

3.2.0 Installation Guide

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Welcome

Welcome to the Eucalyptus Installation Guide. This guide will help you understand, plan for, and install Eucalyptus. If you follow the recommendations and instructions in this guide, you will have a working version of Eucalyptus customized for your specific needs and requirements.

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Register Eucalyptus components	Registering Eucalyptus								
Configure Eucalyptus runtime environment	Configuring the Runtime Environment								
Find out more information about Eucalyptus	Finding More Information								

Introduction to Eucalyptus

Eucalyptus is a Linux-based software architecture that implements scalable private and hybrid clouds within your existing IT infrastructure. Eucalyptus allows you to provision your own collections of resources (hardware, storage, and network) using a self-service interface on an as-needed basis.

You deploy a Eucalyptus cloud across your enterprise's on-premise data center. Users access Eucalyptus over your enterprise's intranet. This allows sensitive data to remain secure from external intrusion behind the enterprise firewall.

You can install Eucalyptus on the following Linux distributions:

- CentOS 6
- Red Hat Enterprise Linux 6

Eucalyptus Overview

Eucalyptus was designed to be easy to install and as non-intrusive as possible. The software framework is modular, with industry-standard, language-agnostic communication. Eucalyptus provides a virtual network overlay that both isolates network traffic of different users and allows two or more clusters to appear to belong to the same Local Area Network (LAN). Also, Eucalyptus offers API compatability with Amazon's EC2, S3, and IAM services. This offers you the capability of a hybrid cloud.

Eucalyptus Components

Eucalyptus is comprised of six components: Cloud Controller (CLC), Walrus, Cluster Controller (CC), Storage Controller (SC), Node Controller (NC) and an optional VMware Broker (Broker or VB). Other than the VMware Broker, each component is a stand-alone web service. This architecture allows Eucalyptus both to expose each web service as a well-defined, language-agnostic API, and to support existing web service standards for secure communication between its components.

A detailed description of each Eucalyptus component follows.

Cloud Controller

The Cloud Controller (CLC) is the entry-point into the cloud for administrators, developers, project managers, and end-users. The CLC queries other components for information about resources, makes high-level scheduling decisions, and makes requests to the Cluster Controllers (CCs). As the interface to the management platform, the CLC is responsible for exposing and managing the underlying virtualized resources (servers, network, and storage). You can access the CLC through command line tools that are compatible with Amazon's Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2) and through a web-based Eucalyptus Administrator Console.

Walrus

Walrus allows users to store persistent data, organized as buckets and objects. You can use Walrus to create, delete, and list buckets, or to put, get, and delete objects, or to set access control policies. Walrus is interface compatible with Amazon's Simple Storage Service (S3), providing a mechanism for storing and accessing virtual machine images and user data. Walrus can be accessed by end-users, whether the user is running a client from outside the cloud or from a virtual machine instance running inside the cloud.

Cluster Controller

The Cluster Controller (CC) generally executes on a machine that has network connectivity to both the machines running the Node Controllers (NCs) and to the machine running the CLC. CCs gather information about a set of NCs and schedules virtual machine (VM) execution on specific NCs. The CC also manages the virtual machine networks. All NCs associated with a single CC must be in the same subnet.

Storage Controller

The Storage Controller (SC) provides functionality similar to the Amazon Elastic Block Store (Amazon EBS). The SC is capable of interfacing with various storage systems. Elastic block storage exports storage volumes that can be attached by a VM and mounted or accessed as a raw block device. EBS volumes persist past VM termination and are commonly used to store persistent data. An EBS volume cannot be shared between VMs and can only be accessed within the same availability zone in which the VM is running. Users can create snapshots from EBS volumes. Snapshots are stored in Walrus and made available across availability zones. Eucalyptus with SAN support lets you use your enterprise-grade SAN devices to host EBS storage within a Eucalyptus cloud.

Node Controller

The Node Controller (NC) executes on any machine that hosts VM instances. The NC controls VM activities, including the execution, inspection, and termination of VM instances. It also fetches and maintains a local cache of instance images, and it queries and controls the system software (host OS and the hypervisor) in response to queries and control requests from the CC. The NC is also responsible for the management of the virtual network endpoint.

VMware Broker

VMware Broker (Broker or VB) is an optional Eucalyptus component, which is available if you are a Eucalyptus subscriber. VMware Broker enables Eucalyptus to deploy virtual machines (VMs) on VMware infrastructure elements. VMware Broker mediates all interactions between the CC and VMware hypervisors (ESX/ESXi) either directly or through VMware vCenter.

System Requirements

To install Eucalyptus, your system must meet the following baseline requirements.



Note: The specific requirements of your Eucalyptus deployment, including the number of physical machines, structure of the physical network, storage requirements, and access to software are ultimately determined by the features you choose for your cloud and the availability of infrastructure required to support those features.

Compute Requirements

- Physical Machines: All Eucalyptus components must be installed on physical machines, not virtual machines.
- Central Processing Units (CPUs): We recommend that each machine in your Eucalyptus cloud contain either an Intel or AMD processor with a minimum of two, 2GHz cores.
- Operating Systems: Eucalyptus supports the following Linux distributions: CentOS 6 and RHEL 6. Eucalyptus only supports 64-bit architecture.
- Machine Clocks: Each Eucalyptus component machine and any client machine clocks must be synchronized (for example, using NTP). These clocks must be synchronized all the time, not just at installation.
- Hypervisor: CentOS 6 and RHEL 6 installations must have KVM installed and configured on NC host machines.
 When you install Eucalyptus from packages, KVM will be installed on all NCs.
 - For information about using KVM on CentOS 6, go to the *Virtualization* page.
 - For more information about using KVM on RHEL 6, go to the *Virtualization* page in the Red Hat documentation.
 - VMware-based installations do not include NCs, but must have a VMware hypervisor pool installed and configured (VMware versions 4.0, 4.1 and 5.0).
- Machine Access: Verify that all machines in your network allow SSH login, and that root or sudo access is available
 on each of them.

Storage and Memory Requirements

- Each machine in your network needs a minimum of 30 GB of storage.
- We recommend at least 100GB for Walrus and SC hosts running Linux VMs. We recommend at least 250GB for Walrus and SC hosts running Windows VMs.
- We recommend a range of 50-100GB per NC host running Linux VMs, and at least 250GB per NC host for running Windows VMs. Note that larger available disk space enables greater number of VMs.
- Each machine in your network needs a minimum of 4 GB RAM. However, we recommend more RAM for improved caching.

Network Requirements

- All NCs must have access to a minimum of 1Gb Ethernet network connectivity.
- All Eucalyptus components must have at least one Network Interface Card (NIC) for a base-line deployment. For
 better network isolation and scale, the CC should have two NICS (one facing the CLC/user network and one facing
 the NC/VM network). For HA configurations that include network failure resilience, each machine should have one
 extra NIC for each functional NIC (they will be bonded and connected to separate physical network hardware
 components).
- Some configurations require that machines hosting a CC have two network interfaces, each with a minimum of 1Gb
 Ethernet
- Depending on the feature set that is to be deployed, the network ports connecting the Ethernet interfaces may need to allow VLAN trunking.

- Depending on some configurations, Eucalyptus requires that you make available two sets of IP addresses. The first
 range is private, to be used only within the Eucalyptus system itself. The second range is public, to be routable to
 and from end-users and VM instances. Both sets must be unique to Eucalyptus, not in use by other components or
 applications within your network.
- The network interconnecting physical servers hosting Eucalyptus components (except the CC and NC) must support UDP multicast for IP address 228.7.7.3. Note that UDP multicast is not used over the network that interconnects the CC to the NCs.

Once you are satisfied that your systems requirements are met, you are ready to plan your Eucalyptus installation.

Planning Your Installation

In order to get the most out of a Eucalyptus deployment, we recommend that you create a plan that provides a complete set of features, performance, scaling, and resilience characteristics you want in your deployment.



Attention: If you are upgrading from an existing Eucalyptus release, see Appendix A: Upgrading Eucalyptus.

To successfully plan for your Eucalyptus installation, you must determine two things:

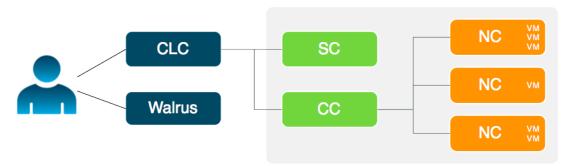
- The infrastructure you plan to install Eucalyptus on: Think about the application workload performance and resource utilization tuning. Think about how many machines you want on your system.
- The amount of control you plan to give Eucalyptus on your network: Use your existing architecture and policies to determine the Eucalyptus networking features you want to enable: elastic IPs, security groups, DHCP server, and Layer 2 VM isolation.

This section describes how to evaluate each tradeoff to determine the best choice to make, and how to verify that the resource environment can support the features that are enabled as a consequence of making a choice.

By the end of this section, you should be able to specify how you will deploy Eucalyptus in your environment, any tradeoffs between feature set and flexibility, and where your deployment will integrate with existing infrastructure systems.

Understanding the Eucalyptus Architecture

The following image depicts the logical relationship between Eucalyptus components in a generalized deployment.



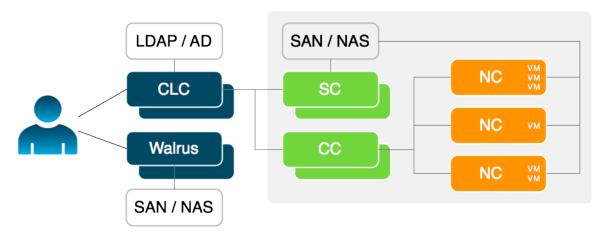
The cloud components, Cloud Controller (CLC) and Walrus, communicate with cluster components, the Cluster Controllers (CCs) and Storage Controllers (SCs). The CCs and SCs, in turn, communicate with the Node Controllers (NCs). The networks between machines hosting these components must be able to allow TCP connections between them.

However, if the CCs are on separate network interfaces (one for the network on which the cloud components are hosted and another for the network that NCs use) the CCs will act as software routers between these networks in some networking configurations. So each cluster can use an internal private network for its NCs and the CCs will route traffic from that network to a network shared by the cloud components.

Virtual machines (VMs) run on the machines that host NCs. You can use the CCs as software routers for traffic between clients outside Eucalyptus and VMs. Or the VMs can use the routing framework already in place without CC software routers. However, depending on the layer-2 isolation characteristics of your existing network, you might not be able to implement all of the security features supported by Eucalyptus.

Eucalyptus HA

If you configure Eucalyptus for high availability (HA), you must have primary and secondary cloud and cluster components. In the event of a failure, the secondary component becomes the primary component.



Eucalyptus HA uses a service called an Arbitrator that monitors connectivity between a user and a user-facing component (CLC, Walrus, and CC). An Arbitrator approximates reachability to a user. Each Arbitrator uses ICMP messages to periodically test reachability to an external entity (for example, a network gateway or border router) or to an external site (for example, google.com).

An Arbitrator is not required in HA. However, it is nice to have in order to test connectivity with a user.

If all Arbitrators fail to reach a monitored entity, Eucalyptus assumes there is a loss of connectivity between a user and the component. At that point a failover occurs. To allow for normal outages and maintenance, we recommend that you register more than one Arbitrator for each user-facing component.

Planning for Your Hardware

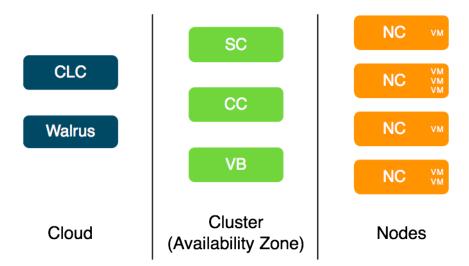
You can install Eucalyptus in various ways. You can install the CLC, Walrus, CC, and SC on one machine, and an NC on one or more machines. Or you can install each component on an independent physical server. This gives each component maximal local resource usage.

Often your decision about how to distribute Eucalyptus components across an installation must trade deployment simplicity for performance or high-availability. For example, placing all cloud and cluster components on a single machine can simplify administration because there is only one machine to monitor and control for the Eucalyptus control services. However, each of the components deploys as an independent web service. If these components must share a single physical server, the physical resources that can be given to each service may become a performance bottleneck.

In general, the Eucalyptus components are designed to be run in any combination on the various physical servers in a data center. However, the majority of use cases can be satisfied by the below descriptions of deployment models.

Understanding Component Placement

A Eucalyptus deployment is a set of cloud services (CLC and Walrus) and one or more clusters, each of which contains a CC, an SC, an optional VMware Broker (located with the CC), and one or more NCs.



Cloud Components

The main decision for cloud components is whether to install the CLC and Walrus on the same server. If they are on the same server, they operate as separate web services within a single Java environment, and they use a fast-path for inter-service communication. If they are not on the same server, then they use SOAP and REST to work together.

However, when installed on the same server, the CLC and Walrus must share a common memory footprint, both managed by the Java memory manager. Walrus self-tunes its performance based on the memory pressure it perceives and runs faster with more memory. So, while separating the CLC and Walrus decreases the efficiency of the messaging between the two, it often increases the responsiveness of the overall Eucalyptus system when Walrus is given a large memory footprint.

Sometimes the key factor for cloud components is not performance, but server cost and data center configuration. If you only have one server available for the cloud, then you have to install the components on the same server.

The CLC and Walrus components are not designed to be separated by wide-area, common carrier networks. They use aggressive time-outs to maintain system responsiveness so separating them over a long-latency, lossy network link will not work.

The CLC and Walrus communicate with Eucalyptus clients independently. End-users typically interact with Eucalyptus through a client interface. They can use either our provided euca2ools Linux command line client tools, or the Eucalyptus AWS-compatible API, or a third-party client that is compatible with Eucalyptus. In all cases, the end-user client must be able to send messages via TCP/IP to the machine on which the CLC is deployed.

In addition, the CLC must have TCP/IP connectivity to all other Eucalyptus components except for node controllers (NCs), which may reside on their own private networks. In addition, NC servers must be able to send messages to the Walrus server because images are downloaded by the NC using the Walrus URL. That is, the CLC does not need to be able to route network traffic directly to the NCs but Walrus does for the purposes of image delivery.

Cluster Components

The Eucalyptus components deployed in the cluster level of a Eucalyptus deployment are the Cluster Controller (CC), Storage Controller (SC), and VMware Broker.



Tip: The VMware Broker is available by subscription only. You do not need the VMware Broker unless you are using VMware hypervisor.

You can install all cluster components on a single machine, or you can distribute them on different machines. The choice of one or multiple machines is dictated by the demands of user workload in terms of external network utilization (CC) and EBS volume access (SC).

If you plan to use elastic IPs and security groups, the CC physical machine becomes a software IP gateway between VM instances and the public network. Because of this software routing function, the physical server on which the CC is deployed should have fast, dedicated network access to both the NC network, and the public network.

If you don't plan to use elastic IPs or security groups, the CC physical machine will not act as a software gateway. Network traffic will be limited to small control messages.

In all cases, place the CC on a machine that has TCP/IP connectivity to the Eucalyptus front end servers and the NC servers in its cluster.

SC Placement

The machine on which the SC is deployed must always have TCP/IP connectivity to the CLC. If you are a subscriber and use one of Eucalyptus' provided SAN integration drivers, the SC must also have TCP/IP connectivity to the chosen SAN device. In this case, the SC only sends control messages to the SAN.

If you do not configure a SAN, the SC requires only TCP/IP connectivity to the NCs in the cluster. The SC will use this TCP/IP connectivity to provide the NCs network access to the dynamic block volumes residing on the SC's storage. SC storage should consist of a fast, reliable disk pool (either local file-system or block-attached storage) so that the SC can create and maintain volumes for the NCs. The capacity of the disk pool should be sufficient to provide the NCs with enough space to accommodate all dynamic block volumes requests from end-users

Subscription only: VMware Broker Placement

The VMware Broker resides on the CC. If you are using more than one cluster, make sure that the VMware Broker is installed on the CC in the cluster that will be using VMware components (vCenter Server or ESX/ESXi).

Make sure that the VMware Broker is able to communicate with the various VMware components (vCenter Server or ESX/ESXi) in its cluster. For instance, one should be able to connect from the CC/VB host to the vSphere endpoint on ports 443, 902, and 903.

Node Components

The Node Controllers are the components that comprise the Eucalyptus back-end. All NCs must have network connectivity to whatever hosts their EBS volumes. This host is either a SAN or the SC.

Verifying Component Disk Space

Eucalyptus components need disk space for log files, databases, buckets, and instances. The following table details the needs of each component. Verify that the machines you plan to install the components on have adequate space.

We recommend that you choose a disk for each Walrus that is large enough to hold all objects and buckets you ever expect to have, including all images that will ever be registered to your system, plus any Amazon S3 application data. For consistent performance, we recommend that you use identical disks for the primary and secondary Walrus.



Tip: We recommend that you use LVM (Logical Volume Manager). Should you run out of disk space, LVM allows you to add disks and migrate the data.

Component	Directory	Minimum Size
CLC	/var/lib/eucalyptus/db	20GB
CLC logging	/var/log/eucalyptus	2GB
Walrus	/var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits	250GB
Walrus logging	/var/log/eucalyptus	2GB
SC	/var/lib/eucalyptus/volumes (EBS storage) This disk space on the SC is only required if you are not using a SAN driver.	250GB

Component	Directory	Minimum Size
CC	/var/lib/eucalyptus/CC	5GB
CC logging	/var/log/eucalyptus	2GB
NC	/var/lib/eucalyptus/instances	250GB
NC logging	/var/log/eucalyptus	2GB

If necessary, create symbolic links to larger filesystems from the above locations. Make sure that the eucalyptus user owns the directories.

Planning Networking Modes

Eucalyptus overlays a virtual network on top of your existing network. In order to do this, Eucalyptus supports four different networking modes: Managed, Managed (No VLAN), System, and Static. Each mode is designed to allow you to choose an appropriate level of security and flexibility. The purpose of these modes is to direct Eucalyptus to use different network features to manage the virtual networks that connect VMs to each other and to clients external to Eucalyptus.

A Eucalyptus installation must be compatible with local site policies and configurations (e.g., firewall rules). Eucalyptus configuration and deployment interfaces allow a wide range of options for specifying how it should be deployed. However, choosing between these options implies tradeoffs.

Your choice of networking mode depends on the following considerations:

- Do you plan to support elastic IPs and security groups?
- Do you plan to provide your own network DHCP server?
- Do you plan to support Layer 2 VM isolation?

