



VSE Deployment Using Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin

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Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin Software Requirements

Table 1: Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin Software Requirements

Platform	Recommended Release
VMware vCenter	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 6.0 Linux Appliance• 6.5 Linux Appliance• 6.0 U3 Windows• 6.5 Windows
Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM	5.2(1)SV5(1.1)



Note If you are upgrading VMware vCenter from version 6.0 that has Cisco Plugin installed to VMware vCenter version 6.5, a warning message appears indicating that non-VMware distributed switch will not be supported in future VMware vSphere releases. Press **Ok** to continue normal upgrade process.

Installing the Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin

This section describes how to install the Cisco Nexus 1000VE vCenter Plugin. Ensure that you have HTTPS connection between the vCenter and Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM to download the plugin directly from the VSM.

If you cannot establish HTTPS connection between vCenter and Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM, you can use alternate method of hosting the Cisco Nexus 1000VE vCenter Plugin zip file to a Web Server. You need to download the plugin zip from Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM available at `https://<N1KVE-VSM-IP>/` and place it on the Web Server path accessible through HTTPS.

Before you begin, note the following:

- Ensure that you have Python environment (version 2.7.9 or greater) in your network.
- Ensure that you have copied the `deploy_n1kve_plugin.py` script to a python environment where `pyvmomi` package is installed.

You can use one of the following two methods to install the Cisco Nexus 1000VE vCenter Plugin:.

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Installing the Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin - Method 1

Procedure

Step 1 Download the `deploy_n1kve_plugin.py` python script from `https://<N1KVE-VSM-IP>/` to the Python environment.

Example:

Step 2 Run the Python script, `deploy_n1kve_plugin.py`, to register the N1KVE Manager vCenter plugin and enter the following details when prompted:

- vCenter IP: IP address of the VMware vCenter server to install the plugin.
- vCenter Username: User with administrator privileges.
- Password: password.
- Plugin zip file URL: URL where the vCenter downloads the plugin.
 - If vCenter can reach Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM over HTTP/HTTPS, then provide the URL similar to `https://<N1KVE-VSM-IP>/vcplugin/n1kve-vcenter-plugin-1.0.1.zip`
 - If the Zip file is placed in any other webserver, then provide the URL for the same `https://<WEB-SERVER-IP>/<Relative-path-if-any-to-Zip-file>/n1kve-vcenter-plugin-1.0.1.zip`

Note Ensure you have not renamed the `.zip` file.

- HTTPS Server Thumbprint(fingerprint): If you are using HTTPS, enter the HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint from the Web Server else leave this field empty. For more information about how to retrieve HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint, see Retrieving HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint.

```
$ python deploy_n1kve_plugin.py
vCenter IP: 102.3.56.26
vCenter Username: administrator@vsphere.local
Password:
Plugin zip file URL: https://102.4.175.251/vcplugin/n1kve-vcenter-plugin-1.0.1.zip
Https server Thumbprint: 6c:47:83:8f:18:e2:a6:12:c7:f1:ce:ac:72:e2:6c:c9:a2:b5:70:05
```

Step 3 Log into the vSphere Web Client after the registration process completes. If you were logged into vSphere Web Client before the script was run, logout and login again back. The Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager icon is added under **Operations and Policies** section on the **Home** tab. This allows you to manage your Nexus 1000VE.

Note First login to VMware vSphere Web Client may take longer because the vCenter downloads and deploys the plugin from the Web Server.

Installing the Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin - Method 2

Procedure

- Step 1** Log into VMware vCenter Managed Object Browser (MOB).
- Step 2** Click **Content** under the **Properties** section.
- Step 3** Click **Extension Manger**.
- Step 4** Under **Methods**, click **RegisterExtensions** to open **Register Extension Pop-up**.
- Step 5** Copy the following information for registration and paste it in the **Value Text** field:

```
<extension>
  <description>
    <label>N1KVE Plugin</label>
    <summary>Deployment for the N1KVE plugin</summary>
  </description>
  <key>com.cisco.plugin.n1kveui</key>
  <company>Cisco Systems Inc.</company>
  <version>1.0.1</version>
  <server>
    <url><copy the url from step 2 of Method 1></url>
    <description>
      <label>N1KVE plugin</label>
      <summary>N1KVE vSphere Client plugin</summary>
    </description>
    <company>Cisco Systems Inc.</company>
    <type>vsphere-client-serenity</type>
    <adminEmail>string</adminEmail>
    <serverThumbprint><retrieve the thumbprint as mentioned in step 2 of Method
1></serverThumbprint>
  </server>
  <client>
    <version>1.0.1</version>
    <description>
      <label>N1KVE plugin</label>
```

```

    <summary>N1KVE vSphere Client plugin</summary>
  </description>
  <company>Cisco Systems Inc.</company>
  <type>vsphere-client-serenity</type>
  <url><copy the url from step 2 of Method 1></url>
</client>
  <lastHeartbeatTime>2018-01-10T00:00:00Z</lastHeartbeatTime>
  <shownInSolutionManager>false</shownInSolutionManager>
</extension>

```

- Step 6** Click **Invoke method** to register the plugin with the VMware vCenter. You must log out and log in again into the VMware vCenter in order to apply the changes.
- Step 7** Logout from VMware vCenter and login again into VMware vCenter. The plugin tool initiates automatically.
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Retrieving HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint

You need HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint for secured communication between vCenter and VSM.

Using Firefox to Retrieve HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint

Follow these instructions to retrieve HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint using Firefox:

1. Open the following URL in the Web browser: `https://<N1KVE-VSM-IP>/`.
2. Click the **Lock** icon on the address bar.
3. Click on the arrow on the right, and click on **More Information**.
4. Click **View Certificate** button in the **Page Info** dialog-box.
5. Copy the content of the **SHA1 Fingerprint** field on the **Certificate Viewer** dialog-box

Using Google Chrome to Retrieve HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint

Follow these instructions to retrieve HTTPS SHA1 Thumbprint using Google Chrome:

1. Open the following URL in the Web browser: `https://<N1KVE-VSM-IP>/`.
2. Click the **Lock** icon on the address bar or the Not Secure icon besides the URL.
3. Click **Certificate** in the drop-down list.
4. Scroll down to the Thumbprint Field and copy the content.
5. Click the **Details** tab in the pop-up window.

Installing VSE Using the N1KVE Manager vCenter Plugin

Complete these steps to install VSE using N1KVE Manager vCenter plugin. You can also use the migrate option available on the N1KVE Manager vCenter plugin to install VSEs and to migrate the configuration from all existing Nexus 1000V instances. For more information see, [Migrating from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Using Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin](#), on page 6.

Before you begin

- Ensure that you have configured a static IP pool or DHCP server in the VMware vCenter.
- Ensure that VSM is already deployed.

