



Installation Guide for Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP)

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Feature History

This table lists all the changes made to this guide, the most recent changes appearing at the top.

Feature Name	Releases	Feature Information
Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP)	CCCSP-15.0(1)	Initial release of Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP).

Overview

Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP) supports operating within a VMware ESXi virtualized environment. The software is packaged as an ISO and is deployed using an OVA template within the ESXi environment. For more information about the ESXi environment, see https://www.vmware.com/products/cloud-infrastructure/vsphere-foundation.

Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP) can be deployed in standalone mode that involves the installation of CCCSP as a single server. The standard installation method allows you to manually specify the installation information, such as hostname, IP address, and other system settings using installation wizard.

System Requirements for Installation

Virtual Machine Requirements for CCCSP

CCCSP software requires VMware ESXi host. After configuring the server hardware, install VMware vSphere ESXi.



Note

Make sure that the ESXi version is VMware vSphere ESXi 7.0.x and above.

Table 1: Virtual Machine Requirements for Cisco UCS Platform

CCCSP Options	vCPU	vRAM	vDisk	vNIC
Small - 50cps	1	6 GB	80 GB	Single
Medium – 100cps	2	6 GB	80 GB	Single
Large - 200cps	4	6 GB	80 GB	Single
X-large – 400cps	6	6 GB	80 GB	Single



Note

CPU speed is greater than or equal to 2.99 GHz.

IP Address Requirements

Configure the CCCSP server to use either static IP address or assigned via DHCP server.

We recommend you to configure static IP address to avoid dynamic IP address changes to CCCSP server IP when DHCP is used.



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Create a Virtual Machine

Before you begin

• Download the CCCSP OVA (virtual machine template), and the CCCSP ISO software from the Cisco site.

Contact Center SIP Proxy - 15.0(1) Software Download

- If prompted, log in, using your Cisco.com user name and password.
- Select CCCSP software, and then select the appropriate release number, and download the ISO for the specific version.

Procedure

- Step 1 To deploy the OVA template in a supported VMware client, choose File > Deploy OVA Template.
- **Step 2** Click to browse and select the OVA template or drag and drop the file saved for the deployment.
- **Step 3** Follow the on-screen instructions to create the virtual machine.

Change the Boot Order of the Virtual Machine

The virtual machine boot into the BIOS menu.

Procedure

- **Step 1** In VMware client, power off the virtual machine that has the deployed OVA template.
- **Step 2** In the left pane of VMware client, right-click the name of the virtual machine, and select **Edit Settings**.
- **Step 3** In the Virtual Machine Properties dialog box, select the **Options** tab.
- **Step 4** In the Settings column, from the **Advanced** menu, select **Boot Options**.
- Step 5 In the Force BIOS Setup, check the The next time the virtual machine boots, force entry into the BIOS setup screen check box.
- **Step 6** Select **OK** to close the **Virtual Machine Properties** dialog box.
- **Step 7** Power on the virtual machine.
- **Step 8** Navigate to the Boot menu and change the boot device order so the CD-ROM device is listed first and the Hard Drive device is listed second.
- **Step 9 Save** the change and exit BIOS setup.

Gather Information for Installation

Use the table to record the information about your CCCSP server. The following information are required while configuring the VM after a fresh installation.

Configuration Setting	Description	Can Setting Be Changed After Installation?
Time Zone:	Sets the local time zone and offset from Greenwich Mean Time (GMT). Select the time zone that most closely matches the location of your server.	Yes, using the CLI command CLI > set timezone

Configuration Setting	Description	Can Setting Be Changed After Installation?
MTU Size: oddin:set notwork mtu 88N0 # A R N I N C This will cause the system to temporarily lose network connectivity	Sets the largest packet, in bytes, that is transmitted by this host on the network.	Yes, using the CLI command CLI > set network mtu
Continue (y/n)7y Observed commond unsuccessfully MIU value must be from 525 to 1580 observed with a second or sec	By default, MTU is set to the size defined in the operating system. Selecting a different packet size would be more prevalent where a VPN or IPsec tunnel is used with a custom packet size. Web access over VPN can cause web pages not to load because of an improper MTU configuration. The MTU size that you configure must not exceed the lowest MTU size that is configured on any link in your network.	
Hostname and IP addresses:	in your network. Sets whether to use DHCP to automatically configure the	Yes, using the CLI command
DHCP (Yes/No): If DHCP is No :	network settings on your server.	CLI > set network dhcp CLI > set network gateway
Hostname: IP Address:	If you select No , you must enter a hostname, IP address, IP address mask, and the gateway IP address.	CLI >set network ip eth0
IP Mask: Gateway (GW) Address:	The hostname can contain up to 50 alphanumeric characters, hyphens, underscores, and period. The first character cannot be a hyphen.	
State Stand Configuration	We recommend you use static Dynamic Host Control Protocol (DHCP) host configuration to ensure the DHCP server always provides the same IP address settings to the server.	
	Note If you do not have a gateway, you must still set this field to 255.255.255.255. Not specifying a gateway may limit you to only being able to communicate with devices on your subnet.	

