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Application Notes for Configuring Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications with Avaya Aura® Session Manager – Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe the configuration procedures required to allow Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications to collect call detail records from Avaya Aura® Session Manager over an IP network connection. Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications collects, stores and processes these call records to provide usage analysis, call costing and billing capabilities.

Readers should pay attention to **Section 0**, in particular the scope of testing as outlined in **Section 2.1**as well as any 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 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 describes a compliance-tested call detail recording (CDR) solution comprised of Avaya Aura ® Session Manager (Session Manager) and Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications (Avotus EUR). Avotus EUR is a call accounting software application that uses call detail records to provide reporting capabilities to business and IT managers to track and manage call usage and telecom expenses.

Avotus EUR is a Call Accounting and Billing package that utilizes the CDR output from Avaya Aura® Session Manager. Avotus EUR collects, stores, and processes the CDR records to provide usage analysis, call costing and billing capabilities. Avaya Aura® Session Manager can generate Call Detail Records for intra-switch calls, inter-switch calls, inbound trunk calls and outbound trunk calls. Avotus EUR connects to Session Manager over the local or wide area network using Secure File Transfer Protocol (SFTP). Session Manager is configured to generate Call Detail Records (CDR) into files and save them to a specific folder on the Session Manager server. Avotus EUR using SFTP connects to the server to access these folders and downloads XML files generated by Session Manager, to the local Avotus EUR server for reports. For the compliance testing, the "Enhanced XML file" format was used as the Data File Format on Session Manager.

2. General Test Approach and Test Results

The general test approach was to manually place intra-switch calls, inter-switch calls, inbound trunk, outbound trunk calls to and from H323 telephones controlled by Communication Manager and SIP endpoints registered to Session Manager and verify that Avotus EUR collects the CDR records and properly classifies and reports the attributes of the call. For serviceability testing LAN failures and a restart of the Avotus EUR server were simulated.

Session Manager R7.0.x contains interface changes related to the security of the Call Detail Recording (CDR) login, used to download CDR records from a Session Manager server. These changes were not backward compatible with the Avaya recommended CDR retrieval procedure of deleting CDR files once they had been retrieved. A patch was created that reverts the operation of the CDR_User back to what it was in release 6.3 and earlier. This patch was used in this configuration. Additional details on the patch and how to obtain it are available at support.avaya.com, under PSN004893u.

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Avaya recommends our customers implement Avaya solutions using appropriate security and encryption capabilities enabled by our products. The testing referenced in this DevConnect Application Note included the enablement of supported encryption capabilities in the Avaya products. Readers should consult the appropriate Avaya product documentation for further information regarding security and encryption capabilities supported by those Avaya products.

Support for these security and encryption capabilities in any non-Avaya solution component is the responsibility of each individual vendor. Readers should consult the appropriate vendor-supplied product documentation for more information regarding those products.

2.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The interoperability compliance testing included feature and serviceability testing. The feature testing evaluated the ability of Avotus EUR to collect and process CDR records for calls over SIP trunks. The source and destination of each call was verified on the Avotus EUR application. The interoperability compliance testing includes the following cases.

- Calls between H323 and SIP phones over SIP Trunk.
- Inbound and outbound calls to/from H323 phones over SIP trunks to simulated PSTN.
- Inbound and outbound calls to/from SIP phones over SIP trunks to simulated PSTN.

The serviceability testing introduced failure scenarios to see if Avotus EUR could resume CDR collection after failure recovery.

2.2. Test Results

All feature and performance tests passed with the following observation.

• Session Manager CDR was designed to cover calls between 2 parties, where at least one leg of the call traverses Session Manager. Calls that involve Communication Manager invoking call features (such as transfer, conference, call-forward, etc.) may not yield the expected call records by Session Manager. This design may change in future versions of Session Manager.

2.3. Support

Technical support for the Avotus EUR solution can be obtained by contacting Avotus:

- URL <u>http://www.avotus.com/contact_support.asp</u>
- Phone (800) 840-2580

3. Reference Configuration

Figure 1 illustrates the configuration used for the compliance test. In the sample configuration two sites, Sites A and B, are connected via a SIP trunk through Session Manager. Avotus EUR only monitors the calls at Site A. Site B is used to generate inter-site traffic across the SIP trunk.

