



User Interface

Prime Collaboration is a thin-client, web-based application comprising the Prime Collaboration Assurance and Prime Collaboration Provisioning applications. Prime Collaboration user interface (UI) components are visible throughout the UI and enable you to set up filters, see page details in a quick view, and perform global searches.

You can install Prime Collaboration Assurance and Prime Collaboration Provisioning as standalone systems. For information about client requirements, see [Cisco Prime Collaboration 9.5 Quick Start Guide](#).

Filters

You can use the Filter feature to display specific information on the Prime Collaboration user interface. The Filter icon is provided wherever the data is displayed in a tabular format.

The following are the types of filters available on the Prime Collaboration client:

- [Quick Filter](#)
- [Advanced Filter](#)
- [Preset Filter](#)

The quick filter and advanced filter are case insensitive. For these filters, you can also use the following wildcard expressions:

- Question mark(?)—Match any one character.
- Asterisk (*)—Match zero or more characters.

Quick Filter

This filter allows you to narrow down the data inside a table by applying a filter to a specific table column or columns. The operator used with this filter is *Contains*. To apply different operators, use the Advanced Filter option.

To launch the quick filter, choose **Quick Filter** from the **Filter** drop-down menu.

To clear the quick filter, click **Filter**.

Advanced Filter

This filter allows you to narrow down the data in a table by applying a filter using multiple operators, such as Does not contain, Does not equal, Ends with, Is empty, and so on.

You choose the filter pattern (table column names) and operator from the drop-down menu. In addition, you must enter filter criteria based on data available in the Prime Collaboration database.

Launching the Advanced Filter and Saving Filter Criteria

To launch the advanced filter, choose **Advanced Filter** from the Filter drop-down menu.

You can save the filter criteria used in the Advanced filter.

To save the filter criteria:

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- Step 1** From the Filter drop-down menu, choose **Advanced Filter**.
 - Step 2** Enter advanced filter criteria.
 - Step 3** Click **Go** and then click the **Save** icon.
 - Step 4** In the Save Preset Filter window, enter a name for the Preset Filter and click **Save**.
- To clear the Advanced Filter, click the Filter button.
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Preset Filter


Prime Collaboration provides predefined keywords to filter data. In addition, the saved advanced filter criteria are also listed in the Preset Filter drop-down list. See [Advanced Filter, page A-1](#) for details on how to save the filter criteria.

This feature is available on some pages; for example, Device Management, Alarm browsers, and Event browsers. To launch a preset filter, choose the available values from the Show drop-down list.

Predefined Filters

Prime Collaboration provides a set of predefined filters that enable you to filter the data in a table.

Quick View

-  The quick view icon appears when you rest your mouse pointer on a table, specific table columns, or a topology pane. You can use quick view to cross-launch a page that you want to view in detail. In Prime Collaboration Assurance, this option is not available for administrative tasks, reports, or diagnostic views. It is available for Prime Collaboration Provisioning when you order a product.

Global Search Options for Prime Collaboration Assurance

Table A-1 Global Search Options for Prime Collaboration Assurance

Search	Variable	Sample String Format	Exceptions and Allowed Search Strings
Phone	DN	10002 1000* 100* 1* *0002	Alphanumeric characters, dash, period, and underscore.
	IP	10.64.101.162 10.64.101.* *	Alphanumeric characters, dash, period, and underscore. The special character % does not retrieve results.
	MAC	00260bd75cf8 00260bd75cf* 00260bd* 0* 00*	Dash, period, underscore, are not allowed. Alphanumeric and blank space are allowed.
Device	IP	10.78.22.129 10.78.22.* 10.*	Alphanumeric characters, dash, period, underscore, and space. The search formats 10.78.*.* and 10.*.*.* do not retrieve results.
	DNS	cussmtest-15.cisco. com	If the domain name is not resolvable, the IP address is displayed in the search results.
Location	Name	US-Texas US* *	Alphanumeric characters, dash, period, underscore and blank space are not allowed.
TelePresence	IP	10.78.22.77 . 10.78.22.* 10.78.*.* 10.*.*.* *	Ampersand (&) and blank space are not allowed.

**Note**

When you search for phones using the MAC address in the global search option, use the format xxxxxxxxxxxx.

Global Search Options for Prime Collaboration Provisioning

Table A-2 Global Search Options for Prime Collaboration Provisioning

Search	Variable	Sample String Format	Exceptions and Allowed Search Strings
Subscriber	ID	AASJKUser006 AAS* AA* *SJKUser006 *	Dash, period, underscore, are not allowed. Alphanumeric characters and blank space are not allowed. Apostrophe is allowed.
	Last Name	3242#@!##### #&!*(3) AANewRDUser00 * AANewRDUser* *NewRDUser006	Dash, period, and underscore are allowed. Alphanumeric characters and blank space are not allowed.

Table A-2 Global Search Options for Prime Collaboration Provisioning (continued)

Search	Variable	Sample String Format	Exceptions and Allowed Search Strings
Mac Address	Not Applicable	0024C444C3C6 0024* * *24	Dash, period, underscore, are not allowed. Alphanumeric characters and blank space are allowed.
Directory Number	Not Applicable	\+0000057 \+0000* \+* *0000* *57	Alphanumeric characters, dash, period, and underscore are not allowed. Blank space is allowed.

**Note**

- When you search for phones using the MAC address in the global search option, use the format xxxxxxxxxxxx.
- A minimum of three characters in the search string is recommended to enable faster retrieval of search results.