

Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab

Application Notes for interoperability between Data Track Eclipse Call Management System Version 1.32.2.3 and Avaya Communication Server 1000 Release 7.5 – Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe a solution comprised of Avaya Communication Server 1000 Release 7.5 and Eclipse Call Management System Version 1.32.2.3. During the compliance testing, the Eclipse Call Management System was able to utilize the Avaya Data Buffering and Access tool kit version 1.05 to collect the call records from the Avaya Communication Server 1000 and then extract these call records from the raw database and generate customer call accounting reports.

Information in these Application Notes has been obtained through DevConnect compliance testing and additional technical discussions. Testing was conducted via the DevConnect Program at the Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab.

1. Introduction

Eclipse Call Management System allows user to log, analyze and report on all incoming, outgoing and internal telecommunication traffic on a telephone network in an organisation. It can interface with most telephone systems, in particular, with the Avaya Communication Server 1000, to collect and interpret the detailed records of inbound, outbound, tandem, and internal telephone calls. It then calculates the appropriate charge for local, long distance, international & special calls and allocates them to responsible parties.

The solution comprised of the Eclipse Call Management System (hereafter referred to as Eclipse CMS), which is running on Window server 2003 Operating System 32 bit with Service Pack 2. Co-resident with the Eclipse CMS application is the Avaya Data Buffering and Access (DBA) toolkit version 1.05, which is connected to the Communication Server 1000 (hereafter referred to as CS 1000). This DBA tool kit extracts the raw data from the DBA buffer of the CS 1000 and populates it into a database file image ready for processing.

2. General Test Approach and Test Results

The general test approach was to verify the Avaya DBA tool kit on the Eclipse CMS server which communicates directly to the CS 1000 via network connectivity. Execute the DBA tool kit application to collect the raw CDR (Call Detail Recording) from the DBA buffer of the CS 1000. Run the Eclipse CMS application to pull the raw call records from the database file and then generate the accounting reports using Eclipse CMS Reporting.

2.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The focus of this compliance testing was to verify that the Eclipse CMS system can interface with an Avaya Communication Server 1000 telephone switching system and process their call records.

This interface will use the CS 1000 Data Buffering and Access (DBA) Toolkit pre-installed in the Eclipse CMS server to receive the Call Detail Recording (CDR) from the CS 1000 over the IP network. The Eclipse CMS application will then use the Eclipse Collection Manager to pull out the raw call records from the DBA Toolkit.

The following areas were covered in this compliant testing:

- CDR collection via Data Buffering and Access.
- Power loss and disconnect from network.
- Add CS 1000 site via Eclipse Collection Manager.
- Process and report on Incoming, Outgoing, Internal, Conference, Transfer and Tandem calls.

2.2. Test Results

The objectives outlined in the **Section 2.1** were verified and met. All test cases were executed and were passed.

2.3. Support

Technical support for the Eclipse CMS application can be obtained by contacting the Data Track Technologies Inc via email at support@dtrack.com or by calling +44 (0) 1425 282020.

For technical support for the Avaya Communication Server 1000, and Avaya products in general, please refer to www.Avaya.com. On the Avaya website there are support hotline numbers specific to a country.

3. Reference Configuration

Figure 1 illustrates the network diagram configuration used during the compliant testing between the Eclipse CMS application and the Avaya Communication Server 1000 Release 7.5.

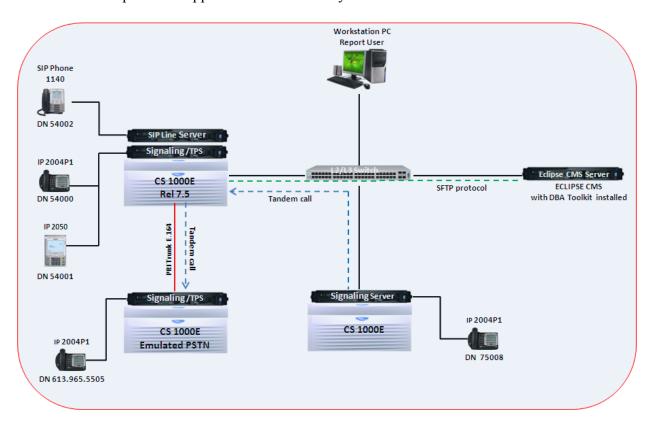


Figure 1: Network Diagram Configuration

4. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software were used during the lab testing:

Equipment	Software Version
Avaya CS1000E	Call Server (CPPM): 7.50Q
	Signaling Server (CPPM): 7.50.17
Avaya IP Soft Phone 2050	3.04.0003
Avaya IP Phone 1140	0625C6O
Avaya IP Phone 2004P2	0692D93
Avaya IP Phone 2002P2	0604DC5
Avaya DBA Toolkit	1.0.5
Data Track Eclipse CMS	1.32.2.3
Data Track Eclipse CMS OS	Windows 2003 32bit Standard SP2
Workstation OS	Windows Vista 32bit SP1

Note that the current version of the DBA Toolkit requires a 32-bit Operating System. For a list of supported Operating Systems see [1].

