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Chapter 1: Overview

This document explains different scenarios about the functionality of Avaya Aura[™] Session Manager which provide a practical understanding on administering and configuring Session Manager. This should be read in conjunction with the book *Administering Avaya Aura[™]* Session Manager, 03-603324. The book covers the following case studies:

- 1. A Network Case Study
- 2. A New User Setup Case Study
- 3. A Call Handling Case Study

Refer to the book Administering Avaya Aura[™] Communication Manager Server Options, 03-603479 for understanding different Communication Manager Server roles in the Session Manager environment.

Intended Audience

This book is meant for all those who are involved in either understanding, administering and troubleshooting Session Manager.

Overview

Chapter 2: A Network Case Study

Overview

The following case study describes a network which uses Session Manager to provide the following solutions:

- · Harmonizing disparate PBXs, both extension lengths and brands
- VoIP connections to SIP service providers (access to the public switched telephone network [PSTN] via SIP signaling)
- Tail-end hop-off maintaining calls on the internal core network as long as possible, hopping off to the PSTN at a point where calls are local and/or where they possibly cost less.
- Access to SIP foundation servers including Avaya Aura[™] Modular Messaging.

These solutions make use of the following Session Manager features:

- · Geographically redundant network session control structure
- Least cost routing
- · Alternate routing around network faults based on active SIP monitoring
- · Network bandwidth use limitation based on session admission control
- Load balancing
- Session (or call) detail recording.

The network

This Case Study network consists of:

- Two Session Managers in the core network for redundancy
- Communication Managers in Westminster, Highlands Ranch, New Jersey HQ, and Avaya Labs New Jersey with differing length (3, 4, and 5-digit) dial plans
- Cisco CallManager in San Jose with a 5-digit dial plan
- A separate SIP trunk to the AT&T SIP service provider

- A session border controller through which trunks to Verizon and hypothetical SIP service providers can be accessed
- Modular Messaging system that serves all users in the enterprise
- A Voice Portal Service for 1-866-GO-Avaya provided in separate locations in the network.

Before beginning to administer Session Manager, we must decide:

- Domains that are used for routing. We make Session Manager authoritative for both avaya.com and avayalabs.com. The avayalabs.com domain is used for calls originated from the Avaya Labs NJ Communication Manager.
- The enterprise-wide dial plan and any domain-specific dial plans. Each user on one of the PBXs can dial another user, local or remote, through a unique 7-digit enterprise-canonical number.
- The locations that are defined for call admission control and any location-specific dial plans.

We adopt a basic philosophy to guide us in administering adaptation and the dial plan:

- The Session Manager dial plan routes internal enterprise-wide numbers and E.164 numbers (including E.164 representations of internal numbers).
- Calling party numbers are sent from the local PBXs in their local dial plan format. These numbers are all converted to enterprise-canonical on ingress to the Session Manager.
- Called party numbers are sent from the local PBXs in their local dial plan format. These numbers are all converted to either enterprise-canonical numbers or E.164 on ingress to the Session Manager.
- Calling party numbers that are in enterprise-canonical format are converted to whatever the service provider requires when a request is forwarded by the Session Manager.

After some initial, core provisioning, for each solution, we follow the administration of this configuration in the order recommended in Routing. This suggests defining in order, domains, locations, adaptations, SIP entities, SIP entity links, time ranges, routing policies, and dialing patterns.

Core provisioning

Core provisioning includes:

- The domains for which Session Manager is authoritative. However, these can be added as more are created.
- The SIP entities for the Session Manager servers. You can add these as more entities are created, linking other SIP entities as appropriate.
- Locations used to group entities for differing dial plans and/or bandwidth management. Again, you can add these as necessary.

Related topics:

Domains on page 11 <u>SIP entities for Session Managers</u> on page 12 <u>SIP entity for Westminster Session Manager</u> on page 12 <u>SIP entity for NJ Session Manager</u> on page 13

Domains

First, we add the two domains that appear in the request-URI of INVITE messages sent by the Communication Managers:

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2 Ite	ms Refresh			
	Name	Туре	Default	Notes
	avaya.com	sip		

The Cisco PBX and the service providers send the IP address of the Session Manager in the request-URI. Later, we administer the Session Manager to convert this IP address into the avaya.com domain so that calls from these entities can be routed.

SIP entities for Session Managers

Though routing suggests finishing the locations and adaptations before beginning SIP entities, Session Manager typed SIP entities are special in that they are not associated with a location nor an adaptation. The other SIP entities normally have both associations. Another, possibly more natural, course is to provision the location, adaptation and SIP entity detail for each SIP entity in turn rather than doing all locations and adaptations before proceeding to the SIP entities.

SIP entity for Westminster Session Manager

Adaptation and location are not necessary for Session Manager instances which essentially define the core network. These are necessary only for other SIP entities.

Generally, Session Manager listens for connections on ports specified in the entity link table, which is detailed later in this case study. If a port is specified in the Session Manager's sip entity port table (as shown below), SIP messages which contain this Session Manager's IP address in their Request-URI have it replaced by the domain specified in the port table. The Cisco PBX and some service providers can send a request with the Session Manager's IP address in the Request-URI. This port table entry is also currently necessary if SIP monitoring is to be used to monitor connectivity between Session Manager instances within the core network.

SIP Entity Details				Commit Cancel
General				
* Name:	NA:U5:CD		٠	
* FQDN or IP Address:	135.9.95.8			
Type:	Session Ma	nager 🕑		
Notes:	Core Westmi	nister		
Location:		*		
Outbound Proxy:	¥			
Time Zone:	America/Den	ver	¥	
Credential name:]
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Port 🔺 Protocol De	fault Domain		Notes	
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Select : All, None (0 of 1 Selected)				
* Input Required				Commit Cancel

SIP entity for NJ Session Manager

This differs only in minor ways from the Westminster Core Session Manager. A network with two Session Manager instances would normally have each SIP entity connecting to both instances so that one instance can act as backup for the other in case of network or Session Manager failure.

SIP Entity Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name:	NA:US:NJ	8	
* FQDN or IP Address:	135.9.43.191		
Type:	Session Manager 🔤		
Notes:	Core BaskingRidge		
Location:		×	
Outbound Proxy:	~		
Time Zone:	America/New_York	v	
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Port Add Remove			
1 Item Refresh			Filter: Enable
Port 🔺 Protocol De	fault Domain	Notes	
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Select : All, None (0 of 1 Selected)			
* Input Required			Commit Cancel

So that sessions can be alternately routed through another Session Manager in the case of network failure of connectivity between a non-Session Manager SIP entity and a particular Session Manager, the Session Manager instances need to be connected. This connection, like all inter-SIP entity connections, is specified with an entity link entry.

Currently, all entity links should be marked as **Trusted** or else they will not function. Unless there are restrictions against its use, the inter Session Manager entity link should use the **Protocol** TLS. If TLS is used by other SIP entities then it must be used, the reason being that SIP security standards do not allow passing secure information (like media encryption keys) over a connection where one of the inter-proxy connections is not TLS. Using TLS works, however, even if a SIP entity does not support TLS on its connection to Session Manager.

If there were three Session Manager instances in this case study, there would need to be an entity link between each pair, for a total of three.

Locations

Putting SIP entities into different locations currently serves two purposes:

- Provides a way to use different dialing plans. Calls originating from SIP entities in different locations can match different dialing pattern entries and route differently even though the dialed address are precisely the same.
- Can be used to limit the bandwidth used between the core network and that location.

In this case study each edge SIP entity is given its own location. Locations can be created and the location with which a given SIP entity is associated can be changed at any time.

Related topics:

<u>Locations with managed bandwidth</u> on page 15 <u>Locations without managed bandwidth</u> on page 16

Locations with managed bandwidth

In this case study the Westminster location exemplifies one where bandwidth is managed by setting the **Managed Bandwidth:** value to only allow 100 simultaneous calls in or out of Westminster. The current release of Session Manager assumes that each call to and from the location use the **Average Bandwidth per Call** amount of network bandwidth. Note that the calls that stay within the location, even if they route through Session Manager, are not counted. Thus, the number of simultaneous calls allowed to and from that location are calculated by dividing the **Managed Bandwidth** value by the **Average Bandwidth per Call** value. The two values may be scaled differently, so this might not be a simple division. In the example below, the **Managed Bandwidth** is 8000 Kbits/s and the **Average Bandwidth per Call** is 80 Kbits/ s, so the calculation is simple (8000/80 => 100). But if the **Managed Bandwidth** was instead 8 Mbits/s, then the 8 would need to be scaled to 8000 Kbits/s before the calculation is performed.

Incoming calls are associated with SIP entities in varying ways. If the call is associated with a particular SIP entity, it is deemed to have come from the location associated with that SIP entity. If a location contains location pattern IP address patterns, it can override the location association with the SIP entity. If a SIP entity's IP address is listed explicitly in the IP address patterns, as in this example, then there is no doubt about with which location it is associated.

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General		
* Name:	NA:U5:CO:Westminister	
Notes:		
Managed Bandwidth:	8000 Kbit/sec 🖌	
* Average Bandwidth per Call:	80 Kbit/sec 🛩	
Location Pattern Add Remove		
1 Item Refresh		Filter: Enable
IP Address Pattern	Notes	
135.9.43.66		
Select : All, None		

Locations without managed bandwidth

The Research location exemplifies one without managed bandwidth. This does not mean there is unlimited bandwidth between this location and the core, just that Session Manager does not manage the bandwidth and does not limit the number of calls it sends to this location. There may be other limiting factors (like the number of calls the SIP entity will accept) to which Session Manager reacts. Simply leaving the **Managed Bandwidth:** field blank keeps Session Manager from managing the bandwidth.

The advantage to having Session Manager manage bandwidth is that it recognizes bandwidth exhaustion to a particular location before attempting to route a call there and it can then perform alternate routing earlier than if it had to wait for the SIP entity at that end to tell it that bandwidth was not available. Additionally Session Manager can associate multiple SIP entities with a given location and manage the bandwidth to the entire location where each SIP entity would not know the full bandwidth status of the location.

Location Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name:	NA: US: NJ: BaskingRidge: Re:	search	
Notes:			
Managed Bandwidth:	Kbit/sec 💌		
* Average Bandwidth per Call:	80 Kbit/sec ⊻		
Location Pattern			
Add Remove			
1 Item Refresh			Filter: Enable
IP Address Pattern		Notes	
* 135.9.43.68]
Select : All, None			

Time ranges

These are used for alternate routing. They are not associated with any particular SIP entity, but are needed for the specification of the ranking of routing preferences (even if routing does not depend upon the time of day). It is useful to have defined at least the All Day time range.

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Non-Session Manager SIP entities

The provisioning details of the non-Session Manager SIP entities is outlined as the solutions with which they are associated are explained below. The resulting SIP entities in this case study are listed here in the SIP Entities table. Note that currently the **Type** of the entity matters only if it is Session Manager. All other types are effectively the same, though this could change in future releases, so it is best to choose an appropriate type.

In this case study non-Session Manager SIP entities fall into one of three categories:

- PBXs that front telephones and PSTN trunks
- SIP service providers that essentially front PSTN trunks. Even though they might route some calls entirely within their SIP network it is assumed all or a known subset of PSTN numbers can be reached through them.
- SIP foundation servers such as Avaya Modular Messaging or Voice Portal or any other server that creates communication sessions with SIP.

