



Release Notes for Cisco TV CDS 2.1.2

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Enhancements

Release 2.1.2 is a maintenance release and consists of resolved caveats and the Multiple Source Output Port (SOP) feature. See the [“Resolved Caveats” section on page 21](#) for more information.

Multiple SOPs

The Multiple SOP feature applies to RTSP environments that are using an NGOD deployment. The Multiple SOPs feature introduces the ability to create SOP domains at the System Level and associate a virtual IP address with each domain. The stream interfaces on the Streamer are grouped by using the Route Tables page and associated with an SOP domain and virtual IP address. This allows for the grouping of the stream interfaces on a Streamer into two groups, each group associated with an SOP domain and virtual IP address, in order to direct traffic from the stream interfaces to two different routers.

The logical SOP appears to the other NGOD components as a single interface, but internally to the CDS, the logical SOP could represent multiple physical interfaces on multiple Streamers. All the physical interfaces of a logical SOP are directed to one router, while the interfaces of another logical SOP are directed to a different router. Each Streamer, defined by a logical SOP, connected to a different router.

In Release 2.1.1 and Previous Releases

In Release 2.1.1 and previous releases that were configured for an RTSP environment with an NGOD deployment, the CDSM provided a Server Level configuration page, the RTSP Setup page, which included configuration fields for the physical SOP IP and port and the logical SOP. The physical SOP IP and port were the IP address and port number of the gigabit Ethernet interface that was used as the SOP on the Streamer. The logical SOP was the domain name used for identification purposes to the On Demand Resource Manager (ODRM).

The logical SOP (domain name of the SOP) was tied to the entire Streamer. The Streamer is part of a Stream Group, and you could have multiple Stream Groups in a system, each supporting a different SOP.

The logical SOP domain name, maximum number of streams, and maximum bandwidth for each SOP are provided to the ODRM vendor, who uses this information along with the service group information, QAM device information, and so on, to configure their system.

In Release 2.1.2

In Release 2.1.2, for an RTSP environment with an NGOD deployment, the SOP domain name and a virtual IP address are added by way of the System Level configuration page–Source Output Port page. Each group of stream interfaces on a Streamer are represented by a virtual IP address and SOP domain.

Each Streamer’s stream interfaces (or stream/cache interfaces) connect to two routers with half the interfaces directed to one router and the other half of the interfaces directed to the other router. This is accomplished by way of the Server Level configuration page–Route Tables page.

If there are three Streamers, for example, with stream interfaces 1–6 going to router 1 and stream interfaces 7–12 going to router 2 the following SOPs need to be created:

- SOP A is defined as interfaces 1–6 on Streamer 1, 2, and 3
- SOP B is defined as interfaces 7–12 on Streamers 1, 2, and 3

The Multiple SOP feature allows for stream routing control, provides balance across the routers, and provides redundancy in case of a transport network failure. If a stream interface fails, another stream interface in the same SOP takes over.

Changes to the CDSM GUI

The CDSM GUI has the following changes for the Multiple SOP feature:

- Physical SOP IP, Physical SOP Port, and Logical SOP have been removed from the RTSP Setup page.
- SOP drop-down list was added to the Route Tables page.
- New configuration page, Source Output Port page, was added at the System Level.

Configuring Multiple SOPs in Release 2.1.2

The following rules apply for the Multiple SOP feature:

- There is a one-to-one relationship between the SOP virtual IP address and domain name, and the stream interface subnet configured in the Route Tables page.
- An SOP virtual IP address and domain name cannot span multiple source subnets and a source subnet cannot span multiple SOPs.
- An SOP virtual IP address and domain name cannot span more than one Stream Group.



Note

Before upgrading to Release 2.1.2, log in to the CDSM, choose **Configure > Server Level > RTSP Server**, select the IP address of a Streamer and write down the settings for the SOP fields for each Streamer.

To configure the Multiple SOP feature, do the following:

- Step 1** Choose **Configure > System Level > Source Output Port**. The Source Output Port page is displayed.
- Step 2** In the **SOP Name** field, enter the domain name of this Streamer for identification purposes to the On Demand Resource Manager (ODRM). In Release 2.1.1 and previous releases, this was the Logical SOP field on the RTSP Setup page.
- Step 3** In the **Virtual IP** field, enter the virtual IP address for this SOP.
- Step 4** Click **Submit**.
- Step 5** Repeat [Step 2](#) to [Step 4](#) for each SOP.
- Step 6** Choose **Configure > Server Level > Route Tables**. The Route Tables page is displayed.



Note

If you upgraded from Release 2.1.1, you have already resubmitted the Route Table page with the new settings for each CDS server. If you are upgrading from Release 2.0, see the [“Upgrading from Release 2.0 to Release 2.1.2” section on page 41](#). If you are upgrading from a previous release, please see the [“Upgrading from Release 1.5.1.x or Release 1.6.x” section on page 40](#).

- Step 7** From the drop-down list, select Streamer’s IP address and click **Display**.
- Step 8** Enter the network, subnet mask, gateway in the appropriate fields for the subnet you are defining for the SOP. For more information, see the “Configuring the Route Table” section in the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 RTSP Software Configuration Guide*.

- Step 9** From the **Route Type** drop-down list, select **CServer Source**. To enter a subnet route for an SOP you must select **CServer Source** as the Route Type.
- Step 10** Click **Submit**.
- Step 11** Repeat [Step 7](#) to [Step 10](#) for each SOP.
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Supported Environments

Release 2.1.2 of the Cisco TV CDS supports the following environments and associated backoffice integrations:

- ISA environment
 - Tandberg OpenStream backoffice
 - Onewave backoffice
- RTSP environment
 - SeaChange Axiom backoffice (NGOD architecture)
 - EventIS
 - Minerva
 - Quative
 - Myrio
 - Coship
 - Eyeka

System Requirements

The Cisco TV CDS Release 2.1.2 runs on the CDE110, CDE220, and CDE420. See the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 110 Hardware Installation Guide*, and the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 205/220/420 Hardware Installation Guide*.

The Cisco TV CDS Release 2.1.2 also runs on the CDE100, CDE200, CDE300, and CDE400 hardware models that use the Lindenhurst chipset. See the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine CDE100/200/300/400 Hardware Installation Guide* for set up and installation procedures.

Release 2.1.2 does not support the CDEs with the ServerWorks chipset. All CDEs with the ServerWorks chipset need to be replaced with the CDEs with the Lindenhurst chipset or the Next Generation Appliances (CDE110, CDE220, and CDE420) before upgrading to Release 2.1.2.

See the [“Related Documentation”](#) section on [page 51](#) for links to the documentation online.

Limitations and Restrictions

There are no limitations nor restrictions in Release 2.1.2.

Important Notes

In order for CCP traffic to work properly in the CDS, the following configuration needs to exist:

- Thin pipe mapping must be configured in the CDS
- DiffServ AF settings must be configured on the CDS servers
- Routers must support the bandwidths that configured for the thin pipe mapping on the CDS

Thin Pipe Mapping

The CDSM GUI's Thin Pipe Map page allows you to configure low-bandwidth connections between local and remote groups. A local group consists of CDS servers in the same local area network (LAN). A remote group consists of all the CDS servers that are reachable by way of a wide area network (WAN).

There can be multiple thin pipes configured for each local group. As an example, a site with Caching Nodes organized into a Cache Group could have one 500-Mbps thin pipe going to a site with a Vault Group, and a second 500-Mbps thin pipe going to a location with a Stream Group. The thin pipes are completely independent of each other.

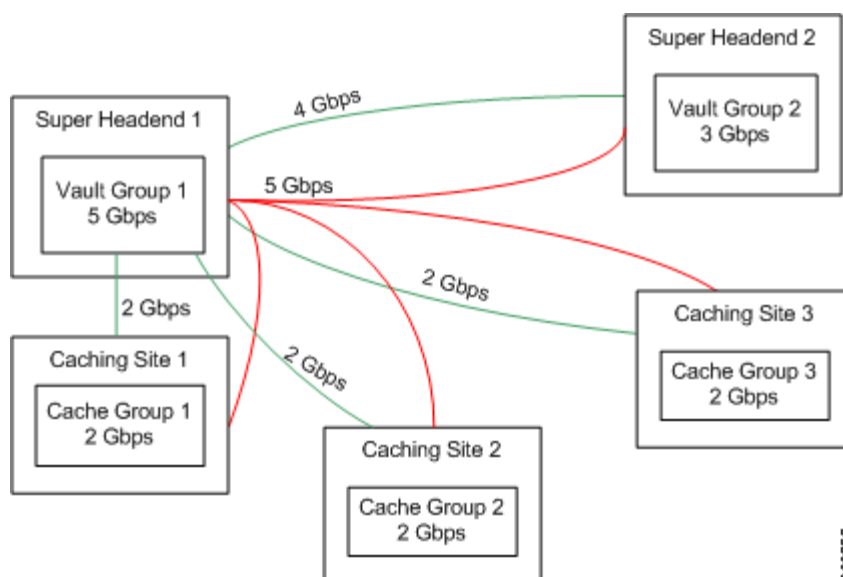
The Thin Pipe Map page also allows for the configuration of thin pipes in a hierarchy, where a remote group must be reached through several pipes. For example, a Cache Group could have a 500 Mbps thin pipe over which it streams to three Stream Groups. Each Stream Group could have separate 100 Mbps thin pipes. In this case, the Cache Group traffic on egress to all Stream Groups is limited to 500 Mbps, while ingress traffic to each Stream Group from this Cache Group is limited to 100 Mbps. In this example, the Cache Group would have four thin pipes configured: one 500 Mbps pipe to all three Stream Groups, and a total of three 100 Mbps pipes, one to each individual Stream Group.



Note

In the CDSM, the configured bandwidth for CCP on the Thin Pipe Map page must be the minimum bandwidth reserved for the AF class. The sum of the bandwidths of all physical links configured for CCP among all sites must be less than the bandwidth configured for the AF class reserved for CCP.

As an example, [Figure 1](#) shows the maximum bandwidth available for the various groups in a Virtual Video Infrastructure (VVI) system with two super headends (SHEs), three caching sites, and one streaming site.

Figure 1 *Thin Pipe Example***Note**

The maximum bandwidth available is dictated by the physical link, as well as any network design constraints placed on bandwidth availability. If a switched network has further restrictions, for example, Vault Group 1 (VG1) to Vault Group 2 (VG2) and Cache Group 3 (CG3) share a 3 Gbps link on the route between VG1 and the other two sites, then another thin pipe must be configured to specify this 3 Gbps restriction.

Table 1 lists the thin pipe mappings that would be configured for the Vault Group 1 illustrated in Figure 1.

Table 1 *Thin Pipe Mappings for Thin Pipe Example*

Thin Pipe Map	Remote Group	Bandwidth
Vault Group 1 (VG1)		
VG1toAll	Vault Group 2, Cache Group 1, Cache Group 2, Cache Group 3	5 Gbps
VG1toVG2	Vault Group 2	4 Gbps
VG1toCG1	Cache Group 1	2 Gbps
VG1toCG2	Cache Group 2	2 Gbps
VG1toCG3	Cache Group 3	2 Gbps
Vault Group 2 (VG2)		
VG2toAll	Vault Group 1, Cache Group 1, Cache Group 2, Cache Group 3	4 Gbps
VG2toCG1	Cache Group 1	2 Gbps
VG2toCG2	Cache Group 2	2 Gbps
VG2toCG3	Cache Group 3	2 Gbps
Cache Group 1 (CG1)		
CG1toAll	Vault Group 1, Vault Group 2, Cache Group 2, Cache Group 3	2 Gbps

Table 1 *Thin Pipe Mappings for Thin Pipe Example (continued)*

Thin Pipe Map	Remote Group	Bandwidth
CG2toSG1	Stream Group 1	3 Gbps
Cache Group 2 (CG2)		
CG2toAll	Vault Group 1, Vault Group 2, Cache Group 1, Cache Group 3	2 Gbps
Cache Group 3 (CG3)		
CG3toAll	Vault Group 1, Vault Group 2, Cache Group 1, Cache Group 3	2 Gbps

The thin pipes configured in [Table 1](#) ensures that the bandwidth for Vault Group 1 never exceeds the maximum bandwidth available for Vault Group 1, which is 5 Gbps. This means that even if all remote groups were requesting cache-fills from Vault Group 1, which would be a maximum throughput of 9 Gbps, the actual maximum bandwidth of cache-fill traffic coming from Vault Group 1 would never exceed 5 Gbps.

