

### Avaya Solution & Interoperability Test Lab

# Application Notes for Configuring Avaya Aura® Communication Manager R6.3 with Kofax Ltd. Communication Server using a H323 Trunk - Issue 1.0

#### **Abstract**

These Application Notes describe the configuration steps required for Kofax Communication Server to interoperate with Avaya Aura® Communication Manager R6.3 using a H323 Trunk. This document provides configuration steps related to faxing capabilities of Kofax Communication Server.

Readers should pay attention to section 2, in particular the scope of testing as outlined in Section 2.1 as well as the observations noted in Section 2.2, to ensure that their own use cases are adequately covered by this scope and results.

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

These Application Notes describe the configuration used to enable Kofax Communication Server to interoperate with Avaya Aura® Communication Manager. Kofax Communication Server offers a variety of telephony features. Kofax Communication Server fax features allow sending/receiving of fax messages to/from both local and PSTN fax endpoints, and can subsequently be printed or archived. During Compliance Testing the fax feature and functionality was the sole focus.

## 2. General Test Approach and Test results

The general test approach was to simulate the configuration as implemented on a customer premises. Compliance testing was between the Kofax Communication Server (Kofax Server) and Avaya Aura® Communication Manager (Communication Manager), and was performed manually. The tests were all functional in nature, and no performance testing was done. The test method employed can be described as follows:

Communication Manager was configured to support various local IP (H.323) telephones and an Analogue Fax Machine, as well as a H323 connection to the Kofax Communication Server.

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## 2.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The following tests were performed as part of the compliance testing:

- Basic fax sending in T.38 ECM mode and pass-through connection with G.711A and G.711MU codecs
- Basic fax receiving in T.38 ECM mode and pass-through connection with G.711A and G.711MU codecs
- Forwarding of a fax from a local Fax Machine to the Kofax Server via a local extension
- Forwarding of a fax from the Kofax Server to a local Fax Machine via a local extension
- Supervised and Blind transfer of a fax from a local Fax Machine to the Kofax Server via a local extension (pass-through mode only)
- Supervised and Blind transfer of a fax from the Kofax Server to a local Fax Machine via a local extension (pass-through mode only)
- Verification of correct status and Caller ID for sent and received fax messages
- Successful recovery from network or power failure

#### 2.2. Test Results

Tests were performed to insure full interoperability of a Kofax Communication Server when configured with Communication Manager. The tests were all functional in nature and performance testing was not included. All the test cases passed successfully.

### 2.3. Support

Support for Kofax Ltd. is available at http://services.kofax.com/support/

## 3. Reference Configuration

**Figure** 1 illustrates the network configuration used during compliance testing. A H323 trunk was configured between the Kofax Communication Server and Communication Manager. An analogue Fax Machine was connected to an MM714 Analog card on the G430 Media Gateway. An Avaya 9620 (H323) telephone was also configured on the communication Manager so as to test Faxes sent to phone extensions which had Call Forward enabled and also to Transfer Faxes to alternative Fax Machines, including to the Kofax Communication Server.

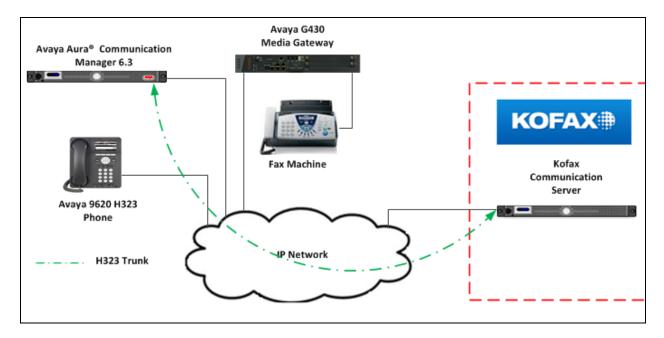


Figure 1: Avaya and Kofax Reference Configuration

## 4. Equipment and Software Validated

The hardware and associated software used in the compliance testing is listed below.