Procedure

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- Step 1** Navigate to [Home](#) on VMware vCenter Web Client. If a content library has already been created with the required VSE image, go to Step 6. If not, proceed to step 2.
- Step 2** On the **Navigator** Pane, click [Content Libraries](#) to open the **Content Libraries** page.
- Step 3** On the **Getting Started** tab, click [Create new content library](#).
- Step 4** In the **New Content Library** dialog box, do the following:
- a) On the **Name and Location** page, enter the content library name in the [Name](#) text field and select vCenter Server IP address from the **vCenter Server** drop-down list
 - b) Click **Next**.
 - c) On the **Configure content library** page, verify that the default option, **Local content library** is selected
 - d) Click **Next**.
 - e) On the **Add Storage** page, choose the **Select a datastore** option and from the **Filter** tab, select a storage location.
 - f) Click **Next**.
 - g) On the **Ready to complete** page, click **Finish**.
 - h) On the **Navigator** tab, select the new content library that you just created
 - i) On the **Getting Started** tab, under **Basic Tasks** section, click **Import Item** to open **New Content Library – Import Library Item** dialog box
 - j) Choose **Local file** option and click **Browse** and navigate to the location of the VSE OVF file. Select the VSE OVF file and click **Open**.
 - k) In the **Select referenced files** dialog box, select the OVF referenced files and click **Open**.
 - l) On the **Select referenced files** dialog box, click **Ok**.
 - m) On the **New Content Library – Import Library Item** dialog-box, click **Ok**.
 - n) On the **Home** page, click **Recent Tasks** tab at the bottom to check VSE file upload progress.
- Step 5** Navigate to **Home** tab on VMware vSphere Web Client.
- Step 6** Click **N1KVE Manager**, and enter the VMware vCenter password and click **Login**. The N1KVE Manager page opens.
- Step 7** On the **Installation** tab, select a data center from the **Select a DC** drop-down list.
- Step 8** Select a vDS from the **Select a VDS** drop-down list to list the available Hosts.
- Step 9** Select the check-box for a Host from the list of Hosts and click Physical Adapter icon to open **Select PNICS for Outside VDS** dialog-box
- Step 10** In the **Select PNICSs for OUTSIDE VDS** dialog box, select a physical adapter and click **Submit**.
- Step 11** Select an OVF file from the **OVF File** drop-down list.
- Step 12** Enter VSM IP address for **VSM IP** text field.
- Step 13** Enter domain Id for **Domain ID** text field.
- Step 14** Select an uplink port profile from the **Uplink Port Profile** drop-down list.
- Step 15** Select a management port group from the **Management Port Group** drop-down list.

- Step 16** Select **Auto** for **Datastore** drop-down list.
- Step 17** Enter VSE administrator password in the **VSE Admin Password** text-field.
- Step 18** Confirm the password in the **Confirm Password** text field.
- Step 19** Click **Install**.
- Step 20** In the **Install** dialog box, click **Yes**.

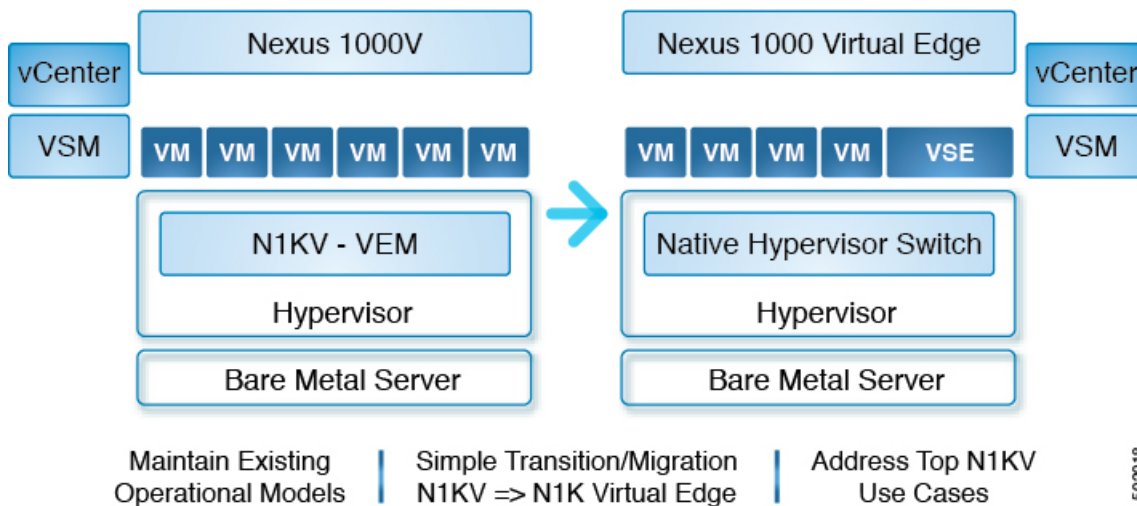
You can check the installation progress in the **Recent Tasks** tab at the bottom of VMware vCenter.

Migrating from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Using Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter Plugin

This section explains about how you can migrate from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Nexus 1000VE. Migrating from Nexus 1000V to Nexus 1000VE involves use of Nexus 1000VE Manager vCenter plugin. The plugin provides easy migration with minimal disruption during the transition.

Migration Work Flow

The following figure shows hypothetical view of Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE migration.



Migration work flow is broadly classified into two steps:

- Configuration Migration: Migrate all the relevant configurations, filtering out unsupported or not applicable configurations from Cisco Nexus 1000V VSM to Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM.
- Host Migration
 - Bring up the Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSE VM and other relevant vDS with port groups to which it is attached to
 - Migrate all the Virtual Machine ports from Cisco Nexus 1000V DVS to Cisco Nexus 1000VE vDS.

- Migrate the VMKernel ports and Physical NICs that are part of Cisco Nexus 1000V DVS to corresponding vDS(s) at Cisco Nexus 1000VE.

Prerequisites for Migrating Cisco VSG, Cisco PNSC, and Cisco Nexus 1000V to Nexus 1000VE Environment

Migrating from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE has the following prerequisites:

- You have downloaded and imported the Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSE OVF package to VMware vCenter Content Library.
- Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM is running and available.
- Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM is registered to vCenter and corresponding VDS is created and configured. Use the **show svcs connections** command to verify the connection status between Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and vCenter. Login to vCenter to verify whether Cisco Nexus 1000VE VDS is created or not.
- You have configured Cisco Nexus 1000V and Cisco Nexus 1000VE vDS as part of the same datacenter in VMware vCenter.
- Ensure that Cisco Nexus 1000V and Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM do not use the same SVS Domain ID.
- Ensure that SSH is enabled for both both Cisco Nexus 1000V and Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSMs before migration.
- Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSE instance is a Virtual Machine deployed one per ESXi host that is installed through Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager. First adapter of every VSE VM is reserved for management and it needs an IP address obtained either through Static IP Pool mapped to a port group or from a DHCP server running externally.

For more information about how to configure Static IP pools, see VMware documentation at: [Configuring IP Pools](#).

- Ensure that the IP address allocated to VSE VM through Static IP pool or DHCP server is reachable from Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM management. You need to define the correct IP Pool with all free (unused) IP addresses. Incorrect IP pool configuration does not invoke error messages. You can detect duplicate IP address using the Linux command **arping -D ip_address**.
- You have configured different vmknics for Nexus 1000V specific services (for example, ERSPAN/VSG) and VMware specific services (for example, vMotion) before migration.
- You have deployed the same number of new VSGs for Nexus 1000VE as configured in Cisco Nexus 1000V before starting the migration process.

One needs to deploy as many new VSGs as configured in Nexus1000v before migration.

- Ensure that the management IP address, data IP address, and the HA id of the Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSG is different from that configured in the VSG of the Cisco Nexus1000v.
- Ensure that the vmknics used for the communication between the Cisco Nexus1000v Vpath and Cisco VSG have the vMotion service disabled.
- For Nexus1000VE VSG, ensure that that vservice node is configured with adjacency l3 in Nexus 1000VE VSM while editing the migration config window during migration process. This is because adjacency l2 is not supported.

- .vservice node adjacency I3 configuration has no changes to Nexus1000VE , all the related configurations of Nexus1000V will work.
- Ensure that you configure the license and switch edition (either essential or advanced) on Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM before migration.

Usage Guidelines and Limitations

Follow these usage guidelines and limitations while migrating from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE:

- If a VSE management port-group is on VMware vSwitch, then the management port group with same name should be configured on all the Physical hosts that are chosen for installation or migration.
- Currently, it is not possible to change the management IP address of N1KVE-VSE after deployment. Please contact Cisco TAC support to allow access to root for changing the management IP address of VSE.
- Cisco Nexus 1000VE supports only ESXi version 6.0 and above. If any Hosts exists with previous version of ESXi in Cisco Nexus 1000V, its recommended to upgrade the same to ESXi version 6.0 and above to be a candidate for migration.
- Cisco Nexus 1000VE does not support multiple uplink port-profiles for a single VSE. However, each VSE can potentially use a different uplink port-profile.

We recommend that you create a new single uplink port-profile, by merging all the currently in-use uplink port-profile configurations including the VLANs, channel-group and policies. Do not move the PNICS manually and let the Cisco Nexus 1000VE Manager move all the PNICS as part of migration process using the newly created uplink port-profile.