Configuring QoS Settings on the CDS Servers

There needs to be a dedicated Differentiated Services (DiffServ) Assured Forwarding (AF) class for the CCP traffic. The Assured Forwarding PHB guarantees a certain amount of bandwidth to an AF class and allows access to extra bandwidth, if available. There are four AF classes, AF1x through AF4x. Within each class, there are three drop probabilities (low, medium, and high).



Note

The sum of all bandwidths configured for CCP traffic cannot exceed the bandwidth configured for the AF classes reserved for CCP.

[Table 1](#) lists the DSCP parameters that are configured in the setupfile, the data types that use each parameter, and the required DSCP value for each. The DSCP value can be any number from 0 to 63, but in order for CCP traffic to work properly, the DSCP value must be one of the values listed in [Table 2](#).

Table 2 *DSCP Values Configured in Setupfile*

DCSP Settings	AF1x Class	AF2x Class	AF3x Class	AF4x Class	Data Types
cache_priority0 _dscp <value>	14 (AF13)	22 (AF23)	30 (AF33)	38 (AF43)	Remote smoothing traffic (Vault to Vault) and prefetched traffic (Vault to Caching Node to Streamer) must be set for high drop probability.
cache_priority1 _dscp <value>	14 (AF13)	22 (AF23)	30 (AF33)	38 (AF43)	Mirroring traffic for creating additional mirrored copies (Vault to Vault) must be set for high drop.
cache_priority2 _dscp <value>	14 (AF13)	22 (AF23)	30 (AF33)	38 (AF43)	Repair traffic that is recovering striped data lost because of a drive failure (Vault to Vault) must be set for high drop.
cache_priority3 _dscp <value>	14 (AF13)	22 (AF23)	30 (AF33)	38 (AF43)	Mirroring of live ingest traffic (Vault to Vault) must be set for high drop.
cache_priority4 _dscp <value>	12 (AF12)	20 (AF22)	28 (AF32)	36 (AF42)	Committed rate traffic (Vault or Caching Node or Streamer to Vault or Caching Node or Streamer) must be set for medium drop.

Table 2 *DSCP Values Configured in Setupfile (continued)*

DCSP Settings	AF1x Class	AF2x Class	AF3x Class	AF4x Class	Data Types
cache_priority5_dscp <value>	10 (AF11)	18 (AF21)	26 (AF31)	34 (AF41)	Lost packet recovery for committed rate traffic (Vault or Caching Node or Streamer to Vault or Caching Node or Streamer) must be set for low drop.
cache_priority6_dscp <value>	10 (AF11)	18 (AF21)	26 (AF31)	34 (AF41)	Handles the following data types that must be set for low drop: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> High-priority lost packet recovery for committed rate traffic (Vault or Caching Node or Streamer to Vault or Caching Node or Streamer) iGate and index file transmission (Vault or Caching Node to Streamer) First part of mirror data going to a new Vault (Vault to Vault)
cache_priority7_dscp <value>	14 (AF13)	22 (AF23)	30 (AF33)	38 (AF43)	Lost packet recovery of mirroring traffic (Vault to Vault) must be set for high drop.
control_dscp <value>	10 (AF11)	18 (AF21)	26 (AF31)	34 (AF41)	The control value is for the control traffic and must be set for low drop.
cache_dscp <value>	If the cache_priority value is not specified then the cache_dscp value is used for that priority. All cache_priority DSCP values must be set in order for Thin Pipe Mapping to work properly.				
transport_dscp <value>	A DSCP value other than those used for the cache_priority settings.				The transport value is for the traffic going from a Streamer to a STB or QAM device.

Currently, the values for the DSCP parameters must be set manually in the setupfile. Log in to each CDS server as *root* and edit the setupfile by adding the parameters described in [Table 2](#). The setupfile file is located in the */arroyo/test* directory.

**Caution**

Do not attempt to access the Linux command line unless you are familiar with the CDS, the Linux operating system, and have an understanding of the Linux command line.

Following are the fields that have to be added to the setupfile on each CDS server grouped by AF class. For convenience, you can copy the text of the appropriate settings for the AF class you want to use and paste it into the setupfile.

To configure for class AF1 add the following lines to the setupfile:

```
cache_priority0_dscp 14
cache_priority1_dscp 14
cache_priority2_dscp 14
cache_priority3_dscp 14
cache_priority4_dscp 12
cache_priority5_dscp 10
cache_priority6_dscp 10
cache_priority7_dscp 14
control_dscp 10
```

To configure for class AF2 add the following lines to the setupfile:

```
cache_priority0_dscp 22
cache_priority1_dscp 22
cache_priority2_dscp 22
```



```
cache_priority3_dscp 22
cache_priority4_dscp 20
cache_priority5_dscp 18
cache_priority6_dscp 18
cache_priority7_dscp 22
control_dscp 18
```

To configure for class AF3 add the following lines to the setupfile:

```
cache_priority0_dscp 30
cache_priority1_dscp 30
cache_priority2_dscp 30
cache_priority3_dscp 30
cache_priority4_dscp 28
cache_priority5_dscp 26
cache_priority6_dscp 26
cache_priority7_dscp 30
control_dscp 26
```

To configure for class AF4 add the following lines to the setupfile:

```
cache_priority0_dscp 38
cache_priority2_dscp 38
cache_priority3_dscp 38
cache_priority4_dscp 36
cache_priority5_dscp 34
cache_priority6_dscp 34
cache_priority7_dscp 38
control_dscp 34
```

Open Caveats

This release contains the following open caveats:

Caching Node

- CSCta26804

Symptom:

Streams are dropped when a Caching Node is brought down.

Conditions:

With two Caching Nodes running, bring down one Caching Node and a number of streams on the surviving Caching Node are dropped.

Workaround:

None.

CDSM

- CSCso77551

Symptom:

When scheduling a day's events for a channel, error messages are displayed in the scheduler complaining about events in the past, even for already scheduled event.

Conditions:

Schedule all the events in a channel by clicking the channel name. Make sure that there are some schedule events before the current time.

Workaround:

NONE. This message is harmless and can be ignored.

- CSCsu67090

Symptom:

When DNS Settings are configured and then deleted, they are not removed from the hosts. /etc/resolv.conf

Conditions:

Create DNS settings through the CDSM and then delete them.

Workaround:

Statsd will regenerate these configurations when it is restarted. Restart statsd or reboot server to have the deleted settings removed.

- CSCsv28319

Symptom:

When host entries are created and then deleted, they are not removed from the /etc/hosts.

Conditions:

Create host entries through the CDSM and then delete them.

Workaround:

Edit the /etc/hosts file manually.

- CSCsz81489

Symptom:

When host entries are created and then deleted, they are not removed from the /etc/hosts.

Conditions:

Create host entries through the CDSM and then delete them.

Workaround:

Edit the /etc/hosts file manually to remove the incorrect records.

- CSCta34676

Symptom:

A port used for stream, cache or cache/stream is rejected for use by cserver.

Conditions:

An Ethernet port used for stream, cache or cache-fill is in 100Mbps and not 1Gbps. Ports that are unable to negotiate 1Gbps are rejected by the cserver, however, on the GUI they are not listed as red or down, because the port is up.

Workaround:

Check ethernet switch configurations to validate the port can negotiate 1Gbps. Secondly replace the ethernet cable to see if there is a problem with that.

- CSCta60580

Symptom:

When DNS Settings are configured and then deleted, they are not removed from the hosts /etc/resolv.conf

Conditions:

Create DNS settings through the CDSM and then delete them.

Workaround:

Statsd will regenerate these configurations when it is restarted. Restart statsd or reboot server to have the deleted settings removed.

- CSCtb20761

Symptom:

Restarting the SNMP service from CDSM does not seem to work.

Conditions:

Using the restart button on CDSM fails to restart the snmp daemon.

Workaround:

kill -HUP the daemon (if configuration changes are made) or kill and restart the daemon directly.

Database

- CSCta98395

Symptom:

CDSM database crashes when scheduling events through the GUI.

Conditions:

This issue can happen when an excessive number of events (e.g. 5 min. events for 24 hours a day 7 days a week on several channels) is requested to be scheduled.

Workaround:

Reduce the number of scheduled events per channel per day.

- CSCtb09704

Symptom:

CDSM database crashes when recording events.

Conditions:

This issue can happen when an excessive number of events (e.g. 5 min. events for 24 hours a day 7 days a week on several channels) is being processed for recording.

Workaround:

Reduce the number of scheduled events per channel per day.

RTSP

- CSCtb38508

Symptom:

Ampersand escape sequence in FSI request will not be taken as "&" in attributes.

Conditions:

Requests that include the special character of ampersand.

Workaround:

No workaround. Requests might avoid this special character.

Vault

- CSCta47772

Symptom:

If all the Vaults in the group are set to offloaded state, then new ingests are still accepted on the master Vault.

Conditions:

All Vaults in the group are set to offloaded state.

Workaround:

Do not issue new ingest requests if Vaults are offloaded.

Ingest Manager

- CSCsz84213

Symptom:

AIM GetPackageStatus returns wrong status.

Conditions:

If an UpdatePackage operation fails, subsequent GetPackageStatus operations would return the wrong status for this package.

Workaround:

Perform a successful UpdatePackage or remove the package and ingest the package again.

CServer

- CSCsz66255

Symptom:

This problem is introduced because of supporting new feature in the 2.1. The new feature allows to disable the (+ffx) speed for an asset in the playlist at the stream setup time. If an asset is repeated in the playlist by once or more and the same asset still allows to play +ffx speed in other segments then to disable the +ffx speed does not take effect.

Conditions:

This problem occurs only in very specific conditions.

1. It has to be playlist setup.

2. There should a flag set to disable the +ffx speeds of an asset in the playlist.
3. The same asset that has set to disable the +ffx speeds also repeated in the playlist without disabling the +ffx speeds.

Workaround:

1. The asset that does disable the +ffx speeds in the play list should not be repeated in the list.
2. If it is repeated in the playlist then it should have the same policies to enable or disable the +ffx speeds.

- CSCtb14959

Symptom:

Log file is not create when disk runs out of space.

Conditions:

When a disk runs out of space and the log file is rolling over to a new file, the new log file creation fails because there is no disk space.

Workaround:

Delete some content so the disk will have room to create the new log file.

- CSCtb00703

Symptom:

Assert enters debugger.

Conditions:

File system contains large objects 8GB or bigger.

Workaround:

Do not create large objects.

- CSCtb17542

Symptom:

Cache/Fill NICs on Vaults show up as malfunctioning adapters in the protocoltiming logfile.

Conditions:

A combination of reduced cache/fill NICs (3 or less), high fill load (in the 1000s), and active local evaluators (local smoothing, defrag).

Workaround:

Turn off local evaluators by default, and run local evaluators at non-peak time. A couple of scripts (avs_stopLocalEvaluators and avs_startLocalEvaluators) are available to properly stop and start the local evaluators. These scripts can be incorporated in a cron job to run local evaluators at non-peak time.

- CSCsx17185

Symptom:

On live ingest, if a drive fails, some content may be lost.

Conditions:

When ingesting live content and a drive fails where content is being written to, some holes in the content may occur.

Workaround:

If possible reingest the content.

- CSCsx53364

Symptom:

Cache-fill transfers from a cache node of a non-cached asset has additional start delay time.

Conditions:

The additional delay is incurred due to starting and processing of cache-fill from Vault server to cache node.

Workaround:

There is no workaround. The net-effect to the consumer is additional stream start delay time around 400ms.