Avaya Equipment	Software Version
Avaya Aura® Communication Manager	R6.3
	Build R016x.03.0.124.0
Avaya G430 Media Gateway	Version 36.7.0/1
Module MM710 (DSP MP20)	Version HW04 FW021
Module MM714 (ANA)	Version HW03 FW073
Kofax Equipment	Software Version
Kofax Communication Server	Version 10.0
KCS FoIP Application	Version 3.22.05

**Table 1: Hardware and Software Version Numbers** 

## 5. Configure Avaya Aura® Communication Manager

Configuration and verification operations on the Communication Manager illustrated in this section were all performed using Avaya Site Administrator Emulation Mode. The information provided in this section describes the configuration of the Communication Manager for this solution. For all other provisioning information such as initial installation and configuration, please refer to the product documentation in **Section 9**.

It is implied a working system is already in place. The configuration operations described in this section can be summarized as follows: (Note: during Compliance Testing all inputs not highlighted in Bold were left as Default)

- Configure Kofax Server Node
- Configure Signaling-Group
- Configure Trunk Group
- Configure Fax Station
- Configure Codecs

#### 5.1. Configure Kofax Server Node

For the Communication Manager to communicate with the Kofax Server a node must be configured. The screen shot below shows **Kofax** with IP address **10.10.60.56** was used. **Note:** The procr IP address will be required in **Section 6.1**.

```
        change node-names ip
        IP NODE NAMES

        Name
        IP Address

        AES63RP
        10.10.60.210

        Kofax
        10.10.60.56

        default
        0.0.0.0

        procr
        10.10.16.211

        procr6
        ::
```

### 5.2. Configure Signaling Group

A signaling group is required before a trunk-group can be configured. Use the **add signaling-group** command followed by next available signaling-group number to configure the following:

• Group Type: Enter h.323

• Trunk Group for Channel Selection: Enter the Trunk Group number configured

in **Section 5.3** 

• Near-end Node Name: Enter procr

• Far-end Node Name: Enter Kofax (Kofax Server Node as

configured in **Section 5.1**)

• Far-end Network Region: Enter the appropriate Network region (i.e.,

1)

• **Far-end Listen Port:** Enter 1720

Configure the remaining inputs as per the screen shots below. Press **F3** to save configuration.

```
Add signaling-group 13
                                                                Page 1 of
                                 SIGNALING GROUP
Group Number: 13
SBS? n
                               Group Type: h.323
                          Remote Office? n
                                                     Max number of NCA TSC: 0
        Q-SIP? n
                                                       Max number of CA TSC: 0
     IP Video? n
                                                    Trunk Group for NCA TSC:
      Trunk Group for Channel Selection: 13 X-Mobility/Wireless Type: NONE TSC Supplementary Service Protocol: a Network Call Transfer? n
                                                    T303 Timer(sec): 10
   H.245 DTMF Signal Tone Duration (msec):
  Near-end Node Name: procr
                                               Far-end Node Name: Kofax
                                            Far-end Listen Port: 1720
 Near-end Listen Port: 1720
                                        Far-end Network Region:
         LRQ Required? n
                                          Calls Share IP Signaling Connection? n
         RRO Required? n
     Media Encryption? n
                                               Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n
                                                       H.235 Annex H Required? n
 DTMF over IP: out-of-band
Link Loss Delay Timer(sec): 90
                                                Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y
                                                         IP Audio Hairpinning? n
         Enable Layer 3 Test? n
                                                   Interworking Message: PROGress
H.323 Station Outgoing Direct Media? n DCP/Analog Bearer Capability: 3.1kHz
```

### **5.3. Configure Trunk Group**

This section describes the Trunk Group configuration used during compliance testing. Use the **add trunk-group** command followed by next available Group number and configure the following:

• Group Type: Enter isdn

• Group Name: Enter an informative name for the trunk (i.e., H323)

To Kofax)

• TAC: Enter a TAC number i.e., 713

Carrier Medium
 Service Type:
 Member Assignment Method:
 Enter tie
 Enter auto

• **Signaling Group:** Enter the Signaling Group number as configured in

Section 5.2

• Number of Members: Enter the number of channels require to connect to

the Kofax Server (during compliance testing 2

channels were used)

