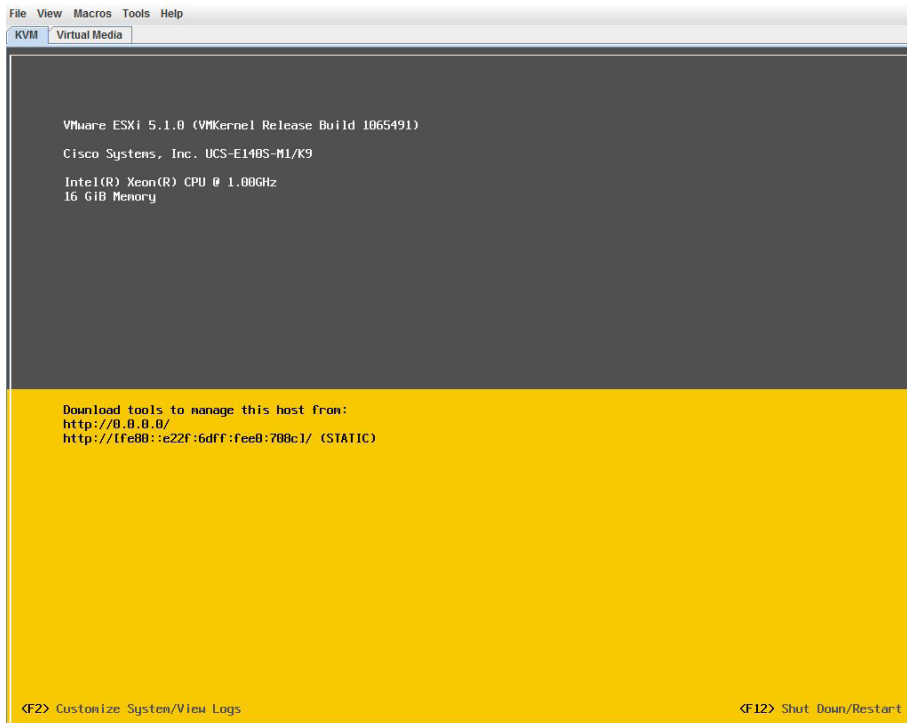


Step 26: On the **KVM** tab, press **Enter**. The system restarts, loading the ESXi image installed on the SD drive.

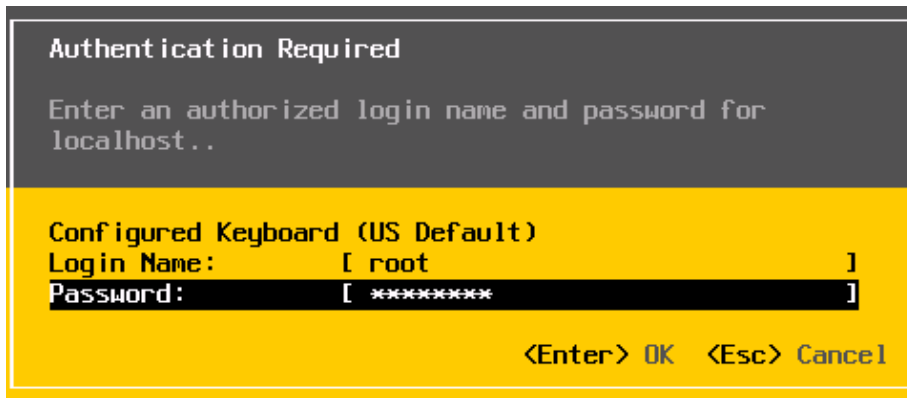


Procedure 3 Configure VMware ESXi Host Settings

Step 1: In the ESXi home screen window, press **F2**. This enables you to customize the system after ESXi is finished booting.



Step 2: Log in using the credentials you set during installation (Example: root/c1sco123).



Authentication Required

Enter an authorized login name and password for localhost..

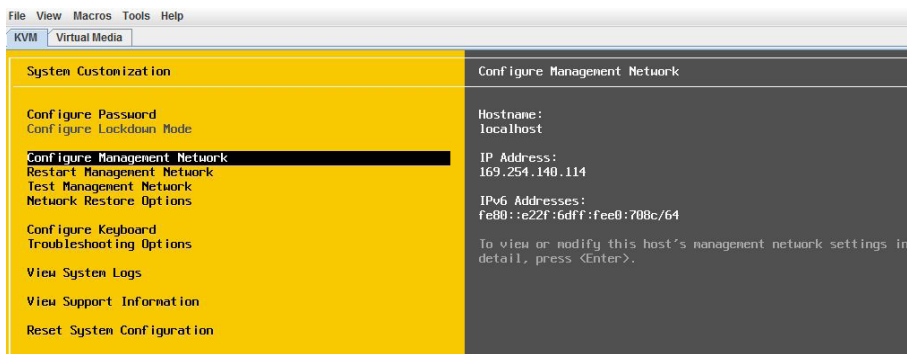
Configured Keyboard (US Default)

Login Name: [root]

Password: [*****]

<Enter> OK <Esc> Cancel

Step 3: Using the down arrow key, highlight to the **Configure Management Network** option, and then press Enter.



File View Macros Tools Help

KVM Virtual Media

System Customization

- Configure Password
- Configure Lockdown Mode
- Configure Management Network**
- Restart Management Network
- Test Management Network
- Network Restore Options
- Configure Keyboard
- Troubleshooting Options
- View System Logs
- View Support Information
- Reset System Configuration

Configure Management Network

Hostname: localhost

IP Address: 169.254.140.114

IPv6 Addresses: fe80::e22f:6dff:fe0:708c/64

To view or modify this host's management network settings in detail, press <Enter>.

Step 4: Choose IP Configuration, and then press Enter.



File View Macros Tools Help

KVM Virtual Media

Configure Management Network

- Network Adapters
- VLAN (optional)
- IP Configuration**
- IPv6 Configuration
- DNS Configuration
- Custom DNS Suffixes

IP Configuration

Automatic

IP Address: 169.254.140.114

Subnet Mask: 255.255.0.0

Default Gateway: Not set

This host can obtain an IP address and other networking parameters automatically if your network includes a DHCP server. If not, ask your network administrator for the appropriate settings.

Step 5: Highlight **Set static IP address and network configuration**, and select it by pressing the space bar.

Step 6: Using the down arrow, enter the assigned values from Table 2 (Example:10.5.252.11, 255.255.255.0, 10.5.252.1) for **IP address**, **subnet mask**, and **default gateway**, and then press **Enter**.

IP Configuration

This host can obtain network settings automatically if your network includes a DHCP server. If it does not, the following settings must be specified:

() Use dynamic IP address and network configuration

(o) Set static IP address and network configuration:

IP Address

[10.5.252.11]

Subnet Mask

[255.255.255.0]

Default Gateway

[10.5.252.1]

<Up/Down> Select

<Space> Mark Selected

<Enter> OK

<Esc> Cancel

Step 7: Use the down arrow, select **DNS Configuration**, and then press **Enter**.

10.5.252.10 - KVM Console

File View Macros Tools Help

KVM Virtual Media

Configure Management Network

DNS Configuration

Network Adapters

VLAN (optional)

IP Configuration

IPv6 Configuration

DNS Configuration

Custom DNS Suffixes

Manual

Primary DNS Server:

Not set

Alternate DNS Server:

Not set

Hostname

localhost

If this host is configured using DHCP, DNS server addresses and other DNS parameters can be obtained automatically. If not, ask your network administrator for the appropriate settings.

<Up/Down> Select

<Enter> Change

<Esc> Exit

VMware ESXi 5.0.0 (VMKernel Release Build 623860)

Step 8: Configure the primary DNS server and host name (Example: 10.4.48.10 and RS242-ESXi-1.cisco.local, and then press **Enter**.

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DNS Configuration

This host can only obtain DNS settings automatically if it also obtains
its IP configuration automatically.

( ) Obtain DNS server addresses and a hostname automatically
(x) Use the following DNS server addresses and hostname:

Primary DNS Server      [ 10.4.48.10 ]
Alternate DNS Server    [ 1 ]
Hostname                [ RS242-ESXi-1.cisco.local ]