5. Configure Avaya Communication Server 1000

This section provides steps on how to configure the CDR feature on CS 1000. This document assumes that the Avaya CS 1000 was properly installed and configured as per the product document. For more information about how to install, configure and administer CS 1000 please refer to **Section 10[1]**.

To enable and set the password for the DBA FTP user on the CS 1000 Co-res system, log in to the command line interface (CLI) of Linux base of the Call Server as an administrator and issue the two commands below:

- harden dba on → to enable DBA SFTP account
- harden dba passwd → to set password for NT S TM DBA user.

Figure 2 below shows the example of how these commands were executed in the CS 1000 Cores system.

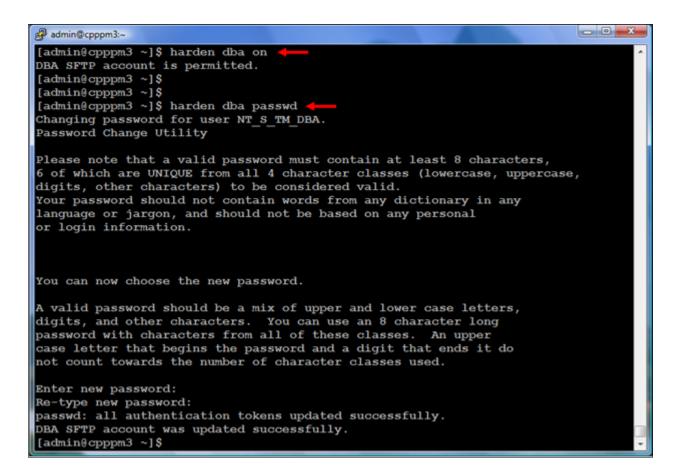


Figure 2: Enable and set password for DBA FTP account

In order for the Call Server Co-res system to allow the DBA tool kit application to connect to its CDR database, the IP address of the server where DBA Toolkit was installed needs to be added in the **Route** table of the **Base Manager** of the Call server. To do that, launch the **Unified Communication Management** (UCM) webpage where the Call Server Co-res system was registered to, and from the UCM webpage click on Call Server element link to launch the **Base Manager** Webpage of the Call Server as shown in **Figures 3** and **4**.

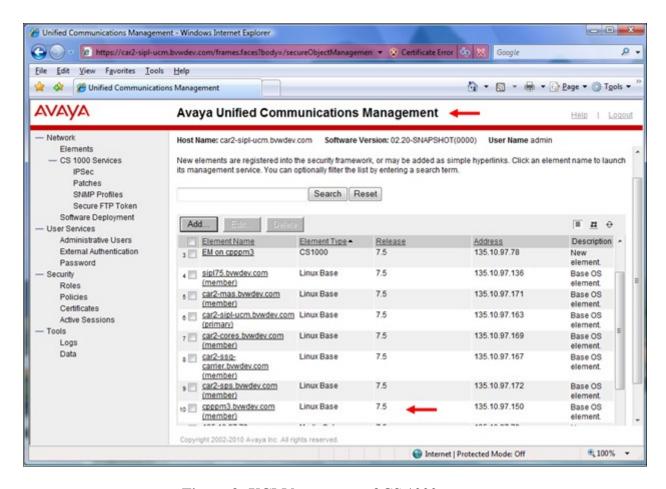


Figure 3: UCM homepage of CS 1000 system

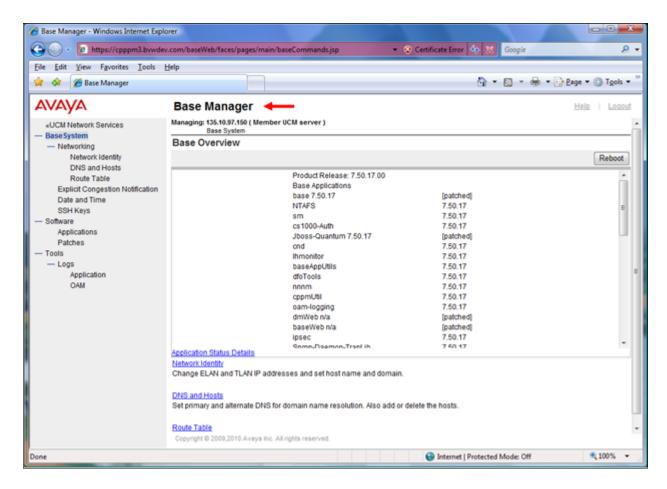


Figure 4: Base Manager Webpage of Call server in the CS 1000 Co-res system

To add a route in Call Server for the CS 1000 Co-res system, on the left menu of the **Base**Manager webpage, navigate to **Base System > Networking > Route Table**, the **Route Table**appears on the right side of the **Base Manager** webpage (not shown), and click on the **Add**button and enter the IP address of the server where the DBA Toolkit was installed as shown in **Figure 5**.

Click on the **Save** button to effect this change.