- CSCsx93294

Symptom:

Null streams may be played when more than 2432 streams are played on a Streamer

Conditions:

If more than 2432 streams are played those streams in some cases may play null streams.

Workaround:

The sure workaround is not to play more than 2432 streams per Streamer. This does not happen in all cases but if it does reduce the number of streams below 2432.

- CSCta26804

Symptom:

When there are multiple cache servers at a site, the failure of one cache server may cause another cache server to drop some of its active streams.

Conditions:

This can occur if the surviving cache server does not have enough capacity to immediately take over the streams from the failed cache server.

Workaround:

Keep the load on the cache servers at a level where the surviving cache server can pickup the streams from the failed cache server.

- CSCta27376

Symptom:

Deleted content could still be present on the mirroring Vaults.

Conditions:

This happens in the FSI environment if a mirroring Vault is disabled when the deletion takes place. The deletion of the object would not be reflected on the disabled Vault even after that Vault is brought back up (though the corresponding entry in the content database would be deleted, making that object an orphan).

Workaround:

Clean up orphaned objects manually with the scripts provided.

- CSCta38890

Symptom:

The maximum number of unique streams that can be filled from a Vault and played simultaneously is less than the number supported on the 2.0 release by 19 streams

Conditions:

The Streamer must be streaming at maximum load with the maximum number of unique streams and with none of the content located in the Streamer's disk cache, so that every stream is filling the content from the Vault. This problem only occurs when using standard size network frames to fill content from the Vault.

Workaround:

Play some streams from content that is already in the Streamer disk cache, or play multiple streams on some of the content, or use jumbo size network frames to fill content from the Vault.

- CSCtb30715

Symptom:

This bug will cause the system to Page-Fault and enter the debugger.

Conditions:

This condition is due to a failing device or possibly intermittent communication errors.

Workaround:

Remove or replace the offending device.

- CSCtb32108

Symptom:

Directory write did not complete in the allocated time because polling process was running too slowly for a short time

Conditions:

Freeing memory was taking too much time

Workaround:

- This is not easily reproducible. Problem is self-correcting.CSCsz34225

Symptom:

When the network is partitioned so that the primary and backup Streamers cannot communicate with each other, some streams by become stuck and stop playing.

Conditions:

This problem may occur when the Streamer which is in the role of setup primary is also control backup, and the Streamer which is in the role of control primary is also setup backup. This is not a typical configuration. To create this configuration requires that the setup service address and the control service address be separate addresses and not be shared. In addition it requires that some servers in the Streamer array are configured to host both the control service address and the setup service address, while other servers in the Streamer array are configured to host the control service address but are not configured to host the setup service address.

Workaround:

When a Streamer array is being configured to support both setup and control services, use a single service address to share both of these functions. If you need to use two separate service addresses for setup and control, then making sure that each server that is a configured to host the control service addresses is also configured to host the setup service address.

- CSCta98972

Symptom:

Warning message on system console.

Conditions:

Unclear. We would need to drop the system into the debugger when this condition is detected to determine why this is happening.

Workaround:

Just ignore these messages.

- CSCtb28920

Symptom:

The c2k log file on a streamer contains many "play-callback" entries reporting READ_FAILURE errors for a given stream. Eventually, the stream stops responding to stream play commands.

Conditions:

This issue occurs when a site using separate streamer and content-store servers (as opposed to integrated streamer-vaults) attempts to playback live content close to the live point in a given stream. This occurs in CDS 2.1.1 and prior versions.

Workaround:

The following command can be used to force fast-forward play commands to return an NPT that is no closer than 3 seconds to the live point of the stream:

```
echo bb8 > /proc/calypso/tunables/cm_closetolivedelay
```

- CSCtb24037

Symptom:

Assert enters the debugger because the system runs out of memory.

Conditions:

System mis-configured such that the mirroring bandwidth is unable to keep up with the ingest traffic for an extended period of time. In this case, the ingest traffic was many times greater than the thin pipe limitations imposed on the mirroring traffic while attempting to ingest 15,000 assets.

Workaround:

Properly configure mirroring bandwidth to be able to keep up with the ingest traffic. Keep in mind that when trick modes are generated this traffic also needs to be mirrored, not just the 1X object.

- CSCsw79171

Symptom:

When a vault is server offloaded, the protocol timing log will not specifically state that the server has been offloaded.

Conditions:

The offload functionality on vaults does not specifically notify the cache server component that it should be placed offline as its managed by the back office integration application. As a result the informational message is not displayed in the cserver logs.

Workaround:

There is no workaround for the issue.

- CSCsw50536

Symptom:

When there are multiple vaults at a site, the failure of one vault may cause another vault to drop some of the active fill streams to streamers

Conditions:

This can occur if the surviving vault does not have enough capacity to immediately take over the streams from the failed vault.

Workaround:

Keep the load on the vaults at a level where the surviving vault can pickup the streams from the failed cache server.

- CSCsw87409

Symptom:

If a Streamer gets out of capacity for live content streaming, the number of active streams may not be reported correctly in protocoltiming.log.

Conditions:

If over 160 channels of live content is played for 480 streams on 2 Streamers, this error may occur.

Workaround:

The workaround is to increase the number of Streamers to stream the live content.

- CSCsx17357

Symptom:

Streams lost packets.

Conditions:

Test conditions removing and adding disks while live ingesting.

Workaround:

Do not remove/reinsert drives.

- CSCsx18109

Symptom:

When a network error occurs and connectivity between servers (Vault, Streamer, etc.) the network becomes partitioned and error recovery begins.

Conditions:

If routers fail, networks go down, cables fail, NICs fail, etc. then errors occur, streams will begin to fail and the system will try to recover those streams so they continue playing.

Workaround:

When the admin discovers that a network problem occurred they should begin to reassign the failed streams to other Streamers.

- CSCsx61185

Symptom:

The Protocol Timing Log reports messages similar to the following: "Device 15 average seek time of 116ms is greater than 100ms"

Conditions:

These messages can occur for a variety of reasons and they are not necessarily an indication of eminent failure. Should a device persist in poor performance then the device will eventually be abandoned by the system.

Workaround:

None.

- CSCsy90305

Symptom:

Cannot handle intermediary network path failures.

Conditions:

Network failures occur.

Workaround:

Correct instability in network.

- CSCta19793

Symptom:

Some objects are not able to be written to disk. This warning message appears incessantly in the protocol timing log.

Conditions:

An objects is sufficiently fragmented such that the data cannot be successfully striped to the available disk drives.

Workaround:

None. However, the known conditions that cause objects to get into this state (highly fragmented) have been fixed.

- CSCta26321

Symptom:

Not all streams recover when a Streamer fails

Conditions:

If there are two Streamers in an array and one of the Streamers (A) is running near capacity (~2500 streams) and the other one (B) is idle, if the A crashes, not all the streams that were running will fail over and continue to play.

Workaround:

Balance the work loads between the Streamers so that they both handle the load and don't run them at full capacity but leave enough headroom so that fail overs can occur.

- CSCta34840

Symptom:

Number of streams can become unbalanced on the NIC streaming ports if ports cables are unplugged and replugged in reverse order.

Conditions:

Unplug ports 10, 11, 12, and 13, and replug them back in this order, 13, 12, 11, 10. NIC port 13 will have more streams than the other ports.

Workaround:

As the system accepts new stream requests and destroys other ones, the system will re-balance itself over time.

- CSCta79178

Symptom:

Some media objects with no corresponding database entries are found to be present on the disk.

Conditions:

This issue happens when there is mirroring going on during the ingest process and the network connectivity to the mirroring vault is lost. In addition, the ingest needs to fail (for example, due to an external factor such as the FTP server from where the file is downloaded goes down) for this problem to show up.

Workaround:

None.

- CSCta95296

Symptom:

When on a stream is paused and then play is resumed, the play will resume in the wrong location.

Conditions:

When a stream is paused and the Streamer crashes while the stream is paused, the stream will fail over to another Streamer. When this happens the stream that was paused will begin playing in the wrong location when resumed by the viewer.

Workaround:

Rewind or fast forward to the correct location and begin playing the stream.

- CSCta95322

Symptom:

When doing a rewind on a stream it will start rewinding in the wrong location.

Conditions:

When a stream is being rewound and the Streamer crashes, the stream will fail over to another Streamer. When this happens the stream that was rewinding will begin playing in the wrong location.

Workaround:

Rewind or fast forward to the correct location and begin playing the stream.

- CSCtb02690

Symptom:

Macroblocks on 1x jumps.

Conditions:

When doing 1x jumps VOO-style

Workaround:

In work.

- CSCtb10402

Symptom:

File fails to ingest and there are error messages printed to the c2k log regarding the "problem goid".

Conditions:

This issue is apparent when more than 20 parallel ingest requests are submitted.

Workaround:

Ensure that the number of parallel ingests are less than 20. The issue will not happen if ingests are done in a serial fashion.

- CSCsz88494

Symptom:

Potential visible artifacts at stream transition point.

Conditions:

Faulty network conditions or overloaded servers.

Workaround:

None.

- CSCtb32568

Symptom:

Occasionally, the length of an FTP Out object is too short when the content must be filled from a remote Vault.

Conditions:

The issue is unlikely to occur on a fully-operational, standard multi-Vault configuration. If one or more Vaults has several non-operational drives, the error condition is more likely to occur. The issue can occur even if only one object at a time is requested.

Workaround:

Verify the content output length matches the length recorded during ingest. If not, repeat the FTP-Out operation. If any disk drives are non-operational, return them to fully-operational state. Request the FTP-Out operation from a Vault that contains an entire local copy of the desired content.

- CSCta33730

Symptom:

FTP Out operations starting at other than the beginning of the content do not match data at the corresponding offset in the original (pre-ingest) content if the content was ingested with rate standardization enabled.

Conditions:

This issue occurs when rate stabilization is enabled.

Workaround:

Start all FTP Out operations at offset zero and download the entire content. Once a local copy of the content has been retrieved, use local file management tools to extract the portion of the content that was desired.

Resolved Caveats

The following caveats have been resolved since Cisco TV CDS Release 2.1. Not all resolved issues are mentioned here. The following list highlights associated with customer deployment scenarios.

CServer

- CSCtb63657

Symptom:

When CServer switches the Play server upon receiving a PLAY request, it sends an Announce message to the client but there is no response to the PLAY unless there is a successful STUN exchange.

- CSCtb15493

Symptom:

When a device is placed in "Repair Mode" due to poor performance, device errors, or device resets, the evaluators are paused. The paused evaluators prevent the storage system from completing its load-balancing or resiliency tasks. This prevents a device from leaving the repair mode. Although the system may appear to remain operational it will not achieve the expected level of performance or resiliency. A device in this state will post repeated messages to /var/log/debugmessages similar to the following: "cdd:err: csd10: IO error 0x2 - ok : ok : CHECK_CONDITION".

- CSCtb24004

Symptom:

The system will page-fault and enter the debugger.

- CSCtb48533

Symptom:

This is defect is for feature enhancement that we need to limit how soon and how many times a drive that is abandoned for performance is brought back online before being declaring it bad.

- CSCtb48470

Symptom:

The Vault hit KDB by performance issue and going in and out of reset mode.

- CSCtb54282

Symptom:

RTSP hang because the cache-fills did not complete.

- CSCsy81247

Symptom:

Streamer hangs RTSP after a splice back to 1x from a trick.

- CSCtb76823

Symptom:

Vaults unable to establish communication after 2.0 ES4 upgrade.

- CSCtb37797

Symptom:

Assert enters debugger.

Conditions:

Large number of evaluators scheduled (this was caused by a mis-configuration where the mirroring traffic could not keep up with the ingest traffic).

- CSCtb34869

Symptom:

Presence for a object is not correct for a short time.