<Up/Down> Select  <Space> Mark Selected      <Enter> OK  <Esc> Cancel
```

Step 9: On the Configure Management Network screen, exit by pressing **ESC**.

Step 10: In the confirmation dialog box, confirm that you want to apply changes and restart by pressing **Y**.

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Configure Management Network: Confirm

You have made changes to the host's management network.
Applying these changes may result in a brief network outage,
disconnect remote management software and affect running virtual
machines. In case IPv6 has been enabled or disabled this will
restart your host.

Apply changes and restart management network?

<Y> Yes  <N> No                                <Esc> Cancel
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Procedure 4 Add VMware ESXi host to vCenter

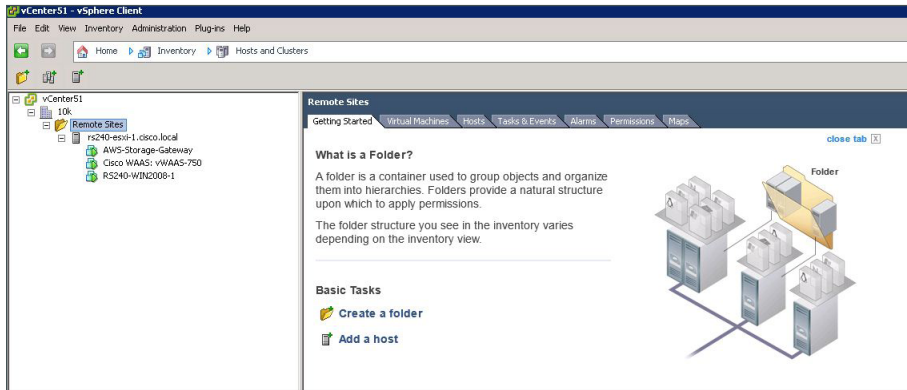
Step 1: From the VMware vSphere client, select the folder location where you want to add the ESXi host (Example: Remote Sites).

Step 2: On the **Getting Started** tab, under **Basic Tasks**, click **Add a host**.

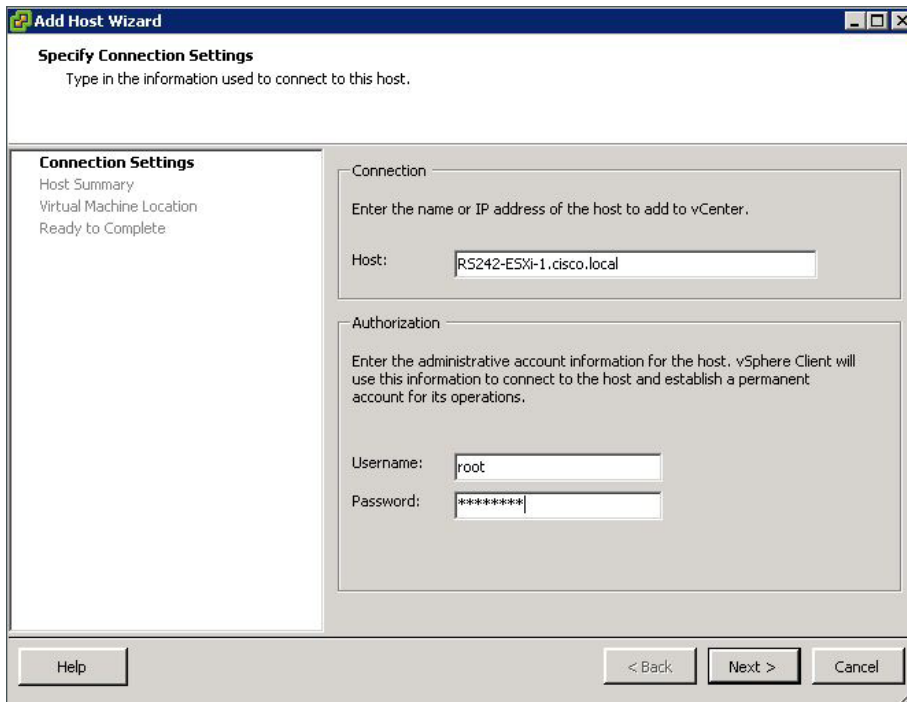


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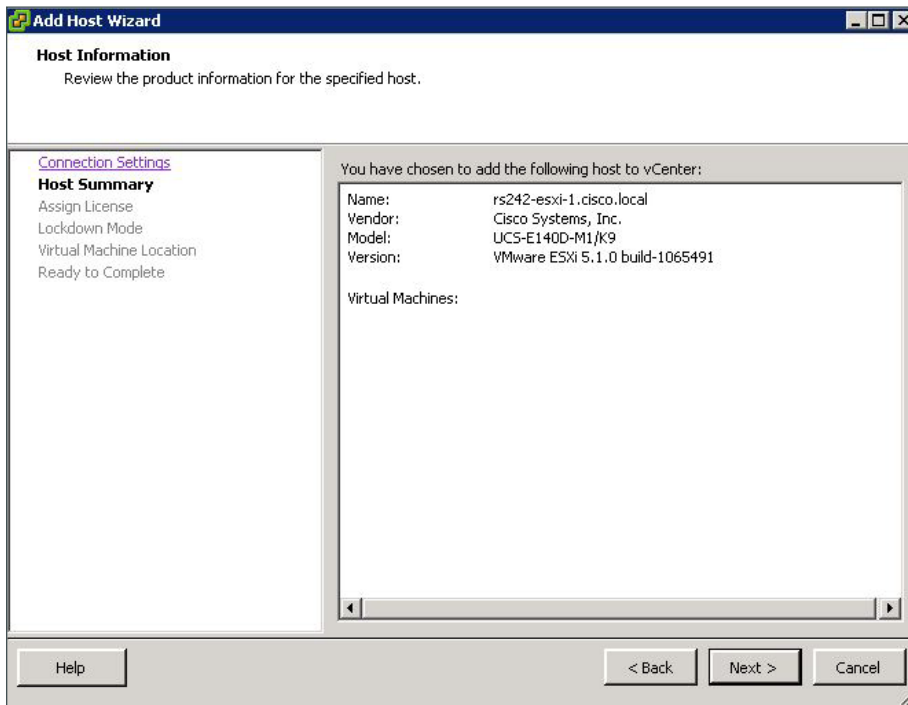
You must have the ESXi host name and IP address configured in your DNS database if you want to be able to reference it by name in the vCenter. Add a new DNS entry if required.



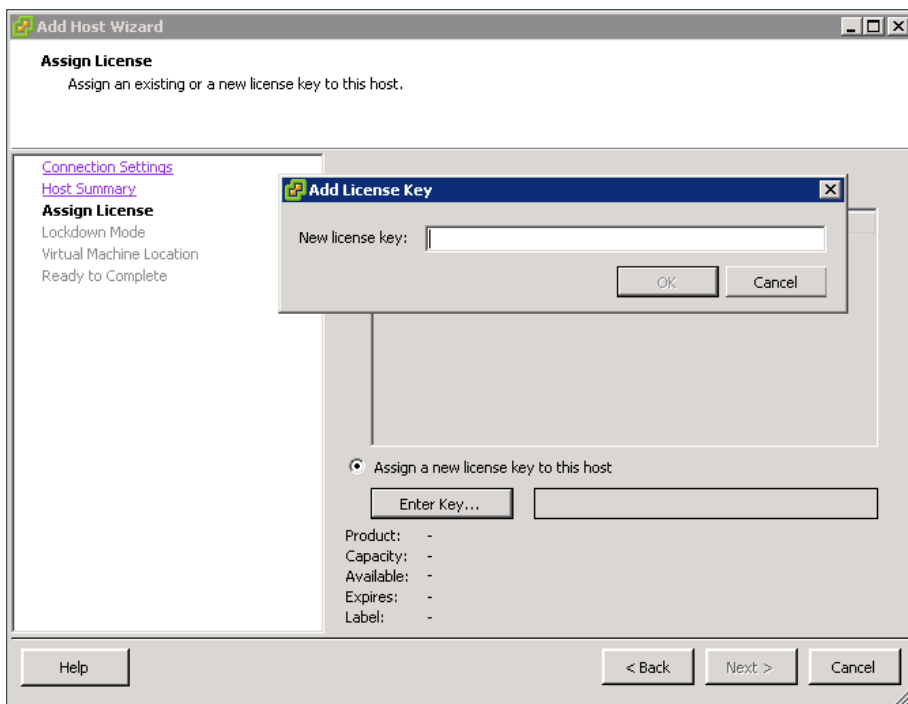
Step 3: In the Connection Settings pane, enter the host name of the ESXi host and the username and password (Example: root / c1sco123), and then click **Next**. If necessary, accept the Security Alert by clicking **Yes**.



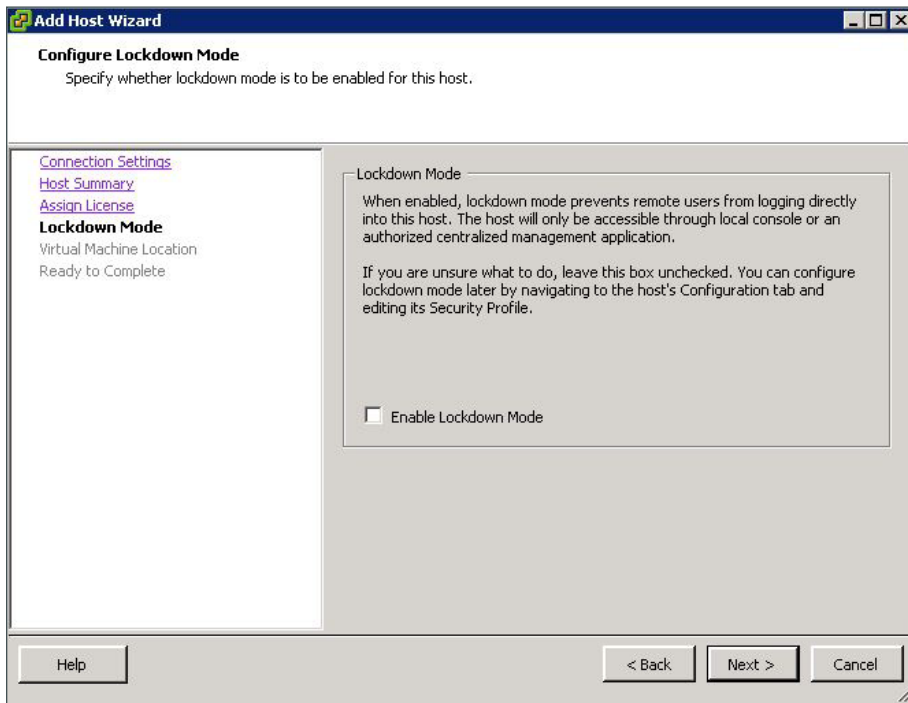
Step 4: In the Host Summary pane, verify the details of the ESXi host you want to add, and then click **Next**.



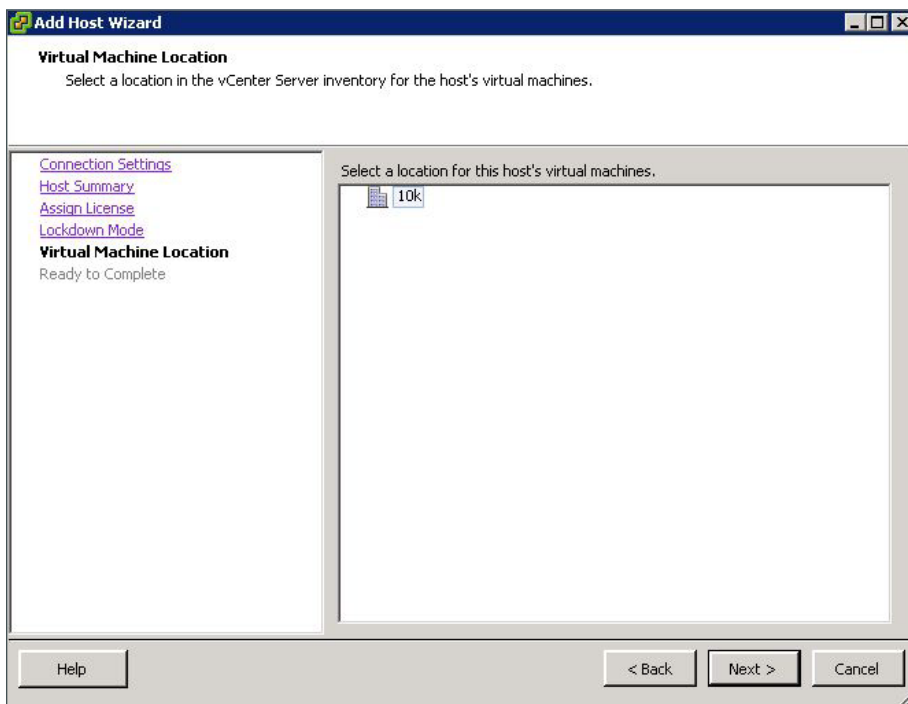
Step 5: In the **Assign License** window, click in the circle to assign the appropriate VMware license key or add a new license key and then click **Next**.



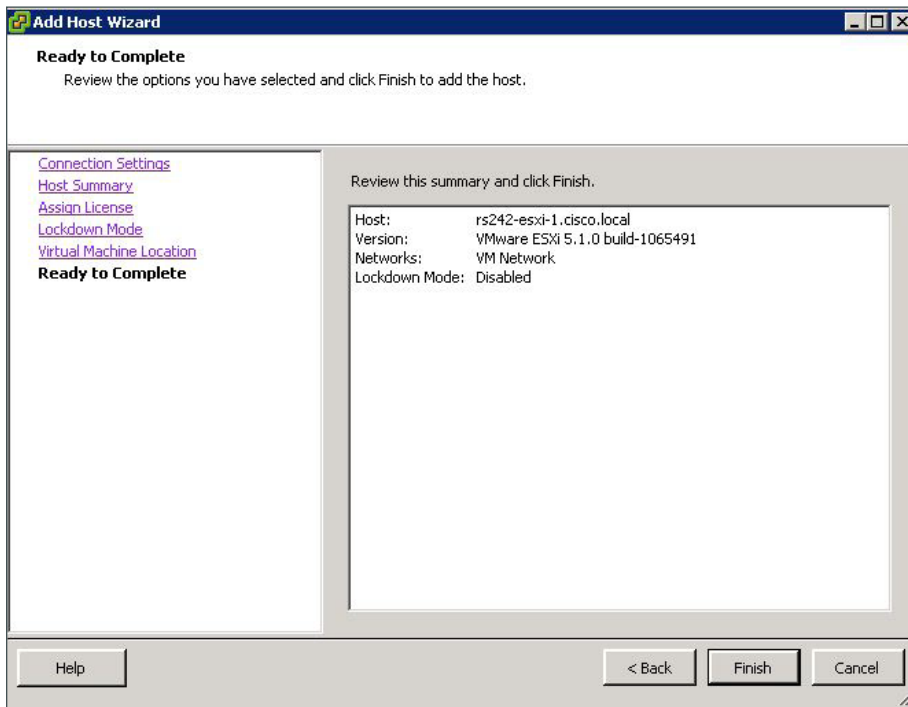
Step 6: In the Lockdown Mode pane, verify that **Enable Lockdown Mode** is cleared, and then click **Next**.



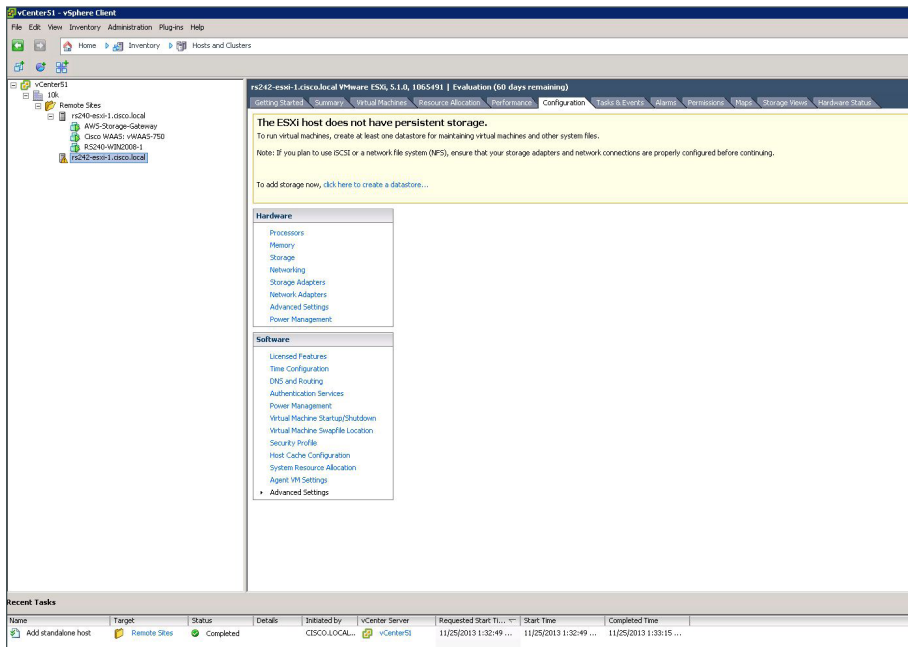
Step 7: In the Virtual Machine Location pane, select the proper location for the new EXSi host, and then click **Next**.



Step 8: In the Ready to Complete summary pane, verify the information, and then click **Finish**.



Step 9: Select the new ESXi host, click the **Summary** tab and then verify that the information is correct.



Procedure 5 Add a datastore to ESXi hosts

In this procedure, you add storage for the virtual machines and other system files to use. The storage is a disk drive physically located on the server.



Tech Tip

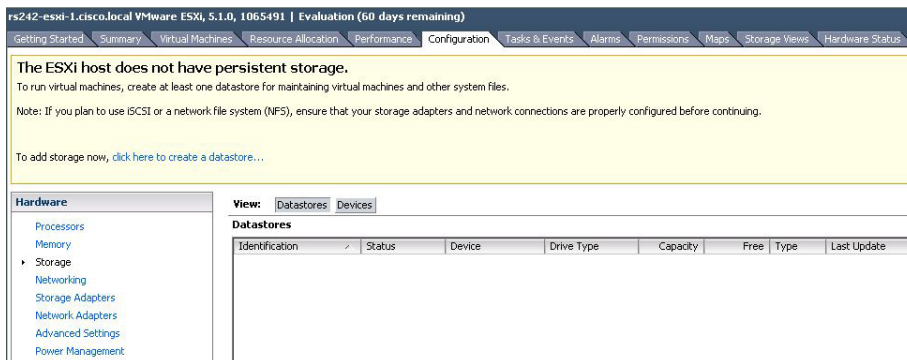
If you are installing the vSphere client on a server with USB storage for ESXi, you may receive a warning “System logging not Configured on host <hostname>”, which means that you do not have a location to store log files for ESXi on this host. In this case, you can store log files on a syslog server. More information can be found at:

http://kb.vmware.com/selfservice/microsites/search.do?language=en_US&cmd=displayKC&externalId=2003322

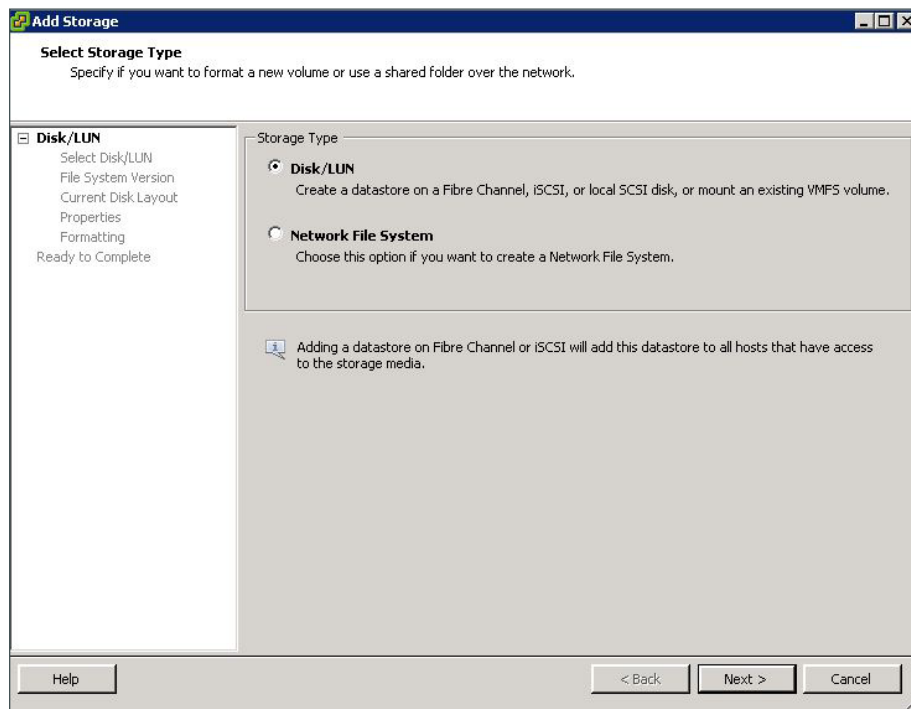
Step 1: Using vSphere Client, log in to the ESXi host.

Step 2: On the Configuration tab, in the Hardware pane, click **Storage**.

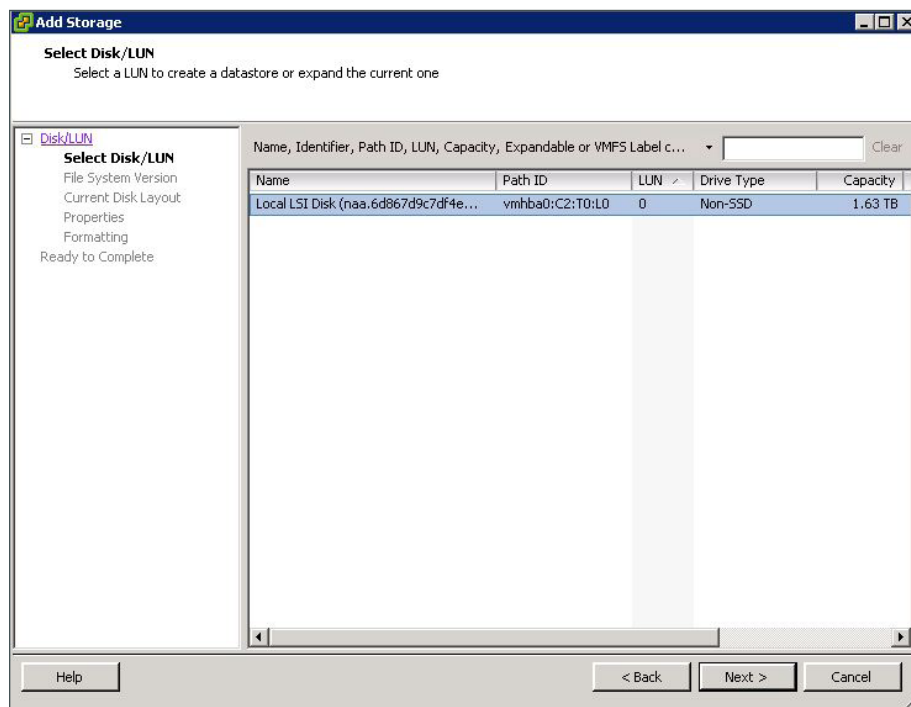
Step 3: If your ESXi host does not have a provisioned virtual machine file system (VMFS), in main window, in the “The VMware ESX Server does not have persistent storage” message, click **Click here to create a datastore**.



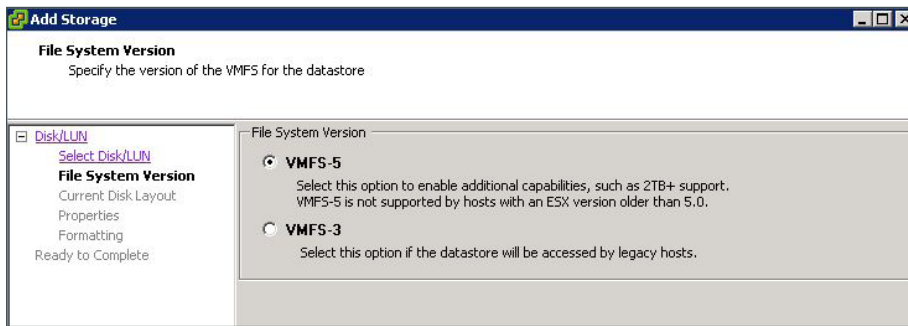
Step 4: In the Add Storage wizard, select **Disk/LUN**, and then click **Next**.



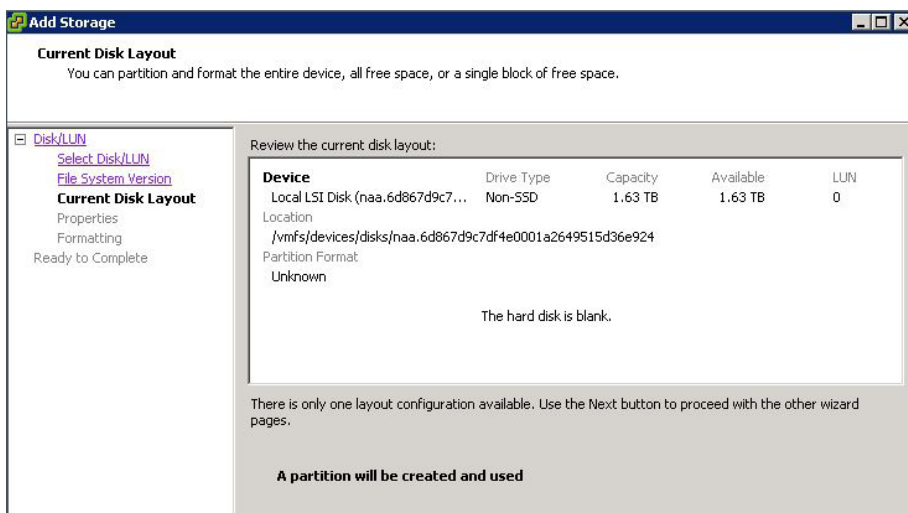
Step 5: On the Select Disk/LUN page, select the local disk and then click **Next**.



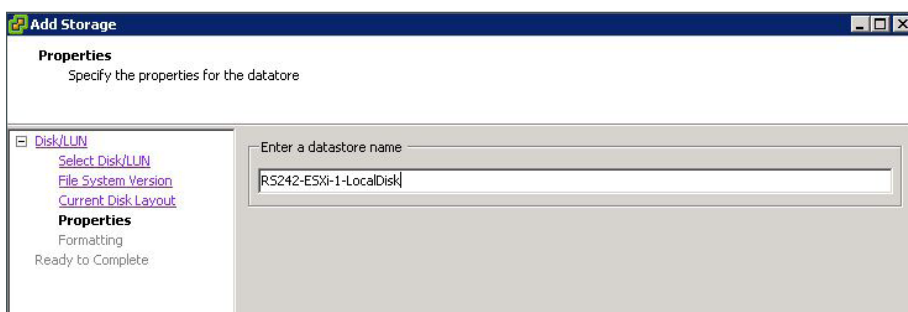
Step 6: On the File System Version page, select **VMFS-5** or **VMFS-3**. Hosts running ESXi 4.x will not be able to access VMFS-5 datastores. Unlike VMFS-3, VMFS-5 uses standard 1 MB file system block size with support of 2 TB+ virtual disks.



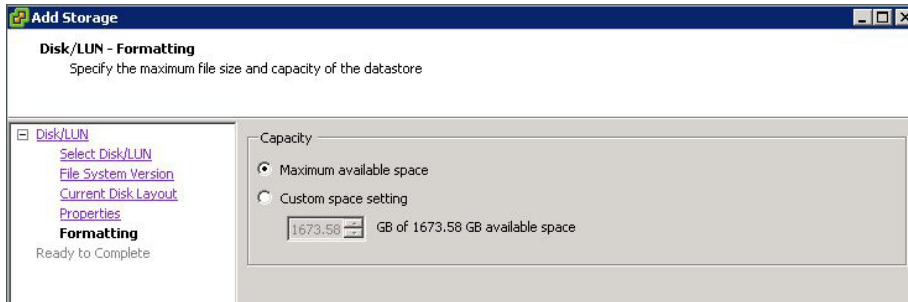