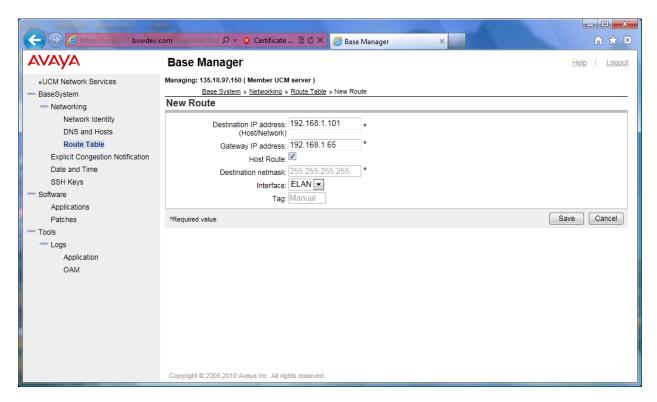


Figure 5: Sample of adding route in Call Sever for CS1000 Cores system

To enable the CDR feature, log in to the CLI of the Call Server as an administrator and issue overlay command (LD) 15 as shown below.

LD 15 REQ CHG TYPE CDR_DATA CDR YES BDI YES

Figure 6 shows sample of output CDR data set on CS 1000.

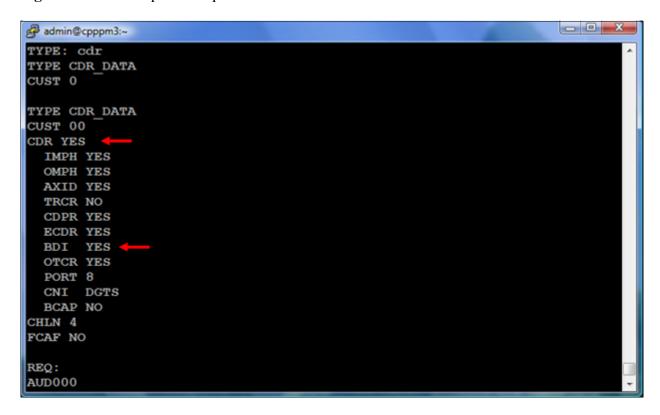


Figure 6: Sample of output of CDR data on CS1000

Configuring CS 1000 to generate the CDR with new format, log in to the CLI of the Call Server and issue overlay command (LD) 17 as below.

LD 17 REQ CHG TYPE PARM FCDR NEW

Figure 7 shows the sample of output of CS 1000 system parameters.



Figure 7: Sample of output of CS100 system parameters

To enable buffering for CDR data on the CS 1000, log in to the CLI of the Call Server and issue the overlay command (LD) 117 as shown in Figure 8.

LD 117 ==> ENL BUF CDR

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OAM000

=> stat buf
CDR ENL
TRF DIS
STN DIS
Storage space is 0.9% full
Connected to 192.168.1.101

=>
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Figure 8: Sample of enabling buffer for CDR on CS 1000

To configure CDR in the Route Data Block (RDB), log in to the CLI of the Call Server and issue overlay command (**LD**) **16** and enter values in the fields that are highlighted in the red box as shown in **Figure 9**.

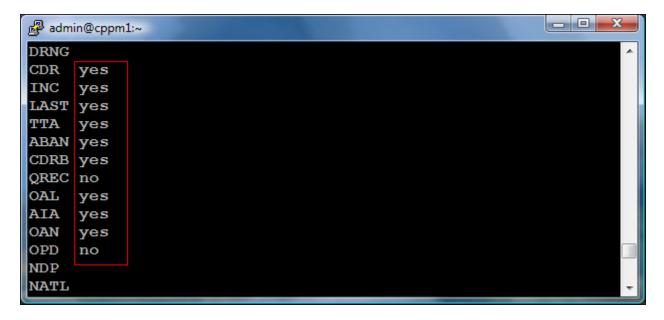


Figure 9: Sample of configuring CDR in the RDB

To enable IP Phone for the CDR feature, log in to the CLI of the CS 1000, issue overlay command (**LD**) 11 and enable the class of services for the CDR feature as shown below:

LD 11
REQ CHG
TYPE <IP Phone Type>
ECHG YES
ITEM CLS ABDA CMDA ICDA

ABDA → Abandoned call record and Time to Answer Allowed CDMA → Call Detail Monitoring Allowed (Station activity Call Detail Recording) ICDA → Internal Call Detail Recording Allowed

6. Configure Avaya DBA Toolkit

These Application Notes assumes that the DBA Toolkit application was properly installed. This section provides steps on how to configure the DBA Toolkit application which connects to the CS 1000 system.

To open the DBA application, on the server where the DBA Toolkit application was installed, navigate to the folder C:\Programs File\Avaya Inc\DBA and double click on the dba.exe to launch the DBA application, the *Data Buffering & Access* window appears as shown in Figure 10.

