



Policy Controller Fault Management

What's new in (I)SN08

The Policy Controller is a new component in the CS 2000 network of components. The following features are covered in this first release of the NTP:

- Feature A00007389
- Feature A00007392

Fault management strategy overview

The Policy Controller uses self-testing, automated diagnostics and log reporting systems to support maintenance activities and to manage faults. These systems raise alarms and generate logs when the following types of hardware or software events occur:

- fault or failure conditions
- correction or resolution of fault or failure conditions
- when a preset operating performance or resource capacity threshold is crossed or exceeded
- a condition occurs that is transient or cannot be repaired.

Fault management for the Policy Controller platform encompasses:

- setting up resource thresholds such as monitoring disk usage
- activating monitoring of specified resources such as disk drives or file systems
- monitoring alarms at the CS 2000 Server NCGL Platform Manager or Policy Controller Manager GUIs
- reviewing log reports using the CS 2000 Server NCGL Platform Manager or Policy Controller GUIs or the NGCL CLI (command line interface)

Note: Because Policy Controller can be configured to transfer log reports to the OSS network, the logs reports may be available

to Integrated EMS or other 3rd party OSS applications. Otherwise, they are available on the disk drives of either unit.

Fault clearing is dependent on the timely resolution of alarm conditions. Alarms cannot be manually cleared without first removing the alarm condition.

Some hardware faults may require part replacement. This NTP provides instructions for replacing an entire Policy Controller unit (the standby unit only). For instructions on replacing individual field replaceable units (FRUs) that make up a Policy Controller unit, refer to the HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product, available either from your vendor or from the Hewlett-Packard web site.

Fault management tools and utilities

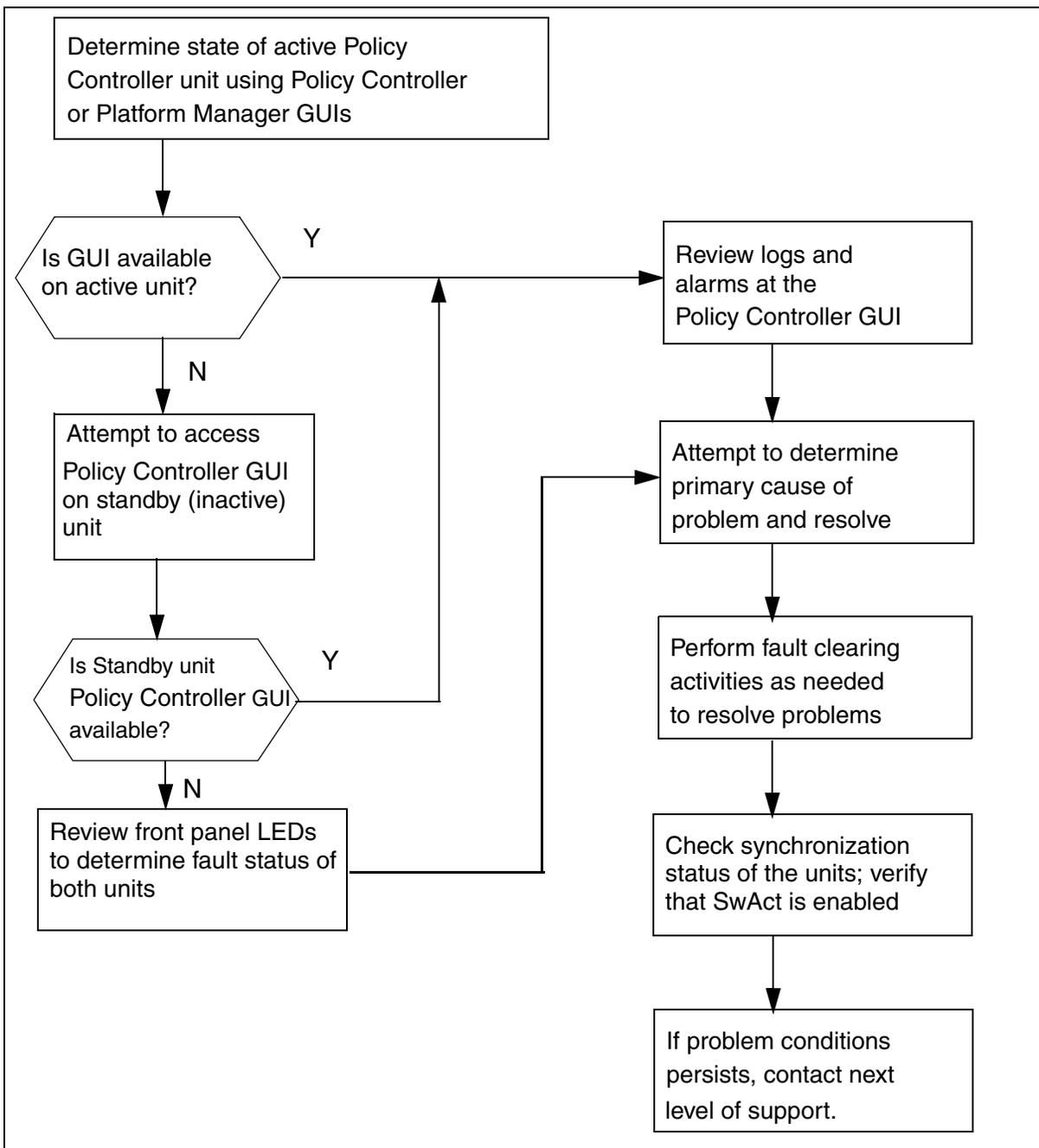
Fault management for the Policy Controller is provided by the Policy Controller and Platform Manager GUIs.

In most cases, these interfaces are accessed using the Integrated EMS application, however, some cases may require you to access them directly from a console connection directly connected to one of the Policy Controller units.

Fault handling and correction on the Policy Controller node

The following flowchart shows the overall process for performing fault handling on the Policy Controller platform:

Policy Controller fault management task flow



Fault handling by the Policy Controller platform

The following table provides a summary of the fault handling behavior of the Policy Controller node in response to various fault conditions. In some cases, fault management behavior is automatically initiated by the system node maintenance. In most cases, other actions must be performed by service personnel. In all cases, refer to the customer logs for more detailed information and a history about the fault event.

Policy Controller platform fault handling-system and manual interventions

Fault Event	Action
Total Loss of LAN Connectivity on the active unit when both units are operational	System SwActs to the inactive unit. Reset former active unit if the condition persists. After LAN connectivity is restored and reset completes, verify that the inactive unit comes back into sync with the active unit.
Total Loss of LAN Connectivity on the active unit with no standby unit available	Wait about two minutes and reset the active unit. (The wait time accommodates SDM/CBM and router upgrade outages.)
Total Loss of LAN Connectivity for both units	If condition persists, wait about two minutes and reboot the active unit. The inactive unit will now become active. If after 60 seconds there is still no LAN Connectivity for the newly active unit, reboot it as well.
Single Ethernet link Outage on one or both units	If necessary the system automatically switches the active ethernet link. Monitor for ethernet recovery by viewing alarms and logs.
Loss of Point to Point Connectivity between units when both units are operational	Consult alarms and logs views on the active unit to determine the fault details. System automatically continues to communicate with mate unit using the LAN connections.
Platform Time Out or Power Cycle on an active unit when both units are operational	System SwActs and the inactive immediately takes over; former active reboots.
Platform Time Out or Power Cycle on an inactive unit	The inactive unit reboots automatically.
Platform Time Out or Power Cycle when only the a single unit is available and active	The single, active unit reboots and determines mastership.

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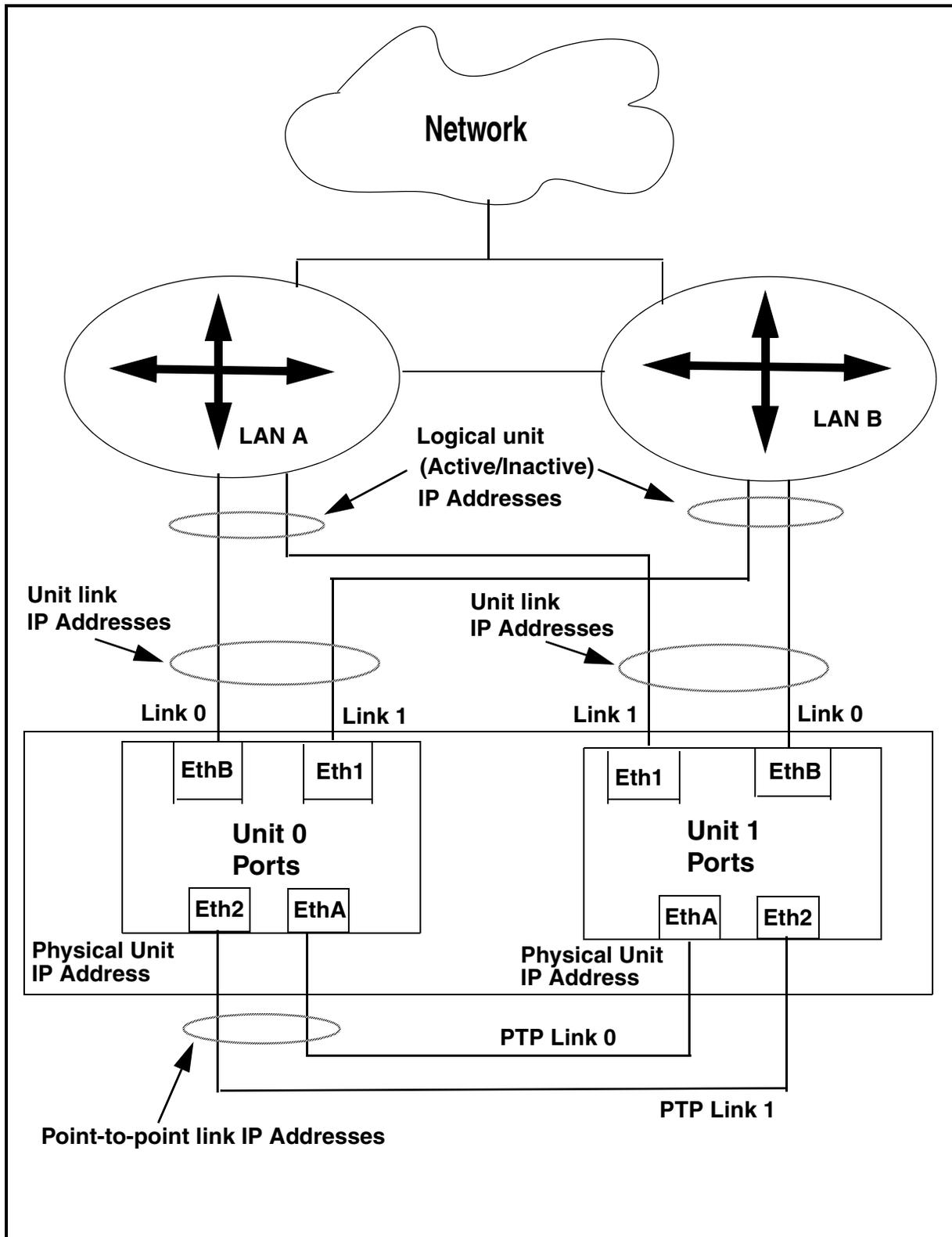
Fault Event	Action
Total Disk Outage on active unit when both units are operational	The system automatically SwActs over to the inactive unit. Consult alarms and logs views on the newly active unit to acquire fault details and to determine action. Consider replacing drives on affected unit.
Total Disk Outage on active unit with no standby unit operational	Consult alarms and logs views for fault details. Contact next level of support.
Total Disk Outage on inactive unit both units are operational	Consult alarms and logs views in the GUIs on the active unit to determine fault details. First reboot inactive unit as an attempt to clear the fault, then replace faulty drive(s) on inactive unit.