Step 7: Review the disk capacity and partition information, and then click **Next**.



Step 8: Enter a datastore name, and then click **Next**.

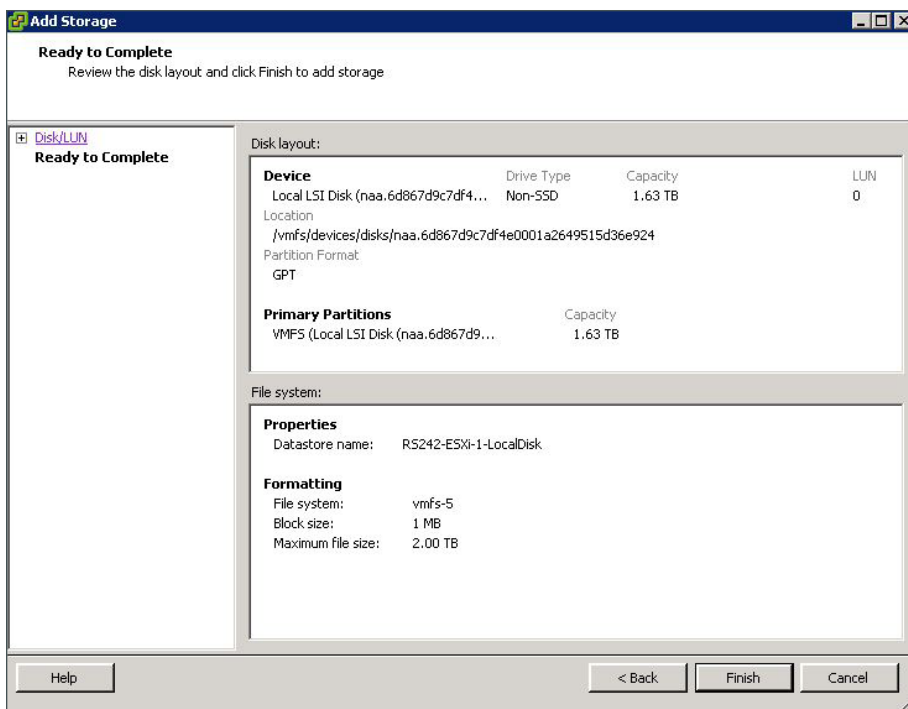


Step 9: On the Disk/LUN Formatting page, accept the defaults by clicking **Next**. This formats the maximum available space in the disk.



Step 10: Click **Finish**.

The Add Storage wizard is completed.



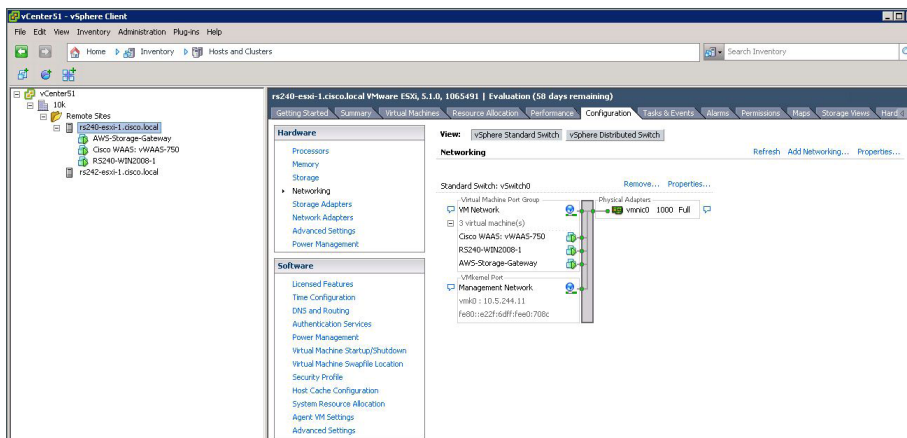
Procedure 6 Configure networking for ESXi host

Use this procedure to configure UCS E-Series Server with a single network interface card (NIC). This procedure uses the values in the following table to map the correct network interfaces to the vSwitch.

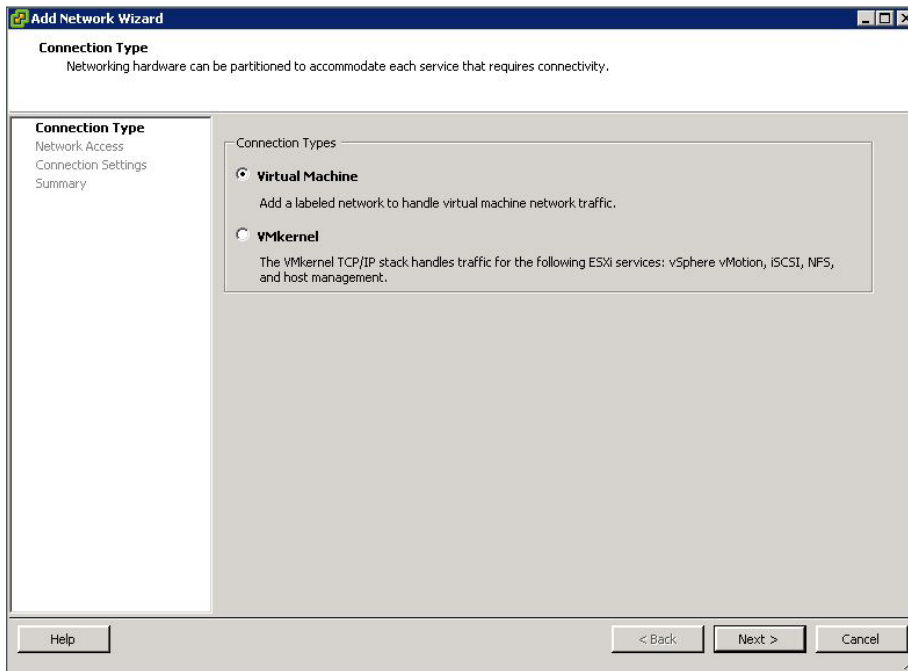
Table 5 - Cisco UCS E-Series Server interface assignments

Interface usage	UCS E140S (single-wide)	UCS E140D (double-wide)
Console/internal	vmnic0	vmnic0
Internal MGF	vmnic1	vmnic1
External (1)	vmnic2	vmnic2
External (2)		vmnic3
vSwitch port group network label	ESXi-external	ESXi-external-dual

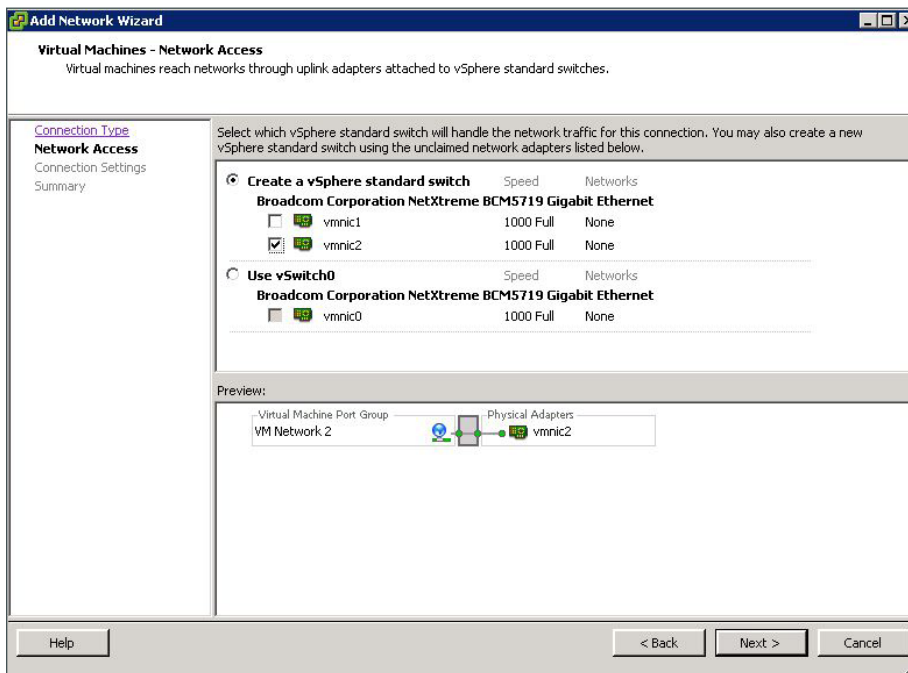
Step 1: Click the **Configuration** tab, click **Networking**, and then click **Add Networking**.



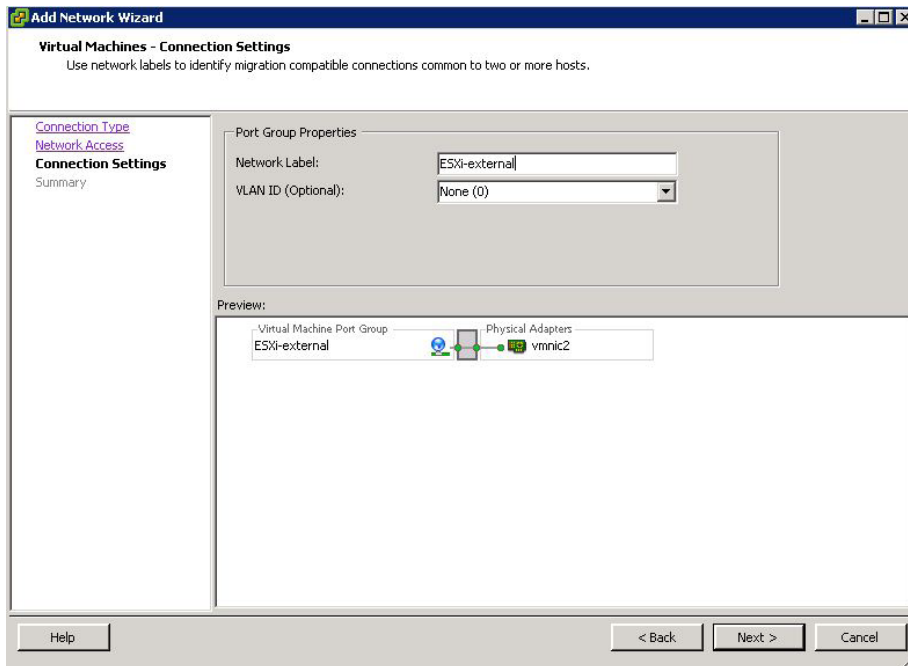
Step 2: In the **Connection Type** dialog box, select **Virtual Machine**, and then click **Next**.



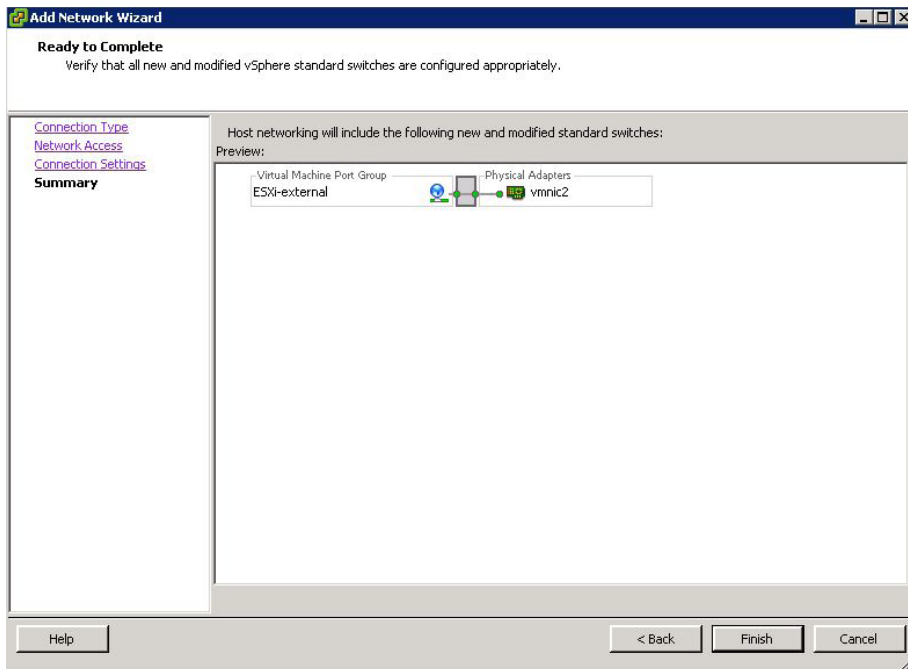
Step 3: Select the external NIC card, **vmnic2**, to be used for this vSwitch, and then click **Next**. This example uses a single interface.



Step 4: In the Port Group Properties pane, edit the Network Label (Example from Table 5: ESXi-external), set the VLAN ID to **None (0)**, and then click **Next**.



Step 5: Review the final host networking configuration, and then click **Finish**.



Procedure 7 Configure ESXi NIC teaming for resiliency

(Optional)

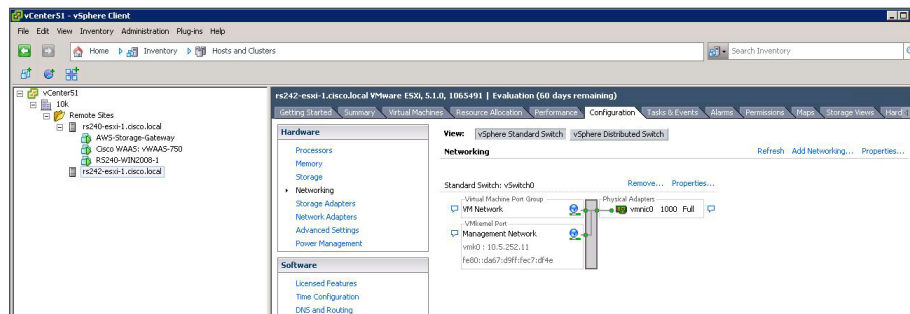
This procedure is only required if you have two external NICs connecting to external switches for resiliency. This example uses the default ESXi NIC teaming configurations for redundancy.

This procedure uses the values in the following table to map the correct network interfaces to the vSwitch.

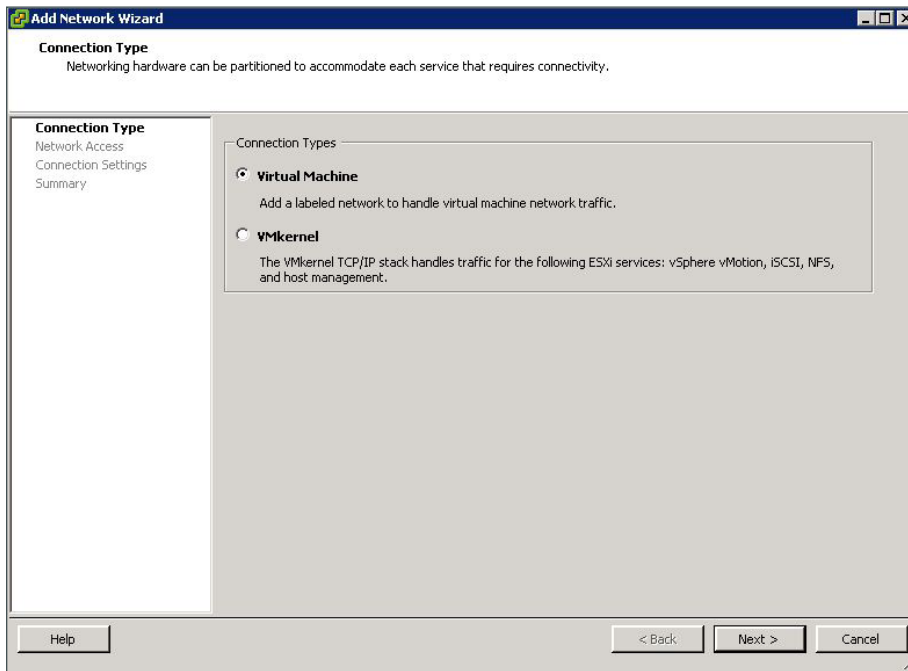
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External (2)		vmnic3
vSwitch port group network label	ESXi-external	ESXi-external-dual

Step 1: Click the **Configuration** tab, and then click **Networking**, and then click **Add Networking**.



Step 2: In the **Connection Type** dialog box, select **Virtual Machine**, and then click **Next**.



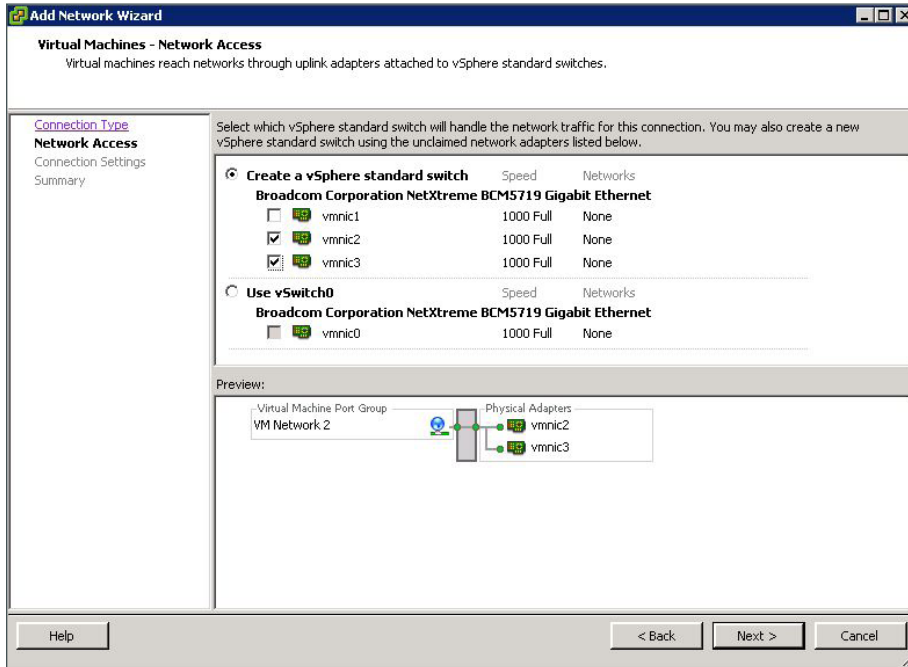
Step 3: Select the external NIC cards, **vmnic2** and **vmnic3**, to be used for this vSwitch, and then click **Next**.



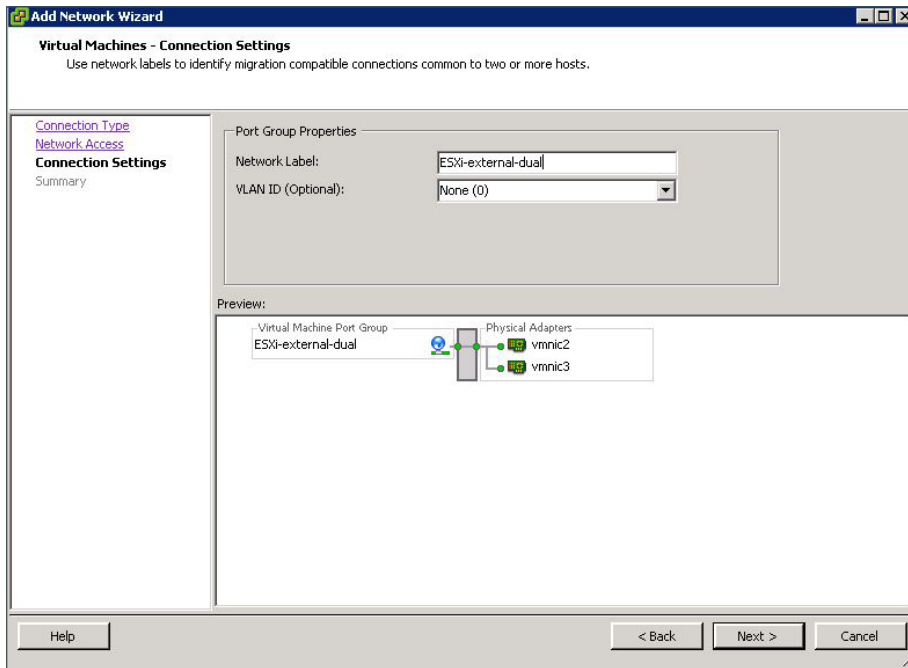
Tech Tip

The single-wide UCS E-Series Server modules only have a single external Ethernet interface. The double-wide modules have two external Ethernet interfaces for VM traffic and can be connected to two external switches for redundancy.

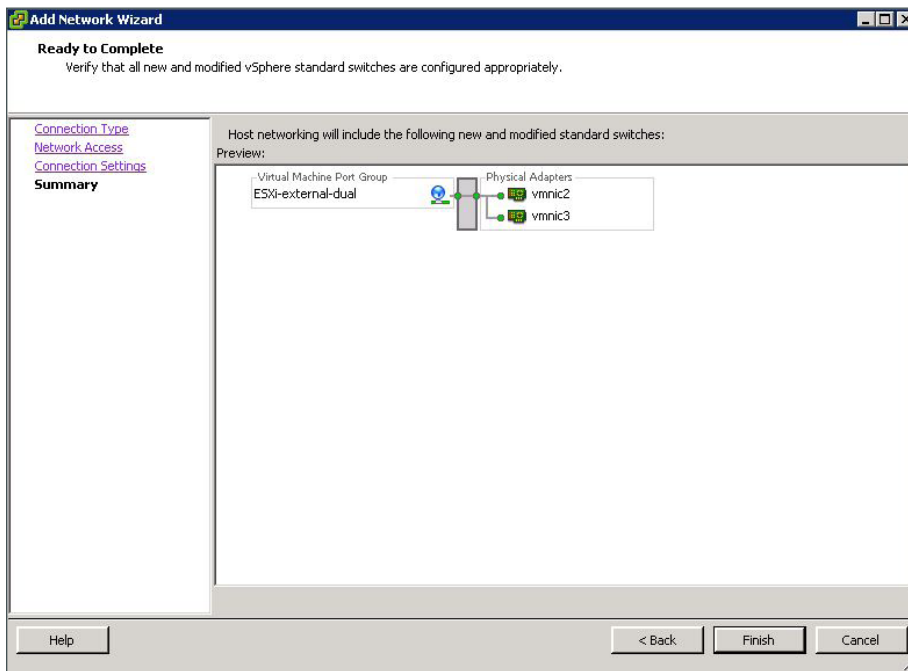
When selecting **vmnic2** and **vmnic3** for dual NIC configurations ESXi automatically configures failover for these interfaces and balances traffic based on port.



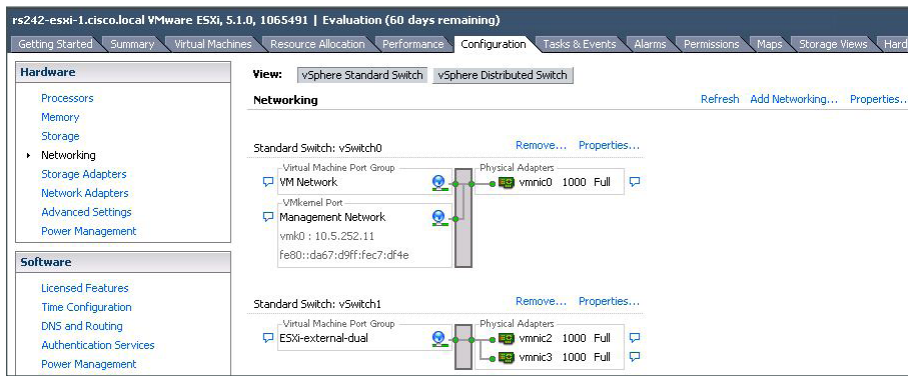
Step 4: In the Port Group Properties pane, edit the Network Label (Example from Table 6: ESXi-external-dual), set the VLAN ID to **None (0)**, and then click **Next**.



Step 5: Review the final host networking configuration, and then click **Finish**.



Step 6: View properties by clicking **Properties** for the newly created vSwitch (Example: vSwitch1).

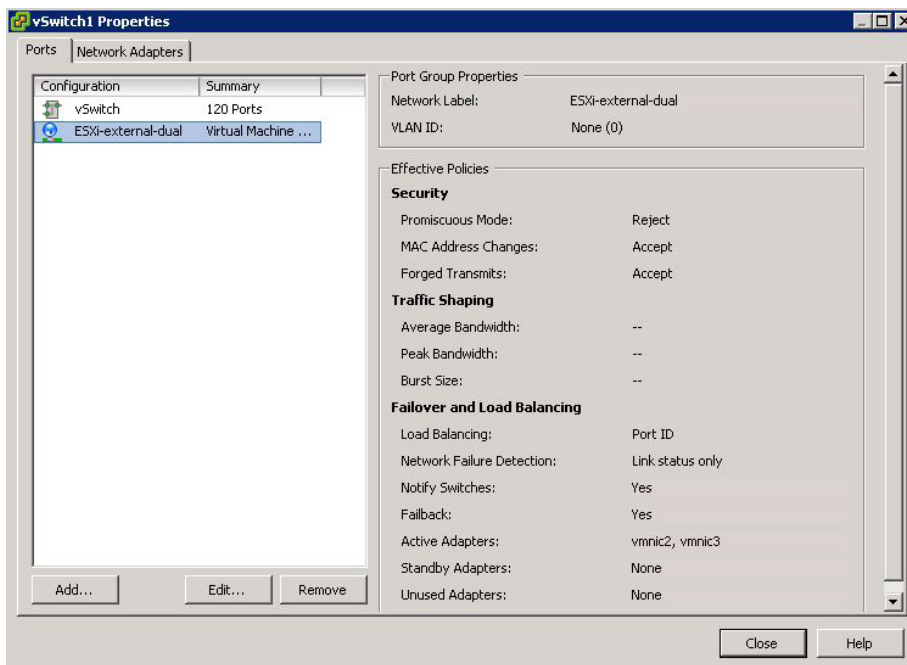


Step 7: In the vSwitch Properties pane, select the Port Group (Example: ESXi-external-dual), and click **Edit**.



Tech Tip

By using the default VMware settings, this NIC redundancy configuration provides failover for link or switch failure for applications installed on a Cisco UCS E-Series Server double-wide module such as the UCS E140D.



Step 8: In the Port Group Properties pane, view the Failover and Load Balancing details by clicking the **NIC Teaming** tab. The configuration options dialog box appears.