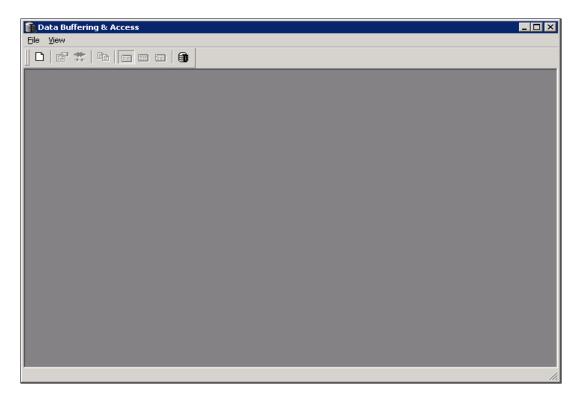


Figure 10: Main window of DBA application

To create new session on the DBA Toolkit application, from the *Data Buffering and Access* window, navigate to the menu **File > New Session**, the *New Session* window appears as shown in **Figure 11**. Enter the IP address of the Call Server system that the DBA application is going to connect to, the Call Sever 1000 **User ID** and **Password** and the **FTP Username** *NT_S_TM_DBA* and **FTP Password** that was created in **Section 5** above.

Click on the Connect Now button to connect to the CS 1000 system.

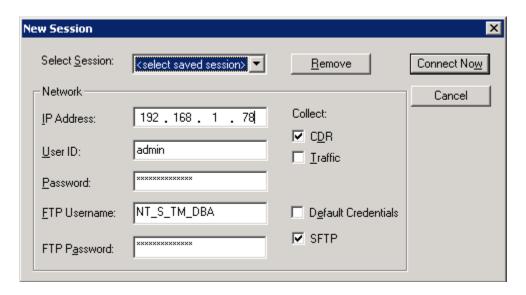
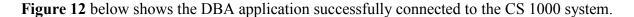


Figure 11: Configure DBA connecting to CS 1000



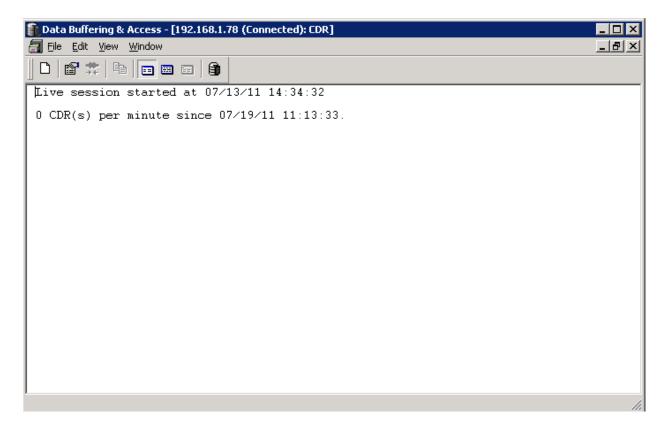


Figure 12: The connection status of DBA with CS 1000

To verify the CDR feature and call records on the CS 1000 system can be outputted to the DBA Toolkit, place some phone calls, wait at least one minute after polling completes and observe these calls were successfully outputted as shown in **Figure 13** below.

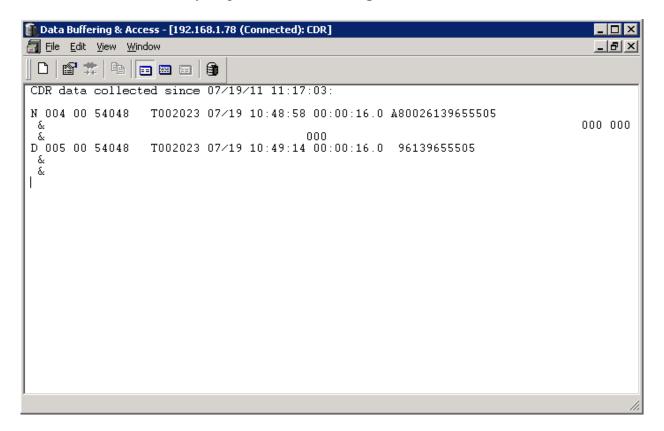


Figure 13: Sample of call records outputted to DBA Toolkit

7. Configure Eclipse CMS

This document assumes that the Eclipse CMS application was properly installed and configured by a Data Track engineer. This section provides steps on how to configure the Eclipse Collection Manager, CMS, and generate reports. For more information on how to install and configure the Eclipse CMS, please refer to **Section 10[2]**.

7.1. Configure Eclipse Collection Manager

To configure the Eclipse Collection Manager, from the server which the Eclipse CMS software is installed, navigate to the menu **Start > All Programs > Eclipse III CMS > Eclipse Collection Manager**, the **Connect Menu** window appears as shown in **Figure 14** below. Enter the username **admin** and its password in the **Username** and **Password** boxes to log in.



Figure 14: The Connect Menu of the Eclipse Collection Manager

The Collection Manager window appears as shown in Figure 15 below.

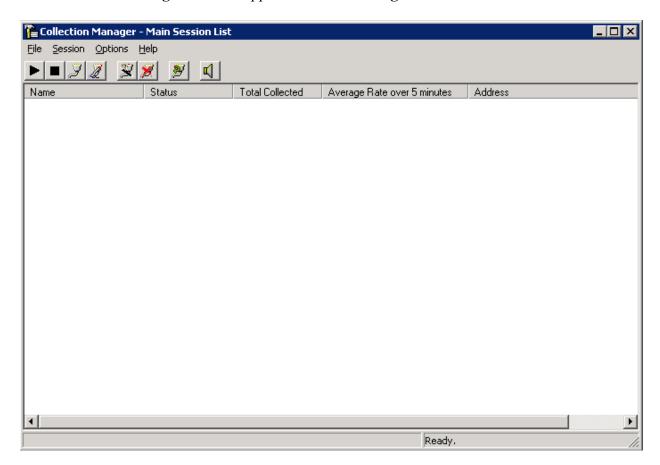


Figure 15: The Collection Manager window

To create a new session, from the Connection Manager window, navigate to the menu Session > New Session, and the Add Session window appears as shown in Figure 16.