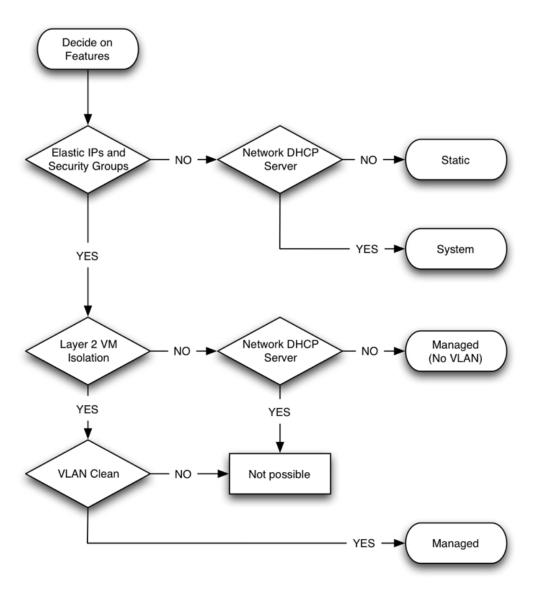
These networking features are described in the following table:

Feature	Description	Mode
Elastic IPs	Eucalyptus instances typically have two IPs associated with them: a private one and a public one. Private IPs are intended for internal communications between instances and are usually only routable within a Eucalyptus cloud. Public IPs are used for external access and are usually routable outside of Eucalyptus cloud. How these addresses are allocated and assigned to instances is determined by a networking mode. In System and Static modes, an instance is assigned only one IP address, which will be represented as both the private and public address assigned to the instance. Whether this address is routable outside of Eucalyptus is a property of the addresses that are set by the cloud administrator during Eucalyptus configuration. The distinction between public and private addresses becomes important in Managed and Managed (No VLAN) modes, which support elastic IPs. With elastic IPs the user gains control over a set of static IP addresses. Once allocated to the user, those same IPs can be dynamically associated to running instances, overriding pre-assigned public IPs. This allows users to run well-known services (for example, web sites) within the Eucalyptus cloud and to assign those services fixed IPs that do not change.	Managed Managed (No VLAN)
Security groups	Security groups are sets of networking rules that define the access rules for all VM instances associated with a group. For example, you can specify ingress rules, such as allowing ping (ICMP) or SSH (TCP, port 22) traffic to reach VMs in a specific security group. When you create a VM instance, unless otherwise specified at instance run-time, it is assigned to a default security	Managed Managed (No VLAN)

Feature	Description	Mode		
	group that denies incoming network traffic from all sources. Thus, to allow login and usage of a new VM instance you must authorize network access to the default security group with the euca-authorize command.			
VM isolation	Although network traffic between VM instances belonging to a security group is always open, Eucalyptus can enforce isolation of network traffic between different security groups. This isolation is enforced using a VLAN tag per security group, thus, protecting VMs from possible eavesdropping by VM instances belonging to other security groups.	Managed		
DHCP server	Eucalyptus assigns IP addresses to VMs in all modes except System. In System	Static		
	mode, you must allow a DHCP server outside of Eucalyptus to assign IPs to any VM that Eucalyptus starts.	Managed		
		Managed (No VLAN)		

If Eucalyptus can control and condition the networks its components use, your deployment will support the full set of API features. However, if Eucalyptus is confined to using an existing network, some of the API features might be disabled. So, understanding and choosing the right networking configuration is an important (and complex) step in deployment planning.

The following image shows which networking mode you should choose, depending on what networking features you want:



Each networking mode is detailed in the following sections.

Managed Mode

Managed mode offers the most features of the networking modes, but also carries with it the most potential constraints on the setup of the network. In Managed mode, Eucalyptus manages the local network of VM instances and provides all networking features Eucalyptus currently supports, including VM network isolation, security groups, elastic IPs, and metadata service.

In Managed mode, you define a large network (usually private, unroutable) from which VM instances will draw their private IP addresses. Eucalyptus maintains a DHCP server with static mappings for each VM instance that is created. When you create a new VM instance, you can specify the name of the security group to which that VM will belong. Eucalyptus then selects a subset of the entire range of IPs, to hand out to other VMs in the same security group.

You can also define a number of security groups, and use those groups to apply network ingress rules to any VM that runs within that network. In this way, Eucalyptus provides functionality similar to Amazon's security groups. In addition, the administrator can specify a pool of public IP addresses that users may allocate, then assign to VMs either at boot or dynamically at run-time. This capability is similar to Amazon's 'elastic IPs'. Eucalyptus administrators that require security groups, elastic IPs, and VM network isolation must use this mode.

Managed mode uses a Virtual LAN (VLAN) to enforce network between instances in different security groups. If your underlying physical network is also using a VLAN, there can be conflicts that prevent instances from being network accessible. So you have to determine if your network between the CC and NCs is VLAN clean (that is, if your VLANs are usable by Eucalyptus). To test if the network is VLAN clean, see VLAN Preparation.

Each VM receives two IP addresses: a public IP address and a private IP address. Eucalyptus maps public IP addresses to private IP addresses. Access control is managed through security groups.

Managed Mode Requirements

- There must be an available range of IP addresses for the virtual subnets. This range must not interfere with the physical network. Typically these IP addresses are selected from the private IP ranges: 192.168.x.x, 10.x.x.x, etc.
- The network between the CC and NCs must be VLAN clean, meaning that all switch ports that Eucalyptus components are connected to will allow and forward VLAN tagged packets.
- Any firewall running on the Cluster Controller must be compatible with the dynamic changes performed by Eucalyptus when working with security groups. (Note that Eucalyptus will flush the 'filter' and 'nat' tables upon boot).
- Any DHCP server on the subnet must be configured not to serve Eucalyptus instances.

Managed (No VLAN) Mode

In Managed (No VLAN) mode, Eucalyptus fully manages the local VM instance network and provides all of the networking features Eucalyptus currently supports, including security groups, elastic IPs, etc. However, it does not provide VM network isolation. Without VLAN isolation at the bridge level, it is possible in Managed (No VLAN) mode for a root user on one VM to snoop and/or interfere with the ethernet traffic of other VMs running on the same layer 2 network.



Tip: In Managed (No VLAN) mode, VM isolation is provided by having different security groups on different subnets—this translates into Layer-3 only VM isolation.

Managed (No VLAN) Mode Requirements

- There must be an available range of IP addresses for the virtual subnets. This range must not interfere with the physical network. Typically these IP addresses are selected from the private IP ranges: 192.168.x.x, 10.x.x.x, etc.
- Any firewall running on the Cluster Controller must be compatible with the dynamic changes performed by Eucalyptus when working with security groups. (Note that Eucalyptus will flush the 'filter' and 'nat' tables upon boot).
- A range of public IP addresses must be available for use by Eucalyptus.
- The CC must have a DHCP server daemon installed that is compatible with ISC DHCP Daemon version 3.0.X.

Managed (No VLAN) Mode Limitations

Limited (Layer-3) VM isolation.

System Mode

This is the simplest networking mode, but it also offers the smallest number of networking features. In this mode, Eucalyptus simply assigns a random MAC address to the VM instance before booting and attaches the VM instance's Ethernet device to the physical ethernet through the NC's bridge. Then, VM instances can obtain an IP address using DHCP, the same way any machine using DHCP would obtain an address.

There is very little Eucalyptus configuration required to use System mode. Eucalyptus mostly stays out of the way in terms of VM networking. This mode requires a pre-configured DHCP server already active on the physical subnet. This server must be reachable by the machines hosting NC components. This mode is most useful for users who want to try out a simple Eucalyptus installation.

System Mode Requirements

- The physical Ethernet device on each NC that communicates with the CC must be bridged.
- A pre-existing DHCP server must be running and configured and reachable from the NCs.

System Mode Limitations

- No elastic IPs
- No security groups
- · No VM isolation

Static Mode

Static mode is similar to System mode but offers you more control over instance IP address assignment. In Static mode, you configure Eucalyptus with a map of MAC address/IP Address pairs. When a VM is instantiated, Eucalyptus sets up a static entry within a Eucalyptus controlled DHCP server, takes the next free MAC/IP pair, assigns it to an instance, and attaches the instance's ethernet device to the physical ethernet through the bridge on the NCs (in a manner similar to System mode). This mode is useful for administrators who have a pool of MAC/IP addresses that they wish to always assign to their VMs.

In this mode, Eucalyptus manages VM IP address assignment by maintaining its own DHCP server with one static entry per VM. Static mode requires the Eucalyptus administrator to specify the network configuration each VM should receive from the Eucalyptus DHCP server running on the same physical server as the CC component.

Static Mode Requirements

- The Ethernet device on each NC that communicates with the CC must be bridged.
- There must be an available range of IP addresses for the virtual subnets. This range must not interfere with the physical network. Typically these IP addresses are selected from the private IP ranges: 192.168.x.x, 10.x.x.x, etc.
- Any DHCP server on the subnet must be configured not to serve Eucalyptus instances.

Static Mode Limitations

- No elastic IPs
- No security groups
- No VM isolation

Planning for Eucalyptus Features

Before you install Eucalyptus, we recommend that you think about the features you plan to implement with Eucalyptus. These features are detailed in the following sections.

Windows Host Support

Eucalyptus requires the following for Windows support:

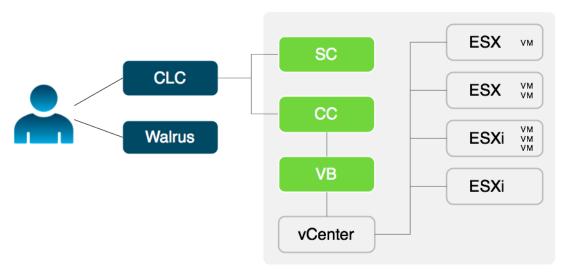
- A licensed installation copy (.iso image or CD/DVD disk) of a compatible Windows OS. Eucalyptus currently supports Windows virtual machines created from Windows Server 2003 R2 Enterprise (32/64 bit); Windows Server 2008 SP2, Datacenter (32/64 bit); Windows Server 2008 R2, Datacenter; and Windows 7 Professional.
- A VNC client such as RealVNC or Virtual Manager/Virtual Viewer for initial installation. Subsequent Eucalyptus-hosted Windows instances will use RDP, but the initial installation requires VNC.

For additional Windows-related licensing information, see the following links:

- http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/dd979803.aspx
- http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/dd878528.aspx
- http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/library/dd772269.aspx

VMware Support

Eucalyptus includes an optional subscription-only component, the VMware Broker. The VMware Broker mediates all interaction between Eucalyptus and VMware infrastructure components (that is, ESX/ESXi, and vCenter). In the following diagram VB is controlling VMware infrastructure through a vCenter server, but it can also connect to ESX/ESXi hosts directly, without vCenter server present.



Eucalyptus provides:

- Support for VMware vSphere infrastructure as the platform for deploying virtual machines
- The ability to extend cloud-based features (for example, elastic IPs, security groups, Amazon S3, etc.) to a VMware infrastructure
- Compatibility with VMware vSphere client, which can be used alongside Eucalyptus

The VMware Broker can run with either an administrative account or a minimally-privileged account on the VMware host.

VMware Support Prerequisites

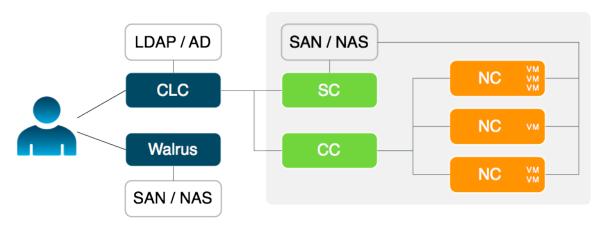
If you plan to use Eucalyptus with VMware, there are some additional prerequisites:

- You must install and configure the VMware infrastructure software (ESX and/or ESXi hypervisors with or without vCenter server).
- The CC server (that will also run the VMware Broker) must be able to route network traffic to and from the physical servers running VMware software on ports 443, 902, and 903. If there are internal firewalls present, these firewalls must be configured to open these ports so that the Eucalyptus cloud components can communicate with the VMware services and hypervisors.
- You must provide the VMware administrator account credentials to Eucalyptus when you configure VMware support, or an equivalent account with sufficient permissions must be created on VMware vCenter or ESX hosts. See "Configuring VMware" section for more details.

For additional information on VMware support for Eucalyptus, contact Eucalyptus Systems, Inc.

SAN Support

Eucalyptus includes optional, subscription only support for integrating enterprise-grade SAN (Storage Area Network) hardware devices into a Eucalyptus cloud. SAN support extends the functionality of the Eucalyptus Storage Controller (SC) to provide a high performance data conduit between VMs running in Eucalyptus and attached SAN devices. Eucalyptus dynamically manages SAN storage without the need for the administrator to manually allocate and de-allocate storage, manage snapshots or set up data connections.



Eucalyptus with SAN support allows you to:

- Integrate Eucalyptus block storage functionality (dynamic block volumes, snapshots, creating volumes from snapshots, etc.) with existing SAN devices
- Link VMs in the Eucalyptus cloud directly to SAN devices, thereby removing I/O communication bottlenecks of the physical hardware host
- Incorporate enterprise-level SAN features (high-speed, large-capacity, reliability) to deliver a production-ready EBS (block storage) solution for the enterprise
- Attach SAN devices to Eucalyptus deployments on Xen, KVM, and VMware hypervisors

To use Eucalyptus with supported SAN storage, you must decide whether administrative access can be provided to Eucalyptus to control the SAN. If this is possible in your environment, Eucalyptus can automatically and dynamically manage SAN storage.

Currently, the Dell Equallogic series of SANs (PS 4000 and PS 6000), NetApp Filer FAS 2000 and FAS 6000 series and EMC VNX are supported. For Dell Equallogic, Eucalyptus requires SSH access to enable automatic provisioning. Eucalyptus will manage NetApp SANs via ONTAPI (version 7.3.3 and above). For EMC, Eucalyptus expects that the EMC NaviSecCLI software will be installed on the Storage Controller host.

SAN Support Prerequisites

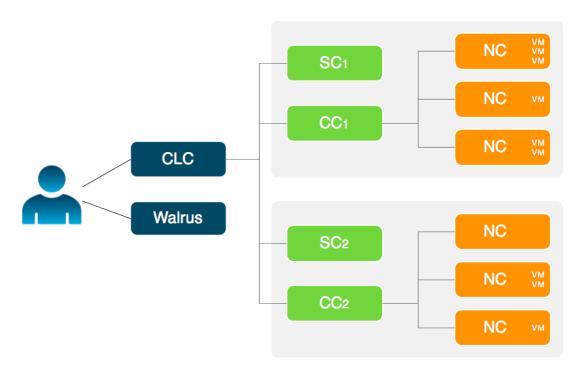
Eucalyptus supports the following SAN devices:

- Dell EqualLogic, PS4000 series and PS6000 series (For more information about Dell EqualLogic SANs, go to http://www.dell.com)
- NetApp, FAS2000 series and FAS6000 series (For more information about NetApp SANs, go to http://www.netapp.com
- Direct Attached Storage (JBOD)
- EMC VNX Series (For more information about EMC VNX, go to VNX Family

For additional information on SAN support for Eucalyptus, contact Eucalyptus Systems, Inc.

Availability Zone Support

Eucalyptus offers the ability to create multiple availability zones. In Eucalyptus, an availability zone is a partition in which there is at least one available cluster.



High Availability Support

Eucalyptus includes the ability to run redundant, hot swappable instances for the CLC, Walrus, CC, SC, and VMware Broker components. In a high availability (HA) configuration, a failure of any single component will not cause the system to halt. If your network configuration includes redundant networking hardware and routing paths, HA Eucalyptus can then tolerate a network component failure (e.g. the loss of a networking switch) without halting.

The deployment choices for HA Eucalyptus are similar to a regular Eucalyptus deployment, with the following additional considerations:

- You must host redundant Eucalyptus software components on separate hardware components in order to be able to tolerate a hardware failure. If, for example, you install redundant CLCs on the same machine and the machine crashes, both CLCs will become inoperable.
- The redundant components occur in pairs, one primary, the other secondary. These components must be able to communicate with each other through the network to which they are both attached while they are running. For example, both CLC components in an HA installation must be able to exchange messages. If you use a firewall to separate them, one will not detect a failure of the other and a hot failover will not occur. This ability for pairs of components to communicate is required for the CLC, Walrus, CC, SC, and the VMware Broker for HA to operate properly.

The following images shows a single cluster deployment with the component pairs at the cloud and cluster level. The NCs are not redundant.

Note that the same considerations for a regular Eucalyptus deployment with respect to networking mode and components placement apply to HA Eucalyptus in addition to the need for redundant component pairs to be able to communicate. Note also that the NC components are deployed redundantly in an HA Eucalyptus deployment. If a machine running an NC fails, Eucalyptus will continue to be available for user requests. However, instances running on that specific NC will be lost.



For HA: The installation and configuration sections will note instructions specific to HA deployment by the HA icon.

HA Requirements

HA Eucalyptus requires the same requirements as non-HA Eucalyptus. However, the infrastructure HA Eucalyptus will be deployed on must meet some additional requirements, listed in the following sections.

Redundant Physical Servers for Eucalyptus Components

Each cloud component (CLC and Walrus) and cluster component (CC, SC, and VMware Broker) in an HA deployment has a redundant hot backup. These redundant Eucalyptus components occur in pairs, and each member of a pair must be mapped to a separated physical server to ensure high availability.



Important: HA pairs must be able to connect to each other.

If the HA deployment is to be able to tolerate the failure of networking hardware, additional network interfaces are required for the physical servers that host Eucalyptus components. The physical servers hosting a CLC, Walrus, or CC and VMware Broker must each have three network interface cards (NICs). Each remaining physical server (except the NC components) requires two NICs.

DNS Round-Robin Support

The DNS entries for the externally visible IP addresses of the physical servers hosting CLC or Walrus components must be configured to change round-robin style in an HA deployment.

Storage Mirroring

HA Eucalyptus uses a kernel-level storage technology called DRBD for storage integrity. DRBD must be configured to mirror data operations between physical servers that host Walrus components. For more information about DRBD, go to *What is DRBD*.

Storage Controllers

For HA Storage Controllers, you must be using a supported SAN. Only use HA SCs with NetApp or Equallogic drivers, not with the iSCSI or JBOD SC driver.

High availability is the result of the combination of functionality provided by Eucalyptus and the environmental and operational support to maintain the systems proper operation. Eucalyptus provides functionality aimed at enabling highly available deployments:

- 1. Detection of hardware and network faults which impact system availability: Availability of the system is determined by its ability to properly service a user request at a given time. The system is available when there is at least a set of functioning services to perform the operations which result from a user request (i.e., system is distributed and operations require orchestration involving some, possibly all, services in the system).
- **2. Deployment of redundant services to accommodate host failure:** A failure is the observed consequence of an underlying fault which compromises the systems function in some way (possibly compromising availability).
- 3. Automated recovery from individual component failure: Eucalyptus can take advantage of redundant host and network resources to accommodate singular failures while preserving the system's overall availability. As a result, the deployment of the system plays a large role in the level of availability that can be achieved.

To deliver services with high availability, Eucalyptus depends upon redundant hardware and network.