Conditions:

Drive is in Repair mode

- CSCtb28713

Symptom:

The Streamer hosting the setup service can crash if given a malformed content bundle to replace the content bundle of a stream which is already playing

Conditions:

The back end office issues an update content bundle command to replace the content bundle for a stream which is already playing, and the new content bundle is malformed. The reasons that a content bundle may be malformed are 1) it contains no play ranges, 2) A play range has an ending NPT that is before the starting NTP, or 3) the content to be played has a stream rate of 0 Mbps.

- CSCtb24004

Symptom:

The system will page-fault and enter the debugger.

Conditions:

The cause of this rare event is a race condition in the process of a device becoming "SICK" due to excessive errors or resets.

- CSCtb15493

Symptom:

When a device is placed in "Repair Mode" due to poor performance, device errors, or device resets, the evaluators are paused. The paused evaluators prevent the storage system from completing its load-balancing or resiliency tasks. This bug prevents a device from leaving the repair mode. Although the system may appear to remain operational it will not achieve the expected level of performance or resiliency.

A device in this state will post repeated messages to /var/log/debugmessages similar to the following: "cdd:err: csd10: IO error 0x2 - ok : ok : CHECK_CONDITION".

Conditions:

This condition is the result of a rare device failure mode wherein the device does not return error context with an initial failure event. The missing context renders the driver unable to accurately interpret the error condition and the device remains in repair mode.

- CSCta93989

Symptom:

Soft lockups were detected on CPU3.

Conditions:

The network cards on the server were receiving large number of packets before cserver was fully initialized and loaded.

Database

- CSCsz66661

Symptom:

As part of the live ingest process, two copies of a content are created to provide redundancy. If ingest is successful, the backup copy is deleted. However, it is found that, under load situations, DB synchronization sequence might be out-of-order, and some backup copy DB entries are not removed correctly from all Vaults.

Conditions:

This can occur in RTSP/FSI deployments supporting live capture with ingest resiliency enabled. Mostly occurs under high performance/load scenarios.

Vault

- CSCta95302

Symptom:

Ingest fails during certain network failure cases.

Conditions:

cserver returns INGEST_NOT_STARTED to FSI because the FTP data connection is not established immediately.

ISA

- CSCtb92893

Symptom:

The destroyWithReason should send the right RTSP error code.

- CSCtb09531

Symptom:

CDS to report Stream Control errors during Play, NAT Setup, and Pause to the backoffice besides returning the errors directly to the STB.

- CSCtb12469

Symptom:

The issue is introduced because of adding new feature redundant CDSM. There are multiple entries in the /home/isa/.arroyorc file for controller. The isa scripts does not parse the multiple controller IPs correctly so caused this issue. The /home/isa/isa.cfg shows multiple IP listed in the ControllerIP like (e.g. ControllerIP = 192.168.0.100 192.168.0.101).

Conditions:

Adding multiple controller IPs in the /home/isa/.arroyorc file on each Streamers.

RTSP

- CSCtb56168

Symptom:

When a large number of sessions are active, a GET_PARAMETER request to get the session_list fails.

- CSCsz48628

Symptom:

The CDS connection does not fail over to the backup SRM during a half open connection. The CDS sends session setup messages to the primary SRM although it is off the network.

CDSM

- CSCtb62749

Symptom:

Not all Barkers are showing on the following CDSM GUI page: **Monitor > Array Level > Barker Monitor**. It is not possible to delete Barkers that are not displayed in the CDSM GUI.

- CSCtb84211

Symptom:

When changing a field in the Server Setup page, the CDSM tries to validate the local copy count whether the local copy count is modified or not. The proper behavior should be that the CDSM should not allow to increase the copy count if it cannot honor the value due to disk usage. When the local copy count is not modified, that value should be left alone.

Installing and Configuring the TV CDS 2.1 Software

This section includes the following topics:

- [Preparing the CDEs for the TV CDS Software, page 26](#)
- [VVI with Split-Domain Management Installation Procedure, page 27](#)

For a CDS for an ISA environment or RTSP environment, see the software installation procedures included in the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 110 Hardware Installation Guide* and the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 205/220/420 Hardware Installation Guide*. See the “[Related Documentation](#)” section on [page 51](#) for information on accessing these documents.



Note

New CDEs ship with the Linux operating system, the TV CDS 2.0 software, and both the cdsinstall and cdsconfig scripts. Before starting the procedures in this section, you need to download the TV CDS 2.1 ISO image file and the cdsconfig script from the Cisco software download website, and upgrade the software on your new CDE to Release 2.1. For more information, see the “[Upgrading from Release 2.0 to Release 2.1.2](#)” section on [page 41](#).

Release 2.1 introduces two features that require additional information when configuring the CDS servers and the CDSM:

- Virtual Video Infrastructure
- CDSM Redundancy

Virtual Video Infrastructure

Release 2.1 introduces the Virtual Video Infrastructure with Caching Nodes. With the VVI, there is the option to centrally manage all the servers or to use the split-domain management. Split-domain management has two managers:

- Virtual Video Infrastructure Manager (VVIM) manages the Vaults and Caching Nodes
- Stream Manager manages the Stream Domain of Streamers

You can have multiple Stream Domains that are each managed by a separate Stream Manager. Centrally managed VVIs are only supported in an RTSP environment. A VVI in an ISA environment must use split-domain management, as well as Shared Content Store and CCP Streamers. For more information about Shared Content Store and CCP Streamers, see the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*. Each of the VVI configurations has a different installation process.



Note

In an ISA environment, split-domain management and Shared Content Store requires that both the VVIM and Stream Manager be configured with the ISA settings in order to successfully communicate with the BMS. Use the VVIM to configure the Shared ISA settings (Shared ISA Settings page), and use the Stream Manager to configure the individual ISA Stream Service settings (VHO ISA Settings).

CDSM Redundancy

Release 2.1 also introduces CDSM redundancy. All CDS servers keep track of both CDSM IP addresses. Each CDSM keeps track of the other CDSM IP address, as well as the virtual IP address that is used to access the CDSM. When running the cdsconfig script on each CDS server, you need to add each CDSM as a replication member. The CDSM that is chosen as the primary is accessed by using the virtual IP address. When running the cdsconfig script on each CDSM, you are prompted for the virtual IP address and subnet mask. When running the cdsconfig script on a Stream Manager, you are asked if this is the first CDSM that is getting added to the domain. For more information on the CDSM Redundancy feature, see the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS RTSP 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*.

Following is an overview of the procedure to add a second CDSM:

1. As part of the installation process of the CDS servers and CDSM (or VVIM and Stream Manager in split-domain management), the cdsconfig script prompts you to add replication members. Along with adding all the CDS servers, add the second CDSM (VVIM or Stream Manager in split-domain management) as a replication member.
2. When installing the second CDSM (VVIM or Stream Manager in split-domain management), along with adding all the CDS servers as replication members, add the first CDSM (VVIM or Stream Manager in split-domain management) as a replication member.
3. Reboot the CDSMs (VVIMs or Stream Managers in split-domain management) after the cdsconfig script completes in order to start the statsd process for the virtual IP address on each CDSM (VVIM or Stream Manager in split-domain management).

**Note**

During the initialization process of a CDS server or after recovering a CDS server that has been down for more than an hour, the CDS database performs a complete synchronization. The database synchronization takes about five minutes before the server becomes ready for service. If the CDS server is down for a much longer time than an hour, the database synchronization takes longer than five minutes. The **netstat** command does not show the interfaces as up until the synchronization has completed.

Preparing the CDEs for the TV CDS Software

Before performing the software installation and initial configuration, you must correctly install the CDEs and connect the cables as described in the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 110 Hardware Installation Guide* and the *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 205/220/420 Hardware Installation Guide*. See the “[Related Documentation](#)” section on [page 51](#) for information on accessing these documents.

**Note**

As part of the hardware installation of the CDEs, check to make sure all I/O cards are properly and firmly seated, and all cables are firmly connected.

Before you run the initial configuration script, you should gather the following information:

- IP address and subnet mask of the CDE management interface—Typically the eth0 interface is used for the management interface.
- IP address of the default gateway interface—This is the address of the interface on the router that is directly attached to the CDE management (eth0) interface.
- Hostname for the CDE—Name for the device host.
- Group ID—A unique user-defined value. All servers (ssv [ISV], Vault, Streamer, controller [CDSM]) that are part of the same CDS system (managed by one CDSM) have the same group ID. This group ID should be unique across an enterprise.
- Server ID—A unique user-defined value. The ID must be unique for each CDS device.

**Note**

If you are installing a VVI system with split-domain management, the server ID for Streamers in a Stream Domain is generated by the Stream Manager.

- Replication group members—The CDS devices that will be replication group members and the IP address of each member. The servers to include in a replication group depends on the network design for the CDS.

**Note**

With the exception of the server you are configuring, all CDS devices (VVIMs, Stream Managers, ISVs, Vaults, and Streamers) that are members of the replication group should be configured at this time. The server you are configuring is not configured as a replication group member.

- In simple cases, because all CDS servers share information with each other, all servers are in each other’s replication group.

- In more complex cases, only a subset of the servers are included in a replication group. As an example, if Streamers only talk to the CDSM, Vaults, and Streamers within a *specific Streamer group*, then the Streamers replication group includes only these devices.

In both the CDS and VVI, all Vaults and Streamers are identified by an array ID, a group ID, and a server ID. In the CDSM GUI, the array ID identifies servers that are part of the same system, the group ID identifies servers that are part of the same group (Vault Group or Stream Group), and the server ID is a unique number that identifies the server. [Table 1-3](#) lists the CDSM GUI ID names and maps them to the CServer names in the setupfile and .arroyorc files.

Table 1-3 ID Names in the CDSM GUI and CServer Files

CDSM GUI ID Name	CServer Files ID Name
Array ID on the Array Name page	groupid
Group ID on the Server-Level pages	groupid
Stream Group ID on the Server Setup page	arrayid
Cache Group ID on the Server Setup page	arrayid
Vault Group ID on the Server Setup page	arrayid
Stream Group ID on the Configuration Generator page	arrayid

Connecting to the Serial Port on the CDE

The RJ-45 serial ports on the Cisco CDEs front and back panels can be used for administrative access to the CDE through a terminal server. Terminal emulation software must be configured as follows:

- Bits per second: 115200
- Data bits: 8
- Parity: none
- Stop bits: 1
- Hardware flow control: ON

VVI with Split-Domain Management Installation Procedure



Note

New CDEs ship with the Linux operating system, the TV CDS 2.0 software, and both the cdsinstall and cdsconfig scripts. Before starting the procedures in this section, you need to download the TV CDS 2.1 ISO image file and the cdsconfig script from the Cisco software download website, and upgrade the software on your new CDE to Release 2.1. For more information, see the [“Upgrading from Release 2.0 to Release 2.1.2” section on page 41](#).

The order in which you install and configure the CDEs for VVI is very important. The VVIM (Vault/Cache CDSM) and all the Vaults and Caching Nodes in the VVIM domain must be installed and configured first and brought online before the Streamer domain is configured. A high-level view of the installation order follows:

- Step 1** Install and configure the VVIM.
- Follow the [“Installing and Configuring the VVIM”](#) procedure.

- b. Log in to the VVIM as a user that has the engineering access level and configure the VVIM Setup page. For more information, see the “Getting Started” chapter in either the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS RTSP 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*.

Step 2 Install and configure each Vault and Caching Node in the VVIM domain.

- a. Follow the “[Installing and Configuring the Vaults, Caching Nodes, or Streamers](#)” section on [page 35](#).
- b. Log in to the VVIM and configure each Vault and Caching Node using the “VVI Workflow” section in the “Getting Started” chapter in the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS RTSP 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*.



Note

In an ISA environment, the ISA services cannot be started until the Stream Manager is up and at least one Streamer in a Stream Domain has had the VHO Setup and VHO ISA Setup settings configured.

Step 3 Install and configure the Stream Manager.

- a. Follow the “[Installing and Configuring the Stream Manager](#)” section on [page 32](#).
- b. Log in to the Stream Manager as a user that has the engineering access level and configure the CDSM Setup page. For more information, see the “Getting Started” chapter in either the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS RTSP 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*.