Troubleshooting point-to-point ethernet links

Use the following section to help in troubleshooting problems with the PTP (point-to-point) links on each Policy Controller unit. PTP links are used as communication links between Policy Controller units to maintain fault tolerant redundancy. Do not confuse the PTP links with the other links connecting each Policy Controller unit with the central office LAN.

The following figure shows all port and link connections for both Policy Controller units. Port ethB of each unit is connected directly to a LAN switch, while port eth1 is connected to the redundant LAN switch. Ports ethA and eth2, used for the PTP links on each unit are cross-connected to the mate ports on the mate units. This configuration is used to support full network redundancy between both units and between the units and the network.

Physical map of Policy Controller ethernet links and ports



If a single PTP link goes down, an Alarm is raised and an XTS335 log generated; however, from the Network Connectivity page the status of the PTP links continues to be marked as “.” which means that the links are in service. The PTP status field on the Network connectivity page only show that there is a problem if both PTP links go down, as would be the case if an entire unit is taken out of service. The following figure indicates the location of the status indicator for the PTP links on each unit.

Locating PTP link status on the Network Connectivity page

Unit IP	Active IP	Port 0 IP	Port 1 IP	PTP IP
10.67.99.67	10.67.99.72	10.67.99.65	10.67.99.66	192.168.
Links	Status	Activity	Maintenance	
Link 0	.	Active	Lock 0	Swlnk
Link 1	.	Inactive	Lock 1	
PTP Links		.		

Unit 1 Links				
Unit IP	Inactive IP	Port 0 IP	Port 1 IP	PTP IP
10.67.99.70	10.67.99.71	10.67.99.68	10.67.99.69	192.168.
Links	Status	Activity		
Link 0	.	Active		
Link 1	.	Inactive		
PTP Links		.		

The following is an example of the alarm that is generated when a single PTP link goes down. The section of the alarm message in bold highlights the key difference from the alarm message raised when both PTP links are down:

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Communications Communications Subsystem Failure
Thursday July 22nd 2004 09:43:04 AM cablab.ss.unit1
Major Link0: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL;
Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
PTP0-SYSB, mateCon: AVAIL;
    
```

The following is an example of the alarm that is generated when both PTP links go down. The section of the alarm message in bold highlights

the key difference from the alarm message raised when a single PTP link is down:

```
Communications Communications Subsystem Failure
Thursday July 22nd 2004 10:32:34 AM cablab.ss.unit1
Major Link0: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL;
Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
```

Monitoring and analyzing alarms

The Policy Controller platform generates alarms. These alarms can be viewed on the Policy Controller GUI's Alarm page. The Alarms view sorts alarms by severity (most severe first), then by time (oldest first). If the Policy Controller is forwarding the SNMP traps to Integrated EMS and the operator is using Integrated EMS to view Policy Controller alarms, refer to *Integrated EMS Fault Management*, NN10334-911.

View of the Policy Controller Manager alarms page

The Alarms panel updates every 45 seconds Datestamp of last update: Saturday January 29th 2005 03:29:07 AM CST					
Type	ID	Timestamp	Host	Severity	Description
Communications	Communications Subsystem Failure	Thursday January 27th 2005 05:14:56 PM	SPC2	Major	Link0: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
Communications	Communications Subsystem Failure	Thursday January 27th 2005 05:14:56 PM	SPC2	Major	Link0: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
Communications	Communications Protocol Error	Wednesday January 26th 2005 10:45:42 AM	SPC2	Major	Host is not communicating with any NTP server(s); No. of configured server(s): 1; No. of accessible server(s): 0.
		Wednesday			

Alarms provide notification that a system hardware or software-related event has occurred that requires attention. Alarms are generated when problems or conditions are detected that can change the performance or operating state of a Policy Controller node and its connectivity with the network. Administration of the network elements requires monitoring for alarms and checking that functions continue without interruption.

The Policy Controller has the capability to generate alarms to report faults for the following conditions:

- network connectivity
- maintenance action failure
- mate communication

- disk usage
- memory usage
- disk mirroring failures

Alarms are formatted and displayed as defined in CCITT X.733 (Systems management: Alarm reporting function) as follows: the alarm type, alarm ID, timestamp, hostname, level of severity and a description of the alarm condition. The alarms that are raised at this panel are the ones currently active on the system. The alarm page updates every 45 seconds and the user also has the option of invoking a re-query of alarms.

Alarms also provide notification of problems or conditions that can change the performance or working state of the Policy Controller, associated GWCs, gateways or other related network components.

Alarm types

There are 5 CCITT X.733 alarm types used by the Policy Controller which specify the alarm category for a give alarm. Valid alarm types are:

Type	Alarm Type
	No alarm
1	Communications alarm
2	Quality of service (QOS) alarm
3	Processing error alarm
4	Equipment alarm
5	Environmental alarm

Alarm Identification

The alarm ID specifies, in general terms, why the given alarm was raised. Alarm IDs seen on Policy Controller are shown in the following table.

Alarm IDs and descriptions

ID	General Description	ID	General Description
1	Adapter error	30	Material supply exhausted
2	Application subsystem failure	31	Multiplexer problem
3	Bandwidth reduced	32	Out of memory
4	Call establishment error	33	Output device error
5	Communications protocol error	34	Performance degraded
6	Communications subsystem failure	35	Power problem
7	Configuration or customization error	36	Pressure unacceptable
8	Congestion	37	Processor problem
9	Corrupt data	38	Pump failure
10	CPU cycles limit exceeded	39	Queue size exceeded
11	Dataset or modem error	40	Receive failure
12	Degraded signal degradedSignal	41	Receiver failure
13	DTE-DCE interface error	42	Remote node transmission error
14	Enclosure door open	43	Resource at or nearing capacity
15	Equipment malfunction	44	Response time excessive
16	Excessive vibration	45	Retransmission rate excessive
17	File error	46	Software error
18	Fire detected	47	Software program abnormally terminated
19	Flood detected	48	Software program error

Alarm IDs and descriptions

ID	General Description	ID	General Description
20	Framing error	49	Storage capacity problem
21	Heating/ventilation/cooling	50	Temperature unacceptable
22	Humidity unacceptable	51	Threshold crossed
23	I/O device error	52	Timing problem
24	Input device error	53	Toxic leak detected
25	LAN error	54	Transmit Failure
26	Leak detected	55	Transmitter Failure
27	Local node transmission error	56	Underlying resource unavailable
28	Loss of frame	57	Version mismatch
29	Loss of signal	101	Authentication Failure ¹
102	Breach of Confidentiality	103	Cable Tamper
104	Delayed Information	105	Denial of Service
106	Duplicate Information	107	Information Missing
108	Information Modification Detected	109	Information Out of Sequence
110	Intrusion Detection	111	Key Expired
112	Non Repudiation Failure	113	Out of Hours Activity
114	Out of Service	115	Procedural Error
116	Unauthorized Access Attempt	117	Unexpected Information
118	Unspecified Reason		

1.ITU-T X.733 alarm ids from 58 to 100 are reserved - not assigned yet

Alarm timestamp

The alarm timestamp specifies the date and time when the alarm was raised. The date and time given were current on the Policy Controller at the time the alarm was raised.

Alarm host

This field shows the Policy Controller unit host name on which alarm was raised. Since there are two units per node, there are two host names to which the alarms apply.

Alarm severity

The alarm severity specifies the seriousness of an alarm. Alarm severity can be one of the following:

- **Warning**
Indicates the detection of a potential or impending service affecting fault.
- **Minor**
Indicates the detection of a non-service affecting fault condition and that corrective action should be taken in order to prevent a more serious fault.
- **Major**
Indicates that a service affecting condition has developed and an urgent corrective action is required.
- **Critical**
Indicates that a service affecting condition has developed and immediate corrective action is required.

Alarm description

The alarm description provides specific details about an alarm. The following is a sample alarm description:

```
Communications Communications Subsystem Failure
Thursday January 27nd 2005 05:14:56 PM SPC2 Major
Link0: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1:
INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
BOTH-SYSB, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
```

Generating alarm-associated logs

For every alarm raised or cleared a log entry is displayed in the logs view and is also generated to the customer log file.

Redirecting trouble alarms from Policy Controller to an SNMP server

Depending on your site network configuration, Policy Controller alarms may also be directed to an SNMP server such as the Integrated EMS server rather than only to the alarms view of the Policy Controller Application GUIs. Trouble alarms can then be viewed using the

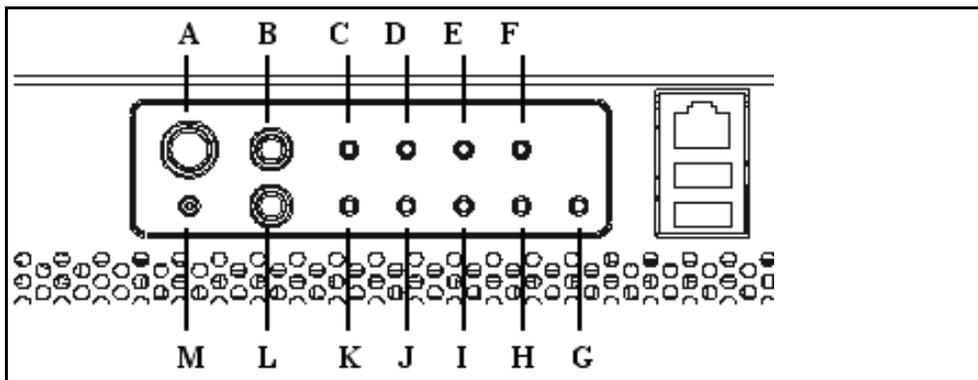
available SNMP server’s alarm viewing tool (like the Integrated EMS GUI).

However, if an SNMP server is defined (using the commish tool) for receiving alarms, then the Policy Controller does not display logs associated with those trouble alarms in the logs view of the Policy Controller Application GUI.

Alarms and LED fault indicators on the front panel

Along with being indicated in the Policy Controller Application GUI alarm pages, an alarm of any severity on the Policy Controller platform is triggers an LED alarm indicator on the front panel. The alarm LED reflects the most critical alarm in the system. So, if you have a major alarm and a minor alarm, the major LED lights.

Front panel view of LED indicators and switches



LED or Switch	Feature Indication	Description
Front Panel Switches		
A	Power switch	Toggles the server power on the unit.
B	Reset switch	Resets the server.
L	ID switch	Toggles server ID LED
M	ID switch	Toggles the system ID LED. For details, refer to the HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product
Front Panel Alarm LEDs		

LED or Switch	Feature Indication	Description
C	Critical (amber or red)	When continuously lit, indicates the presence of a critical system fault. An example could be the loss of a large section of memory, or other corruption, that renders the system not operational.
D	Major (amber or red)	When continuously lit, indicates the presence of a major system fault. The system can continue to operate but in a degraded fashion (reduced performance or loss of fault-tolerance). An example could be the loss of one of two mirrored disks.
E	Minor (amber)	When continuously lit, indicates the presence of a minor system fault.
F	Power (amber)	When continuously lit, indicates the presence of a power system fault.
Front Panel Status LEDs		
G	Disk 0 Activity/Fault LED (green/amber or red)	Indicates disk 0 SCSI hard drive activity when green, or a disk 0 SCSI hard drive fault when amber or red. A flashing green/red light indicates disk 0 SCSI hard drive is rebuilding the disk array.
H	Disk 1 Activity/Fault LED (green/amber or red)	Indicates disk 1 SCSI hard drive activity when green, or a disk 1 SCSI hard drive fault when amber or red. A flashing green/red light indicates disk 0 SCSI hard drive is rebuilding the disk array.
I	Main power LED (green)	When continuously lit, indicates the presence of DC power in the server. The LED goes out when the power is turned off or the power source is disrupted.
J	NIC0/NIC1 activity LED (green)	Indicates activity on the network interface ports NIC0 or NIC1.
K	System ID LED (white) controlled by LED switch	Indicates any system SCSI hard drive activity.

Alarm page limitations

There are some limitations to the Alarms page in the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager and Policy Controller Manager:

- The Alarms Panel sort order cannot be modified. It defaults to sorting by alarms severity, then by time. The Alarms Panel also does not support filtering of alarms.
- The Alarms Panel header scrolls out of sight if the browser client is not large enough to view all alarms or if the user scrolls to the bottom of the window to view the oldest alarms.
- If the Policy Controller system date/time are changed after an alarm is raised, the Alarms Panel does not update its timestamps. The timestamps shown at the Alarms Panel were those current at the time that the alarms were raised.
- The Alarms Panel refreshes automatically every 45 seconds. The refresh period is set by the system and can not be changed.

If the system threshold values are changed after an alarm is raised, the Alarms Panel does not update its values in the description field. The threshold values shown at the Alarms Panel are the values that were current at the time that the alarms were raised. In general, any of the description text in an alarm is valid at the time the alarm was raised and is never updated.

Auditing of call processing

The Policy Controller is capable of initiating audit request. Audits may be required for the following events:

- The Policy Controller can audit the GWC to determine if a flow is invalid. The mechanism allows the policy controller to query the status of any suspect flows. If the configurable timer for the flow expires, that flow is considered suspect. The Policy Controller will then audit the suspect flow by exchanging messages over the signaling interface with the GWC.
- When the Policy Controller initiates a switch of activity (SWACT), call data is synchronized between the active and inactive nodes.
- If the links to a GWC are lost, an audit is initiated to ensure that any transaction lost during the outage can be accounted for. The Policy Controller will only audit those flows that correspond to the specific GWC affected by the link lose. The audit mechanism is similar to the suspect flow audit.

Procedures for monitoring alarms

Use the following procedure to monitor alarms on the Policy Controller:

Procedure	Page
View Policy Controller alarms from the Policy Controller Manager or NCGL Platform Manager	29

Monitoring and analyzing logs

A log report is a record of a message that Policy Controller platform application generates. Some logs are generated whenever a significant event has occurred that forces an alarm to be raised or cleared. Other logs are generated for informational purposes only.

Log reports include status and activity reports, regarding hardware or software faults, test results, changes in state and other temporary events or conditions likely to affect the performance of the system. Either a system action or a manual action can generate a log report with an associated alarm raising or clearance. Information shown about a particular log includes the type, time-stamp, severity, and description.

The following log types are generated on the Policy Controller:

- customer logs located at `/var/log/custlog`

Policy Controller has the capability for its applications or the platform itself to generate logs associated with alarms. There are three types of customer logs (DBSE, SPCM, SPCP, TPM, and XTS logs) that are generated to the local custlog file. Saved as ASCII-based text, the log data can be reviewed, copied or printed. The data, saved in CSV format, can also be loaded into a spreadsheet application for further analysis.

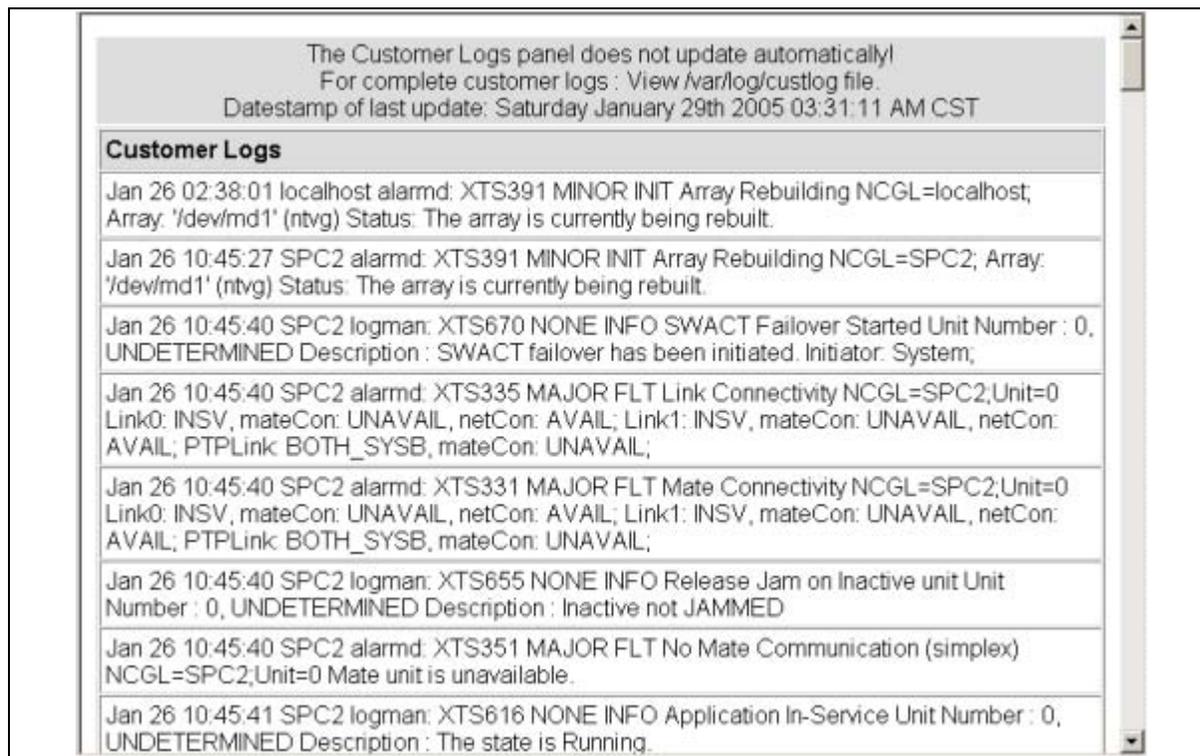
Policy Controller can be configured to alter what log information is written to the local custlog file by redirecting log information to a remote log server and SNMP server using the NCGL commissioning tool.

If Policy Controller is configured to transfer SNMP alarm traps to an OSS network, log reports related to the raising or clearing of alarms are only available on the Integrated EMS or other 3rd party OSS application, rather than on the logs view of the Policy Controller Application GUIs. Refer to *Integrated EMS Fault Management*, NN10334-911, to view the log file *iemsCustomerlog* from the directory `/var/log` on the Integrated EMS.

If Policy Controller is configured to transfer logs to a remote server, all logs that are ordinarily viewable from the Policy Controller Application GUI or local log file on the disk drive are sent to the log server.

The following sample logs view is generated by the Policy Controller Manager. The logs view displays a maximum of the most recent 2000 line entries from the current custlog file.

Sample customer logs viewed from the Policy Controller Manager GUI



Viewing logs for alarms that are redirected to an SNMP server

If you defined an SNMP server to receive alarms during commissioning, alarms are viewed on that server and logs associated with those alarms are not generated to the customer log file because alarm-related log generation is suppressed when SNMP servers are defined. If the Integrated EMS server is your SNMP server, then it displays your trouble alarms and keeps an alarm history. For a history of alarms, refer to your SNMP server, not the local Policy Controller Application GUIs.

Mapping alarms to logs

The best way to map trouble alarms to log entries is by comparing the log and alarm descriptions along with the time and date stamps to obtain a match.

Managing the contents of log files

Fields within the log files are delimited (separated) by a ^M (control-M) to facilitate parsing with a spreadsheet program.

The system log management utility checks every hour to see if the custlog file's contents exceed 5 Mbytes. If they do, the file is saved and rotated. A series of up to 20 versions of the custlog file plus the current

log file are kept on the Policy Controller at any time. Each successive file has a number appended to the filename. The higher the sequence number, the older the log file. The oldest log file is always custlog.20.

Customer logs

Customer logs (DBSE, SPCM, SPCP, TPM, and XTS logs) are generated to bring state change information, errors, or other events occurring on the platform (XTS logs) and within the Topology Manager application to the attention of the customer. For example, when the Topology Manager application starts (unlocks) or stops (locks) a customer log is generated. When an alarm condition occurs, customer log information, is generated to the /var/log/custlog directory on the Policy Controller, and is also forwarded to the Integrated EMS OSS interface or other another generic OSS interface that is on the CS-LAN.

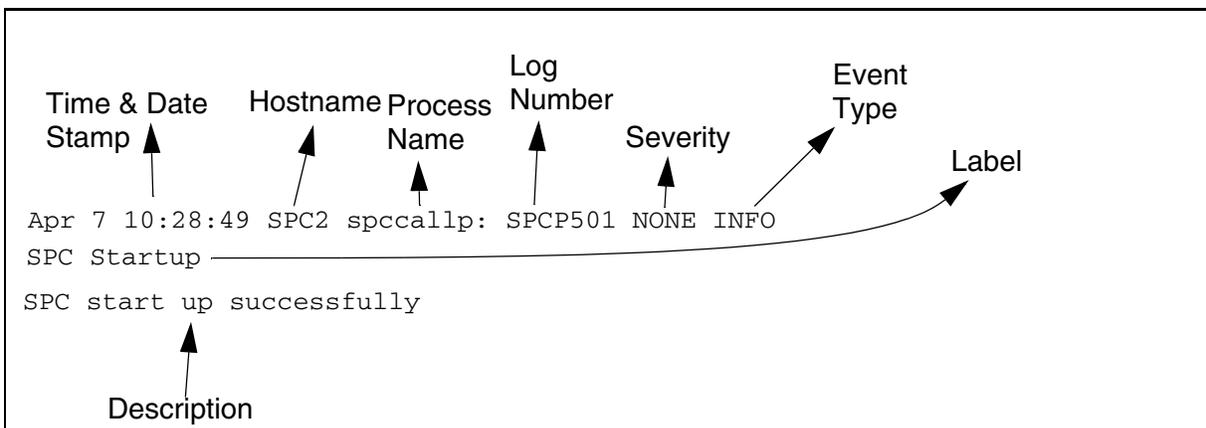
Unless alarms are redirected to an SNMP server, every alarm that is raised by the NGCL operating system has an associated XTS300-series log generated. Once the alarm condition is cleared, a complementary XTS600-series log is generated.

Customer log information is saved in ASCII based text and can be reviewed, copied or printed directly from the log files. The data can also be loaded into a spreadsheet application for analysis. The format of the syslog entry data format lends itself to parsing.

Customer log histories can be only viewed by directly accessing the custlog file using the Policy Controller CLI (command line interface). Log files can also be downloaded using FTP to a PC or other system capable of connecting to the Policy Controller on the secure CS-LAN.

The following diagram shows a sample customer log entry in the log file, along with an anatomy of its content:

Format and anatomy of a Policy Controller (SPCP or TPM) log



Customer log	Start Page
XTS300 series logs (300-395)	85
XTS600 series logs (600-695)	121

Remove and replace a Policy Controller unit or component

The following Policy Controller components are field replaceable

- the entire Policy Controller unit
- disk drives
- power supply modules
- DVD-ROM drive

All other component failures should be handled by replacing the entire Policy Controller unit.

Replacing an entire Policy Controller unit

The intent of replacing the entire Policy Controller unit is to facilitate component or unit replacement so that the Policy Controller node can be returned to fault-tolerant service capability as soon as is possible.

Replacing hard disk drives

Each Policy Controller node operates using a disk mirroring (RAID 1) scheme. If a disk drive fails on the active unit, a SwAct is automatically performed by the system to the standby unit and an alarm raised. Call processing is not impacted.

A failed disk drive can be removed and replaced with a spare. Failed disk drives can be replaced without removing the Policy Controller unit from the SAM-F frame.

Replacing power supply modules

A failed power supply module can be removed and replaced with a spare. Failed power supply modules can be replaced without removing the Policy Controller unit from the SAM-F frame.

Replacing the CDRW/DVD-ROM drive