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	NA: US:NI		135.9 43.191	Session Manager	Core BaskingRidge
	NA:US:CO:HighlandsRanch		hr.avaya.com	CM	444
	NA:U5:CO:Westminster		135.9 4 3.66	CM	538
	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:HO		135.9 43.67	CM	953
	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Research		135.9.43.68	⊂M	696-5
	NA:US:CA:Sanlose		135.9.106.161	Other	661
	NA:US:CO:AppSyr001		135.9.95.7	Other	SIPAppServer- cmarch7
	NA:U5:CO:Westminster:MM		mm.dr.avaya.com	Other	ModularMessaging
			135.9 43.69	SIP Trunk	AT&T Flex Reach Global
	HypotheticalSP		sbci.dr.avaya.com	SIP Trunk	
	Verizon		sbc1.dr.avaya.com	SIP Trunk	Verizon Business
	APAC:App800		go,jp,avaya.com	Voice Portal	APAC GO-AVAYA
	NA:U5:App800		go.avaya.com	Voice Portal	Main GO-AVATA

Harmonizing disparate PBXs

This case study has two brands of PBXs: Communication Manager and Cisco Call Manager. Additionally the PBXs have different length extensions (or dial plans). These two aspects require the Session Manager to adapt (that is, alter) SIP messages to the standard SIP messaging performed by Session Manager as well as the E.164 and Enterprise Canonical (that is, common) dial plan used in this example.

Related topics:

Adaptations for PBXs on page 19 SIP entities for PBXs on page 24

Adaptations for PBXs

Adaptation is normally needed for all of the PBX devices that connect to the Session Manager. They, like locations, can be created before a given PBXs SIP entity. This is particularly useful if two PBXs might use the same adaptation. Alternatively, one can create SIP entities with blank adaptations first and then modify the SIP entity to use a particular adaptation created later.

Adaptation digit conversion is likely the most complex aspect of and requires the most planning for the deployment of this example.

Related topics:

Westminster PBX adaptation on page 19 NJ HQ Communication Manager adaptation on page 20 Avaya Labs research PBX adaptation on page 21 San Jose PBX adaptation on page 22

Westminster PBX adaptation

The Westminster Communication Manager has a local 5-digit dial plan (8xxxx). Each extension can also be dialed from other systems using the 7-digit enterprise canonical number 538xxxx. The PBX also has DID numbers assigned; a PSTN caller can dial +1303538xxxx to reach an extension.

This adaptation uses the DigitConversionAdapter. The Westminster PBX is set up to be authoritative for dr.avaya.com on its network region form. This means that INVITEs sent from Session Manager to the PBX must have dr.avaya.com in the host part of the request-URI. The odstd parameter to the adaptation module specifies this. The PBX also uses dr.avaya.com as the far-end domain on the signaling group to the Session Manager, which means that the P-Asserted-Identity header of incoming INVITEs must be changed to dr.avaya.com. We use the osrcd parameter to the adaptation module to accomplish this.

The digit conversion tables are set up accordingly. The text that is placed in the Adaptation Module box is DigitConversionAdapter odstd=dr.avaya.com osrcd=dr.avaya.com (the parameter osrcd means override source domain).

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	• 1	• 11	• 11	• 0	+	both	~	to E.164
	• 8	• 5	• 5	• 0	53	both	~	to 7-digit Enterprise Canonica
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NJ HQ Communication Manager adaptation

The NJ HQ Communication Manager has a local 4-digit dial plan (xxxx). Each extension can also be dialed from other systems using the 7 digit enterprise canonical number 953-xxxx. The PBX also has DID numbers assigned; a PSTN caller can dial +1908953xxxx to reach an extension.

This adaptation uses the DigitConversionAdapter. The NJ HQ PBX is set up to be authoritative for nj.avaya.com on its network region form. It also uses nj.avaya.com as the far-end domain on the signaling group to the Session Manager. These domain conversions are specified as parameters to the adaptation module. The text that is placed in the Adaptation Module box is DigitConversionAdapter odstd=dr.avaya.com osrcd=dr.avaya.com

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	• 1	• 11	• 11	• 0	+	both	Y	to E. 164
	• ×	• 4	• 4	• 0	953	both	Y	to 7-digit Enterprise Canonica
	• ×	10	• 10	• 0	+1	both	×	to E.164
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lte	ms Refresh							Filter: Enable
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Avaya Labs research PBX adaptation

The Avaya Labs Communication Manager has a local 3-digit dial plan (xxx). Each extension can also be dialed from other systems using the 7-digit enterprise canonical number 696-5xxx. The PBX also has DID numbers assigned; a PSTN caller can dial +19086965xxx to reach an extension.

This adaptation uses the DigitConversionAdapter. The Communication Manager is set up to be authoritative for avayalabs.com on its network region form. It also uses avayalabs.com as the far-end domain on the signaling group to the Session Manager, which means that the P-Asserted-Identity header of incoming INVITEs must be changed to avayalabs.com.

The text that is placed in the Adaptation Module box is DigitConversionAdapter odstd=avayalabs.com osrcd=avayalabs.com

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Add	Remove						
4 Ibe	ms Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Matching Pattern 🛎	Min	Мах	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	• 011	• 4	• 36	• 3	+	both 💌	to E.164
	• 1	• 11	• 11	• 0	+	both 💌	to E.164
	• x	• 3	• 3	• 0	6965	both 💌	to 7-digit Enterprise Canonical
	• x	• 10	• 10	• 0	+1	both 💌	to E.164
	ct: All, None (0 of 4 Se Conversion for Ou Remove		Calls				
2 Ite	ms Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Matching Pattern	Min	Мах	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	+19086965	• 12	• 12	• 9		both 🛛 🐱	E.164 to 3-digit extension

San Jose PBX adaptation

The San Jose PBX has a local 5-digit dial plan (1xxxx). This means that extensions connected to this PBX normally dial each other by entering only five digits. Each extension can also be dialed from other systems using the 7-digit enterprise-canonical number 661-xxxx. The PBX also has DID (direct inward dialing) numbers assigned; a PSTN caller can dial +1408661xxxx to reach an extension. For calls made by local users, adaptation converts

- Numbers dialed by local users into enterprise canonical numbers (for example, a San Jose user calls another San Jose user via the Session Manager)
- Local Calling party numbers into enterprise-canonical numbers (for example, San Jose user calls a Westminster user. The calling party number displayed in Westminster is the enterprise-canonical number)
- Calls to international numbers to E.164 format (for example, someone dials 011+digits)
- Calls to North American numbers to E.164 format

For calls made to the San Jose PBX, adaptation must convert:

- The called party enterprise-canonical number into a local extension number (for example, a 661-xxxx number into a 1xxxx number)
- The E.164 number into a local extension number, for calls coming from a service provider (for example, +1408661xxxx into 1xxxx)

This adaptation uses the CiscoAdapter to convert between the proprietary headers Cisco uses to convey display and diversion information with the standard headers used by Avaya products. CiscoAdapter, like all currently available adapters, can also perform digit conversion. The Cisco PBX also needs its IP address (135.9.106.161) as the host part of the request-URI, so this conversion is specified as a parameter (odstd, which means override destination domain).

The digit conversion tables convert between the local 1xxxx dial plan and the enterprise canonical 661-xxxx dial plan. On ingress to the Session Manager, digit strings in the local 1xxxx dial plan need to be converted into the enterprise canonical form. On egress from the Session Manager, the 661-xxxx enterprise canonical numbers need to be converted into the local extensions.

The digit conversion tables also convert dialed numbers for international calls (011+digits) or calls within North America (10 digit, 1+10 digit) to E.164 form when requests enter the Session Manager. Similarly, E.164 and enterprise canonical calls to local users must be converted into local form on egress from the Session Manager.

Ada	ptation Detai	ils					Commit
Gener	* Ad New Mod Egress U	v module ne lule paramo RI Paramel No	ame: Cisco ater: odsto ters: ates:	5:CA:SarJose Adepter = 135.9.108.16			
Digit Add	Conversion for In Remove	coming) Calls				
4 Ite	ms Refresh Matching Pattern 🔺	Min	Ман	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Filter: Enable
	• 011	• 4	• 36	• 3	+	both 💌	Int'l call to E.164
	• 1	• 5	• 5	•	66	both 💌	to 7-digit Enterprise Canonical
	• 1	• 11	• 11	•	+	both 💌	ta E.165
	* ×	• 10	• 10	• 🗆	+1	bath 💌	to E.164
	Conversion for O Remove		Calls				
2 Ite	ms Refresh						Filter: Enable
			Max	Delete	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	Matching Pattern	Min		Digits	-	mouny	
	 Matching Pattern +1408661 	• 12	• 12	• 7		both 💌	E.164 to 5-digit extension

SIP entities for PBXs

The PBXs in this case study are shown in the SIP entity table above as type Communication Manager or Other (though not all Other-typed SIP entities are edge PBXs). They are each administered similarly. The FQDN/IP Address is the primary distinguishing attribute. It is used to identify sessions as originating from that SIP entity and to where it should send messages to establish sessions to the entity. The location associated with the SIP entity (unless overridden) factors into the routing and the adaptation affects how the messages may be modified.

Related topics:

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Single interface

The Westminster Communication Manager exemplifies one with a single interface, where its IP address is specified. The other PBXs: Basking Ridge HQ, Basking Ridge Research, and San Jose (even being a Cisco Call Manager) are all similar.

			v ,	
SIP Entity Details				Commit Cancel
General				
	* Name:	NA: US:CO: Westminister		
**	FQDN or IP Address:	135.9.43.65		
	Type:	СМ		
	Netes:			
	Location:	NA:US:CO:Westminister 🛛 🚩		
	Outbound Proxy:	¥		
	Time Zone:	America/Denver	*	
	Credential name:			
SIP Link Monitoring	SIP Link Monitoring:	Use Session Manager Configu	ration 🚩	
Entity Links Add Remove				
0 Items Refresh				Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Pro	otocol Port	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO TC NA:US:NJ TC		NA:US:CO:Westm NA:US:CO:Westm		N N

Generally, PBXs do not need call detail records created for each call, so the **Call Detail Recording:** field is set to none. SIP monitoring should be used for all SIP entities that support it (and most all PBXs do), and so the value of **Monitoring on/off:** should be left as Use Session Manager configuration, which allows specification of global (to this Session Manager instance) SIP monitoring parameters. To define the ports and transport types supported by this SIP entity, **Entity Links** entries are made. The entity link table for this SIP entity shows that this SIP entity connects to both Session Manager instances in the network.

In both cases TCP port 5060 is used, not only for connections out to the SIP entity, but connections in from it. **SIP Entity 1** is always a Session Manager SIP entity. Conventionally, the **Name**, which must be unique for all links in the system, contains some representation of the name of the Session Manager SIP entity and that of the non-Session Manager SIP entity, though this is not necessary. Currently, the entity link must always be marked as **Trusted** or else it fails to function.

Multiple interfaces

The Highlands Ranch Communication Manager shows a SIP entity with multiple interfaces. This might be typical of a large Communication Manager with more than one C-LAN. It allows for redundant routing and a higher level of fault tolerance. Routing to it is handled by specifying an FQDN for it, which resolves to multiple IP addresses.