Configuration Setting	Description	Can Setting Be Changed After Installation?
Domain Name Server: DNS: (Yes/No): If DNS is Yes: Domain: DNS Primary: DNS Secondary:	Sets whether a DNS server resolves a hostname and IP address Note CCCSP enables the use of a domain name server to locate other servers and devices in the network. We recommend you to configure a secondary DNS server to avoid any loss of connectivity or service.	Yes, using the CLI commands CLI > set network dns CLI > set network domain
Platform Administrator Account Credentials: Login: Password:	Sets the administrator credentials for secure shell access to the CLI and for logging into CCCSP Operating System. The administrator account should be shared only with installers and engineers who have a thorough understanding and are responsible for the platform administration and upgrades, and backup and restore operations. Note If you are restoring from CUSP 10.2 backup, enter the platform administrator username that is different from the CUSP 10.2 version application username. Note Ensure the password is at least six characters long; it can contain alphanumeric characters, hyphens, and underscore.	Log in: No. Password: yes, using the CLI command CLI > set password user admin Note You can create additional administrator accounts after installation.

Configuration Setting	Description	Can Setting Be Changed After Installation?
NTP Server 1: NTP Server 2: NTP Server 3: NTP Server 4: NTP Server 5:	Sets the hostname or IP address of one or more network time protocol (NTP) servers that synchronize with your CCCSP server. The NTP service ensures that the time synchronized is accurate for date/timestamps of messages, reports, and various tools, such as logs and traces.	Yes, using Cisco Unified Operating System Administration: Settings > NTP Servers Using the CLI command CLI > using the CLI command
Notice N	All CCCSP servers require an external NTP source that are accessible during installation. The source can be a corporate headend router synchronized with a public NTP time server or it can be the public NTP time server itself. Note To avoid potential compatibility, accuracy, and network jitter problems, the external NTP servers should be NTP v4 (version 4).	
Application Account Credentials: Login: Password: **The Infect Difference of the Application Base Configuration In the Application In the Appli	Sets the CCCSP Administrator credentials. Note This administrator account is different from the Platform Administrator account created above. If you try configuring the same administrator id, then the installation will fail.	Yes, using CCCSP Administration and the CLI command: CLI > user USERNAME password newpassword

Gather Information for Installation



Install Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP)

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Navigation within Installation Wizard

For instructions on how to navigate within the installation wizard, follow the table:

To Do This	Press This
Move to the next field	Tab
Move to the previous field	Alt-Tab
Select an option	Space bar or Enter
Scroll up or down in a list	Up or down arrow
Go to the previous window	Space bar or Enter to select Back (when available)
Get help information on a window	Space bar or Enter to select Help (when available)

Install and Configure CCCSP on the Virtual Machine

Before you begin

While installing CCCSP, you are prompted to enter different configuration information. Refer the table mentioned in the *Gathering Information for Installation* section wherever applicable.

Procedure

- **Step 1** From the **vCenter** window, open the console of your newly installed virtual machine.
- **Step 2** Prepare the virtual machine to install CCCSP:
 - a) You can power off the Virtual Machine (VM) if it is already not powered off.

- b) Select Edit virtual machine settings to select the ISO image from CD/DVD drive using client device or from data store.
- c) Save the VM settings and Power On the VM.
- d) Navigate to the **Console** tab. A screen prompting you to check the integrity of the DVD appears.
- e) Select **Skip** to skip media test and move to the next step.
- f) If the media test was performed, after performing the hardware check, you get a prompt to restart the system. You need to select Yes to continue installation. After the system restarts, the Product Deployment Selection window displays.
- Step 3 In the Product Deployment Selection window, confirm the product name Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy is displayed. Click OK to proceed.
- Step 4 In the **Proceed with the install** window, verify the version and click **Yes** to proceed.

Note

If you select Yes on the Proceed with Install window, all existing data on your hard drive gets overwritten and destroyed.

