Policies Menu

This chapter contains the following topics:

Policies Menu Options

The **Policies** page displays the details depending on the sub-menu options. It has the following sub-menu options:

- Credential Policies
- Tag Library

Credential Policies

The **Credential Policies** menu has only one tab which displays the following details:

Field	Description
Policy Name	User defined name of the policy.
Description	User defined brief description of the policy.
Username	Cisco user name.
Protocol	Protocol followed by the policy.
Port	Port for the policy.

Tag Library

Tagging is when you assign a label to an object. As an administrator, you can decide to tag objects such as resource groups and user groups in Cisco IMC Supervisor. You can assign tags to a category such as a rack account. You can also apply a tag to a specific type of account in the selected category.

Tag Library has only one tab which displays the following details:

Field	Description
Name	User defined name of the tag library.
Description	User defined brief description of the tag library.
Type	String or an integer.
Possible Tag Values	User defined tag values.
Applies To	Rack mount servers or users.

Policy Task Under Credential Policies

Creating a Credential Policy

Perform this procedure when you want to create a credential policy.

Procedure

Step 1 From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Credential Policies**.

Step 2 Click **Add**.

Step 3 In the **Add Credential Policy** dialog box, complete the following fields:

Field	Description
Policy Name field	A descriptive name for the policy.
Description field	(Optional) A description of the policy.
User Name field	Cisco IMC user name or the rack mount server user name.
Password field	Cisco IMC password or the rack mount server password.
Protocol drop-down list	Choose a protocol from the drop-down list.

Field	Description
Port field	Enter a port number for the policy.

Step 4 Click **Submit**.

Step 5 In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Editing a Credential Policy

Perform this procedure when you want to edit a credential policy.

Before You Begin

The policy has already been created under **Credential Policies**.

Procedure

Step 1 From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Credential Policies**.

Step 2 From the list of policies, select the policy you want to edit.

Step 3 Click **Edit**.

> **Note** You cannot see the **Edit** button till you select the policy from the list.

Step 4 In the **Modify Credential Policy** dialog box, edit the following fields:

Field	Description
Description field	(Optional) A description of the policy.
User Name field	Cisco IMC user name or the rack mount server user name.
Password field	Cisco IMC password or the rack mount server password.
Protocol drop-down list	Choose a protocol from the drop-down list.
Port field	Enter a port number for the policy.

> **Note** You cannot change the name of the policy.

Step 5 Click **Submit**.

Step 6 In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Cloning a Credential Policy

Perform this procedure when you want to create a new credential policy based on another policy.

Before You Begin

The policy has already been created under **Credential Policies**.

Procedure

Step 1	From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Credential Policies**.
Step 2	From the list of policies, select the policy you want to clone.
Step 3	Click **Clone**.
	Note You cannot see the **Clone** button till you select the policy from the list.
Step 4	In the **Clone Credential Policy** dialog box, complete the following fields:

Field	Description
Policy Name field	A descriptive name for the policy.
Description field	(Optional) A description of the policy.
User Name field	Cisco IMC user name or the rack mount server user name.
Password field	Cisco IMC password or the rack mount server password.
Protocol drop-down list	Choose a protocol from the drop-down list.
Port field	Enter a port number for the policy.

Step 5	Click **Submit**.
Step 6	In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Deleting a Credential Policy

Perform this procedure when you want to delete a credential policy.

Before You Begin

The policy has already been created under **Credential Policies**.

Procedure

Step 1	From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Credential Policies**.
Step 2	From the list of policies, select the policy you want to delete.
Step 3	Click **Delete**. **Note** You cannot see the **Delete** button till you select the policy from the list.
Step 4	In the **Delete Credential Policy** dialog box, click **Delete**.
Step 5	In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Viewing a Credential Policy Details

Perform this procedure when you want to view a credential policy details.

Before You Begin

The policy has already been created under **Credential Policies**.

Procedure

Step 1	From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Credential Policies**.
Step 2	From the list of policies, select the policy you want to view.
Step 3	Click **View**. **Note** You cannot see the **View** button till you select the policy from the list.
Step 4	You can view the details in the **Credential Policy Details** dialog box.
Step 5	Click **Close** to go back to the previous screen.

Tagging Task Under Tag Library

Creating a Tag Library

Perform this procedure when you want to create a tag library.

Before You Begin

Procedure

Step 1   From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Tag Library**.

Step 2   Click **Create**.

Step 3   In the **Create Tag** dialog box, complete the following fields for **Tag Details**:

Field	Description
Name field	A descriptive name for the tag.
Description field	(Optional) A description of the tag.
Type drop-down list	Select String or Integer.
Possible Tag Values field	The possible values for the tag.

Step 4   Click **Next**.