SIP Entity Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name:	NA:US:CD:HighlandeRanch	•	
• FQDN or IP Address:	hr. avaya. com		
Туре:	CM		
Notes:	444		
Location:	NA: US: CO: HighlandsRanch		
Outbound Proxy:	¥		
Time Zone:	America/Denver	~	
Credential name:			
SIP Link Monitoring			
3	Use Session Manager Configurat	tion 💌	
	ore reproduced the setting of the		
Entity Links			
Add Remove			
0 Items Refresh			Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO TLS 5061 NA:US:NU TLS 6061		5061 5061	N

This particular SIP entity supports TLS, so the entity link protocol and port are adjusted accordingly.

The FQDN in this case can either be resolved by DNS or through a locally provisioned FQDN to IP address mapping. The latter mapping is specified in the Session Manager Element manager's Local Host Name Resolution table

Local Host Name	Resolution				
	edit, or remove local host name	e entries. Host name e	entries on this page v	vill override info	rmation
Local Host Name Entr	ies				
New Edit Delete	fore Actions *				
9 Ibems Refresh				F	ilter: Enable
Host Name	IP Address	Port	🔶 Priority	Weight	Transport
📃 hr.avaya.com	135.9.43.69	1	100	100	TLS
📄 hr.avaya.com	135.9.43.159	1	200	100	TLS

This table is used both for simple FQDN to IP address mapping (like this example) plus full port and transport specification (shown later). For the simple case, the **Port** and **Transport** values are ignored because they are specified in the entity link table (5061 and TLS). The convention of giving the **Port** a value of 1 is used to indicate this. The **Priority** is used, and given that the first line has a higher priority (lower numbered value), it is always used first. The only time the second entry is used is if a failure is encountered while using the first IP address.

To realize this connectivity, the HighlandsRanch Communication Manager requires four signaling and trunk groups: one from each C-LAN to each of the Session Managers. The first signaling group:

	SIGNALING	G GROUP
Group Number: 1 INS Enabled7 n	Group Type Transport Method	-
INS Enabled, H		
Near-end Node Name:	: cwc-clan	Far-end Node Name: NA:US:CO
Near-end Node Name: Near-end Listen Port:	: 5061	Far-end Listen Port: 5061
Near-end Listen Port:	: 5061	
Near-end Listen Port:	: 5061	Far-end Listen Port: 5061
Near-end Listen Port:	: 5061	Far-end Listen Port: 5061
Near-end Listen Port. Far-end Domain: avaya	: 5061	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Network Region: 1
Near-end Listen Port: Far-end Domain: avaya DTMF over IP:	: 5061 .com : rtp-payload	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IF Threshold Exceeded? r
Near-end Listen Port. Far-end Domain: avaya	: 5D61 .com : rtp-payload Timer(min): 3	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? r Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y

The transport method and port match those specified in the entity link from each Session Manager to the Communication Manager. The IMS Enabled field should not be set for standard SIP scenarios. Level 3 tests enabled has the Communication Manager perform OPTIONS monitoring of the Session Manager instances. The Bypass request should probably not be enabled. Communication Manager tests if the network characteristics between its media processors and the Session Manager are suitable for media and Communication Manager should not be sending media to the Session Manager. The four signaling groups:

				SIG	NALING GROUPS			
Grp	Group		Trunk	t Pri D-Ch/	Sec D-Ch/	Max	Nex	No. Adm'd
Na.	Туре	FAS?	Brds	Near-node	Far-node	NCA TSC	CA TSC	NCA TSCs
1	sip	У	1			o	ο	0
				cmc-clan	NA: US:CO			
2	sip	У	1			Ο	0	0
				g600-clan	NA: US: CO			
11	sip	У	1			ο	0	0
				cmc-clan	NA: US: NJ			
12	sip	v	1			0	0	0
	-	-		q600-clan	NA: US: NJ			

Assuming all the SIP trunk groups associated with the signaling groups used the same group number, an outgoing routing pattern would look like:

cha	nge	rout	e-pa	tter	nz									Page	1 01	3
					Pati	tern I			Pe	ttern l	Nisane :	Extern	nal			
							SCCAL	∛? <u>n</u>		Secure	SIP?	n				
	Grp	FRL	NP A			Toll		Inser	rted	l						IXC
	No			Mrk	LmT	List	Del	Digi	LS						QSIG	
							Dgts								Intu	,
1:	1	_ D		_		_									<u>n</u>	user
2:	2	_ D		_		_									<u>n</u>	user
3:	11			_	_										<u>n</u>	user
4:	12	_ □		_											n	user
5:	-			_											n	user
6:				-	—	_									<u>n</u>	user
	BC	ເປນ	LUE	тас	CA-1	TSC	TTC	BCIE	Ser	vice/7	евтите	NG6G -	No	Thumbe	ring	LAR
		2 11				uest								Forms		
			• •		1.1-01							Sul	addr			
1:	v v	v v	vb	n			reat	t								next
2:				n			-	-				-	-			
3:				n			rest					-	-			next
4:	Ŷ Ŷ	ÿÿ		n			rest	t				_	_			none
5:	ŷŷ	ŷŷ	ŷ n	n			rest	t					_			none
6:	y y	Y Y	y n	n			rest	_					_			none
3: 4: 5:	X X	ŶŶ	n N N N N N N N	<u>n</u> <u>n</u> <u>n</u>			rest rest						- - - -			none none

The Communication Manager would try each of its connections to its local Session Manager (PBX and Session Manager NA:US:CO are both in CO) before trying the remote Session Manager (NA:US:NJ in NJ). The LAR (look-ahead routing) field must be next on every preference that needs to skip to the next route on an error.

Routing policies for PBXs

Routing policies indicate the rank order of a particular SIP entity. Multiple routing policies can be associated with a dial pattern (as shown later) to specify alternate routing. Additionally, the rank of a routing policy can be changed by the time of day. For simple PBX routing (like in this example) specific dial patterns are associated with only one PBX and these do not vary by the time of day. For these types of routing policies the convention is to use the SIP entity's name as the routing policy name too.

touting	Policies			
Edit	Duplicate Delete Mare Ad	tions 🔹 Commit		
1.4.14				Filter: Enable
14 Items I				Filter: Enable
-	Name	 Disable 	d Destination	Notes
	Name	DISODIC	u Destination	HUICS
	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Res		NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Resea	
	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Res	earch 🗆	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Resea	
	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Res NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:HQ	earch 🗆	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Rese: NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:HQ	

The routing policy detail allows the association of the routing policy with the SIP entity. There is no time-of-day routing associated with this policy so only the All Day time range is added to the Time of Day section. Also this is not to be part of an alternate route so Ranking of 0 is used. The dial patterns are shown here, but they are defined on another form.

Rou	ting Po	olic	y De	tails									Commi	it Cancel
Gener	al			* Name: Disabled: Notes:		ÇO:Wes	tminister							
SIP E	ntity as	Des	tinatio	on										
Select	t													
Nam	e					FQD	N or IP	Address				Туре	Notes	;
NA:U	S:CO:Westm	ninster	r			135.9	9.43.66					СМ	53B	
Add	of Day Remove		sw Gaps.	/Overlaps]									
1 (te	m Refrest	h											Filter	Enable
	Ranking	1 m	Nam	e 2 🛋	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Start Time	End Time	Notes
	0		All Da	Y	<i>v</i>	u/	4	$ y ^2$	4	<i>u</i> *	×	00:00	Z3:59	
Selei	dt: Ali, None	9 (D	of 1 Sel	ected)										
Dial F Add	Patterns Remove													
3 (te	ms Refres	sh											Filter	Enable
	Pattern	*	Min	Мах	Emer	gency	Call	SIP Dor	nain	Orig	inating	Location	Notes	
	+1303		12	12				-ALL-		-ALL-			TEHO to Westn	
	+1303538		12	12				-ALL-		- ALL-			E.164 to Westn	
	538		7	7				-ALL-		- ALL-			OnNet to West	ninster

Dial patterns for PBXs enterprise canonical numbering

The dial patterns defined in this solution allow the on-net 7-digit dialing between the disparate PBXs.

Dial Patt	erns					
Edit New	Duplicate Dele	te	Actions 🔻	Commit		
13 Items Re	fresh					Filter: Enable
	Pattern	▼ Min	Мах	Emergency Call	SIP Domain	Notes
	<u>953</u>	7	7		-ALL-	OnNet to BaskingRidge:HQ
	<u>6965</u>	7	7		-ALL-	OnNet to BaskingRidge:Research
	<u>661</u>	7	7		-ALL-	OnNet to SanJose
	<u>538</u>	7	7		-ALL-	OnNet to Westminster
	<u>444</u>	7	7		-ALL-	OnNet to HighlandsRanch

In the details for the dial pattern, a blank **Domain** indicates the pattern matches any domain. The originating location and routing policy associated with this dial pattern are -ALL- and the Westminster PBX SIP entity respectively. This means a session created from anywhere with a user part of 538xxxx routes to this particular PBX. Specific originating locations could be denied access to this dial pattern (that is, the call would be denied).

Dial Pattern Details					Commit Cancel
General					
	sttern: \$38				
	* Min: 7				
	Max; 7				
Emergency					
	omain: - <u>Ait</u> - S	*			
	Notes: OnNet to We				
Originating Locations and R	outing Policie	es			
Add Remove					
1 Item Refresh					Filter: Enable
	inating ation Notes	Routing Policy Name	Routing Policy Disabled	Routing Policy Destination	Routing Policy Notes
🗌 -ALL- Any L	.ocations	NA: US:⊂0:Westminster		NA:US:CO:Westminster	
Select: All, None (0 of 1 Selected	4)				
Denied Originating Location	15				
Add Remove					
0 Items Refresh					Filter: Enable
Originating Location				Notes	

SIP service providers

This case study depicts three SIP service providers: AT&T, Verizon, and Hypothetical. AT&T is connected through one session boarder controller (though it could be connected directly) while Verizon and Hypothetical are connected through a different, though shared SBC.

For connections to SIP service providers to be useful for outgoing as well as incoming traffic, each PBX must, in addition to routing their on-net 7-digit calls, route their PSTN calls to the Session Manager core. As seen before the 7-digit calls are routed to other PBXs while the PSTN numbers are converted to E.164 and routed to SIP service providers (as seen in this section).

Related topics:

<u>SIP service provider adaptations</u> on page 30 <u>AT&T adaptation</u> on page 30 <u>Verizon adaptation</u> on page 31 <u>Hypothetical adaptation</u> on page 32

SIP service provider adaptations

SIP service providers typically send in digit strings formatted for the calling area in which the service is provided. In North America they may be 10- or 7-digit called and calling party numbers. For outgoing calls (relative to the Session Manager network) they may allow only calling party numbers from a block of purchased ones (that is, those they route into the Session Manager network over the SIP facility). Adaptation can be used for the necessary conversions.

AT&T adaptation

When a request comes in from AT&T, the calling and called party numbers is 10 digits for calls originated from North America and E.164 for international calls. Session Manager converts the called party number to E.164 form.

When sending requests to AT&T, Session Manager has to convert calling and called party numbers. AT&T requires that the host part of the request-URI be their IP address (in this example, 135.9.43.69). The called party number must be sent in the request-URI as either 011+ digits for international calls or as a 10-digit North American number. The calling party number must be sent as a 10-digit number.