The screenshot shows the 'ESXi-external-dual Properties' dialog box with the 'NIC Teaming' tab selected. The dialog has four tabs: General, Security, Traffic Shaping, and NIC Teaming. The NIC Teaming tab contains several configuration options:

- Policy Exceptions:**
 - Load Balancing: ☐ Route based on the originating virtual port ID
 - Network Failover Detection: ☐ Link status only
 - Notify Switches: ☐ Yes
 - Failback: ☐ Yes
- Failover Order:**
 - ☐ Override switch failover order:
 - Select active and standby adapters for this port group. In a failover situation, standby adapters activate in the order specified below.
- Adapters Table:**

Name	Speed	Networks
Active Adapters		
vmnic2	1000 Full	None
vmnic3	1000 Full	None
Standby Adapters		
Unused Adapters		

Buttons: Move Up, Move Down

Adapter Details:

Name:
Location:
Driver:

Buttons: OK, Cancel, Help

Deploying Hosted Cloud Storage Applications on the UCS E-Series Server Module

1. Deploy OVA for hosted cloud connector applications

To avoid WAN congestion and possible installation issues, download or copy the installation Open Virtual Appliance (OVA) files to a local host at the remote location and perform the install from a remote host at that location.

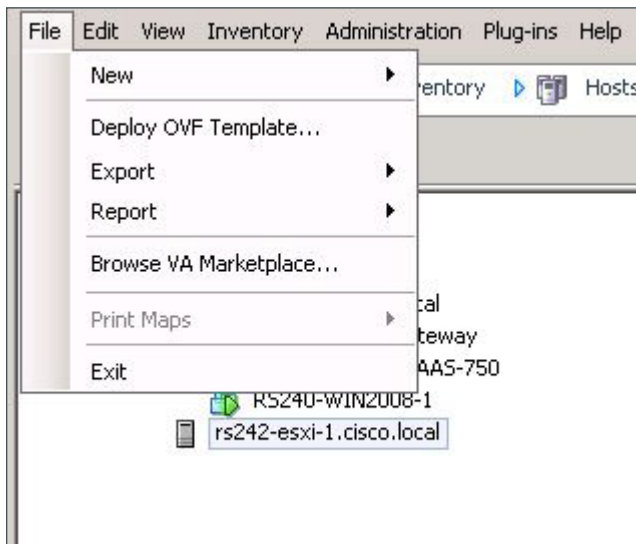
Most Cloud Connector applications are available as OVA and are designed to be installed into a virtual environment. The OVA is an industry standard format with prepackaged disk, memory, CPU, NICs, and other virtual-machine-related configuration parameters.

Procedure 1 Deploy OVA for hosted cloud connector applications

This procedure shows how to install an OVA using VMware vCenter.

Step 1: From vCenter, click the ESXi host that you plan to use to run your virtual machine (Example: rs242-esxi-1.cisco.local).

Step 2: From the **File** menu, click **Deploy OVF template**.

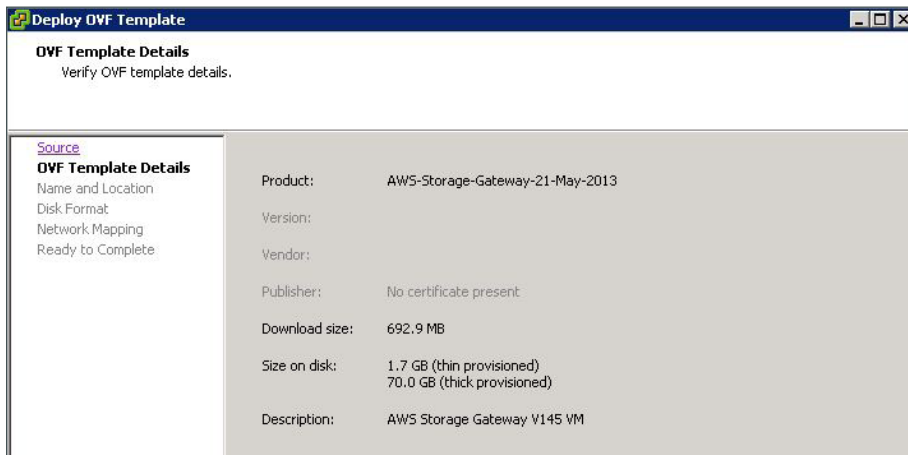


Step 3: Browse to the local OVA file to install, and then click **Next**.



The 'Deploy OVF Template' dialog box is shown with the 'Source' tab selected. The left sidebar contains links for 'Source', 'OVF Template Details', 'Name and Location', 'Disk Format', and 'Ready to Complete'. The main area is titled 'Source' with the instruction 'Select the source location.' Below this, a section titled 'Deploy from a file or URL' contains a text box with the path 'C:\CVD\AWS-Storage-Gateway-21-May-2013.ova' and a 'Browse...' button. A paragraph below explains that a URL can be used to download from the Internet, or a local location like a hard drive, network share, or CD/DVD drive can be specified.

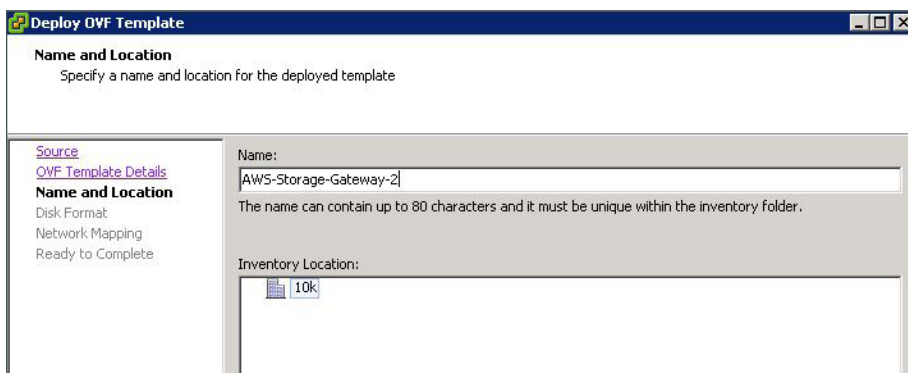
Step 4: Review the template details and then click **Next**.



The 'Deploy OVF Template' dialog box is shown with the 'OVF Template Details' tab selected. The left sidebar contains links for 'Source', 'OVF Template Details', 'Name and Location', 'Disk Format', 'Network Mapping', and 'Ready to Complete'. The main area is titled 'OVF Template Details' with the instruction 'Verify OVF template details.' It displays the following information:

Product:	AWS-Storage-Gateway-21-May-2013
Version:	
Vendor:	
Publisher:	No certificate present
Download size:	692.9 MB
Size on disk:	1.7 GB (thin provisioned) 70.0 GB (thick provisioned)
Description:	AWS Storage Gateway V145 VM

Step 5: Enter a name for the OVA (Example: AWS-Storage-Gateway-2), select the proper location, and then click **Next**.



The 'Deploy OVF Template' dialog box is shown with the 'Name and Location' tab selected. The left sidebar contains links for 'Source', 'OVF Template Details', 'Name and Location', 'Disk Format', 'Network Mapping', and 'Ready to Complete'. The main area is titled 'Name and Location' with the instruction 'Specify a name and location for the deployed template.' It contains a 'Name:' text box with the value 'AWS-Storage-Gateway-2' and a note: 'The name can contain up to 80 characters and it must be unique within the inventory folder.' Below this is an 'Inventory Location:' section with a file explorer icon and a text box containing '10k'.

Step 6: Verify the data store and the provisioning according to the recommendations of the application vendor. To accept the recommended Disk Format Settings, click **Next**.