Considerations

A highly available deployment is able to mitigate the impact on system availability of faults from the following sources:

- Machines hosting Eucalyptus services: Hardware faults on machines hosting Eucalyptus services can result in
 component services being unavailable for use by the system or users. The state of the hosting machine is monitored
 by the system and determines whether it can contribute to work done. In support of high availability, you can configure
 redundant component services. With redundant component services, Eucalyptus can isolate and mask the a component's
 failure.
- Inter-component networks: Faults in the networks that connect the system's components to each other can prevent access to cloud resources and restrict the system's ability to process user requests. First, internal resources may become unavailable. For example, a single network outage could impact access to attached volumes or prevent access to running instances. Second, the coordination of services needed to process user requests may be impeded even if the service state is otherwise healthy.
- User-facing network connections: User-facing network faults can prevent access to an otherwise properly functioning system. The ability of a user to access the system is difficult to determine from the perspective of the system can't look through the users eyes. Allowing for multiple inbound paths (for example, multiple disjoint routes) decreases the possibility of an availability-impacting outage occurring w/in the scope of the environment within which Eucalyptus is deployed. (See also: registering arbitrators)

Recommendations

To ensure availability in the face of any single failure, we recommend the following deployment strategy:

- Host/Service Redundancy: Each component which is registered should have a complementary service registered
 on a redundant host. For example, the cloud and walrus services should be installed and registered on two hosts.
 Additionally, for example, each partition should have two cluster controllers and storage controllers (and VMware
 Brokers, if VMware is being used) configured. Each such complementary pair of services can suffer a single outage
 before system availability is compromised.
- Inter-component Network Redundancy: Each host of a component service should have redundant and disjoint
 network connections to other internal component services and supporting systems (for example, SANs, vSphere).
 The recommended approach is to have two ethernet devices (each connected to a disjoint layer-2 network) on each
 host and bonding the devices. Such a configuration is also suggested on node controllers. Then, the outage of a either
 layer-2 network or ethernet device on a host does not impact service availability or access to cloud resources.
- User-facing Network Redundancy: The wide area (where users are) network connection should be redundant and
 disjoint. Each such path should have an independent arbitrator host whose liveness (as determined by ICMP echo)
 is used to approximate the users' ability to access the system. Redundant network connections from the local area
 network to the wide area network and user reachability approximation (arbitrator)
- System Reachability Approximation: The wide area (where users are) network connection(s) path should have an independent host (arbitrator) whose liveness (as determined by ICMP echo) can serve as a reasonable approximation

SAN and Multipathing

Multipathing is a way to make the data path from the NC or SC to your SAN device highly available. Mulipathing does this by giving the host two network paths that both lead to the same data volume. This allows the host to switch from one network path to the other, in the event that one path becomes unavailable. Essentially, multipathing decreases the likelihood that a volume will become unreachable from a host (NC). For information about configuring your SAN for multipathing, see *Configure the Storage Controller*.

Preparing the Network

Decisions you make about the most appropriate deployment options imply different requirements that the underlying infrastructure must meet in order for Eucalyptus to deploy.

Eucalyptus Port Usage

Eucalyptus components use a variety of ports to communicate. The following table lists the all of the important ports used by Eucalyptus.

Port	Description
TCP 8443	SSL port for the administrative web user interface. Configurable with euca-modify-property.
TCP 8772	DEBUG ONLY: JMX port. This is disabled by default, and can be enabled with thedebug orjmx options for CLOUD_OPTS.
TCP 8773	Web services port for the CLC, Walrus, SC, and VB; also used for external and internal communications by the CLC and Walrus. Configurable with euca-modify-property.
TCP 8774	Web services port on the CC. Configured in the eucalyptus.conf configuration file.
TCP 8775	Web services port on the NC. Configured in the eucalyptus.conf configuration file.
TCP 8776	Used by the image cacher on the CC. Configured in the eucalyptus.conf configuration file.
TCP 8777	Database port on the CLC.
TCP 8080	Port for the administrative web user interface. Forwards to 8443. Configurable with euca-modify-property.
UDP 7500	Distributed cache port on the CLC, Walrus, SC, and VB.
UDP 8773	HA membership port.
TCP/UDP 53	DNS port on the CLC.



Note: The CLC, Walrus, VB and SC open a random port for detection of component failures.



Note: Any firewall running on the CC must be compatible with the dynamic changes performed by Eucalyptus when working with security groups. Eucalyptus will flush the 'filter' and 'nat' tables upon boot.

Verify connectivity between the machines you'll be installing Eucalyptus on. Some Linux distributions provide default TCP/IP firewalling rules that limit network access to machines. Disable these default firewall settings before you install Eucalyptus components to ensure that the components can communicate with one another.

Verify component connectivity by performing the following checks on the machines that will be running the listed Eucalyptus components.

- 1. Verify connection from and end-user to the CLC on ports 8773 and 8443
- 2. Verify connection from an end-user to Walrus on port 8773
- 3. Verify connection from the CLC, SC, and NC (or VB) to Walrus on port 8773
- 4. Verify connection from Walrus, SC, and VB to CLC on port 8777
- 5. Verify connection from CLC to CC on port 8774
- **6.** Verify connection from CC to VB on port 8773
- 7. Verify connection from CC to NC on port 8775
- **8.** Verify connection from NC (or VB) to Walrus on port 8773. Or, you can verify the connection from the CC to Walrus on port 8773, and from an NC to the CC on port 8776
- 9. Verify connection from public IP addresses of Eucalyptus instances (metadata) and CC to CLC on port 8773
- 10. Verify TCP connectivity between CLC, Walrus, SC and VB
- 11. Verify connection between CLC, Walrus, SC, and VB on UDP ports 7500 and 8773
- 12. If you use tgt (iSCSI open source target) for EBS storage, verify connection from NC to SC on port 3260
- 13. If you use VMware with Eucalyptus, verify the connection from the VMware Broker to VMware (ESX, VSphere).

Prepare VLAN



Tip: You only need to read this section if you are using Managed mode. If you aren't using Managed mode, skip this section.

Managed networking mode requires that switches and routers be "VLAN clean." This means that switches and routers must allow and forward VLAN tagged packets. If you plan to use the Managed networking mode, you can verify that the network is VLAN clean between machines running Eucalyptus components by performing the following test.

- 1. Choose two IP addresses from the subnet you plan to use with Eucalyptus, one VLAN tag from the range of VLANs that you plan to use with Eucalyptus, and the network interface that will connect your planned CC and NC servers. The examples in this section use the IP addresses 192.168.1.1 and 192.168.1.2, VLAN tag 10, and network interface eth3, respectively.
- 2. On the planned CC server, choose the interface on the local Ethernet and run:

```
vconfig add eth3 10
ifconfig eth3.10 192.168.1.1 up
```

3. On a planned NC server, choose the interface on the local network and run:

```
vconfig add eth3 10
| ifconfig eth3.10 192.168.1.2 up
```

4. On the NC, ping the CC:

```
ping 192.168.1.1
```

5. On the CC, ping the NC:

```
ping 192.168.1.2
```

- If this VLAN clean test fails, configure your switch to forward VLAN tagged packets. If it is a managed switch, see your switch's documentation to determine how to do this.
- If the VLAN clean test passes, continue with the following steps to remove the test interfaces.
- **6.** On the CC, remove the test interface by running:

	vconfig rem eth3.10
7	. On the planned NC, run:
	vconfig rem eth3.10

Before you install Eucalyptus, make sure you have the following dependencies installed and configured.

Configure Bridges

For Managed (No VLAN), Static, and System modes, you must configure a Linux ethernet bridge on all NC machines. This bridge connects your local ethernet adapter to the cluster network. Under normal operation, NCs will attach virtual machine instances to this bridge when the instances are booted.

To configure a bridge in CentOS 6 or RHEL6, you need to create a file with bridge configuration (for example, ifcfg-brX) and modify the file for the physical interface (for example, ifcfg-ethX). The following steps describe how to set up a bridge on both CentOS 6 and RHEL 6. We show examples for configuring bridge devices that either obtain IP addresses using DHCP or statically.

1. Install the bridge-utils package.

```
yum install bridge-utils
```

2. Go to the /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts directory:

```
cd /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts
```

3. Open the network script for the device you are adding to the bridge and add your bridge device to it. The edited file should look similar to the following:

```
DEVICE=eth0
| # change the hardware address to match the hardware address your NIC uses
| HWADDR=00:16:76:D6:C9:45
| ONBOOT=yes
| BRIDGE=br0
| NM_CONTROLLED=no
```

- 4. Create a new network script in the /etc/sysconfig/network-scripts directory called ifcfg-br0 or something similar. The br0 is the name of the bridge, but this can be anything as long as the name of the file is the same as the DEVICE parameter, and the name is specified correctly in the previously created physical interface configuration (ifcfg-ethX).
 - If you are using DHCP, the configuration will look similar to:

```
| DEVICE=br0
| TYPE=Bridge
| BOOTPROTO=dhcp
| ONBOOT=yes
| DELAY=0
```

• If you are using a static IP address, the configuration will look similar to:

```
| DEVICE=br0
| TYPE=Bridge
| BOOTPROTO=static
| IPADDR=<static_IP_address>
| NETMASK=<netmask>
```

5. Enter the following command:

```
service network restart
```

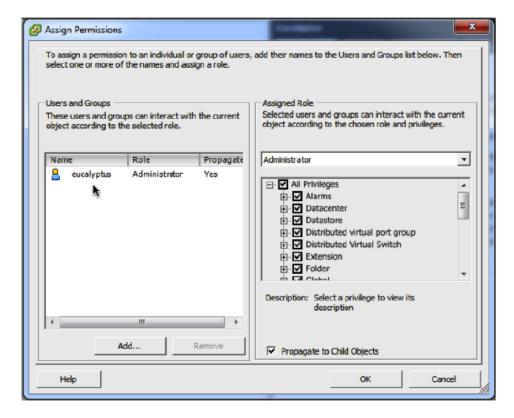
You are now ready to *Configure VMware*.

Configure VMware



Tip: VMware support is available by subscription only. If you are not using VMware, skip this section.

The easiest way to configure vSphere for Eucalyptus is to give Eucalyptus unrestricted access to all vSphere endpoint(s). This way does not require complex modifications to local access permission settings. You can grant this access to Eucalyptus by using an existing administrative account and password or by creating a new account for Eucalyptus and associating it with vSphere's standard Administrator role at the top level of the vSphere hierarchy as seen in the vSphere client.



To give a more limited amount of control to Eucalyptus over your vSphere infrastructure managed by a vCenter server, create one new user and two new roles as described next.

Create New User

To give the minimal required amount of control to Eucalyptus over your vSphere infrastructure managed on vCenter, create one new user and two new roles. The new user and its password will be used for granting Eucalyptus access to the infrastructure.

1. Create a user (e.g., named eucalyptus) on the system where vCenter server is running.

- Global
 - Licenses
- 3. Create a role (e.g., named Eucalyptus), for use with vSphere resources to be used by Eucalyptus, with the following privileges:
 - Datastore
 - Allocate Space
 - · Browser Datastore
 - Low level file operations
 - Folder
 - · Create folder
 - Host
 - Configuration
 - Network Configuration
 - Storage partition configuration
 - Network
 - · Assign network
 - Remove
 - Resource
 - Assign Virtual Machine to Resource Pool
 - Virtual Machine
 - (all Virtual Machine permissions)
- **4.** Associate the user with the top-level role
 - a) Right-click on the top-level resource, named after vCenter, and select Add Permission...
 - b) In Users and groups section click Add...
 - c) Add user eucalyptus with assigned role Eucalyptus vSphere and Propagate to Child Objects set to No
- **5.** Associate the user with the resource-level role

For each resource or collection of resources that you want Eucalyptus to use, the eucalyptus user must be given sufficient privileges by using the Eucalyptus role. For example, you can create a new virtual datacenter for Eucalyptus to use, add to it the relevant hosts or clusters, and assign the eucalyptus user Eucalyptus role just for that datacenter.

- a) Right-click on each of the resources to be used by Eucalyptus and select Add Permission...
- b) In Users and groups section click Add...
- c) Add user eucalyptus with assigned role Eucalyptus and Propagate to Child Objects set to Yes

You're now ready to set up a datastore.

Set Up a Datastore

Each node requires at least one datastore (either local or one shared by multiple nodes). If more than one datastore is available to a node, Eucalyptus will choose the datastore arbitrarily. If Eucalyptus is to be restricted in its use of available datastores, specify a datastore in Eucalyptus's configuration for VMware.

To determine the datastores that are available on a host, perform the following steps with vSphere client referencing either at vCenter Server or at a specific ESX/ESXi node:

- 1. Choose a host in left-hand-side panel.
- 2. Click the Configuration tab.
- 3. Click **Storage** in the secondary left-hand side panel.
- **4.** Click **View: Datastores** at the top of the panel.

You're now ready to create a network.

Create a Network

Each node must have a network reachable by the node running the Eucalyptus VMware Broker.



Tip: If more than one network is available, specify the network name in Eucalyptus configuration explicitly. Eucalyptus assumes that this network resides on the switch named "vSwitch0".

To check the network settings and create a network (if necessary) perform the following steps with vSphere client pointed either at vCenter Server or at a particular ESX/ESXi node:

- 1. Click a host in left-hand side panel.
- 2. Click the Configuration tab.
- 3. Click **Networking** in the secondary left-hand-side panel.
- **4.** If there is no VM Network in the list, add it by performing these steps:
 - a) Click **Add Networking...** in the upper-right corner.
 - b) Click Virtual Machine and click Next.
 - c) Click a switch (e.g., Use vSwitch0) and click Next.
 - d) Enter VM Network for Network Label, leave VLAN ID blank, and click Next.
 - e) Check the summary and click **Finish**.

Enable EBS Support

To enable VMware support for dynamic block volume support (like Amazon's Elastic Block Store) in Eucalyptus, configure each of the ESX/ESXi nodes in your infrastructure to support iSCSI. Given a node that is licensed for iSCSI support, this amounts to enabling and configuring the gateway for the VMkernel network. To accomplish that, perform the following steps with vSphere client pointed either at vCenter or at a particular ESX/ESXi node:

- 1. Click a host in left-hand-side panel.
- 2. Click the Configuration tab.
- **3.** Select **Networking** in the secondary left-hand-side panel.
- **4.** If there is no **VMkernel** network listed, add it by performing the following tasks:
 - a) Click Add Networking... in the upper-right corner.
 - b) Click VMkernel and click Next.
 - c) Click a switch (e.g., Use vSwitch0) and click Next.
 - d) Click the label **VLAN ID** and make sure that **None(0)** is selected, then click **Next**.
 - e) Choose either dynamic network config or static IP assignment, depending on your environment. When your are done, click **Next**.
 - f) Click Finish.
- **5.** Click **DNS and Routing** in the secondary left-hand-side panel.

- **6.** If VMkernel does not have a gateway, add it by performing these steps:
 - a) Click **Properties...** in upper-right corner.
 - b) Click the **Routing** tab, enter the gateway's IP, and click **OK**.

For more information about configuring vSphere, go to the VMware website at http://www.vmware.com/support/pubs/vs_pubs.html.

Install VMware Tools

Ensure that VMware Tools are installed in the images that will be installed and run within the Eucalyptus cloud. These tools allow Eucalyptus to discover an instance's IP address in System networking mode. They also are required for using the euca-bundle-instance command when running Windows VMs in Eucalyptus, since VMware Tools enable clean shutdown of VMs from outside the instance. For information about installing VMware Tools, go to the VMware documentation at http://www.vmware.com.

Configure the Firewall

If you have existing firewall rules on your hosts, you must allow Eucalyptus access. If you do not have a firewall enabled, you may skip this step.

To configure your firewall for either CentOS 6 or RHEL 6:

- 1. To configure your firewall (RHEL 6 only):
 - a) Run the command system-config-firewall-tui
 - b) Turn off the **Enabled** check box.
- 2. Repeat on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component: CLC, Walrus, CC, SC, and NC.

Configure SELinux

Security-enabled Linux (SELinux) is security feature for Linux that lets you to set access control through policies. Eucalyptus is not compatible with SELinux.

To configure SELinux to allow Eucalyptus access:

- $\textbf{1.} \ \ Open \ / \texttt{etc/selinux/config} \ \ \text{and} \ \ \textbf{edit} \ \ \textbf{the line SELINUX=enforcing to SELINUX=permissive}.$
- 2. Save the file.
- **3.** Run the following command:

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Configure NTP

Eucalyptus requires that each machine have the Network Time Protocol (NTP) daemon started and configured to run automatically on reboot.

To use NTP:

1. Install NTP on the machines that will host Eucalyptus components.

```
yum install ntp
```

```
| server 0.pool.ntp.org
| server 1.pool.ntp.org
| server 2.pool.ntp.org
```

- 3. Save and close the file.
- **4.** Configure NTP to run at reboot.

```
chkconfig ntpd on
```

5. Start NTP.

```
service ntpd start
```

6. Synchronize your server.

```
| ntpdate -u <your_ntp_server>
```

7. Synchronize your system clock, so that when your system is rebooted, it does not get out of sync.

```
| hwclock --systohc
```

8. Repeat on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component.

Configure an MTA

All hosts running the CLC must run a mail transport agent server (MTA) on port 25. Eucalyptus uses the MTA to deliver or relay email messages to cloud users' email addresses. You can use Sendmail, Exim, postfix, or something simpler. The MTA server does not have to be able to receive incoming mail.

Many Linux distributions satisfy this requirement with their default MTA. For details about configuring your MTA, go to the documentation for your specific product.

To test your mail relay for localhost, send email to yourself from the terminal using mail.

Installing Eucalyptus

Eucalyptus installation packages are available for CentOS 6 and RHEL 6. The following sections show installation steps on each supported Linux distribution.

Eucalyptus Subscription allows you access to additional software modules. If you are a subscriber, you will receive an entitlement certificate and a private key that allow you to download Eucalyptus subscription modules. You will also receive a GPG public key to be used to verify the Eucalyptus software's integrity. The files will come in the form of a platform specific package.



For HA: If you are installing Eucalyptus HA, pay attention to the extra steps noted in the instructions.

Install Eucalyptus from Release Packages

If you plan to install Eucalyptus HA, we recommend that you install each Eucalyptus component on a separate host. For example, if you are installing CLC, Walrus, CC, and SC, you will install each of these components on a separate host. You will also install each secondary component (the secondary CLC, Walrus, CC, and SC) on a separate host. In this case, you will need eight machines. Each additional cluster needs four more machines for its CCs and SCs. This does not account for NCs, which are not redundant.

To install Eucalyptus on servers running CentOS 6 or RHEL 6:

1. Configure the Eucalyptus package repository on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/eucalyptus-release-3.2.noarch.rpm |
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

2. Configure the Euca2ools package repository on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component or Euca2ools:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/euca2ools/2.1/centos/6/x86_64/euca2ools-release-2.1.noarch.rpm |
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

3. Configure the EPEL package repository on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component or Euca2ools:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/epel-release-6.noarch.rpm |
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

4. Configure the ELRepo repository on each host that will run Walrus:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/elrepo-release-6.noarch.rpm |
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

- **5.** For RHEL 6 systems only, it is necessary to enable the Optional repository in Red Hat Network for each NC, as follows:
 - a) Go to http://rhn.redhat.com and navigate to the system that will run the NC.