This adaptation uses the AttAdapter, which does digit conversion and strips the History-Info header from requests, as the AT&T network is not compatible with this header that is used by Communication Manager. The IP address supplied by AT&T must be specified as a parameter

to convert the host-part of the request-URI. Thus, the text to enter in the Adaptation Module box is AttAdapter odstd=135.9.43.69.

	ptation Deta	ils						Commit Car
Gen	enal Eç	New r Modul	nodule na e parame Paramet	me: [NA:AT& me: AttAdag ter: Odstd=1 ers: [ater			
igit	Conversion for Ir	ncoming) Calls					
Add	Remove							
3 Ite	ms Refresh							Filter: Enab
	Matching Pattern 🔺	Min	Мах	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes	
	* K	• 4	۰g	• 0	+	both 💌	to E.164	
	* K	• 10	• 10	• 0	+1	both 💌	NA to E.164	
	* K	• 11	• 36	• 🗆	+	both 💌	to E.164	
5015	ct: All, None (O of 3 5	0.000004)						
vdd	Conversion for O Remove	utgoing	Calls					Filter: Enab
udd (Remove	utgoing Min	Calls Mox	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify –	Notes	Filter: Enab
dd 6 Ite	Remove ms Refresh				Insert Digits	Address to modify -> both	Notes E.164 to intl	Filter: Enab
6 Ite	Remove ms Refresh Matching Pattern	Min	Ман	Digits				Filter: Enab
6 Ite	Remove Refresh Matching Pattern • +	Min • 4	Ман • 36	Digits • 1		both 💌	E.164 to intl	Filter: Enab
ad 6 Ite	Remove Refresh Matching Pattern • + • +1	Min • 4 • 12	Ман • 36 • 12	Digits 1 1 1	011	both 💌	E.164 to intl E.164 to NA	Filter: Enab
6 Ite	Remove Refresh Matching Pattern • + • +1 • 538	Min • 4 • 12 • 7	Маж • 36 • 12 • 7	Digits	303	both 💌 both 💌 origination 💌	E.164 to intl E.164 to NA EC to NA	Filter: Enat

Verizon adaptation

Verizon adaptation is similar to AT&T adaptation, with these differences:

- Verizon uses the VerizonAdaptation adaptation module. This module does digit conversion and converts the History-Info header to a Diversion header and vice-versa.
- In this case study the Verizon connection and the following Hypothetical service provider connection is done through a common session border controller (SBC). The conversion of the domain in the SIP message request URI to the IP address of the Verizon gateway is handled by the SBC.

Ada	ptation Detai	s					Cammit Cancel
Gene							
* Adaptation name: NA:Verizon New module name: VerizonAdapter Module parameter: Euress URI Parameters:							
	cyress		Notes:				
Diait	Conversion for In						
Add	Remove	ooning	Cano				
2 Ite	ms Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Matching Pattern 🔺	Min	Мах	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	* ×	- 10	- 10	- 0	+	both 💌	N. America to E.164
	• ×	- 11	• 36	- 0	+	both 💌	to E.164
Salet	t: All, Nane (D of 2 Se	ected)					
Digit	Conversion for Ou	itgoing	Calls				
Add	Remove						
6 [te	ms Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Matching Pattern 🛎	Min	Маж	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	• +	• 4	• 36	• 1	011	destination ≚	E.164 to intl
	• +1	• 12	• 12	- 1		destination ⊻	E.164 to NA
	• 538	• 7	• 7	• 0	303	origination 💌	Calling party EC to N. Am.
	661	• 7	• 7	• 0	408	origination 💌	Calling party EC to N. Am.
	696	• 7	• 7	• 0	908	origination 💌	Calling party EC to N. Am.
	• 953	• 7	• 7	• 0	90B	origination 😪	Calling party EC to N. Am.

Hypothetical adaptation

The basic DigitConversionAdapter may suffice for adapting connectivity to other SIP service providers. Alternatively, some adaptation functions could be provided by an external SBC which is used in this particular case study, leaving the DigitConversionAdapter to simply convert digit fields in the SIP message.

When a request comes in from Hypothetical, the calling and called party numbers are 10 digits for calls originated from North America and E.164 for international calls. Session Manager converts the called party number to the E.164 form.

When sending requests to Hypothetical, Session Manager has to convert calling and called party numbers. Hypothetical requires that the host part of the request-URI be "hyposp.com" and that DNS be used to locate the correct server. The called party number must be sent in the request-URI as either 011+ digits for international calls or as a 1+10 digit North American number. The calling party number must be sent as a 10-digit number.

When calls originate from one of the PBXs, the calling party numbers are in the enterprisecanonical format. On egress to Hypothetical, these numbers must be converted to 10-digit North American numbers. The Digit Conversion for Outgoing Calls table below has been set up to do this. The choice of the origination address in the Address to modify column indicates that only calling party numbers (in the P-Asserted-Identity header) of the request is modified. The choice of the destination in the rule that converts E.164 to North American format indicates that only the Request-URI is modified.

This adaptation uses the DigitConversionAdapter. The hyposp.com domain must be specified as a parameter to convert the host-part of the request-URI. Also, Hypothetical requires the 'user=phone' parameter in the request-URI. This is entered in the **Egress URI Parameters** box on the form.

	ptation Detai	15					Commit Canc
Gen	eral						
		* Adapta	tion name:	NA:Hypot	heticalSP		
				C. 2010/#00/2012/12/01010.	ersionAdapter 🛩		
				odstd=hy	* 2000 JC /#2000 JC / 2000 JC /		
	1.00	ess dia Pa	Notes:	KERNES AMONG SER			
iait	Conversion for In	comina	Calle				
Add	Remove	coming	Cuilo				
_							
2 [te	ems Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Matching Pattern A	Min	Маж	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	• и	• 10	• 10	• 0	+	both 💌	N. America to E.164
Sele	• x ct: All, None (D of 2 St	• 11 elected)	• 36	• 0	+	both 💌	to E.164
igit	ct: All, None (D of 2 Si	elected)		• 0	+	both 💌	to E.164
<mark>igit</mark> Add	dt: All, None (D of 2 Si	elected)		• 0	+	both 💌	to E.164 Filter: Enable
igit \dd	ct: All, None (D of 2 Si Conversion for Of Remove	elected)		• 0 Delete Digits	+ Insert Digits	Address to modify	
igit Add	ct: All, None (D of 2 Si Conversion for Of Remove ms Refresh	elected)	Calls	Delete		Address to	Filter: Enable
igit Add 6 Ite	ct: All, Nane (D of 2 Si Conversion for Or Remove ms Refresh Matching Pattern +	Min	Calls	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Filter: Enable Notes
igit Add 6 [te	ct: All, None (D of 2 Si Conversion for Of Remove) ams Refresh Matching Pattern + +	Min • 4	Calls Max • 35	Delete Digits • 1	Insert Digits	Address to modify destination	Filter: Enable Notes E.164 to intl
igit Add 6 [te	ct: All, None (D of 2 Si Conversion for Of Remove ems Refresh Matching Pattern + + + +1	Min • 4 • 12	Calls Max • 35 • 12	Delete Digits • 1	Insert Digits 011	Address to modify destination Y	Filter: Enable Notes E.164 to intl E.164 to NA
igit Add 6 Ite	ct: All, None (D of 2 Si Conversion for Of Remove ms Refresh Matching Pattern + +1 - 538	Min * 4 * 12 * 7	Calls Max • 36 • 12 • 7	Delete Digits 1 0	Insert Digits 011 303	Address to modify destination V destination V	Filter: Enable Notes E.164 to intl E.164 to NA Calling party EC to N. Am.

Note that the **Adaptation Module** and **Egress URI Parameters** fields allow free format text. These fields scroll horizontally so their complete values may not show on the form without active selection and scrolling (as seen in this particular example). Additionally, the system does not validate the values in these fields, so enter these values carefully.

SIP entities for SIP service providers

SIP service provider connections differ from edge PBXs in various ways. Normally they are connected through session border controllers, and they require call detail recording. In this

case study there are three SIP service provider connections: one, AT&T, is connected through a dedicated SBC while the other two, Hypothetical and Verizon, share an SBC. Other minor differences are highlighted.

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Single SIP entity behind SBC

A single connection behind an SBC has the characteristic that the IP address of the SBC can be considered to represent the one and only SIP entity behind it. There is no reason to distinguish messages coming from the SBC from those intended for the SIP entity. The SIP entity configuration looks similar to that of any other SIP entity.

SIP Entity Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name:	ATT		
* FQDN or IP Address:	135.9.43.69		
Туре:	SIP Trunk 👻		
Notes:	AT&T FlexReach		
	NA:US:CO:ATT-POP		
Outbound Proxy:	¥		
Time Zone:	America/Denver	*	
Credential name:			
SIP Link Monitoring SIP Link Monitoring:	Use Session Manager Configu	ration M	
Entity Links Add Remove			
0 Items Refresh			Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO UDP 5060 NA:US:NU UDP 5060	ATT ATT	5060 5060	

In this example the IP address of the SBC is used. The **Type** is marked SIP Trunk for categorization.

The **Call Detail Recording:** field is set at egress, meaning that all sessions established out to this SIP entity are recorded. Incoming sessions are not recorded, unless they route out to a SIP entity that is marked for **egress** or **both** CDR recording.

Again, an entity link must be created for each Session Manager to this SIP entity, in this case UDP is the Protocol used, though the SBC could be used to translate the UDP supported by AT&T to TCP. The SBC must also be willing to accept messages from each Session Manager and route messages to either Session Manager (in case of network or Session Manager failure).

Multiple SIP entities behind SBC

In this example, both the Verizon and Hypothetical service providers are behind an SBC at an IP address specified by an FQDN. We do not have an entry in the Local Host Name Resolution table for this. The Session Manager goes to the network's DNS server to resolve the IP address.

SIP Entity Details				Commit Cancel
General				
* N	me: Verizon			
* FQDN or IP Add	ess: abo1.dr.avay	ra.com		
	ype: SIP Trunk	*		
N	tes: Verizon Bus	iness		
Loca	tion: NA:US:NJ:V	erizon-POP 📉		
Outbound P	0×Y:	1		
Time	one: America/Nev	v_York	~	
Credential n	ime:]
SIP Link Monitoring SIP Link Monito	ring: Use Session	n Manager Configu	ration 🤟	
Entity Links [Add] Remove				
0 Items Refresh				Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port		SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO TCP 5060 NA:US:NJ TCP 5060		Verizon Verizon	5060 5060	N

The entity links specified for this SIP entity use the standard ports for TCP.

The Hypothetical service provider's gateway, behind the SBC, is located in the same location as that of Verizon, so any bandwidth management for that location applies to both SIP entities. The time zone, used for time-of-day routing differs. Although this may sound strange (same location, but different time zone), it is an artifact of grouping them together for bandwidth management. Both, in this case study, are reached over the same physical communication link to the SBC, but behind that, their respective gateways are located in different time zones and the tariffs they specify have different rates depending upon the time zone in which the gateways are located. Additionally, Hypothetical does not support any form of SIP monitoring, so this is

SIP Entity Details				Commit Cancel
General				
•	Name: Hypothetical	SP	۲	
FQDN or IP A	ddress: aboltdravay	a.com		
	Type: SIP Trunk	~		
	Notes:			
Le	ecation: NA:US:NJ:V	erizon-POP 🛛 💆		
Outbound	Proxy: N	1		
Tim	e Zone: America/Chi	cago	~	
Credentia	I name:			
SIP Link Monitoring SIP Link Mon	itorina: Disable moni	toring	M	
Entity Links Add Remove				
0 Items Refresh				Fiber: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port	t	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO TLS 5062 NA:US:NJ TLS 5062		HypotheticalSP HypotheticalSP	5062 5082	N

disabled on the SIP entity form.