The screenshot shows the 'Deploy OVF Template' wizard at the 'Disk Format' step. The title bar reads 'Deploy OVF Template'. The main heading is 'Disk Format' with the question 'In which format do you want to store the virtual disks?'. On the left, a navigation pane lists: 'Source', 'OVF Template Details', 'Name and Location', 'Disk Format' (selected), 'Network Mapping', and 'Ready to Complete'. The main area shows 'Datastore:' as 'RS242-ESXi-1-LocalDisk' and 'Available space (GB):' as '1672.5'. There are three radio button options: 'Thick Provision Lazy Zeroed' (selected), 'Thick Provision Eager Zeroed', and 'Thin Provision'.

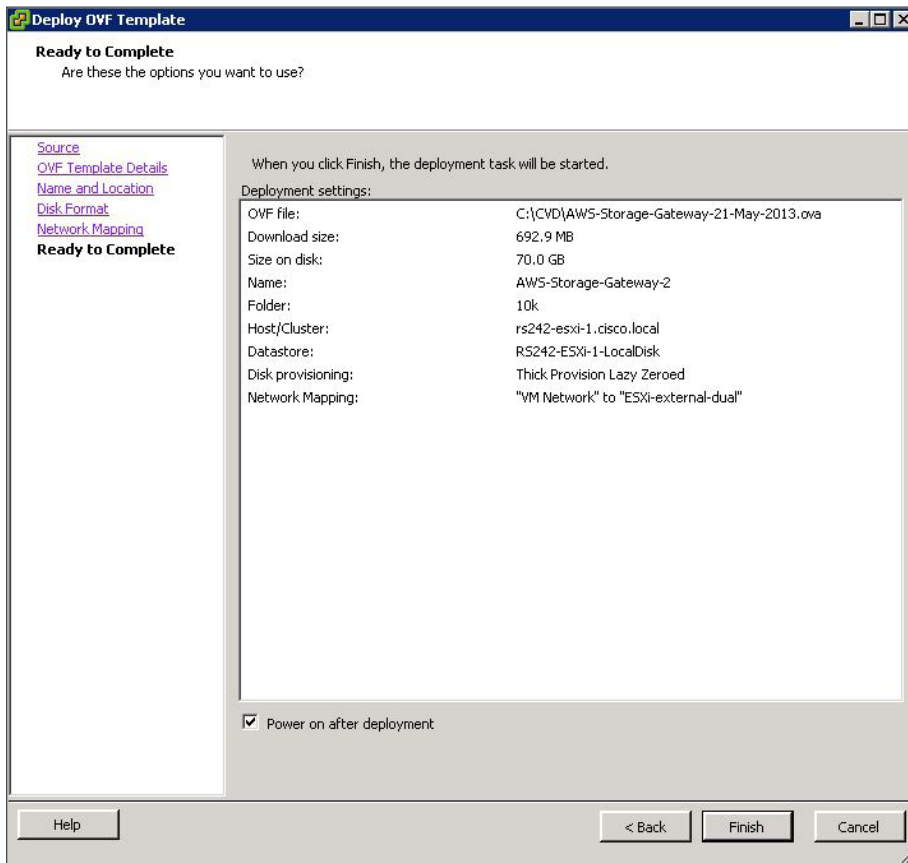
Step 7: Click the current setting for Destination Networks. All destination network choices are displayed.

The screenshot shows the 'Deploy OVF Template' wizard at the 'Network Mapping' step. The title bar reads 'Deploy OVF Template'. The main heading is 'Network Mapping' with the question 'What networks should the deployed template use?'. On the left, a navigation pane lists: 'Source', 'OVF Template Details', 'Name and Location', 'Disk Format', 'Network Mapping' (selected), and 'Ready to Complete'. The main area has the instruction 'Map the networks used in this OVF template to networks in your inventory'. It features two columns: 'Source Networks' with 'VM Network' listed, and 'Destination Networks' with a dropdown menu showing 'ESXi-external-dual' (selected), 'ESXi-external-dual', and 'VM Network'. Below these is a 'Description:' field containing 'The VM Network network'.

Step 8: Select the destination network by choosing the ESXi networking profile created in Procedure 10, Step 4 (Example: ESXi-external-dual), and then click **Next**.

This screenshot is similar to the previous one, showing the 'Network Mapping' step. The 'Destination Networks' dropdown menu now shows 'ESXi-external-dual' as the selected option, which is highlighted in blue. The rest of the interface, including the 'Source Networks' list and the 'Description' field, remains the same.

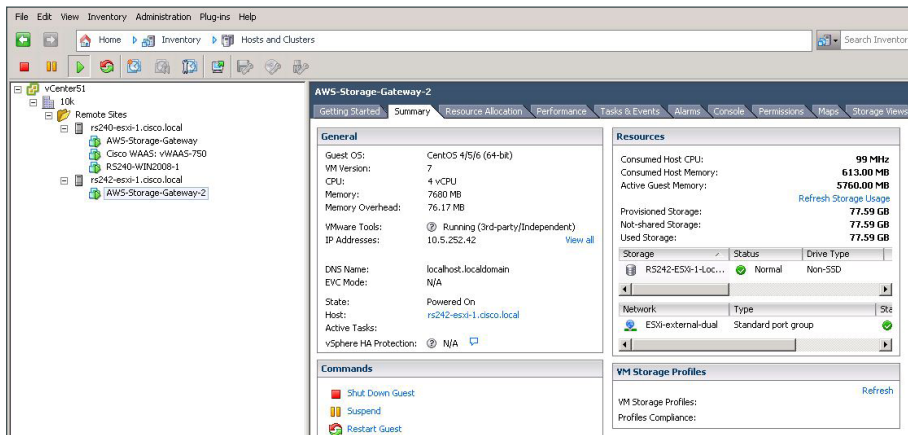
Step 9: Review the OVA summary information, select **Power on after deployment**, and then click **Finish**.



Step 10: Monitor the deployment.



Step 11: After the OVA is installed, highlight the installed OVA, and then, on the **Summary** tab, verify its status.



Step 12: Finish configuring the Cloud Connector application according to the guidelines provided by the third-party vendor.

Appendix A: Product List

WAN Remote Site

Functional Area	Product Description	Part Numbers	Software
Modular WAN Remote-site Router	Cisco 3945 Voice Sec. Bundle, PVDM3-64, UC and SEC License PAK	C3945-VSEC/K9	15.2(4)M4 securityk9 license datak9 license
	Cisco 3925 Voice Sec. Bundle, PVDM3-64, UC and SEC License PAK	C3925-VSEC/K9	
	Data Paper PAK for Cisco 3900 series	SL-39-DATA-K9	
	Cisco 2951 Voice Sec. Bundle, PVDM3-32, UC and SEC License PAK	C2951-VSEC/K9	
	Cisco 2921 Voice Sec. Bundle, PVDM3-32, UC and SEC License PAK	C2921-VSEC/K9	
	Cisco 2911 Voice Sec. Bundle, PVDM3-32, UC and SEC License PAK	C2911-VSEC/K9	
	Data Paper PAK for Cisco 2900 series	SL-29-DATA-K9	
	1941 WAAS Express only Bundle	C1941-WAASX-SEC/K9	
	Data Paper PAK for Cisco 1900 series	SL-19-DATA-K9	
Virtual Servers	Cisco UCS E-Series Double-Wide Server Blades, Intel Xeon E5-2400 Six Core processor, 8GB RAM, 2 SD cards, PCIe card	UCS-E160DP-M1/K9	–
	Cisco UCS E-Series Double-Wide Server Blades, Intel Xeon E5-2400 Six Core processor, 8GB RAM, 2 SD cards	UCS-E160D-M1/K9	
	Cisco UCS E-Series Double-Wide Server Blades, Intel Xeon E5-2400 Quad Core processor, 8GB RAM, 2 SD cards, PCIe card	UCS-E140DP-M1/K9	
	Cisco UCS E-Series Double-Wide Server Blades, Intel Xeon E5-2400 Quad Core processor, 8GB RAM, 2 SD cards	UCS-E140D-M1/K9	
	Cisco UCS E-Series Single-Wide Server Blades, Intel Xeon E3 Quad Core processor, 8GB RAM, 2 SD cards	UCS-E140S-M1/K9	
VMWare	VMware vSphere	ESXi	5.1.0 U1

Appendix B: Configurations

This appendix shows the validated router configurations for each of the remote sites and solutions presented in this guide, which deploys Cisco UCS E-Series servers for Hosted Cloud Connector applications at remote sites with local Internet access.

Remote Site 240

This site uses a single router MPLS WAN primary with VPN WAN backup.

RS240-3945