Note Make sure to do the necessary configurations at the upstream switch ports attached to the PNICS to avoid disruption in traffic.

- Only the hosts that are using a common uplink ethernet port-profile on Cisco Nexus 1000VE can be migrated as a batch.
- Only the supported and applicable configurations are migrated from Nexus 1000V VSM to Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM. The Nexus 1000VE manger migration plugin tool filters out the unsupported and not applicable configurations.
- The Nexus 1000VE Manager Plugin is not supported for use on a vCenter using the same Platform Service Controller (PSC) as other vCenters.
- Ensure that the Management Port Group name is unique.
- You cannot migrate single port-channel to multiple port-channel configuration.
- You can install or uninstall or migrate up to five Hosts at a time using the N1KVE Manager vCenter plugin.
- When migrating using the migration plugin, make sure the number of ports does not use the scale limit of 45000, after which there can be issues on adding the hosts to Nexus 1000VE.

- Only one Nexus 1000VE vDS is supported per datacenter in vCenter Server.
- Expect some packet drops during the migration process. The migration process is not hit-less.
- Layer 2 adjacency between vpath(VSE) and VSG is not supported
- IPv6 is not supported for VSM and VSE.
- Fully Qualified Domain Name (DNS) is not supported for VSE and VSM.
- Virtual Ethernet trunk mode is not supported on Nexus 1000VE.
- You can migrate upto 8 PNICS per Host that are part of Nexus 1000V VEM to Nexus 1000VE External vDS for LACP port-channel. Note that LACP does not run natively on Nexus 1000VE VSE or VSM.

Unsupported Features

Cisco Nexus 1000VE Release 5.2(1)SV5(1.1) does not support the following features:

- Link Aggregation Control Protocol (LACP)
- Segmentation
- L3 Forwarding
- Border Gateway Protocol (BGP)
- Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol (DHCP)
- Netflow
- Network Segmentation Manager

Compatibility Matrix - Migrating from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Environment

Following table lists the minimum software versions required for various component to migrate from Nexus 1000V to Nexus 1000VE environment.

Table 2: Compatibility Matrix

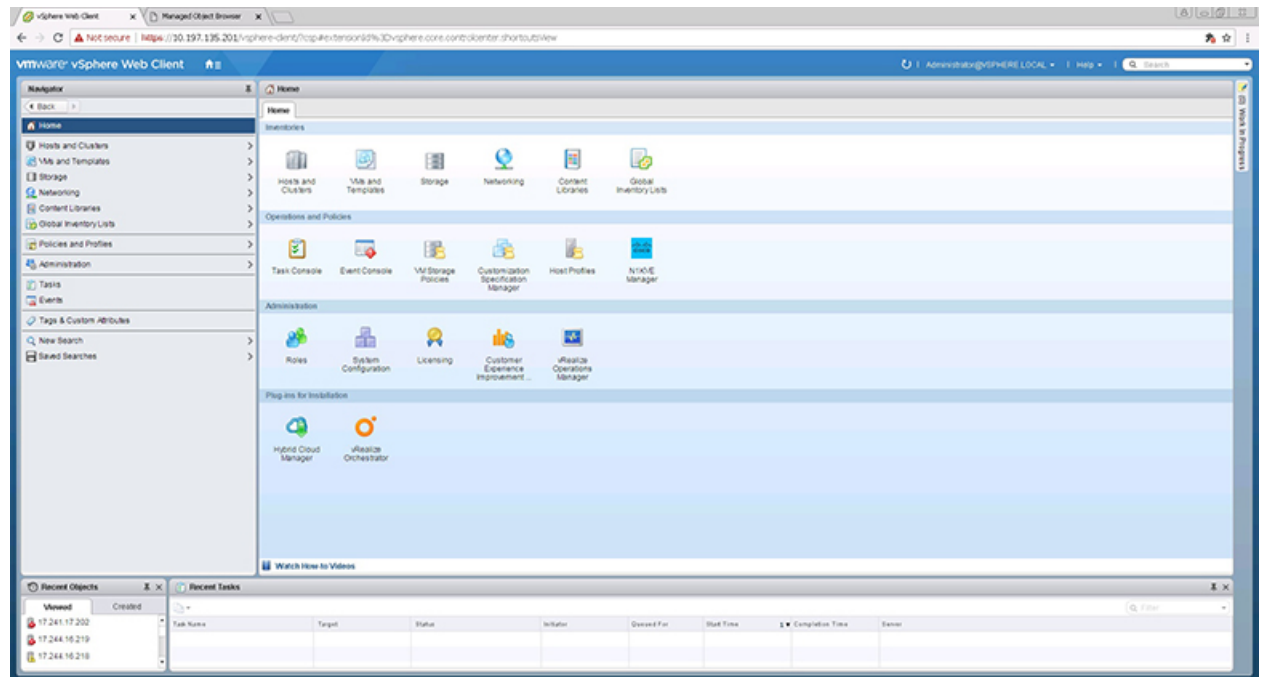
Cisco Nexus 1000V Version	Cisco VSG Version	Cisco PNSC Version	VMware ESXi Version
5.2(1)SV3(3.1)	VSG 2.2.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PNSC 3.4.2c • PNSC 3.4.2d 	6.5a and 6.0
5.2(1)SV3(4.1)	VSG 2.2.2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PNSC 3.4.2c • PNSC 3.4.2d 	6.5a and 6.0

Migrating ESX Hosts from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Using N1KVE Manager vCenter Plugin

Follow these steps to migrate a ESX host from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE platform. If you have a VSG in your environment, see [Migrating Cisco VSG and Cisco PNSC with Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Environment, on page 20](#).

Procedure

Step 1 Login and navigate to Home on VMware vCenter Web Client.



Step 2 On the Home tab, under the Operations and Policies section, click the Nexus 1000VE Manager (N1KVE) icon.

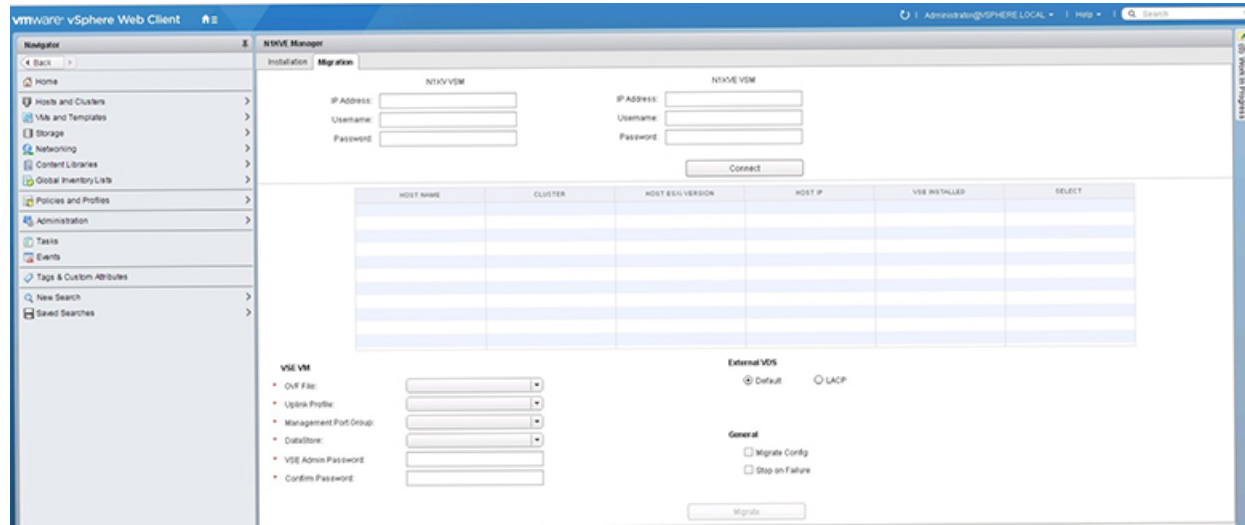
Step 3 Enter the VMware vCenter password to login into N1KVE Manager.