- b) Click Alter Channel Subscriptions.
- c) Make sure the RHEL Server Optional checkbox is checked.
- d) Click Change Subscriptions.
- 6. If you are not a Eucalyptus subscriber, skip this step. If you are a Eucalyptus subscriber, you should have received an rpm package file containing subscription-only components. Install the Eucalyptus subscription package on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component, as follows:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-release-3.2*.noarch.rpm
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

7. Install the Eucalyptus cloud controller software on each planned CLC host:

```
yum groupinstall eucalyptus-cloud-controller
```

- **Note:** Clouds that use the VMware hypervisor do not have NCs; if you plan to use VMware then skip this step.
 - a) Install the Eucalyptus node controller software on each planned NC host:

```
yum install eucalyptus-nc
```

b) Check that the KVM device node has proper permissions.

Run the following command:

```
ls -l /dev/kvm
```

Verify the output shows that the device node is owned by user root and group kvm.

```
crw-rw-rw- 1 root kvm 10, 232 Nov 30 10:27 /dev/kvm
```

If your kvm device node does not have proper permissions, you need to reboot your NC host.

9. Install the software for the remaining Eucalyptus components. The following example shows most components being installed on the same host. We recommend that you use different hosts for each component:

```
yum install eucalyptus-cc eucalyptus-sc eucalyptus-walrus
```

10. If you are a subscriber and use SAN, run the appropriate command for your device on each machine hosting a CLC:

For EMC SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-emc-libs
```

For EqualLogic SAN: no action needed

For NetApp SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-netapp-libs
```

11. If you are a subscriber and use SAN, run the appropriate command for your device on each machine hosting a SC:

For EMC SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-emc
```



Important: To use Eucalyptus with EMC SAN support, you must have the NaviCLI-Linux-64-latest.rpm package installed on each SC. This package is not supplied with Eucalyptus, please see your SAN vendor if it is not already installed.

For EqualLogic SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-equallogic
For NetApp SAN:

yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-netapp
```

- **12.** After you have installed Eucalyptus, test multicast connectivity between each CLC and Walrus, SC, and VMware broker host.
 - a) Run the following receiver command on the CLC:

```
java -classpath /usr/share/eucalyptus/jgroups-2.11.1.Final.jar |
| org.jgroups.tests.McastReceiverTest -mcast_addr 224.10.10.10 -port 5555 |
```

b) Once the receiver command blocks, simultaneously run the following sender command on each Walrus host:

```
java -classpath /usr/share/eucalyptus/jgroups-2.11.1.Final.jar
| org.jgroups.tests.McastSenderTest -mcast_addr 224.10.10.10 -port 5555
```

The two applications should be able to connect and arbitrary lines entered on the sender should appear on the receiver.

- c) Repeat the previous step on each SC host and VMware broker host
- d) If you are installing an HA environment, repeat these tasks with the secondary controllers.

Your installation is complete.

You are now ready to Configure Eucalyptus.

Installing Eucalyptus from Nightly Packages



Important: Eucalyptus nightly packages are latest Eucalyptus builds. They should be considered unstable/"bleeding edge" software and should not be installed in production. In addition, upgrades from nightlies to released software are not supported.

To install Eucalyptus nightly builds on servers running CentOS 6 or RHEL 6:

1. On all servers, run the following commands:

```
yum install http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/ | software/eucalyptus/nightly/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/eucalyptus-release-3.2.0.noarch.rpm |
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

2. On all systems that will run either Eucalyptus or Euca2ools, run the following commands:

```
yum install http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/
euca2ools/nightly/2.1/centos/6/x86_64/euca2ools-release-2.1.noarch.rpm
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

3. Install the ELRepo repository on the machine that will run Walrus:

```
yum install http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/ software/eucalyptus/nightly/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/elrepo-release-6.noarch.rpm |
```

Enter y when prompted to install this package.

4. Configure the EPEL package repository:

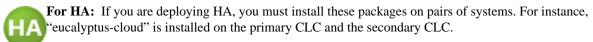
Enter y when prompted to install this package.

5. On all servers, enter:

```
yum update
```

6. Install Eucalyptus packages. The following example shows most components being installed all on the same server. You can use different servers for each component.

```
yum groupinstall eucalyptus-cloud-controller
yum install eucalyptus-cc eucalyptus-sc eucalyptus-walrus
```



7. On each planned NC server, install the NC package:

```
yum install eucalyptus-nc
```



Important: If you are using VMware, you can skip this step. Eucalyptus software is not installed on these machines. They are running VMware.

Your installation is complete.

You are now ready to Configure Eucalyptus.

This section describes the parameters that need to be set in order to launch Eucalyptus for the first time. The first launch of Eucalyptus is different than a restart of a previously running Eucalyptus deployment in that it sets up the security mechanisms that will be used by the installation to ensure system integrity.

Eucalyptus configuration is stored in a text file, /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf, that contains key-value pairs specifying various configuration parameters. Eucalyptus reads this file when it launches and when various forms of reset commands are sent it the Eucalyptus components.



Important: Perform the following tasks after you install Eucalyptus software, but before you start the Eucalyptus services.

Configure Network Modes

This section provides detailed configuration instructions for each of the four Eucalyptus networking modes. Eucalyptus requires network connectivity between its clients (end-users) and the cloud components (CC, CLC, and Walrus). In Managed and Managed (No VLAN) modes, traffic to instances pass through the CC. So, in these two modes clients must be able to connect to the CC. In System and Static modes, clients need to connect directly to the NC. The CC does not act as a router in these two modes.

The /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file contains all network-related options in in the "Networking Configuration" section. These options use the prefix VNET_. The most commonly used VNET options are described in the following table. The set of networking settings that apply to a cloud varies based on its networking mode. Each setting in this section lists the modes in which it applies. Unless otherwise noted, all of these settings apply only to CCs.

The /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file contains all network-related options in in the Networking Configuration section. These options use the prefix VNET_. The most commonly used VNET options are described in the following table.

Option	Description	Modes
VNET_MODE	The networking mode in which to run. The same mode must be specified on all CCs and NCs in the entire cloud.	All
	Valid values: STATIC, SYSTEM, MANAGED, MANAGED-NOVLAN,	
	Default: SYSTEM	
VNET_PRIVINTERFACE	The name of the network interface that is on the same network as the	Static
	NCs. In Managed and Managed (No VLAN) modes this must be a bridge for instances in different clusters but in the same security group	Managed
	to be able to reach one another with their private addresses.	Managed (No VLAN)
	Default: eth0	
VNET_PUBINTERFACE	On a CC, this is the name of the network interface that is connected to the "public" network.	Managed
	On an NC , this is the name of the network interface that is connected to the same network as the CC. Depending on the hypervisor's configuration this may be a bridge or a physical interface that is attached to the bridge.	
	Default: eth0	

Option	Description	Modes
VNET_BRIDGE	On an NC, this is the name of the bridge interface to which instances' network interfaces should attach. A physical interface that can reach the CC must be attached to this bridge. Common settings include	Static
		System
	xenbr0 for older Xen versions, eth0 for newer Xen versions, and br0 for KVM.	Managed (No VLAN)
VNET_MACMAP	A map of MAC addresses to IP addresses that Eucalyptus should allocate to instances when running in Static mode. Separate MAC addresses and IP addresses with = characters. Separate pairs with spaces.	Static
	Example: VNET_MACMAP="00:01:02:03:04:05=192.168.1.1 A1:A2:A3:A4:A5:A6=192.168.1.2"	
VNET_PUBLICIPS	A space-separated list of individual and/or hyphenated ranges of public IP addresses to assign to instances. If this is undefined then instances will receive only private IP addresses. For example:	Managed Managed (No-VLAN)
	VNET_PUBLICIPS="173.205.188.140-173.205.188.254"	
VNET_SUBNET, VNET_NETMASK	The address and network mask of the network the cloud should use for instances' private IP addresses.	Static
		Managed
		Managed (No VLAN)
VNET_ADDRSPERNET	security group. This setting dictates how many addresses each of these subnets should contain. Specify a power of 2 between 16 and 2048.	Managed
		, Managed (No VLAN)
VNET_DNS	responses.	Static
		Managed
		Managed (No VLAN)
VNET_BROADCAST, VNET_ROUTER	The network broadcast and default gateway to supply to instances in DHCP responses.	Static
VNET_LOCALIP	By default the CC automatically determines which IP address to use when setting up tunnels to other CCs. Set this to the IP address that other CCs can use to reach this CC if tunneling does not work.	Managed
		Managed (No-VLAN)
VNET_DHCPDAEMON	value by packaging. The internal default is /usr/sbin/dhcpd3.	Static
		Managed
		Managed (No VLAN)
VNET_DHCPUSER	The user the DHCP daemon runs as on your distribution. For CentOS	Static
	6 and RHEL 6, this is typically root. Default: dhcpd	Managed
		Managed (No VLAN)

Managed Mode

In Managed mode, Eucalyptus manages the local network of VM instances and provides all networking features Eucalyptus currently supports, including VM network isolation, security groups, elastic IPs, and metadata service. Configure each CC to use an Ethernet device that lies within the same broadcast domain as all of its NCs.



Important: In Managed mode, each security group requires a separate subnet and a separate VLAN that Eucalyptus controls and maintains. So the underlying physical network must be "VLAN clean." For more information about VLAN clean, see *Prepare VLAN*.

To configure for Managed mode:

CLC Configuration

No network configuration required.

CC Configuration



Important: You must set VNET_PUBLICIPS identically on all CCs in a multi-cluster configuration.

- 1. Log in to the CC and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- **2.** Go to the **Network Configuration** section, uncomment and set the following:

```
VNET_MODE="MANAGED"

VNET_SUBNET="<subnet for instances' private IPs. Example: 192.168.0.0>"

VNET_NETMASK="<your netmask for the vnet_subnet. Example: 255.255.0.0>"

VNET_DNS="<your DNS server's IP>"

VNET_ADDRSPERNET="<# of simultaneous instances per security group>"

VNET_PUBLICIPS="<your_free_public_ipl your_free_public_ip2 ...>"

VNET_LOCALIP="<the IP of the local interface on the cc that is reachable from CLC>"

VNET_DHCPDAEMON="<path to DHCP daemon binary. Example: /usr/sbin/dhcpd3>"

VNET_DHCPUSER="<DHCP user name. Example: dhcpd>"
```

3. If your NCs are not reachable from end-users directly and the CC has two (or more) Ethernet devices of which one connects to the client/public network and one connects to the NC network, or the single Ethernet device that the CC uses to connect to both clients and NCs is NOT 'eth0', then you must also uncomment and set:

- 4. Save the file.
- **5.** Repeat on each CC in your system.



Important: Each CC must have the same configuration with the exception of the VNET_LOCALIP value, which should be machine-specific.

NC Configuration

1. Log into an NC machine and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.

2. Go to the **Network Configuration** section, uncomment and set the following:

```
| VNET_MODE="MANAGED" | VNET_PUBINTERFACE="<Ethernet device/bridge reachable from cc machine. Example: | eth0>" |
```

- **3.** Save the file.
- **4.** Repeat on each NC.

Managed (No-VLAN) Mode

In Managed (No-VLAN) mode, Eucalyptus does not use VLANs to isolate the network bridges attached to VMs from each other. Configure each CC to use an Ethernet device that lies within the same broadcast domain as all of its NCs.

To configure for Managed (No VLAN) mode:

CLC Configuration

No network configuration required.

CC Configuration



Important: You must set VNET_PUBLICIPS identically on all CCs in a multi-cluster configuration.

- 1. Log in to the CC and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- **2.** Go to the **Network Configuration** section, uncomment and set the following:

```
VNET_MODE="MANAGED-NOVLAN"

VNET_SUBNET="<your subnet for instance's private IPs. Example: 192.168.0.0>"

VNET_NETMASK="<your netmask for the vnet_subnet. Example: 255.255.0.0>"

VNET_DNS="<your DNS server IP>"

VNET_ADDRSPERNET="<# of simultaneous instances per security group>"

VNET_PUBLICIPS="<your_free_public_ip1 your_free_public_ip2 ...>"

VNET_LOCALIP="<the IP of the local interface on the cc that is reachable from CLC>"

VNET_DHCPDAEMON="<path to DHCP daemon binary. Example: /usr/sbin/dhcpd3>"

VNET_DHCPUSER='<DHCP user. Example: dhcpd>"
```

3. If your NCs are not reachable from end-users directly and the CC has two (or more) Ethernet devices of which one connects to the client/public network and one connects to the NC network, or the single Ethernet device that the CC uses to connect to both clients and NCs is NOT 'eth0', then you must also uncomment and set:

- 4. Save the file.
- **5.** Repeat on each CC in your system.



Important: Each CC must have the same configuration with the exception of the VNET_LOCALIP value, which should be machine-specific.

NC Configuration

- 1. Log into an NC machine and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- 2. Go to the Network Configuration section, uncomment and set the following:

```
| VNET_MODE="MANAGED-NOVLAN"
| VNET_BRIDGE="<br/>bridge name. Example: br0>"
```

- **3.** Save the file.
- 4. Repeat on each NC.

System Mode

In System mode, Eucalyptus mostly stays out of the way in terms of VM networking, relying on your local DHCP service to configure VM networks. The NC has to specify a bridge, and that it is the bridge that is connected to an Ethernet network that has a reachable DHCP server running elsewhere that is configured to hand out IP addresses dynamically.

To configure for System mode:

CLC Configuration

No network configuration required.

CC Configuration

- 1. Log in to the CC and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- 2. Go to the Network Configuration section, uncomment and set the following:

```
| VNET_MODE="SYSTEM"
| VNET_SUBNET="<public subnet to be used by instances>"
| VNET_NETMASK="<netmask used in your network layout>"
```

- 3. Save the file.
- **4.** Repeat on each CC in your cloud.

NC Configuration

- 1. Log into an NC machine and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- 2. Go to the **Network Configuration** section, uncomment and set the following:

```
| VNET_MODE="SYSTEM"
| VNET_BRIDGE="<name of bridge on same network as the DHCP server. Example: | xenbr0>"
```

- **3.** Save the file.
- 4. Repeat on each NC.

Static Mode

Static mode requires you to specify the network configuration each VM should receive from the Eucalyptus DHCP server running on the same physical server as the CC component. Configure each CC to use an Ethernet device that lies within the same broadcast domain as all of its NCs.

To configure for Static mode:

CLC Configuration

No network configuration required.

CC Configuration

- 1. Log in to the CC and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- 2. Go to the **Network Configuration** section, uncomment and set the following:

```
VNET_MODE="STATIC"

VNET_SUBNET="<public subnet to be used by instances>"

VNET_NETMASK="<netmask used in your network layout>"

VNET_BROADCAST="<br/>
Example: 192.168.1.255>"

VNET_ROUTER="<subnet router IP/gateway IP to supply to instances in DHCP responses>"

VNET_DNS="<IP of your DNS server>"

VNET_MACMAP="<MAC-to-IP mapping for your VMs. Example:
AA:BB:CC:DD:EE:FF=192.168.1.1
A1:B1:C1:D1:E1:F1=192.168.1.2>"

VNET_PRIVINTERFACE="<Ethernet device on same network as the NCs. Example: eth0>"

VNET_DHCPDAEMON="<path to DCHP daemon binary. Example /usr/sbin/dhcp3d>"

VNET_DHCPUSER="<DHCP user name. Example: dhcpd>"
```

- **3.** Save the file.
- **4.** Repeat on each CC in your cloud.

NC Configuration

- 1. Log into an NC machine and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- **2.** Go to the **Network Configuration** section, uncomment and set the following:

```
| VNET_MODE="STATIC" |
| VNET_BRIDGE="<name of bridge on the same network as the CC. Examples: xenbr0 |
| or eth0>"
```

- 3. Save the file.
- 4. Repeat on each NC.

Configure Loop Devices

In order to start new instances, Eucalyptus needs a sufficient number of loop devices to use for SC and NC components. An SC with insufficient loop devices fails to create new EBS volumes. An NC with insufficient loop devices fails to start new instances.

Eucalyptus installs with a default loop device amount of 256. If you want to change this number, perform the following steps. Otherwise, skip this section and continue to *Configure Multi-Cluster Networking*.



Tip: We recommend that you err on the side of configuring too many loop devices. Too many loop devices result in a minor amount of memory tie-up and some clutter added to the system's /dev directory. Too few loop devices make Eucalyptus unable to use all of a system's resources. We recommend a minimum of 50 loop devices. If you have fewer than 50, the startup script will complain.

- 1. Log in to the SC server and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- **2.** Uncomment the following line:

```
| # CREATE_SC_LOOP_DEVICES=256
```

- **3.** Replace 256 with the number of loop devices.
- **4.** Repeat for each SC on your system.
- $\bf 5. \ Log \ in \ to \ an \ NC \ server \ and \ open \ the \ /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf \ file.$
- **6.** Uncomment the following line:

```
# CREATE_NC_LOOP_DEVICES=256
```

- **7.** Replace 256 with the number of loop devices.
- 8. Repeat for each NC on your system.

Configure Multi-Cluster Networking

Eucalyptus supports multiple clusters within a single Eucalyptus cloud. This section briefly describes how Eucalyptus manages the networking aspect of a multi-cluster setup.

In System or Static networking modes, Eucalyptus does not perform any special configuration for a multi-cluster setup. In Managed and Managed (No VLAN) modes, Eucalyptus sets up Layer 2 Tunneling Protocol (L2TP) between your clusters. This means that virtual machines in the same security group, but distributed across clusters (potentially each in their own broadcast domain), can communicate with one another. Eucalyptus uses the VTun package to handle all L2TP tunnels between clusters. If VTun is installed on each of your CCs, multi-cluster tunneling is automatically handled by each CC.

Depending on the networking mode and network topology, keep the following network configuration considerations in mind.

Managed Mode: During normal operation, you will see many tunnel interfaces being created and

destroyed as virtual networks are constructed and torn down.

Managed (No VLAN) Mode: In order for VTun tunneling to work in this mode, you must configure each CC

with a bridge as its primary, public interface (VNET_PUBINTERFACE).

Managed Mode and Managed

(No VLAN) Mode:

The CC attempts to auto-discover its list of local IP addresses upon startup, but if the IP that was used to register the CC is not locally available, you can override

the CC's notion of 'self' by setting the VNET_LOCALIP variable in the

eucalyptus.conf file.



Important: Do not run two CCs in the same broadcast domain with tunneling enabled, as this will potentially lead to a broadcast storm as tunnels start forwarding packets in a loop on your local network. Please disable tunneling by setting DISABLE_TUNNELING=Y in eucalyptus.conf on both CC hosts.

Manage IP Tables Rules

In Managed and Managed (No VLAN) modes, Eucalyptus flushes the CC's iptables rules for both filter and nat, then it sets the default policy for the FORWARD chain in filter to DROP. At run time, the CC adds and removes rules

from FORWARD as users add and remove ingress rules from their active security groups. In addition, the nat table is configured to allow VMs access to the external network using IP masquerading, and dynamically adds/removes rules in the nat table as users assign and unassign public IPs to VMs at instance boot or run-time.