The special entity link administration is what makes this configuration possible. Notice that the ports are different and nonstandard on both sides of the entity link. The SBC must be programmed to send messages from Hypothetical's gateway to port 5062 using the TLS protocol and must be willing to accept connections to port 5062 and forward those messages to Hypothetical (the ports could have been different). Using the different ports is what allows the Session Manager to distinguish the traffic from the same SBC IP address to be from different SIP entities.

Routing policies for SIP service providers

The routing polices Alternate-AT&T, Alternate-Verizon, and HypotheticalSP are the primary policies that route to the SIP service providers. The Alternate-BaskingRidge polices are for tail-end hop-off (discussed later), and the Ap800 polices are for some SIP foundation servers (also discussed later).

Routing Edit New		s * Commit		
15 Items R	efresh			Filter: Enable
	Name	- Disabled	Destination	Notes
	Alternate-AT&T		TTA	1 - primary
	<u>Alternate-BaskingRidge: HQ</u>		NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:HQ	prefer on Weekends
	Alternate-BaskingRidge: Researc	ch 🗆	NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Research	prefer on Week Days
	Alternate-Verizon		Verizon	2 - secondary
	Ap800 APAC 1		APAC:App800	1 APAC
	AD800 APAC 2		NA:US:AppB00	2 NA
	<u>Ap800 NA 1</u>		NA:US:App800	1 NA
	Ap800 NA 2		APAC:AppB00	Z APAC
	HypotheticalSP		HypotheticalSP	

Related topics:

<u>Simple routing policy for routing policies for SIP service providers</u> on page 37 <u>Alternative routing policy for routing policies for SIP service providers</u> on page 38

Simple routing policy for routing policies for SIP service providers

The HypotheticalSP is a simple routing policy. No alternate routing to it is anticipated, so it has a single Rank 0 time of day entry. A unique dial pattern references this policy and no other.

Rou	ting Po	olicy	Det	ails									Commi	t Cancel
Genera	al intity as	Destir	nation	Disable Note	ed: 🔲	oteticalS	P							
Select]													
Name Hypot	e heticalSP				-	avaya.ci						Турс SIP Trunk	Notes	
Time Add	of Day Remove	View	Gaps/0	verlaps]									
l (ter	m Refresh	n											Filter:	Enable
	Ranking	1 .	Name	Z 🛋	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Eri	5at	Sun	Start Time	End Time	Notes

Alternative routing policy for routing policies for SIP service providers

The Alternate-AT&T and Alternate-Verizon routing policies are meant to work in concert. The convention used here is to name such routing policies with the Alternate prefix and put their relative ranking in the **Notes** field. Here the Alternate-AT&T policy has a 10 ranking while the Alternate-Verizon has 20, so any dial pattern that references both of these routing policies prefers Alternate-AT&T.

Another convention is to rank policies in increments of 10 at the start. This allows insertion of intermediately ranked policies without having to renumber all that would come later.

Note that when routing sessions, the Session Manager chooses the lower ranked routing policy for one of three reasons:

- SIP monitoring has declared all endpoints identified by the all higher ranked policies as down.
- This call fails to route (due to a bad return code or TimerB failure).
- This call fails to route due to managed bandwidth being exhausted to the destination location.

couring P	olicy Details	5								Commit	Cance
General	Disabled	e: Alternat d: 🗋 s: 1-primar									
IP Entity as	Destination										
Name	FQDN or IP Addr	css			Ту	pe		Notes			
ATT	135.9.43.69				SIP	Trunk		AT&T FI	ex Reach Global		
ime of Day	View Gaps/Overlap	35									
	h									Filter:	Enable
		Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Start Time	Filter: End Time	Enable Notes

Routing Policy Details								Cammi	t Cancel
Disabled:	Alternate-Verizo	n]						
SIP Entity as Destination									
Name FQDN or IP Addre	C 5 5			T)	/pc		Notes		
Verizon sbc1.dr.avaya.com				SI	P Trunk		Verizon Business		
Time of Day Add Remove View Gaps/Overlaps									
1 Item Refresh								Filter:	Enable
🗌 Ranking L 🔺 Name Z 🛦	Mon Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	5 at	Sun	Start Time	End Time	Notes
20 All Day	¥	4	1	11	ω^{\prime}	4	00:00	23:59	
Select: All, None (D of 1 Selected)									

Dial patterns for SIP service providers

The E.164 dial pattern entries exist mainly because our case study network is connected to the PSTN through SIP service providers. They fall into four categories, marked in the **Notes** field:

- APP route directly to a SIP foundation server (see below). These are marked.
- TEHO for Tail-End Hop-Off (see below)
- E.164 route DID numbers from the SIP service provider to the proper PBX. The relatively low number of entries of this type result from the PBXs in question *owning* the full bank of DID numbers (for example, the Westminster PBX owns all numbers +13035380000 to +13035389999). If this were not the case, the discrepancy could be solved with more entries, either with a larger set of more explicit ones to route fewer numbers to the given PBX, or with more explicit ones that route exceptions elsewhere (like the +13035389077 entry).
- PSTN (the + entries) are very general patterns which essentially match any E.164 number not matched by a more explicit entry.

As shown in all the adaptations, all the PBXs and incoming service provider calls have their destination addresses converted to E.164 (that is, a + is prepended), so that matching dial patterns can be more uniform and predictable.

Note that the first + entry in the table below is distinct from the second, because it only applies if the destination has a domain of avayalabs.com, while the second pattern matches any other domain.

The four entries:

Dial Patte	TINS	More	Actions	• Commit		
16 Items Ref	resh					Filter: Enable
	Pattern	Min	Мах	Emergency Call	SIP Domain	Notes 🔺
	+18664528292	lZ	12		-ALL-	APP: GO AVAYA
	+13035389077	12	12		-ALL-	APP: Modular Messaging
	+1908953	12	12		-ALL-	E.164 to BaskingRidge:HQ
	+19086965	12	12		-ALL-	E.164 to BaskingRidge:Research
	<u>+1720444</u>	12	12		-ALL-	E.164 to HighlandsRanch
	+1408661	lZ	12		-ALL-	E.164 to SanJose
	+1303538	12	12		-ALL-	E.164 to Westminster
	<u>+</u>	1	36		avayalabs.com	PSTN via SIP Service Providers
	±	1	36		-ALL-	PSTN via SIP Service Providers
	+1908	12	12		-ALL-	TEHO to BaskingRidge
	+1303	12	12		-ALL-	TEHO to Westminster

Related topics:

<u>Simple routing policy for dial patterns for SIP service providers example</u> on page 40 <u>Alternative routing policy for dial patterns for SIP service providers</u> on page 41

Simple routing policy for dial patterns for SIP service providers example

The simple case dictates that any session destined for any E.164 address with the domain avayalabs.com routes only using the HypotheticalSP routing policy. In this case study the avayalabs.com domain is used by the BaskingRidge:Research SIP entity. Therefore all E. 164 numbers that do not match any of the other patterns are routed using the HypotheticalSP SIP service provider.

Dial Pattern Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Pattern:	+1		
* Min:	3		
* Mox:	36		
Emergency Call:	(2)		
SIP Domain:	ayayalabs.com		
Notes:			
Originating Locations and Routing Pol Add Remove			
1 Ibem Refresh			Filter: Enable
Originating Location Originating Loc Name Notes	ation Routing Policy Routi Name Disab	Routing Policy	Routing Policy Notes
-ALL- Any Locations	HypotheticalSP	HypotheticalSP	

Alternative routing policy for dial patterns for SIP service providers

This dial pattern entry performs two distinct route selections for all E.164 numbers (except those to the avayalabs.com domain). If the originating location is SanJose, then the HypotheticalSP service provider is used. Any other originating location selects (using alternate routing) the Alternate-AT&T and Alternate-Verizon routing policies.

Dial	Pattern Detai	c				Commit Cancel
Gene		5				
Gene		* Pattern: +1 * Min: 1 * Max: 36 ergency Call: SIP Domain: ALL- Notes: PSTN via 5	SIP Service Providers			
Origi	nating Locations and	d Routing Policies				
Add	Remove	-				
3 Ite	ms Refresh					Filter: Enable
	Originating Location Name	Originating Location Notes	Routing Policy Name	Routing Policy Disabled	Routing Policy Destination	Routing Policy Notes
	NA:US:CA:SanJose		HypotheticalSP		Hypothetical SP	
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Alternate-AT&T		ATT	1 - primary
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Alternate-Verizon		Verizon	2 - secondary
Sele	ct: All, None (0 of 3 Sele	cted)				
Denie Add	ed Originating Locat Remove	ions				
0 Ite	ms Refresh					Filter: Enable
	Originating Location				Notes	

Tail-end hop-off

TEHO builds on the E.164 routing to the SIP service providers and relies on the same fundamental assumption that PBXs route their PSTN calls into the Session Manager core. Select E.164 patterns route first or exclusively to a PBX which has PSTN trunks of its own to handle the call. In this case study both BaskingRidge PBXs can handle calls to the 908 area code. The dial pattern entry identifies one of four route policies.

Dial	Pattern De	etails			(Commit Cancel
Gener	al					
		Pattern:	+1908		<u> </u>	
		* Min:	12			
		* Max:	12			
		Emergency Call:				
		SIP Domain:	ALL-			
		Notes:	TEHO to BaskingRidge			
Origin	nating Location	is and Routing I	Policies			
Add	Remove					
4 Itai	ms Refresh					Filter: Enable
	Originating Location Name	Originating Location Notes	Routing Policy Name	Routing Policy Disabled	Routing Policy Destination	Routing Policy Notes
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Alternate- BaskingRidge:Research		NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Research	h Week Days
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Alternate- BaskingRidge:HQ		NA: US:NJ:BaskingRidge:HQ	prefer on Weekands
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Alternate-AT&T		ATT	1 - primary
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Alternate-Verizon		Verizon	2 - secondary
Selec	t: All, None (0 of	4 Selected)				

The Alternate-AT&T and Alternate-Verizon entries were shown before. They have ranks for 10 and 20, respectively. The other entries Alternate-BaskingRidge:Research and Alternate-BaskingRidge:HQ are shown below to have time-of-day varying ranks.

Routing Policy Details									Commi	Cancel
Disabled	1: 🛄	ite-Basking on weekda	gRidge: Res ays	earch						
IP Entity as Destination										
Name			FQC	N or IP	Addre	55		Туре	Not	es
NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:Research			135.	9.43.68				CM	696-	5
Add Remove View Gaps/Overlap:	5									
2 Items Refresh									Filter:	Enable
🗌 Ranking L 🔺 Name Z 🔺	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	5at	Sun	Start Time	End Time	Notes
	ω^{μ}	$(q)^{d}$	ψ^{\prime}	ω^{*}	$k_0 p^{*}$			00:00	23:59	
1 Week Day										

BaskingRidge:Research has a rank of 1 on weekdays and a rank of 2 on weekends and BaskingRidge:HQ has a rank of 2 on weekdays and a rank of 1 on weekends.