Step 4 On the N1KVE Manager Window, click the Migration tab and enter the following details:

- NIKV VSM
 - IP address: IP address of NIKV VSM
 - Username: User name for NIKV VSM
 - Password: Password for NIKV VSM
- NIKVE VSM
 - IP address: IP address of NIKVE VSM
 - Username: User name for NIKVE VSM

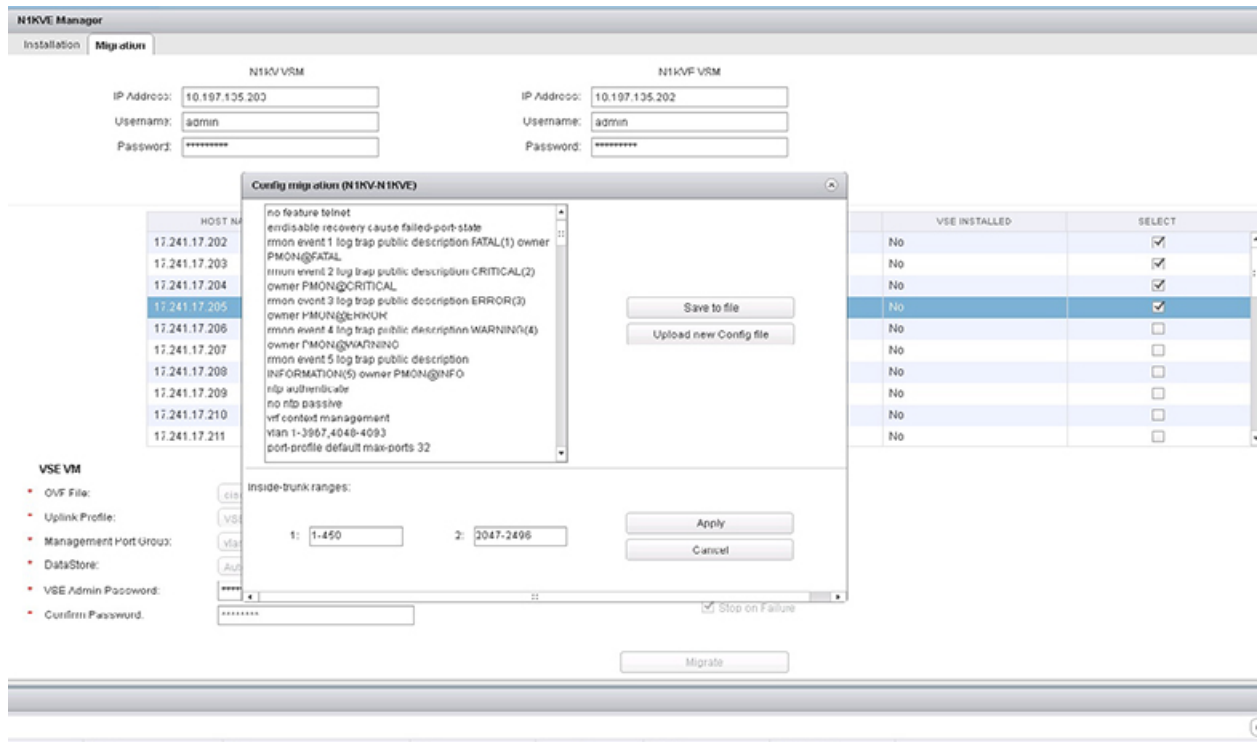
- Password: Password for NIKVE VSM

Step 5 Click Connect. All the hosts attached to legacy NIKV that are eligible for migration are listed on the Migration tab.



- Step 6** Select a host to migrate. It's recommended to choose at a maximum of 5 hosts for migration at a time.
- Step 7** Select the Nexus 1000VE VSE OVF file from the OVF File drop-down list.
- Step 8** Select a port profile to migrate from the Uplink Port Profile drop-down list.
- Step 9** Select a management port group from the Management Port Group drop-down list.
- Step 10** Select deployment location for the Nexus 1000VE VSE from the DataStore drop-down list. If you select Auto, location for VSE VM is chosen randomly by the vCenter.
- Step 11** Enter a new password and confirm the password in the VSE Admin Password and Confirm Password text-fields.
- Step 12** Select applicable port channel type configured in the Nexus 1000V under External VDS.
- Step 13** Select Migrate Config option. You must select this option while migrating hosts for the first time. For the subsequent host migrations to Cisco Nexus 1000VE, select this option if you want to migrate the latest/modified configuration from the Cisco Nexus 1000V VSM. Else uncheck this option.
- Step 14** Select Stop on Failure option. This is enabled by default.
- Step 15** Click Migrate to initiate the migration process.
- Step 16** Click Yes in the Migrate Configuration dialog box. The Config Migration dialog box appears with filtered configuration from the Cisco Nexus 1000V VSM instance.

Figure 1:



You can refer to Parent Task under Recent Tasks tab for migration progress. Look for the Parent task (Config migration from N1KV to N1kVE) in the Recent Tasks tab.

- Step 17** (Optional) If you want to save this configuration for future reference, click Save to file.
- Step 18** (Optional) To select a different configuration (text file format only), click Upload new Config file.
- Step 19** Under Inside-trunk ranges section, the two text fields show the range of ports required (Calculated dynamically by the tool for each cluster). You can change these ranges. For more information about Inside-trunk ranges, see Install Guide.
- Step 20** Click Apply to start the migration process.
- Step 21** Once the configuration migration is completed, a new dialog box appears for host migration. Click Yes in the Migrate Host to N1KVE dialog box. The migration process starts. You can refer to Parent Task under Recent Tasks tab for migration progress. Look for the Parent task (Migration from N1KV to N1kVE) in the Recent Tasks tab.

Verifying the Host Migration

Login to Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and use the **show** commands to check whether the selected host migrated successfully to Cisco Nexus 1000VE.

Sample output for **show module** command.

```
testing-158# show module
Mod  Ports  Module-Type                Model                Status
-----
```

```

1 0 Virtual Supervisor Module Nexus1000V active *
2 0 Virtual Supervisor Module Nexus1000V ha-standby
3 1022 Virtual Service Engine NA ok
4 1022 Virtual Service Engine NA ok
5 1022 Virtual Service Engine NA other

Mod Sw Hw
---
1 5.2(1)SV5(1.1) 0.0
2 5.2(1)SV5(1.1) 0.0
3 5.2(1)SV5(1.1) NA
4 5.2(1)SV5(1.1) NA
5 5.2(1)SV5(1.1) NA

Mod Server-IP Server-UUID Server-Name
---
1 16.1.0.103 NA NA
2 16.1.0.103 NA NA
3 16.2.0.100 422CF071-5E7D-6A1F-7630-C995EA58966A localhost.localdomain
4 16.2.0.101 422CDE9E-D950-1923-FD2C-161304F3ACEC localhost.localdomain
5 16.2.0.102 422C4B49-4A2D-2863-5A0B-305089F8ED75 localhost.localdomain

Mod VSE-IP Host-IP
---
3 16.2.0.100 10.197.128.87
4 16.2.0.101 10.197.128.92
5 16.2.0.102 10.197.128.91

```

* this terminal session
testing-158#

Sample output for **show interface brief** command.

testing-158# **show interface brief**

```

-----
Port      VRF      Status IP Address      Speed  MTU
-----
mgmt0    --      up      16.1.0.103      1000  1500

Ethernet  VLAN    Type Mode    Status Reason      Speed  Port
Interface                               Ch #
-----
Eth3/1    1       eth trunk up      none      10G
Eth4/1    1       eth trunk up      none      10G
Eth5/1    1       eth trunk up      none      10G

Vethernet VLAN/   Type Mode    Status Reason      MTU  Module
Segment
-----
Veth1     1602   virt access up      none      1500  4
Veth2     1602   virt access up      none      1500  4
Veth3     1602   virt access up      none      1500  5
Veth4     1602   virt access up      none      1500  5

Port      VRF      Status IP Address      Speed  MTU
-----
control0  --      up      --              1000  1500