```
version 15.2
no service pad
service tcp-keepalives-in
service tcp-keepalives-out
service timestamps debug datetime msec localtime
service timestamps log datetime msec localtime
service password-encryption
!
hostname RS240-3945
!
boot-start-marker
boot system flash0:c3900-universalk9-mz.SPA.152-4.M4.bin
boot-end-marker
!
!
enable secret 4 /DtCCr53Q4B18jSIm1UEqu7cNVZTOhxTZyUnZdsSrsw
!
aaa new-model
!
!
aaa group server tacacs+ TACACS-SERVERS
server name TACACS-SERVER-1
!
aaa authentication login default group TACACS-SERVERS local
aaa authorization console
aaa authorization exec default group TACACS-SERVERS local
!
aaa session-id common
clock timezone PST -8 0
clock summer-time PDT recurring
!
!
ip cef
```

```

!
ip domain name cisco.local
ip multicast-routing
ip inspect log drop-pkt
no ipv6 cef
!
parameter-map type inspect global
    log dropped-packets enable
    max-incomplete low 18000
    max-incomplete high 20000
    spoofed-acker off

multilink bundle-name authenticated
!
!
username admin password 7 121A540411045D5679
!
redundancy
!
ip ssh source-interface Loopback0
ip ssh version 2
!
track 60 ip sla 110 reachability
!
track 61 ip sla 111 reachability
!
track 62 list boolean or
    object 60
    object 61
!
class-map type inspect match-any INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS
    match protocol ftp
    match protocol tcp
    match protocol udp
    match protocol icmp
class-map type inspect match-any INSPECT-ACL-OUT-CLASS
    match access-group name ACL-RTR-OUT
class-map type inspect match-any PASS-ACL-IN-CLASS
    match access-group name ESP-IN
    match access-group name DHCP-IN
class-map type inspect match-any PASS-ACL-OUT-CLASS
    match access-group name ESP-OUT
    match access-group name DHCP-OUT
class-map type inspect match-any INSPECT-ACL-IN-CLASS
    match access-group name ACL-RTR-IN
!
policy-map type inspect ACL-OUT-POLICY

```



