

## Avaya Solution & Interoperability Test Lab

Application Notes for the Amcom Smart Console and Desktop Applications; Phone Server, Operator Saver, Call Statistics and Parking Lot, with Avaya Communication Manager and Avaya Application Enablement Services - Issue 1.0

### **Abstract**

These Application Notes describe a compliance-tested configuration comprised of Avaya Communication Manager, Avaya Application Enablement Services, Avaya IP and Digital Telephones, and Amcom Smart Console and desktop applications (Phone Server, Operator Saver, Call Statistics, and Parking Lot).

Smart Console applications provide efficient operations through screen-based interactive functions including automatic screen displays (screen pops) of incoming calls, single button call transfers, conferencing, speed dialing and other telephony functions. This Windows-based application provides easy access to database information, messaging and staff tracking options.

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

### 1. Introduction

These Application Notes describe a compliance-tested configuration comprised of Avaya Communication Manager, Avaya Application Enablement Services (AES), Avaya IP and Digital Telephones, and Amcom Smart Console with its desktop applications (Phone Server, Operator Saver, Call Statistics, and Parking Lot).

Phone Server allows a user to operate a physical telephone, view call and telephone display information through a graphical user interface (GUI).

Operator Saver is a Windows application that uses automated greetings to ensure that every call is answered professionally and pleasantly. Each time a call is answered, Operator Saver answers the agent's incoming call.

Operator Statistics provides real-time monitoring of call center activity and reporting procedures including call processing statistics, messaging and paging activity. Reports may be generated for a particular day, operator, or time period; and an entire year of statistics can be stored online.

Parking Lot allows operators to centrally park callers so that any agent can finish servicing the parked call. Smart Park allows the agent to store information such as the caller's name, call back number, and other notes when parking a call.

Amcom utilizes first party call control structures to maximize the efficiencies of Smart Console applications and to provide cost-efficient choices for any call center size and budget.

**Figure 1** illustrates a sample configuration consisting of the following:

- a pair of redundant Avaya S8700 Media Servers
- an Avaya G650 Media Gateway
- an Avaya Application Enablement Services (AES) server
- Avaya S8300 Media Server with Avaya G350 Media Gateway
- Avaya 4600 Series IP Telephones
- Avaya 9600 series IP Telephone
- an Avaya 6402D Digital Telephone
- an Avaya 6408D+ Digital Telephone
- an Avaya 2420 Digital Telephone
- Amcom client computers, each running an Amcom CTI Service instance and Amcom Phone Server, Operator Saver, Call Statistics, and Parking Lot applications
- an Amcom Database server.

Avaya Communication Manager runs on the S8700 Media Servers. The solution described herein is also extensible to other Avaya Media Servers and Media Gateways. The Amcom CTI Service instances register with Avaya Communication Manager via the AES server as Device and Media Call Control API stations in shared control mode in order to monitor and control the Avaya 4600 Series IP Telephones, Avaya 9630 IP Telephone, Avaya 6408D+ Digital Telephone,

and Avaya 2420 Digital Telephone. The Phone Server applications regularly provide the Database server with call and lamp state information concerning the controlled telephones.

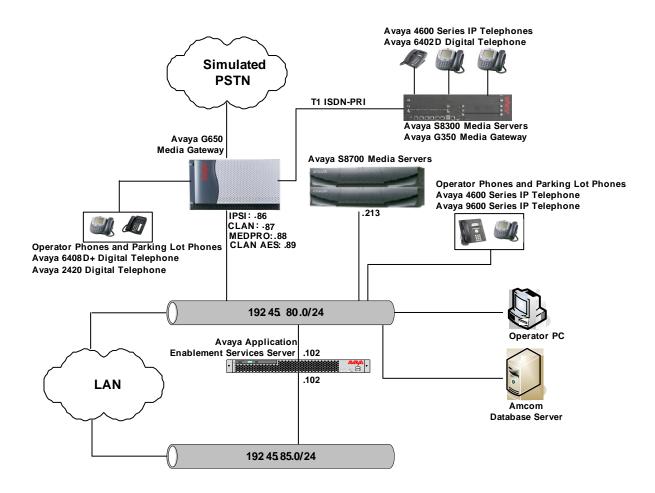


Figure 1: Sample Configuration.