A failed CDRW/DVD-ROM drive can be removed and replaced with a spare. Failed drives can be replaced without removing the Policy Controller unit from the SAM-F frame; however, the unit must be taken out of service.

Remove and replace procedures

The following component and unit remove and replace procedures are available for Policy Controller.

Procedure	Hardware or platform application
Replace a Policy Controller server unit on page 191	entire Policy Controller unit
Replace a Policy Controller hard drive on page 203	hard disk drive
Replace a Policy Controller power supply on page 215	power supply module
Replace a Policy Controller CDRW/DVD-ROM drive on page 221	CDRW/DVD-ROM drive

Routine maintenance

This section provides a list of activities used to perform routine maintenance for the Policy Controller. Routine maintenance is required to ensure the components continue normal operation over time.

Adhering to a proper routine maintenance schedule can prevent faults from occurring. Perform the following routine maintenance activities at the specified time intervals. For assistance with these tasks, refer to the HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product.

Tasks to be performed daily

Component	Task	Document	Notes
Policy Controller	Monitor alarms and logs	Policy Controller Fault Management NTP, NN10438-911	

Tasks to be performed weekly

Component	Task	Document	Notes
Policy Controller	Inspect the LEDs front panel of both units; ensure there are no faults indicated	HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product	acquire HP guide from HP.com web site

Tasks to be performed per office schedule

Component	Task	Document	Notes
Policy Controller	Clean the DVD-ROM drive	HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product	
Policy Controller	Monitor the fan exhaust cowlings for dust buildup. There are no air filters or fan filters on the Policy Controller chassis to replace.	no formal procedure required	Refer to your site maintenance guidelines for removing excess dust.
Policy Controller	After each upgrade or MR applied electronically, clean up unused iso images in the /opt/swd directory.	no formal procedure required	

Preventative maintenance

This section provides a list of procedures used to perform preventative maintenance for Carrier VoIP components. Preventative maintenance is required on components to prevent service-impacting fault conditions.

Tasks to be performed daily

Component	Task	Document	Notes
Policy Controller	Monitor alarms and logs	Policy Controller Fault Management NTP, NN10438-911	
GWC	Monitor GWC logs to verify connectivity has not been lost with the Policy Controller and to identify any call processing problems.	<i>Gateway Controller Fault Management</i> , NN10202-911	Schedule can be adjusted to correspond to GWC log monitoring schedule.

Tasks to be performed per office schedule

Component	Task	Document	Notes
Policy Controller	Clean the DVD drive	HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product	
Policy Controller	Inspect the LEDs front panel of both units; ensure there are no faults	HP Carrier-Grade Server cc3310 Product Guide, HP part number: cc3310_Product	acquire HP guide from HP.com web site
Policy Controller	Periodically check the /opt/apps/logs directory to verify that sufficient space exists in that file system. Clean up old log and trace files as needed to make more space.	Policy Controller Fault Management NTP, NN10438-911	
Policy Controller	Check that cables and connectors are secure at both the front and rear of the Policy Controller chassis. Also, inspect the integrity of all cabling to ensure there is no frayed wiring.	no formal procedure required	

Performing a dead office recovery of a Policy Controller node

There are no network component dependencies related to when either of the Policy Controller units is booted. The Policy Controller, Core and GWCs associated with Policy Controller can come back into service in any order. Once the Policy Controller active unit has booted and the Policy Controller application initializes, it reads its state file and attempt to return to the state that it was in previously (for instance, Unlocked:Enabled).

Execute the procedures in the following activity to perform a restart of a Policy Controller node.

Step	Procedure
1	Determine which physical or logical unit you want to become active and power that unit up first by executing procedure <i>Power-On and boot a Policy Controller unit</i> , found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
2	Log onto the active unit to monitor the status of the Policy Controller application using procedure View the operational status of a Policy Controller NCGI platform on page 163 . Verify that the Administrative state of the Policy Controller application becomes Unlocked and the Operational state becomes Enabled .
3	Once the active unit has begun call processing, power up the mate unit by executing procedure "Power-On and boot a Policy Controller unit", found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
4	From the active unit, verify that the Policy Controller application databases on the both units have synchronized using procedure Verify synchronization status of Policy Controller units on page 188
5	Monitor the system for an appropriate period per your site guidelines.

Restoring a Policy Controller application database

Database backups are made to secure the information stored in the Policy Controller application database. If there is a complete failure or loss of both Policy Controller units in the node or if an unrecoverable corruption in the database on the active unit occurs, a backup copy of the database can be restored to the active unit.

There is only a single backup copy of the database saved on each unit. It contains the last or most recently backed up copy (within the last 24 hours) of the database. The database on each unit is automatically

backed up at 1:00 AM each day. The time of day for the backup or the content set of the backup cannot be changed by the customer; however, the customer can perform a manual backup of the database on an as-needed basis such as when an upgrade activity is scheduled. It is recommended that manual backups be performed on the active database.

Applying backup copy of the database restores the active database to its state when the backup was made. The database must be restored to the active unit. Once the restore operation is complete, and the active unit is brought back into an Enabled Operational state (the Policy Controller application is unsuspending and unlocked and the ethernet links are unjammed) and fault tolerance restored, synchronization between the standby unit's database to the active unit's database begins.

The following table lists the procedures available to restore the Policy Controller application database from a backup copy.

Database restore procedures

Procedure
Prepare for a database restore on a Policy Controller unit on page 224
Perform a database restore to a Policy Controller unit on page 230

View Policy Controller alarms

Purpose of this procedure

This procedure provides access to the alarms that are currently active on the Policy Controller.

A customer log entry is generated for each alarm raised and cleared. Refer to procedures [View Policy Controller logs on page 31](#) or [View and save log files on page 35](#) to review and correlate log entries with alarms.

Limitations and restrictions

Alarms cannot be sorted, filtered or removed using this procedure.

Prerequisites

None

Action

At the Policy Controller Launch Point

- 1 Select the **Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager** from the launch point menu.

Service providers use this web interface to perform administrative tasks such as provisioning application data, performing platform or application maintenance, and monitoring logs and alarms.

Please select one of the following management interfaces:

[Succession Communication Server 2000 NCGL Platform Manager](#)

[Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager](#)

- 2 Click the **Alarms** link.



The Alarms page is displayed.

- 3 Using the alarms view, refer to [Monitoring and analyzing alarms on page 9](#) for assistance in reviewing and correlating alarms to logs and to troubleshooting activities.

The Alarms panel updates every 45 seconds
Datestamp of last update: Saturday January 29th 2005 03:29:07 AM CST

Type	ID	Timestamp	Host	Severity	Description
Communications	Communications Subsystem Failure	Thursday January 27th 2005 05:14:56 PM	SPC2	Major	Link0: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
Communications	Communications Subsystem Failure	Thursday January 27th 2005 05:14:56 PM	SPC2	Major	Link0: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
Communications	Communications Protocol Error	Wednesday January 26th 2005 10:45:42 AM	SPC2	Major	Host is not communicating with any NTP server(s); No. of configured server(s): 1; No. of accessible server(s): 0.
		Wednesday			

- 4 You have completed this procedure.

View Policy Controller logs

Purpose of this procedure

This procedure provides access to the platform and SIP Gateway application service-related logs that are currently active on the Policy Controller.

You cannot save or print log entries or log file contents using this procedure. Instead refer to procedure [View and save log files on page 35](#) to perform this activity.

Limitations and restrictions

Only the most recent logs generated are viewable from the GUIs using this procedure. To view log histories, refer to procedure [View and save log files on page 35](#).

Logs entries are recorded in the local file located at `/var/log/custlog` or in the file `iemsCustomerlog` from the directory `/var/log` on the Integrated EMS shelf.

When viewing logs from an Integrated EMS vs. the Policy Controller GUIs, log headers may differ slightly from what is shown in this document; however the content of the logs does not differ between the views.

Prerequisites

Alarm conditions must be created or cleared to generate logs entries.

Action

At the Policy Controller Launch Point

- 1 Select the **Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager** from the launch point menu.

Service providers use this web interface to perform administrative tasks such as provisioning application data, performing platform or application maintenance, and monitoring logs and alarms.

Please select one of the following management interfaces:

[Succession Communication Server 2000 NCGL Platform Manager](#)

[Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager](#)

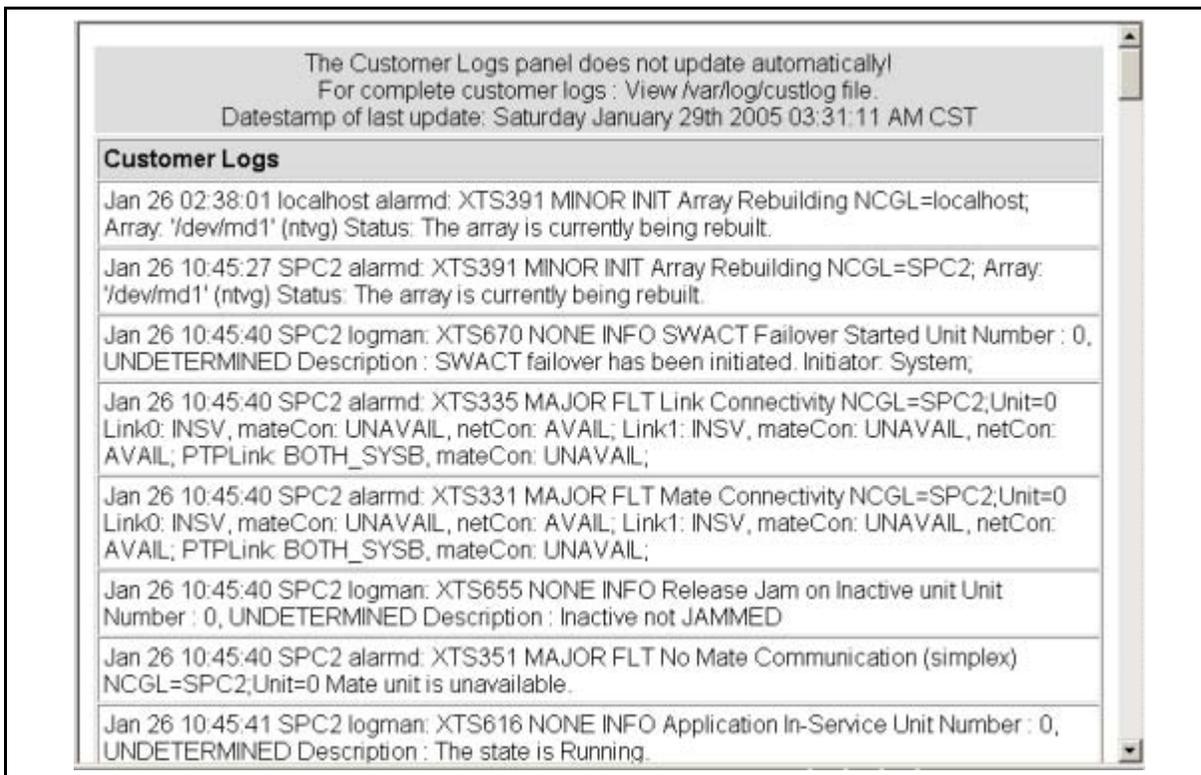
- 2 From either view, click the **Logs or Customer Logs** link.



The logs page is displayed.

- 3 Using the logs view, refer to [Monitoring and analyzing logs on page 18](#) for assistance in reviewing, analyzing and correlating logs to alarm activity and to troubleshooting activities.

Logs view from Policy Controller GUIs; view from Integrated EMS may vary



- 4 You have completed this procedure.

View and save log files

Purpose of this procedure

This procedure instructs you how to transfer log files to another system that has secure access to the CO LAN using FTP (file transfer protocol) for later printing or storage. Policy Controller log files are saved as ASCII text files and stored on the Policy Controller hard drive.

You can also use this procedure to retrieve and save the same log files for later importing into spreadsheet applications used for data analysis.

Limitations and restrictions

If logs were set up to be forwarded to the OSS at commissioning time, then log entries are not generated to the customer log file on the Policy Controller hard drives.

This procedure assumes that there is no local or network printer available to the Policy Controller platform.

The system log management utility checks every hour to see if the custlog file's contents exceed 5 Mbytes. If they do, the file is saved and rotated. A series of up to 20 versions of the custlog file plus the current log file are kept on the Policy Controller at any time. Each successive file has a number appended to the filename. This higher the sequence number, the older the log file. The oldest log file is always custlog.20.

Prerequisites

You must have access to the Policy Controller CLI, either through a direct connection at the rear of the active Policy Controller unit or through the Integrated EMS application.

Action

At the Policy Controller CLI

- 1 Log onto the Policy Controller CLI as mtc user and enter your password.
- 2 At the prompt, navigate to the file level where log files are stored by typing

