

Install NX-OS software and RCF on Cisco Nexus 92300YC cluster switches

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The Cisco NX-OS software and reference configuration files (RCFs) must be installed on Cisco Nexus 92300YC cluster switches.

Before you begin

The following conditions must exist before you install the NX-OS software and Reference Configurations Files (RCFs) on the cluster switch:

- The cluster must be fully functioning (there should be no errors in the logs or similar issues).
- You must have checked or set your desired boot configuration in the RCF to reflect the desired boot images if you are installing only NX-OS and keeping your current RCF version.
- If you need to change the boot configuration to reflect the current boot images, you must do so before reapplying the RCF so that the correct version is instantiated on future reboots.
- You must have consulted the switch compatibility table on the Cisco Ethernet switch page for the supported ONTAP, NX-OS, and RCF versions.
- There can be command dependencies between the command syntax in the RCF and that found in versions of NX-OS.
- You must have referred to the appropriate software and upgrade guides available on the Cisco web site for complete documentation on the Cisco switch upgrade and downgrade procedures on the Cisco Nexus 9000 Series Switches page.
- · You must have the current RCF.

About this task

The examples in this procedure use two nodes. These nodes use two 10GbE cluster interconnect ports e0a and e0b.

See the Hardware Universe to verify the correct cluster ports on your platforms.



The command outputs might vary depending on different releases of ONTAP.

The examples in this procedure use the following switch and node nomenclature:

- The names of the two Cisco switches are cs1 and cs2.
- The node names are node1 and node2.
- The cluster LIF names are node1_clus1 and node1_clus2 for node1 and node2_clus1 and node2_clus2 for node2.
- The cluster1::*> prompt indicates the name of the cluster.



The procedure requires the use of both ONTAP commands and Cisco Nexus 9000 Series Switches commands; ONTAP commands are used unless otherwise indicated.

Steps

1. Change the privilege level to advanced, entering **y** when prompted to continue:

```
set -privilege advanced
```

The advanced prompt (*>) appears.

2. If AutoSupport is enabled on this cluster, suppress automatic case creation by invoking an AutoSupport message:

```
system node autosupport invoke -node * -type all -message MAINT=xh
```

where *x* is the duration of the maintenance window in hours.



The AutoSupport message notifies technical support of this maintenance task so that automatic case creation is suppressed during the maintenance window.

The following command suppresses automatic case creation for two hours:

```
cluster1:> **system node autosupport invoke -node * -type all -message
MAINT=2h**
```

3. Display how many cluster interconnect interfaces are configured in each node for each cluster interconnect switch: network device-discovery show -protocol cdp

| Node/ | Local | Discovered | | |
|----------|-------|--------------------------|-----------|----------|
| Protocol | Port | Device (LLDP: ChassisID) | Interface | Platform |
| | | | | |
| node2 | /cdp | | | |
| | e0a | cs1 | Eth1/2 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |
| | e0b | cs2 | Eth1/2 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |
| node1 | /cdp | | | |
| | e0a | cs1 | Eth1/1 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |
| | e0b | cs2 | Eth1/1 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |

- 4. Check the administrative or operational status of each cluster interface.
 - a. Display the network port attributes: network port show -ipspace Cluster

| cluster1: | :*> network p | ort show - | ipspace | Clust | ter | | | |
|------------|---------------|------------|---------|--------|--------|--------------|----------|--|
| Node: node | Node: node2 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | Speed (Mbps) | Health | |
| Port | IPspace | Broadcast | Domain | Link | MTU | Admin/Oper | Status | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| e0a | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | healthy | |
| e0b | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | healthy | |
| Node: node | o 1 | | | | | | | |
| Node: node | EI | | | | | Chood (Mbna) | uoal+h | |
| Dant | TD | D | D | T 2 1- | NACELI | Speed (Mbps) | | |
| Port | IPspace | Broadcast | Domain | Llnk | M.I.O | Admin/Oper | Status | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| 002 | Cluster | Clustor | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | hool+h;; | |
| | | | | _ | | | _ | |
| aub | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | пеаттпу | |
| 4 entries | were display | ed. | | | | | | |