If you have rules you want to apply on the CC, make the following edit on the CC before you start Eucalyptus or while Eucalyptus is stopped:

iptables-save > /var/run/eucalyptus/net/iptables-preload



Caution: Performing this operation to define special iptables rules that are loaded when Eucalyptus starts could cause Eucalyptus VM networking to fail. We recommend that you only do this if you are completely sure that it will not interfere with the operation of Eucalyptus.

Starting Eucalyptus

Make sure that each host you installed a Eucalyptus component on resolves to an IP address. Edit the /etc/hosts file if necessary.

Start the Eucalyptus components in the order presented in this guide.

Start the Cloud Controller (CLC)

- 1. Log in to the Cloud Controller (CLC).
- **2.** Enter the following command to initialize the CLC:



Note: Please ensure that the "eucalyptus-cloud" process is not running prior to executing this command.

/usr/sbin/euca_conf --initialize



Note: This command might take a minute or more to finish.

3. Enter the following command to start the CLC:

service eucalyptus-cloud start



For HA: For an HA environment, start the secondary CLC. Do not initialize the secondary CLC. Just start it.

Start Walrus



Important: If you installed Walrus on the same host as the CLC, skip this step.

To start Walrus:

Log in to the Walrus server and enter the following command:

service eucalyptus-cloud start



For HA: For an HA environment, repeat this task on the secondary Walrus.

Start the CC

To start the CC:

1. Log in to the CC server and enter the following:

service eucalyptus-cc start

2. If you have a multi-cluster setup, repeat this step on the CC in each cluster.



For HA: For an HA environment, repeat this task on the secondary CC in each cluster.

Start the VMware Broker



Tip: If you aren't using the subscription-only VMware Broker module, skip this section.

If you are using Eucalyptus with VMware support, perform the following tasks.

1. Log in to the CC server and enter the following:

```
service eucalyptus-cloud start
```

2. If you have a multi-cluster setup, repeat this step on the CC in each cluster.



For HA: For an HA environment, repeat this task on the secondary CC in each cluster.

Start the SC



Important: If you installed SC on the same host as the CLC, skip this step.

To start the SC:

1. Log in to the SC server and enter the following command:

```
service eucalyptus-cloud start
```



Important: If you are re-installing the SC, please restart the tgt (iSCSI open source target) daemon.

2. If you have a multi-cluster setup, repeat this step on the SC in each cluster.



For HA: For an HA environment, repeat this task on the secondary SC in each cluster.

Start the NCs

1. Log in to an NC server and enter the following command:

```
| service eucalyptus-nc start
```

2. Repeat for each NC server.

Verify the Startup

At this point, all Eucalyptus components are enabled and starting up. Some of these services perform intensive initialization at start-up, particularly the first time they are started. You might have to wait a few minutes until they are fully operational.

One quick way to determine if the components are running is to run netstat on the various hosts and look to see when the service ports are allocated to a process. Specifically, the CLC, Walrus, the SC, and the VMware Broker allocate ports 8773. The CC listens to port 8774, and the NC uses port 8775.

Verify that everything has started without error. Expected outcomes include:

- The CLC is listening on ports 8443 and 8773
- Walrus is listening on port 8773
- The SC is listening on port 8773
- If you are using the subscription only VMware Broker, it is listening on port 8773
- The CC is listening on port 8774
- The NCs are listening on port 8775
- Log files are being written to /var/log/eucalyptus/

Registering Eucalyptus

Eucalyptus implements a secure protocol for registering separate components so that the overall system can't be tricked into including a component run by an unauthorized administrator or user. You only need to register components the first time Eucalyptus is started after it was installed.

Most registration commands run on the CLC server. NCs, however, are registered on each CC. You must register each NC on every CC for the cluster on which the NC participates.

Note that each registration command will attempt an SSH as root to the remote physical host where the registering component is assumed to be running. The registration command also contacts the component so it must be running at the time of the command is issued. If a password is required to allow SSH access, the command will prompt the user for it.

Except for NCs, each registration command requires four pieces of information:

- The **component** (--register-XYZ) you are registering, because this affects where the commands must be executed.
- The **partition** (--partition) the component will belong to. The partition is the same thing as availability zone in AWS.
- The name (--component) ascribed to the component. This is the name used to identify the component in a human-friendly way. This name is also used when reporting system state changes which require administrator attention. This name must be globally-unique with respect to other component registrations. To ensure this uniqueness, we recommend using a combination of the component type (CLC, SC, CC, etc) and system hostname or IP address when you choose your component names. For example: clc-eucahost15 or clc-192.168.0.15.
- The IP address (--host) of the service being registered. The host must be specified by IP address to function correctly.

NCs only have two pieces of information: component name and IP address.

Register the Secondary Cloud Controller



For HA: If you installed HA, register the secondary CLC. Otherwise, skip this section.

Log in to the primary CLC and enter the following command to register the secondary CLC:

```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-cloud --partition eucalyptus
|--host [Secondary_CLC_IP] --component [CLC_Name]
```

The partition name for the CLC has to be eucalyptus. The component name is a unique name for this particular component: we recommend a format such as CLC-[hostname].

Register Walrus

To register Walrus:

On the CLC server, enter the following command:

```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-walrus --partition walrus --host
[walrus_IP_address] --component [walrus_name]
```

The partition name for Walrus has to be walrus. Like the CLC, the component name is a unique name for this particular component: we recommend a format such as walrus-[hostname].



For HA: For HA, register the secondary Walrus the same way, using the secondary Walrus IP address and secondary Walrus name. Use the same partition name as the primary Walrus.

Register the CC

To register the CC:

1. On the CLC, enter the following command:

```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-cluster --partition [partition_name]
--host [CC_IP_address] --component [cc_name]
```

We recommend that you set the partition name to a descriptive name for the availability zone controlled by the CC. For example: cluster01.

The component must be a unique name. We recommend that you use a short-hand name of the hostname or IP address of the machine, like cc-[hostname] or cc-[IP address].

2. Repeat for each cluster, replacing the CC name, partition name, CC IP address, and CC name.



For HA: For HA, register the secondary CC the same way, replacing the CC IP address and CC name, but using the same partition name as the primary CC.

Register the VMware Broker



Tip: If you aren't using the subscription-only VMware Broker module, skip this section.

To register the VMware Broker

1. On the CLC, enter the following command:

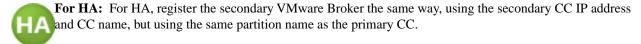
```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-vmwarebroker --partition [partition_name]
| --host [CC_IP_address] --component [broker_name]
```

The VM ware Broker must have the same partition name as the CC in the same cluster. Like the other components, the component is a unique name for this particular component: we recommend a format such as broker-[hostname].



Important: Register the VMware Broker component using the CC IP address, not the CLC IP address.

2. Repeat for each cluster, replacing the VMware Broker name, partition name, CC IP address, and CC name.



Register the SC

To register the SC:

1. On the CLC, enter the following command:

```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-sc --partition [partition_name] --host |
|[SC_IP_address] |
| --component [SC_name]
```

An SC must have the same partition name as the CC in the same cluster. Like the other components, the component is a unique name for this particular component: we recommend a format such as sc-[hostname].

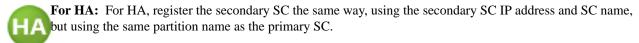


Warning: Newly registered SCs will be in the BROKEN state until they are explicitly configured to use a backend storage provider. The output of the registration for the first SC registered in a partition will look like:

```
| SERVICE storage PARTIOO SC71 BROKEN 37 | http://192.168.51.71:8773/services/Storage | arn:euca:eucalyptus:PARTIOO:storage:SC71/ | Registered the first storage controller in partition 'PARTIOO'. You | must choose a storage back end with ``euca-modify-property -p | PARTIOO.storage.blockstoragemanager=$BACKEND''
```

This is completely normal and simply indicates that further action must be taken to configure the SC before it will become fully functional. For information about configuring the SC, see *Configure the Runtime Environment->Configure the Storage Controller*

2. Repeat for each cluster, replacing the SC name, partition name, SC IP address, and SC name.



Register the NCs



Important: If you are using the subscription only VMware Broker module, you can skip this task. Eucalyptus software is not installed on machines that are running VMware. You do not have to register the NCs. Instead, you have to configure the VMware Broker, as described in the *Configure VMware Support* section.

1. On a CC, register all NCs using the following command with the IP address of each NC server:

```
/ usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-nodes "[node0_IP_address] ... |
| [nodeN_IP_address] "
```

2. Repeat each cluster in your cloud.

```
The IP addresses of the NCs are space delimited, as in the following example:

| /usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-nodes "192.168.71.154 192.168.71.155 |
| 192.168.71.159" |
```

For HA: For HA, you must also register the NCs with the secondary CC.

Register Arbitrators



Warning: This task is only for high availability (HA) installations. Do not register an arbitrator if you do not have an HA environment. If you do, you will not be able to access your cloud.

Eucalyptus uses a periodic ICMP echo test to an Arbitrator. This test approximates an end user's ability to access the system. If Eucalyptus determines that it cannot reach the host associated with a registered Arbitrator, all Eucalyptus services operating on that host attempt to failover to the alternate hosts running those services.

For HA: In HA, you can register each Arbitrator service on the primary and secondary CLC and Walrus. If you are using either Managed or Managed (No VLAN) mode, you can also register Arbitrator services on both the primary CC and the secondary CC.

We recommend that you register more than one Arbitrator for each Eucalyptus component. This will allow for normal outages and maintenance. There is no limit on the number of Arbitrators on a CLC and a Walrus. You can only register up to three on a CC.

Register an Arbitrator service on each host that has a cloud component (CLC or Walrus) installed. An Arbitrator is a host-wide component: when an Arbitrator is registered on a host, it is registered with all cloud components enabled on that host. A separate arbitrator has to be registered per each network entity that needs to be monitored from the host.

To register an Arbitrator:

- 1. Log in to the primary CLC.
- 2. Enter the following command to register an arbitrator:

```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --partition [ID]
--component [ID] --host [target_IP]>
```

where:

- [ID] is a globally unique ID that identifies an Arbitrator. Note that you must use the same [ID] as both a partition and component ID.
- [target_IP] is the IP of the machine running the Eucalyptus component that will run the Arbitrator.

For example:

```
| euca_conf --register-arbitrator --partition EXAMPLE_ARB --component EXAMPLE_ARB | --host 192.168.1.10
```

- 3. Repeat for the secondary CLC and for both Walrus servers.
- **4.** Define the gateway for each Arbitrator:

```
/usr/sbin/euca-modify-property -p <ID>.arbitrator.gatewayhost=<gateway>
```

where:

- <ID> is the globally unique ID of the registered Arbitrator.
- <gateway> is an external hostname or IP address used to approximate connectivity to the end user.

For example:

```
euca-modify-property -p EXAMPLE_ARB.arbitrator.gatewayhost=192.168.1.1
```

- **5.** Repeat for each registered Arbitrator.
- $\textbf{6.} \ \ \text{To register on each CC, log in to the primary CC, and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.}$

7. Provide a list of Arbitrators (up to three) as values for the CC_ARBITRATORS property. For example:

```
| CC_ARBITRATORS="192.168.48.11 192.168.48.12" |
```

8. Save the file and restart the CC.

```
| service eucalyptus-cc restart
```

9. Repeat on the secondary CC.

```
In the following example, the primary CLC is on <CLC_host_p>, the secondary CLC is on <CLC_host_s>, the primary Walrus is on <Walrus_host_p>, and the secondary Walrus is on <Walrus_host_s>.
```

```
| /usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <CLC_host_p>
| --component ARB00 --partition ARB00
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <CLC_host_p>
--component ARB01 --partition ARB01
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <Walrus_host_p>
--component ARB02 --partition ARB02
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <Walrus_host_p>
 --component ARB03 --partition ARB03
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <CLC_host_s>
 --component ARB04 --partition ARB04
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <CLC_host_s>
--component ARB05 --partition ARB05
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <Walrus_host_s>
--component ARB06 --partition ARB06
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --register-arbitrator --host <Walrus_host_s>
| --component ARB07 --partition ARB07
```

Configuring the Runtime Environment

After Eucalyptus is installed and registered, perform the tasks in this section to configure the runtime environment.

Generate Administrator Credentials

Now that you have installed and configured Eucalyptus, you're ready to start using it. To do so, you must generate credentials.



Important: When you run the euca_conf --get-credentials command, you are requesting the access and secret keys and an X.509 certificate and key. You cannot retrieve an existing X.509 certificate and key. You can only generate a new pair.

To generate a set of credentials:

1. Generate administrator credentials.

```
/usr/sbin/euca_conf --get-credentials admin.zip
```

2. Source the eucarc file.

```
| source eucarc
```

You are now able to run Eucalyptus commands.

Configure the Storage Controller

Eucalyptus offers SAN support for Eucalyptus block storage (EBS). Eucalyptus directs the Storage Controller (SC) to manage any supported SAN devices. Eucalyptus automatically creates and tears down volumes, snapshots, and data connections from guest instances. The administrator does not need to pre-allocate volumes or LUNs for Eucalyptus.

Eucalyptus currently offers several backend providers for the Storage Controller: Overlay, DAS, Equallogic, Netapp, and EMC-VNX.

The Eucalyptus Storage Controller must be configured explicitly upon registration. This is a change from previous versions (pre-3.2) of Eucalyptus, which would configure themselves to a default configuration using a tgtd-based filesystem-backed storage controller to provide volumes and snapshots directly from the Storage Controller. As of version 3.2, Eucalyptus Storage Controllers automatically go to the BROKEN state after being registered with the CLC and will remain in that state until the administrator explicitly configures the SC by telling it which backend storage provider to use.

You can check the state of a storage controller by running

```
| euca-describe-services -E
```

and note the state and status message of the Storage Controller(s). The output for an unconfigured SC will look like:

```
| SERVICE storage PARTIOO SC71 BROKEN 37
| http://192.168.51.71:8773/services/Storage
| arn:euca:eucalyptus:PARTIOO:storage:SC71/
| SERVICEEVENT 6c1f7a0a-21c9-496c-bb79-23ddd5749222
```

```
arn:euca:eucalyptus:PARTI00:storage:SC71/
| SERVICEEVENT 6c1f7a0a-21c9-496c-bb79-23ddd5749222 ERROR |
| SERVICEEVENT 6c1f7a0a-21c9-496c-bb79-23ddd5749222 Sun Nov 18 22:11:13 PST 2012 |
| SERVICEEVENT 6c1f7a0a-21c9-496c-bb79-23ddd5749222 SC blockstorageamanger not |
| configured. Found empty or unset manager(unset). Legal values are: das,overlay |
```

Note the error above: SC blockstoragemanager not configured. Found empty or unset manager(unset). Legal values are: das, overlay.

This indicates that the SC is not yet configured. It can be configured by setting the [partition].storage.blockstoragemanager property to either 'das' or 'overlay'.

If you have installed the Eucalyptus Enterprise packages for your SAN, you will also see additional options in the output line above, and can set the block storage manager to 'netapp', 'emc-vnx-flare31', 'emc-vnx', or 'equallogic' as appropriate.

You can verify that the SC blockstoragemanager is unset using:

```
| euca-describe-properties | grep blockstorage
```

To configure SAN support, follow the steps for your desired backend storage device: *Open-Source ISCSI Filesystem-backed*, *Dell Equallogic*, *JBOD*, *Netapp*, or *EMC VNX*.

Configuring the SC to use the local filesystem (Overlay)

This was the default configuration option for the SC in pre-3.2 Eucalyptus. In this configuration the SC itself hosts the volume and snapshots for EBS and stores them as files on the local filesystem. It uses standard linux iSCSI tools to serve the volumes to instances running on NCs.

1. Configure the SC to use the OverlayManager for storage.

```
euca-modify-property -p <partition>.storage.blockstoragemanager=overlay

The output of the command should be similar to:

PROPERTY PARTIOO.storage.blockstoragemanager overlay was <unset>
```

2. Verify that the property value is now: 'overlay'

```
| euca-describe-properties | grep blockstorage
```

Enable Dell Equallogic SANs

1. Configure the SC to use the EquallogicManager for storage.

```
euca-modify-property -p <partition>.storage.blockstoragemanager=equallogic

The output of the command should be similar to:

PROPERTY PARTIOO.storage.blockstoragemanager equallogic was <unset>
```

2. Verify that the property value is now: 'equallogic'

```
| euca-describe-properties | grep blockstorage
```

3. On the CLC, run the following command to verify that the SC is listed; note that it may be in the BROKEN state:

```
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```

4. On the CLC (the primary CLC in an HA setup), enable SAN support in Eucalyptus by entering your SAN's hostname or IP address, the username, and password:

```
euca-modify-property -p
| <partition_name>.storage.sanhost=<SAN_hostname_or_IP_address>
| euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.sanuser=<SAN_admin_user_name> |
leuca-modify-property -p
| <partition_name>.storage.sanpassword=<SAN_admin_password>
```

Your Equallogic SAN is now ready to use with Eucalyptus.

Enable Direct Attached Storage (JBOD) SANs

1. Configure the SC to use the (Direct Attached Storage) DASManager for storage.

```
-----
l euca-modify-property -p <partition>.storage.blockstoragemanager=das
The output of the command should be similar to:
```

```
| PROPERTY PARTIOO.storage.blockstoragemanager das was <unset>
```

2. Verify that the property value is now: 'das'

```
| euca-describe-properties | grep blockstorage
```

3. On the CLC, run the following command to verify that the SC is listed; note that it may be in the BROKEN state:

```
| euca_conf --list-scs
```

4. On the CLC (the primary CLC in an HA setup), set the DAS device name property. The device name can be either a raw device (/dev/sdX, for example), or the name of an existing Linux LVM volume group.

```
l euca-modify-property -p <cluster name>.storage.dasdevice=<device name>
 For example:
l euca-modify-property -p cluster0.storage.dasdevice=/dev/sdb
```

Your SAN is now ready to use with Eucalyptus.

Enable NetApp SANs

NetApp Filer devices (FAS 2000 and FAS 6000 series) are managed by Eucalyptus using NetApp ONTAPI (version 7.3.3 or above). Enable ONTAPI and provide administrative Eucalyptus with access to OTAPI. To configure NetApp Filer and enable NetApp SANs:

- 1. Enable and verify API access to NetApp Filer.
- 2. Verify SSL access by typing secureadmin status
- 3. If marked inactive, enable with secureadmin setup ssl and generate a new certificate.
- 4. Finally turn on SSL access with options httpd.admin.ssl.enable on

- 6. Verify that an aggregate with sufficient spare capacity exists.
 - If you have SSH access to the NetApp Filer, enter aggr show space.
 - If an aggregate with spare capacity does not exist, create one using the aggregate create command.



Note: By default Eucalyptus assumes aggr1 as the aggregate name. If you wish to use a different aggregate see step 13.

- 7. Verify that you have a license for FlexClone installed. At the shell prompt, enter license to see the list of all installed licenses.
- **8.** Write down the administrator credentials (or create an administrator account for Eucalyptus). You will need to configure Eucalyptus with these credentials later.
- **9.** Configure the SC to use the NetappManager for storage.

