

Web Service Integration

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SOAP Service

Web Services Element

Web services are a common way for any kind of application to communicate with externally hosted servers to retrieve information or send notification events in a standard manner. Voice applications that access a web service can use the *Web Services* element.

• Web Services Element—A special action element used to interface with a web service.

The Web Services element is an action element so it has the same features as the action element: it does not affect the call flow and has a single exit state. The Web Services element, however, has a more complex configuration than a standard action element. Call Studio renders this configuration with its own special interface.

One unique feature of the Web Services element is its ability to configure itself at design time. This is done by loading a Web Services Description Language (WSDL) file. A WSDL file is an XML file that defines the operations supported by the web services server. It is necessary in order to define the inputs required by the service that must be entered by the designer and the outputs returned by the service that can then be stored for use later in the application.

For much more detailed information about how to use the Web Services element, refer to the Call Studio online help.

Rest Service

Rest_Client Element

Cisco Unified Call Studio 11.x and above includes the Rest_Client element. The Rest_Client element provides a flexible interface in order to interact with REST endpoints. The communication between the REST client

and server is made completely secure using two-way Secure Sockets Layer (SSL). The Rest_Client element permits users to send GET, POST, PUT, or DELETE requests to application servers.

Ignore Certificate Validation

REST uses the boolean flag **Ignore Certificate Validation** to validate the certificate. The flag can be set to **True** or **False**. If the flag is set to **False**, the client checks for a valid server certificate in its keystore. If the certificate is not found, an error message appears.

The **Ignore Certificate Validation** flag checks for the availability of a valid certificate in the following key stores:

- Call Studio in debug mode: C:\Cisco\CallStudio\eclipse\jre\lib\security\cacerts
- Call Studio in VXML Server: C:\Cisco\CVP\jre\lib\security\cacerts



Note

Before you validate, ensure that the required certificate is in the respective keystore.

Import Certificate in Call Studio for Debug Mode

Procedure

Step 1	Copy the REST server certificate file manually to the call studio machine.			
Step 2 From the command prompt, navigate to C:\Cisco\CallStudio\eclipse\jre\bin.				
Step 3	Run the following command to import the server certificate to the client keystore:			
	keytool.exe -importcert -file <path certificate="" rest="" server="" to=""> -keystore c:\Cisco\CallStudio\eclipse\jre\lib\security\cacerts Enter the keystore password. The default password is changeit.</path>			
	The certificate is imported to the client keystore with the default alias name mykey and password changeit			
Step 4	Run the following command to check whether the certificate is imported.			
	keytool.exe -list -keystore c:\Cisco\CallStudio\eclipse\ire\lib\security\cacerts.			

Import Certificate in VXML Server

Procedure

Step 1	Copy the REST server certificate file manually to VXML server.		
Step 2	From the command prompt, navigate to %CVP_HOME%\jre\bin.		
Step 3	Run the following command to import the server certificate to the client keystore:		

keytool.exe -importcert -trustcacerts -file <path to REST server certificate> -alias <unique alias name> -keystore %CVP_HOME%\jre\lib\security\cacerts Enter the keystore password. The default password is changeit.
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Run the following command to check whether the certificate is imported. keytool.exe -list -keystore %CVP_HOME%\jre\lib\security\cacerts
Step 6
Restart the VXML Server after importing the certificate.

Create One-Way Communication Between VXML and REST Server

One-way secure communication imports the REST Server Certificate Authority (CA) certificate into the VXML server trust store, if CA is not available by default.

Perform the following steps to import the REST Server CA certificate into the VXML server:

Procedure

Step 1	Use the Java k	ey tool to export the CA	certificate from the REST Server.
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Step 2 Copy the exported CA certificate file from the REST Server to the VXML Server.

For example: <RESTServer_ca_cert>

Step 3 From the command prompt, run the following command to import the REST Server CA certificate into the VXML truststore:

..\..\bin\keytool -importcert -keystore <path to the VXML Truststore> -alias <alias name> -file <Path to RESTServer_ca_cert>

File path to VXML truststore: %CVP_HOME%\jre\lib\security\cacerts. The default password is changeit.

- **Note** For a self- signed certificate, export the ca_cert from the REST Server and the self-signed certificate. Then, import this self-signed certificate in the VXML Server trust store.
- Step 4 Restart the Cisco Unified CVP VXML Server service running in VXML Server.
 - **Note** Do not import a server certificate signed with a standard CA to the VXML Server trust store, as it contains standard CA details.

Create Two-Way Communication Between VXML and REST Server

Two-Way secure communication between VXML and REST Server involves importing the VXML Server CA certificate into the REST Server trust store.

Perform the following steps to import the VXML Server CA certificate on the REST Server:

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Retrieve the keystore password from the security.properties file on the VXML Server. Filepath %CVP_HOME%\conf\security.properties				
Use the Java key tool to find the certificate and export the VXML Server CA certificate from the keystore.				
File path to root: %CVP_HOME%\conf\security\.ormKeystore.				
Use the list flag to check your keystore entries by running the following command:				
%CVP_HOME%\jre\bin\keytool.exe -storetype JCEKS -keystore				
%CVP_HOME%\conf\security\.ormKeystore -list				
Run the following command to export the VXML Server certificate:				
%CVP_H -store	OME%\jre\bin\keytool.exe -export -v -keystore %CVP_HOME%\conf\security\.ormKeystore type JCEKS -alias vxml_root_certificate -file %CVP_HOME%\conf\security\ <root></root>			
Copy the exported certificate file from the managed Cisco Unified CVP VXML Server to the REST Server.				
Use the following Java key tool command to import the certificate into the REST Server truststore				
<pre>keytool -import -trustcacerts -keystore <path rest="" server="" to="" truststore=""> -alias <alias_name> vxml_root_certificate -file <path to="" vxmlca_cert_file=""></path></alias_name></path></pre>				
Note	• For a self-signed certificate, export the ca_cert from the VXML Server and import the ca_cert to the REST Server truststore.			
	• For a VXML standard trusted CA, do not import the CA certificate on the REST Server truststore.			

XPath Expression

Cisco Unified Call Studio includes a new utility that allows you to use XPath expressions in JavaScript to return values from the XML. You can specify an XPath expression in the element setting. If the REST response is an XML, then the nodes which are returned are available as element data. Based on the XML result from the GET method, you can add XPath expression to get the value of a specific row.

For example, consider the following XML you get when you query WSM SNMP public:

```
<resultsPerPage>25</resultsPerPage>
<startIndex>0</startIndex>
<totalResults>1</totalResults>
</pageinfo>
</results>
```

To get the value from one specific row, use the following XPath expression: /results/communities/community/snmpversion.

The output of the expression is **V1**.

If you use the following XPath expression:/results/communities/community/name.

The output of the expression is **Hello**.

JSONPath Expression

Cisco Unified Call Studio includes a new utility that allows you to specify a JSONPath expression in the element setting. The nodes which are returned are available as element data if the REST response is a JSON.

For example, consider the following REST response:

```
{"results": {
 "communities": {
  "community": {
  "name": "Hello",
  "snmpversion": "V1",
  "acceptfromanyhost": true,
   "accessprivilege": "readWrite",
   "servers": {
   "server": "IP address"}
   }
  },
"pageinfo": {
"resultsPerPage": 25,
"startIndex": 0,
"totalResults": 1
}
}
```

To get the value from one specific row, use the following XPath expression: \$.results.communities.community.snmpversion

The output of the expression is **V1**.

If you use the following XPath expression: \$.results.communities.community.name

The output of the expression is Hello.

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