 $\textbf{b. Display information about the LIFs:} \ \texttt{network interface show -} \textbf{vserver Cluster}$

| <pre>cluster1::*> network interface show -vserver Cluster</pre> | | | | | | |
|--|-----|-------------|------------|-------------------|---------|--|
| | | Logical | Status | Network | Current | |
| Current | Is | | | | | |
| Vserver | | Interface | Admin/Oper | Address/Mask | Node | |
| Port | Hom | е | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| | | _ | | | | |
| Cluster | | | | | | |
| | | node1_clus | l up/up | 169.254.209.69/16 | node1 | |
| e0a | tru | е | | | | |
| | | node1_clus2 | 2 up/up | 169.254.49.125/16 | node1 | |
| e0b | tru | е | | | | |
| | | node2_clus | l up/up | 169.254.47.194/16 | node2 | |
| e0a | tru | е | | | | |
| | | node2_clus2 | 2 up/up | 169.254.19.183/16 | node2 | |
| e0b | tru | е | | | | |
| 4 entries were displayed. | | | | | | |

5. Ping the remote cluster LIFs:

```
cluster1::*> cluster ping-cluster -node node2
Host is node2
Getting addresses from network interface table...
Cluster node1 clus1 169.254.209.69 node1
Cluster node1 clus2 169.254.49.125 node1
                                             e0b
Cluster node2 clus1 169.254.47.194 node2
                                             e0a
Cluster node2 clus2 169.254.19.183 node2
                                             e0b
Local = 169.254.47.194 169.254.19.183
Remote = 169.254.209.69 169.254.49.125
Cluster Vserver Id = 4294967293
Ping status:
Basic connectivity succeeds on 4 path(s)
Basic connectivity fails on 0 path(s)
Detected 9000 byte MTU on 4 path(s):
    Local 169.254.19.183 to Remote 169.254.209.69
    Local 169.254.19.183 to Remote 169.254.49.125
    Local 169.254.47.194 to Remote 169.254.209.69
    Local 169.254.47.194 to Remote 169.254.49.125
Larger than PMTU communication succeeds on 4 path(s)
RPC status:
2 paths up, 0 paths down (tcp check)
2 paths up, 0 paths down (udp check)
```

6. Verify that the auto-revert command is enabled on all cluster LIFs:

network interface show -vserver Cluster -fields auto-revert

Install the NX-OS software

You can use this procedure to install the NX-OS software on the Nexus 92300YC switch.

Steps

- 1. Connect the cluster switch to the management network.
- 2. Use the ping command to verify connectivity to the server hosting the NX-OS software and the RCF.

This example verifies that the switch can reach the server at IP address 172.19.2.1:

```
cs2# ping 172.19.2.1
Pinging 172.19.2.1 with 0 bytes of data:

Reply From 172.19.2.1: icmp_seq = 0. time= 5910 usec.
```

3. Copy the NX-OS software and EPLD images to the Nexus 92300YC switch.

```
cs2# copy sftp: bootflash: vrf management
Enter source filename: /code/nxos.9.2.2.bin
Enter hostname for the sftp server: 172.19.2.1
Enter username: user1
Outbound-ReKey for 172.19.2.1:22
Inbound-ReKey for 172.19.2.1:22
user1@172.19.2.1's password:
sftp> progress
Progress meter enabled
sftp> get /code/nxos.9.2.2.bin /bootflash/nxos.9.2.2.bin
/code/nxos.9.2.2.bin 100% 1261MB 9.3MB/s 02:15
sftp> exit
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
Copy complete.
cs2# copy sftp: bootflash: vrf management
Enter source filename: /code/n9000-epld.9.2.2.img
Enter hostname for the sftp server: 172.19.2.1
Enter username: user1
Outbound-ReKey for 172.19.2.1:22
Inbound-ReKey for 172.19.2.1:22
user1@172.19.2.1's password:
sftp> progress
Progress meter enabled
sftp> get /code/n9000-epld.9.2.2.img /bootflash/n9000-epld.9.2.2.img
/code/n9000-epld.9.2.2.img 100% 161MB 9.5MB/s 00:16
sftp> exit
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait) ...
Copy complete.
```

4. Verify the running version of the NX-OS software:

```
Cisco Nexus Operating System (NX-OS) Software

TAC support: http://www.cisco.com/tac

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Software
  BIOS: version 05.31
 NXOS: version 9.2(1)
 BIOS compile time: 05/17/2018
 NXOS image file is: bootflash://nxos.9.2.1.bin
 NXOS compile time: 7/17/2018 16:00:00 [07/18/2018 00:21:19]
Hardware
  cisco Nexus9000 C92300YC Chassis
  Intel(R) Xeon(R) CPU D-1526 @ 1.80GHz with 16337884 kB of memory.
 Processor Board ID FD0220329V5
 Device name: cs2
 bootflash: 115805356 kB
Kernel uptime is 0 day(s), 4 hour(s), 23 minute(s), 11 second(s)
Last reset at 271444 usecs after Wed Apr 10 00:25:32 2019
  Reason: Reset Requested by CLI command reload
  System version: 9.2(1)
  Service:
plugin
 Core Plugin, Ethernet Plugin
Active Package(s):
cs2#
```