Site A has a VMWare virtual machine hosting Session Manager, Session Manager, System Manager and Media Server. The Communication Manager is connected to an Avaya G450 Media Gateway. Site A also includes Avaya 96x1 Series H.323 and SIP telephones. In addition, Site A has connectivity to the PSTN. The configuration at Site B is similar to Site A and also uses the Session Manager at Site A. Avotus EUR connects via the LAN and establishes a CDR link to Communication Manager at Site A. Avotus EUR is also installed and configured on the VMWare virtual machine.

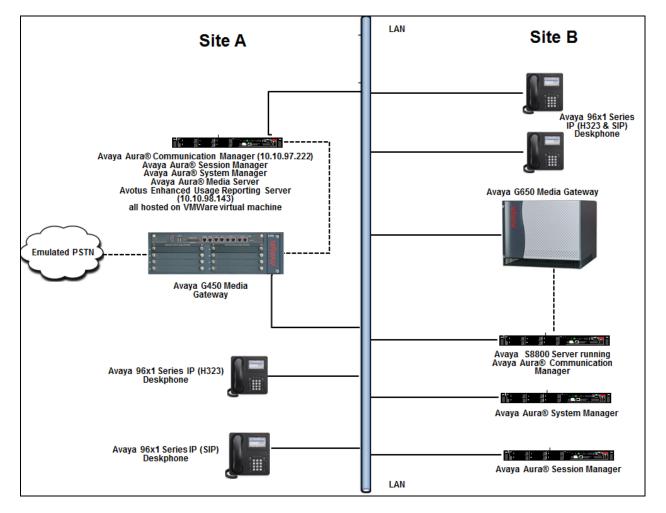


Figure 1: Test configuration for Avotus EUR Compliance Test

4. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software/firmware were used for the test configuration.

Equipment/Software	Release/Version
Avaya Aura® Communication Manager	7.0.1.2.0-FP1SP2
running on a virtual server	
Avaya Aura® Session Manager running on a	7.0.1.2.701230
virtual server	
Avaya Aura® System Manager running on a	7.0.1.2 Service Pack 2
virtual server	
Avaya Aura® Media Server running on a	7.7.0.375
virtual server	
Avaya G450 Media Gateway	37.41.0/1
Avaya 9611G IP Deskphones (H.323)	6.6229
Avaya 9641GS IP Deskphone (SIP)	7.0.1.1.5
Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting running on	9.10
Windows Server 2008 R2 Standard SP1	
running on VMware (5.5)	

5. Configure Avaya Aura® Communication Manager

There is no specific configuration necessary on Communication Manager for the collection of CDR from Session Manager. It is assumed that the SIP trunk to Session Manager is already setup. The following is a quick overview of the SIP trunk that was used during compliance testing. The steps are performed through the System Access Terminal (SAT) interface. Some screens in this section have been abridged and highlighted for brevity and clarity in presentation.

5.1. Configure SIP Trunk

In the Node Names IP form, note the IP Address of the **procr** and the Session Manager (**SM-VM**). The host names will be used throughout the other configuration screens of Communication Manager and Session Manager. Type **display node-names ip** to show all the necessary node names.

```
display node-names ip

IP NODE NAMES

Name IP Address

SM-VM 10.10.97.228

procr 10.10.97.222

procr6 ::
```

In the **IP Network Region** form, the **Authoritative Domain** field is configured to match the domain name configured on Session Manager. In this configuration, the domain name is **bvwdev.com**. The **IP Network Region** form also specifies the **IP Codec Set** to be used. This codec set will be used for calls routed over the SIP trunk to Session manager as **ip-network region 1** is specified in the SIP signaling group.

```
display ip-network-region 1
                                                               Page
                                                                     1 of 20
                              TP NETWORK REGION
 Region: 1
Location:
                Authoritative Domain: bvwdev.com
   Name: Region1
                              Stub Network Region: n
MEDIA PARAMETERS
                               Intra-region IP-IP Direct Audio: yes
     Codec Set: 1
                              Inter-region IP-IP Direct Audio: yes
  UDP Port Min: 2048
                                         IP Audio Hairpinning? y
  UDP Port Max: 8001
DIFFSERV/TOS PARAMETERS
Call Control PHB Value: 46
       Audio PHB Value: 46
       Video PHB Value: 26
802.1P/Q PARAMETERS
Call Control 802.1p Priority: 6
       Audio 802.1p Priority: 6
       Video 802.1p Priority: 5
                                     AUDIO RESOURCE RESERVATION PARAMETERS
H.323 IP ENDPOINTS
                                                       RSVP Enabled? n
 H.323 Link Bounce Recovery? y
Idle Traffic Interval (sec): 20
  Keep-Alive Interval (sec): 5
          Keep-Alive Count: 5
```