# 2. Equipment and Software Validated

The following equipment and software/firmware were used for the sample configuration provided:

| Equipment                                    | Software/Firmware                 |  |  |  |  |
|--|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| Avaya S8700 Media Servers                    | Avaya Communication Manager 3.1.2 |  |  |  |  |
|  | (R013x.01.2.632.1)                |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya G650 Media Gateway                     | -                                 |  |  |  |  |
| TN2312BP IP Server Interface                 | HW12 FW22                         |  |  |  |  |
| TN799DP C-LAN Interface                      | HW1 FW16                          |  |  |  |  |
| TN2302AP IP Media Processor                  | HW11 FW107                        |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya S8300 Media Server with Avaya G350     | Avaya Communication Manager 3.1.2 |  |  |  |  |
| Media Gateway                                | (R013x.01.2.632.1)                |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya Application Enablement Services Server | 3.1. (r3-1-0-build-33-1-0)        |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya 4600 Series IP Telephones              | 2.6                               |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya 9600 series IP Telephone               | 1.1                               |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya 6408D+ Digital Telephone               | -                                 |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya 6402D Digital Telephone                | -                                 |  |  |  |  |
| Avaya 2420 Digital Telephone                 | -                                 |  |  |  |  |
| Amcom Smart Console                          | 4.0.6                             |  |  |  |  |
| Amcom Call Statistics                        | 4.0.6                             |  |  |  |  |
| Amcom Phone Server                           | 4.0.6                             |  |  |  |  |
| Amcom Operator Saver                         | 4.0.6                             |  |  |  |  |
| Amcom Parking Lot                            | 4.0.6                             |  |  |  |  |

## 3. Configure Avaya Communication Manager

This section describes the configuration in Avaya Communication Manager for the stations controlled/monitored by Amcom CTI Service instances.

#### 3.1. Device and Media Call Control API Station Licenses

The Amcom CTI Service instances appear as "virtual" stations/softphones to Avaya Communication Manager. Each of these virtual stations, hereafter called Device, Media and Call Control (DMCC) stations, requires an IP\_API\_A license. Note that this is separate and independent of Avaya IP Softphone licenses, which are required for Avaya IP Softphones but not required for Device, Media and Call Control stations. From the Avaya Communication Manager System Access Terminal (SAT) interface, enter the **display system-parameters customer-options** command. On Page 10 of the system-parameters customer-options form, verify there are sufficient **IP\_API\_A** licenses. If not, contact an authorized Avaya account representative to enable this feature.

| display sys | tem-p | arameters c | ustomer-options | 3      |         |    | Page | 10 of | 11 |
|-------------|-------|-------------|-----------------|--------|---------|----|------|-------|----|
|             |       | MAXIMUI     | M IP REGISTRATI | ONS BY | PRODUCT | ID |      |       |    |
|             |       |             |                 |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| Product ID  | Rel.  | Limit       | Used            |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_API_A    | :     | 200         | 1               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_API_B    | :     | 0           | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_API_C    | :     | 0           | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_Agent    | :     | 50          | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_IR_A     | :     | 0           | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_Phone    | :     | 12000       | 3               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_ROMax    | :     | 12000       | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_Soft     | :     | 5           | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |
| IP_eCons    | :     | 0           | 0               |        |         |    |      |       |    |

## 3.2. Configure AES Services

Enter the **display system-parameters customer-options** command. On Page 3 of the system-parameters customer-options form, verify that the ASAI Link Core Capabilities field is set to **y**. If not, contact an authorized Avaya account representative to enable this feature.

```
display system-parameters customer-options
                                                                    Page
                                                                           3 of 11
                                 OPTIONAL FEATURES
   Abbreviated Dialing Enhanced List? n Audible Message Waiting? n Access Security Gateway (ASG)? n Authorization Codes? y
        Analog Trunk Incoming Call ID? n Backup Cluster Automatic Takeover? n
A/D Grp/Sys List Dialing Start at 01? n
                                                                   CAS Branch? n
Answer Supervision by Call Classifier? n
                                                                    CAS Main? n
                                                           Change COR by FAC? n
                                  ARS? y
                 ARS/AAR Partitioning? y Computer Telephony Adjunct Links? n
                                            Cvg Of Calls Redirected Off-net? n
          ARS/AAR Dialing without FAC? y
          ASAI Link Core Capabilities? y
                                                                 DCS (Basic)? n
          ASAI Link Plus Capabilities? y
                                                           DCS Call Coverage? n
       Async. Transfer Mode (ATM) PNC? n
                                                          DCS with Rerouting? n
  Async. Transfer Mode (ATM) Trunking? n
              ATM WAN Spare Processor? n
                                           Digital Loss Plan Modification? n
                                  ATMS? n
                                                                      DS1 MSP? y
```

Enter the **change node-names ip** command. The C-LAN board (CLAN-AES) was enabled with Application Enablement Services to serve the AES link.