5. Install the NX-OS image.

Installing the image file causes it to be loaded every time the switch is rebooted.

```
cs2# install all nxos bootflash:nxos.9.2.2.bin
Installer will perform compatibility check first. Please wait.
Installer is forced disruptive
Verifying image bootflash:/nxos.9.2.2.bin for boot variable "nxos".
[] 100% -- SUCCESS
Verifying image type.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS
Preparing "nxos" version info using image bootflash:/nxos.9.2.2.bin.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS
Preparing "bios" version info using image bootflash:/nxos.9.2.2.bin.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS
Performing module support checks.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS
Notifying services about system upgrade.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS
Compatibility check is done:
Module bootable Impact Install-type Reason
yes disruptive reset default upgrade is not
hitless
Images will be upgraded according to following table:
Module Image Running-Version(pri:alt
                                               New-Version
Upg-Required
_____
-----
 1 nxos
                                        9.2(1)
9.2(2)
           yes
 1 bios v05.31(05/17/2018):v05.28(01/18/2018)
v05.33(09/08/2018) yes
Switch will be reloaded for disruptive upgrade.
Do you want to continue with the installation (y/n)? [n] y
```

```
Install is in progress, please wait.

Performing runtime checks.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS

Setting boot variables.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS

Performing configuration copy.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS

Module 1: Refreshing compact flash and upgrading bios/loader/bootrom.
Warning: please do not remove or power off the module at this time.
[] 100% -- SUCCESS

2019 Apr 10 04:59:35 cs2 %$ VDC-1 %$ %VMAN-2-ACTIVATION_STATE:
Successfully deactivated virtual service 'guestshell+'

Finishing the upgrade, switch will reboot in 10 seconds.
```

6. Verify the new version of NX-OS software after the switch has rebooted:

http://www.opensource.org/licenses/gpl-2.0.php and

show version

cs2# show version Cisco Nexus Operating System (NX-OS) Software TAC support: http://www.cisco.com/tac Copyright (C) 2002-2018, Cisco and/or its affiliates. All rights reserved. The copyrights to certain works contained in this software are owned by other third parties and used and distributed under their own licenses, such as open source. This software is provided "as is," and unless otherwise stated, there is no warranty, express or implied, including but not limited to warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose. Certain components of this software are licensed under the GNU General Public License (GPL) version 2.0 or GNU General Public License (GPL) version 3.0 or the GNU Lesser General Public License (LGPL) Version 2.1 or Lesser General Public License (LGPL) Version 2.0. A copy of each such license is available at

