Configure SSH esxi

https://support.auvik.com/hc/en-us/articles/206311526-How-to-enable-SNMP-on-a-VMware-ESXi-hypervisor

How to enable SNMP on ESXi 6.x

1. SSH or Telnet to your ESXi node using root-level credentials.
2. Execute the following commands. Replace *YOUR\_STRING*with your desired community string.

esxcli system snmp set -r  
esxcli system snmp set -c YOUR\_STRING  
esxcli system snmp set -p 161  
esxcli system snmp set -L "City, State, Country"  
esxcli system snmp set -C [noc@example.com](mailto:noc@example.com)esxcli system snmp set -e yes

1. If you selected a community string other than public or private, enter that string into Auvik by following [these steps](https://support.auvik.com/hc/en-us/articles/204565824-#topic_add).
2. If in Step 2 you chose to “Apply these credentials to all devices we discover that meet the criteria below” ensure that:
   1. Device Type = All Device Types
   2. Vendor = All Vendors

You’re all done! Your VMware hypervisors will now be discovered by Auvik. If you haven’t already done so, you should now [add your VMware credentials](https://support.auvik.com/hc/en-us/articles/205932850-#topic_add) for your VMware hypervisors and hosts.

My settings

esxcli system snmp set -r

esxcli system snmp set -c contoso01

esxcli system snmp set -p 161

esxcli system snmp set -L "Portsmouth, Virginia, US"

esxcli system snmp set -C kevin.f.flowers@contoso01.com

esxcli system snmp set -e yes