- **Step 5** In the **Platform Installation Wizard**, click **Proceed** to continue with the install configuration.
 - a) In the **Apply Patch** wizard, select **No** for the patch upgrade.
 - b) Click **Continue** to continue with the basic installation.
- **Step 6** In the **Basic Install** window, select **Continue** to install the software version or configure the pre-installed software.
- **Step 7** In the **Timezone Configuration** window, select your time zone and click **OK**.
- **Step 8** In the **Auto Negotiation Configuration** window, select **Continue**.
- **Step 9** In the MTU Configuration window, select the applicable option:
 - a) Select **No** to accept the default value (1500 bytes).
 - b) Select **Yes** to change the MTU size, enter the new MTU size, and select **OK**.

Caution

If you configure the MTU size incorrectly, your network performance can be affected.

- **Step 10** In the **DHCP Configuration** window, select the applicable option:
 - a) Select **Yes** to use DHCP server that is configured in your network. The network restarts and the Administrator Login Configuration window appears.
 - b) Select **No** to configure a static IP address for the server and continue with this procedure. The Static Network Configuration window appears.
- Step 11 In the Static Network Configuration window, enter the following static network configuration values and click OK.
 - Host Name
 - Static IP Address
 - Netmask
 - Gateway IP address
- **Step 12** In the **DNS Client Configuration** window, select **Yes** and enable DNS configuration. Configure the following:
 - Primary DNS Server IP address
 - (Optional) Secondary DNS Server IP address
 - Domain Name

The network restarts using the new configuration information, and the **Administrator Login Configuration** screen appears.

Step 13 Enter the Platform Administrator ID (OS admin) and set the Password. Click OK to continue.

Note

If you are restoring from CUSP 10.2 backup, enter the platform administrator username that is different from the CUSP 10.2 version application username.

Step 14 In the Network Time Protocol Client Configuration window, enter hostname or IP address of the NTP server(s). Click **OK** to configure the NTP.

Note

Cisco recommends that you use an external NTP server to ensure accurate system time. However, you can configure multiple NTP servers based on your requirements.

Step 15 In the Application User Configuration window, create Application Admin User:

Note

If you are restoring from CUSP 10.2 backup, the Application username for CCCSP MUST BE different from the CUSP 10.2 version username.

Note

This **Admin user ID** is used for Administrator activities related to CCCSP application configuration and monitoring. This is different from the **Platform Administrator ID** created in *Step 13*.

- a) Make sure that the Admin user is different from the platform admin (OS admin), else the installation will fail.
- b) Enter a username (for example, admin) and set a password.
- c) Click **OK** and continue.
- **Step 16** In the **Platform Configuration Confirmation** window, verify all configurations and confirm. The system installs and configures the software.

The system will install OS-specific and application-specific RPMs.

Step 17 (Optional) During installation, you may encounter a network connectivity error:

Unable to resolve eth0 IP address into a host name (Reverse DNS lookup failed) - error message. If the hostname is not available in the DNS server, select Ignore and proceed.

The installation takes a few minutes to complete. Once complete, the system will display the login screen. Login using the Administrator account and password.

Install and Configure CCCSP on the Virtual Machine



Post Installation Tasks

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Verification of the Installation

Procedure

- Step 1 Use an external SSH client to log in with the CCCSP admin user ID (Application administrator ID). Enter SSH username@ip-address. Specify the username and IP address of the CCCSP.
- Step 2 Verify that the application is running and the system is online.

 After login, if the command prompt is displayed then it indicates that the system is online. You are in system EXEC (#) mode.
- Step 3 Verify the deployed software version.

 Use the show software version command in system EXEC (#) mode to check the software version.
- Step 4 Enter the CCCSP management mode.Use the cusp in system EXEC mode and enter in to CCCSP management mode.
- Step 5 Run the show configuration command to check the system configuration.

 Use the show configuration active command and verify the system configuration.
- **Step 6** Start configuring specific features of the application.

What to do next

Post CCCSP installation follow the steps mentioned in the *Initial Configuration Task* section in *CLI Configuration Guide for CCCSP*.

Verification of the Installation



Migrate from CUSP Release 10.2(3) to CCCSP Release 15.0(1)

You can migrate your system from CUSP Release 10.2(3) and later versions to CCCSP Release 15.0(1).

CCCSP Release 15.0(1) is deployed as a new VM and backup configuration from CUSP 10.2(3) and later versions is restored on the new VM deployed. Use the information in this section along with the other configuration sections in this guide.

Migration from CUSP Release 10.2(3) and later versions to CCCSP Release 15.0(1) includes the following steps:

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Perform Backup Steps on CUSP 10.2(3) and later versions

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. commit
- 2. write [erase | memory | terminal]
- 3. offline
- 4. backup { revisions number | server url sftp-url username | sftp-username | password sftp-password
- 5. backup category { all | configuration | data }
- 6. continue

DETAILED STEPS

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	1 commit	Enables the CUSP committable configuration changes to
	Example:	take effect.