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http://www.opensource.org/licenses/lgpl-2.1.php and
http://www.gnu.org/licenses/old-licenses/library.txt.
Software
 BIOS: version 05.33
 NXOS: version 9.2(2)
 BIOS compile time: 09/08/2018
 NXOS image file is: bootflash:///nxos.9.2.2.bin
 NXOS compile time: 11/4/2018 21:00:00 [11/05/2018 06:11:06]
Hardware
  cisco Nexus9000 C92300YC Chassis
  Intel(R) Xeon(R) CPU D-1526 @ 1.80GHz with 16337884 kB of memory.
  Processor Board ID FD0220329V5
 Device name: cs2
 bootflash: 115805356 kB
  Kernel uptime is 0 day(s), 0 hour(s), 3 minute(s), 52 second(s)
Last reset at 182004 usecs after Wed Apr 10 04:59:48 2019
  Reason: Reset due to upgrade
  System version: 9.2(1)
  Service:
plugin
  Core Plugin, Ethernet Plugin
Active Package(s):
```

7. Upgrade the EPLD image and reboot the switch.

| EPLD Device | | Version | | | |
|---|--|--|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| MI FPGA | | 0x7 | | | |
| IO FPGA | | 0x17 | | | |
| MI FPGA2 | | 0x2 | | | |
| GEM FPGA | | 0x2 | | | |
| GEM FPGA | | 0x2 | | | |
| GEM FPGA | | 0x2 | | | |
| GEM FPGA | | 0x2 | | | |
| cs2# install | epld bootfla | ash:n9000-epld.9 | 9.2.2.img mod | ule 1 | |
| Compatibility | y check: | | | | |
| | | Upgradable | Impact | | |
| 1 | | Yes | | | Upgradable |
| Required | | | g-Version N | | |
| Required | MI FPGA | | 0x07 | 0x07 | |
| Required 1 SUP 1 SUP | MI FPGA | | 0x07 0x17 | 0x07 0x19 | No Yes |
| Required 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP | MI FPGA IO FPGA MI FPGA2 | | 0x07 | 0x07 0x19 | No Ye: |
| Required 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP The above mod | MI FPGA IO FPGA MI FPGA2 dules require ill be reload | e upgrade. ded at the end o | 0x07 0x17 0x02 | 0x07 0x19 0x02 | No |
| Required 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP The above mod The switch with | MI FPGA IO FPGA MI FPGA2 dules require ill be reload to continue o upgrade Mod | e upgrade. ded at the end o (y/n) ? [n] y dules. | 0x07 0x17 0x02 | 0x07 0x19 0x02 | N Ye |
| Required 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP The above mod The switch with Do you want to Proceeding to Starting Module Module 1: Id Module 1 EPLI Module | MI FPGA IO FPGA MI FPGA2 dules require ill be reload to continue upgrade Mod ale 1 EPLD Up D FPGA [Prog: | e upgrade. ded at the end of (y/n) ? [n] y dules. pgrade ramming] : 100.0 successful. ade-Result | 0x07 0x17 0x02 of the upgrad | 0x07 0x19 0x02 | No Ye: No |
| Required 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP 1 SUP The above mod The switch with Do you want the Proceeding to Starting Module Module 1: IC Module 1 EPLI Module | MI FPGA IO FPGA MI FPGA2 dules require ill be reload to continue upgrade Mod ale 1 EPLD Up D FPGA [Prog: | e upgrade. ded at the end of (y/n) ? [n] y dules. pgrade ramming] : 100.0 successful. ade-Result | 0x07 0x17 0x02 of the upgrad | 0x07 0x19 0x02 | No Ye: No |

8. After the switch reboot, log in again and verify that the new version of EPLD loaded successfully.

| cs2# show version module 1 epld | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|--|--|--|--|
| EPLD Device | Version | | | | |
| MI FPGA | 0x7 | | | | |
| IO FPGA | 0x19 | | | | |
| MI FPGA2 | 0x2 | | | | |
| GEM FPGA | 0x2 | | | | |
| GEM FPGA | 0x2 | | | | |
| GEM FPGA | 0x2 | | | | |
| GEM FPGA | 0x2 | | | | |
| | | | | | |

Install the Reference Configuration File (RCF)

You can install the RCF after setting up the Nexus 92300YC switch for the first time. You can also use this procedure to upgrade your RCF version.

About this task

The examples in this procedure use the following switch and node nomenclature:

- The names of the two Cisco switches are cs1 and cs2.
- The node names are node1 and node2.
- The cluster LIF names are node1 clus1, node1 clus2, node2 clus1, and node2 clus2.
- The cluster1::*> prompt indicates the name of the cluster.



- The procedure requires the use of both ONTAP commands and Cisco Nexus 9000 Series Switches; ONTAP commands are used unless otherwise indicated.
- Before you perform this procedure, make sure that you have a current backup of the switch configuration.

Steps

1. Display the cluster ports on each node that are connected to the cluster switches: network devicediscovery show

| Node/ | Local | Discovered | | |
|-----------|-------|--------------------------|---------------|----------|
| Protocol | Port | Device (LLDP: ChassisID) | Interface | Platform |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| node1/cdp | | | | |
| | e0a | cs1 | Ethernet1/1/1 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |
| | e0b | cs2 | Ethernet1/1/1 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |
| node2/cdp | | | | |
| | e0a | cs1 | Ethernet1/1/2 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |
| | e0b | cs2 | Ethernet1/1/2 | N9K- |
| C92300YC | | | | |

- 2. Check the administrative and operational status of each cluster port.
 - a. Verify that all the cluster ports are up with a healthy status: network port show -ipspace Cluster

| cluster1: | :*> network p | ort show - | ipspace | Clust | ter | | |
|------------------|-----------------|------------|---------|-------|------|--------------|--------|
| Node: nod | e1 | | | | | | |
| Ignore | | | | | | Speed(Mbps) | Health |
| Health | | | | | | speed (mpps) | пеатсп |
| Port Status | IPspace | Broadcast | Domain | Link | MTU | Admin/Oper | Status |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | 0 |
| e0d | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | 0 |
| healthy f | alse | | | | | | |
| Node: nod | e2 | | | | | | |
| Ignore | | | | | | | |
| Health | | | | | | Speed (Mbps) | Health |
| Port | IPspace | Broadcast | Domain | Link | MTU | Admin/Oper | Status |
| Status | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| e0c healthy f | Cluster alse | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | 0 |
| _ | Cluster alse | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | 0 |

b. Verify that all the cluster interfaces (LIFs) are on the home port: network interface show -vserver Cluster

| cluster | 1::*> network interface | | | a . |
|---------|-------------------------|------------|----------------|---------|
| ~ . | Logical - | Status | Network | Current |
| Current | | - 1 / 2 | - 1 1 / 1 | , |
| | Interface | Admin/Oper | Address/Mask | Node |
| Port | | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Cluster | | | | |
| | node1_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.4/23 | node1 |
| e0c | true | | | |
| | node1_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.5/23 | node1 |
| e0d | true | | | |
| | node2_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.8/23 | node2 |
| e0c | true | | | |
| | node2_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.9/23 | node2 |
| e0d | true | | | |
| cluster | 1::*> | | | |

C. Verify that the cluster displays information for both cluster switches: system cluster-switch show -is-monitoring-enabled-operational true

cluster1::*> system cluster-switch show -is-monitoring-enabled -operational true Switch Type Address Model cluster-network 10.233.205.92 N9Kcs1 C92300YC Serial Number: FOXXXXXXXGS Is Monitored: true Reason: None Software Version: Cisco Nexus Operating System (NX-OS) Software, Version 9.3(4) Version Source: CDP cluster-network 10.233.205.93 N9Kcs2 C92300YC Serial Number: FOXXXXXXXGD Is Monitored: true Reason: None Software Version: Cisco Nexus Operating System (NX-OS) Software, Version 9.3(4)Version Source: CDP 2 entries were displayed.

3. Disable auto-revert on the cluster LIFs.