#### Page 1

```
add trunk-group 13

TRUNK GROUP

Group Number: 13

Group Type: isdn

CDR Reports: y

Group Name: H323 to Kofax

Direction: two-way

Dial Access? n

Queue Length: 0

Service Type: tie

Member Assignment Method: auto

Signaling Group: 13

Number of Members: 2
```

This screen shot displays the configuration used on Page 2

```
add trunk-group 13
                                                                 2 of 21
                                                           Page
     Group Type: isdn
TRUNK PARAMETERS
                                     Codeset to Send National IEs: 6
        Codeset to Send Display: 6
                                      Charge Advice: none
 Supplementary Service Protocol: a
                                     Digit Handling (in/out): enbloc/enbloc
                                                 Digital Loss Group: 18
Incoming Calling Number - Delete: Insert:
                                                           Format:
Disconnect Supervision - In? y Out? n
Answer Supervision Timeout: 0
                                    CONNECT Reliable When Call Leaves ISDN? n
                                   Delay Call Setup When Accessed Via IGAR? n
            XOIP Treatment: auto
```

#### On Page 3, set **Send Calling Number** to **y**. Press **F3** to save configuration.

```
add trunk-group 13
                                                                        3 of 21
                                                                 Page
TRUNK FEATURES
                            Measured: Holde

Internal Alert? n

Data Restriction? n

Send Name: n

Send EMU Visitor CPN? n
          ACA Assignment? n
            Used for DCS? n
   Suppress # Outpulsing? n Format: natl-pub
                                               UUI IE Treatment: service-provider
                                                    Replace Restricted Numbers? n
                                                   Replace Unavailable Numbers? n
                                                         Send Connected Number: n
Network Call Redirection: none
                                                     Hold/Unhold Notifications? n
             Send UUI IE? y Modify Tandem Calling Number: no
               Send UCID? n
Send Codeset 6/7 LAI IE? y
Show ANSWERED BY on Display? y
```

### 5.4. Configure Fax Station

The Fax Machine is configured as an Analog station **Type 2500** on the Communication Manager and the **Extension** number used was **1026**. The port used was an available port on a MM714 card on the G430 Media Gateway. Use the **add station** command to add the Fax machine. The screen shots below show the configuration used during compliance testing. Press **F3** to save configuration.

```
add station 1026
                                                                        Page 1 of 4
                                           STATION
                                       Lock Messages? n
Security Code: 1026
Coverage Path 1:
Coverage Path 2:
Hunt-to Station:
                                                                                   BCC: 0
Extension: 1026
     Type: 2500
                                                                                     TN: 1
     Port: 002V301
                                                                                    COR: 1
     Name: Fax Machine 1026
                                                                                    cos: 1
                                                                                  Tests? y
STATION OPTIONS
      XOIP Endpoint type: auto Time of Day Lock Table:
Loss Group: 1 Message Waiting Indicator: none
    Off Premises Station? n
           Survivable COR: internal
   Survivable Trunk Dest? y
                                                      Remote Office Phone? n
Passive Signalling Station? n
```

#### Page 2

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add station 1026		Page 2 of 4	1
	S	TATION	
FEATURE OPTIONS			
LWC Reception:	spe		
LWC Activation?	У	Coverage Msg Retrieval?	У
LWC Log External Calls?	n	Auto Answer:	none
CDR Privacy?	n	Data Restriction?	n
Redirect Notification?	У	Call Waiting Indication:	У
Per Button Ring Control?	n	Att. Call Waiting Indication:	У
Bridged Call Alerting?	n	Distinctive Audible Alert?	У
Switchhook Flash?	У	Adjunct Supervision?	У
Ignore Rotary Digits?	n		
H.320 Conversion?	n Pe	er Station CPN - Send Calling Number?	
Service Link Mode: 8	as-needed		
Multimedia Mode: 1	basic	Audible Message Waiting?	n
MWI Served User Type:			
AUDIX Name:			
		Coverage After Forwarding?	S
		Multimedia Early Answer?	
		Direct IP-IP Audio Connection	ns? Y
Emergency Location Ext:	1026	IP Audio Hairpinning?	n

```
add station 1026
                                                                    3 of
                                                             Page
                                     STATION
  Bridged Appearance Origination Restriction? n
                              ENHANCED CALL FORWARDING
                                      Forwarded Destination
                                                                     Active
Unconditional For Internal Calls To:
                                                                        n
                  External Calls To:
                                                                        n
         Busy For Internal Calls To:
                                                                        n
                  External Calls To:
                                                                        n
     No Reply For Internal Calls To:
                                                                        n
                  External Calls To:
                                                                        n
           SAC/CF Override: n
```

```
add station 1026
                                                              Page 4 of 4
                                     STATION
SITE DATA
                                                        Headset? n
      Room:
      Jack:
                                                        Speaker? n
     Cable:
                                                       Mounting: d
                                                    Cord Length: 0
Set Color:
     Floor:
  Building:
ABBREVIATED DIALING
    List1:
                              List2:
                                                         List3:
HOT LINE DESTINATION
        Abbreviated Dialing List Number (From above 1, 2 or 3):
                                                       Dial Code:
     Line Appearance: call-appr
```

