



Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration

This chapter describes the procedure for accessing the Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration. This chapter also provides procedures for resetting a lost password.

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Login to Cisco Unified Communications Operating System

To access and login to Cisco Unified Communications Operating System from Cisco VVB, follow this procedure:



Note Do not use the browser controls (for example, the Back button) while you are using Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration.

Procedure

- Step 1** Log in to Cisco VVB Application Administration web interface.
- Step 2** From the Navigation menu in the upper-right corner of the Cisco VVB Application Administration web interface, choose **Cisco Unified OS Administration** and click **Go**.
The Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration Logon web page appears.
- Note** You can also access Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration directly by entering the following URL:
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https://<serverIP>/cmplatform
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- Step 3** Enter your platform user credentials as configured during installation of Cisco VVB.
- Note** The platform username and password get established during installation or created by using the command line interface.
- Step 4** Click **Submit**.

The Cisco Unified Communications Operating System Administration window appears.

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## Reset Administrator or Security Password

If you lose the administrator password or security password, use the following procedure to reset the passwords.



### Caution

Failure to reboot the server (node) causes system service problem and problems with the Cisco Unified Communications Manager Administration windows on the subscriber servers.

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### Note

During this procedure, you must remove and then insert a valid CD or DVD in the disk drive to prove that you have physical access to the system.

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### Before You Begin

To perform the password reset process, you must be connected to the system through the system console, that is, you must have a keyboard and monitor connected to the server. You cannot reset a password when connected to the system through a secure shell session.

### Procedure

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- Step 1** Log in to the system with the following username and password:
- Username: **pwrecovery**
  - Password: **pwreset**
- The **Welcome to platform password reset** window appears.
- Step 2** Press any key to continue.
- Step 3** If you have a CD or DVD in the disk drive, remove it now.
- Step 4** Press any key to continue.  
The system tests to ensure that you have removed the CD or DVD from the disk drive.
- Step 5** Insert a valid CD or DVD into the disk drive. For this test, you must use a data CD, not a music CD. The system tests to ensure that you inserted the disk.
- Step 6** After the system verifies that you have inserted the disk, you are prompted to enter one of the following options to continue:
- Enter **a** to reset the administrator password.
  - Enter **s** to reset the security password.
  - Enter **q** to quit.
- Step 7** Enter a new password of the type that you chose.
- Step 8** Reenter the new password.

The password must contain at least 6 characters. The system checks the new password for strength. If the password does not pass the strength check, you are prompted to enter a new password.

- Step 9** After the system verifies the strength of the new password, the password is reset, and you are prompted to press any key to exit the password reset utility.
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