- In the Session Name, enter the description name for the session, as in this example it is set to **Avaya CS1000 Test**.
- In the **Type** field, select type of collection in the drop down list. Set to **File Collection** in this example since the Eclipse collects file from the DBA ToolKit.
- Click on the **Next** button to continue.

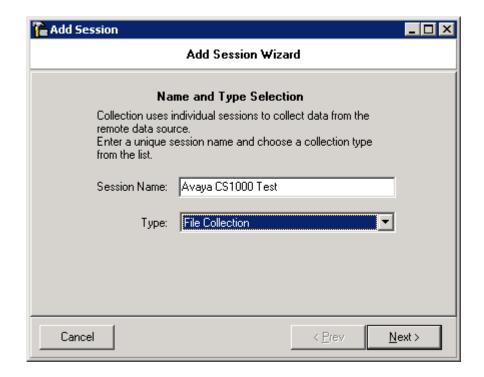


Figure 16: The Add Session window

The **Site Entry** section of Add Session appears as shown in **Figure 17**. Enter a name in the **Site Code** field, which is set to **TEST** in this example. Click on the **Next** button to continue.

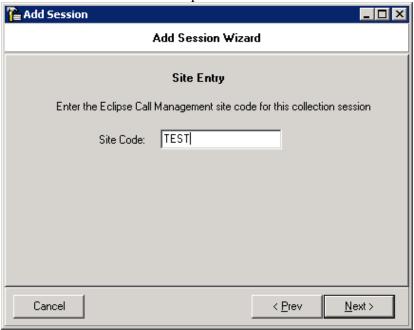


Figure 17: The site Entry section of Add Session window

In the File Collection Options section of Add Session Wizard as shown in Figure 18, select Avaya CS1K in the File Collection Type drop down menu and in the File Folder field browse to the folder where the DBA Toolkit saves its raw CDR file, example in this case is C:\Program Files\Avaya Inc\DBA\192.168.1.78. Click on the Next button to continue.

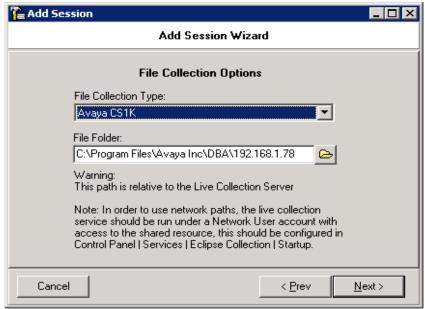


Figure 18: The File Collection Options section of Add Session window
In the Raw File Options section of Add Session Wizard as shown in Figure 19, in the Raw
File Folder field enter the output folder for Eclipse raw files, where the call management system
will process them. In this example, the path is D:\Program Files\Eclipse\Org***\Site\TEST,
where *** is the customers organisation code. Click on the Next button to continue.



Figure 19: The Raw File Options section of Add Session window

In the Collection Session Startup Options section of Add Session Wizard as shown in Figure 20, select the Enable option radio button to enable this session when Eclipse Collection starts up. Click on the Finish button to complete addition of this new session.



Figure 20: The Collection Session Startup Options section of Add Session window

The **Figure 21** below shows that the session above has been successfully added and it is now collecting the data from the DBA Toolkit's folder.

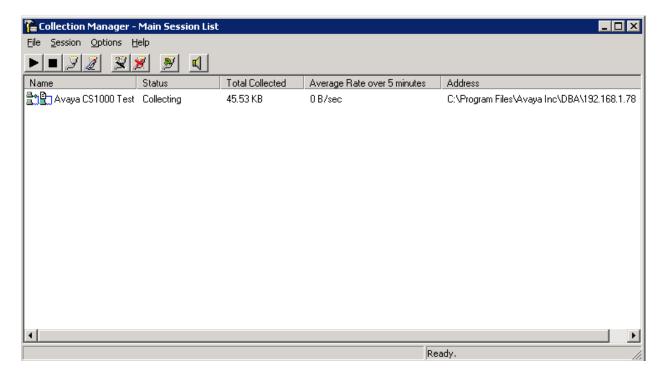


Figure 21: The new session has been added

7.2. Configure Eclipse CMS

To configure Eclipse CMS, navigate to menu **Start > All Programs > Eclipse III CMS > Eclipse Configuration**, the **Eclipse Configuration** window appears as shown in **Figure 22**.