Routing Policy Details								Commi	Cancel
Disabled:	Alternate-Baskin D prefer on weeke	~~~~~~)						
SIP Entity as Destination									
Name		FQDN or	IP Addro	555			Турс	Note	5
NA:US:NJ:BaskingRidge:HQ		135.9,43.6	57				⊂M	953	
lime of Day									
Add Remove View Gaps/Overlap	5								
Add Remove View Gaps/Overlap 2 Items Refresh	15							Filter:	Enable
		ue Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Start Time	Filter: End Time	Enable Notes
2 Items Refresh	Mon T	ue Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Start Time 00:00		

Thus the routing policy (and so SIP entity) ordering is as such:

- · Weekdays:
 - BaskingRidge:Research
 - BaskingRidge:HQ
 - AT&T
 - Verizon
- Weekends:
 - BaskingRidge:HQ
 - BaskingRidge:Research
 - AT&T
 - Verizon

It is desirable for the two BaskingRidge PBXs to be able to make use of the SIP service provider trunks even for 908 area code calls if their PSTN trunks are in use or out of service. To do this, and to make configuration of the PBXs routing simpler they route all their PSTN calls into the Session Manager core. A potential problem is when the 908 area code calls get routed back to them. If no consideration is made for this, the calls are simply routed back to the Session Manager core only to potentially loop back into the very same PBX. To avoid this, adaptation for the PBXs changes the destination address so that the PBX can recognize it as needing routing out of its PSTN trunk rather than back into the Session Manager core.

Adaptation for BaskingRidge:Research:

dd	Remove						
3 (tei	ms Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Matching Pattern	Min	Мая	Delete Digits	Insert Digits	Address to modify	Notes
	• +190 8	• 12	• 12	• 1	*9000	both 💌	TEHO 000 => CM will use local
	+19086965	• 12	• 12	• 9		both 💌	E.164 to 3-digit extension
	• 6965	• 7	• 7	• 4		both 💌	EC to 3-digit extension

The +1908 entry modifies all 908 area code numbers to be destined for *9-000-1-908-xxxxxxx. The PBX must recognize this to be a specially routed number. In the case of this Communication Manager, the *9 is the ARS access code and the 000 is an otherwise nondialable digit string that can be used for this unique identification.

SIP foundation servers

The two SIP application types shown in this case study are Modular Messaging and Voice Portal. Both of these applications handle incoming and outgoing calls, although Modular Messaging primarily handles incoming calls. Like any SIP entity, adaptation for digit conversion can be used, but that is needed primarily for existing Modular Messaging or Voice Portal applications with existing dial plans. New applications can be provisioned to use the full length E.164 numbers (save possibly to delete and add the +) internally.

Related topics:

<u>Modular Messaging</u> on page 45 <u>Voice Portal-like SIP application service</u> on page 48

Modular Messaging

On each Communication Manager system, Modular Messaging is associated with a hunt group and assigned a routing digit string to route covered and direct sessions with media and a Voice Mail handle for message waiting indication subscriptions and notifications. Both types of sessions must be routed by Session Manager from each supported Communication Manager to the appropriate Modular Messaging system.

On the Communication Managers in this case study the following hunt group data is entered:

add	hunt-group	1		HUN	T GI	ROUP			Page	2 OÍ	60
			Message	Center:	<mark>5</mark> i]	-adjunc	<u>t</u>				
	Voice Mail	Number		Voice N	ail	Handle		Routing			
	3035389077			2020			(e.g.,	AAR/ARS <u>*9</u>	Access	Code)	

The number 3035389077 is routed through a dial pattern entry:

	Pattern Det	ails				Commit Cancel	
Gener	al	* Pattern: +1 * Min; 12 * Max; 12					
Origin	Mex: 12 Emergency Cell: SIP Domain: ALL. Netes: APP:ModularMessaging Originating Locations and Routing Policies						
Add 1 Iter	Remove M Refresh					Filter: Enable	
	Originating Location Name	Originating Location Notes	Routing Policy Name	Routing Policy Disabled	Routing Policy Destination	Routing Policy Notes	
	-ALL-	Any Locations	NA:ModularMessaging		NA:US:CO:Westminster:MM		
Selec	t: All, None (O of 1 S	Selected)					

that identifies a SIP entity. CDR can be on, and it might be interesting to track calls into the Modular Messaging system, though the Modular Messaging system itself has an internal CDR capability. It may also be useful to implement bandwidth management on the Modular Messaging system in its own location, but it has also has a way of limiting calls. What is interesting is the load balancing between the multiple message access servers (MASs) within a Modular Messaging system. And in this particular case the local host name resolution table is used to provide the multiple IP addresses as well as the port and transport information needed to contact the MASs.

SIP Entity Details		Commit Cancel
General		
* Name:	NA: US: CO: Westminister: MM	
FQDN or IP Address:	mm.dr.svaya.com	
Type:	Other	
Notes:	MadularMessaging	
Location:	NA:US:CD:Westminister	
Outbound Proxy:	×	
Time Zone:	America/Denver	
Credential name:		
SIP Link Monitoring SIP Link Monitoring: Entity Links Add Remove	Use Session Manager Configuration 💙	
0 Items Refresh		Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port	SIP Entity 2 Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO TCP 5060 NA:US:NU TCP 5060	NA: US: CO: West 5060 NA: US: CO: West 5060	2 2

With entity links from both the Session Managers, checking **Override Port & Transport with DNS SRV** on the SIP entity form indicates that both the Port and Protocol (aka Transport) on the SIP entity form are ignored. The convention used here is that a Port value of 1 indicates that both are ignored.

SRV records within the DNS server accessed by the Session Managers could be used to provide the necessary overridden information, but it is much easier to include this information in the Local Host Name Resolution table:

Local Host Name Resolution This page allows you to add, edit, or remove local host name entries. Host name entries on this page will override information provided by DNS.						
Local Host Name Ent	ries					
9 Items Refresh				Fi	iter: Enable	
Host Name	• IP Address	Port	Priority	Weight	Transport	
📃 mmldr. avayal.com	135.9.43.34	5061	1	10	TLS	
mm.dr.avaya.com	135.9.43.33	5061	1	20	TLS	

In this particular case TLS connections are made to port 5061 of both of the MASs at the indicated IP addresses. Load balancing is done on a statistically weighted basis, because each MAS is at the same priority. About 10/30 (or one third) of the calls are given to the MAS at 135.9.43.34 while two-thirds of the calls go to the other. This ratio is valid over many calls. There is a possibility that for any given small set of calls, more or less than 1/3 of the calls go to the first MAS.

The message waiting indication subscribe and notify sessions are routed with the handle specified in Communication Manager (mm@avaya.com in this case). Handles are currently routed using the regular expressions table:

Regular Expression Details					Commit Cancel
General					
Pattern		Rank Order	Deny	Notes	
• mm@ayaya.com		D			
Routing Policy					
Add Remove					
1 Ibem Refresh					Filter: Enable
Name Name	Disabled	Destination			Notes
NA : Modular Messaging		NA:US:CO:Westminster:	MM		

The pattern here is very precise with no meta character pattern matching symbols only because a specific handle needs to be matched. The fewer the meta characters, the more efficient the match. The routing policy selected by this match is the same one selected by the dial pattern of the number associated with the Communication Manager hunt group (that is, +13035389077).

Voice Portal-like SIP application service

The other SIP application service shown in this case study is similar to how calls are routed to a Voice Portal. The Voice Portal administration itself is not shown nor is this application fully set up to make outgoing calls. Adaptation would most likely be necessary for this.

This Voice Portal-like application is reached when 1-866-GO-AVAYA is dialed. The dial pattern is quite complex:

Dial	Pattern Details					Commit Cancel	
Gener						Containe Control	
	Emerge	Pattern: +18664528292 * Min: 12 * Max: 12 ency Call: Pomain: ALL: Notes: APP:GO AVAVA Routing Policies					
Add	Remove						
_	ms Refresh					Filter: Enable	
	Originating Location Name	Originating Location Notes	Routing Policy Name	Routing Policy Disabled	Routing Policy Destination	Routing Policy Notes	
	APAC:JP:Tokyp:Shinjuku		Ap80D APAC 1		APAC: App800	1 APAC	
	APAC:JP:Tokyp:Shinjuku		Ap80D APAC 2		NA :US: App800	2 N.A	
	APAC: AU: Sydney		Ap80D APAC 1		APAC: App800	1 APAC	
	APAC: AU: Sydney		Ap80D APAC 2		NA :US: App800	2 N.A	
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Ap800 NA 2		APAC: App800	2 APAC	
	-ALL-	Any Locations	Ap800 NA 1		NA:US:App800	1 NA	
	Select: All, None (0 of 6 Selected) Denied Originating Locations						
Add	Remove						
3 Iter	ms Refresh					Filter: Enable	
	Originating Location				Note	s	
	NA:US:CA:SanJose						
	NA:US:CO:Westminster						
	NA (US) NJ (BaskingRidge) Rese	arch					

To paraphrase the routing policy selection, without actually listing the routing policies themselves:

- SIP entities in the locations Tokyo and Sydney prefer the APAC:App800 foundation server (a SIP entity) and falls back to the NA:US:App800 server. There are, however, no SIP entities associated with these locations yet.
- All other SIP entities (including the ones defined in this case study PBX and SIP service provider alike) prefer the NA:US:App800 server.
- SIP entities in the SanJose, Westminster, and BaskingRidge:Research locations cannot route calls to this dial pattern. The calls are denied.

			un .
SIP Entity Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name	APAC:App800		
FQDN or IP Address	go.jp. svsys.com		
Туре	Voice Portal		
Nøtes	APAC GO-AVAYA		
Location	APAC:JP:Tokya Shinjuku 🎽		
Outbound Proxy	×		
Time Zone	Asia/Tokyo	~	
Credential name			
SIP Link Monitoring SIP Link Monitoring Entity Links Add Remove	Use Session Manager Config	uration 🛩	
0 Items Refresh			Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:NJ TLS 5061 NA:US:CO TLS 5061	APAC: App800 APAC: App800	1 1	N N

The SIP entities for the foundation servers are similar.

They have different FQDNs, are in different locations and time zones, but they both choose to override the port and transport specified in the entity link.

SIP Entity Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name:	NA:US;App800		
* FQDN or IP Address:	go.avaya.com		
Туре:	Voice Portal		
Nøtes:	MAIN GO-AVAVA		
Location:	NA:US:NJ		
Outbound Proxy:	×		
Time Zone:	America/New_York	~	
Credential name:			
SIP Link Monitoring SIP Link Monitoring: Entity Links [Add] Remove	Use Session Manager Configu	ration M	
0 Items Refresh			Filter: Enable
SIP Entity 1 Protocol Port	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
NA:US:CO TLS 5061 NA:US:NJ TLS 5061	NA:US:App800 NA:US:App800	1	V

The Local Host Name Resolution table shows why this override is necessary at least in the case of the NA:US:App800 SIP entity. The APAC:App800 SIP entity just has one associated IP address that uses the standard TLS port.