In the **IP Codec Set** form, select the audio codec's supported for calls routed over the SIP trunk to Communications Portal. The form is accessed via the **change ip-codec-set n** command. Note that IP codec set 1 was specified in IP Network Region 1 shown above. Multiple codecs may be specified in the **IP Codec Set** form in order of preference; the example below includes **G.711MU** and **G.711A**, which are supported by Communications Portal.

change ip-codec-	set 1			Page	1 of	2
Codec Set: 1		CODEC SET				
Audio Codec 1: G.711MU 2: G.711A	Silence Suppression n n	Frames Per Pkt 2 2	Packet Size(ms) 20 20			

Prior to configuring a SIP trunk group for communication with Session Manager, a SIP signaling group must be configured. Configure the Signaling Group form shown below as follows:

- Set the **Group Type** field to **sip**.
- Set the **Transport Method** to the desired transport method, for compliance testing this was set to **tls**.
- The **Peer Detection Enabled** field should be set to **y** allowing the Communication Manager to automatically detect if the peer server is a Session Manager.
- Set the Near-end Node Name to procr. This value is taken from the IP Node Names form shown above.
- Set the **Far-end Node Name** to the node name defined for the Session Manager (node name **SM-VM**), as per **IP Node Names** form shown above.
- Ensure that the recommended TLS port value of **5061** is configured in the **Near-end Listen Port** and the **Far-end Listen Port** fields.
- In the **Far-end Network Region** field, enter the IP Network Region configured above. This field logically establishes the **far-end** for calls using this signaling group as network region 1.
- Enter the **Far-end Domain** field to allow Communication Manager to accept the configured domain in Session Manager. During compliance testing **bvwdev.com** was configured in Session Manager.
- The **Direct IP-IP Audio Connections** field is set to **y**.
- The Initial IP-IP Direct Media field is set to n.
- The default values for the other fields may be used.

change signaling-group 1	Page 1 of 3
SIGNALING	GROUP
Group Number: 1 Group Type:	sip
IMS Enabled? n Transport Method:	tls
Q-SIP? n	
IP Video? n	Enforce SIPS URI for SRTP? y
Peer Detection Enabled? y Peer Server:	SM
Prepend '+' to Outgoing Calling/Alerting,	/Diverting/Connected Public Numbers? y
Remove '+' from Incoming Called/Calling/A	lerting/Diverting/Connected Numbers? n
Alert Incoming SIP Crisis Calls? n	
Near-end Node Name: procr	Far-end Node Name: SM-VM
Near-end Node Name: procr Near-end Listen Port: 5061	Far-end Node Name: SM-VM Far-end Listen Port: 5061
Near-end Listen Port: 5061	
Near-end Listen Port: 5061 Fa	Far-end Listen Port: 5061
Near-end Listen Port: 5061	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 ar-end Network Region: 1
Near-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Domain: bvwdev.com	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 ar-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n
Near-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Domain: bvwdev.com Incoming Dialog Loopbacks: eliminate	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 ar-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n RFC 3389 Comfort Noise? n
Near-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Domain: bvwdev.com Incoming Dialog Loopbacks: eliminate DTMF over IP: rtp-payload	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 ar-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n RFC 3389 Comfort Noise? n Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y
Near-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Domain: bvwdev.com Incoming Dialog Loopbacks: eliminate	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 ar-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n RFC 3389 Comfort Noise? n Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y IP Audio Hairpinning? y
Near-end Listen Port: 5061 Far-end Domain: bvwdev.com Incoming Dialog Loopbacks: eliminate DTMF over IP: rtp-payload	Far-end Listen Port: 5061 ar-end Network Region: 1 Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n RFC 3389 Comfort Noise? n Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y

Configure the **Trunk Group** form as shown below. This trunk group is used for calls to and from Communications Portal. Enter a descriptive name in the **Group Name** field. Set the **Group Type** field to **sip**. Enter a **TAC** code compatible with the Communication Manager dial plan. Set the **Service Type** field to **tie**. Specify the signaling group associated with this trunk group in the **Signaling Group** field, and specify the **Number of Members** supported by this SIP trunk group. Accept the default values for the remaining fields.