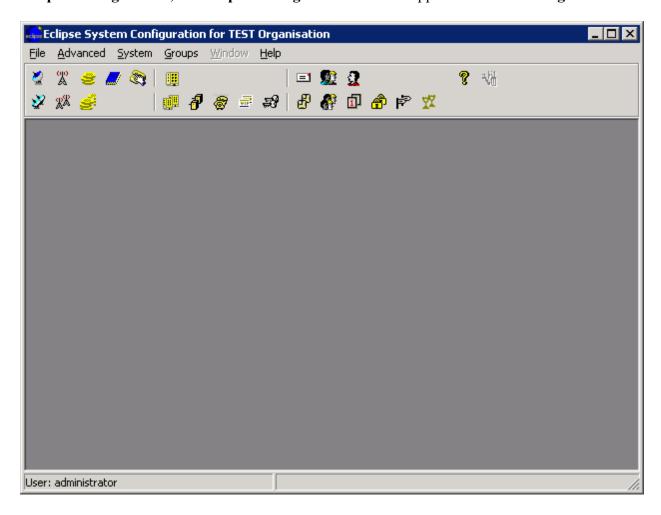


Figure 22: The Eclipse System Configuration window

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Trunk Alias TEST CS1K75_Bot None UK Standard Rates Avaya/Communication Server 1000/Release 7.5+ (NEW format) Extensions
Extension Alias Extension Translation

Auto Add Filters Digit Translation Indirect Services
Account Codes
Authorisation Codes ± 1/2 Network OLI Translation

Navigate to the menu System > Sites, the TEST site window appears as shown in Figure 23.

Figure 23: The Test site window

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Number of Sites: 1

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User: administrator

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Since the access code of trunk is included in dialed digits when calls are collected by the DBA Toolkit, the access code should be separated from the dialed digits. To remove the access code of trunk in dialed digits, under tree menu **TEST** right-click on the **Digit Translation** in **Figure 23** and select **Add...** button, the **Add Digit Translation** window with sample of removing access code 8001 appears as shown in **Figure 24**.

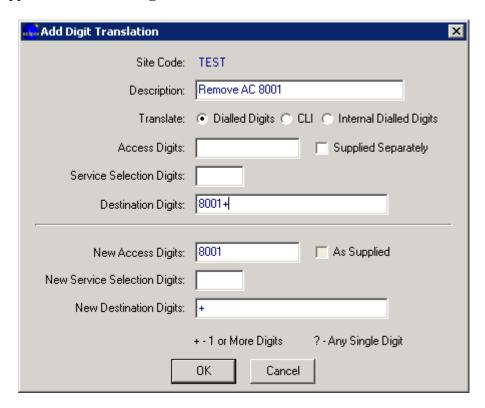


Figure 24: The Add Digit Translation window

Account codes are used to identify a customer or account by dialing an additional number before or during a call.

To add an account code, from the **Eclipse System Configuration** window in **Figure 22** navigate to the menu **System > Sites** and select and expand the Site wanted to configure, in this sample the site name is **TEST**. Select the **Account Code** entry under menu **TEST**. The Account Codes Browser window is displayed in the right-hand panel (not shown). Right-click on this panel and select **Add...** button, and the **Add Account Code** window appears as shown in **Figure 25**. Enter a code that is defined in the CS1000 system in the Account Code textbox. Name and other fields are optional. Click **OK** to complete adding the Account code.

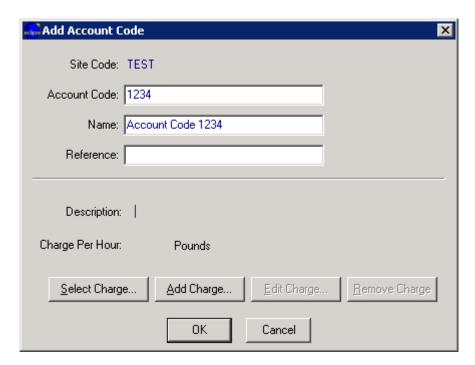


Figure 25: The Add Account Code window

An authorization code is a personal identification number (PIN) that allows certain restricted calls to be made from an extension. Authorization codes can be given to individuals to allow them to override the access restrictions on an extension.

To add an authorization code, from the Eclipse System Configuration window in Figure 22 navigate to the menu System > Sites and select and expand the Site wanted to configure. In this sample the site name is TEST. Select the Authorization Code entry under menu TEST. The Account Codes Browser window is displayed in the right-hand panel (not shown), right-click on this panel and select Add... button, and the Add Authorisation Code window appears as shown in Figure 26. Enter an authorization code that is defined in the CS1000 system in the Authorisation Code textbox, and description in the Name field. Click Ok to complete adding the Account code.



Figure 26: The Add Authorisation Code window

7.3. Generate Reports

The CMS Reporting allows filtering the call segment files to produce reports that only contain the required information. To generate a report, navigate to the menu **Start > All Programs > Eclipse Reporting**, the **Eclipse Reporting** window appears as show in **Figure 27**.