Local Host Name Entr New Edit Delete	ries More Actions 🔹			F	ilter: Enable
Host Name	IP Address	Port	Priority	Weight	Transport
🔲 galavaya.com	135.9.95.101	55800	100	10	TCP
📃 gotavaγa.com	135.9.95.100	55800	100	30	TLS
📃 gotavaγatcom	135.9.43.29	55800	100	50	TLS
📃 golavaya.com	135.9.95.102	55800	100	10	UDP
📃 go.jp.avaγa.com	135.98.98.98	5061	100	100	TLS

The NA:US:App800 SIPentity chooses one of four different server IP addresses based on a total weight of 100. Ten percent of the time it goes to 135.9.95.101 with TCP, 30% to 135.9.95.100 with TLS, 50% to 135.9.43.29 with TLS, and the remaining 10% to 135.9.95.102 with UDP.

A Network Case Study

Chapter 3: A New User Setup Case Study

Overview

Fred Flintstone just joined our Highlands Ranch office. He is the new Network Engineer and will be working in the Network Management group. The following case study describes the necessary steps for adding Fred as a user and registering his user profile with a Session Manager for accessing enhanced enterprise call handling facilities through

- an application sequence (with CM feature server and other applications)
- modular messaging mailbox
- telephone set

thereby providing the option of choosing his preferred communication devices.

Before user setup is done, it is important to synchronize the CM Station Data to System Manager as shown in the section *Synchronize CM station data to the System Manager*. The various stages for the user setup are listed as follows:

- 1. Adding a SIP entity for the Session Manager (with listen ports)
- 2. Adding the Session Manager instances (for both primary and secondary Session Manager)
- 3. Adding SIP Domains
- 4. Adding Application Sequences
- 5. Adding Survivability Server
- 6. Adding Home Location
- 7. Adding a User (SIP end-point)

Synchronize Communication Manager station data to the System Manager

The Communication System Manager interface is used to synchronize Communication Manager station data to the System Manager database.

 Each Communication Manager must be administered as an Entity using the Manage Elements web page located at Elements > Inventory > Manage Elements in the navigation menu. The main page shows all of the administered entities and for those corresponding to Communication Manager, the Type column indicates *CM*.

♥ Elements	Manage Elements				
Application Management	Hunuge Lienenes				
Endpoints					
Feature Management	Translation of				
* Inventory	Entities				
Manage Elements	View Edit New Delete	More Actions 🔹			
Upgrade Management					
Discovered Inventory	0 Items Refresh Show ALL 💌				
Discovery Management	Name	Node	Турс	Version	Description
Synchronization	No records found.				
Templates					
Session Manager					

2. Click the **New** button and select *CM* to add a new Communication Manager entity. In the New CM Instance page, under the *Application* section, enter the name of the Communication Manager instance and specify the management IP address for the Communication Manager (the address that is used for SAT login) in the **Node** field.

Application Port Access Point Expand All Collapse All	SNMP Attribu	tes Attributes
Application 💌		
	* Name	135.9.147.75
	* Туре	CM 🔽 Reset
	Description	
	* Node	135.9.147.75
	CM IP Ad	Idress for SSH SAT Access
Port 🖲		

3. The default (none) is OK for the SNMP Attributes section.

4. Finally, the Communication Manager SAT login information must be configured in the *Attributes* section. For most users (for SSH SAT login), enter the SAT login in the **Login** field and the associated password in the **Password** field. Click the **Commit** button on the bottom of the page.

Attributes 💌		
	🔺 🔹 Łogin	init
SSH SAT Login us and password	er Password	
	🕇 🕇 Konfirm Password	•••••
^	Is SSH Connection	
1	* Port	5022
	Alternate IP Address	
RSA SSH Fi	ngerprint (Primary IP)	
RSA SSH Fin	gerprint (Alternate IP)	
Use defaults here	Is ASG Enabled	
for typical SSH SAT connection	ASG Key	
	Confirm ASG Key	
₩	Location	

 Automatic CM Data Synchronization — After a Communication Manager has been added as an entity, it is automatically scheduled for an initial and subsequent incremental daily data synchronization. The synchronization status can be viewed for each Communication Manager using Elements > Inventory > Synchronization > Communication System in the navigation menu. Each Communication Manager is displayed in the table as shown below. The Last Sync Time column indicates the status of when the last data sync completed or the phase of synchronization for the current sync job in progress.

2 Items Refresh Filter: Enable							
	Element Name	FQDN/IP Address	Last Sync Time	Sync Type	Sync Status	Location	Software Versio
	135.9.147.75 cm14	135.9.147.75	Oct 22, 2009 02:00:28 AM -0600	Incremental	Completed		R015x.02.1.015.0
			Oct 22, 2009				

Adding a SIP entity for the Session Manager

1. You need to add a SIP entity as a Session Manager instance and hence you need to ensure that the SIP entity has been added in the Routing application as a SIP entity with type Session Manager.

SIP Entity Details			Commit Cancel
General			
* Name:	NA(US:CO		
* FQDN or IP Address:	135.9.95.8		
Type:	Session Manager 🕑		
Notes:	Core Westminister		
Location:			
Outbound Proxy:	~		
Time Zone:	America/Denver	~	
Credential name:			
Entity Links (Add) Remove			Filter: Enable
SIP Entity I Protecel Port	SIP Entity 2	Port	Trusted
Port Add Remove			
1 Item Refresh			Filter: Enable
	fault Domain	Notes	
Select : All, None (0 of 1 Selected)	aya.com ⊻		
* Input Required			Commit Cancel

- 2. If not, you can create a SIP entity using **Routing > SIP Entities**.
- 3. You also need to specify Listen Port under Entity Links in Personal Settings screen.

Adding the Session Manager Instance

Add Session	Manager			Commit Cancel
General Security Mod Expand All Collapse A		ig CDR	Personal Profile Manager (PPM) - Cor	nection Settings Event Server
General 💌				
	*SIP Entity Name	NA:US:	co 🖌	
	Description			
*Management Ac	ccess Point Host Name/IP	135.9.9	5.8	
• D	irect Routing to Endpoints	Enable	M	
Security Module	•			
country involute .	SIP Entity IP Address			
	*Network Mask	255.25	5.255.0	
	*Default Gateway			
	Call Control PHB	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
	*QOS Priority			
	*Speed & Duplex	-		
	VLAN ID			
NIC Bonding 💌				
	Enable	Bonding		
	Driver Monitoria	ng Mode	ARP Monitoring 🔽	
RP Interval (msecs)	100		Link Monitoring Frequency (msecs	100
ARP Target IP			Down Delay (msecs	200
ARP Target IP			Up Delay (msecs	200
ARP Target IP]	
Monitoring 💌				
	Enable Monitoring			

You need to administer the Session Manager (where Fred's phone will be registered) using **Elements > Session Manager > Session Manager Administration**.

Adding Domains

Edit	New Duplicate Delete More Action	ns 💌		
2 Ite	ms Refresh			
	Name	Туре	Default	Notes
		sip		
	<u>avaya.com</u>	sib	-	

Fred's phone number is captured as a SIP handle as 538000@avaya.com where part of the SIP handle is a domain (avaya.com). Therefore, administer the domain using the Routing application (**Routing > Domains**). Enter the domain's name and select type *sip*

Adding Application Sequences

Fred can have an Origination Application Sequence and a Termination Application Sequence as his preferred way of handling calls. When a call is made from the user, a Session Manager will route the call through the origination sequence. Whereas when a call is made to the user, a Session Manager will route the call through the termination sequence. For details on configuring an Application Sequence, refer to the Call Handling Case Study.

Adding a Home Location

When this user calls numbers that are not associated with an administered user, dial-plan rules will be applied to complete the call based on this home location regardless of the physical location of the SIP device used to make the call.

😵 Note:

Dial plan rules are applied using **Routing > Dial Patterns**.

		Commit
eneral		
	* Name: NA:U5:CO:Westminister]
	Notes:]
N	Managed Bandwidth: 8000 Kbit/sec 💌	
* Average	Bandwidth per Call: BO Kbit/sec 💌	
ocation Pattern		
Add Remove		
		Filter: Enab
Add Remove 1 Item Refresh IP Address Pattern	Notes	Filter: Enab

Add a location using **Routing** > **Locations** as a Home Location element for Fred's Communication Profile. A Home Location can be specified to support mobility for the currently displayed user. A selection is mandatory.

Adding the Survivability Server

Prerequisites

To use a Branch Session Manager as a Survivability Server, you need to add a SIP entity of type "Session Manager".

For local survivability, a Survivability Server can be specified to provide survivability communication services for devices associated with a Communication Profile in the event that local connectivity to Session Manager instances in the Aura Core is lost. This is optional and is required only for survivability.

General Security Module Monitoring Personal Pr Expand All Collapse All	rofile Manager (PPM) - Connection Settings Event Server
General 💌	
*SIP Entity Name	bsm2-8300-sm
Description	
*Management Access Point Host Name/IP	135.9.147.117
*Main CM for LSP	asm5-cm Refresh <u>View/Add CM Systems</u>
*Direct Routing to Endpoints	Enable 💌
Adaptation for Trunk Gateway	None
Security Module 💌	
SIP Entity IP Address	
*Network Mask	255.255.255.0
	135.9.147.254

For administering Branch Session Manager as a Survivability Server, go to **Elements** > **Session Manager** > **Session Manager Administration** and click **New** on the *Branch Session Manager Instances* section of Session Manager Administration screen.

Adding a User (SIP end-point)

For basic setup of Fred's user profile, you need to complete the following sections in User Management application. Navigate to **Users > Manage Users**, click **New** and enter the following information:

- 1. General
- 2. Identity
- 3. Communication Profile
- 4. Default Contact List

* Last Name:	flintstone	
* First Name:	fred	
Middle Name:		
Description:		
	* First Name: Middle Name:	* Last Name: flintstone * First Name: fred Middle Name: Description:

In User Management module, the general section allows you to specify the basic information about Fred's profile. In the General section,

- 1. Enter the Fred's last name and first name.
- 2. Enter a description in the Description field. This field is optional.

Identity section

1.	Scroll to the Id	entity section.		
	Identity 🔹			
		* Login Name:]
	Web Login	* Authentication Type:	Basic 💌	
	for User	SMGR Login Password:		
		* Password:]
		Confirm Password:]
	Shared Commu	unication Profile Password:		🔺 Phone
		Confirm Password:		🔶 Password
		Localized Display Name:		
	T	Endpoint Display Name:]
	Endpoint Settings	Honorofic:]
	Gettings	Language Preference:	~	
	🔸 🤸	Time Zone:		

2. Enter a **Login Name** for Fred. This is the unique system login name given to Fred and takes the form of *username@domain* (enterprise canonical number) which is used to create the Fred's primary handle.

- 3. Select the Authentication Type as Basic.
- 4. Enter an System Manager Login Password and confirm it. The password must start with an alpha (lower or upper case) character.
- 5. Enter the **Shared Communication Profile Password**. The password must be in numeric characters. This is the password that is used when logging in to the phone.
- 6. Enter the **Localized Display Name** of the Fred. This is the name that is displayed as the calling party.
- 7. Enter the full text name of the user for **Endpoint Display Name**.

Address section

In the Address section, add mailing address details of Fred in the Identity section.

1 item						
Name	Address Type	Street	Locality Name	Postal Code	Province	Country
Fred Flintstone	office					United States

Communication Profile section

Fred may have one or more Communication Profiles for registering one or more SIP user handles (phone extensions) to the Session Manager. This will enable Fred to define (optional) an origination and termination application sequence as his preferred call routing method.