### 5.5. Configure Codecs

During compliance testing T.38 Fax was used. To configure T.38 Fax, use the **change ip-codec-set x** command where x is the ip-codec-set being used. Configure the following on page 1:

• Audio Codec (line 1): Enter G.711MU

Silence Suppression: Enter nFrames Per Pkt: Enter 2

• Audio Codec (line 2): Enter G.711A

Silence Suppression: Enter nFrames Per Pkt: Enter 2

• **Media Encryption:** Enter **None** (note: the Media Encryption option is only

displayed if Media Encryption Over IP is enabled on the

installed license)

**Notes:** The max baud rate is 9600 bits per second.

```
Change ip-codec-set 1

IP CODEC SET

Codec Set: 1

Audio Silence Frames Packet
Codec Suppression Per Pkt Size(ms)

1: G.711MU n 2 20

2: G.711A n 2 20

3: 4: 5: 6: 7:

Media Encryption

1: none
2: 3:
```

On Page 2 configure the following:

• Fax: Enter t.38-statdard

• **ECM:** Enter **y** 

All other inputs may be left at default. Press **F3** to save configuration.

#### Page 2

change ip-codec-set 1			Page	2 of 2	
	IP CODEC SET				
Allow Direct-IP Multimedia? n					
	Mode	Dodundanau		Packet	
FAX	t.38-standard	Redundancy 0	ECM: y	Size(ms)	
Modem	off	0			
TDD/TTY	US	3			
H.323 Clear-channel	n	0			
SIP 64K Data	n	0		20	

Alternatively, if using Pass-through Fax configuration, see Appendix A.

## 6. Configure Kofax Communication Server

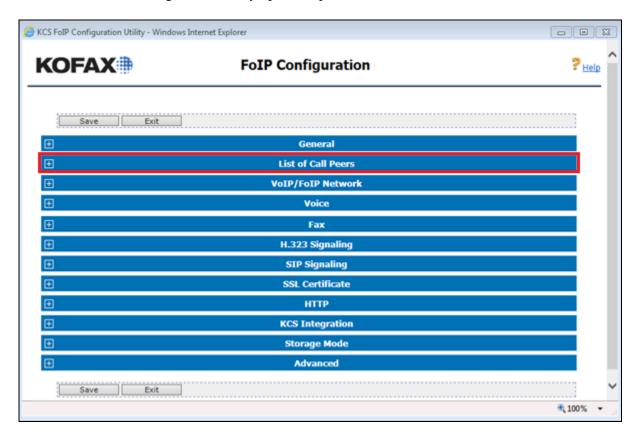
The Kofax Server is provided, installed and implemented by Kofax. Only those configuration details concerning the interface to Avaya are shown within this section. The Web-based Kofax Server FoIP configuration utility was used to configure the interface to Communication Manager.

Open the KCS FoIP configuration utility from the shortcut on the Kofax Server desktop. The configuration operations described in this section can be summarized as follows:

- Configure List of Call Peers
- Configure Fax
- Configure KCS Integration

## 6.1. Configure List of Call Peers

Once the KCS FoIP configuration utility opens, expand List of Call Peers menu item.



