



Post-Install Configuration Changes

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Change Virtual Machine Properties of a vCenter-hosted Server

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Procedure

- Step 1** In the Virtual Machine tab of vSphere, click the Configure virtual machine link.
 - Step 2** Click the **Options** tab.
 - Step 3** Under **vApp Options**, click **Properties**.
 - Step 4** Edit the properties, as required.
 - Step 5** Click **OK**.
 - Step 6** Turn on the virtual machine:
 - a) In the virtual machines and templates inventory tree, right-click the virtual machine.
 - b) Choose **Power > Power On**.
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Change Virtual Machine Properties of a UC Virtualization Foundation, UC Virtualization Hypervisor, or ESXi-hosted Server

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Procedure

- Step 1** Sign in to the virtual machine directly from the virtual machine console or by using a Secure Shell client such as SSH.

Step 2 Change directory to `/etc/jabberguest`:

```
cd /etc/jabberguest
```

Step 3 Copy the file `network.config.sample` to a file named `network.config`:

```
cp network.config.sample network.config
```

Step 4 Edit the properties in `network.config`:

```
vi network.config
```

Step 5 To configure the virtual machine with a static IP address, you must edit the hostname, IP address, gateway IP address, network mask, and at least one DNS server IP address.

Important Do not include quotation marks around the domain name or hostname.

Step 6 Check the properties:

```
cd /opt/cisco/webcommon/scripts  
python networking.py -dryrun
```

Step 7 Restart the virtual machine:

```
shutdown -r now
```