To register a SIP phone with Session Manager, at least one Communication Profile must be administered containing the Session Manager related details and must have defined at least one Communication Address of type SIP. The handles may also be associated with a Communication Manager station and/or messaging subscriber. You can specify the following information in Fred's Communication Profile:

A communication address can be used to communicate with the contact. This can be a phone number, e-mail address, SIP or IM of the contact. One or more communication addresses for Fred is defined in relation to handle plus domain in *userinfo@domainpart* format when routing a communication interaction to Fred. For Fred, the communication address is set as shown in

the figure below,

Communication Profile 🔹			
New Delete Done Cancel			
Name			
Primary			
Select : None			
* Name: F	Primary]	
Default :	v		
Communication Address 💌			
New Edit Delete Us	ers SIP handles (phone e	extensions)	
Туре	Handle	Domain	
No Records found			
	Type: 🛛 Ayaya SIP 🛛 💌		
* Fully Qualified A	Address: 5380000 @	Þ avaya.com 🖌	
Extensi	ion 🦰		Add Cancel

In Communication Address section,

- 1. Select **Type** which specifies the type of the handle which is set as *Avaya SIP*. Types are specified as followed:
- 2. Enter the phone extension in the **Fully Qualified Address** field and finally select the correct domain from the drop-down menu.

Handle is a unique communication address for Fred which is set as *5380000* and the name of the domain with which the handle is registered is set as *avaya.com*.

Session Manager section

🗌 Session Manager Profile 💌					
* Primary Session Manager	Select	~	Primary	Secondary	Maximum
Secondary Session Manager	(None)	*	Primary	Secondary	Maximum
Origination Application Sequence	(None)	*			
Termination Application Sequence	(None)	*			
Survivability Server	(None)	1	-		
* Home Location	Select 👻				

In the Session Manager Profile section, you can associate Fred with a Primary and Secondary Session Manager, specify Origination and Termination Application Sequences, a Survivability Server (e.g. Branch Session Manager), and also specify a Home Location for this user. Fred's phones will register with the selected Session Manager. Calls from or to Fred's phone will be routed through the selected origination or termination applications sequences respectively.

Home Location is a mandatory input field to support mobile users. Locations are administered using **Routing** > **Locations**.

Endpoint Profile section (CM Station association)

In Station Profile section, specify the Communication Manager station association for Fred as per the following cases:

🗌 Endpoint Profile 💌	
* System	Select
Use Existing Endpoints	
* Extension	Endpoint Editor
* Template	Select/Reset
Set Type	
Security Code	
* Port	0
Voice Mail Number	
Delete Endpoint on Unassign of Endpoint from User	
□Messaging Profile 💌	
* System	Select 💌
Use Existing Subscriber on System	
* Mailbox Number	
* Template	Select/Reset 💙
* Password	
Delete Subscriber on Unassign of Subscriber from User	

- 1. Associate Fred with an existing station
 - 1. Select the previously administered Communication Manager entity in the *System* drop-down menu.
 - 2. Check the Use Existing Endpoints check box.
 - 3. Enter (or select when prompted) the extension for the station.
 - 4. Optionally, the template for the station, security code and/or port values for this station can be changed.

For a new station

2. Add a new station on the Communication Manager for Fred

- 1. Select the previously administered Communication Manager entity in the *System* drop-down menu.
- 2. Enter (or select when prompted) the extension for the station.
- 3. Select a phone template for the Fred's phone.
- 4. Enter (or select when prompted) a value for the Port.
- 5. Optionally, enter a value for the Security Code.

Messaging Profile section

In the Messaging Profile section, specify the association of a subscriber mailbox for Fred. You can include the following details:

- 1. Add messaging system on which you need to add Fred.
- 2. Add template (system defined and user defined) you want to associate with Fred. Templates are defined in the *Communication System Management* module.
- 3. Add mailbox number for Fred.

Default Contact List

Fred can optionally be given a default Contact List by expanding the Contact List section toward the bottom of the page and pressing the **Add** button to select already administered users as contacts.



These contacts are transferred to Fred's phone if the phone supports contacts feature.

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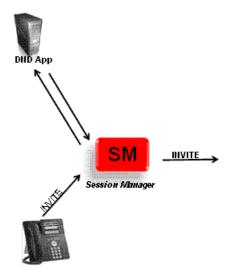
Overview

This case study shows call handling as per user's preferred set of applications using Application Sequence functionality or as per some enterprise dial pattern using Implicit User functionality. Some examples of such applications are as follows:

- · Do-not call and selective call lists
- Caller-ID manipulation Outsourcers or partners calling "on behalf of" their customer
- Conference bridge selector Use built in 6-party conferencing first, then automatically switch to conference bridge (internal or hosted) if greater capacity needed
- Call Screener Could be activated if user is in a meeting or depending on their presence status
- Selective call recording
- Call transcription/archiving

Scenario Definition

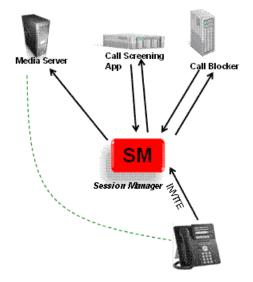
This scenario shows how a call from Barney for Fred is handled using Fred's Application Sequencing definition of his Communication Profile at Termination side.



Origination Side Sequencing

- 1. Barney makes an outbound call.
- 2. Session Manager signals the originating applications associated with Barney.
- 3. The DND Application (Do Not Call) verifies that the called party (Fred) is not listed in "Do Not Call" registry.
- 4. After verification, it forwards the call to Session Manager.
- 5. Session Manager sequences to the next application in the sequence

Termination Side Sequencing



- 1. Session Manager gets INVITE from Trunk.
- 2. Session Manager signals the Terminal Applications for the Called Party (Fred).
- 3. The Call Blocker application does not block call.

- 4. Session Manager signals the next application.
- 5. The call screening application checks Fred's status.
- 6. If Fred is Busy, call screening application forwards request to Media Server.
- 7. The Media Server plays custom message accordingly.

Using Application Sequence

Application Sequence functionality enables you to define and manage a set of applications for call sequencing as per user's Communication Profile. Some of the steps are outlined as follows:

- 1. You should setup application sequences before users are assigned.
- 2. All applications should use Communication Manager as part of the sequence.
- 3. Administer Communication Manager SIP entity beforehand using **Routing > SIP Entities**.
- 4. Associate the user with a particular Session Manager instance and an application sequence as the originating and terminating sets as shown in the *New User Setup Case Study*.

Adding an Application (e.g. CM Feature Server)

- 1. Add the Feature Server SIP Entity You need to add the Communication Manager feature server as a SIP Entity in the Routing application.
- 2. Add the Application The Communication Manager feature server can now be administered as an application using the Session Manager application.
 - For administering applications, use Elements > Session Manager > Application Configuration > Applications. The main page displays a list of currently administered applications. Click the New button to add a new

application.

Applications This page allows you to add, edit, or remove applicati Application Entries	ons for available SIP Entities.	
New Fift Deete		
9 Items Refresh		
Application Name	SIP Entity	Description
DNDApp Media Server	DNDApp Media Server	
Call Screening App	Call Screening App	
Call Blocker	Call Blocker	
ACM	ACM	

• Enter a name for the application as *ACM* and select the associated Communication Manager feature server for the SIP Entity input. Also select the CM System for this Communication Manager (you need to add an entity of type *CM* previously using **Elements** > **Inventory** > **Manage Applications**) for the data synchronization to System Manager.

Applica	tion Edit	tor	
Applicatio	on Editor		
*SIP Entity	ACM	CM" from Routing	> SIP Entities •CM added on Elements
*CM System for SIP Entity Description	ACM	Refresh CM Systems	 > Inventory > Manage Applications (for data synchronisation to System Manager)

Add other applications to be added in the Fred's Application Sequence.



By itself, an application cannot be associated with a user. Only application sequences consisting of one or more applications assigned in an order can be associated with a user for call routing.

Creating an Application Sequence from Existing Applications

 The Application Sequences web page is located below the Applications page (Elements > Session Manager > Application Configuration > Application Sequences). The main page displays all currently administered Application Sequences. Press the New button to add a new sequence.

	cation Sequences allows you to add, edit, or remove sequences of applications.
8239708239708233	ation Sequences
New	
1 Item	Refresh
	Name Description
¥2	OrigSegApp
\$7°	TermSeqApp
Select :	All, None (0 of 1 Selected)

2. Name the application sequence and click the (+) icon next to an available application (such as the Communication Manager Feature Server — ACM). Now, the selected application (ACM) will get added in the *Applications in this Sequence* table. This

Applicat	tion Seq	juence Edito	D r			Commit Cancel
sequence	Name					
Name Description	TermSeqA	pp Name the	e Sequence			
Applicatio	ns in this \$	Sequence				
Move First						
1 Item	Τh	is table shows	s the current applica	tions in the Seque	nce	
Se qui Order last)	ence r (first to	Name	SIP Entity	Mandatory	Descript	tion
	8	<u>Media Server</u>	Media Server		descriptio	n
Select : All, N Available	•			Checked means fail if they can through this ap	not be routed	
9 Items Ref	Clic in t	ck + to add an the application	application n sequence	_	1	Filter: Enabl
Name	CONC.		SIP Entity	Des	scription	
+ DNDAp + Media S			DNDApp Media Server			
+ Call Scr + Call Bloc	eening App		Call Screening App Call Blocker			
🕳 ACM			ACM			

suggests that ACM is now a part of the Application Sequence.

Administering Implicit Users

The Implicit User functionality allows routing calls to and/or from a specified dial pattern through application sequences. This is similar to specifying an origination and termination application sequence for a user, but it allows application sequencing to be applied to any dial pattern as opposed to a phone number for a user's registered phone. However at first, a match on an explicit users dial pattern is attempted. If no match is found, then an attempt is made to match on an implicit user. Some of the important points about Implicit Users are:

- · Implicit users are not registered users
- Users can be on Third Party PBXs
- Also includes DCP, Analog or H.323 CM users
- · Identified by phone numbers or extensions
- Can have Origination and Termination application sequences

To create an Implicit User rule:

 From the navigation pane on the System Manager Common Console, click Elements > Session Manager > Application Configuration > Implicit Users to open the Implicit Users screen.

Implic	cit User Rule	85					
New	Edit						
1 Item	Refresh						Filter: Enable
	Pattern	Min	Мах	STP Domain	Origination Application Sequence	Termination Application	Descriptio
	30 35384000	10	10	avaya.com	acquence	Sequence CM Feature Server	

2. Click **New**. The Implicit User Rule Editor screen appears. The pattern, min and max input fields are similar to those on the Dial Pattern web page and are used to specify a dial pattern. The *SIP Domain* field allows restricting the origination and termination application sequencing to calls from or to a matching phone number on the specified domain only.

Implicit (Jser Rule Editor	
* Pattern	3035384000	
* Min	10	
* Max	10	
Description		
SIP Domain	avaya.com	
Origination Application Sequence	Select Origination Application Sequence 💌	
Termination Application Sequence	CM Feature Server	

3. On the Implicit User Rule Editor screen, enter the appropriate information and click **Commit**.

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