```
$ cd /var/log
```

and press the Enter key.

```
[mtc@zn0jc mtc]$ cd /var/log
[mtc@zn0jc log]$ ls
apache          designlog      netmonhistory  netmonhistory.5  ntp.3
boot-04141227  maillog       netmonhistory.1 nt_fsck.log      ntp.drift
boot.log        messages      netmonhistory.2 ntp              secure
cron           misc.log      netmonhistory.3 ntp.1            spooler
custlog        netmonhistbufs netmonhistory.4 ntp.2            traplog
[mtc@zn0jc log]$
```

- 3 Review the contents of a custlog file by typing

```
>cat <custlog_filename.> |more
```

and pressing the enter key.

where

custlog_filename.#

is the version-name of the custlog file you want to display.

Example

```
cat custlog.12 |more
```

Press the space bar to scroll through the file if its contents are larger than the screen can display.

- 4 Log to the remote system where you are sending the log files by typing

```
$ ftp <hostid>
```

and pressing the Enter key.

where

<hostid>

is the name of the remote system that has secure access to the CS-LAN where you are sending the log files.

- 5 For each of the log files that you want to save, print or process, FTP them to the remote system by typing
\$ put <logfile name>
and pressing the Enter key.
where
<logfile name>
is the name of a log file from the following list:
 - custlog (for NCGL and Policy Controller logs)
- 6 This procedure is complete.

DBSE300

Log report [DBSE300](#) is generated any time a change in database connectivity is detected, specifically a loss of connectivity between the Session Server or Policy Controller provisioning watchdog program and the Solid database. It reports 'No Solid DB Connection' when database connectivity is lost and a critical "No Database Connection Alarm" is raised.

[DBSE300](#) reports 'Solid DB Connection Restored' when database connectivity is reestablished and the critical "No Database Connection Alarm" is cleared.

Format

The format for log report [DBSE300](#) is as follows:

```
Mar 22 21:27:48 vm0 alarmd:DBSE300 CRIT TBL No Solid DB Connection No
Database Connection

Mar 22 21:27:48 vm0 alarmd:DBSE300 CRIT TBL Solid DB Connection Restored
No Database Connection
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	DBSE300	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL (trouble)	The type of trouble or info recorded

Field	Value	Description
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	No Database Connection	Detailed description of the trouble or activity or activity

Action

Take corrective action to restore the unresponsive database.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report requires no additional information.