	Command or Action	Purpose	
	Hostname(cusp-config)# commit		
Step 2	write [erase memory terminal] Example:	Writes the running configuration to the startup configuration.	
	Hostname# write memory		
Step 3	offline	Enters offline mode. All calls are terminated.	
	Example:	Note CUSP still routes calls in offline mode	
	Hostname# offline		
	!!!WARNING!!!: Putting the system offline will terminate all active calls.		
	Do you wish to continue[n]? : y		
Step 4	backup { revisions number server url sftp-url username sftp-username password sftp-password	Configures the backup server	
	Example:	You can also backup server using CCCSP GUI options. See <i>Configure Backup and Restore</i> section in <i>GUI</i>	
	Hostname(offline)# backup server url sftp://192.1.1.1/ username <sftp-username> password <sftp-password></sftp-password></sftp-username>	Administration Guide for Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP).	
Step 5	backup category { all configuration data }	Specifies the type of data to be backed up and stored.	
	Example:		
	Hostname(offline)# backup category all		
Step 6	continue	Exits offline mode and returns the system to the previous	
	Example:	online mode. The system begins processing new calls.	
	Hostname(offline)# continue		

Deploy CCCSP Release 15.0(1) on VM

Deploy the CCCSP Release 15.0(1) ISO on a virtual machine (VM) and perform the mandatory configurations. Follow the *Initial Configuration Tasks* section in *CLI Configuration Guide for CCCSP* and perform initial CCCSP configurations.

Make sure that the IP address, hostname and the application administrator login credentials remain same as configured in CUSP 10.2(3) and later versions during VM install on CCCSP 15.0(1). Any discrepancies in the user credentials can cause issues when you login to CCCSP User Interface.



Note

You need to power down the existing CUSP 10.2(3) and later versions prior to deploying CCCSP 15.0(1) for IP address and hostname to match. See *Install and Configure CCCSP on the Virtual Machine* installation section.

Perform Restore Steps on CCCSP-15.0(1)

Before you begin

Perform initial CCCSP configurations following the *Initial Configuration Tasks* section in *CLI Configuration Guide for CCCSP*.

Make sure that the SFTP server details are configured as discussed in *Set Backup Parameters* section of *CLI Configuration Guide for CCCSP*.

SUMMARY STEPS

- 1. show backup server
- 2. offline
- 3. restore id backup_id category { all | configuration | data}
- 4. show restore history
- 5. Configure Smart Licensing.
- **6.** Configure certificates manually.
- 7. reload
- **8.** Reset the password for all the restored users (administrators, pfs-privusers, and pfs-readonly)

DETAILED STEPS

Procedure

	Command or Action	Purpose
Step 1	show backup server Example:	Lists the data and configuration backup files. Look in the backup ID field for the revision number of the file that you want to restore.
	Hostname# show backup server	
Step 2	offline Example:	Enters offline mode. Restore is done in offline mode, which terminates all calls. You should therefore consider restoring files when call traffic is least impacted.
	Hostname# offline !!!WARNING!!!: Putting the system offline will terminate all active calls. Do you wish to continue[n]? : y	Note CCCSP still routes calls in offline mode.
Step 3	restore id backup_id category { all configuration data} Example:	Specifies the backup ID value and the file type to be restored.

	Command or Action	Purpose
	Hostname(offline)# restore id 22 category all	Note You can also restore using CCCSP GUI options. See Configure Backup and Restore section in GUI Administration Guide for Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP).
Step 4	show restore history	Prints information about previous backup restores.
	Example:	
	Hostname# show restore history	
Step 5	Configure Smart Licensing.	Configure Smart Software Licensing which is a standardized licensing platform that facilitates you to deploy and manage Cisco software licenses easily and quickly. For more information, refer to GUI Configuration Guide for Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP) and CLI Configuration Guide for Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP).
Step 6	Configure certificates manually.	If TLS was enabled in the previous release (CUSP 10.2(3)) from which the restore is performed, certificates are not backed up or restored by default. Therefore, certificates must be manually configured to ensure TLS functions correctly.
		For detailed configuration steps, see Configure Transport Layer Security in CLI Configuration Guide for Cisco Contact Center SIP Proxy (CCCSP).
Step 7	reload	Activates the uploaded file information and restarts the
	Example:	CCCSP system.
	Hostname(offline)# reload	
Step 8	Reset the password for all the restored users (administrators, pfs-privusers, and pfs-readonly)	Reset the password of the user after the restore. Follow the steps mentioned <i>Change your password</i> section in <i>GUI Admin Guide for Contact Center SIP Proxy</i> .