```

class type inspect INSPECT-ACL-OUT-CLASS
  inspect
class type inspect PASS-ACL-OUT-CLASS
  pass
class class-default
  drop
policy-map type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY
  class type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS
    inspect
  class class-default
    drop
policy-map type inspect ACL-IN-POLICY
  class type inspect INSPECT-ACL-IN-CLASS
    inspect
  class type inspect PASS-ACL-IN-CLASS
    pass
  class class-default
    drop
!
zone security INSIDE
zone security OUTSIDE
zone-pair security IN_OUT source INSIDE destination OUTSIDE
  service-policy type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY
zone-pair security TO-ROUTER source OUTSIDE destination self
  service-policy type inspect ACL-IN-POLICY
zone-pair security FROM-ROUTER source self destination OUTSIDE
  service-policy type inspect ACL-OUT-POLICY
!
crypto keyring GLOBAL-KEYRING
  pre-shared-key address 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 key cisco123
!
crypto isakmp policy 10
  encr aes 256
  authentication pre-share
  group 2
crypto isakmp keepalive 30 5
crypto isakmp profile ISAKMP-INET-PUBLIC
  keyring GLOBAL-KEYRING
  match identity address 0.0.0.0
!
crypto ipsec security-association replay window-size 1024
!
crypto ipsec transform-set AES256/SHA/TRANSPORT esp-aes 256 esp-sha-hmac
  mode transport
!
crypto ipsec profile DMVPN-PROFILE1
  set transform-set AES256/SHA/TRANSPORT

```

```

set isakmp-profile ISAKMP-INET-PUBLIC
!
!
interface Loopback0
 ip address 10.255.251.240 255.255.255.255
 ip pim sparse-mode
!
interface Tunnel10
 bandwidth 10000
 ip address 10.4.34.240 255.255.254.0
 no ip redirects
 ip mtu 1400
 ip hello-interval eigrp 200 20
 ip hold-time eigrp 200 60
 ip pim dr-priority 0
 ip pim nbma-mode
 ip pim sparse-mode
 ip nhrp authentication cisco123
 ip nhrp map multicast 172.16.130.1
 ip nhrp map 10.4.34.1 172.16.130.1
 ip nhrp network-id 101
 ip nhrp holdtime 600
 ip nhrp nhs 10.4.34.1
 ip nhrp registration no-unique
 ip nhrp shortcut
 ip nhrp redirect
 zone-member security INSIDE
 ip summary-address eigrp 200 10.5.240.0 255.255.248.0
 ip tcp adjust-mss 1360
 tunnel source GigabitEthernet0/1
 tunnel mode gre multipoint
 tunnel route-via GigabitEthernet0/1 mandatory
 tunnel protection ipsec profile DMVPN-PROFILE1
!
interface Port-channel1
 no ip address
!
interface Port-channel1.64
 encapsulation dot1Q 64
 ip address 10.5.244.1 255.255.255.0
 ip helper-address 10.4.48.10
 ip pim sparse-mode
 ip nat inside
 ip virtual-reassembly in
 zone-member security INSIDE
!
interface Port-channel1.69

```

```

encapsulation dot1Q 69
ip address 10.5.245.1 255.255.255.0
ip helper-address 10.4.48.10
ip pim sparse-mode
ip nat inside
zone-member security INSIDE
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/0
description MPLS-A (remote-as 65401 - 192.168.3.50)
bandwidth 10000
ip address 192.168.3.49 255.255.255.252
zone-member security INSIDE
duplex auto
speed auto
no cdp enable
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/1
ip dhcp client default-router distance 10
ip dhcp client route track 62
ip address dhcp
no ip redirects
no ip unreachable
no ip proxy-arp
ip nat outside
ip virtual-reassembly in
zone-member security OUTSIDE
duplex auto
speed auto
no lldp transmit
no lldp receive
no cdp enable
no mop enabled
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/2
no ip address
duplex auto
speed auto
channel-group 1
!
interface ucse3/0
ip unnumbered Port-channel1.64
ip nat inside
zone-member security INSIDE
imc ip address 10.5.244.10 255.255.255.0 default-gateway 10.5.244.1
imc access-port shared-lom console
!
!

```

```

router eigrp 200
  distribute-list route-map BLOCK-DEFAULT in
  network 10.4.34.0 0.0.1.255
  network 10.5.0.0 0.0.255.255
  network 10.255.0.0 0.0.255.255
  passive-interface default
  no passive-interface Tunnel10
  eigrp router-id 10.255.251.240
  eigrp stub connected summary redistributed
!
router bgp 65511
  bgp router-id 10.255.251.240
  bgp log-neighbor-changes
  network 10.5.244.0 mask 255.255.255.0
  network 10.5.245.0 mask 255.255.255.0
  network 10.255.251.240 mask 255.255.255.255
  network 192.168.3.48 mask 255.255.255.252
  aggregate-address 10.5.240.0 255.255.248.0 summary-only
  neighbor 192.168.3.50 remote-as 65401
!
ip local policy route-map PBR-SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP
ip forward-protocol nd
!
no ip http server
ip http authentication aaa
ip http secure-server
!
ip pim autorp listener
ip pim register-source Loopback0
ip nat inside source list NAT interface GigabitEthernet0/1 overload
ip route 10.0.0.0 255.0.0.0 Null0 254
ip route 10.5.244.10 255.255.255.255 ucse3/0
ip route 10.5.244.11 255.255.255.255 ucse3/0
ip route 172.16.130.1 255.255.255.255 GigabitEthernet0/1 dhcp
ip tacacs source-interface Loopback0
!
ip access-list standard NAT
  permit 10.5.240.0 0.0.7.255
ip access-list standard NO-DEFAULT
  deny 0.0.0.0
  permit any
!
ip access-list extended ACL-RTR-IN
  permit udp any any eq non500-isakmp
  permit udp any any eq isakmp
  permit icmp any any echo
  permit icmp any any echo-reply

```

```

permit icmp any any ttl-exceeded
permit icmp any any port-unreachable
permit udp any any gt 1023 ttl eq 1
ip access-list extended ACL-RTR-OUT
permit udp any any eq non500-isakmp
permit udp any any eq isakmp
permit icmp any any
ip access-list extended DHCP-IN
permit udp any eq bootps any eq bootpc
ip access-list extended DHCP-OUT
permit udp any eq bootpc any eq bootps
ip access-list extended ESP-IN
permit esp any any
ip access-list extended ESP-OUT
permit esp any any
ip access-list extended SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP
permit icmp any host 172.18.1.253
permit icmp any host 172.18.1.254
!
ip sla auto discovery
ip sla 110
icmp-echo 172.18.1.253 source-interface GigabitEthernet0/1
threshold 1000
frequency 15
ip sla schedule 110 life forever start-time now
ip sla 111
icmp-echo 172.18.1.254 source-interface GigabitEthernet0/1
threshold 1000
frequency 15
ip sla schedule 111 life forever start-time now
!
nls resp-timeout 1
cpd cr-id 1
route-map PBR-SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP permit 10
match ip address SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP
set ip next-hop dynamic dhcp
!
route-map BLOCK-DEFAULT permit 10
match ip address NO-DEFAULT
!
!
snmp-server community cisco RO
snmp-server community cisco123 RW
snmp-server trap-source Loopback0
snmp-server enable traps entity-sensor threshold
tacacs server TACACS-SERVER-1
address ipv4 10.4.48.15

```

```
key 7 00371605165E1F2D0A38
!
!
!
control-plane
!
line con 0
  logging synchronous
line aux 0
line 2
  no activation-character
  no exec
  transport preferred none
  transport output lat pad telnet rlogin lapb-ta mop udptn v120 ssh
  stopbits 1
line 195
  no activation-character
  no exec
  transport preferred none
  transport input all
  transport output lat pad telnet rlogin lapb-ta mop udptn v120 ssh
  stopbits 1
  speed 9600
  flowcontrol software
line vty 0 4
  transport preferred none
  transport input ssh
line vty 5 15
  transport preferred none
  transport input ssh
!
scheduler allocate 20000 1000
ntp source Loopback0
ntp update-calendar
ntp server 10.4.48.17
!
end
```

Remote Site 242

This site uses a dual-router design with MPLS primary and VPN WAN backup. Cisco UCS E-Series servers are deployed in each of the remote-site routers.

RS242-2951-1

```
version 15.2
service timestamps debug datetime msec localtime
service timestamps log datetime msec localtime
service password-encryption
!
hostname RS242-2951-1
!
boot-start-marker
boot-end-marker
!
!
enable secret 4 /DtCCr53Q4B18jSIm1UEqu7cNVZTOhxTZyUnZdsSrsW
!
aaa new-model
!
!
aaa group server tacacs+ TACACS-SERVERS
server name TACACS-SERVER-1
!
aaa authentication login default group TACACS-SERVERS local
aaa authorization console
aaa authorization exec default group TACACS-SERVERS local
!
aaa session-id common
clock timezone PST -8 0
clock summer-time PDT recurring
!
ip cef
!
!
ip domain name cisco.local
ip multicast-routing
no ipv6 cef
!
multilink bundle-name authenticated
!
!
username admin password 7 06055E324F41584B56
!
redundancy
!
```

```

ip ssh source-interface Loopback0
ip ssh version 2
!
track 50 ip sla 100 reachability
!
!
interface Loopback0
  ip address 10.255.252.242 255.255.255.255
  ip pim sparse-mode
!
interface Port-channel1
  no ip address
!
interface Port-channel1.64
  encapsulation dot1Q 64
  ip address 10.5.252.2 255.255.255.0
  ip helper-address 10.4.48.10
  ip pim dr-priority 110
  ip pim sparse-mode
  standby version 2
  standby 1 ip 10.5.252.1
  standby 1 priority 110
  standby 1 preempt
  standby 1 authentication md5 key-string 7 094F1F1A1A0A464058
  standby 1 track 50 decrement 10
!
interface Port-channel1.69
  encapsulation dot1Q 69
  ip address 10.5.253.2 255.255.255.0
  ip helper-address 10.4.48.10
  ip pim sparse-mode
!
interface Port-channel1.99
  encapsulation dot1Q 99
  ip address 10.5.248.9 255.255.255.252
  ip pim sparse-mode
!
interface Embedded-Service-Engine0/0
  no ip address
  shutdown
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/0
  bandwidth 10000
  ip address 192.168.4.49 255.255.255.252
  duplex auto
  speed auto
  no cdp enable

```



```

!
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/2
  no ip address
  duplex auto
  speed auto
  channel-group 1
!
interface ucse2/0
  ip unnumbered Port-channel1.64
  imc ip address 10.5.252.10 255.255.255.0 default-gateway 10.5.252.2
  imc access-port shared-lom console
!
interface ucse2/1
  no ip address
!
!
router eigrp 100
  default-metric 100000 100 255 1 1500
  network 10.5.0.0 0.0.255.255
  network 10.255.0.0 0.0.255.255
  redistribute eigrp 200
  redistribute bgp 65511
  redistribute static route-map STATIC-IN
  passive-interface default
  no passive-interface Port-channel1.99
  eigrp router-id 10.255.252.242
!
router bgp 65511
  bgp router-id 10.255.252.242
  bgp log-neighbor-changes
  network 10.5.252.0 mask 255.255.255.0
  network 10.5.253.0 mask 255.255.255.0
  network 10.255.252.242 mask 255.255.255.255
  network 192.168.4.48 mask 255.255.255.252
  aggregate-address 10.5.248.0 255.255.248.0 summary-only
  neighbor 192.168.4.50 remote-as 65402
  distance 254 192.168.4.50 0.0.0.0 DEFAULT-IN
!
ip forward-protocol nd
!
no ip http server
ip http authentication aaa
ip http secure-server
!
ip pim autorp listener
ip pim register-source Loopback0

```