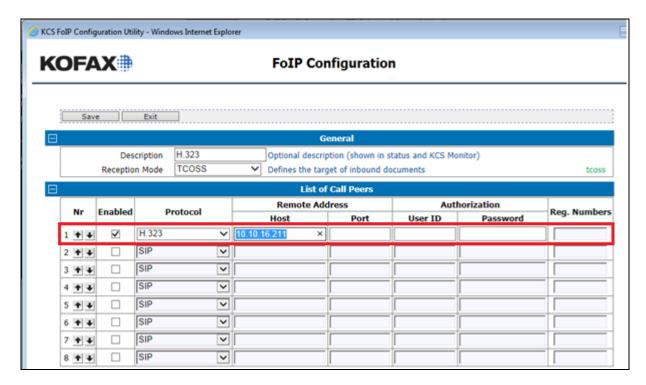
Once the **List of Call Peers** menu item opens complete the following for a free Host:

• **Enabled:** Click on the Check box

• **Protocol:** Select **H.323** from the dropdown box

• **Host:** Enter the IP address of the PROCR of the communication

Manager(see **Section 5.1**)



### 6.2. Configure Fax

Fax can be configured for either T.38 or G.711 Pass-through

#### 6.2.1. T.38 Fax

If only T.38 Fax support is required, complete the following:

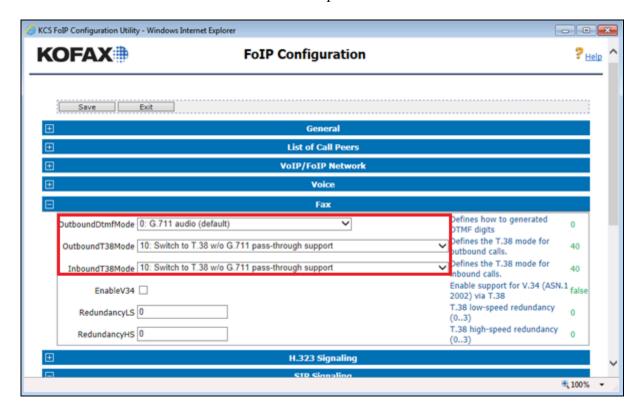
• OutboundTDtmfMode: Select 0: G711 audio (default) from the dropdown box

• OutboundT38Mode: Select 10: Switch to T.38 w/o G.711 pass-through support

from the dropdown box

• InboundT38Mode: Select 10: Switch to T.38 w/o G.711 pass-through support

from the dropdown box



#### 6.2.2. G.711 Pass-through

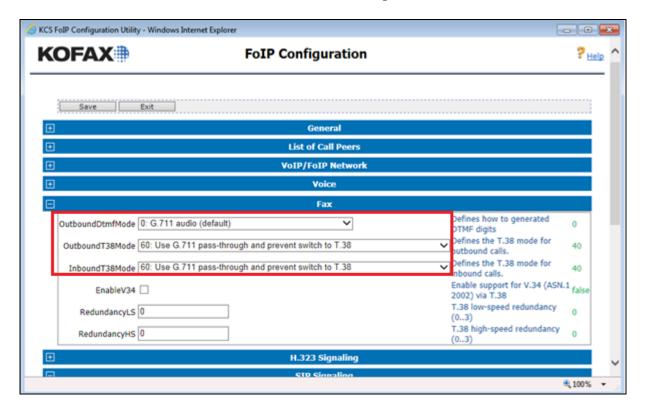
If only G.711 Pass-through support is required, complete the following:

OutboundTDtmfMode: Select 0: G711 audio (default) from the dropdown box
 OutboundT38Mode: Select 60. User G.711 pass-through and prevent switch

to T.38 from the dropdown box

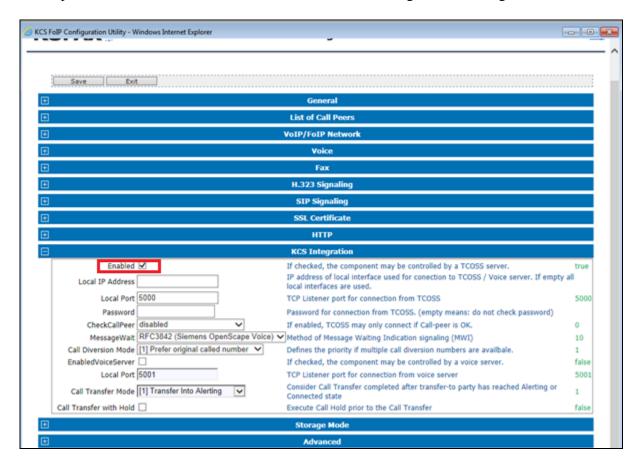
• InboundT38Mode: Select 60. User G.711 pass-through and prevent switch