change trunk-	group 1			Page	1 of 22
		TRUNK GROUP			
Group Number:	1	Group Type:	sip	CDR Rep	ports: y
Group Name:	Trunk to SM on	VM COR:	1	TN: 1	TAC: #001
Direction:	two-way	Outgoing Display?	У		
Dial Access?	n		Night	Service:	
Queue Length:	0				
Service Type:	tie	Auth Code?	n		
			Member As	signment Metl	hod: auto
				Signaling Gro	oup: 1
			Nu	mber of Membe	ers: 24

Settings on **Page 3** can be left as shown below.

display trunk-group 1 TRUNK FEATURES	Page 3 of 22
ACA Assignment? n	Measured: internal
	Maintenance Tests? y
Suppress # Outpulsing? n Numbe	ering Format: private UUI Treatment: shared Maximum Size of UUI Contents: 128 Replace Restricted Numbers? n Replace Unavailable Numbers? n
Mo Send UCID? y	Hold/Unhold Notifications? y odify Tandem Calling Number: no
Show ANSWERED BY on Display? y	
DSN Term? n	SIP ANAT Supported? N

6. Configure Avaya Aura® Session Manager

Note: For the compliance testing, the "Enhanced XML file" format was used as the Data File Format on Session Manager.

In order to make changes in Session Manager, a web session is established to System Manager. Log into System Manager by opening a web browser and navigating to http://<System Manager IP Address>/SMGR. Enter the appropriate credentials for the **User ID** and **Password** and click on **Log On** button.

Aur	a [©] System Manager 7.0	
4 4	Recommended access to System Manager is via FQDN. Go to central login for Single Sign-On If IP address access is your only option, then note that authentication will fail in the following cases: • First time login with "admin" account • Expired/Reset passwords Use the "Change Password" hyperlink on this page to change the password manually, and then login.	User ID: Password: Log On Cancel Change Password Change Password Change Password
	Also note that single sign-on between servers in	

Once logged in click on Session Manager under Elements column as shown below.

AVAVA		Last Logged on at May 5, 2017 2:47 PM
Aura [®] System Manager 7.0 Configurati*		Go 🗲 Log off admin
		0
lesers	C 🖧 Elements	Q Services
Administrators	Avaya Breeze™	Backup and Restore
Directory Synchronization	Communication Manager	Bulk Import and Export
Groups & Roles	Communication Server 1000	Configurations
User Management	Conferencing	Events
User Provisioning Rule	Device Services	Geographic Redundancy
	Equinox Conference	Inventory
	IP Office	Licenses
	Media Server	Replication
	Meeting Exchange	Reports
	Messaging	Scheduler
	Presence	Security
	Routing	Shutdown
	Session Manager	Solution Deployment Manager
	Web Gateway	Templates
		Tenant Management

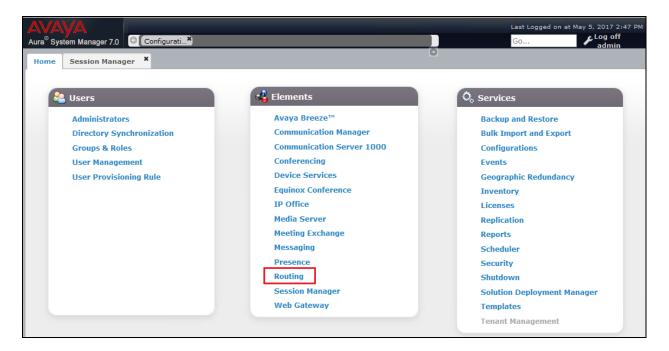
Solution & Interoperability Test Lab Application Notes ©2017 Avaya Inc. All Rights Reserved. The Session Manager tab is displayed. In the left navigation pane select **Session Manager Administration**. When the **Session Manager Administration** page is displayed select the **Session Manager Instances** tab and then select the Session Manager instance e.g., **DevvmSM** and click on **Edit** button to edit.