```
| euca-modify-property -p <partition>.storage.blockstoragemanager=netapp
```

The output of the command should be similar to:

```
| PROPERTY PARTIOO.storage.blockstoragemanager netapp was <unset>
```

10. Verify that the property value is now: 'netapp'

```
| euca-describe-properties | grep blockstorage
```

11. On the CLC, run the following command to verify that the SC is listed; note that it may be in the BROKEN state:

```
| euca_conf --list-scs
```

12. On the CLC (the primary CLC in an HA setup), enable SAN support in Eucalyptus by entering your SAN's hostname or IP address, the username, and password:

```
euca-modify-property -p | cpartition_name>.storage.sanhost=<SAN_hostname_or_IP_address> | euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.sanuser=<SAN_admin_user_name> | euca-modify-property -p | cpartition_name>.storage.sanuser=<SAN_admin_password> | continue |
```

13. If you need to change the aggregate to something other than the default "aggr1" based on your SAN configuration, use the following command:

```
| euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.aggregate=<SAN_aggregate_name> |
```

Your Netapp SAN is now ready to use with Eucalyptus.

Enable EMC VNX SANs

This adapter uses the newer VNX-Snapshot feature available on VNX devices running FLARE v5.32 or later that have a VNX-Snapshot license. This adapter also requires the Navisphere Secure CLI to be installed on the SCs. The Navisphere CLI must be version 7.32.0.5.54 or later.

1. We assume that the Navisphere CLI is installed in /opt/Navisphere on the SC.



Important: Eucalyptus currently supports version 7.32.0.5.54 or later of the Navisphere CLI.

2. Verify that the CLI is installed and can communicate with the VNX from the SCs.

On each SC that you are configuring, test the naviseccli command as follows:

```
/opt/Navisphere/bin/naviseccli -User <your SAN username> -Password <your SAN
| password> -Scope 0 -Address <management port IP> connection -pingnode -address |
```

Verify that the command runs successfully and the ping gets replies from the SAN.

3. On the CLC, run the following command to verify that the SC is listed; note that it may be in the BROKEN state:

```
-----
| euca conf --list-scs
```

4. Configure the SC to use the EMC VNX VNX-Snapshot-based manager for storage.

```
-----
| euca-modify-property -p <partition>.storage.blockstoragemanager=emc-vnx
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```

The output of the command should be similar to:

```
| PROPERTY PARTIOO.storage.blockstoragemanager emc-vnx was <unset>
```

5. Check the SC to be sure that it has transitioned out of the BROKEN state and is in either NOTREADY or DISABLED before configuring the rest of the properties for the SC. The following commands should be run on the ENABLED CLC to configure the SC.

On the ENABLED CLC, run:

```
euca_conf --list-scs
```

6. On the CLC (the primary CLC in an HA setup), enable SAN support in Eucalyptus by entering your SAN's hostname or IP address, the username, and password:

```
euca-modify-property -p
| <partition_name>.storage.sanhost=<SAN_hostname_or_IP_address>
| euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.sanuser=<SAN_admin_user_name> |
l euca-modify-property -p
| <partition name>.storage.sanpassword=<SAN admin password>
```

7. On the ENABLED CLC, set the login scope for the command line access. For most installs, the login scope will be 0, which indicates a global login scope for the device. 1 indicates a local scope. 2 indicates LDAP authentication for the SAN device. Use login scope value of 2 only if your SAN is configured to use LDAP authentication and you have an admin user configured to use LDAP.

```
l euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.loginscope=<login_scope>
```

8. On the ENABLED CLC, set the username for the Challenge Handshake Authentication Protocol (CHAP). This can be any value, however it should be unique when sharing VNX on multiple Eucalyptus clusters.

```
l euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.chapuser=<chap_username>
```

9. On the ENABLED CLC, set the value for the unique storage pool that you have configured to use with the SC.

```
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| euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.storagepool=0
```

10. On the ENABLED CLC, set the iSCSI data port IP for NCs to use to perform disk operations on the SAN. If you want to configure multiple IPs, see *Configure EMC VNX Multipathing*.

```
l euca-modify-property -p <partition_name>.storage.ncpaths=<ip>
```

11. On the ENABLED CLC, set the iSCSI data port IP for SCs to use to perform disk operations on the SAN. The SCs connect to the data ports on the SAN in order to transfer snapshots to Walrus during snapshot operations. If you want to configure multiple IPs, see the section on 'multipathing.

```
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```

12. On the ENABLED CLC, set the path to Navisphere CLI that you downloaded earlier to the SC. The following example shows the default path. This is that path on the SC, not on the CLC.

```
euca-modify-property -p
| <partition name>.storage.clipath=/opt/Navisphere/bin/naviseccli
```

Your EMC VNX SAN is now ready to use with Eucalyptus.



Tip: Note: The time it takes for a LUN migration to complete will depend on the exact VNX model, workload, and volume size, and the amount of data actually stored in the volume. The default timeout for LUN migrations is 1200 seconds. If your deployment uses volumes >50GB, or if you find that snapshots fail and a "migration timeout" message is seen in the SC logs, then you should increase the timeout to a larger value. It is recommended that if you plan on using volumes in the 100GB range that you set that timeout to 3600 or larger. You can set the timeout using euca-modify-property as follows:

```
_______
| euca-modify-property -p [partition].storage.lunmigrationtimeout=[time in |
```

Configure EMC VNX Multipathing

Use multipathing to provide network-and-SP-redundancy for the iSCSI data path between the EMC VNX SAN and NCs.



Note: FEATURE PREVIEW: The multipathing feature is not yet complete, and may change or be removed from future releases. It is included in this release so that users can try it out and provide feedback.



Warning: Multipathing is available only for the EMC VNX SAN.



Important: It is **strongly** recommended that you get your system up and running and able to create volumes and snapshots using the EMC VNX prior to configuring multipathing. Multipathing can be configured after the cloud is fully functional and will apply to any volumes attached/snapshotted after multipathing is configured. Configuring multipathing on a non-multipathed system does not require a restart of the SC, NC, or CLC.

To configure multipathing for a EMC VNX SAN:

- **1.** Ensure that the mutipathd service is running on each NC: mpathconf --enable
- **2.** Configure the /etc/multipath.conf file.



Note: An example configuration for EMC VNX is installed with Eucalyptus. This file is located in /usr/share/doc/eucalyptus-3.2.0/eucalyptus.multipath.conf.example on each SC. You may need to copy that file to each NC.

3. Start the mutipathd service:

- **4.** If you modify the /etc/multipath.conf file, be sure to restart and reconfigure multipathd:
 - a) Restart the multipathd service:

```
service multipathd restart
```

b) Run multipathd -k:

```
| multipathd -k
```

c) Enter the following commands at the multipathd interactive prompt:

```
| reconfigure
| quit
```

- 5. Check that the multipath udev rules file is installed by verifying that the file /etc/udev/rules.d/12-dm-permissions.rules file exists.
- **6.** Set the ISCSI paths:



Note: The path specification format is iface0:ip0,iface1:ip1,...,ifaceN:ipN where iface may be re-used (i.e. multiple iface0 entries). Also, note that 'iface' is optional, you may just specify a comma-delimited list of IPs. Eucalyptus will detect which interfaces on the SC/NC can reach each specified IP and will use the first found. You must only specify the 'iface' value if you want precise control over which interfaces access which IPs. For using a single path only, just specify the IP of the iscsi data port to use on the VNX.



Note: We recommend initially getting the system working with only one path. The path values can be modified at any time to enable multipathing, so it is possible to get everything working and confirm full VNX functionality before attempting multipathing. To use one path, simply specify a single IP for each the following steps.

a) Set the NC paths. For example:

```
euca-modify-property -p mypartition.storage.ncpaths=iface0:127.0.0.1
```

b) Set the SC paths. For example:

```
euca-modify-property -p mypartition.storage.scpaths=iface0:127.0.0.1
```



Note: The NC and SC may each have different path lists, or you can optionally only enable multipathing on the NCs or SC if desire.

c) If you specified an iface when setting the SC paths, be sure to include a line in the eucalyptus.conf file of each NC in the cluster that defines each iface. For example:

```
STORAGE_INTERFACES="iface0=eth0"
```

- 7. Test and verify the configuration by creating (and attaching to) a volume and creating a snapshot on the partition.
- 8. If testing is successful, you can now configure multiple paths in your *.storage.ncpaths and *.storage.scpaths configuration.
- 9. Verify that multipathing is working on an NC by attaching a volume to an instance on that NC and running the following command:

```
multipath -ll
```

```
mpathb (36006016098b0300080722f971b2ee211) dm- 0 DGC,VRAID size=1.0G features='1 queue_if_no_path' hwhandler='1 alua' wp=rw | - +- policy='round- robin 0' prio=50 status=active | `- 6:0:0:1 sdd 8:48 active ready running | `- +- policy='round- robin 0' prio=10 status=enabled | `- 7:0:0:1 sdf 8:80 active ready running
```

You have now successfully configured multipathing for your EMC VNX SAN installation.

Configure DNS

Eucalyptus provides a DNS service that you can configure to:

- Map instance IPs and Walrus bucket names to DNS host names
- Enable DNS delegation to support transparent failover in HA mode

The DNS service will automatically try to bind to port 53. If port 53 cannot be used, DNS will be disabled. Typically, other system services like dnsmasq are configured to run on port 53. To use the Eucalyptus DNS service, you will need to disable these services.

Configure the Subdomain

Before using the DNS service, configure the DNS sub domain name that you want Eucalyptus to handle as follows after the Eucalyptus Cloud Controller (CLC) has been started.

Log in to the CLC (the primary CLC in an HA setup) and enter the following:

```
| euca-modify-property -p
| system.dns.dnsdomain=<eucadomain.yourdomain>
```

Turn on IP Mapping

To turn on mapping of instance IPs to DNS host names:

1. Enter the following command on the CLC (the primary CLC in an HA setup):

```
| euca-modify-property -p bootstrap.webservices.use_instance_dns=true
```

When this option is enabled, public and private DNS entries are set up for each instance that is launched in Eucalyptus. This also enables virtual hosting for Walrus. Buckets created in Walrus can be accessed as hosts. For example, the bucket mybucket is accessible as mybucket.walrus.eucadomain.yourdomain.

Instance IP addresses will be mapped as euca-A.B.C.D.eucalyptus.<subdomain>, where A.B.C.D is the IP address (or addresses) assigned to your instance.

2. If you wish to modify the subdomain that is reported as part of the instance DNS name, please enter the following command:

```
| euca-modify-property -p
| cloud.vmstate.instance_subdomain=.<custom-dns-subdomain>
```

When this value is modified, the public and private DNS names reported for each instance will contain the specified custom DNS subdomain name, instead of the default value, which is eucalyptus. For example, if this value is set to foobar, the instance DNS names will appear as euca-A.B.C.D.foobar.<subdomain>.



For HA: If you are not using HA, you can skip this task. If you are using HA and do not enable DNS delegation, you must manually update EC2_URL, S3_URL and EUARE_URL to point to the new primary hosts in case of failover.

DNS delegation allows you to forward DNS traffic for the Eucalyptus subdomain to the Eucalyptus CLC hosts. These hosts act as name servers. This allows interruption-free access to Eucalyptus cloud services in the event of a failure. Both primary and secondary CLC hosts are capable of mapping cloud host names to IP addresses of the primary CLC and Walrus hosts.

For example, if the IP address of the primary and secondary CLC are 192.168.5.1 and 192.168.5.2, and the IP addresses of primary and secondary Walruses are 192.168.6.1 and 192.168.6.2, the host eucalyptus.eucadomain.yourdomain will resolve to 192.168.6.1 and walrus.eucadomain.yourdomain will resolve to 192.168.6.1.

If the primary CLC fails, the secondary CLC will become the primary and eucalyptus.eucadomain.yourdomain will resolve to 192.168.5.2. If the primary Walrus fails, the secondary Walrus will be promoted and walrus.eucadomain.yourdomain will resolve to 192.168.6.2.

To enable DNS delegation:

1. On the primary CLC, enter the following command:

```
| euca-modify-property -p bootstrap.webservices.use_dns_delegation=true
```

2. Because the credentials are now slightly changed, you must generate the administrative credentials and source the eucarc file again. For more information, see Generate Administrator Credentials.

Configure the Master DNS Server

Set up your master DNS server to forward the Eucalyptus subdomain to the primary and secondary CLC servers, which act as name servers.

The following example shows how the Linux name server bind is set up to forward the Eucalyptus subdomain.

1. Open /etc/named.conf and set up the eucadomain.yourdomain zone. For example, your /etc/named.conf may look like the following:

```
zone "yourdomain" {
 type master;
 file "/etc/bind/db.yourdomain";
| #Forward eucadomain.yourdomain
| zone "eucadomain.yourdomain" {
type forward;
| forward only;
 forwarders { <CLC_0_IP>; <CLC_1_IP>; };
};
```

where <CLC_0_IP> is the IP address of your primary CLC and <CLC_1_IP> is the IP address of your secondary CLC.

2. Create /etc/bind/db.yourdomain if it does not exist. If your master DNS is already set up for yourdomain, you will need to add name server entries for <CLC_0_IP> and <CLC_1_IP>. For example:

```
$TTL 604800
@ IN SOA yourdomain. root.yourdomain. (
| 2 ; Serial
```

where clc0.eucadomain.yourdomain and clc1.eucadomain.yourdomain are the host names of your primary and secondary CLC servers.

- 3. Restart the bind nameserver (/etc/init.d/bind9 restart or /etc/init.d/named restart, depending on your Linux distribution).
- 4. Test your setup by pointing /etc/resolv.conf on your client to your primary DNS server and attempt to resolve eucalyptus.eucadomain.yourdomain using ping or nslookup. It should return the IP address of the primary CLC server.

Set NC Concurrency Level

On some Linux installations, a sufficiently large amount of local disk activity can slow down process scheduling. This can cause other operations (e.g., network communication and instance provisioning) appear to stall. To alleviate this potential problem, we recommend performing the following steps on each NC:

- 1. Log in to an NC server and open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file.
- 2. Change the CONCURRENT_DISK_OPS parameter to the number of disk-intensive operations you want the NC to perform at once. Examples of disk-intensive operations include preparing disk images for launch and creating ephemeral storage. Set this value to 1 to serialize all disk-intensive operations. Set to a higher number to increase the amount of disk-intensive operations the NC will perform in parallel.

Increase Walrus Disk Space

The size of Walrus storage must be larger than the sum of all the uploaded images. Each uploaded image requires additional space to accommodate image decryption and the creation of temporary working files. We recommend that the Walrus storage size be three times the size of all uploaded images.

For example, you might have a total of three images: two 10GB images and one 30 GB image. In order to ensure that all three images are cached and ready to run in Eucalyptus, you will need to set the "Space reserved for unbundling images" in Walrus to 50 GB or larger. To increase the image cache size in Walrus:

- 1. Log in to the Eucalyptus Administrator Console (https://<CLC_IP_address>:8443).
- **2.** Click **Service Components** in the **Quick Links** section. The **Service Components** page displays.
- 3. Click walrus.
 - The **Properties** section displays.
- **4.** Enter the new size (in MB) in the **Space reserved for unbundling images** field.
- 5. Click Save.

Configure DRBD



For HA: This section is for Eucalyptus HA. If you are not using HA, skip this section.

Before you begin, ensure that you have the following information:

- The IP address and hostname of each Walrus
- The DRBD block device name of each Walrus. In the following examples, we assume that DRBD block device name is /dev/drbd1.
- The DRBD backing disk partition names on each Walrus. A partition (either on a new disk or an existing disk) should be dedicated to Walrus. The partition sizes should be identical.



Tip: Consider backing the DRBD resource with a logical volume using LVM, this will make growing the backing store easier in the future if you are running low on disk space.

Configuring DRBD requires that you edit the Eucalyptus DRBD file to include your Walrus information, and edit the master DRBD file to tell it to look for the Eucalyptus DRBD file.

To configure DRBD:

- 1. Log in to the primary Walrus.
- 2. Load the DRBD module

```
| modprobe drbd
```

There is no output from this command.

- **3.** Copy the example Eucalyptus DRBD file (/etc/eucalyptus/drbd.conf.example) to /etc/eucalyptus/drbd.conf.
- **4.** Open the /etc/eucalyptus/drbd.conf file and make the following edits:
 - Change the value of <walrus-host-1> to the hostname (output of `uname -n`) of the primary Walrus.
 - Change the value of <drbd-block-dev, e.g., /dev/drbd1> to /dev/drbd1
 - Change the value of <drbd-backing-disk-dev, e.g. /dev/sdb1> to /dev/sdb1
 - Change the value of <walrus-host-1-ip> to the IP address of the primary Walrus.
 - Change the value of <walrus-host-2> to the hostname (output of `uname -n`) of the secondary Walrus.
 - Change the value of <drbd-block-dev, e.g., /dev/drbd1> to /dev/drbd1
 - Change the value of <drbd-backing-disk-dev, e.g. /dev/sdb1> to /dev/sdb1
 - Change the value of <walrus-host-2-ip> to the IP address of the secondary Walrus.

The file should look like the following example:

```
common {
  protocol C;
}

resource r0 {

  on walrus00.eucalyptus.com {
    device /dev/drbdl;
    disk /dev/sdb1;
    address 192.168.58.1:7789;
    meta-disk internal;
}

on walrus01.eucalyptus.com {
    device /dev/drbdl;
}
```

```
disk /dev/sdb1;
address 192.168.58.2:7789;
meta-disk internal;
}

syncer {
  rate 40M;
}

net {
  after-sb-0pri discard-zero-changes;
  after-sb-1pri discard-secondary;
}
```



Important: On RHEL 6 and Ubuntu, remove the common section (common { protocol C; }). The configuration in these distributions already include a common section.

- 5. Save and close the file.
- **6.** Open the master DRBD file (/etc/drbd.conf) and append the following line:

```
| include "/etc/eucalyptus/drbd.conf";
```



Important: For Ubuntu, you must also remove the common section (common { protocol C; }) and the line include "drbd.d/*.res";.

- 7. Save and close the file.
- **8.** On both primary and secondary Walrus, open the file /etc/fstab and append the following line for the DRBD resource to allow the eucalyptus user to mount and unmount the device:

```
/dev/drbdl /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits ext3 noauto,owner 0 0
```

- 9. Save and close the file.
- **10.** Open the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf file and make the following configuration:

```
| CLOUD_OPTS="-Dwalrus.storage.manager=DRBDStorageManager"
```

- 11. Copy the /etc/drbd.conf, the /etc/eucalyptus/drbd.conf, and the /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf files to the secondary Walrus server.
- 12. Restart Walrus, first on the primary, and then on the secondary. Restarting the primary Walrus will trigger an HA failover to the secondary, and restarting the secondary will fail back, preparing the entire system for the next steps.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud restart
```

13. Monitor the failover with euca-describe-services. If successful, stop the eucalyptus-cloud service again on both Walruses whilst you configure the DRBD device.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud stop
```

14. On the primary Walrus, associate the DRBD block device (/dev/drbd1) with the disk partition allocated for Walrus (/dev/sdb1).