| change node-names | ip              |          | Page 1 of 1 |
|-------------------|-----------------|----------|-------------|
|                   | IP NC           | DE NAMES |             |
| Name              | IP Address      | Name     | IP Address  |
| CDR_buffer        | 192.45 .80 .250 |          |             |
| CLAN              | 192.45 .80 .87  |          |             |
| CLAN-AES          | 192.45 .80 .89  |          |             |
| G350              | 192.45 .82 .2   |          |             |
| MEDPRO            | 192.45 .80 .88  |          |             |
| MEDPRO2           | 192.45 .80 .161 |          |             |
| S8300             | 192.45 .81 .11  |          |             |
| default           | 0 .0 .0 .0      |          |             |
|                   |                 |          |             |

Enter the **change ip-services** command. On Page 1 of the ip-services form, configure entries for the C-LAN board that is dedicated for the AES link:

- Service Type set to **AESVCS**.
- Enabled set to y.
- Local Node **CLAN-AES** [Set to the node name of the C-LAN that serves the AES link].
- Local Port set to **8765**.

| change ip-services                |                              |                                      |                | Page           | 1 of | 4 |  |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------|---|--|
| Service Enabl<br>Type<br>AESVCS y | ed Local<br>Node<br>CLAN-AES | IP SERVICES<br>Local<br>Port<br>8765 | Remote<br>Node | Remote<br>Port |      |   |  |

On Page 4 of the ip-services form, enter the hostname of the AES server (ssh into the AES server and run "uname –a" to get the hostname) for the AE Services Server field and an alphanumeric password for the Password field. Set the Enabled field to **y**. The same password will be configured on the AES server in Section 4.1.

| display ip-ser             | rvices                  |          |         | Page   | 4 of | 4 |  |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|----------|---------|--------|------|---|--|
| AE Services Administration |                         |          |         |        |      |   |  |
|                            |                         |          |         |        |      |   |  |
| Server ID                  | AE Services             | Password | Enabled | Status |      |   |  |
|                            | Server                  |          |         |        |      |   |  |
| 1:                         | server1 xxxxxxxxxxxxx y |          | У       | idle   |      |   |  |
| 2:                         |                         |          |         |        |      |   |  |

#### 3.3. Feature Access Codes

Enter the **display feature-access-codes** command. On Page 5 of the feature-access-codes form, note the Login Access Code and Logout Access Code.

```
display feature-access-codes
                                                                 Page 5 of
                               FEATURE ACCESS CODE (FAC)
                         Automatic Call Distribution Features
                    After Call Work Access Code: 120
                             Assist Access Code:
                            Auto-In Access Code: 122
                           Aux Work Access Code: 123
                              Login Access Code: 124
                             Logout Access Code: 125
                          Manual-in Access Code:
      Service Observing Listen Only Access Code:
      Service Observing Listen/Talk Access Code:
          Service Observing No Talk Access Code:
                   Add Agent Skill Access Code:
                 Remove Agent Skill Access Code:
             Remote Logout of Agent Access Code:
```

## 3.4. Abbreviated Dialing

Enter the **add abbreviated-dialing group g** command, where **g** is the number of an available abbreviated dialing group. In the DIAL CODE list, enter the Feature Access Codes for ACD Login and Logout from Section 3.3.

```
add abbreviated-dialing group 1

ABBREVIATED DIALING LIST

Group List: 1 Group Name: Call Center
Size (multiple of 5): 5 Program Ext: Privileged? n

DIAL CODE

11: 124
12: 125
13:
14:
15:
```

### 3.5. Configure Physical Telephones

Enter the **change station r** command, where **r** is the extension of a registered, physical Avaya IP or Digital telephone. On Page 1 of the STATION form, enter a Security Code and set the IP SoftPhone field to **y** to allow the physical station to be controlled by a softphone such as the Phone Server application.

```
change station 22001
                                                                          4
                                                            Page
                                                                   1 of
                                    STATION
Extension: 22001
                                         Lock Messages? n
                                                                   BCC: 0
    Type: 4620
                                         Security Code: *
                                                                   TN: 1
                                       Coverage Path 1:
    Port: S00000
                                                                   COR: 1
    Name: 22001
                                       Coverage Path 2:
                                                                   cos: 1
                                       Hunt-to Station:
STATION OPTIONS
             Loss Group: 19 Personalized Ringing Pattern: 1
                                                   Message Lamp Ext: 22001
           Speakerphone: 2-way
                                               Mute Button Enabled? y
       Display Language: english
                                                   Expansion Module? n
Survivable GK Node Name:
         Survivable COR: internal
                                                  Media Complex Ext:
  Survivable Trunk Dest? y
                                                       IP SoftPhone? y
                                                 IP Video Softphone? n
```