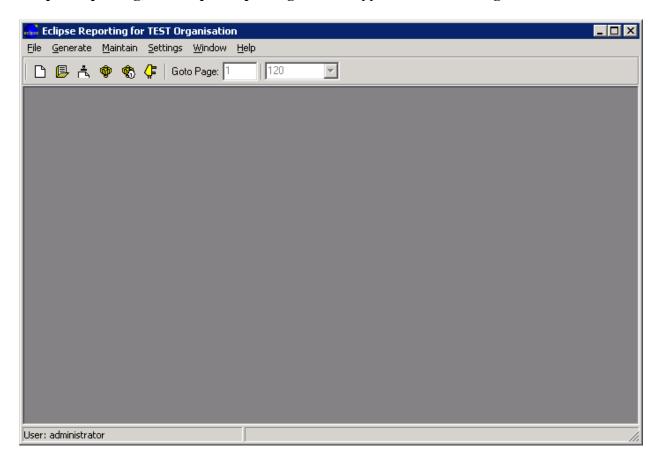


Figure 27: The Eclipse Reporting window

On the above window, navigate to menu **Generate > New**, the **New Report** window appears inside the **Eclipse Reporting** window as shown in **Figure 28**.

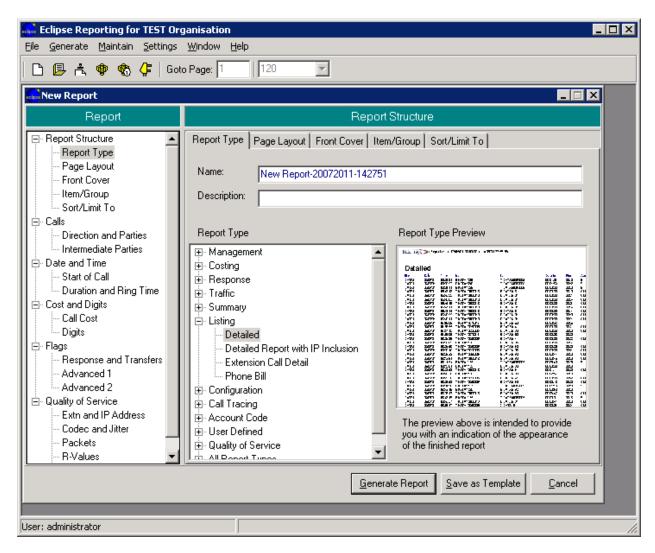


Figure 28: The New Report window

There are many types of report, but only three sample reports are shown here.

On the **New Report** window, select and expand the **Report Structure** and select the **Item/Group**, and the Item/Group tab displays in right-hand. In the **Display** section, select the **Calls by Item only** and in the **Item type** field, select **Extension** in the dropdown list as shown in **Figure 29**.

Click on the **Generate Report** to continue.

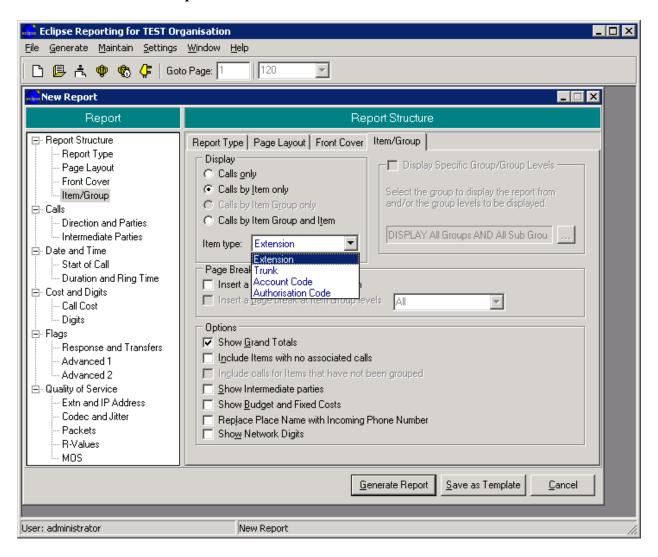


Figure 29: The New Report window with selecting criteria displayed

The next window of the **New Report** will allow user to select the **Report Period**, **Image type**, and **Destination Type** as shown in **Figure 30**.

Click on the **Build** button to generate the report after selected the appropriate values.

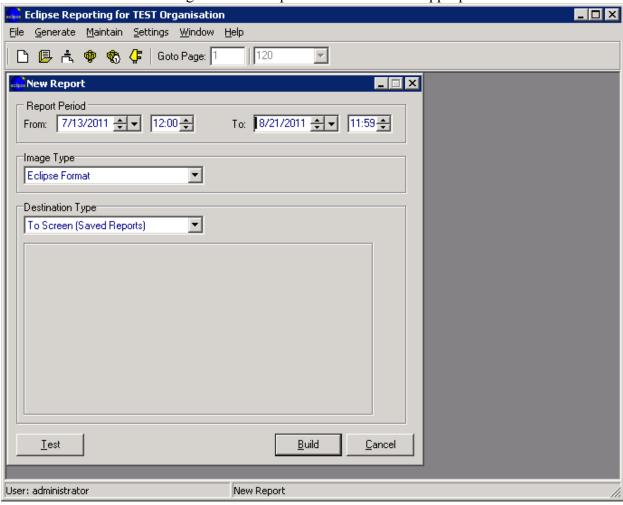


Figure 30: The New Report window with selecting criteria displayed (cont)

Figure 31 below shows the report for every call made from a particular extension.