Step 4 Install and configure each Streamer completely. Make sure the Streamer is configured completely and displaying in the Stream Manager’s System Health Monitor page before moving on to the next Streamer.

- a. Follow the “[Installing and Configuring the Vaults, Caching Nodes, or Streamers](#)” section on [page 35](#).
- b. Log in to the Stream Manager and configure each Streamer using the “VVI Workflow” section in the “Getting Started” chapter in the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS RTSP 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*.

Step 5 Repeat [Step 3](#) and [Step 4](#) for each Stream Domain.

Step 6 Add any redundant CDSM to either the VVIM or Stream Managers. See the “[CDSM Redundancy](#)” section on [page 25](#) for more information.



Note

During the running of the cdsconfig script, the Stream Manager communicates with the VVIM to get a range of group IDs and server IDs to use in the Stream Domain. If the Stream Manager is unable to connect to the VVIM, the VVIM administrator can manually generate the IDs and send the information to the Stream Manager installer for manual entry. For more information, see the *Cisco TV CDS ISA 2.1 Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS RTSP 2.1 Software Configuration Guide*.

Installing and Configuring the VVIM

To install the TV CDS software and initially configure the VVIM, do the following:

- Step 1** If the Cisco CDE110 is not powered on, press the front panel power switch on the server.
The operating system boots.
- Step 2** Log in as *root* with the password *rootroot*.
- Step 3** So that your password for root is not the default password, use the **passwd** command to change the password used.
- Step 4** To install the TV CDS software, issue the following command and, depending on your deployment type, choose 3 (CDSM) or 4 (CDSM w/ ISA):

```
[root]# ./cdsinstall
```

The following prompt is displayed:

```
Continuing first-time installation after kickstart using image //CDS-TV.iso
Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
```

- ```
1) ISA
2) RTSP
3) CDSM
4) CDSM with ISA
```

```
3
```

```
CDSM Selected
```

```
... Output omitted ...
```

```
Unmounting /mnt/cdrom
inst.sh completed, removing .iso image
```

```
=====
Configure the system for initial installation
=====
```

- Step 5** To run the initial configuration script, issue the **cdsconfig** command. In the prompts displayed by the script, the default values in brackets are taken from the configuration that you just completed.

- If a default value is correct, press **Enter** to accept that value.
- If a default value is incorrect, enter the correct value and press **Enter**.

```
[root]# cdsconfig
```

```
Please ensure an IP address and netmask are configured for
management interface eth0:
```

```
Select an option or an interface to re-configure/disable:
```

- ```
1. eth0      ip:172.22.97.162  mask:255.255.255.128  bcast:172.22.97.255
2. Configure another interface
3. Done
```

```
Choice [3]: 3
```

```
Backing up old scripts in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts
Writing new ifcfg-ethX scripts
```

```
Enter a hostname [cdsm162]: Enter
```

```
Enter the number of the eth interface that connects to the gateway [0]: Enter
```

```
Enter the default gateway IP address [172.22.97.129]: Enter
```

```
Backing up /etc/sysconfig/network
```

```
Writing new /etc/sysconfig/network
```

```
Backing up /etc/hosts
```

```

Writing new /etc/hosts
Restarting network services, this may take a minute:
Shutting down interface eth0:                [ OK ]
Shutting down loopback interface:            [ OK ]
Bringing up loopback interface:              [ OK ]
Bringing up interface eth0:                  [ OK ]
Network services restarted; may take a few seconds to establish connectivity
Reboot for hostname changes to take effect
Network configuration complete

```

Please choose your platform from the following list of valid platforms:

1. 2U-SCSI-1
2. 3U-SCSI-1
3. 3U-SCSI-10
4. 3U-SCSI-11
5. 2U-SATA-1
6. 2U-SATA-2
7. 2U-SATA-10
8. 2U-SATA-11
9. 4U-SATA-1
10. 4U-SATA-2
11. 4U-SATA-3
12. 4U-SATA-10
13. 4U-SATA-11
14. 4U-SATA-12
15. CDE100-2C-1
16. CDE110-2C-1

Choice: **16**

Please select a role for this CDSM:

1. CDS Manager (single domain)
2. VVI Manager (split domain for Vault and Caching node)
3. CDS Manager (split domain for Streamers)

Choice: **2**

Please enter a group ID: **12345**

Please enter a server ID [62]: **162**

Writing new configuration to /home/isa/.arroyorc

No existing replication group information found

Do you want to configure replication group members now? (yes/no) [y]: **y**

There are currently no replication group members.

Do you want to add another replication group member? (yes/no) [y]: **y**



Note

With the exception of the server you are configuring, all CDS devices (VVIMs, Stream Managers, ISVs, Vaults, Caching Nodes, and Streamers) that are members of the replication group should be configured at this time. The server you are configuring is not configured as a replication group member.

In the following example, the configuration of the CDS devices shows generalized input values. Option 5, cdsmgw, is the Stream Manager. Add the Stream Manager as a replication group member.

Select a role for the new replication group member:

1. ssv
2. Vault
3. cache
4. Streamer
5. cdsmgw

Choice: **device_role (1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6)**

Enter an IP address for new CDS_device: **IP_Address**

```

Current replication group members:
device_role IP_Address

Do you want to add another replication group member? (yes/no) [n]: n
Configuring CDSM
Database is running.
Do you want to enable CDSM Redundancy ? (yes/no) [y]:
CDSM Virtual IP [172.22.99.106]:
Subnet Mask [255.255.254.0]:
Writing rc.local
CDSM configuration finished
cdsconfig finished, please use CDSM to complete configuration

[root]#

```

- Step 6** View the contents of the hidden file `/home/isa/.arroyorc` and make sure that the file contains the following line:

```
dbdsock      /tmp/isadb
```

If the preceding line is not in the file, use a text editor to add the line. Close and save the `.arroyorc` file.

- Step 7** To ensure that the AVS database (avsdB) and the Apache web server are started, issue the following commands and verify that a process ID exists for avsdB:

```

[root]# su - isa      //==== start avsdB
[isa]$ pgrep avsdB
28794                //==== verify avsdB process is running
[isa]$ exit
logout
[root]# /arroyo/www/bin/apachectl start //==== start apache server
httpd: Could not reliably determine the server's fully qualified domain name, using
172.22.97.162 for ServerName

[root]#

```

- Step 8** To verify that VVIM is operational, point your web browser to the Cisco CDE110 that hosts the VVIM by entering the IP address using the following format:

```
http://VVIM_ip_address
```

The VVIM Login page is displayed.

- Step 9** Enter **admin** as the username and **admin** as the password and press **Login**.

If you are unable to log in with the username *admin* and the password *admin*, do the following:

- a. Run the following command as *root* on the Cisco CDE110 that hosts VVIM:

```
[root]# /home/stats/runonce
```

- b. Log in to the VVIM with the username *admin* and the password *admin*.

The VVIM Setup page is displayed.

- Step 10** Use the VVIM to complete the configuration. For information on the other configuration tasks, see one of the following:

- For an ISA deployment, see the “Getting Started” chapter in the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 ISA Software Configuration Guide*.
- For an RTSP deployment, see the “Getting Started” chapter in the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 RTSP Software Configuration Guide*.

Once the VVIM has been installed and initially configured, install and initially configure the Vaults and Caching Nodes that are part of this VVIM domain. See the [“Installing and Configuring the Vaults, Caching Nodes, or Streamers” section on page 35](#) for more information. When all the servers in the VVIM domain have been configured and are listed on the VVIM’s System Health Monitor page, install and configure the Stream Manager. See the [“Installing and Configuring the Stream Manager” section on page 32](#) for more information.

Installing and Configuring the Stream Manager

To install the TV CDS software and initially configure the Stream Manager, do the following:

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- Step 1** If the Cisco CDE110 is not powered on, press the front panel power switch on the server. The operating system boots.
- Step 2** Log in as *root* with the password *rootroot*.
- Step 3** So that your password for root is not the default password, use the **passwd** command to change the password used.
- Step 4** To install the TV CDS software, issue the following command and, depending on your deployment type, choose 3 (CDSM) or 4 (CDSM w/ ISA):

```
[root]# ./cdsinstall
```

The following prompt is displayed:

```
Continuing first-time installation after kickstart using image //CDS-TV.iso
Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
  1) ISA
  2) RTSP
  3) CDSM
  4) CDSM with ISA
3
CDSM Selected

... Output omitted ...

Unmounting /mnt/cdrom
inst.sh completed, removing .iso image

=====
Configure the system for initial installation
=====
```

- Step 5** To run the initial configuration script, issue the **cdsconfig** command. In the prompts displayed by the script, the default values in brackets are taken from the configuration that you just completed.
- If a default value is correct, press **Enter** to accept that value.
 - If a default value is incorrect, enter the correct value and press **Enter**.

```
[root]# cdsconfig
```

```
Please ensure an IP address and netmask are configured for
management interface eth0:
```

```
Select an option or an interface to re-configure/disable:
  1. eth0      ip:172.22.97.162  mask:255.255.255.128  bcast:172.22.97.255
  2. Configure another interface
  3. Done
Choice [3]: 3
```



```
Backing up old scripts in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts
Writing new ifcfg-ethX scripts
```

```
Enter a hostname [cdsm162]: Enter
Enter the number of the eth interface that connects to the gateway [0]: Enter
Enter the default gateway IP address [172.22.97.129]: Enter
Backing up /etc/sysconfig/network
Writing new /etc/sysconfig/network
Backing up /etc/hosts
Writing new /etc/hosts
Restarting network services, this may take a minute:
Shutting down interface eth0: [ OK ]
Shutting down loopback interface: [ OK ]
Bringing up loopback interface: [ OK ]
Bringing up interface eth0: [ OK ]
Network services restarted; may take a few seconds to establish connectivity
Reboot for hostname changes to take effect
Network configuration complete
```

Please choose your platform from the following list of valid platforms:

1. 2U-SCSI-1
2. 3U-SCSI-1
3. 3U-SCSI-10
4. 3U-SCSI-11
5. 2U-SATA-1
6. 2U-SATA-2
7. 2U-SATA-10
8. 2U-SATA-11
9. 4U-SATA-1
10. 4U-SATA-2
11. 4U-SATA-3
12. 4U-SATA-10
13. 4U-SATA-11
14. 4U-SATA-12
15. CDE100-2C-1
16. CDE110-2C-1

Choice: **16**

Please select a role for this CDSM:

1. CDS Manager (single domain)
2. VVI Manager (split domain for Vault and Caching node)
3. CDS Manager (split domain for Streamers)

Choice: **3**

Is this Streaming Domain going to use CCP as Cache Fill Protocol? (yes/no) [y]: **y**

Is this the first CDS Manager getting added to this domain? (yes/no) [y]:

Enter the name of this Stream Domain: **StreamDomain1**

Enter the IP address of the VVIM: **172.22.99.109**

Retrieved Server ID '1001' from '172.22.99.109'

Please enter a group ID: **12345**



Note

The group ID should be the same group ID as the VVIM. This group ID is the ID of the array. The VVIM assigns the server ID to the Stream Manager.

```
Writing new configuration to /home/isa/.arroyorc
```

```
No existing replication group information found
```

```
Do you want to configure replication group members now? (yes/no) [y]: y
```

```
There are currently no replication group members.
```

```
Do you want to add another replication group member? (yes/no) [y]: y
```

**Note**

With the exception of the server you are configuring, all CDS devices (VVIMs, Stream Managers, ISVs, Vaults, and Streamers) that are members of the replication group should be configured at this time. The server you are configuring is not configured as a replication group member.

In the following example, the configuration of the CDS devices shows generalized input values. Option 5, vvimgw, is the VVIM. Add the VVIM as a replication group member.

**Note**

Select a role for the new replication group member:

1. ssv
2. Vault
3. cache
4. Streamer
5. vvimgw

Choice: **device_role** (1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6)

Enter an IP address for new CDS_device: **IP_Address**

Current replication group members:
device_role IP_Address

Do you want to add another replication group member? (yes/no) [n]: **n**

Configuring CDSM

Database is running.