```
| drbdmeta --force /dev/drbd1 v08 /dev/sdb1 internal create-md
| drbdadm up r0
```



Important: Repeat this step on the secondary Walrus.

15. Set up the DRBD block device on the primary Walrus:



Tip: With a large DRBD device, the initial synchronization can take a considerable amount of time. Consult Skipping Initial Device Synchronization for instructions on how to skip the synchronization.

```
| drbdsetup /dev/drbd1 syncer -r 110M
| drbdadm -- --overwrite-data-of-peer primary r0
```

16. On the primary Walrus only, run the following command to indicate whether the data on the DRBD primary and secondary is consistent:

```
| drbdadm dstate r0
```

Wait for the output to display UpToDate/UpToDate, then continue to the next step.



Tip: To view the synchronization process in near-realtime, run watch -n 2 cat /proc/drbd.

17. On the primary Walrus, create a filesystem on /dev/drbd1. Eucalyptus supports ext3 or ext4. For example:

18. With the DRBD device now configured, start the eucalyptus-cloud service on both Walruses.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud start
```

19. On the primary CLC, tell Eucalyptus to use DRBD parameters configured in the DRBD config file so Walrus can write to the correct device:

```
euca-modify-property -p walrus.blockdevice=/dev/drbd1
| euca-modify-property -p walrus.resource=r0
```

Skipping Initial Device Synchronization



For HA: Only perform these steps if you have no existing data on your DRBD devices. We assume you have completed the steps up to and including step 11 in Configure DRBD.

1. Before promoting the DRBD resource to primary, generate a new UUID and clear the bitmap on the primary Walrus

```
| drbdadm -- --clear-bitmap new-current-uuid r0
```

2. On the same Walrus, promote the resource to primary:

```
| drbdadm primary r0
```

3. Resume the configuration at step 15 in Configure DRBD.

This section provides guidance on how to keep configuration files sychronized between Eucalyptus HA component pairs. The csync2 utility can be used to achieve this, it's designed to keep configuration consistent between systems in large clusters. Two standalone Walrus systems assumed to be in HA are used in the following example.



For HA: Only perform these steps between HA pairs containing the same components to ensure the configuration matches. For assistance in implementing more advanced tasks the csync2 man pages should be consulted directly.



Note: Completion of this section is optional. You may also wish to expand on this example and generate your own more complex configurations for other components, adding more groups and including additional files in the sychronization tasks.

1. Install the csync2 utility via the EPEL repository on both systems:

```
yum -y install csync2
```

2. On the primary system, generate a pre-shared key for the hosts you wish to sync:

```
csync2 -k /etc/csync2/eucalyptus.key
```

3. On the primary system edit the /etc/csync2/csync2.cfg configuration file to create the synchronization template. Use the one below as an example, creating a group for your two Walrus hosts and adding the eucalyptus and drbd configuration files. Replace the host lines below with the full hostnames of your Walrus systems:

```
group eucalyptus {
  host euca-walrus-ha-1;
  host euca-walrus-ha-2;
  key /etc/csync2/eucalyptus.key;
  include /etc/csync2/csync2.cfg;
  include /etc/eucalyptus/eucalyptus.conf;
  include /etc/eucalyptus/drbd.conf;
  include /etc/drbd.conf;
}
```

4. Copy the base configuration file and pre-shared key generated earlier to the secondary Walrus server:

```
scp /etc/csync2/csync2.cfg /etc/csync2/eucalyptus.key | euca-walrus-ha-2:/etc/csync2/
```

5. Next, ensure the csync2 service and xinetd are set to start at boot on both Walrus systems:

```
chkconfig csync2 on
chkconfig xinetd on
service xinetd restart
```

6. Next, perform a dry-run sync to check for proposed changes. Run this on your primary Walrus.

```
csync2 -xvd
```

7. If you are happy with the proposed changes, go ahead and perform the sync.

8. With the initial synchronization complete, a periodic compare and sync could be run via a cronjob which runs the csync2 utility every 5 minutes. In the future, changes can be made to the synchronized files on your primary Walrus and these would be propogated to the other system by the cronjob. Add the following to /etc/cron.d/csync2 as root on the primary Walrus:

```
*/5 * * * * root csync2 -x
```

Configure VMware Support

After registering the VMware Broker, as described above, the Broker component will be activated, but will not be usable (i.e., listed as ENABLED) until it is configured with information about your VMware infrastructure. An unconfigured Broker is as good as a Cluster Controller with no Node Controllers to deploy virtual machines on. Until the Broker is properly configured, its logs (e.g., cloud-output.log) will contain a reminder of the fact:

```
| VMware Broker has not been configured (see euca-configure-vmware)
```

Configuration for the VMware Broker is described by an XML document. A minimal configuration, which would supply just enough information for the Broker to become usable, can be generated automatically, by answering a set of questions about your VMware endpoints. All further configuration must be done by editing the XML document manually, though with help from a validation mechanism. We recommend starting with a minimal configuration and editing the generated document to further expand it.

The steps for creating minimal and full-featured configurations, as well as for validating them, are described next. All these steps involve euca-configure-vmware command, which must be executed on the CC/Broker host. For authorization, the same type of credentials that other administrative euca- commands require must be supplied (e.g., via eucarc). If CLC and CC/Broker run on different hosts, the credentials may have to be copied from the CLC host to the CC/Broker host.

Minimal VMware Broker configuration

At the very least, a VMware Broker needs the IP addresses and access credentials of each VMware endpoint (either vCenter or ESX/ESXi host). To create a minimal configuration automatically, this information must be entered, for each endpoint, when prompted by euca-configure-vmware command. If the Broker has never been configured, the command will detect that and will ask for information upon invocation without any flags.

1. On the CC/Broker host, enter the following command:

```
| euca-configure-vmware
L______
```

The output of the above command prompts for the same parameters that the vSphere Client application, distribued by VMware, requests at startup.

2. Enter the requested parameters, making sure to specify just the IP addresses of VMware endpoints and not URLs. If you want to use vCenter, then enter the IP address of the vCenter server. If you do not want to use vCenter, then enter IP addresses of each ESX/ESXi host. We recommend using vCenter because it is easier to configure and can be more efficient.

```
Please, supply vSphere endpoint IP: 192.168.51.77
| Please, supply vSphere username: root
| Please, supply vSphere password:
| Do you want to enter another endpoint? [N]: y
| Please, supply vSphere endpoint IP: 192.168.51.78
```

```
| Please, supply vSphere username [root]:
| Please, supply vSphere password [*****]:
| Do you want to enter another endpoint? [N]: N
```

After entering all vSphere endpoint information, if the access credentials are correct, you should see output similar to the following:

```
| discovered 2 host(s)
| 192.168.51.78 login=root datastoreName=datastore1 (7)
| uploadViaHost=true network=VM Network
| 192.168.51.77 login=root datastoreName=datastore1 (6)
| uploadViaHost=true network=VM Network
```

If vCenter endpoint is entered, the output may list multiple ESX(i) hosts that were discovered by querying vCenter:

```
-----
Please, supply vSphere endpoint IP: 192.168.51.48
| Please, supply vSphere username: Administrator
Please, supply vSphere password:
Do you want to enter another endpoint? [N]:
discovered 7 host(s)
        192.168.51.175 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
        192.168.51.24 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1 (3)
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
        192.168.51.22 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1 (5)
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
        192.168.51.78 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1 (7)
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
        192.168.51.18 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1 (4)
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
        192.168.51.77 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1 (6)
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
        192.168.51.116 login=Administrator datastoreName=datastore1 (1)
 uploadViaHost=null network=VM Network
```

This process both generates the XML configuration and configures the Broker. From this point onward, invoking euca-configure-vmware with no parameters will cause the current configuration of the Broker to be validated. To make the new configuration active, the Broker must be restarted.

3. Restart the VMware Broker.

```
| service eucalyptus-cloud restart
```

Re-generating VMware Broker configuration

After the Broker has been configured, to generate a configuration again, one must use a two-step process:

1. On the CC/Broker host, use the --generate flag to create another configuration, which is saved in an XML file in the /tmp directory.

```
| euca-configure-vmware --generate
```

Note the path to the newly generated XML configuration that is printed by the command.

```
Please, supply vSphere endpoint IP: 192.168.51.116
Please, supply vSphere username: root
Please, supply vSphere password:
Do you want to enter another endpoint? [N]:
discovered 1 host(s)
```

```
192.168.51.116 login=root datastoreName=datastore1 (1)
| uploadViaHost=true network=VM Network
New config file was saved to /tmp/euca vmwarexsiVPj.xml
```

2. Modify the configuration in Broker's database by providing that file to euca-configure-vmware:

```
| euca-configure-vmware /tmp/euca_vmwarexsiVPj.xml
```

The XML document is validated by contacting the vSphere endpoints and some diagnostic information is reported.

```
| Network mode: MANAGED
| discovered 1 host(s)
      192.168.51.116 login=root datastoreName=datastore1 (1)
| uploadViaHost=true network=VM Network
```

3. Restart the VMware Broker.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud restart
```

Full-featured VMware Broker configuration

This section may be skipped if the minimal configuration produced automatically was sufficient to access all hypervisor nodes and the default names chosen for networks and datastores were adequate. If that is not the case, the configuration, in the form of an XML document, will have to be edited manually.

- **1.** There are two ways to edit the XML document:
 - By invoking euca-configure-vmware with --edit flag, which invokes an editor (as specified by the \$EDITOR environment variable, which must be set for the flag to work), with current configuration loaded in it, and updates the configuration when the editor terminates successfully.

```
euca-configure-vmware --edit
```

By editing an XML file out of band and providing euca-configure-vmware with the path to the file, which is then used to update the configuration of the Broker.

```
euca-configure-vmware /path/to/file.xml
```

In both cases, before the configuration is updated, the XML document is validated for correctness, both in terms of XML syntax and in the validity of information provided therein with respect to the VMware infrastructure (i.e., endpoints, access credentials, and any named resources, such as networks and datastores, are verified by requests to VMware).

```
Network mode: MANAGED
discovered 1 host(s)
   192.168.51.116 login=root datastoreName=datastore1 (1)
| uploadViaHost=true network=VM Network
```

2. Restart the VMware Broker.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud restart
```

The part of the document that describes vSphere endpoints can be hierarchical, reflecting the hierarchy of abstractions defined within vSphere: endpoints may contain datacenters, datacenters may contain clusters, and clusters may contain hosts. However, just as parts of the hierarchy are optional in vSphere (e.g., there may be one default datacenter and no clusters) the hierarchy is optional in the VMware Broker configuration.

The only required element is <endpoint/>, which must be enclosed by the <vsphere/> element, which in turn must be enclosed by the <configuration/> element. These requirements are satisifed by any minimal configuration, as generated by the steps described above. Minimal configurations typically look as follows:

```
<configuration>
<vsphere>
<endpoint
url="https://192.168.51.116/sdk"
login="root"
password="RSA/ECB/PKCS1PaddingDYGIG..."
discover="true"/>
</vsphere>
</configuration>
```

When other elements are present, however, they must be arranged relative to each other in a hierarchy. This hierarchy is shown in the following template, which describes all valid elements in a VMware Broker configuration and their attributes (some attributes are grouped into categories, namely CREDENTIALS and EXTRAS).

```
| <configuration>
    <vsphere cacheLimitMb="...." CREDENTIALS EXTRAS>
       <endpoint url="https://..." CREDENTIALS EXTRAS discover=BOOLEAN>
          <datacenter name="...." CREDENTIALS EXTRAS discover=BOOLEAN>
             <cluster name="...." CREDENTIALS EXTRAS discover=BOOLEAN>
                <host name="...." CREDENTIALS EXTRAS />
             </cluster>
          </datacenter>
       </endpoint>
    </usphere>
    <paths
       scratchDirectory="/path"
       scratchDirectoryLimitMb="..."
       cacheDirectory="/path"
      cacheDirectoryLimitMb="..."/>
 </configuration>
```

For example, if a <datacenter/> is specified, it must be contained by the <endpoint/> to which it belongs. Likewise, any <cluster/> must be contained within an <endpoint/>, if any. And so on. All endpoints must be contained by the single <vsphere/> element. These elements and attributes will be discussed below.

XML configuration attributes

Each <datacenter/>, <cluster/>, and <host/> element requires the 'name' attribute, which must match the name of that abstraction in vSphere; whereas <endpoint/> requires the 'url' attribute, which is normally the IP of a vSphere endpoint prefixed by https://.

CREDENTIALS and EXTRAS are categories of attributes. These attributes can be specified for any vSphere-related element with values propagating from higher-level elements to lower-level elements, where the values can be overridden selectively. For example, if one were to specify maxCores="4" in the <endpoint/> element, then all hosts belonging to that endpoint would advertise 4 cores instead of their actual number of physical cores. However, the lower-level parameter always overrides the higher-level parameter. So, if a <host/> specifies maxCores="8", that will override maxCores="4" specified in the <endpoint/> or <datacenter/> that contains it. This kind of inheritance of values with possibility of overriding applies to all attributes in CREDENTIALS and EXTRAS categories.

- EXTRAS attributes allow one to restrict Eucalyptus's behavior in several ways. By default, Eucalyptus will attempt to use all resources that it discovers, such as memory, cores, and storage space on a datastore. Furthermore, when multiple options are available, e.g., for a datastore or a network, it will make an arbitrary choice. With the following attributes, one can make the exact choices when desired:
 - 'datastore' name of the vSphere datastore to use (first one found by default).
 - 'network' name of the vSphere network to use (first one found by default).
 - 'maxCores' number of virtual cores to use on an ESX(i) host for Eucalyptus instances (same as physical cores by default).
 - 'maxMemMB' memory, in MB, to use on an ESX(i) host for Eucalyptus instances (same as physical RAM by default).
 - 'maxDiskMB' disk size, in MB, to use on a datastore for Eucalyptus instances (free space on the datastore by default).
 - 'uploadViaHost' upload VM disk contents directly to the ESX(i) host rather than through vCenter ("false" by default). This option is ignored when the endpoint is an ESX(i) host. The default behavior is to upload VM's disk files through vCenter. To avoid overloading the vCenter with I/O traffic, however, Eucalyptus can perform the upload directly to an individual host. In this case, if the credentials (login or password) for the host are different from vCenter credentials, they must be specified explicitly in one or more elements contained by the <endpoint/> (e.g., in each <datacenter/> or each <cluster/> or each <host/> element).

Three elements, <endpoint/>, <datacenter/>, and <cluster/>, may specify the boolean attribute 'discover' (with "true" and "false" as the only allowed values). Setting it to "true" implies that VMware Broker is allowed to add to its inventory any elements (clusters or hosts) contained therein even if they are not specified explicitly. Conversely, setting it to "false" implies that VMware Broker may not add to its inventory any containing elements that are not specified explicitly with <cluster/> or <host/> tags. If a host is not added to the inventory because discovery is forbidden and the host is not specified explicitly with a <host/> element, that incident will be reported as:

| DISALLOWED BY CONFIGURATION

Storage attributes

You can change disk locations and the size limits used by VMware Broker for constructing and caching of disk images.

- cacheLimitMb, the only attribute unique to the <vsphere/> element, specifies how much space Eucalyptus is allowed to use on vSphere, cumulatively across all datastores, for caching VM templates. The default value is 50GB.
- scratchDirectory and scratchDirectoryLimitMb attributes of the optional element <paths/> define where on the file system and how much space the VMware Broker may use for non-cacheable work. Default values are /var/lib/eucalyptus/vmware/tmp and 50GB, respectively.
- cacheDirectory and cacheDirectoryLimitMb attributes of the optional element <paths/> define where on the file system and how much space the VMware Broker may use for cacheable work. Default values are /var/lib/eucalyptus/vmware/cache and 50GB, respectively.

Set Up Security Groups

In Managed and Managed (No VLAN) networking modes, you must configure the system with parameters that define how Eucalyptus will allocate and manage virtual machine networks. These virtual machine networks are known as security groups. The relevant parameters are set in the eucalyptus.conf on all machines running a CC. These parameters are:

- VNET_SUBNET
- VNET NETMASK
- VNET ADDRSPERNET

The CC will read VNET_SUBNET and VNET_NETMASK to construct a range of IP addresses that are available to all security groups. This range will then be further divided into smaller networks based on the size specified in VNET_ADDRSPERNET. Note that Eucalyptus reserves eleven addresses per security group, so these networks will be smaller than the value specified in VNET_ADDRSPERNET.

The first time an instance runs in a given security group, Eucalyptus chooses an unused range of IPs of size specified in VNET_ADDRSPERNET. Eucalyptus then implements this network across all CCs. All instances that run within this given security group obtain a specific IP from this range.



Tip: Eleven of the IP addresses within each security group network are reserved for Eucalyptus to use as gateway addresses, broadcast address, etc. For example, if you set VNET_ADDRSPERNET to 32, there will be 21 free IPs that are available for instances running in that security group.

In Managed mode, each security group network is assigned an additional parameter that is used as the VLAN tag. This parameter is added to all virtual machine traffic running within the security group. By default, Eucalyptus uses VLAN tags starting at 2, going to a maximum of 4094. The maximum is dependent on how many security group networks of the size specified in VNET_ADDRSPERNET fit in the network defined by VNET_SUBNET and VNET_NETMASK.

If your networking environment is already using VLANs for other reasons, Eucalyptus supports the definition of a smaller range of VLANs that are available to Eucalyptus. To configure Eucalyptus to use VLANs within a specified range:

- 1. Choose your range (a contiguous range of VLANs between 2 and 4095).
- 2. Configure your cluster controllers with a VNET_SUBNET/VNET_NETMASK/VNET_ADDRSPERNET that is large enough to encapsulate your desired range. For example, for a VLAN range of 1024-2048, you could set VNET_NETMASK to 255.254.0.0 to get a large enough network (131072 addresses), and VNET_ADDRSPERNET to 64, to give 2048 possible VLANs.
- **3.** Configure your cloud controller to work within that range. Use the following commands to verify that the range is now set to be 2-2048, a superset of the desired range.

```
| euca-describe-properties | grep cluster.maxnetworktag
| euca-describe-properties | grep cluster.minnetworktag
```

4. Constrict the range to be within the range that the CC can support as follows:

```
| euca-modify-property -p cloud.network.global_max_network_tag=<max_vlan_tag> | euca-modify-property -p cloud.network.global_min_network_tag=<min_vlan_tag> |
```

This ensures that Eucalyptus will only use tags between 1024 and 2048, giving you a total of 1024 security groups, one VLAN per security group.



Tip: If VMs are already running in the system using a VLAN tag that is outside the range specified by global_min_network_tag-global_max_network_tag, that network will continue to run until all VMs within the network are terminated and the system removes reference to that network. Best practice is to configure these values in advance of running virtual machines.

Change the Administration Password

Change the default password for the administration user. You can do this using the euare-usermodloginprofile or by logging in to the Eucalyptus Administrator Console (https://[CLC_IP_address]:8443). The first time you log in to the console, you are prompted for a new password.