SPCM300

Log report [SPCM300](#) is a Policy Controller Maintenance Trouble information log. It is generated by the Policy Controller application maintenance process for a variety of unexpected reasons or conditions which may include:

- messaging failures
- failure to set a timer
- timer expirations that should not occur
- failure to write to the “SA_State” file
- process deaths
- failure to start the callp process

The Policy Controller application generates log report [SPCM300](#) in addition to raising the [SPCM300](#) alarm.

Format

The format for log report [SPCM300](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 6 13:24:47 SPC6-Unit1 spcappmtc: SPCM300 NONE TBL SPC Application
Maintenance Trouble
{Reason Text : Application process death}
[Error Code : -1]
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spcappmtc	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCM300	The component prefix and number of the log

Field	Value	Description
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL (trouble)	The type of trouble or info recorded; this is an information only log
Label	SPC Maintenance Trouble	Title label for the log
Description	Reason text	Detailed description of the trouble or activity; see section Additional Information for a detail list of Trouble reasons

Action

No action is required. This is an information log only.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

The following additional information applies to the Description field of the log entry:

- [Reason Text: <TroubleReason>]
 - SAM to Web Server message send failure
 - SAM to Policy Controller CallP message send failure
 - Been Terminating too long. Timer Expired.
 - SAM Wait Timer Messaging Timeout
 - SAM/Policy Controller CallP Audit Messaging Timeout
 - Failed to set the Policy Controller Application state
 - Policy Controller Application process death
 - Failed to start the Policy Controller Application process
 - Failed to set a timer
 - Policy Controller CallP created, but not in the requested state
 - Policy Controller CallP created, but failed to reply to SAM
 - Policy Controller CallP on the Inactive failed to respond to a request

- Policy Controller CallP on the Inactive failed to get to the requested state
- SAM failed to send a reply to a platform swact request
- SAM failed a Swact Request due to an invalid Swact Request
- SAM failed a Graceful Swact Request due to being marked to do a COLD Swact
- SAM failed a Swact Precheck Request due to option = FORCE
- SAM failed a Swact Precheck or PreSwact request due to option = NOW
- SAM failed a Swact Request due to an invalid option
- SAM failed a Swact Request due to an unacceptable platform status
- SAM failed a Swact Request due to not being In-Sync
- Swact Precheck Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact Precheck Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Swact Precheck Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact PreSwact Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact PreSwact Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Swact PreSwact Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact AbortSwact Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact AbortSwact Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Swact AbortSwact Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact PostSwact Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact PostSwact Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Swact PostSwact Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response

- Disable PreCheck Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Disable PreCheck Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response
- Disable PreDisable Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Disable PreDisable Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response
- Disable AbortDisable Failed due to failure received in Policy Controller CallP response
- Disable AbortDisable Failed due to timeout waiting on Policy Controller CallP response
- Swact PreSwact Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Disable PreDisable Failed due to failure received from the mate SAM
- Disable PreDisable Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Disable PreDisable Failed due to timeout waiting on mate SAM response
- Disable AbortDisable Failed due to failure received from the mate SAM
- Disable AbortDisable Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Disable AbortDisable Failed due to timeout waiting on mate SAM response
- Disable Request Failed due to Callback called with existing disable request outstanding
- Disable Request Failed due to Callback called when platform not active and enabled
- Disable Inactive Failed due to Callback called when platform not in duplex
- Disable Inactive PreCheck Failed due to Callback called when SAM had a conflicting wait state
- Disable Inactive PreDisable Failed due to Callback called when SAM had a conflicting wait state
- Disable Inactive AbortDisable Failed due to Callback called when SAM had a conflicting wait state

- Disable PreCheck Failed due to failure to notify Policy Controller CallP
- Disable PreDisable Failed due to failure to notify the Mate SAM
- Disable AbortDisable Failed due to failure to notify the Mate SAM
- Disable Active Failed due to Callback called when platform was in duplex
- Disable Active Graceful Failed due to Callback called when Policy Controller State was not suspended
- Disable Callback called with invalid request
- SAM received a response to a Swact request that contained an invalid request
- SAM received a response to a Swact request that contained an invalid option
- SAM received a response to a Swact request that contained an invalid result
- Mate SAM failed a Prepare For COLD Swact request, reverting to a WARM swact
- Failed to notify the Mate SAM to Prepare For COLD Swact request, reverting to a WARM swact
- Timed out waiting on the Mate SAM to respond to a Prepare For COLD Swact request, reverting to a WARM swact
- SAM failed to register with DataSync
- <ErrorCode>: This is an integer code used for debugging. -1 is the default value

SPCM301

Log report [SPCM301](#) generated when its associated critical alarm is raised because the Policy Controller Application has transitioned to a state that indicates it should be in-service, but is actually not, while the active Policy Controller unit running the Policy Controller application is in an enabled operational state. This “system busied” (SYSB) state is represented by state values as follows:

- Administrative State = Unlocked
- Operational State = Disabled
- Procedural Status = “-” or Not Terminating
- Control Status = “-” or Not Suspended

Call processing cannot occur while the Policy Controller application is in this state.

The Policy Controller application generates log report [SPCM301](#) in addition to raising or clearing the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [SPCM301](#) is as follows:

```
Dec 22 16:20:24 PV-SPC6-0 alarmd: SPCM301 CRIT TBL NGSS App Maintenance
Trouble Alarm : NCGL=PV-SPC6-0;Unit=0; SPC Application System Busy
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCM301	The component prefix and number of the log

Field	Value	Description
Severity	Critical or None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL (trouble)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	NGSS Maintenance Trouble Alarm	Title label for the log
DeviceInfo	Alphanumeric	Info that specifies the device to which the alarm pertains
AlarmRaiseLowerText	Alphanumeric	Text indicating whether the Policy Controller Application System Busy alarm has been raised or cleared

Action

When the Policy Controller Application transitions out of this state (automatically or manually), this alarm is lowered. It is also lowered if the Policy Controller unit the application is running on leaves the enabled operational state.

When this alarm is raised, the system attempts recovery immediately. If immediate recovery is not successful, reattempts are made automatically every 30 seconds.

A manual method to attempt recovery from this alarm condition can be performed by executing the following procedures in order, found in *Policy Controller Security and Administration*, NN10434-611:

- Perform procedure "Lock the Policy Controller application"
- Perform procedure "Unsuspend the Policy Controller application"
- Perform procedure "Unlock the Policy Controller application"

If the alarm condition persists, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report requires no additional information.

SPCM302

Log [SPCM302](#) is generated by a major alarm that is raised when the Policy Controller platform that the Policy Controller Application is running on is in a duplex configuration with both units in an enabled operational state, and the Policy Controller application state goes out of sync between the two Policy Controller units.

This alarm is cleared if the Policy Controller application state becomes sync'ed between the two Policy Controller units and the alarm is cleared.

Format

The format for log report [SPCM302](#) is as follows:

```
Dec 22 16:20:24 PV-SPC6-0 alarmd: SPCM302 MAJOR TBL NGSS App Maintenance
Sync Trouble Alarm : NCGL=PV-SPC6-0;Unit=0; SPC Application Mtc Out
Of Sync
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCM302	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	Major or None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL (trouble)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	NGSS Maintenance Trouble Alarm	Title label for the log

Field	Value	Description
DeviceInfo	Alphanumeric	Info that specifies the device to which the alarm pertains
AlarmRaiseLowerText	Alphanumeric	Text indicating whether the Policy Controller Application Mtc Out Of Sync alarm has been raised or cleared

Action

The Policy Controller application should attempt to sync itself automatically every 30 seconds. If there repeated sync failures, a manual method to attempt recovery from this alarm condition can be performed by executing the following procedures in order, found in the *Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611*:

- Perform procedure *Lock the Policy Controller application*
- Perform procedure *Suspend the Policy Controller application*
- Perform procedure *Unsuspend the Policy Controller application*
- Perform procedure *Unlock the Policy Controller application*

If the alarm condition persists, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report requires no additional information.

SPCM500

Log report [SPCM500](#) is a SIP Maintenance State Change information log. The state of the SIP Application is actually updated by the callp process, but, the SIP Application maintenance message handler process thread keeps track of the last known state. When a message is received from callp, the SIP application maintenance process, running on the Policy Controller, checks to see if the current state matches the last known state. If it does not, then a state change log is generated. If the SIP application maintenance process updates the state, it also generates a state change log at the same time.

The Policy Controller application generates log report [SPCM500](#) in addition to raising the associated alarm.

State change logs include content indicated the FROM and TO states in external format, an indication of whether a user requested the change (if it was not system generated), a reason for the change, and a userid of the user that requested the change.