**to T.38** from the dropdown box

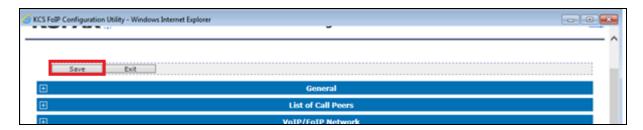


### 6.3. Configure KCS Integration

KCS Integration is configured if Message Waiting Indication is used to signal if a Fax is in the Fax recipient's in-box. Check the **Enabled** check box to configure KCS Integration:



Once the configuration is complete, click on the **Save** button as shown in the screenshot below.



## 7. Verification Steps

This section provides the tests that can be performed to verify correct configuration of the Avaya and Kofax solution.

### 7.1. Verify the signaling group status

Using the SAT terminal, enter the **status signaling-group <n>** command, where **<n>** is the number of the H.323 signaling group. Verify that the **Group State** is **in-service**.

```
status signaling-group 13

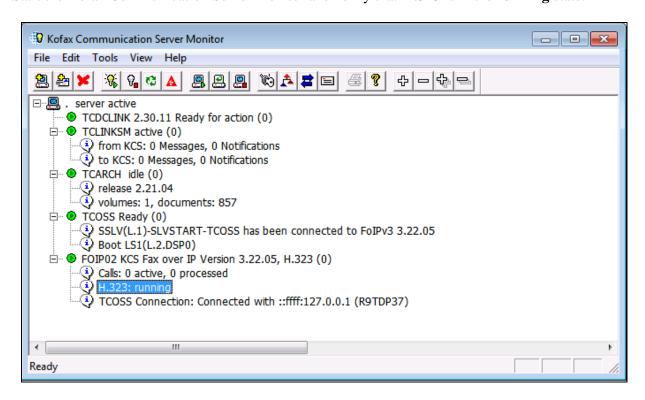
STATUS SIGNALING GROUP

Group ID: 1
Group Type: h.323

Group State: in-service
```

#### 7.2. Verify Kofax Communication Server SIP Status

Start the Kofax Communication Server monitor and verify that **H.323** is in the **running** state.



Send and receive multipage faxes, ensure the faxes are successfully sent and received and are legible, confirm that the caller ID and fax details are correct.

### 8. Conclusion

These Application Notes describe the configuration steps required for Kofax Communication Server to interoperate with an Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 6.3 using H323 Trunk. All test cases have passed and met the objectives outlined in **Section 2.2**.

### 9. Additional References

This section references the Avaya and Kofax documentation that is relevant to these Application Notes. Avaya product documentations, including the following, are available at <a href="http://support.avaya.com">http://support.avaya.com</a>.

[1] Administering Avaya Aura® Communication Manager, Release 6.3, Issue 8, May 2013,

Product Documentation for Kofax can be at the following location: http://www.kofax.com/business-communication-software/

# Appendix A

Pass-through Fax configuration.

#### Page 1

```
change ip-codec-set 1
                                                                                      Page
                                                                                                1 of
                                                                                                         2
                                  IP CODEC SET
     Codec Set: 1
Audio Silence Frames Packet Codec Suppression Per Pkt Size(ms)

1: G.711MU n 2 20

2: G.711A n 2 20
 3:
 4:
 5:
 6:
 7:
      Media Encryption
1: none
 2:
 3:
```

1 age 2						
change ip-codec-set 1			Page	2 of	2	
	IP CODEC SET					
Allow Direct-IP Multimedia? n						
				Packe		
	Mode	Redundancy		Size	(ms)	
FAX	off	0				
Modem	off	0				
TDD/TTY	US	3				
H.323 Clear-channel	n	0				
SIP 64K Data	n	0		20		

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