Read More

Eucalyptus has the following guides to help you with more information:

- The Administration Guide details ways to manage your Eucalyptus deployment. Refer to this guide to learn more
 about managing your Eucalyptus components, managing access to Eucalyptus, and managing Eucalyptus resources,
 like instances and images.
- The *User Guide* details ways to use Eucalyptus for your computing and storage needs. Refer to this guide to learn more about getting and using euca2ools, creating images, running instances, and using dynamic block storage devices.
- The CLI Reference Guide describes the Euca2ools commands. Refer to this guide for more information about required
 and optional parameters for each command.

Get Involved

The following resources can help you to learn more, connect with other Eucalyptus users, or get actively involved with Eucalyptus development.

- The Eucalyptus IRC channel is #eucalyptus on Freenode. This channel is used for real-time communication among users and developers. Information on *how to use the network* is available from Freenode.
- The Eucalyptus community mailing list is community@lists.eucalyptus.com. This list is used for user discussions, problem reports, and other communications. Information on how to subscribe is available at http://lists.eucalyptus.com/cgi-bin/mailman/listinfo/community

Appendix A: Upgrading Eucalyptus

To upgrade from Eucalyptus 3.1 to Eucalyptus 3.2.0, follow the directions detailed in this section. To upgrade from any other version of Eucalyptus, you should first upgrade to 3.1 following the directions in the previous Install Guide, and then upgrade to 3.2.0 using these directions.

Setting Block Storage Manager

In Eucalyptus 3.2, there are a variety of new block storage managers. After upgrading, you must specify the block storage manager for each zone before you can connect to the storage backend, as follows:

```
euca-modify-property -p [zone].storage.blockstoragemanager=[ebs_manager]
```

The ebs_manager should be one of the following options:

- das for DAS Manager
- san for SAN Manager
- equallogic for EqualLogic Provider
- netapp for Netapp Provider
- emc-vnx for EMC VNX Provider
- emc-vnx-flare31 for EMC VNX Provider running FLARE v5.31

See Configure the Storage Controller for more information.

Finding Backup Files

The upgrade process creates a backup to /var/lib/eucalyptus/upgrade/eucalyptus.backup.<timestamp>. For example:

```
/var/lib/eucalyptus/upgrade/eucalyptus.backup.1326905212
```

If the upgrade fails and needs to be reverted to your earlier version, you can find your preserved data in this directory.

Prepare the Configuration File

Complete the following steps to upgrade to Eucalyptus 3.2.0 on CentOS 6 or RHEL 6.



Important:

You should already have the repositories installed for euca2ools, EPEL, and ELRepo from your 3.1.x installation. If you do not have these installed, refer to the installation instructions to find out how to add these to your machines.

The steps in this section should be performed on all machines with Eucalyptus installed.

- 1. Remove any hand-written repository files for earlier versions of Eucalyptus and Euca2ools from /etc/yum.repos.d.
- 2. Install the new Eucalyptus release package on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/eucalyptus-release-3.2.noarch.rpm |
```

3. If you have a Eucalyptus subscription, you will have received a package that grants you access to VMware and SAN components. If you wish to use either of these components, install this package on each host that will run a Eucalyptus component with this command:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-release-3.2*.noarch.rpm
```

Shutdown Components

To shut down Eucalyptus components:

1. Terminate any running instances, as in the following example:

```
| euca-terminate-instances <instance01_id> <instance02_id>
```

2.

Tip:

The following is an example that scripts the individual steps to shut down Eucalyptus components noted in this section.

```
for x in $( euca_conf --list-nodes | tail -n +2 | awk '{ print $1 }');
do ssh root@$x "service eucalyptus-nc stop"; done
for x in $( euca_conf --list-clusters | tail -n +2 | awk '{ print $2 |
}'); do ssh root@$x "service eucalyptus-cc stop"; done
for x in $( euca_conf --list-scs | tail -n +2 | awk '{ print $2 }');
do ssh root@$x "service eucalyptus-cloud stop"; done
for x in $( euca_conf --list-walruses | tail -n +2 | awk '{ print $2 }');
}'); do ssh root@$x "service eucalyptus-cloud stop"; done
service eucalyptus-cloud stop";
```

If you don't have ssh keys set up, you'll have to type a lot of passwords during this.

Log in to an NC host and shut down the NC service.

```
service eucalyptus-nc stop
```

Repeat for each machine hosting an NC.

3. Log in to a CC host and shut down the CC service.

```
| service eucalyptus-cc cleanstop
```

Repeat for each machine hosting a CC.

4. Shut down the VMware Broker service on the CC host.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud stop
```



Tip: This command also shuts down a CLC, Walrus, and SC components co-located with the CC and VMware Broker to stop at the same time, in the correct order.

Repeat for each machine hosting the VMware Broker.

5. Log in to an SC host and shut down the SC service.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud stop
```

Repeat for any other machine hosting an SC.

6. Log in to the Walrus host and shut down the Walrus service.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud stop
```

7. Log in to the CLC host and shut down the CLC service.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud stop
```

Upgrade Eucalyptus Packages

Before upgrading Eucalyptus packages, we suggest fully updating your systems using yum update where possible.



Note: When using Walrus in a high availability (HA) configuration, *mount*(8) is now used for mounting and unmounting the DRBD device, instead of *mount*(2). If Walrus HA is configured, add an entry to the /etc/fstab to mount the DRBD device to /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits on both primary and secondary Walrus. For example, if the DRBD device in the Eucalyptus DRBD resource file is defined as /dev/drbd1 and the filesystem format is ext3, add the following line to /etc/fstab:

```
/dev/drbdl /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits ext3 noauto,owner 0 0
```

To upgrade Eucalyptus packages:

1. Enter the following command on each machine running a Eucalyptus component:

```
yum clean expire-cache
```

2. Enter the following command on each machine running a Eucalyptus component:

```
| yum update 'eucalyptus*'
```

If you have previously customized your configuration files, yum returns a warning, and installs the new configuration files with a different name. This preserves your customizations. Before you continue, customize and rename the new configuration files.



Tip: For larger deployments, use a script to upgrade the component host machines. For example:

```
| for host in 28 29 32 33 35 39 40; do echo 192.168.51.$host; ssh | 192.168.51.$host 'yum update $( rpm -qa | grep euca )'; done
```

3. On the CLC, run the following command:

```
yum groupinstall eucalyptus-cloud-controller
```

4. If you are a subscriber and use SAN, run the appropriate command for your device on each machine hosting a CLC:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-emc-libs
```

For EqualLogic SAN: no action needed

For NetApp SAN:

```
______
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-netapp-libs
```

5. If you are a subscriber and use SAN, run the appropriate command for your device on each machine hosting a SC:

For EMC SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-emc
```

For EqualLogic SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-equallogic
```

For NetApp SAN:

```
yum install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-netapp
```

Start Eucalyptus

1. In the CLC, enter the following command.

The process starts the database upgrade. Eucalyptus returns output similar to the following example.

```
Starting Eucalyptus services: Attempting database upgrade from 3.1.2
at /var/lib/eucalyptus/upgrade/eucalyptus.backup.1326904600...
                    UPGRADE INFORMATION
# Old Version: 3.1.2

# New Version: 3.2.0

# Upgrade keys: false

# Upgrade configuration: false

# Upgrade database: true

# Same version: false
                                           using:
                                           using:
                                           using: upgrade_db
                                           using:
 # Start upgrading: db
 Upgrading your database...
# Done upgrading: db
[debug:0387] redirecting stdout to //var/log/eucalyptus/startup.log
| and stderr to //var/log/eucalyptus/startup.log
```

Note: You might see some warnings in the output. These are a known issue.

2. Log in to the Walrus server and enter the following command:

```
service eucalyptus-cloud start
```

Eucalyptus returns output similar to the following example.

```
______
| Starting Eucalyptus services: Attempting database upgrade from 3.1.2
at /var/lib/eucalyptus/upgrade/eucalyptus.backup.1326905005...
            UPGRADE INFORMATION
# Old Version: 3.1.2
# Upgrade keys: false
# Upgrade configuration: false
# Upgrade database: true
# Same version: false
# Start upgrading
                                      using:
                                      using:
                                       using: upgrade_db
                                        using:
 # Start upgrading: db
 CLC is disabled. Skipping DB upgrade.
 # Done upgrading: db
[debug:0387] redirecting stdout to //var/log/eucalyptus/startup.log
and stderr to //var/log/eucalyptus/startup.log
```

3. If you are using Eucalyptus with VMware support, start the VMware Broker on the CC server by running the following command:

```
| service eucalyptus-cloud start
```

4. Log in to the CC server and enter the following:

```
| service eucalyptus-cc start
```

- **5.** If you have a multi-cluster setup, repeat the previous step for each cluster.
- **6.** Repeat for each CC server.
- 7. Log in to the SC server and enter the following command:

```
service eucalyptus-cloud start
```

Eucalyptus returns output similar to the following example>

```
| euca-modify-property -p [partition].storage.blockstoragemanager=[device]
```

[partition] should be set to the name of the partition on which the storage device is located. If you are not using subscription SAN support, [device] should be set to overlay. Otherwise, you must set this to the appropriate value for your SAN device, as follows:

- das for DAS Manager
- san for SAN Manager
- · equallogic for EqualLogic Provider
- netapp for Netapp Provider
- emc-vnx for EMC VNX Provider
- emc-vnx-flare31 for EMC VNX Provider running FLARE v5.31
- **9.** Log in to an NC server and enter the following command:

```
| service eucalyptus-nc start
```

10. Repeat for each NC server.

Verify the Components

Verify that all Eucalyptus components are running and properly connected to one another. Check to make sure that the status of each component is enabled.

To verify that all services are enabled:

1. Verify your Walruses:

```
| euca_conf --list-walruses
```

Eucalyptus returns a list, as in the following example.

```
WALRUS walrus walrus 192.168.51.28 ENABLED {}
```

2. Verify your CCs:

```
| euca_conf --list-clusters
```

Eucalyptus returns a list, as in the following example.

3. Verify your SCs:

```
euca_conf --list-scs
```

Eucalyptus returns a list, as in the following example.

```
| STORAGECONTROLLER test01 test01_sc 192.168.51.39 ENABLED {} | STORAGECONTROLLER test00 test00_sc 192.168.51.32 ENABLED {} |
```

4. Make sure that NCs are presenting available resources to the CC.

```
| euca-describe-availability-zones verbose |
```

The returned output should a non-zero number in the free and max columns, as in the following example.

Upgrade Credentials

All users' credentials will still work after the upgrade. However the new Eucalyptus access control commands will not work until you upgrade your credentials. Other users must updates theirs as well.

To update your credentials, perform the following steps.

1. Download new credentials.

```
| euca_conf --get-credentials <filename>
```

2. Unzip the credentials file.

```
unzip -o <filename>
```

Source the eucarc file.

```
| source eucarc
```

Dealing with Failed Upgrades

If for any reason your upgrade fails, all changes to the database and configuration files will be rolled back. You may re-attempt the upgrade by following the upgrade instructions in the sections entitled Shutdown Components and Upgrade Eucalyptus Packages above.

In the event that you choose not to go ahead with the upgrade after a failure, you may downgrade your installation back to the previous version. Please note that downgrade instructions are different depending on whether your Eucalyptus services are co-located or each run on their own machine. You will need to perform the downgrade for all services running on a single machine at the same time.

1. Downgrade to the Eucalyptus 3.1 release package on each host.

```
yum downgrade
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.1/centos/6/x86_64/eucalyptus-release-3.1.noarch.rpm |
```

2. If you have a Eucalyptus subscription, downgrade your subscription release package on each host to the release package you obtained for Eucalyptus 3.1.

```
yum downgrade eucalyptus-enterprise-3.1*.rpm
```

3. Expire the cache for the yum repositories on each host.

```
yum clean expire-cache
```

4. Log in to each NC host and downgrade it. To downgrade to a specific version, append the version number to each package name. For example, to downgrade to 3.1.1, add -3.1.1 to each of the packages in the following list:

```
yum downgrade eucalyptus eucalyptus-gl eucalyptus-admin-tools eucalyptus-nc | python-eucadmin
```



Important:

Use the yum shell command for the following instructions. This will allow you to perform more complex transactions that are required for the downgrade.

5. Log in to each machine running a Eucalyptus service and run the following command:

```
yum shell
```

6. Add the transaction commands listed below for each component installed on the machine. If more than one component asks you to use the same transactional command, you only need to specify that command once.

CLC Service Transaction Commands:

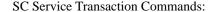
```
downgrade eucalyptus-cloud
downgrade eucalyptus
downgrade eucalyptus-common-java
remove eucalyptus-common-java-libs
downgrade eucalyptus-admin-tools
downgrade python-eucadmin
```

Additional CLC Service Transaction Commands for Eucalyptus Subscription customers:

```
| downgrade eucalyptus-enterprise-vmware-broker-libs
| remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common-libs
| install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-libs
```

CC Service Transaction Commands:

```
| downgrade eucalyptus-cc
| downgrade eucalyptus
| downgrade eucalyptus-gl
| downgrade eucalyptus-admin-tools
| downgrade python-eucadmin
```



```
| downgrade eucalyptus-sc
| downgrade eucalyptus
| downgrade eucalyptus-common-java
| remove eucalyptus-common-java-libs
| downgrade eucalyptus-admin-tools
| downgrade python-eucadmin
```

Walrus Service Transaction Commands:

```
downgrade eucalyptus-walrus
downgrade eucalyptus
downgrade eucalyptus-common-java
remove eucalyptus-common-java-libs
downgrade eucalyptus-admin-tools
downgrade python-eucadmin
```

SAN EMC Transaction Commands:

```
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-emc
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-emc-libs
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common-libs
install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san
install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san
```

SAN EqualLogic Transaction Commands:

```
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-equallogic
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common-libs
install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san
install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-libs
```

SAN NetApp Transaction Commands:

```
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-netapp
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-netapp-libs
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common
remove eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-common-libs
install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san
install eucalyptus-enterprise-storage-san-libs
```

VMWare Broker Transaction Commands:

```
| downgrade eucalyptus-enterprise-vmware-broker
| downgrade eucalyptus-enterprise-vmware-broker-libs
```

7. When all transaction commands have been entered run the following command to verify that the transaction will be successful:

		_	_	_		 _	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	 		 _	_	_		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_		ī
1	ts	S	0]	V	е																																			
ш	_	_	_	_	_	 _	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	 	 	 		_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_

8. Perform the downgrade by running the following command in the transaction shell:

			 -	-	-	_	_	_					_	_	-	_	-	_	-	_	_	-	_	-	_		_		_		_	_	_	
l r	ur.	1																																- 1

9.	Exit the transaction shell using the following command:
 	exit
10	Remove the /etc/eucalyptus/.upgrade file from each machine:
 	rm /etc/eucalyptus/.upgrade
	Enter y when prompted, to remove this file. It is important to remove this file from every Eucalyptus host.

Appendix B: Creating a Local Eucalyptus Package Repository

In certain situations (such as installing Eucalyptus from behind a firewall), you might need to install Eucalyptus from a local repository. This section augments the *standard installation instructions* with additional instructions for downloading and installing Eucalyptus from a local repository.

To install Eucalyptus from behind a firewall on CentOS 6 or RHEL 6:

1. Download the Eucalyptus repository to a local directory. For example:

```
| wget -r --no-parent \
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.2/centos/6/x86_64/ \
| -P /tmp/eucalyptus
```

2. Download euca2ools:

```
| wget -r --no-parent \
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/euca2ools/2.1/centos/6/x86_64/ \
| -P /tmp/euca2ools
```

3. In step 1 of the *existing installation instructions*, modify the baseurl to point to your Eucalyptus local repository:

```
| baseurl=file:///tmp/eucalyptus/downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.2/centos/6/x86_64 |
```

4. In step 2 of the *existing installation instructions*, modify the baseurl to point to your local Euca2ools repository:

```
| baseurl=file:///tmp/euca2ools/downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/euca2ools/2.1/centos/6/x86_64 |
```

5. Run yum update.

With Eucalyptus 3.2 users may register additional components to bring high availability to an existing cloud. This section provides instructions for registering additional Eucalyptus components (specifically Walrus) in an existing environment for the purpose of achieving high availability.



Important: Adding an additional Walrus will require downtime of your cloud platform.

Registering redundant components to your existing Eucalyptus installation will take your platform into a highly available configuration. Registering the Cloud Controller, Cluster Controller and Storage Controller (with SAN adapter only) is fairly trivial but adding an additional Walrus requires that the user configure DRBD for bukkit storage replication.

Before you begin, ensure that you have completed the following:

- Installed the same operating system on any additional server you will add for High Availability of a Eucalyptus component.
- Installed and configured Eucalyptus with matching configuration on any additional system you will be adding.
- If registering an additional Walrus, ensure you are able to move the contents of /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits/ to a temporary storage area.
- A block device (disk or partition) is available for use as a DRBD device. Consider using LVM for future growth.



Important: The configuration of Highly Available components must match. For more information, see *HA Planning*.

- 1. To register an additional Eucalyptus component please follow the instructions in *Registering Eucalyptus*.
- 2. Additional steps are required for adding another Walrus component. You will need to configure a DRBD device for the bukkit store. Start by shutting down the eucalyptus-cloud service on both Walrus servers.

```
service eucalyptus-cloud stop
```

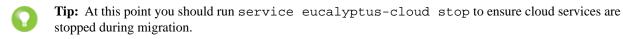
3. On the original primary system, copy the current contents of /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits to a temporary location.

```
cp -R --preserve /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits /newlocation/
```

- **4.** Configure your new DRBD device. For more information, see *Configure DRBD*. After you are finished configuring your device, move to the next step.
- **5.** On the primary Walrus, ensure the new DRBD resource is in a primary state before proceeding.

```
| drbd-overview
```

6. On the primary Walrus, copy the preserved contents of /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits from the temporary location to the new DRBD device.



```
cp -R --preserve /newlocation/* /var/lib/eucalyptus/bukkits/
```



Tip: If you are migrating large amounts of data, consider skipping initial device synchronization as explained in *Skipping Initial Device Synchronization*.

On the primary Walrus, monitor the state of the resource with drbd-overview to observe the sync. Data we be replicated until the resource is marked UpToDate/UpToDate.	vill not
drbd-overview	

8. With the synchronization complete, start the eucalyptus-cloud service to bring up Walrus.

Your HA environment is now ready.

Appendix D: Installing Standalone Euca2ools

This topic discusses how to perform a standalone installation of Euca2ools.

If you're running recent versions of Fedora, Debian, or Ubuntu, you can install Euca2ools using yum or apt.

If you're running RHEL/Centos, you can use the following instructions to install Euca2ools.

To perform a standalone installation of Euca2ools on RHEL/CentOS:

1. Configure the EPEL package repository:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/eucalyptus/3.1/centos/6/x86_64/epel-release-6.noarch.rpm |
```

2. Configure the Euca2ools package repository:

```
yum install
| http://downloads.eucalyptus.com/software/euca2ools/2.1/centos/6/x86_64/euca2ools-release-2.1.noarch.rpm |
```

3. Install Euca2ools:

```
yum install euca2ools
```

You've now performed a standalone installation of Euca2ools.

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