Format

The format for log report [SPCM500](#) is as follows:

```
Feb 4 11:28:22 spc6-Unit1 spcappmtc: SPCM500 NONE INFO SPC Application
Maintenance State Change [Administrative : Locked -> Locked ]
[Operational : Disabled -> Enabled ] [Control : Suspended -> Not
Suspended ] [Procedural : Not Terminating -> Not Terminating] [User
Requested : No] [Reason : System originated change of state] [Web User
ID : ]
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID or device name	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spcappmtc	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report

Field	Value	Description
Log Number	SPCM500	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	SPC Maintenance State Change	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity; see section: Additional information on page 53

Action

No action is required. This is an information log only.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

The following additional information applies to the Description field of the log entry:

- [Administrative: <AdminFrom> -> <AdminTo>]
 - Locked
 - Unlocked
 - Shutting down
- [Operational: <OperFrom> -> <OperTo>]
 - Enabled
 - Disabled
- [Control: <CtrlFrom> -> <CtrlTo>]
 - Suspended
 - Not Suspended
- [Procedural: <ProcFrom> -> <ProcTo>]
 - Terminating
 - Not Terminating
- [User Requested: <Yes|No>]
 - Yes
 - No
- [Reason: <StateChangeReason>]
 - Unsuspend command issued
 - Suspend command issued
 - Lock command issued
 - Lock command in progress
 - Lock operation complete
 - Unlock command issued
 - Shut Down command issued
 - Shut Down operation complete
 - System originated change of state
 - Timeout waiting to terminate call processing
 - Audit Failure
 - Timer Problem
 - Data corruption detected

- [Web User ID: <webuserid>]
 - If applicable, this is the web interface login ID of the user performing the maintenance that caused the state transition. If not applicable, this value is left blank. Refer to the *Overview* section of *Policy Controller Security and Administration*, NN10434-611 for information about login IDs and user IDs and authorization categories

SPCP301

Log report [SPCP301](#) indicates that the Policy Controller application server signaling interface has a communication failure.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP301](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 15 16:12:13 spc1 alarmd: SPCP301 MAJOR TBL AppServer Signaling
Communication Failure NCGL=spc1;Unit=0;SPCP AppServer 47.153.178.146
Signaling Communication Failure
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP301	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	MAJOR	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL	This is an informational log
Label	AppServer Signaling Communication Failure	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

Check the application server status and the link to the application server.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP302

Log report [SPCP302](#) indicates that the Policy Controller has lost database connection.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP302](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 13 12:13:27 spc1 alarmd: SPCP302 CRIT TBL No Database Connection
NCGL=spc1;Unit=0;SPCP SPC Processing No Database Connection
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP302	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	CRIT	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL	This is an informational log
Label	No Database Connection	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP303

Log report [SPCP303](#) indicates that the Application server request failure ratio exceeds the predefined threshold value.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP303](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 13 12:23:43 spc1 alarmd: SPCP303 MINOR TBL CAC Request Mass Failure
NCGL=spc1;Unit=0;SPCP CAC Request Failure Exceed Threshold
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP303	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	MINOR	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL	This is an informational log
Label	CAC Request Mass Failure	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP304

Log report [SPCP304](#) indicates that the Policy Controller Endpoint Number exceeds the Endpoint Block Size.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP304](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 13 17:26:02 spc1 alarmd: SPCP304 CRIT TBL Exceed Endpoint Block Size
NCGL=spc1;Unit=0;SPCP Endpoint Number Exceed Endpoint Block Size
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP304	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	CRIT	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL	This is an informational log
Label	Exceed Endpoint Block Size	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

Obtain a new license to enlarge the endpoint number supported

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP305

Log report [SPCP305](#) indicates that the Policy Controller Endpoint Number exceeds the Endpoint Block Warning Size.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP305](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 14 17:36:02 spc1 alarmd: SPCP305 MAJOR TBL Exceed Endpoint Block
Warning Size NCGL=spc1;Unit=0;SPCP Endpoint Number Exceed Endpoint Block
Warning Size
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP305	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	MAJOR	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL	This is an informational log
Label	Exceed Endpoint Block Warning Size	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

Obtain a new license to enlarge the endpoint number supported.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP501

Log report [SPCP501](#) indicates that the Policy Controller application has started up.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP501](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC2-Unit1 spccallp: SPCP501 NONE INFO SPC Startup  
SPC start up successfully
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP501	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	SPC Startup	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP502

Log report [SPCP502](#) indicates that the Policy Controller application has shut down.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP502](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC1-Unit1 spccallp: SPCP501 none INFO SPC Shutdown  
SPC shut down successfully
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP502	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	SPC Shutdown	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP601

Log report [SPCP601](#) indicates that a Flow Status Audit has completed.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP601](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC2-Unit1 spcallp: SPCP601 none INFO Audit Result  
StatusAck Message is received, Flow 256 still exists
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spcallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP601	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	Audit Result	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP602

Log report [SPCP602](#) indicates that a CAC request from the application server has been denied.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP602](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC1-Unit1 spccallp: SPCP602 none INFO CAC Request Denied  
Commit Message: Gate 1908 from GWC 47.153.178.146 is not found in SPC
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP602	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	CAC Request Denied	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

The following OMs are pegged:

- SPC Reservation Request or SPC Commit Request
- CAC Request on Network Segment

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP603

Log report [SPCP603](#) indicates that a the Policy Controller callp has accepted a topology change.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP603](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC1-Unit1 spccallp: SPCP603 none INFO Topology Change
Topology Notify AddNode [NZID: 2] successfully
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP603	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	Topology Change	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

None

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

SPCP604

Log report [SPCP604](#) indicates that callP has detected that the Ingress Id of the Network Segment sent in a GateSet message from the GWC is not present in the Policy Controller database. This is an indication that there could be a topology mismatch between the Policy Controller and the GWC/SESM. A summary of the requested problem is included in the free text portion of the report description field.

Format

The format for log report [SPCP604](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC1-Unit1 spccallp: SPCP604 none INFO Topology Mismatch
Reserve Message: Network Zone 6 from GWC 47.142.130.104 does not exist
in SPC Topology
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	SPCP604	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	Topology Mismatch	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

None

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

TPM301

Log report [TPM301](#) indicates that the Topology Manager has lost database connection.

Format

The format for log report [TPM301](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 14 12:01:59 spc1 alarmd: TPM301 CRIT TBL No Database Connection
NCGL=spc1;Unit=0;TPM Topology Manager No Database Connection
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	TPM301	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	CRIT	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	TBL	This is an informational log
Label	No Database Connection	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

TPM501

Log report [TPM501](#) indicates that the Topology Manager application has started up.

Format

The format for log report [TPM501](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC2-Unit1 spctm: TPM501 none INFO TopologyManager startup  
Server Startup
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	TPM501	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	Topology Manager startup	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

None

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

TPM502

Log report [TPM502](#) indicates that the Topology Manager application has shut down.

Format

The format for log report [TPM502](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC2-Unit1 spctm: TPM502 none INFO TopologyManager shutdown
server will exit after receiving RESTART command or signal.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	TPM502	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	Topology Manager shutdown	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

None

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

TPM601

Log report [TPM601](#) indicates that the Topology Manager application has accepted a topology change. A summary of the requested change is included in the free text portion of the report description field.

Format

The format for log report [TPM601](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:04:43 SPC2-Unit1 spctm: TPM601 none INFO Topology Change
User(mtc) add NetworkZone(NZID:3 Name:test.1) success!
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	spccallp	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	TPM601	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	INFO	This is an informational log
Label	Topology Change	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Text indicating the reason for log generation

Action

None

Associated OM registers

None

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS300

Log report [XTS300](#) indicates that system random access memory (RAM) resources are low.

The NCGL operating system generates a log report whenever a minor, major or critical [XTS300](#) OutofMemory alarm is raised or if the existing alarm is escalated. This is a quality of service alarm indicating that memory resources are low or near exhaustion. Memory resource limitation could impact the quality of service of the Session Server or Policy Controller, leading to partial loss of service.

Format

The format for log report [XTS300](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 07:46:06 ngss-1 XTS300 minor FLT Memory
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE
Available memory is between 125MB and 150MB;
minor threshold reached.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	N/A	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS300	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded

Field	Value	Description
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911 for a description of how to monitor the connectivity and network status for both Session Server units. Refer to *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911 for a description of how to monitor the connectivity and network status for both Policy Controller units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS301

Log report [XTS301](#) indicates that the CPU load average for one or more time segments has exceeded a preset threshold.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS301](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS301](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 07:46:06 ngss-1 XTS301 minor FLT CPU Load
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE
1 minute load average is between 10.00 and 20.
00; minor threshold reached.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	N/A	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS301	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (Fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of CPU and memory related resources for the active unit.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS302

Log report [XTS302](#) indicates that free space on the root file system is low.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS302](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS302](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 07:47:46 ngss-1 XTS302 minor FLT Disk/Storage
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE
Percentage of root free disk space is less than
or equal to 5.00; critical threshold reached.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	N/A	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS302	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of disk drive resources for the active unit.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS303

Log report [XTS303](#) indicates that at least one software process has terminated abnormally and may retain system resources such as memory space or CPU usage (zombie process).

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS303](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS303](#) is as follows:

```
APR17 08:06:23 ngss-1 XTS303 minor FLT  Zombie Process
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE
Number of zombie processes is between 5 and 10;
minor threshold reached.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	N/A	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS303	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of zombie processes for the active unit.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS304

Log report [XTS304](#) indicates one or more of the Network File System (NFS) mounted file systems is inaccessible. Each unit mounts a file system from the mate unit. This log report is expected during upgrades or any time the mate unit is unavailable.

The unit generates log report XTS604 when the alarm clears.

Format

The format for log report [XTS304](#) is as follows:

```
May 6 17:25:30 ngss-1 alarmd: XTS304 MINOR FLT NFS Mount
Not Accessible NCGL=ngss-1;Unit=0 Number of accessible
NFS mounts is equal to 0; minor threshold reached
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS304	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm is raised in addition to more severe alarms such as Mate is unavailable and point to point (PTP) failure. If connectivity to the mate is lost or if the mate unit is offline, then this alarm clears when communication with the mate is restored.

If the mate unit is available, clear connectivity related alarms. Connectivity to the mate over the PTP link, physically provided by the crossover cables, is required.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report requires no additional information.

XTS305

Log report [XTS305](#) indicates that the platform software lost time synchronization to one or more Network Time Protocol (NTP) servers, or the drift is excessive.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS305](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS305](#) is as follows:

```
Feb 13 10:42:05 rtpsngsslunit1 alarmd: XTS305 MAJOR FLT
NTP Error NCGL=rtpsngsslunit1;Unit=1 Host is not communicating
with any NTP server(s);
No. of configured server(s): 1; No. of accessible server(s): 0.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS305	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	NTP Error	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own; however, if the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS306

Log report [XTS306](#) indicates that CPU utilization has exceeded a preset threshold.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS306](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS306](#) is as follows:

```
May 25 10:13:05 yin alarmd: XTS306 MINOR FLT CPU Utilization NCGL=yin;
Unit=0 5 minute percent idle cpu utilization is below 5.00,
minor threshold reached.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS306	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of CPU and memory related resources for the active unit.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS309

Log report [XTS309](#) indicates that a peripheral hardware component (such as an ethernet card) has a Peripheral Component Interconnect (PCI) bus fault, Error Checking and Correction (ECC) memory fault, or a parity error.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS309](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS309](#) is as follows:

```
AUG6 08:13:22 ngss-1 XTS309 critical FLT Hardware Fault
Unit Number : 1, INACTIVE
Data parity critical threshold is reached;
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS309	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. If the alarm persists, refer to procedure *Reboot a Session Server unit* in the Session Server Security and Administration NTP, NN10346-611 or *Reboot a Policy Controller unit* in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611, for a description how to reboot the affected unit. After the reboot, check the resulting system status in *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911.