```
cluster1::*> network interface modify -vserver Cluster -lif * -auto
-revert false
```

4. On cluster switch cs2, shut down the ports connected to the cluster ports of the nodes.

```
cs2(config)# interface e1/1-64
cs2(config-if-range)# shutdown
```

5. Verify that the cluster ports have migrated to the ports hosted on cluster switch cs1. This might take a few seconds. network interface show -vserver Cluster

| | Logical | Status | Network | Current |
|--------|-------------|------------|----------------|---------|
| Curren | t Is | | | |
| Vserve | r Interface | Admin/Oper | Address/Mask | Node |
| Port | Home | | | |
| | | | | |
| | | | | |
| Cluste | r | | | |
| | node1_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.4/23 | node1 |
| e0c | true | | | |
| | node1_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.5/23 | node1 |
| e0c | false | | | |
| | node2_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.8/23 | node2 |
| e0c | true | | | |
| | node2_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.9/23 | node2 |
| e0c | false | | | |
| cluste | r1::*> | | | |

6. Verify that the cluster is healthy: cluster show

7. If you do not already have a current backup of the switch, you can save the current switch configuration by copying the output of the following command to a log file:

```
show running-config
```

- 8. Clean the configuration on switch cs2 and perform a basic setup.
 - a. Clean the configuration. This step requires a console connection to the switch.

```
cs2# write erase
Warning: This command will erase the startup-configuration.
Do you wish to proceed anyway? (y/n) [n] y
cs2# reload
This command will reboot the system. (y/n)? [n] y
cs2#
```

b. Perform a basic setup of the switch.

9. Copy the RCF to the bootflash of switch cs2 using one of the following transfer protocols: FTP, TFTP, SFTP, or SCP. For more information on Cisco commands, see the appropriate guide in the Cisco Nexus 9000 Series Switches guides.

This example shows TFTP being used to copy an RCF to the bootflash on switch cs2:

```
cs2# copy tftp: bootflash: vrf management
Enter source filename: /code/Nexus_92300YC_RCF_v1.0.2.txt
Enter hostname for the tftp server: 172.19.2.1
Enter username: user1

Outbound-ReKey for 172.19.2.1:22
Inbound-ReKey for 172.19.2.1:22
user1@172.19.2.1's password:
tftp> progress
Progress meter enabled
tftp> get /code/Nexus_92300YC_RCF_v1.0.2.txt /bootflash/nxos.9.2.2.bin
/code/Nexus_92300YC_R 100% 9687 530.2KB/s 00:00
tftp> exit
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
Copy complete.
```

10. Apply the RCF previously downloaded to the bootflash.

For more information on Cisco commands, see the appropriate guide in the Cisco Nexus 9000 Series Switches guides.

This example shows the RCF file Nexus 92300YC RCF v1.0.2.txt being installed on switch cs2:

```
cs2# copy Nexus 92300YC RCF v1.0.2.txt running-config echo-commands
Disabling ssh: as its enabled right now:
 generating ecdsa key(521 bits).....
generated ecdsa key
Enabling ssh: as it has been disabled
 this command enables edge port type (portfast) by default on all
interfaces. You
 should now disable edge port type (portfast) explicitly on switched
ports leading to hubs,
 switches and bridges as they may create temporary bridging loops.
Edge port type (portfast) should only be enabled on ports connected to a
single
host. Connecting hubs, concentrators, switches, bridges, etc... to
this
 interface when edge port type (portfast) is enabled, can cause
temporary bridging loops.
Use with CAUTION
Edge Port Type (Portfast) has been configured on Ethernet1/1 but will
only
have effect when the interface is in a non-trunking mode.
. . .
Copy complete, now saving to disk (please wait)...
Copy complete.
```

11. Verify on the switch that the RCF has been merged successfully:

show running-config

```
cs2# show running-config
!Command: show running-config
!Running configuration last done at: Wed Apr 10 06:32:27 2019
!Time: Wed Apr 10 06:36:00 2019
version 9.2(2) Bios:version 05.33
switchname cs2
vdc cs2 id 1
  limit-resource vlan minimum 16 maximum 4094
  limit-resource vrf minimum 2 maximum 4096
  limit-resource port-channel minimum 0 maximum 511
  limit-resource u4route-mem minimum 248 maximum 248
  limit-resource u6route-mem minimum 96 maximum 96
  limit-resource m4route-mem minimum 58 maximum 58
  limit-resource m6route-mem minimum 8 maximum 8
feature lacp
no password strength-check
username admin password 5
$5$HY9Kk3F9$YdCZ8iQJ1RtoiEFa0sKP5IO/LNG1k9C4lSJfi5kesl
6 role network-admin
ssh key ecdsa 521
banner motd #
  Nexus 92300YC Reference Configuration File (RCF) v1.0.2 (10-19-2018)
  Ports 1/1 - 1/48: 10GbE Intra-Cluster Node Ports
  Ports 1/49 - 1/64: 40/100GbE Intra-Cluster Node Ports
  Ports 1/65 - 1/66: 40/100GbE Intra-Cluster ISL Ports
```



When applying the RCF for the first time, the **ERROR: Failed to write VSH commands** message is expected and can be ignored.

12. Verify that the RCF file is the correct newer version: show running-config

When you check the output to verify you have the correct RCF, make sure that the following information is correct:

- The RCF banner
- The node and port settings
- Customizations The output varies according to your site configuration. Check the port settings and refer
 to the release notes for any changes specific to the RCF that you have installed.
- 13. After you verify the RCF versions and switch settings are correct, copy the running-config file to the startup-config file.

For more information on Cisco commands, see the appropriate guide in the Cisco Nexus 9000 Series Switches guides.

```
cs2# copy running-config startup-config
[] 100% Copy complete
```

14. Reboot switch cs2. You can ignore the "cluster ports down" events reported on the nodes while the switch reboots.

```
cs2# reload This command will reboot the system. (y/n)? [n] \bf y
```

- 15. Verify the health of the cluster ports on the cluster.
 - a. Verify that e0d ports are up and healthy across all nodes in the cluster: network port show
 -ipspace Cluster

| cluster1: | ::*> network p | oort show - | ipspace | Clus | ter | | |
|----------------|----------------|-------------|---------|------|------|--------------|---------|
| Node: nod | de1 | | | | | | |
| Ignore | | | | | | Speed(Mbps) | Health |
| Health | | | | | | op (p / | |
| Port Status | IPspace | Broadcast | Domain | Link | MTU | Admin/Oper | Status |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | healthy |
| e0b false | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | healthy |
| Node: nod | de2 | | | | | | |
| Ignore | | | | | | | |
| Health | | | | | | Speed (Mbps) | Health |
| | IPspace | Broadcast | Domain | Link | MTU | Admin/Oper | Status |
| | | | | | | | |
| | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | healthy |
| e0b false | Cluster | Cluster | | up | 9000 | auto/10000 | healthy |

b. Verify the switch health from the cluster (this might not show switch cs2, since LIFs are not homed on e0d).

cluster1::*> network device-discovery show -protocol cdp Local Discovered Protocol Port Device (LLDP: ChassisID) Interface ______ ____ _____ node1/cdp Ethernet1/1 N9Ke0a cs1 C92300YC e0b cs2 Ethernet1/1 N9K-C92300YC node2/cdp Ethernet1/2 N9Ke0a cs1 C92300YC Ethernet1/2 N9Ke0b cs2 C92300YC cluster1::*> system cluster-switch show -is-monitoring-enabled -operational true Switch Type Address Model _____________ cluster-network 10.233.205.90 N9Kcs1 C92300YC Serial Number: FOXXXXXXGD Is Monitored: true Reason: None Software Version: Cisco Nexus Operating System (NX-OS) Software, Version 9.3(4) Version Source: CDP cs2 cluster-network 10.233.205.91 N9K-C92300YC Serial Number: FOXXXXXXXGS Is Monitored: true Reason: None Software Version: Cisco Nexus Operating System (NX-OS) Software, Version 9.3(4)Version Source: CDP 2 entries were displayed.

You might observe the following output on the cs1 switch console depending on the RCF version previously loaded on the switch