```

NOTE : * Denotes ports on modules which are currently offline on VSM

Sample output for **show interface virtual** command.

```
testing-158# show interface virtual
```

```
-----
Port          Adapter      Owner          Mod Host
-----
Veth1         Net Adapter 1  vm14           4  localhost.localdomain
Veth2         Net Adapter 1  vm12           4  localhost.localdomain
Veth3         Net Adapter 1  vm13           5  localhost.localdomain
Veth4         Net Adapter 1  vm11           5  localhost.localdomain
testing-158#
```

Sample output for **show running-config** command.

```
testing-158# show running-config
```

```
!Command: show running-config
!Time: Fri Jun 22 09:43:04 2012

version 5.2(1)SV5(1.1)
svs switch edition advanced

hostname testing-158

no feature telnet
feature tacacs+
feature cts
feature port-profile-roles
feature vtracker

logging level aaa 5
logging level cdp 6
logging level radius 5
logging level tacacs 5
logging level monitor 6
username admin password 5 $1$yhU5WlBH$sKPYWegaDsCpfTH6R8hAM1 role network-admin
username admin keypair generate rsa
username dcnm password 5 ! role network-admin
username visinoc password 5 ! role network-admin

banner motd #Nexus 1000v Switch
#

ip domain-lookup
ip host testing-158 16.1.0.103
aaa group server radius aaa-private-sg
logging event link-status default
errdisable recovery cause failed-port-state
ip access-list test
  statistics per-entry
  10 permit icmp 16.2.0.111/32 16.2.0.112/32
  11 permit icmp 16.2.0.112/32 16.2.0.111/32
  12 deny icmp 17.1.1.1/32 12.2.2.2/32
  13 permit tcp any any
  14 permit ip any any
vse 3
  host id 422CF071-5E7D-6A1F-7630-C995EA58966A
vse 4
  host id 422CDE9E-D950-1923-FD2C-161304F3ACEC
vse 5
  host id 422C4B49-4A2D-2863-5A0B-305089F8ED75
snmp-server user admin network-admin auth md5 0x9f18743a6a8510da4b020aae147549fa priv
0x9f18743a6a8510da4b020aae147549fa localizedkey
rmon event 1 log trap public description FATAL(1) owner PMON@FATAL
rmon event 2 log trap public description CRITICAL(2) owner PMON@CRITICAL
rmon event 3 log trap public description ERROR(3) owner PMON@ERROR
```

```
rmon event 4 log trap public description WARNING(4) owner PMON@WARNING
rmon event 5 log trap public description INFORMATION(5) owner PMON@INFO
ntp authenticate
no ntp passive

vrf context management
  ip route 0.0.0.0/0 16.1.0.1
vlan 1,1601-1650
vlan 1604
  name CVT2.0_BAN_Primary
vlan 1605
  name CVT2.0_BAN_Isolated
vlan 1606
  name FT_Logging

port-channel load-balance ethernet source-mac
port-profile default max-ports 64
port-profile default port-binding static
port-profile type vethernet 103-1640
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 1640
  no shutdown
  max-ports 32
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet 103-1641
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 1641
  no shutdown
  max-ports 32
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type ethernet Unused_Or_Quarantine_Uplink
  shutdown
  description Port-group created for Nexus 1000V internal usage. Do not use.
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet Unused_Or_Quarantine_Veth
  shutdown
  max-ports 32
  description Port-group created for Nexus 1000V internal usage. Do not use.
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet inside-trunk1
  switchport mode trunk
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 1-50
  no shutdown
  max-ports 32
  description Port-group created for Nexus 1000V internal usage. Do not use.
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type ethernet outside-trunk
  switchport mode trunk
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 1-3967,4048-4093
  no shutdown
  description Port-group created for Nexus 1000V internal usage. Do not use.
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet inside-trunk2
  switchport mode trunk
  switchport trunk allowed vlan 2047-2096
  no shutdown
  max-ports 32
  description Port-group created for Nexus 1000V internal usage. Do not use.
```

```

state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet l3-control
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 1602
no shutdown
capability l3control
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet MGMT_vMotion
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 3800
no shutdown
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type ethernet Mgmt-Uplinks
switchport mode trunk
switchport trunk allowed vlan 3000
mtu 9000
no shutdown
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type ethernet Cust-Uplinks
switchport mode trunk
switchport trunk allowed vlan 2,41,45,54,145,518,541,545,554,980-981
switchport trunk allowed vlan add 983-984,3018
mtu 9000
no shutdown
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type ethernet vKernel-Uplinks
switchport mode trunk
switchport trunk allowed vlan 3800-3801
mtu 9000
no shutdown
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet GLB_LanA_VLAN_45
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 45
no shutdown
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet GLB_BAN_VLAN_545
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 545
no shutdown
max-ports 128
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet GLB_TestDev_VLAN_145
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 145
no shutdown
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet v2
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 2
no shutdown
max-ports 8
description VM on vlan 2
state enabled
vmware port-group SDC_Backup-2

```



```
port-profile type vethernet VPS_ESXMGMT_VLAN_983
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 983
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet LCV_LanA_VLAN_54
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 54
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet VPS_OVMMGMT_VLAN_984
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 984
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet DAI_LanA_VLAN_41
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 41
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet DAI_BAN_VLAN_541
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 541
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet LCV_BAN_VLAN_554
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 554
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet ONE_SANMgmt_981
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 981
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet ONE_SDCOPS_980
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 980
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet SON_BAN_VLAN_518
  switchport mode access
  switchport access vlan 518
  no shutdown
  max-ports 16
  state enabled
  vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet SON_OVMMGMT_VLAN_3018
```

```

switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 3018
no shutdown
max-ports 16
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet GLB_L2Only_Heartbeat_47
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 47
no shutdown
max-ports 16
state enabled
vmware port-group GLB_Heartbeat_VLAN_47
port-profile type ethernet uplink2
switchport mode trunk
switchport trunk allowed vlan 1,1601-1650
no shutdown
system vlan 1601-1650
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet vml-pp
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 1602
ip port access-group test in
ip port access-group test out
no shutdown
max-ports 1024
system vlan 1602
state enabled
vmware port-group
port-profile type vethernet vm2-pp
switchport mode access
switchport access vlan 1607
no shutdown
max-ports 1024
state enabled
vmware port-group

system storage-loss log time 60
system inter-sup-heartbeat time 15
track network-state
track network-state interval 3

interface mgmt0
ip address 16.1.0.103/24

interface Vethernet1
inherit port-profile vml-pp
description vml4, Net Adapter 1
vmware dvport 0 dvswitch uuid "50 2c ce 12 27 c6 bc e2-26 fd 60 96 81 72 7c 76"
vmware vm mac 0050.56AC.DCA4

interface Vethernet2
inherit port-profile vml-pp
description vml2, Net Adapter 1
vmware dvport 0 dvswitch uuid "50 2c ce 12 27 c6 bc e2-26 fd 60 96 81 72 7c 76"
vmware vm mac 0050.56AC.2DAB

interface Vethernet3
inherit port-profile vml-pp
description vml3, Net Adapter 1
vmware dvport 0 dvswitch uuid "50 2c ce 12 27 c6 bc e2-26 fd 60 96 81 72 7c 76"
vmware vm mac 0050.56AC.10E0