On Page 2 of the STATION form, verify that the Auto Select Any Idle Appearance field is enabled.

```
change station 22001
                                                                Page
                                                                       2 of
                                     STATION
FEATURE OPTIONS
          LWC Reception: spe
                                           Auto Select Any Idle Appearance? y
         LWC Activation? y
                                                    Coverage Msg Retrieval? y
 LWC Log External Calls? n
                                                              Auto Answer: none
            CDR Privacy? n
                                                          Data Restriction? n
  Redirect Notification? y
                                               Idle Appearance Preference? n
Per Button Ring Control? n
                                             Bridged Idle Line Preference? n
  Bridged Call Alerting? n
                                                Restrict Last Appearance? y
 Active Station Ringing: single Conf/Trans on Primary Appearance: n
                                                         EMU Login Allowed? n
        H.320 Convers:
ervice Link Mode: as-neede
Multimedia Mode: enhanced
User Type:
       H.320 Conversion? n
                               Per Station CPN - Send Calling Number?
       Service Link Mode: as-needed
   MWI Served User Type:
                                               Display Client Redirection? n
                                              Select Last Used Appearance? n
            IP Hoteling? n
                                                Coverage After Forwarding? s
 Remote Softphone Emergency Calls: as-on-local Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y
 Emergency Location Ext: 22001 Always Use? n IP Audio Hairpinning? n
```

On Page 3 of the STATION form, for ABBREVIATED DIALING List 2, enter the abbreviated dialing group configured in Section 3.4. On Pages 3 and 4 of the STATION forms, configure the following BUTTON ASSIGNMENTS in addition to the call-appr (call appearance) buttons:

- release
- auto-in
- aux-work
- abrv-dial configure two of these buttons, one for Login and one for Logout.
- after-call

```
change station 22001
                                                             Page
                                                                   3 of
                                   STATION
SITE DATA
      Room:
                                                     Headset? n
      Jack:
                                                     Speaker? n
     Cable:
                                                    Mounting: d
     Floor:
                                                 Cord Length: 0
  Building:
                                                   Set Color:
ABBREVIATED DIALING
    List1: personal 1 List2: group 1
                                                     List3:
BUTTON ASSIGNMENTS
                                      5: auto-in
1: call-appr
                                                            Grp:
2: call-appr
                                      6: aux-work
                                                    RC:
                                                            Grp:
                                      7: abrv-dial List: 2 DC: 11
3: call-appr
4: abrdg-appr Ext:25001
                                      8: abrv-dial List: 2 DC: 12
```

```
change station 22001

STATION

FEATURE BUTTON ASSIGNMENTS

9: after-call Grp:
10: Release
11: q-calls Grp:
```

The following screen shows the operator's private line configuration. Enter the **add station r** command, where **r** is the extension of a virtual telephone. On Page 1 of the STATION form, configure the highlighted fields, shown below.

```
add station 25001
                                                                                  1 of
                                                                          Page
                                           STATION
Extension: 25001
                                                 Lock Messages? n BCC: 0
                                               Security Code: TN: 1
Coverage Path 1: COR: 1
Coverage Path 2: COS: 1
Hunt-to Station: Tests? y
     Type: 2500
     Port: x
     Name: Abrdg on 22001
STATION OPTIONS
               Loss Group: 1
                                                   Message Waiting Indicator: none
    Off Premises Station? n
           Survivable COR: internal
   Survivable Trunk Dest? y
```

Repeat the instructions provided in this section for each physical station (and its private line) that is to be controlled/monitored by an Amcom CTI Service instance.

## 3.6. Configure Parking Lot Telephones

Enter the **add station r** command, where **r** is the extension of a registered, physical Avaya IP or Digital telephone. On Page 1 of the STATION form, enter a Type, a Security Code, and set the IP SoftPhone field to **y** to allow the physical station to be controlled by a softphone such as the Phone Server application.

```
add station 27001
                                                                   Page 1 of 5
                                       STATION
                                      Lock Messages? n
Security Code: *
Coverage Path 1:
Coverage Path 2:
Extension: 27001
                                                                          BCC: 0
     Type: 4620
                                                                            TN: 1
                                                                           COR: 1
     Port: IP
    Name: Parking Lot 1
                                                                           cos: 1
                                       Hunt-to Station:
STATION OPTIONS
                                             Time of Day Lock Table:
              Loss Group: 19 Personalized Ringing Pattern: 1
      Speakerphone: 2-way
Display Language: english
vable GK Node Name:
                                                   Message Lamp Ext: 27001
                                              Mute Button Enabled? y
                                                  Expansion Module? n
Survivable GK Node Name:
     Survivable COR: internal
                                                 Media Complex Ext:
   Survivable Trunk Dest? y
                                                        IP SoftPhone? y
                                                 IP Video Softphone? n
                                              Customizable Labels? y
```