```
2020 Nov 17 16:07:18 cs1 %$ VDC-1 %$ %STP-2-

UNBLOCK_CONSIST_PORT: Unblocking port port-channel1 on

VLAN0092. Port consistency restored.

2020 Nov 17 16:07:23 cs1 %$ VDC-1 %$ %STP-2-BLOCK_PVID_PEER:

Blocking port-channel1 on VLAN0001. Inconsistent peer vlan.

2020 Nov 17 16:07:23 cs1 %$ VDC-1 %$ %STP-2-BLOCK_PVID_LOCAL:

Blocking port-channel1 on VLAN0092. Inconsistent local vlan.
```

16. On cluster switch cs1, shut down the ports connected to the cluster ports of the nodes.

The following example uses the interface example output from step 1:

```
cs1(config)# interface e1/1-64
cs1(config-if-range)# shutdown
```

17. Verify that the cluster LIFs have migrated to the ports hosted on switch cs2. This might take a few seconds.

network interface show -vserver Cluster

| cluster | 1::*> network interf | ace show -vs | erver Cluster | |
|---------|----------------------|--------------|----------------|---------|
| | Logical | Status | Network | Current |
| Current | Is | | | |
| Vserver | Interface | Admin/Oper | Address/Mask | Node |
| Port | Home | | | |
| | | | | - |
| | | | | |
| Cluster | | | | |
| | node1_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.4/23 | node1 |
| e0d | false | | | |
| | node1_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.5/23 | node1 |
| e0d | true | | | |
| | node2_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.8/23 | node2 |
| e0d | false | | | |
| | node2_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.9/23 | node2 |
| e0d | true | | | |
| cluster | 1::*> | | | |
| | | | | |

18. Verify that the cluster is healthy: cluster show

- 19. Repeat Steps 7 to 14 on switch cs1.
- 20. Enable auto-revert on the cluster LIFs.

```
cluster1::*> network interface modify -vserver Cluster -lif * -auto
-revert True
```

21. Reboot switch cs1. You do this to trigger the cluster LIFs to revert to their home ports. You can ignore the "cluster ports down" events reported on the nodes while the switch reboots.

```
cs1# reload This command will reboot the system. (y/n)? [n] {\bf y}
```

22. Verify that the switch ports connected to the cluster ports are up.

23. Verify that the ISL between cs1 and cs2 is functional: show port-channel summary

24. Verify that the cluster LIFs have reverted to their home port: network interface show -vserver Cluster

| <pre>cluster1::*> network interface show -vserver Cluster</pre> | | | | | |
|--|-----|-------------|------------|----------------|---------|
| | | Logical | Status | Network | Current |
| Current | Is | | | | |
| Vserver | | Interface | Admin/Oper | Address/Mask | Node |
| Port | Hom | е | | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | _ | | | |
| Cluster | | | | | |
| | | node1_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.4/23 | node1 |
| e0d | tru | е | | | |
| | | node1_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.5/23 | node1 |
| e0d | tru | е | | | |
| | | node2_clus1 | up/up | 169.254.3.8/23 | node2 |
| e0d | tru | е | | | |
| | | node2_clus2 | up/up | 169.254.3.9/23 | node2 |
| e0d | tru | е | | | |
| cluster1::*> | | | | | |
| | | | | | |

25. Verify that the cluster is healthy: cluster show

26. Ping the remote cluster interfaces to verify connectivity: cluster ping-cluster -node local