```

```

interface Vethernet4
  inherit port-profile vml-pp
  description vml1, Net Adapter 1
  vmware dvport 0 dvswitch uuid "50 2c ce 12 27 c6 bc e2-26 fd 60 96 81 72 7c 76"
  vmware vm mac 0050.56AC.72D7

interface Ethernet3/1
  inherit port-profile uplink2

interface Ethernet4/1
  inherit port-profile uplink2

interface Ethernet5/1
  inherit port-profile uplink2
line console
line vty
boot kickstart bootflash:/n1000v-dk9-kickstart.5.2.1.SV5.1.0.228.bin sup-1
boot system bootflash:/n1000v-dk9.5.2.1.SV5.1.0.228.bin sup-1
boot kickstart bootflash:/n1000v-dk9-kickstart.5.2.1.SV5.1.0.228.bin sup-2
boot system bootflash:/n1000v-dk9.5.2.1.SV5.1.0.228.bin sup-2
monitor session 1 type erspan-source
cts device tracking
cts interface delete-hold 60
cts sxp node-id interface mgmt0
svs-domain
  domain id 103
  control vlan 1
  packet vlan 1
  svs mode L3 interface mgmt0
  switch-guid 8329b603-ee69-419a-82f6-b1d373df3643
  enable 13sec
vse-dvs
  outside-trunk vlan 1-4094
  inside-trunk 1 tag 1-50
  inside-trunk 2 tag 2047-2096
svs connection vc
  protocol vmware-vim
  remote ip address 10.197.128.76 port 80 vrf management
  transport type ipv4
  vmware dvs uuid "50 2c ce 12 27 c6 bc e2-26 fd 60 96 81 72 7c 76" datacenter-name DC - 2
  max-ports 12000
  vmware dvs-version 5.0.0
  connect
vservice global type vsg
  no tcp state-checks invalid-ack
  no tcp state-checks seq-past-window
  no tcp state-checks window-variation
  no bypass asa-traffic
  no l3-frag
vservice global
  idle-timeout
  tcp 30
  udp 4
  icmp 4
  layer-3 4
  layer-2 2
nsc-policy-agent
  registration-ip 0.0.0.0
  shared-secret *****
  log-level

testing-158#

```

Migrating Cisco VSG and Cisco PNSC with Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Environment

To migrate Cisco VSG and Cisco PNSC with Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Environment, complete the following tasks:

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Registering Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and Cisco VSG to Cisco PNSC

Complete these steps to register Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and Cisco VSG to Cisco PNSC:

Procedure

Step 1 Log in to VSM and use **registration-ip** command to register VSM to PNSC.

Example:

```
NG_VSM# conf
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
NG_VSM(config)# nsc-policy-agent
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# registration-ip 1.1.1.1 // pnc ip address
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# shared-secret password
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# policy-agent-image bootflash:vsmpca.3.2.3a.bin
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# end
NG_VSM# copy r s
[#####] 100%
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
NG_VSM#
```

Step 2 Verify whether VSM registration to PNSC was successful.

Example:

```
NG_VSM # sh nsc-pa status
NSC Policy-Agent status is - Installed Successfully. Version 3.2(3a)-vsm
```

Step 3 Deploy as many new VSG(s) as configured in the classic Nexus 1000V for Nexus1000VE.

Step 4 Log in to VSG and use **registration-ip** command to register VSG to PNSC.

Example:

```
vsg# conf
WARNING: This device is managed by Prime Network Services Controller. Changing configuration
using CLI is not recommended.
```

```
vsg(config)# nsc-policy-agent
vsg(config-nsc-policy-agent)# registration-ip 1.1.1.1 // pnc ip address
vsg(config-nsc-policy-agent)# shared-secret password
vsg(config-nsc-policy-agent)# policy-agent-image bootflash:nsc-vsgpa.2.1.3i.bin
vsg(config-nsc-policy-agent)# end
vsg# copy r s
[#####] 100%
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
vsg#
```

Step 5 Deploy as many new VSG(s) as configured in classic Nexus 1000V for Nexus1000VE.

Step 6 Verify whether VSG registration to PNSC was successful.

Example:

```
vsg# sh nsc-pa status
NSC Policy-Agent status is - Installed Successfully. Version 2.1(3i)-vsg
```

Creating Firewall Object for Nexus 1000VE VSG on PNSC

You need to create a firewall object for Nexus 1000VE VSG with different data IP on Cisco PNSC.

Procedure

Step 1 Log in to Cisco PNSC GUI.

Step 2 Navigate to **Resource Management > Managed Resources** and under the **root** navigation pane, select a tenant to deploy the firewall. **Compute Firewall**.

Step 3 On the tenant page, click **Network Services** and from the **Action** drop-down list click **Add Compute Firewall**.

Step 4 In the **Create** dialog-box, enter the name and description for the firewall and click **Next**.

Step 5 On the **Select Service Device** page, select **Assign VSG** option.

Step 6 From the **VSG Device** drop-down list, select IP address of N1KVE VSG registered in the previous task.

Step 7 Click **Next**.

Step 8 In the **Configure Data Interface** page, enter the following details:

- Data IP Address (should be different from data IP address assigned to VSG under classic Nexus 1000V environment)
- Subnet Mask
- VLAN

Step 9 Click **Next**.

Step 10 On the **Summary** page, review the configurations and click **Finish** to create a VSG firewall object.

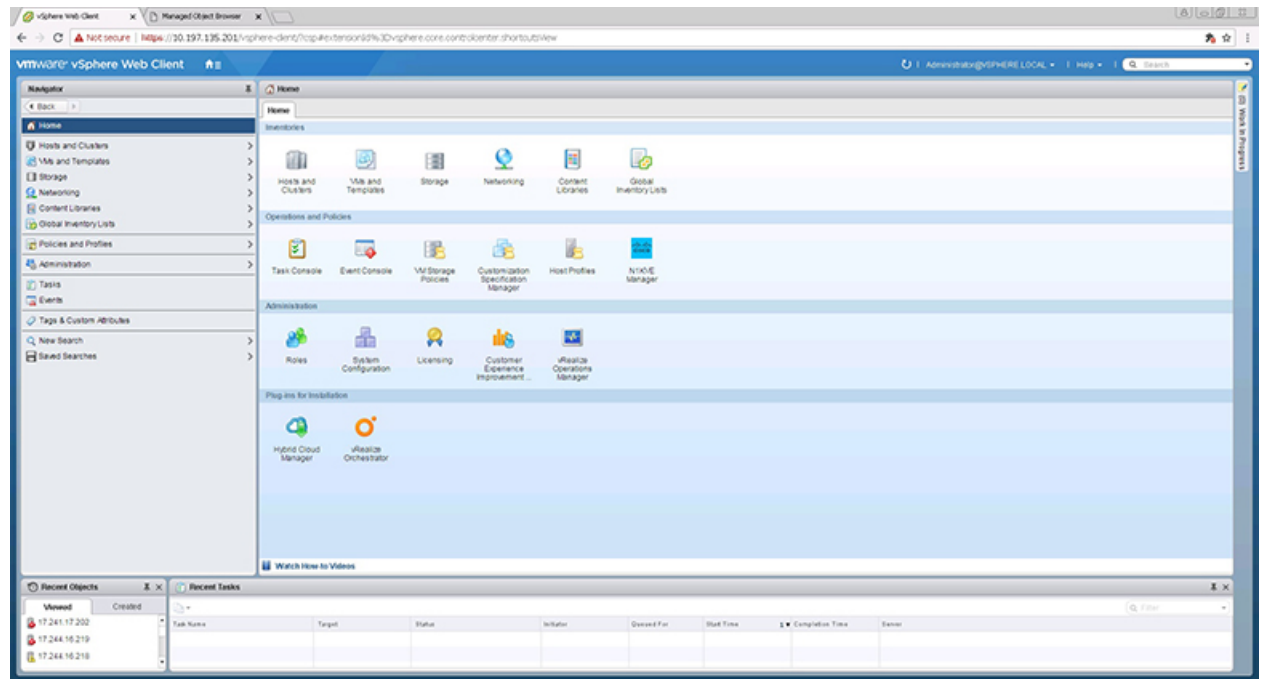
Migrating Cisco VSG and Cisco PNSC with ESXi Hosts from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE Using N1kVE Manager vCenter Plugin

Follow these steps to migrate Cisco VSG and Cisco PNSC with ESXi Host (VEM) from Cisco Nexus 1000V to Cisco Nexus 1000VE environment using NIKVE Manager.

Procedure

Step 1

Login and navigate to **Home** on VMware vCenter Web Client.



Step 2

On the **Home** tab, under the **Operations and Policies** section, click the **NIKVE Manager** icon.