#### On Page 2 of the STATION form, configure the highlighted fields, as shown below.

```
add station 27001
                                                                      2 of
                                                               Page
                                    STATION
FEATURE OPTIONS
                                          Auto Select Any Idle Appearance? y
          LWC Reception: spe
         LWC Activation? y
                                                   Coverage Msg Retrieval? y
 LWC Log External Calls? n
                                                             Auto Answer: none
           CDR Privacy? n
                                                        Data Restriction? n
  Redirect Notification? y
                                               Idle Appearance Preference? n
Per Button Ring Control? n
                                             Bridged Idle Line Preference? n
                                                 Restrict Last Appearance? y
  Bridged Call Alerting? n
 Active Station Ringing: single
                                         Conf/Trans on Primary Appearance? y
                                                        EMU Login Allowed? n
       H.320 Conversion? n
                                    Per Station CPN - Send Calling Number?
      Service Link Mode: as-needed
        Multimedia Mode: enhanced
   MWI Served User Type:
                                               Display Client Redirection? n
             AUDIX Name:
                                              Select Last Used Appearance? n
                                                Coverage After Forwarding? s
 Remote Softphone Emergency Calls: as-on-local Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y
 Emergency Location Ext: 27001
                               Always Use? n
                                                     IP Audio Hairpinning? n
```

#### On Page 3 of the STATION form, configure the highlighted fields, as shown below.

```
add station 27001
                                                                  Page
                                                                          3 of
                                                                                 4
                                      STATION
 SITE DATA
      Room:
                                                          Headset? n
      Jack:
                                                          Speaker? n
      Cable:
                                                         Mounting: d
      Floor:
                                                      Cord Length: 0
  Building:
                                                        Set Color:
ABBREVIATED DIALING
     List1:
                               List2:
                                                           List3:
BUTTON ASSIGNMENTS
                                          5: abrdg-appr
                                                                Ext:28003
 1: call-appr
                                                                Ext:28004
 2: call-appr
                                           6: abrdg-appr
 3: abrdg-appr
                      Ext:28001
 4: abrdg-appr
                      Ext:28002
                                           8: release
```

The following screen shows the configuration of a companion station for the Parking Lot station. On Page 1 of the STATION form, configure the highlighted fields, as shown below.

```
add station 28001
                                                                    Page 1 of 3
                                       STATION
                                             Lock Messages? n
Security Code:
overage Path 1:
                                                                       BCC: 0
Extension: 28001
                                                                         TN: 1
     Type: 2500
     Port: x
                                           Coverage Path 1:
                                                                        COR: 1
                                                                       cos: 1
                                           Coverage Path 2: COS: 1
Hunt-to Station: Tests? y
     Name: park ext 27001
STATION OPTIONS
             Loss Group: 1
                                               Message Waiting Indicator: none
    Off Premises Station? n
          Survivable COR: internal
   Survivable Trunk Dest? y
```

Repeat the instructions provided in this section for each Parking Lot station and its companion station that are to be controlled/monitored by an Amcom CTI Service instance.

## 4. Configure AES

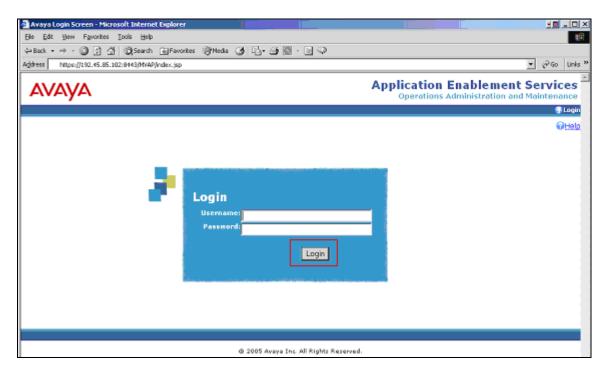
Avaya Application Enablement Services (AES) server enables Computer Telephony Interface (CTI) applications to control and monitor telephony resources on Avaya Communication Manager. The Avaya Application Enablement Services (AES) server receives requests from CTI applications, and forwards the request to Avaya Communication Manager. Conversely, the Avaya Application Enablement Services (AES) server receives responses and events from Avaya Communication Manager and forwards them to the appropriate CTI applications.

In this section, the following steps will be discussed:

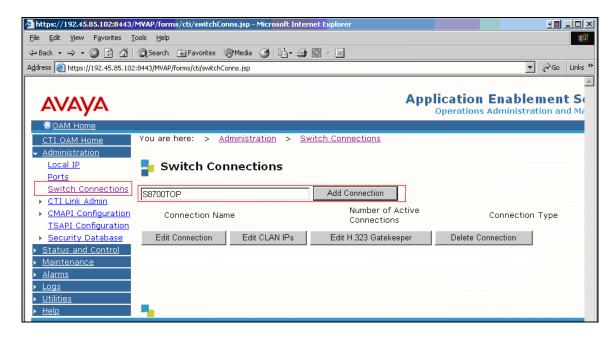
- Configuring a Switch Connection
- Configuring an AES (CMAPI) user and a CMAPI port.