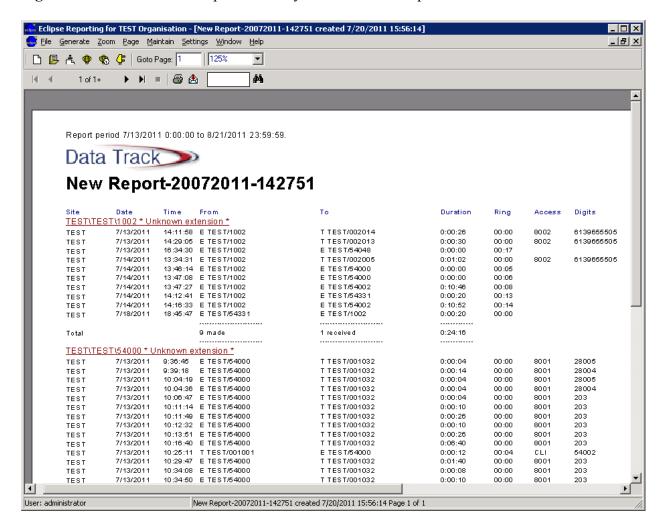


Figure 31: Sample of call report based on the extension



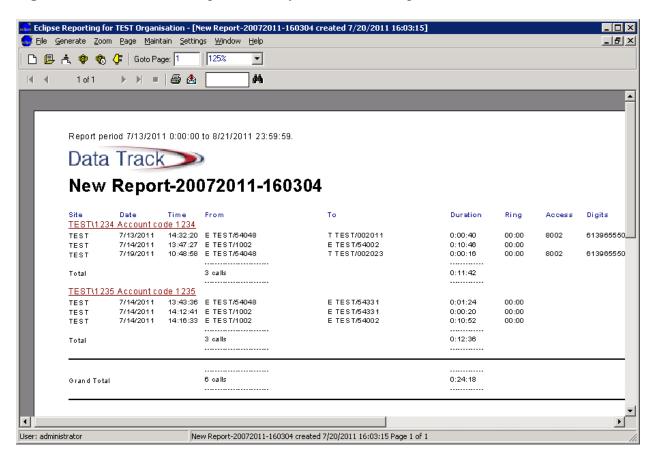


Figure 32: Sample of call report based on the Account Code

Similarly, **Figure 33** below shows the report for every call made from specific authorisation code.

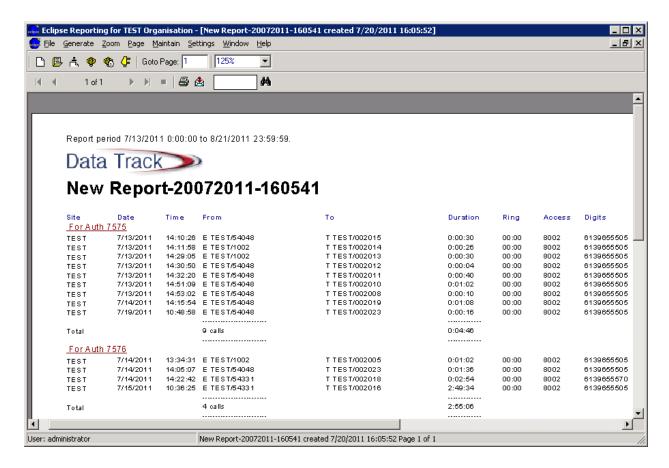


Figure 33: Sample of call report based on the Authorisation Code

8. Verification Steps

The following are typical steps used to verify the interoperability between the Eclipse CMS application and the Avaya CS 1000.

- Connect the DBA Toolkit application to the CS 1000 system.
- Configure the Eclipse CMS to retrieve call records from the DBA Toolkit application.
- Place various call types such as internal, outgoing, incoming, PSTN and tandem calls from/to the CS 1000 system which has the CDR feature enabled and verify that call records are outputted to the DBA Toolkit.
- After each call has been completed, observe on the DBA Toolkit application whether the call was correctly outputted.
- From the Eclipse CMS application, generate reports based on report types, report templates, user-defined criteria for the report such as Time Period, Image types, and destination types and then generate reports as shown in **Figure 31** to **33**. Verify the report

that it shows correct information of call records such as Site, Date, Time, From, To, Duration, Ring, Digits, Place Name, Cost, etc.

9. Conclusion

All of the executed test cases were passed and met the objectives outlined in **Section 2**. The Eclipse Call Management System version 1.32.2.3 is considered compliant with the Avaya Communication Server Release 7.5.

10. Additional Reference

Product documentation for the Avaya CS 1000 products may be found at: https://support.avaya.com/css/Products/

Data Buffering Toolkit is available at: http://www.avaya.com/DevConnect

Product documentation for the Eclipse Call Management System product may be found at: http://www.datatrackplc.com

[1] Avaya CS1000 Documents:

Avaya Communication Server 1000E Installation and Commissioning Avaya CS 1000 Co-resident Call Server and Signaling Server Fundamentals Avaya CS 1000 Element Manager System Reference – Administration Avaya Call Detail Recording Fundamentals Communication Server 1000

[2] Data Track Eclipse CMS Documents:

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