AVAVA				Last Logged on at May 5, 2017 2:47 PM
Aura [®] System Manager 7.0 Configurati*				Go FLog off admin
Home Session Manager *		0		
Session Manager Home / Elements	/ Session Manager / Session Mar	ager Administration		0
Dashboard				Help ?
Session Manager Session M	anager Administratio	on		
Administration This page allows yo their global settings	ou to administer Session Manager insta s.	nces and configure		
Communication Global Settings	Session Manager Instances	Pranch Cossion Manag	ar Instances	
Profile Editor	Session Manager Instances	Branch Session Manag	Jer Instances	
Network Session Man	ager Instances			
Configuration New View	Edit Delete			
Device and Location				
Configuration 1 Item 🖓				Filter: Enable
Application Name	License Primary Communication		Maximum Active	Description
Configuration	Mode Profiles		Profiles	Description
▹ System Status OevvmSM	Normal 11	0	11	Session Manger on VM
▶ System Tools Select : None				
▶ Performance				

The Edit Session Manager page is displayed. Scroll down to the CDR section, check on the check box Enable CDR to enable the CDR feature and enter a password in the Password and Confirm Password box for the CDR_User. Ensure that both Include User to User Calls and Include Incomplete Calls are both ticked as shown. If the site does not want to capture user to user calls or incomplete calls, then these boxes need not be checked. Click the Commit button (not shown) at the end of the page to commit the changes.

CDR 💌			
	Enable CDR		
	User	CDR_User	
	Password	••••••	
	Confirm Password	••••••	
	Data File Format	Enhanced XML File \sim	
	Include User to User Calls		
	Include Incomplete Calls		

Each SIP Entity must have their CDR enabled as well; in order to make changed to SIP Entities select **Routing** from Elements column as shown below.



Click on **SIP Entities** in the left window and select the Communication Manager SIP Entity from the main window and click on the **Edit** button. In the example below, it is **DevvmCM**.

AVAVA Aura [®] System Manager 7.0	Configurati*			ast Logged on at May 5, 2017 2:4 Go
Home Session Manager *	Routing ×		0	
Routing	Home / Elements / Routing / SIP	Entities		
Domains				Help ?
Locations	SIP Entities			
Adaptations	New Edit Delete Dup	licate More Actions -		
SIP Entities				
Entity Links	28 Items 🍣			Filter: Enable
Time Ranges	Name	FQDN or IP Address	Туре	Notes
Routing Policies	AACC-CM	10,110,0710-	Other	
Dial Patterns	AppMgr		SIP Trunk	NetIQ
Regular Expressions	CS1K Bottom		Other	SIP connection to CS1K
	DevAAM		Messaging	Messaging
Defaults	DevvmBreeze		Avaya Breeze	Avaya Breeze on VM 97.240
	DevvmCM	10.10.97.222	CM	VM CM
	DevvmCM2		СМ	SIP entity DevvmCM2 with G650

Change **Call Detail Recording** to **both** as shown below from the drop-down menu and click on **Commit** once finished.

SIP Entity Details	Comm	it Cancel
General		
* Name:	DevvmCM	
* FQDN or IP Address:	10.10.97.222	
Туре:	СМ	
Notes:	VM CM	
Adaptation:	~	
Location:	Belleville 🗸	
Time Zone:	America/Fortaleza	
* SIP Timer B/F (in seconds):	4	
Credential name:		
Securable:		
Call Detail Recording:	both 🗸	

Note: Repeat the same procedure for other SIP Entities if needed

7. Configure Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications

This section describes the configuration of Avotus EUR. Avotus installs, configures, and customizes the EUR application for the end customers. Thus, this section only describes the interface configuration, so that Avotus EUR can receive CDR data from Session Manager. The procedure covers the following areas:

- Login to Avotus EUR.
- Configure a site.
- Configure script and collection
- Start collection.

7.1. Login to Avotus EUR

To configure Avotus EUR, double click on the Avotus EUR icon on desktop (show below) and provide credentials to gain access into Avotus EUR in the Sign In window shown further below.



Powered	Ву
	US [®] ations Management
Login:	
Password:	
Language: English v	
SIGN	N

7.2. Configure a Site

From the **Enhanced Usage Reporting** screen shown below, navigate to Admin \rightarrow Sites \rightarrow Hierarchy to configure a site.



In the screen shown below, **Corporation 1** is created by default. Click on the top right **Add Site** icon highlighted below to add a site.

Reports Dashboards	Admin	
Sites	Corporat	ion 1
Hierarchy		
	Options	
Corporation 1	the Address of the Ad	
	Contact Inf	AVAR ADDREN
	Calendar C	onfiguration
	 Time Zone 	
	Properties	
	Name Creator	Corporation 1
		4/13/2017 10:58:21
	Creation Date Node Type	e 4/13/2017 10:58:21 corporation

In the **Add Site** window shown below, enter an appropriate name for **Site Name** field and click on the **OK** icon highlighted below.