## 4.1. Configure Switch Connection

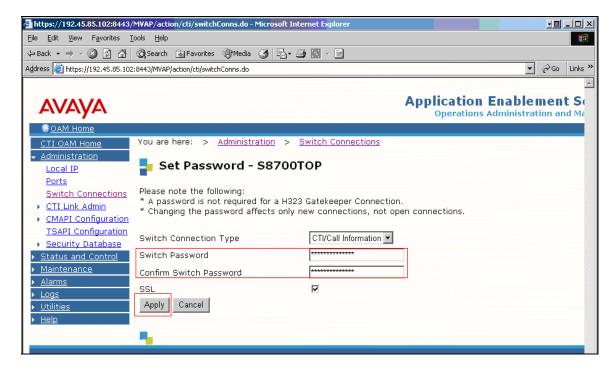
Launch a web browser, enter <a href="https://<IP address of AES server>:8443/MVAP">https://<IP address of AES server>:8443/MVAP</a> in the URL, and log in with the appropriate credentials for accessing the AES CTI OAM pages.



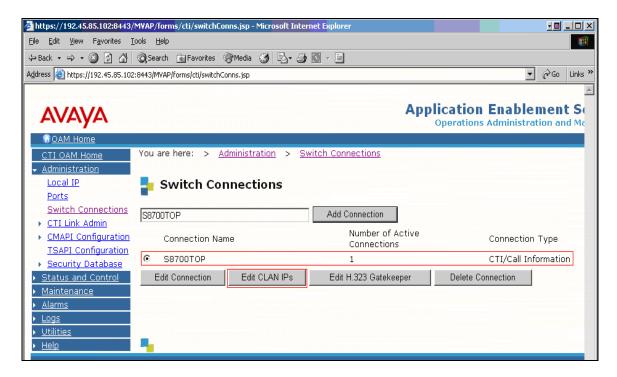
Click on CTI OAM Home → Administration → Switch Connections in the left pane to invoke the Switch Connections page. A Switch Connection defines a connection between the AES server and Avaya Communication Manager. Enter a descriptive name for the Switch Connection and click on Add Connection.



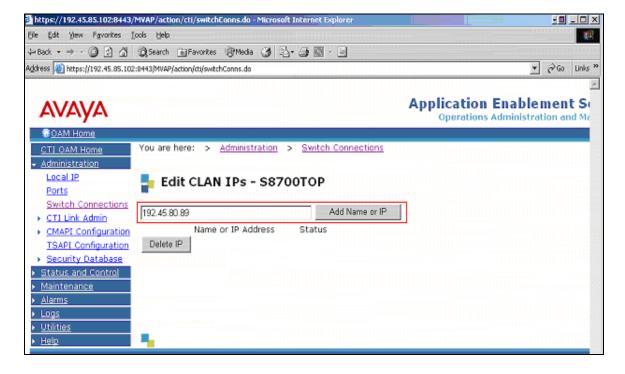
The next window that appears prompts for the Switch Connection password. Enter the same password that was administered in Avaya Communication Manager in Section 3.2. Default values may be used in the remaining fields. Click on **Apply**.



After returning to the Switch Connections page, select the radio button corresponding to the switch connection added previously, and click on **Edit CLAN IPs**.

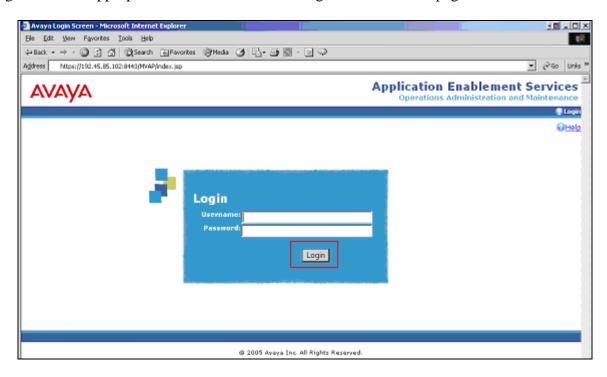


Enter the IP address of a C-LAN board enabled with Application Enablement Services (see Section 3.2) and click on **Add Name or IP**. Repeat this step as necessary to add other C-LAN boards enabled with Application Enablement Services.