Do you want to enable CDSM Redundancy ? (yes/no) [y]:

CDSM Virtual IP [172.22.99.106]:

Subnet Mask [255.255.254.0]:

Writing rc.local

CDSM configuration finished

cdsconfig finished, please use CDSM to complete configuration

[root]#

- Step 6** View the contents of the hidden file /home/isa/.arroyorc and make sure that the file contains the following line:

```
dbdomsock      /tmp/isadb
```

If the preceding line is not in the file, use a text editor to add the line. Close and save the .arroyorc file.

- Step 7** To ensure that the AVS database (avsdB) and the Apache web server are started, issue the following commands and verify that a process ID exists for avsdB:

```
[root]# su - isa      //==== start avsdB
```

```
[isa]$ pgrep avsdB
```

```
28794      //==== verify avsdB process is running
```

```
[isa]$ exit
```

```
logout
```

```
[root]# /arroyo/www/bin/apachectl start    //==== start apache server
```

```
httpd: Could not reliably determine the server's fully qualified domain name, using  
172.22.97.162 for ServerName
```

```
[root]#
```

- Step 8** To verify that Stream Manager is operational, point your web browser to the Cisco CDE110 that hosts Stream Manager by entering the IP address using the following format:

```
http://Stream_Manager_ip_address
```

The Stream Manager Login page is displayed.

Step 9 Enter **admin** as the username and **admin** as the password and press **Login**.

If you are unable to log in with the username admin and the password admin, do the following:

- a. Run the following command as *root* on the Cisco CDE110 that hosts Stream Manager:

```
[root]# /home/stats/runonce
```

- b. Log in to the Stream Manager with the username *admin* and the password *admin*.

The CDSM Setup page is displayed.

Step 10 Use the Stream Manager to complete the configuration. For information on the other configuration tasks, see one of the following:

- For an ISA deployment, see the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 ISA Software Configuration Guide*.
- For an RTSP deployment, see the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 RTSP Software Configuration Guide*.

Installing and Configuring the Vaults, Caching Nodes, or Streamers

To install the TV CDS software and initially configure each Vault, Caching Node, or Streamer, do the following:

Step 1 Power on the CDE by pressing the Power button on the front of the CDE.

Step 2 Log in as **root** with the password **rootroot**.

So that your password for root is not the default password, use the **passwd** command to change the password used.

Step 3 Install the TV CDS software on the CDE by entering the following command and, depending on your deployment type, choose **1** for an ISA deployment and **2** for an RTSP/FSI deployment:

```
[root]# ./cdsinstall
```

You should see something similar to this:

```
Continuing first-time installation after kickstart using image //CDS-TV.iso
Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
```

- 1) ISA
- 2) RTSP/FSI
- 3) CDSM
- 4) CDSM with ISA

```
1
```

```
ISA Selected
```

```
Mounting //CDS-TV.iso at /mnt/cdrom
```

```
Calling inst.sh for isa
```

```
Killing running processes: statsd
```

```
Un-taring isa-base.tgz
```

```
Calling forprod.sh
```

```
Removing RTSP-specific files
```

```
Installing ISA-specific files (existing files backed up to .file)
```

```
ISA installation complete
```

```
Starting fixperms.sh
```

```
Loading File List
```

```
Processing File List
```

```
Ending fixperms.sh
```

```
Unmounting /mnt/cdrom
inst.sh completed, removing .iso image
```

Step 4 Enter the following command to configure CDS:

```
[root]# cdsconfig
```

You should see something similar to this:

```
Please ensure an IP address and netmask are configured for
management interface eth0:
```

```
Select an option or an interface to re-configure/disable:
```

1. eth0 ip:172.22.99.237 mask:255.255.254.0 bcast:172.22.99.255
2. Configure another interface
3. Done

```
Choice [3]:
```

Step 5 Enter **1** and press **Enter**.

Step 6 You are asked if you want to disable interface eth0. Enter **N** for no and press **Enter**.

Step 7 Enter the IP address for eth0 when prompted.

Step 8 Enter the netmask for eth0 when prompted.

Step 9 Enter the broadcast address for eth0 when prompted. You should see something similar to this:

```
Select an option or an interface to re-configure/disable:
```

1. eth0 ip:172.22.99.238 mask:255.255.254.0 bcast:172.22.99.255
2. Configure another interface
3. Done

```
Choice [3]:
```

Step 10 Enter **2** to configure another interface or **3** to complete this step and press **Enter**. You should see something similar to this:

```
Backing up old scripts in /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts
Writing new ifcfg-ethX scripts
```

Step 11 Enter a hostname when prompted.

Step 12 Enter the number of the Ethernet interfaces that connect to the gateway when prompted.

Step 13 Enter the default gateway IP address when prompted. You should see something similar to this:

```
Backing up /etc/sysconfig/network
Writing new /etc/sysconfig/network
Backing up /etc/hosts
Writing new /etc/hosts
Shutting down interface eth0: [ OK ]
Shutting down loopback interface: [ OK ]
PCI: Enabling device 0000:0e:00.0 (0000 -> 0003)
PCI: Enabling device 0000:0e:00.1 (0000 -> 0003)
Restarting network services, this may take a minute:
Shutting down loopback interface: [ OK ]
Bringing up loopback interface: [ OK ]
Bringing up interface eth0: [ OK ]
Network services restarted; may take a few seconds to establish connectivity
Reboot for hostname changes to take effect
Network configuration complete
Use detected platform: CDE420-4A-C ? (yes/no) [y]: y
Use detected platform: CDE420-4A-C ? (yes/no) [y]: y
```

- Step 14** Enter the role for the CDE you are configuring and press **Enter**. The role options listed below shows all the options for the CDE220 and CDE420, but the options displayed by the cdsconfig script are determined by the platform selected.

Please select a device role:

1. ssv
2. Vault
3. cache
4. Streamer

- Step 15** Enter the group ID when prompted.

- Step 16** Enter the server ID when prompted.

- Step 17** If the device role selected is a Streamer, you have the option to enter the Stream Control interface. Designating an interface as a stream control interface allows you to separate stream control traffic from stream traffic. You should see something similar to this:

```
Enter Stream Control interface (Hit 'Enter' to skip): eth1
Writing new configuration to /home/isa/.arroyorc
```

```
No existing replication group information found
Do you want to configure replication group members now? (yes/no) [y]: yes
There are currently no replication group members.
Do you want to add another replication group member? (yes/no) [y]: y
```



Note

With the exception of the server you are configuring, all CDS devices (VVIMs, Stream Managers, ISVs, Vaults, and Streamers) that are members of the replication group should be configured at this time. The server you are configuring is not configured as a replication group member.

In the following example, the configuration of the CDS devices shows generalized input values. The option for the VVIM and Stream Manager is called "Controller." Add the VVIM and Stream Manager as a replication group members, as well as the Vaults, Caching Nodes, and Streamers.

```
Select a role for the new replication group member:
```

1. ssv
2. Vault
3. cache
4. Streamer
5. Controller

- Step 18** Enter the role for the CDE you are adding to the replication group and press **Enter**.

- Step 19** Enter an IP address for the CDE when prompted. You should see something similar to this:

```
Current replication group members:
Vault      172.22.99.239
Do you want to add another replication group member? (yes/no) [n]:
```

- Step 20** Enter **Y** for yes to add another CDE to the system or **N** for no and press **Enter**. If you entered Y, you are prompted to select a role and enter the IP address. If you entered N, you should see something similar to this:

```
Configuring ISA ecosystem
/home/isa/Berkeley/status_db:
dbstatus: Subscript out of range.
Starting statsd
Run svrinit to seed database? (yes/no) [n]: y
```

- Step 21** Enter **Y** for yes to run svrinit to seed the database or **N** for no and press **Enter**.



Note Always enter **Y** because you must seed the database whenever you are adding a new CDE to a network, or installing the TV CDS software on a CDE.

- a. Enter the IP address of the CDE for svrinit when prompted.
- b. Enter the netmask for svrinit when prompted.
- c. Enter the hostname for svrinit when prompted. You should see something similar to this:

```
Writing rc.local
ISA ecosystem configuration finished
cdsconfig finished, please use CDSM to complete configuration
[root@v238 ~]#
```

If you receive an error message saying the database is unavailable and cannot set things up, enter the following command to initialize the database tables:

```
[root]# su - isa (For ISA deployments only.)
[isa]# exit
[root]# /home/stats/svrinit_15 -h <hostname> -i <ip address> -s <mask-ip address>
```



Note For ISA deployments only, if avsdB is not running, enter the **su - isa** command as user root before entering the **/home/stats/svrinit_15...** command above.



Note The database synchronization takes about five minutes before the server becomes ready for service. If the database is very large, it could take longer than five minutes to seed the database. In this case, wait awhile longer and retry the **svrinit_15** command.

Step 22 Verify connectivity to the VVIM or Stream Manager by performing the following steps:

- a. Point your web browser to the device that hosts the VVIM or Stream Manager by entering the IP address:

```
http://xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx
```

The VVIM or CDSM Login page is displayed.

- b. Enter **admin** as the username and **admin** as the password and click **Login**.

The System Health Monitor page is displayed showing the devices and their IP address.

The TV CDS software installation is complete.

Upgrading to Release 2.1

This section includes the following topics:

- [Upgrading from Release 1.5.1.x or Release 1.6.x, page 40](#)
- [Upgrading from Release 2.0 to Release 2.1.2, page 41](#)
- [Upgrading from Release 2.1.1 to Release 2.1.2, page 45](#)
- [Adding a Second CDSM, page 49](#)



Note

Release 2.1.2 supports software upgrades only from Release 1.5.1.x, Release 2.0, and Release 2.1.1 for CDS ISA and CDS RTSP environments. Upgrades for VVI are only supported for new systems installed with Release 2.1.1.

Release 2.1 introduces the ability to route interfaces to different subnets. After upgrading the TV CDS software to Release 2.1, any servers with incompatible routes are listed in red on the Route Tables page. You can review the Route Table configuration for each of these servers, modify or delete the routes, and click **Submit** to apply the changes. The routes are converted to the Release 2.1 format and the server is listed in black. When all servers with incompatible routes are fixed, the warning message is removed and the entry in the system alarm drop-down list in the GUI banner is removed.

Release 2.1 also introduces the ability to configure up to 16 DNS servers on each of the System Level, Array Level, and Server Level DNS pages. After upgrading the TV CDS software to Release 2.1, any DNS entries need to be resubmitted. When all DNS entries are resubmitted, the warning message is removed and the entry in the system alarm drop-down list in the GUI banner is removed.



Note

During the initialization process of a CDS server or after recovering a CDS server that has been down for more than an hour, the CDS database performs a complete synchronization. The database synchronization takes about five minutes before the server becomes ready for service. If the CDS server is down for a much longer time than an hour, the database synchronization takes longer than five minutes. The netstat command will not show the interfaces as up until the synchronization has completed.



Note

Downgrading from Release 2.1 to Release 2.0 is a manual process, requiring a reload of the old database files. Any changes made to configuration or content after upgrading to Release 2.1 are lost.

A high-level view of the CDS software upgrade procedure is as follows:

1. Upgrade CDSM to Release 2.1
2. Upgrade one site at a time starting from the site with the Control server and ending with the site with the Setup server. Upgrade the Streamers in the “Control” sites first (sites that have Stream Groups with only a Control server), followed by the “Setup/Control” sites (sites that have Stream Groups with a Setup/Control server).

Repeat for every Streamer on the site starting with the “Available” Streamers, followed by the “Backup” Streamer, and ending with the “Primary” Streamer.
3. Upgrade all the Vaults. Upgrade all slave Vaults and finish with the master Vault.

**Caution**

Upgrading to Release 2.1 does not preserve reporting data. To keep existing reporting data, save the reports to a comma-separated value file (CSV) and copy them to a separate server.