```

ip route 10.5.252.10 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
ip route 10.5.252.11 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
ip tacacs source-interface Loopback0
!
ip access-list standard DEFAULT-IN
  permit 0.0.0.0
ip access-list standard STATIC-ROUTE-LIST
  permit 10.5.252.11
  remark UCSE CIMC & ESXi host routes
  permit 10.5.252.10
!
ip sla auto discovery
ip sla 100
  icmp-echo 192.168.4.50 source-interface GigabitEthernet0/0
  threshold 1000
  frequency 15
ip sla schedule 100 life forever start-time now
!
route-map STATIC-IN permit 20
  match ip address STATIC-ROUTE-LIST
!
!
snmp-server community cisco RO
snmp-server community cisco123 RW
snmp-server trap-source Loopback0
snmp-server enable traps entity-sensor threshold
tacacs server TACACS-SERVER-1
  address ipv4 10.4.48.15
  key 7 04680E051D2458650C00
!
!
!
control-plane
!
!
!
line con 0
  logging synchronous
line aux 0
line 2
  no activation-character
  no exec
  transport preferred none
  transport input all
  transport output lat pad telnet rlogin lapb-ta mop udptn v120 ssh
  stopbits 1
line 131

```

```

no activation-character
no exec
transport preferred none
transport input all
transport output lat pad telnet rlogin lapb-ta mop udptn v120 ssh
stopbits 1
speed 9600
flowcontrol software
line vty 0 4
  transport preferred none
  transport input ssh
line vty 5 15
  transport preferred none
  transport input ssh
!
scheduler allocate 20000 1000
ntp source Loopback0
ntp update-calendar
ntp server 10.4.48.17
!
end

```

RS242-2951-2

```

version 15.2
no service pad
service tcp-keepalives-in
service tcp-keepalives-out
service timestamps debug datetime msec localtime
service timestamps log datetime msec localtime
service password-encryption
!
hostname RS242-2951-2
!
boot-start-marker
boot-end-marker
!
!
enable secret 5 $1$CAeB$6KAR8cjlqzLRQMhbpzSqe.
!
aaa new-model
!
!
aaa group server tacacs+ TACACS-SERVERS
  server name TACACS-SERVER-1
!
aaa authentication login default group TACACS-SERVERS local

```

```

aaa authorization console
aaa authorization exec default group TACACS-SERVERS local
!
!
aaa session-id common
clock timezone PST -8 0
clock summer-time PDT recurring
!
ip cef
!
!
ip domain name cisco.local
ip multicast-routing
ip inspect log drop-pkt
no ipv6 cef
!
parameter-map type inspect global
    log dropped-packets enable
    max-incomplete low 18000
    max-incomplete high 20000
    spoofed-acker off
!
multilink bundle-name authenticated
!
!
username admin password 7 094F1F1A1A0A464058
!
redundancy
!
ip ssh source-interface Loopback0
ip ssh version 2
!
track 60 ip sla 110 reachability
!
track 61 ip sla 111 reachability
!
track 62 list boolean or
    object 60
    object 61
!
class-map match-any DATA
    match dscp af21
class-map type inspect match-any INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS
    match protocol ftp
    match protocol tcp
    match protocol udp
    match protocol icmp

```

```

class-map match-any INTERACTIVE-VIDEO
  match dscp cs4  af41
class-map type inspect match-any INSPECT-ACL-OUT-CLASS
  match access-group name ACL-RTR-OUT
class-map match-any CRITICAL-DATA
  match dscp cs3  af31
class-map type inspect match-any PASS-ACL-IN-CLASS
  match access-group name ESP-IN
  match access-group name DHCP-IN
class-map match-any VOICE
  match dscp ef
class-map match-any SCAVENGER
  match dscp cs1  af11
class-map type inspect match-any PASS-ACL-OUT-CLASS
  match access-group name ESP-OUT
  match access-group name DHCP-OUT
class-map match-any NETWORK-CRITICAL
  match dscp cs2  cs6
  match access-group name ISAKMP
class-map type inspect match-any INSPECT-ACL-IN-CLASS
  match access-group name ACL-RTR-IN
!
policy-map WAN
  class VOICE
    priority percent 10
  class INTERACTIVE-VIDEO
    priority percent 23
  class CRITICAL-DATA
    bandwidth percent 15
    random-detect dscp-based
  class DATA
    bandwidth percent 19
    random-detect dscp-based
  class SCAVENGER
    bandwidth percent 5
  class NETWORK-CRITICAL
    bandwidth percent 3
  class class-default
    bandwidth percent 25
    random-detect
policy-map type inspect ACL-OUT-POLICY
  class type inspect INSPECT-ACL-OUT-CLASS
    inspect
  class type inspect PASS-ACL-OUT-CLASS
    pass
  class class-default
    drop

```

```

policy-map type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY
  class type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-CLASS
    inspect
  class class-default
    drop
policy-map WAN-INTERFACE-G0/0
  class class-default
    shape average 20000000
    service-policy WAN
policy-map type inspect ACL-IN-POLICY
  class type inspect INSPECT-ACL-IN-CLASS
    inspect
  class type inspect PASS-ACL-IN-CLASS
    pass
  class class-default
    drop
!
zone security INSIDE
zone security OUTSIDE
zone-pair security IN_OUT source INSIDE destination OUTSIDE
  service-policy type inspect INSIDE-TO-OUTSIDE-POLICY
zone-pair security TO-ROUTER source OUTSIDE destination self
  service-policy type inspect ACL-IN-POLICY
zone-pair security FROM-ROUTER source self destination OUTSIDE
  service-policy type inspect ACL-OUT-POLICY
!
crypto keyring GLOBAL-KEYRING
  pre-shared-key address 0.0.0.0 0.0.0.0 key cisco123
!
crypto isakmp policy 10
  encr aes 256
  authentication pre-share
  group 2
crypto isakmp keepalive 30 5
crypto isakmp profile ISAKMP-INET-PUBLIC
  keyring GLOBAL-KEYRING
  match identity address 0.0.0.0
!
crypto ipsec security-association replay window-size 1024
!
crypto ipsec transform-set AES256/SHA/TRANSPORT esp-aes 256 esp-sha-hmac
  mode transport
!
crypto ipsec profile DMVPN-PROFILE2
  set transform-set AES256/SHA/TRANSPORT
  set isakmp-profile ISAKMP-INET-PUBLIC
!

```

```

!
interface Loopback0
 ip address 10.255.253.242 255.255.255.255
 ip pim sparse-mode
!
interface Tunnel10
 bandwidth 10000
 ip address 10.4.34.242 255.255.254.0
 no ip redirects
 ip mtu 1400
 ip hello-interval eigrp 201 20
 ip hold-time eigrp 201 60
 ip pim dr-priority 0
 ip pim nbma-mode
 ip pim sparse-mode
 ip nhrp authentication cisco123
 ip nhrp map 10.4.34.1 172.16.130.1
 ip nhrp map multicast 172.16.130.1
 ip nhrp network-id 101
 ip nhrp holdtime 600
 ip nhrp nhs 10.4.34.1
 ip nhrp registration no-unique
 ip nhrp shortcut
 ip nhrp redirect
 zone-member security INSIDE
 ip summary-address eigrp 200 10.5.248.0 255.255.248.0
 ip tcp adjust-mss 1360
 tunnel source GigabitEthernet0/0
 tunnel mode gre multipoint
 tunnel route-via GigabitEthernet0/0 mandatory
 tunnel protection ipsec profile DMVPN-PROFILE2
!
interface Port-channel1
 no ip address
!
interface Port-channel1.64
 encapsulation dot1Q 64
 ip address 10.5.252.3 255.255.255.0
 ip helper-address 10.4.48.10
 ip pim dr-priority 105
 ip pim sparse-mode
 ip nat inside
 ip virtual-reassembly in
 zone-member security INSIDE
 standby version 2
 standby 1 ip 10.5.252.1
 standby 1 priority 105

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standby 1 preempt
standby 1 authentication md5 key-string 7 104D580A061843595F
!
interface Port-channel1.99
encapsulation dot1Q 99
ip address 10.5.248.10 255.255.255.252
ip pim sparse-mode
ip nat inside
ip virtual-reassembly in
zone-member security INSIDE
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/0
ip dhcp client default-router distance 10
ip dhcp client route track 62
ip address dhcp
no ip redirects
no ip unreachable
no ip proxy-arp
ip nat outside
ip virtual-reassembly in
zone-member security OUTSIDE
duplex auto
speed auto
no lldp transmit
no lldp receive
no cdp enable
no mop enabled
service-policy output WAN-INTERFACE-G0/0
!
interface GigabitEthernet0/2
no ip address
duplex auto
speed auto
channel-group 1
!
interface ucse2/0
ip unnumbered Port-channel1.64
ip nat inside
zone-member security INSIDE
imc ip address 10.5.252.12 255.255.255.0 default-gateway 10.5.252.3
imc access-port shared-lom console
!
interface ucse2/1
no ip address
!
!
router eigrp 200

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distribute-list route-map BLOCK-DEFAULT in
network 10.4.34.0 0.0.1.255
network 10.5.0.0 0.0.255.255
network 10.255.0.0 0.0.255.255
passive-interface default
no passive-interface Tunnel10
eigrp router-id 10.255.253.242
redistribute eigrp 100 route-map LOOPBACK-ONLY
eigrp stub connected summary redistributed
!
!
router eigrp 100
network 10.5.0.0 0.0.255.255
network 10.255.0.0 0.0.255.255
redistribute eigrp 200
redistribute static route-map STATIC-IN
passive-interface default
no passive-interface Port-channel1.99
!
!
ip local policy route-map PBR-SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP
ip forward-protocol nd
!
no ip http server
ip http authentication aaa
ip http secure-server
!
ip pim autorp listener
ip pim register-source Loopback0
ip nat inside source list NAT interface GigabitEthernet0/0 overload
ip route 10.0.0.0 255.0.0.0 Null0 254
ip route 10.5.252.12 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
ip route 10.5.252.13 255.255.255.255 ucse2/0
ip route 172.16.130.1 255.255.255.255 GigabitEthernet0/0 dhcp
ip tacacs source-interface Loopback0
!
ip access-list standard DHCP-DEFAULT
remark DHCP default route
permit 0.0.0.0
ip access-list standard NAT
permit 10.5.248.0 0.0.7.255
ip access-list standard NO-DEFAULT
deny 0.0.0.0
permit any
ip access-list standard R1-LOOPBACK
permit 10.255.252.242
ip access-list standard STATIC-ROUTE-LIST

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remark UCSE CIMC & ESXi host routes
permit 10.5.252.13
permit 10.5.252.12
!
ip access-list extended ACL-RTR-IN
  permit udp any any eq non500-isakmp
  permit udp any any eq isakmp
  permit icmp any any echo
  permit icmp any any echo-reply
  permit icmp any any ttl-exceeded
  permit icmp any any port-unreachable
  permit udp any any gt 1023 ttl eq 1
ip access-list extended ACL-RTR-OUT
  permit udp any any eq non500-isakmp
  permit udp any any eq isakmp
  permit icmp any any
ip access-list extended DHCP-IN
  permit udp any eq bootps any eq bootpc
ip access-list extended DHCP-OUT
  permit udp any eq bootpc any eq bootps
ip access-list extended ESP-IN
  permit esp any any
ip access-list extended ESP-OUT
  permit esp any any
ip access-list extended ISAKMP
  permit udp any eq isakmp any eq isakmp
ip access-list extended SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP
  permit icmp any host 172.18.1.253
  permit icmp any host 172.18.1.254
!
ip sla auto discovery
ip sla 110
  icmp-echo 172.18.1.253 source-interface GigabitEthernet0/0
  threshold 1000
  frequency 15
ip sla schedule 110 life forever start-time now
ip sla 111
  icmp-echo 172.18.1.254 source-interface GigabitEthernet0/0
  threshold 1000
  frequency 15
ip sla schedule 111 life forever start-time now
!
nls resp-timeout 1
cpd cr-id 1
route-map PBR-SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP permit 10
  match ip address SLA-SET-NEXT-HOP
  set ip next-hop dynamic dhcp

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!
route-map LOCAL-DEFAULT permit 10
  match ip address DHCP-DEFAULT
!
!
route-map LOOPBACK-ONLY permit 10
  match ip address R1-LOOPBACK
!
route-map BLOCK-DEFAULT permit 10
  match ip address NO-DEFAULT
!
route-map STATIC-IN permit 20
  match ip address STATIC-ROUTE-LIST
!
!
snmp-server community cisco RO
snmp-server community cisco123 RW
snmp-server trap-source Loopback0
snmp-server enable traps entity-sensor threshold
tacacs server TACACS-SERVER-1
  address ipv4 10.4.48.15
  key 7 073C244F5C0C0D2E120B
!
!
!
control-plane
!
!
line con 0
  logging synchronous
line aux 0
line 2
  no activation-character
  no exec
  transport preferred none
  transport output lat pad telnet rlogin lapb-ta mop udptn v120 ssh
  stopbits 1
line 131
  no activation-character
  no exec
  transport preferred none
  transport input all
  transport output lat pad telnet rlogin lapb-ta mop udptn v120 ssh
  stopbits 1
  speed 9600
  flowcontrol software
line vty 0 4

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transport preferred none
transport input ssh
line vty 5 15
transport preferred none
transport input ssh
!
scheduler allocate 20000 1000
ntp source Loopback0
ntp server 10.4.48.17
!
end
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