Step 5   In the **Applicability Rules** screen, complete the following:

Name	Description
Taggable Entities field	Choose the entities on which the tag needs to be applied. To add an entity, do the following: 1 Click the + icon. 2 From the **Category** drop-down list, choose the category. It can be one of the following: 　　• **Physical_Compute** 　　• **Administration** 3 Choose the taggable entities from the table. 4 Click **Submit**. **Note**　The tags are displayed under the respective category according to the set taggable entities.

Step 6   In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Step 7   In the **Create Tag** dialog box, click **Submit**.

Step 8   Click **OK**.

Cloning a Tag Library

Perform this procedure when you want to create a new tag library based on another tag library.

Before You Begin

The tag library has already been created under **Tag Library**.

Procedure

Step 1 From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Tag Library**.

Step 2 From the list of tag libraries, select the tag library you want to clone.

Step 3 Click **Clone**.

Note You cannot see the **Clone** button till you select the tag library from the list.

Step 4 In the **Clone Tag** dialog box, complete the following fields for **Tag Details**:

Field	Description
Name field	A descriptive name for the tag.
Description field	(Optional) A description of the tag.
Type drop-down list	Select String or Integer.
Possible Tag Values field	The possible values for the tag.

Step 5 Click **Next**.

Step 6 In the **Applicability Rules** screen, complete the following:

Name	Description
Taggable Entities field	Choose the entities on which the tag needs to be applied. To add an entity, do the following: 1 Click the + icon. 2 From the **Category** drop-down list, choose the category. It can be one of the following: • **Physical_Compute** • **Administration** 3 Choose the taggable entities from the table. 4 Click **Submit**. **Note** The tags are displayed under the respective category according to the set taggable entities.

Step 7   In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Step 8   Click **Submit**.

Step 9   Click **OK**.

Editing a Tag Library

Perform this procedure when you want to edit a tag library.

Before You Begin

The tag library has already been created under **Tag Library**.

Procedure

Step 1   From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Tag Library**.

Step 2   From the list of tag libraries, select the tag library you want to edit.

Step 3   Click **Edit**.
You cannot see the **Edit** button till you select the tag library from the list.

Step 4   In the **Edit Tag** dialog box, complete the following fields for **Tag Details**:

Field	Description
Name field	A descriptive name for the tag.

Field	Description
Description field	(Optional) A description of the tag.
Type drop-down list	Select String or Integer.
Possible Tag Values field	The possible values for the tag.

Step 5   Click **Next**.

Step 6   In the **Applicability Rules** screen, complete the following:

Name	Description
Taggable Entities field	Choose the entities on which the tag needs to be applied. To add an entity, do the following: 1 Click the + icon. 2 From the **Category** drop-down list, choose the category. It can be one of the following: 　　• **Physical_Compute** 　　• **Administration** 3 Choose the taggable entities from the table. 4 Click **Submit**. **Note**　The tags are displayed under the respective category according to the set taggable entities.

Step 7   In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Step 8   Click **Submit**.

Step 9   Click **OK**.

Deleting a Tag Library

Perform this procedure when you want to delete a tag library.

Before You Begin

The tag library has already been created under **Tag Library**.

Procedure

Step 1	From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Tag Library**.
Step 2	From the list of tag libraries, select the tag library you want to delete.
Step 3	Click **Delete**.
	Note You cannot see the **Delete** button till you select the tag library from the list.
Step 4	In the **Tag** dialog box, click **Delete**.
Step 5	In the confirmation dialog box, click **OK**.

Viewing a Tag Details

Perform this procedure when you want to view a tag library details.

Before You Begin

• The tag library has already been created under **Tag Library**.

Procedure

Step 1	From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Tag Library**.
Step 2	From the list of tag libraries, select the tag library you want to view.
Step 3	Click **View**.
	Note You cannot see the **View** button till you select the tag library from the list.
Step 4	You can view the details in the **Tag Details** dialog box.
Step 5	Click **Close** to go back to previous screen.

Viewing a Tag Association Details

Perform this procedure when you want to view a tag library association details.

Before You Begin

The tag library has already been created under **Tag Library** and has been associated with an entity.

Procedure

Step 1   From the menu bar, choose **Policies** > **Tag Library**.

Step 2   From the list of tag libraries, select the tag library you want to view.

Step 3   Double-click the tag library from the list or click the tag library from the list and click **View Details**.
Note   You cannot see the **View Details** button till you select the tag library from the list.

You can view the following details in the **Tag Association** page:

Field	Description
Tag Name	The descriptive name for the tag.
Associated Resource Entity	The value of the entity.
Resource Entity Type	The resource type of the entity.
Tag Value	The value of the tag.

Step 4   Click **Close** to go back to previous screen.