Step 3

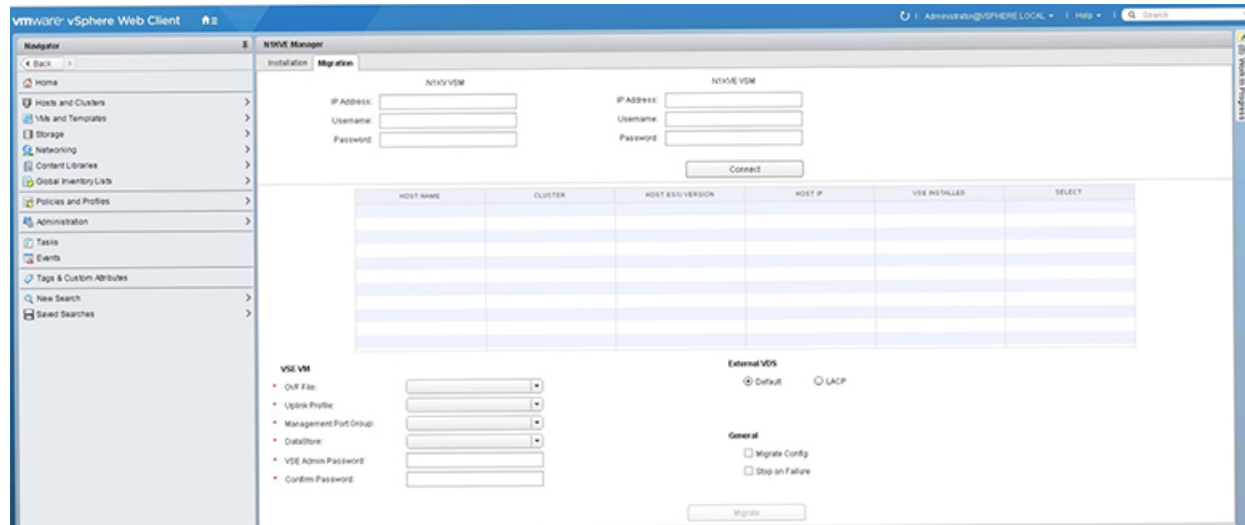
Enter the VMware vCenter password to login into NIKVE Manager.

Step 4

On the **NIKVE Manager** window, click the **Migration** tab and enter the following details:

- NIKV VSM
 - IP address: IP address of NIKV VSM
 - Username: User name for NIKV VSM
 - Password: Password for NIKV VSM
- NIKVE VSM
 - IP address: IP address of NIKVE VSM
 - Username: User name for NIKVE VSM
 - Password: Password for NIKVE VSM

Step 5 Click **Connect**. All the hosts attached to legacy N1KV that are eligible for migration are listed on the **Migration** tab.



Step 6 Select a host to migrate. Choose a maximum of 4 hosts for migration at a time.

Step 7 Select the Nexus 1000VE VSE OVF file from the **OVF File** drop-down list.

Step 8 Select a port profile to migrate from the **Uplink Port Profile** drop-down list.

Step 9 Select a management port group from the **Management Port Group** drop-down list.

Step 10 Select deployment location for the Nexus 1000VE VSE from the **DataStore** drop-down list. If you select **Auto**, location for VSE VM is chosen randomly by the VMware vCenter.

Step 11 Enter a new password and confirm the password in the **VSE Admin Password** and **Confirm Password** text-fields.

Step 12 Select applicable port channel type configured in the Nexus 1000V under **External VDS**.

Step 13 Select **Migrate Config** option. You must select this option while migrating hosts for the first time. For the subsequent host migrations to Cisco Nexus 1000VE, select this option if you want to migrate the latest configuration from the Cisco Nexus 1000V VSM.

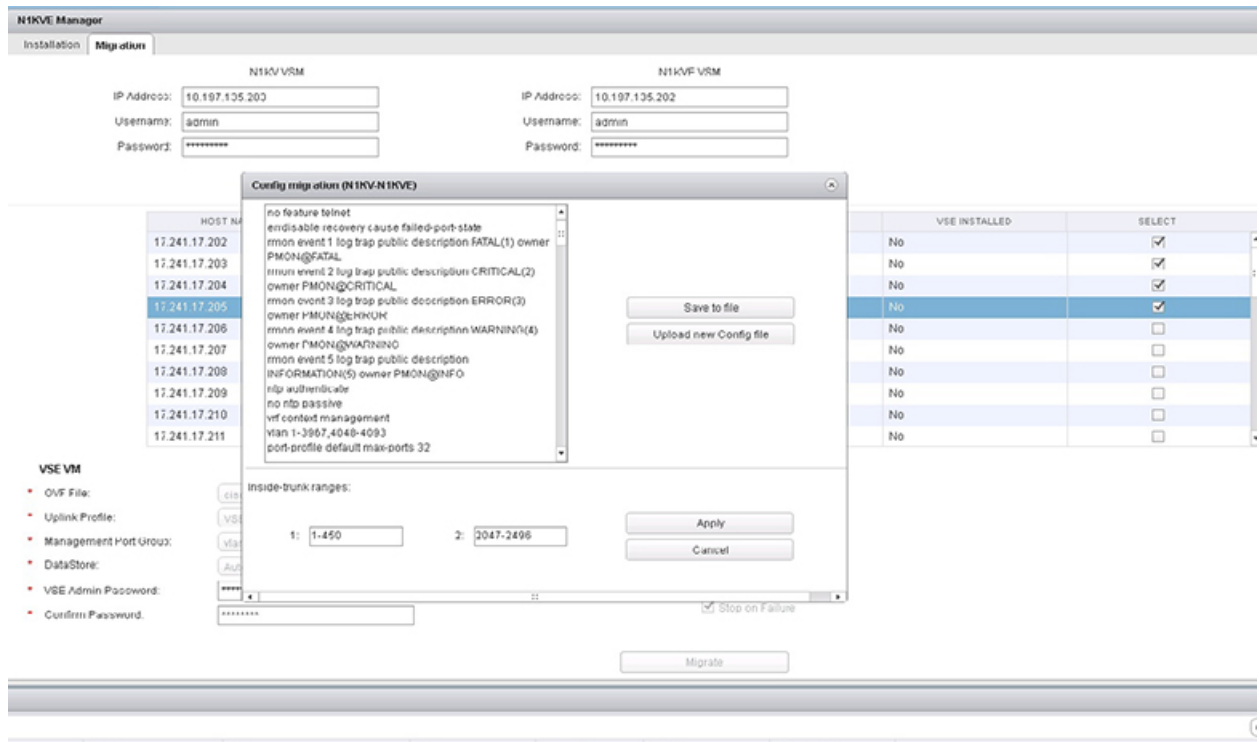
Step 14 Ensure that the **Stop on Failure** option is selected.

Step 15 Click **Migrate** to initiate the migration process.

Step 16 Click **Yes** in the **Migrate Configuration** dialog box.

Step 17 The **Config Migration** dialog box appears with filtered configurations from the Cisco Nexus 1000V VSM instance. Edit the vservice node ip address of each VSG configured to reflect the new VSGs deployed. If adjacency l2 configuration is present, replace it with adjacency l3.

Figure 2: N1kVE Manager



Note You can refer to Parent Task under Recent Tasks tab for migration progress. Look for the Parent task (Config migration from N1KV to N1kVE) in the Recent Tasks tab.

- Step 18** (Optional) If you want to save this configuration for future reference, click **Save** to file.
- Step 19** (Optional) To select a different configuration (text file format only), click **Upload new Config file**.
- Step 20** Under **Inside-trunk ranges** section, the two text fields show the range of ports required (Calculated dynamically by the tool for each cluster). You can change these ranges.
- Step 21** Click **Apply** to start the migration process.
- Step 22** Once the configuration migration is completed, a new dialog box appears for host migration. Click **Yes** in the **Migrate Host to N1KVE** dialog box. The migration process starts. You can refer to Parent Task under Recent Tasks tab for migration progress. Look for the Parent task (Migration from N1KV to N1kVE) in the Recent Tasks tab.
- Step 23** Once the migration is successful, upgrade **Cisco PNSC** to version 3.5.1a.