**Note**

Software upgrades should be performed during maintenance windows; that is, during off-peak hours when no new content is ingested into the CDS and stream demands are the lowest.

Upgrading from Release 1.5.1.x or Release 1.6.x

**Note**

Because the software upgrade to Release 2.1 includes upgrading the operating system, a Cisco technician will perform the upgrade. The procedures described in this section are informational only. (EDCS-760974)

The Cisco technician will have the following items to upgrade your software to Release 2.1:

- DVD-ROM of Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 (32-bit) for the CDS servers
- DVD-ROM of Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 (64-bit) for the CDSM
- CD-ROM with a boot ISO image for the CDS servers (32-bit OS)
- CD-ROM with a boot ISO image for the CDSM (64-bit OS)
- CD-ROM with the CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso image
- USB DVD-ROM drive
- Linux server (SSH-reachable) used to store the backup files of the CDSM and CDS servers

**Note**

Any CDS server or another Linux server on the network can be used as long as it has the /arroyo/backup directory and is accessible through SSH. The pre-upgrade and post upgrade scripts ask you for the backup server's IP address. The CDSM backup files require approximately 50MB of disk space. The backup files for each CDS server (Streamer, Vault, or ISV) require approximately 1MB of disk space. So, the backup server needs approximately 60-65MB of disk space for a site that has one CDSM and ten CDS servers.

Upgrade the Software on the CDSM

Upgrading the software on the CDSM has the following main tasks:

1. Shut down the processes.
2. Run the preupgrade script. This creates a backup file with the configuration settings and databases, and stores it on another Linux server.
3. Connect the USB DVD-ROM drive, insert the bootable CD-ROM, and reboot the CDSM.
4. Install the Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 (64-bit) operating system.
5. Insert the CD-ROM with the TV CDS Release 2.1 software.
6. Run the post-install script. This fixes the disk partitions.
7. Install the TV CDS Release 2.1 software and natively configure the CDSM.

8. Run the upgrade script. This retrieves the backup file from the other Linux server.
9. Log in to the CDSM and complete the configuration.

Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault



Note

In a multi-site CDS, upgrade the Streamers in the “Control” sites first (sites that have Stream Groups with only a Control server), followed by the “Setup/Control” sites (sites that have Stream Groups with a Setup/Control server).

In a multi-site CDS, upgrade all the Vaults using the same procedural order as the Streamers (offload, upgrade, reboot, and online). Start the Vault upgrade at the Control sites, then finish with the Setup/Control site.



Note

When upgrading from Release 2.0.x to Release 2.1.x in an RTSP environment, because of database changes, the CDSM server offload function does not work correctly. You need to offload the CDS servers manually by entering the following command:

For Vaults:

- `touch /var/tmp/TRICKLE_DOWN`

For Streamers:

- `touch /var/tmp/TRICKLE_DOWN`
- `echo 1 > /proc/calypso/tunables/offline`

Upgrading the software on a Streamer or a Vault has the following main tasks:

1. Offload the server and shut down the processes on the server.
2. Run the preupgrade script. This creates a backup file with the configuration settings and databases, and stores it on another Linux server.
3. Connect the USB DVD-ROM drive, insert the bootable CD-ROM, and reboot the CDS server.
4. Install the Red Hat Enterprise Linux 5 (32-bit) operating system.
5. Insert the CD-ROM with the TV CDS Release 2.1 software.
6. Install the TV CDS Release 2.1 software and initially configure the CDS server.
7. Run the upgrade script. This retrieves the backup file from the other Linux server.
8. Log in to the CDSM and complete the configuration.

Upgrading from Release 2.0 to Release 2.1.2

Upgrading the CDSM and CDS servers from Release 2.0 to Release 2.1.2 involves the following steps:

1. Download the ISO image file from the Cisco software download website.
2. Copy the file to each server.
3. For Streamers and Vaults, enable the Offload Server option.

4. Run the cdsinstall script.
5. For Streamers and Vaults, disable the Offload Server option.

**Note**

Because Release 2.1 introduces the ability to route interfaces to different subnets, the route table information for each server needs to be recorded before upgrading the TV CDS software. Log in to the CDSM, go the **Configure > Server Level > Route Table** page and write down the Route Table information for each CDS server.

After upgrading the TV CDS software to Release 2.1, any servers with incompatible routes are listed in red on the Route Tables page. You can review the Route Table configuration for each of these servers, modify or delete the routes using the information you recorded, and click **Submit** to apply the changes. For more information, see either the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 ISA Software Configuration Guide* or the *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 RTSP Software Configuration Guide*.

The following procedures are covered in this section:

- [Getting a Software File from Cisco.com, page 42](#)
- [Upgrade the Software on the CDSM, page 43](#)
- [Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault, page 44](#)

Getting a Software File from Cisco.com

To get a software file from Cisco.com, do the following:

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- Step 1** Launch your web browser and enter the following URL:
<http://tools.cisco.com/support/downloads/go/Redirect.x?mdfid=268438145>
 The Log In page is displayed.
- Step 2** Log in to Cisco.com using your designated username and password. The Video and Content Delivery page is displayed, listing the available software products.
- Step 3** Click **Content Delivery Systems**. The Downloads page is displayed.
- Step 4** Click the **Cisco Content Delivery Applications** folder to expand it, and click the **Cisco TV Application**. The page refreshes and the software releases are displayed.
- Step 5** Click the software release you want. The page refreshes and the software image files are displayed.
- Step 6** Click the link for the software image file you want.
- If this is the first time you have downloaded a file from Cisco.com, the Cisco Systems Inc., Encryption Software Usage Handling and Distribution Policy is displayed. Read the policy, fill in the unfilled fields, and click **Accept**.
 - If you previously filled out the Encryption Software Usage and Handling and Distribution form, the form does not display again.
- The Download page is displayed with the information about the software image file and a Download link.
- Step 7** Click **Download**. The Cisco End User Software License Agreement is displayed.
- Step 8** Read the agreement and click **Agree**. The File Download dialog box is displayed.
- Step 9** Click **Save**. The Save As dialog box is displayed.

- Step 10** Navigate to the location where you want to save the file and click **Save**. The file downloads.

Upgrade the Software on the CDSM



Note

The software upgrade procedure for the CDSM requires that the `cdsinstall` script exists on the server in the `/root` directory. All CDEs that shipped with Release 2.0 have the `cdsinstall` script. All CDEs that were upgraded to Release 2.0 from a previous release do not have the `cdsinstall` script. If necessary, download the `cdsinstall` script from the Cisco.com website. See the [“Getting a Software File from Cisco.com” section on page 42](#) for more information on downloading a file from Cisco.com.

To upgrade the software on the CDSM, do the following:

- Step 1** Log in to the CDSM Linux operating system as *root*.
- Step 2** Copy the ISO image file to the CDSM. For example, if the ISO image file (`CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso`) is stored in a directory (`images`) on a server (`172.22.98.111`), the following command is used:
- ```
scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso /root
```
- Step 3** If the CDSM was upgraded to Release 2.0 from a previous release, copy the `cdsinstall` script to the CDSM.
- ```
# scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/cdsinstall /root
```
- Step 4** Upgrade the CDS software on the CDSM by entering the following command, and when prompted, enter the deployment type.
- ```
./cdsinstall CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso
```
- Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
- ```
1) ISA
2) RTSP/FSI
3) CDSM
4) CDSM with ISA
```
- Output omitted ---
- Step 5** Reboot the CDSM.
- ```
reboot
```
- Step 6** Verify that the database is running on the CDSM.
- ```
ps -ef | grep avsdB
```

Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault

Perform this procedure for each Vault and Streamer in the CDS.



Note

In a multi-site CDS, upgrade the Streamers in the “Control” sites first (sites that have Stream Groups with only a Control server), followed by the “Setup/Control” sites (sites that have Stream Groups with a Setup/Control server).

In a multi-site CDS, upgrade all the Vaults using the same procedural order as the Streamers (offload, upgrade, reboot, and online). Start the Vault upgrade at the Control sites, then finish with the Setup/Control site.

To upgrade the software on a Vault or Streamer, do the following:

-
- Step 1** Using the CDSM GUI, offload the server.
- Click **Maintain > Servers > Server Offload**. The Server Offload page is displayed.
 - From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose a server’s IP address or nickname and click **Display**. The server type and ID, as well as the array ID, are displayed.
 - Select **Enable** and click **Submit**.
- Step 2** Check the CDSM to verify that the stream count on the offline server is zero.
- Using the CDSM, click **Monitor > Server Level > NIC Monitor**.
 - From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose a server and click **Display**.
 - Click **Graph Ports** to view any stream traffic.
- Step 3** Log in to the Vault or Streamer Linux operating system as *root*.
- Step 4** Copy the ISO image file to the CDS server. For example, if the ISO image file (CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso) is stored in a directory (images) on a server (172.22.98.111), the following command is used:
- ```
scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso /root
```
- Step 5** If the CDS server was upgraded to Release 2.0 from a previous release, copy the cdsinstall script to the CDS server.
- ```
# scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/cdsinstall /root
```
- Step 6** Upgrade the CDS software on the CDS server by entering the following command, and when prompted, enter the deployment type.
- ```
./cdsinstall CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso
```
- ```
Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
1) ISA
2) RTSP/FSI
3) CDSM
4) CDSM with ISA

--- Output omitted ---
```
- Step 7** Using the CDSM GUI, reboot the server.
- Click **Maintain > Servers > Server Restart**. The Server Restart page is displayed.
 - From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose the IP address of the server and click **Display**.

- c. From the **Restart** drop-down list, choose Yes and click **Submit**.
- Step 8** Using the CDSM GUI, wait for the server to come online.
 - a. Click **Monitor > System Health**. The System Health page is displayed.
 - b. The colored boxes for the server should all be green.
- Step 9** Using the CDSM GUI, disable Server Offload.
 - a. Click **Maintain > Servers > Server Offload**. The Server Offload page is displayed.
 - b. From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose a server's IP address or nickname and click **Display**. The server type and ID, as well as the array ID, are displayed.
 - c. Select **Disable** and click **Submit**.
- Step 10** Repeat this procedure for the rest of the Vaults and Streamers.

Upgrading from Release 2.1.1 to Release 2.1.2



Note

Before upgrading to Release 2.1.2, log in to the CDSM, choose **Configure > Server Level > RTSP Server**, select the IP address of a Streamer and write down the settings for the SOP fields for each Streamer.

Upgrading the CDSM and CDS servers from Release 2.1.1 to Release 2.1.2 involves the following steps:

1. Download the ISO image file from the Cisco software download website.
2. Copy the file to each server.
3. For Streamers and Vaults, enable the Offload Server option.
4. Run the cdsinstall script.
5. For Streamers and Vaults, disable the Offload Server option.

The following procedures are covered in this section:

- [Getting a Software File from Cisco.com, page 42](#)
- [Upgrade the Software on the CDSM, page 43](#)
- [Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault, page 44](#)

Upgrading a VVI from Release 2.1.1 to Release 2.1.2

A high-level view of the VVI software upgrade procedure is as follows:

1. Upgrade VVIM to Release 2.1.2. Follow the [“Upgrade the Software on the CDSM” procedure on page 47](#).
2. Upgrade the Super Headends (SHEs) one at a time. Within one SHE, upgrade the slave Vault and finish with the master Vault. To identify the slave Vault, log in to the Vault as *isa*, change to the /home/isa/IntegrationTest directory and run the following command:

```
[isa@vault220 ~/IntegrationTest]$ ./show_calypso_services
*****
***** ContentStore (SLAVE) Services Status *****
*****
```

```
ContentStoreSlave =====> Running
*****
*****
*****
```

Follow the [“Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault” procedure on page 48](#). When all SHEs are upgraded, there will be Vaults running Release 2.1.2 coexisting with Caching Nodes and Streamers running Release 2.1.1.