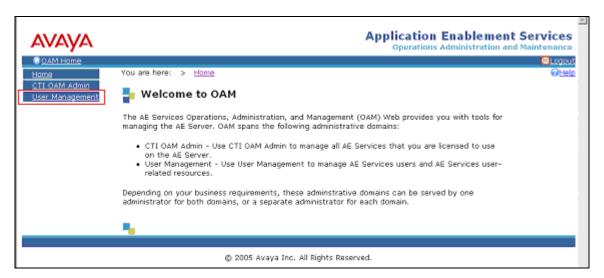


## 4.2. Configure CMAPI User

The steps in this section describe the configuration of an AES (CMAPI) user and a CMAPI port. Launch a web browser, enter <a href="https://<IP address of AES server>:8443/MVAP">https://<IP address of AES server>:8443/MVAP</a> in the URL, and log in with the appropriate credentials for accessing the OAM Home page.



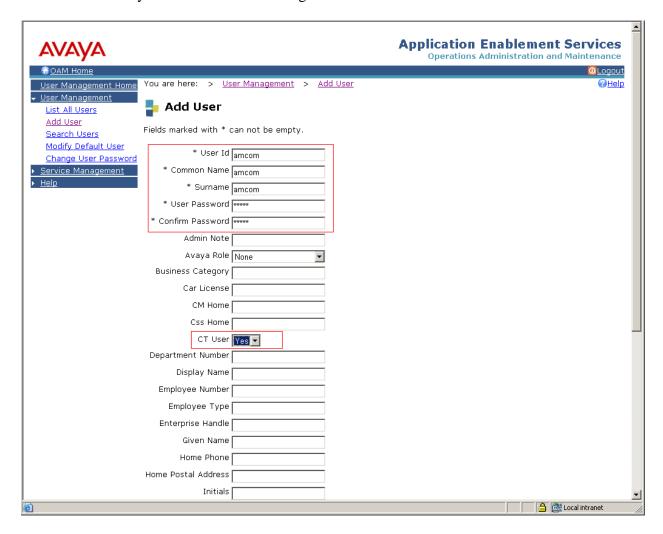
From the OAM Home page, navigate to the **OAM Home** → **User Management** → **Add User** page to add a CMAPI user.



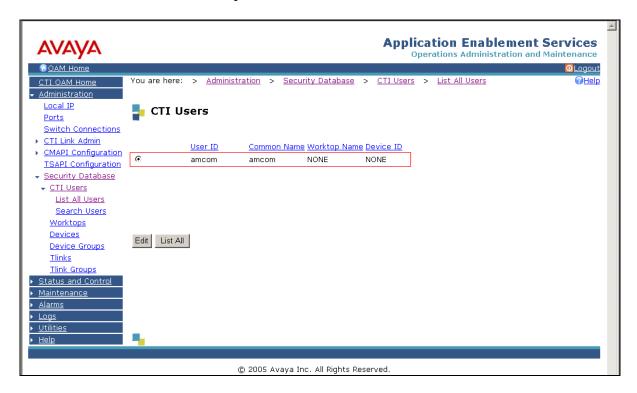
On the Add User page, provide the following information:

- User Id
- Common Name
- Surname
- User Password
- Confirm Password

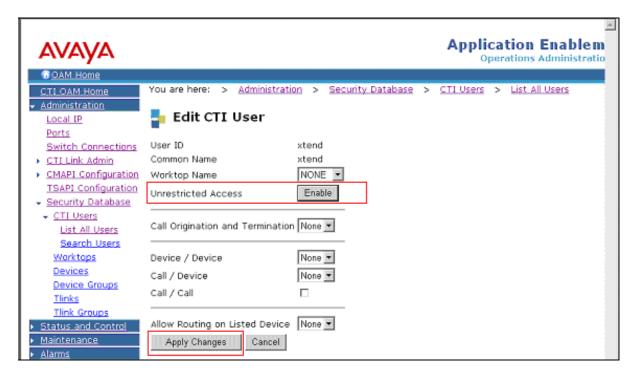
Select **Yes** using the drop down menu on the CT User field. This enables the user as a CT user. Click the **Apply** button (not shown here) at the bottom of the screen to complete the process. Default values may be used in the remaining fields



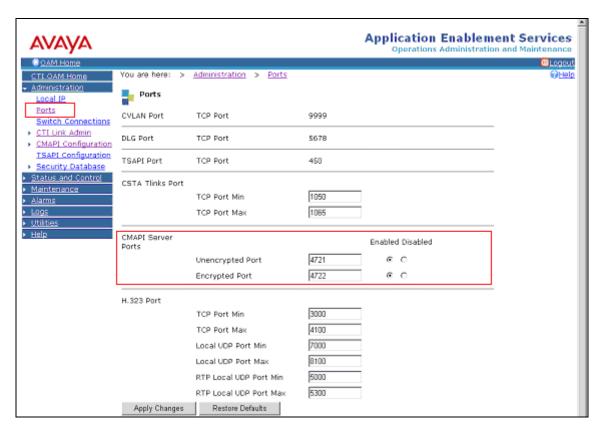
Once the user is created, navigate to the **OAM Home** → **CTI OAM Admin** → **Administration** → **Security Database** → **CTI Users** → **List All Users** page. Select an appropriate Used ID, and click the **Edit** button to set the permission of the user.