```
cluster1::*> cluster ping-cluster -node local
Host is node1
Getting addresses from network interface table...
Cluster nodel clus1 169.254.3.4 node1 e0a
Cluster node1 clus2 169.254.3.5 node1 e0b
Cluster node2 clus1 169.254.3.8 node2 e0a
Cluster node2 clus2 169.254.3.9 node2 e0b
Local = 169.254.1.3 169.254.1.1
Remote = 169.254.1.6 169.254.1.7 169.254.3.4 169.254.3.5 169.254.3.8
169.254.3.9
Cluster Vserver Id = 4294967293
Ping status:
. . . . . . . . . . . .
Basic connectivity succeeds on 12 path(s)
Basic connectivity fails on 0 path(s)
Detected 9000 byte MTU on 12 path(s):
   Local 169.254.1.3 to Remote 169.254.1.6
   Local 169.254.1.3 to Remote 169.254.1.7
   Local 169.254.1.3 to Remote 169.254.3.4
   Local 169.254.1.3 to Remote 169.254.3.5
   Local 169.254.1.3 to Remote 169.254.3.8
   Local 169.254.1.3 to Remote 169.254.3.9
   Local 169.254.1.1 to Remote 169.254.1.6
   Local 169.254.1.1 to Remote 169.254.1.7
   Local 169.254.1.1 to Remote 169.254.3.4
   Local 169.254.1.1 to Remote 169.254.3.5
   Local 169.254.1.1 to Remote 169.254.3.8
    Local 169.254.1.1 to Remote 169.254.3.9
Larger than PMTU communication succeeds on 12 path(s)
RPC status:
6 paths up, 0 paths down (tcp check)
6 paths up, 0 paths down (udp check)
```

For ONTAP 9.8 and later

For ONTAP 9.8 and later, enable the cluster switch health monitor log collection feature for collecting switch-related log files, using the commands: system switch ethernet log setup-password and system switch ethernet log enable-collection

Enter: system switch ethernet log setup-password

```
cluster1::*> system switch ethernet log setup-password
Enter the switch name: <return>
The switch name entered is not recognized.
Choose from the following list:
cs1
cs2
cluster1::*> system switch ethernet log setup-password
Enter the switch name: cs1
RSA key fingerprint is e5:8b:c6:dc:e2:18:18:09:36:63:d9:63:dd:03:d9:cc
Do you want to continue? {y|n}::[n] y
Enter the password: <enter switch password>
Enter the password again: <enter switch password>
cluster1::*> system switch ethernet log setup-password
Enter the switch name: cs2
RSA key fingerprint is 57:49:86:a1:b9:80:6a:61:9a:86:8e:3c:e3:b7:1f:b1
Do you want to continue? {y|n}:: [n] y
Enter the password: <enter switch password>
Enter the password again: <enter switch password>
```

Followed by: system switch ethernet log enable-collection

```
cluster1::*> system switch ethernet log enable-collection

Do you want to enable cluster log collection for all nodes in the cluster?
{y|n}: [n] y

Enabling cluster switch log collection.

cluster1::*>
```

For ONTAP 9.4 and later

For ONTAP 9.4 and later, enable the cluster switch health monitor log collection feature for collecting switch-related log files using the commands:

 $\verb|system| cluster-switch| log| setup-password| \verb|and| system| cluster-switch| log| enable-collection|$

Enter: system cluster-switch log setup-password

```
cluster1::*> system cluster-switch log setup-password
Enter the switch name: <return>
The switch name entered is not recognized.
Choose from the following list:
cs1
cs2
cluster1::*> system cluster-switch log setup-password
Enter the switch name: cs1
RSA key fingerprint is e5:8b:c6:dc:e2:18:18:09:36:63:d9:63:dd:03:d9:cc
Do you want to continue? {y|n}::[n] y
Enter the password: <enter switch password>
Enter the password again: <enter switch password>
cluster1::*> system cluster-switch log setup-password
Enter the switch name: cs2
RSA key fingerprint is 57:49:86:a1:b9:80:6a:61:9a:86:8e:3c:e3:b7:1f:b1
Do you want to continue? \{y|n\}:: [n] y
Enter the password: <enter switch password>
Enter the password again: <enter switch password>
```

Followed by: system cluster-switch log enable-collection

```
cluster1::*> system cluster-switch log enable-collection

Do you want to enable cluster log collection for all nodes in the cluster?
{y|n}: [n] y

Enabling cluster switch log collection.

cluster1::*>
```



If any of these commands return an error, contact NetApp support.

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