3. Upgrade each video hub office (VHO) one at a time. Within one VHO, upgrade the CDS servers and CDSM in the following order:
 - a. Caching Nodes (Follow the [“Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault” procedure on page 48.](#))
 - b. Stream Manager (Follow the [“Upgrade the Software on the CDSM” procedure on page 47.](#))
 - c. Upgrade the Streamers in the “Control” sites first (sites that have Stream Groups with only a Control server), followed by the “Setup/Control” sites (sites that have Stream Groups with a Setup/Control server). Follow the [“Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault” procedure on page 48.](#)
 - d. Repeat for every Streamer on the site starting with the “Available” Streamers, followed by the “Backup” Streamer, and ending with the “Primary” Streamer. To identify the Streamers, use the following command:

```
[root@s65 root]# cat /proc/calypso/status/streamer/resiliencyinfo
Streamer Resiliency Info:
Service Address: 172.22.98.50
Control Service: Primary
```


Note

The Release 2.1.1 software can coexist with the Release 2.1.2 software. Therefore, long upgrade windows are possible.

Getting a Software File from Cisco.com

To get a software file from Cisco.com, do the following:

- Step 1** Launch your web browser and enter the following URL:
<http://tools.cisco.com/support/downloads/go/Redirect.x?mdfid=268438145>
 The Log In page is displayed.
- Step 2** Log in to Cisco.com using your designated username and password. The Video and Content Delivery page is displayed, listing the available software products.
- Step 3** Click **Content Delivery Systems**. The Downloads page is displayed.
- Step 4** Click the **Cisco Content Delivery Applications** folder to expand it, and click the **Cisco TV Application**. The page refreshes and the software releases are displayed.
- Step 5** Click the software release you want. The page refreshes and the software image files are displayed.
- Step 6** Click the link for the software image file you want.
 - If this is the first time you have downloaded a file from Cisco.com, the Cisco Systems Inc., Encryption Software Usage Handling and Distribution Policy is displayed. Read the policy, fill in the unfilled fields, and click **Accept**.

- If you previously filled out the Encryption Software Usage and Handling and Distribution form, the form does not display again.

The Download page is displayed with the information about the software image file and a Download link.

- Step 7** Click **Download**. The Cisco End User Software License Agreement is displayed.
- Step 8** Read the agreement and click **Agree**. The File Download dialog box is displayed.
- Step 9** Click **Save**. The Save As dialog box is displayed.
- Step 10** Navigate to the location where you want to save the file and click **Save**. The file downloads.

Upgrade the Software on the CDSM



Note

The software upgrade procedure for the CDSM requires that the cdsinstall script exists on the server in the /root directory. All CDEs that shipped with Release 2.0 have the cdsinstall script. All CDEs that were upgraded to Release 2.0 from a previous release do not have the cdsinstall script. If necessary, download the cdsinstall script from the Cisco.com website. See the [“Getting a Software File from Cisco.com” section on page 42](#) for more information on downloading a file from Cisco.com.

To upgrade the software on the CDSM, do the following:

- Step 1** Log in to the CDSM Linux operating system as *root*.
- Step 2** Copy the ISO image file to the CDSM. For example, if the ISO image file (CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso) is stored in a directory (images) on a server (172.22.98.111), the following command is used:
- ```
scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso /root
```
- Step 3** If the cdsinstall script is not found in the /root directory on the CDSM, copy the cdsinstall script to the CDSM.
- ```
# scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/cdsinstall /root
```
- Step 4** Upgrade the CDS software on the CDSM by entering the following command, and when prompted, enter the deployment type.
- ```
./cdsinstall CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso
```
- Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
- ```
1) ISA
2) RTSP/FSI
3) CDSM
4) CDSM with ISA

--- Output omitted ---
```
- Step 5** Reboot the CDSM.
- ```
reboot
```
- Step 6** Verify that the database is running on the CDSM.
- ```
ps -ef | grep avsdb
```

Upgrade the Software on Each Streamer and Vault

Perform this procedure for each Vault and Streamer in the CDS.



Note

In a multi-site CDS, upgrade the Streamers in the “Control” sites first (sites that have Stream Groups with only a Control server), followed by the “Setup/Control” sites (sites that have Stream Groups with a Setup/Control server).

In a multi-site CDS, upgrade all the Vaults using the same procedural order as the Streamers (offload, upgrade, reboot, and online). Start the Vault upgrade at the Control sites, then finish with the Setup/Control site.

To upgrade the software on a Vault or Streamer, do the following:

-
- Step 1** Using the CDSM GUI, offload the server.
- Click **Maintain > Servers > Server Offload**. The Server Offload page is displayed.
 - From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose a server’s IP address or nickname and click **Display**. The server type and ID, as well as the array ID, are displayed.
 - Select **Enable** and click **Submit**.
- Step 2** Check the CDSM to verify that the data traffic on the offline server is zero.
- Using the CDSM, click **Monitor > Server Level > NIC Monitor**.
 - From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose a server and click **Display**.
 - Click **Graph Ports** to view any data traffic.
- Step 3** Log in to the Vault or Streamer Linux operating system as *root*.
- Step 4** Copy the ISO image file to the CDS server. For example, if the ISO image file (CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso) is stored in a directory (images) on a server (172.22.98.111), the following command is used:
- ```
scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso /root
```
- Step 5** If the cdsinstall script is not found in the /root directory on the CDS server, copy the cdsinstall script to the CDS server.
- ```
# scp 172.22.98.111:/images/2.1/cdsinstall /root
```
- Step 6** Upgrade the CDS software on the CDS server by entering the following command, and when prompted, enter the deployment type.
- ```
./cdsinstall CDS-TV-2.1.2.iso
```
- ```
Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
1) ISA
2) RTSP/FSI
3) CDSM
4) CDSM with ISA

--- Output omitted ---
```
- Step 7** Using the CDSM GUI, reboot the server.
- Click **Maintain > Servers > Server Restart**. The Server Restart page is displayed.
 - From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose the IP address of the server and click **Display**.

- c. From the **Restart** drop-down list, choose Yes and click **Submit**.
- Step 8** Using the CDSM GUI, wait for the server to come online.
 - a. Click **Monitor > System Health**. The System Health page is displayed.
 - b. The colored boxes for the server should all be green.
- Step 9** Using the CDSM GUI, disable Server Offload.
 - a. Click **Maintain > Servers > Server Offload**. The Server Offload page is displayed.
 - b. From the **Server IP** drop-down list, choose a server's IP address or nickname and click **Display**. The server type and ID, as well as the array ID, are displayed.
 - c. Select **Disable** and click **Submit**.
- Step 10** Repeat this procedure for the rest of the Vaults and Streamers.

Adding a Second CDSM

To implement the CDSM Redundancy feature available in Release 2.1, do the following after upgrading all existing servers to Release 2.1:

- Step 1** If the Cisco CDE110 is not powered on, press the front panel power switch on the server.
The operating system boots.
- Step 2** Log in as *root* with the password *rootroot*.



Note So that your password for root is not the default password, use the **passwd** command to change the password used.

- Step 3** Run the **cdsinstall** script and select your deployment type, choose 3 (CDSM) or 4 (CDSM w/ ISA).

```
[root]# ./cdsinstall
```

The following prompt is displayed:

```
Continuing first-time installation after kickstart using image //CDS-TV.iso
Select Deployment Type (ctrl-c to quit):
```

- ```
1) ISA
2) RTSP
3) CDSM
4) CDSM with ISA
```

```
3
CDSM Selected
```

```
... Output omitted ...
```

```
Unmounting /mnt/cdrom
inst.sh completed, removing .iso image
```

```
=====
Configure the system for initial installation
=====
```

- Step 4** Copy the DATADIR directory from the existing CDSM to the new CDSM. For example, if the existing CDSM has an IP address of 172.22.98.109, the following command is used:

```
scp -r 172.22.98.109:/arroyo/db/DATADIR /arroyo/db
```

- Step 5** Run the **cdsconfig** script and answer “Y” to the “Do you want to enable CDSM redundancy?” prompt. Answer appropriately for the prompts for getting the ID from the first CDSM.

For more detail about the cdsconfig script, see the [“Installing and Configuring the Stream Manager” section on page 32](#).

- Step 6** When the cdsconfig script completes, edit the rc.local file and uncomment all the command lines. The `su - isa -c “cd /home/isa/RTScheduler/Exporter...”` command is only used for the MediaX feature when notifications need to be exported to a catalog server or similar. Following is an example with all the lines uncommented.

```
vi /etc/rc.local
#!/bin/sh
#
This script will be executed *after* all the other init scripts.
You can put your own initialization stuff in here if you don't
want to do the full Sys V style init stuff.

touch /var/lock/subsys/local

Lines below this one modified by cdsflavconfig (ISA):

su - isa -c "cd /home/isa/IntegrationTest"

sleep 30

/arroyo/www/bin/apachectl start

sleep 30

su - isa -c "cd /home/isa/RTScheduler/Exporter; ./ExporterServer >&
/home/isa/RTScheduler/Exporter/ExporterServer.log&"

/home/stats/statsd -i 172.11.99.100 -s 255.255.255.0 -d eth0

sleep 30
```

- Step 7** Reboot the CDSM.

```
reboot
```

- Step 8** On each CDS server and the first CDSM, do the following:

- a. Log in to the server as user *isa*.
- b. Edit the `.arroyorc` file and add the new CDSM as a replication member. Following is an example of the `.arroyorc` file.

```
$ vi /home/isa/.arroyorc
Local settings
self 2
groupid 400
serverid 141
partno 3U-SCSI-10
mirroring 0
mgmtif 0
ingestif 1

Database Params
```

```
dbdomsock /tmp/isadb
dbnetport 9999

Replication Group Members
Vault 111.0.110.40
controller 111.0.110.42
```

c. Restart the database.

```
[root]# su - isa (For ISA deployments only.)
[isa]# exit
[root]# /home/stats/svrinit_15 -h <hostname> -i <ip address> -s <mask-ip address>
```



**Note** For ISA deployments only, if avsdB is not running, enter the `su - isa` command as user root before entering the `/home/stats/svrinit_15...` command above.

## Related Documentation

Refer to the following documents for additional information about the Cisco TV CDS 2.1:

- *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 ISA Software Configuration Guide*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cda/tv/2\\_1/configuration/isa\\_guide/tv\\_cds\\_2\\_1\\_isa\\_cfguide.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cda/tv/2_1/configuration/isa_guide/tv_cds_2_1_isa_cfguide.html)
- *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 RTSP Software Configuration Guide*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cda/tv/2\\_1/configuration/rtsp\\_guide/tv\\_cds\\_2\\_1\\_rtsp\\_cfguide.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cda/tv/2_1/configuration/rtsp_guide/tv_cds_2_1_rtsp_cfguide.html)
- *Cisco TV CDS 2.1 API Guide*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cda/tv/2\\_1/developer\\_guide/tv\\_cds\\_2\\_1\\_apiguide.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cda/tv/2_1/developer_guide/tv_cds_2_1_apiguide.html)
- *Cisco Content Delivery System 2.x Documentation Roadmap*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/overview/CDS\\_Roadmap.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/overview/CDS_Roadmap.html)
- *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 205/220/420 Hardware Installation Guide*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/cde205\\_220\\_420/installation/guide/cde205\\_220\\_420\\_hig.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/cde205_220_420/installation/guide/cde205_220_420_hig.html)
- *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 110 Hardware Installation Guide*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/cde110/installation/guide/cde110\\_install.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/cde110/installation/guide/cde110_install.html)
- *Cisco Content Delivery Engine 100/200/300/400 Hardware Installation Guide*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/installation/guide/CDE\\_Install\\_Book.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/installation/guide/CDE_Install_Book.html)
- *Regulatory Compliance and Safety Information for Cisco Content Delivery Engines*  
[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/regulatory/compliance/CDE\\_RCSI.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/docs/video/cds/cde/regulatory/compliance/CDE_RCSI.html)

The entire CDS software documentation suite is available on Cisco.com at:

[http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps7127/tsd\\_products\\_support\\_series\\_home.html](http://www.cisco.com/en/US/products/ps7127/tsd_products_support_series_home.html)

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