Enhanced Usage Reporting				
Reports Dashboards Admi	'n			
Sites	Add Site			
Hierarchy	Site Name Avaya SM			
ể≌∰®® ⊡∙▶ Corporation 1				

Solution & Interoperability Test Lab Application Notes ©2017 Avaya Inc. All Rights Reserved. To assign the site created above for collection of data; navigate to Admin \rightarrow Call Accounting \rightarrow Application as shown in the screen below.



In the **Application** section, start the configuration by clicking on the **Configure** icon as highlighted in the screen below.

Enhanced Usage	Reporting
Reports Dashboards	Admin
Call Accounting	
Application	

In the **Site Assignments** window seen below, select the server name from the drop down menu to assign it to the site. In the example below, "WIN-IB7NT8C7NJP" is the Windows server name and "Avaya SM" is the site created earlier in this section.

Enhanced Usage Reporting				
Reports D	ashboards	Admin		
Call Accounting			Site Assignments	
Application			Corporation 1	
E-D Corporation		d .	Corporation 1	
Collection Services	ion			

Screen below shows the successful assigning of the site for collection.

Enhanced Usage	Repo	rting
Reports Dashboards	Admir	
Call Accounting		
Application		Call Accounting Site Installation Status: Completed
⊡-▶ Corporation 1 ▲ Avaya SM	4	Site Status Avaya S M Sucessfully Installed

7.3. Configure Collection and Service

7.3.1. Configuring Collection

To configure the collection for data, navigate to Admin \rightarrow Unified Communications \rightarrow Application as shown in the screen below.

Enhanced Usage Reporting			
Reports	Dashboards	Admin	
Directory			
Sites			
Call Account	ing		
Other Billing	Data		
Traffic Analy	sis		
Wireless Ma	nagement		
Order Mana	gement		
CS1000 Inv	entory		
CS1000 Trat	ffic		
Unified Com	munications		
Applicatio	n		

From the left navigation menu, click on **Avaya Collection** and from the right hand window of **Avaya IM Data Collection**, click on **Add Configuration Setting** and configure the following values,

- Site: Select the site configured in Section 7.2. • • Configuration Name: Type a descriptive name. • Collection For: Select "Avaya Expanded CDR XML" from the drop down menu. Extension length: During compliance testing default value were retained. • Ensure "SFTP" is selected from the drop down menu. • File Protocol: • Host Name: Management IP address of Session Manager. • Port Number: During compliance testing default value was retained. User Name: The default user name created in Session Manager in • Section 6.
- **Password**: The password configured in **Section 6** for the CDR user.

Complete the configuration by clicking on the **Save** button.

Enhanced Usage Reporting				
Reports Dashboards Ad	min			
Unified Communications	🤶 Avaya IM Data Collec	tion		
Application	Configuration Setting Details			
COLLECTION SERVICES	Add Configuration Setting			
 CISCO IM Collection Broadsoft Collection Vodia Collection Genband Collection Skype for Business Collection Avaya Collection 	File Protocol Host Name Port Number User Name Password	Corporation 1/Avaya SM ▼ SM XML CDR Avaya Expanded CDR XML ▼ 5 Extention length (Min 5 - Max 10) SFTP ▼ 10.10.97.227 22 Eg: 22 CDR_User 		

7.4. Start Collection

From the left navigation menu, click on **Avaya Collection** and from the right hand window of **Avaya IM Data Collection** click on **Schedule Collection Configuration** and configure the following values,

- Select Options:
- Job Name:
- Description:
- Start Date (YYYY/MM/DD):
- Start Time (HH MM):
- Interval Type:

Select the configuration configured in **Section 7.3**. Type a descriptive job name. Provide a description for the collection job. Provide a start date. Provide a start time.

Select an interval frequency for the collection.

Retain default values for all other fields and click on the **Save** button.