On successful migration, Cisco PNSC is attached to Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and Cisco VSG.



Note All the VM information on PNSC is lost during the migration process and traffic loss occurs for rules with VM attributes. To restore the traffic, you need to upgrade PNSC to 3.5.1a and re-register the VSM and VSG PAs after the migration process is completed.

Verifying vService Nodes

Log into Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and verify that the vService nodes are in **Alive** state.

Procedure

Log in to Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and use **show vservice node brief** and **ping vservice node** commands to verify that the vservice nodes are in **Alive** state.

Example:

```
NG_VSM# sh vservice node brief
```

```
-----
                                Node Information
-----
ID Name                          Type   IP-Address   Mode   MTU   State   Module
1 VSG_T1                          vsg    192.168.163.240 13     NA    Alive   3,4,5,
```

```
NG_VSM#
```

```
NG_VSM#
```

```
NG_VSM# ping vservice node all src-module all
```

```
ping vsn 192.168.163.240 vlan 0 from module 3 4 5, seq=0 timeout=1-sec
  module(usec)   : 3(284) 4(579) 5(527)
```

```
ping vsn 192.168.163.240 vlan 0 from module 3 4 5, seq=1 timeout=1-sec
  module(usec)   : 3(415) 4(628) 5(676)
```

```
ping vsn 192.168.163.240 vlan 0 from module 3 4 5, seq=2 timeout=1-sec
  module(usec)   : 3(400) 4(580) 5(693)
```

```
ping vsn 192.168.163.240 vlan 0 from module 3 4 5, seq=3 timeout=1-sec
  module(usec)   : 3(478) 4(556) 5(553)
```

```
ping vsn 192.168.163.240 vlan 0 from module 3 4 5, seq=4 timeout=1-sec
  module(usec)   : 3(384) 4(540) 5(664)
```

```
NG_VSM#
```

Upgrading PNSC

You need to upgrade PNSC after you have migrated PNSC from Nexus 1000V environment to Nexus 1000VE environment.

Before you begin

- You are logged in to the CLI in EXEC mode.
- You have backed up the new software files to a remote server and have verified that the backup file was created on the remote server.
- You must have the Cisco PNSC Release 3.5.1a downloaded.

Procedure

- Step 1** `nsc# connect local-mgmt`
Places you in local management mode.
- Step 2** (Optional) `nsc (local-mgmt)# show version`
Displays the version information for the Cisco PNSC software.
- Step 3** (Optional) `nsc (local-mgmt)# copy scp://user@example-server-ip/example-dir/filename bootflash:/`
Copies the Cisco PNSC software file to the VM.
- Step 4** `nsc (local-mgmt)# dir bootflash:/`
Verifies that the desired file is copied in the directory.
- Step 5** `nsc (local-mgmt)# update bootflash:/filename`
Begins the update of the Cisco PNSC software.
- Step 6** (Optional) `nsc (local-mgmt)# service status`
Allows you to verify that the server is operating as desired.
- Step 7** (Optional) `nsc (local-mgmt)# show version`
Allows you to verify that the Cisco PNSC software version is updated.
- Note** After you upgrade to Cisco PNSC Release 3.5.1a, you might see the previous version of Cisco PNSC in your browser. To view the upgraded version, clear the browser cache and browsing history in the browser. This note applies to all supported browsers: Internet Explorer, Mozilla Firefox, and Chrome.
- Note** For detailed information about Upgrading PNSC, see [Upgrading Prime Network Services Controller](#).
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Configuration Example

The following example shows how to connect to the local-mgmt mode:

```
nsc# connect local-mgmt
Cisco Prime Network Services Controller
TAC support: http://www.cisco.com/tac
Copyright (c) 2002-2018, Cisco Systems, Inc. All rights reserved.
The copyrights to certain works contained in this software are
owned by other third parties and used and distributed under
license. Certain components of this software are licensed under
the GNU General Public License (GPL) version 2.0 or the GNU
Lesser General Public License (LGPL) Version 2.1. A copy of each
such license is available at
http://www.opensource.org/licenses/gpl-2.0.php and
http://www.opensource.org/licenses/lgpl-2.1.php
```

The following example shows how to display version information for the Cisco PNSC:

```
nsc(local-mgmt)# show version

Name Package Version GUI
----
core Base System 3.4(2d) 3.4(2d) service-reg
Service Registry 3.4(2d) 3.4(2d) policy-mgr
Policy Manager 3.4(2d) 3.4(2d) resource-mgr
Resource Manager 3.4(2d) 3.4(2d) vm-mgr
VM manager 3.4(2d) none vsm-service
VSM Service 3.4(2d) none cloudprovider-mgr
Cloud Provider Mgr 3.4(2d) none
localhost(local-mgmt)#
```

The following example shows how to copy the Cisco PNSC software to the VM:

```
nsc(local-mgmt)# copy scp://<user@example-server-ip>/example1-dir/nsc.3.5.1a.bin bootflash:/
Enter password:
100% 143MB 11.9MB/s 00:12
```

The following example shows how to see the directory information for Cisco PNSC:

```
nsc(local-mgmt)# dir bootflash:/

      1.1G Dec 05 00:57 nsc.3.5.1a.bin

Usage for bootflash://

      6359716 KB used
     10889320 KB free
     18187836 KB total
```

The following example shows how to start the update for the Cisco PNSC:

```
nsc(local-mgmt)# update bootflash:/nsc.3.5.1a.bin
It is recommended that you perform a full-state backup before updating any VNMC component.
Press enter to continue or Ctrl-c to exit.
```

Verifying Cisco PNSC Upgrade

After migrating and upgrading Cisco PNSC in Cisco Nexus 1000VE environment, you can verify whether the PNSC upgrade was successful.

Procedure

To verify the latest PNSC version, use the **show version** command.

Example:

```
localhost# show version

Name                Package                Version                GUI
----                -
core                Base System            3.5(1a)                3.5(1a)
service-reg         Service Registry       3.5(1a)                3.5(1a)
policy-mgr          Policy Manager         3.5(1a)                3.5(1a)
resource-mgr        Resource Manager       3.5(1a)                3.5(1a)
vm-mgr              VM manager             3.5(1a)                none
vsm-service         VSM Service            3.5(1a)                none
cloudprovider-mgr   Cloud Provider Mgr     3.5(1a)                none
localhost#
```

Re-registering Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM PA AND VSG PA

You need to re-register Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM PA and Cisco VSG PA to restore the traffic

Procedure

Step 1 Log in to Cisco Nexus 1000VE VSM and re-register the VSM PA.

Example:

```
NG_VSM# conf
Enter configuration commands, one per line. End with CNTL/Z.
NG_VSM(config)# nsc-policy-agent
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# no policy-agent-image
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# policy-agent-image bootflash:vsmpca.3.2.3a.bin
NG_VSM(config-nsc-policy-agent)# end
NG_VSM# copy r s
[#####] 100%
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
NG_VSM#
```

Step 2 Verify whether the VSM PA registration process was successful.

Example:

```
NG_VSM # sh nsc-pa status
NSC Policy-Agent status is - Installed Successfully. Version 3.2(3a)-vsm
NG_VSM#
```

Step 3 Log in to Cisco VSG and re-register the VSG PA.

Example:

```
firewall# conf
WARNING: This device is managed by Prime Network Services Controller. Changing configuration
using CLI is not recommended.
firewall(config)# nsc-policy-agent
firewall(config-nsc-policy-agent)# no policy-agent-image
firewall(config-nsc-policy-agent)# policy-agent-image bootflash:nsc-vsgpa.2.1.3i.bin
firewall(config-nsc-policy-agent)# end
firewall# copy r s
[#####] 100%
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
firewall#
```

Step 4 Verify whether the VSG PA registration process was successful.

Example:

```
firewall# sh nsc-pa status
NSC Policy-Agent status is - Installed Successfully. Version 2.1(3i)-vsg
firewall#
```