Provide the user with unrestricted access privileges by clicking the **Enable** button on the Unrestricted Access field. Click the **Apply Changes** button.



Navigate to the **OAM Home** → **CTI OAM Admin** → **Administration** → **Ports** page to set the CMAPI server port. During the compliance test, the default port values were utilized. The following screen displays the default port values. If CMAPI Server Ports are changed, then, click the **Apply Changes** button to submit new values.



## 5. Configure Amcom Phone Server and Operator Saver

Amcom installs, configures, and customizes Phone Server and Operator Saver applications for their end customers.

## 6. Interoperability Compliance Testing

The interoperability compliance testing included feature and serviceability testing. The feature testing evaluated the ability of the Amcom Phone Server/Operator Saver desktop applications to operate/monitor Avaya IP and Digital telephones and view display and first party call information. The serviceability testing introduced failure scenarios to see if the Amcom CTI Service is able to resume operation after failure recovery.

## 6.1. General Test Approach

The general approach was to exercise basic telephone and call operations on Avaya IP and Digital telephones using the aforementioned Amcom desktop applications. The main objectives were to verify that:

- The user may successfully use Phone Server to perform off-hook, on-hook, dial, answer, hold, retrieve, transfer, conference, and release operations on the physical telephone.
- The agent user may successfully use Phone Server to log into and out of an ACD, and move between agent work modes.
- Manual operations performed on the physical telephone are correctly reflected in the Phone Server GUI.
- Phone Server and manual telephone operations may be used interchangeably; for example, go off-hook using Phone Server and manually dial digits.
- Display and call information on the physical telephone is accurately reflected in the Phone Server GUI.
- Call Stats are consistent between Phone Server and the physical telephone.
- The configured Operator Saver greeting is correctly played to the caller when an inbound call is answered.
- Incoming calls can be parked and retrieve the parked calls.

For serviceability testing, cable disconnects and reconnects, application restarts, and device resets were applied.

#### 6.2. Test Results

The objectives of Section 6.1 were verified. For serviceability testing, the Amcom CTI Service was able to regain control of the physical telephone after restarts of the Amcom CTI Service, the computer on which it runs, and the Avaya Application Enablement Services (AES) server. The following observation was obtained from testing:

• If the Amcom CTI Service is unexpectedly unregistered by Avaya Communication Manager or AES, it does not attempt to re-register. The workaround is to restart the Amcom CTI Service.

## 7. Verification Steps

The following steps may be used to verify the configuration:

- From the Amcom client computers, ping IP interfaces, in particular the Avaya Application Enablement Services server, and verify connectivity.
- For the physical IP telephones, verify that the physical telephones are registered by using the **list registered-ip-stations** command from Avaya Communication Manager SAT interface. For the physical Digital telephones, verify that the telephones are attached to the correct ports.
- Verify that the Amcom CTI Service instances are registered with Avaya Communication Manager by using the **list registered-ip-stations** command from Avaya Communication Manager SAT interface.
- Verify that the AES link between Avaya AES and Avaya Communication Manager, by
  using the status aes link and status aes interface commands from Avaya
  Communication Manager SAT interface.
- Go off-hook and on-hook on the controlled telephones manually and using Phone Server, and verify consistency.
- Place and answer calls from the controlled telephones manually and using Phone Server, and verify consistency.
- Answer calls on the controlled telephones, and verify that the appropriate Operator Saver recorded greeting is played to the caller.
- Verify that operators can park and retrieve incoming calls.

## 8. Support

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## 9. Conclusion

These Application Notes illustrate the procedures for configuring Amcom Smart Console and its desktop applications to operate with Avaya Application Enablement Services and Avaya Communication Manager. During compliance testing, all applications are successfully tested and verified:

- Phone Server allowed a user to operate a physical telephone and view call and telephone display information through a graphical user interface (GUI).
- Operator Saver played a recorded greeting when an incoming call is answered.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> An example of an "unexpected" registration is one where the physical station monitored by the Amcom CTI Service resets and is thereby unregistered. An "expected" registration is one in which the Amcom CTI Service instance requests unregistration and then receives unregistration confirmation from Avaya Communication Manager via AES.

- Operator Statistics application provided the call detail statistics (source, destination, and a call duration).
- Parking Lot allows operators to centrally park callers so that any agent can finish servicing the parked call.

### 10. Additional References

Product documentation for Avaya products may be found at <a href="http://support.avaya.com">http://support.avaya.com</a>.

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