Enhanced Usage Reporting				
Reports Dashboards Adr	n			
Unified Communications	Avaya IM Data Collection			
Application	Configuration Setting Details			
COLLECTION SERVICES	Edit Configuration Setting			
 CISCO IM Collection Broadsoft Collection Vodia Collection Genband Collection Skyne for Business Collection Avaya Collection 	▼ Schedule Collection Configuration Select options Check All SM XML CDR			
	Job Name			
	Priority 5 V Wait For Notification			
	Enabled C			
	Start Date (YYY/MM/DD) Start Time (HH MM)			
	Interval Type Once Save Reset			

RS; Reviewed: SPOC 6/14/2017 Solution & Interoperability Test Lab Application Notes ©2017 Avaya Inc. All Rights Reserved. 22 of 28 AvotusEUR_SM70 🚰 Scheduler - 🗆 🗵 Edit View Help File 8 \mathbf{X} R r P \mathbb{R}^{n} Ð Started Time Job Corpo... Scheduled Time Interval Resources State Tasks SM XML Collection Corpo... 5/8/2017 9:56:00 AM Once Þ Queue Started Time State Tasks Task Server Queue / Resource Started Time NUM Ready

The collection job is created in the scheduler as shown below.

The collected raw CDR data can be found in the "Avaya_XML_Collection_Backup" folder, which is under the "/Rootdata/<Corporation number>/<Site number>" folder.

8. Verification Steps

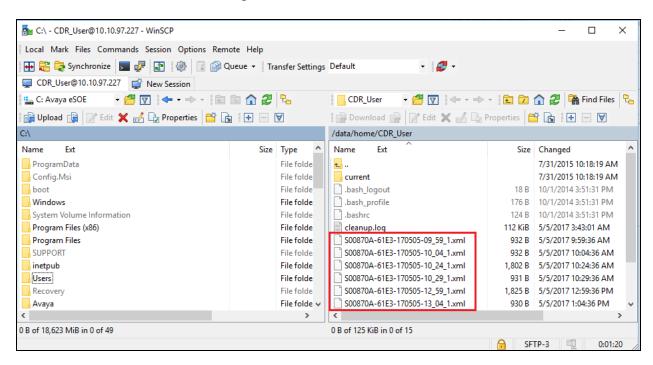
The following steps may be used to verify the configuration.

8.1. CDR information is being collected by Avaya Aura® Session Manager

Use a secure FTP application, e.g., WinSCP to connect to Session Manager by using the CDR_User and password to access the special folder that store the CDR files.

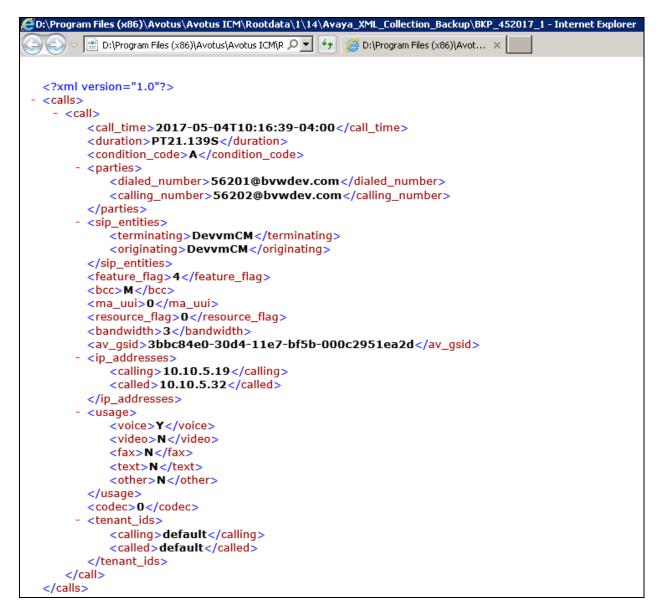
퉒 WinSCP Login		_	
New Site	Session File protocol: SFTP Host name: 10.10.97.227 User name: CDR_User Save	Password:	o <u>r</u> t number: 22
Tools Manage	🔁 Login 🛛 🔻	Close	Help

Place some different kinds of call; wait a few minutes for Session Manager to generate the CDR files. There should be a list of files present as shown below.



8.2. CDR Information Collected by Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications

Place internal, inbound trunk and outbound trunk calls to and from various telephones (SIP and H.323) and verify that Avotus EUR received the CDR record for the call. Compare the values of data fields in the CDR record with the expected values and verify that the values match. Screen below shows the raw CDR data collected by Avotus EUR which was then compared with the CDR data collected by the Session Manager XML file.



9. Conclusion

These Application Notes describe the steps required to configure Avotus Enhanced Usage Reporting for Unified Communications to interoperate with Avaya Aura® Session Manager and capturing/processing call records. All feature and serviceability test cases described in **Section 2.1** were passed with the observations pointed in **Section 2.2**.

10. Additional References

This section references the product documentation relevant to these Application Notes.

Product documentation for Avaya products may be found at http://support.avaya.com.

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