If the alarm persists, consider replacing the unit.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS315

Log report [XTS315](#) is generated when the inactive unit becomes disabled and is not available.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS315](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS315](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 13 15:00:24 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS315 MAJOR FLT Simplex Node
NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 The state is Standby Disabled.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS315	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of the application on both units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS316

Log report [XTS316](#) indicates that the standby call processing application on the inactive Session Server or Policy Controller is out of service and the node is not operation in a fault-tolerant mode.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS316](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS316](#) is as follows:

```
APR7 08:16:22 ngss-1 XTS316 major FLT Application Out-of-Serv
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE
The application state has changed from In
Service to Out Of Service.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS316	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of the application on both units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS331

Log report [XTS331](#) indicates that the Session Server or Policy Controller active unit cannot communicate to the mate unit through the ethernet connections.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS331](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS331](#) is as follows:

```
Oct 25 09:53:18 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS331 MAJOR FLT
Mate Connectivity NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Link0:
INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV,
mateCon: UNAVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: INSV, mateCon: UNAVAIL;
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS331	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the connectivity and network status for both units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS335

Log report [XTS335](#) is generated in response to a Communications Subsystem Failure alarm when one or both PTP links is down.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS335](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS335](#) is as follows:

```
Jul 22 09:43:04 cablab alarmd: XTS335 MAJOR FLT Link Connectivity ss.unit1;
Unit=1 Link0:INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL;Link1:INSV, mateCon: AVAIL,
netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: PTP0-SYSB, mateCon: AVAIL;
```

```
Jul 22 10:32:33 cablab alarmd: XTS335 MAJOR FLT Link Connectivity ss.unit1;
Unit=1 Link0: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1:INSV, mateCon: AVAIL,
netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: AVAIL;
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS335	The component prefix and log number
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded

Field	Value	Description
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the connectivity and network status for both units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS336

Log report [XTS336](#) indicates that one or more ethernet links are unable to communicate with the network.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS336](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS336](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 21 09:17:26 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS336 MAJOR FLT Network
Connectivity NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Link0: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL,
netCon: UNAVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
INSV, mateCon: AVAIL;
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS336	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the connectivity and network status for both units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS351

Log report [XTS351](#) indicates a response to several CON and APL alarms because the mate Session Server or Policy Controller unit is unavailable or status information for the mate unit is unavailable at the maintenance interface.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS351](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS351](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 21 09:27:14 cablab.ss.unit0 alarmd: XTS351 MAJOR FLT No Mate
Communication (simplex) NCGL=cablab.ss.unit0;Unit=0 Mate unit is
unavailable.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS351	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the connectivity status for the active and standby units.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS355

Log report [XTS355](#) indicates the inactive unit is jammed to prevent a Switch of Activity (SwAct).

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS355](#) in addition to the alarm.

Format

The format for log report [XTS355](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 20 12:46:23 cablab.ss.unit0 alarmd: XTS355 MINOR FLT Jam Inactive Unit
NCGL=cablab.ss.unit0;Unit=0 Inactive JAMMED
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS355	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This alarm may clear on its own. Refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of CPU and memory related resources for the active unit.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS391

Log report [XTS391](#) indicates that a disk drive:

- has failed (major) or has been removed from the system chassis (critical)
- has been removed from the NCGL for maintenance or upgrade but is still installed in the chassis (major)
- is having its filesystem rebuilt and its performance is degraded (minor)

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS391](#) in addition to the alarm. When the alarm condition is cleared, a log XTS691 is generated.

Format

The format for log report [XTS391](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 20 15:37:47 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS391 MAJOR UNEQ Disk Missing
NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1; Array:
'/dev/md1
' (ntvg) Status: A physical
disk has been removed from the array.

Sep 20 15:38:22 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS391 MINOR INIT Array Rebuilding
NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1; Array:
'/dev/md0
' (/boot) Status: The array
is currently being rebuilt.

Sep 20 15:38:22 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS391 MINOR INIT Array Rebuilding
NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1; Array:
'/dev/md1
' (ntvg) Status: The array is
currently being rebuilt.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	Alphanumeric	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS391	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

Determine the cause of the alarm and refer to *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911, for a description how to monitor the status of Disk Storage resources for the affected unit.

Replace the failed disk drive. Refer to the procedure in *Session Server Fault Management*, NN10332-911, or *Policy Controller Fault Management*, NN10438-911.

If the alarm persists at the major or critical level, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS392

Log report [XTS392](#) indicates a error result has been returned from regularly occurring NGCL audit testing for any of the following conditions:

- Magneto Hardware Chassis Fault (equipment malfunction or failure)
- Self Test Unavailable (NCGL malfunction or process failure)
- Self Test Hardware Error (equipment malfunction or failure)
- Self Test Query Error (equipment malfunction or failure)
- Self Test Corrupted Error (equipment malfunction or failure)
- Self Test Device Failure (equipment malfunction or failure)

The severity level of the alarm is determined by the conditions listed above.

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS392](#) in addition to the alarm. When the alarm condition is cleared, a log XTS692 is generated.

Format

The format for log report [XTS392](#) is as follows:

```
May 19 10:31:33 loopback alarmd: XTS392 MAJOR FLT Self Test
NCGL=localhost; Unable to communicate with BMC to get results. cc=0

May 19 11:40:44 unit0 alarmd: XTS392 MAJOR FLT Self Test NCGL=unit0;
Unable to communicate with BMC to get results. cc=0

May 19 12:36:27 yin alarmd: XTS392 MAJOR FAIL Chassis Fault NCGL=yin;Unit=0;
Power overload detected.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log

Field	Value	Description
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS392	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This log report requires no action. If the alarm persists, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS395

Log report [XTS395](#) indicates a error result has been returned from regularly occurring NCGL file system audit tests:

- Self Test Device Filesystem Threshold Exceeded; this is a quality of service alarm indicating that memory resources are low
- Filesystem Test Failure (minor) due to low disk space
- Filesystem Test Failure (critical) due to test failure

The Session Server or Policy Controller platform generates log report [XTS395](#) in addition to the alarm. When the alarm condition is cleared, a log XTS695 is generated.

Format

The format for log report [XTS395](#) is as follows:

```
May  4 13:02:58 fred alarmd: XTS395 MINOR FLT
Filesystem Error NCGL=fred;Unit=0 Status: Alarm raised.
Filesystem is < /boot >. Test results: Stat(Success) CreateDir(Success)
CreateFile(Success) WriteFile(No space left on device) ReadFile(Success)
RemoveFile(Success) RemoveDir(Success)
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS395	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	minor, major, critical	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	FLT (fault)	The type of trouble or info recorded

Field	Value	Description
Label	Alphanumeric	Title label for the log
Description	Alphanumeric	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This log report requires no action. If the alarm persists, contact your next level of support.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS600

Log report [XTS600](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS300 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS600](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 7 14:11:45 sp2k-1 logman: XTS600 NONE INFO Memory Alarm Cleared
Unit Number : 0, UNDETERMINED
Description : Available memory is greater than the minor threshold
value of 150MB
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS600	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Memory Alarm Cleared	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS300 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS601

Log report [XTS601](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS301 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS601](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 7 14:11:45 sp2k-1 logman: XTS601 NONE INFO CPU Alarm
Cleared Unit Number : 0, UNDETERMINED
Description : 1 minute load average is less than 10.00; no threshold reached
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS601	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	CPU Alarm	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS301 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS602

Log report [XTS602](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS302 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS602](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 14:11:39 yang logman: XTS602 NONE INFO Disk Alarm Cleared
Unit Number : 1, ACTIVE
Description : Percentage of root free disk space is greater than 15.00.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS602	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Memory Alarm Cleared	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS302 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS603

Log report [XTS603](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS303 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS603](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 7 14:11:46 sp2k-1 logman: XTS603 NONE INFO Zombie Process Alarm Cleared
Unit Number : 0, UNDETERMINED
Description : Number of zombie processes is less than 5.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS603	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Memory Alarm Cleared	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS303 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS604

Log report [XTS604](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS304 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS604](#) is as follows:

```
May 6 18:50:22 ngss-1 logman: XTS604 NONE INFO NFS Mounts Accessible
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE      Description : Number of accessible
NFS mounts is greater than 0.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS604	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	NFS Mounts Accessible	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS304 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS605

Log report [XTS605](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS305 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS605](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 13 15:04:20 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS605 NONE INFO NTP
Error NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Host is not communicating with any NTP
server(s); No. of configured server(s): 3; No. of accessible server(s): 0.

Sep 13 15:04:40 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS605 NONE INFO NTP
Error NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Host is not synchronized to any NTP
server(s); No. of configured server(s): 3; No. of accessible server(s): 3.

Sep 13 15:07:50 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS605 NONE INFO NTP
Error NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Host lost synchronization to one or more
NTP servers; No. of configured server(s): 3; No. of accessible server(s):
3; Host synchronized to: 2 server(s).

Sep 13 15:20:22 cablab.ss.unit1 alarmd: XTS605 NONE INFO NTP
Error NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Time offset is greater than the defined
threshold; Offset from NTP server 10.65.96.13: 61ms; Threshold: (+/-)50ms.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS605	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded

Field	Value	Description
Label	NTP Alarm Cleared or NTP Error	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS305 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS606

Log report [XTS606](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS306 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS606](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 14:11:39 yang logman: XTS606 NONE INFO CPU Utilization Cleared
Unit Number : 1, ACTIVE
Description : 5 minute percent idle cpu utilization is above 5.00,
no threshold reached.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS606	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	CPU Utilization Cleared	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS306 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS609

Log report [XTS609](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS309 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS609](#) is as follows:

```
Nov 4 11:00:58 OTT2.SS0 logman: XTS609 NONE INFO
Hardware Fault Cleared Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE Description :
HWMON Fault Inserted through debug tool
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS609	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Hardware Fault Cleared	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS309 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS614

Log report [XTS614](#) is generated when all the conditions which raised alarm [XTS314](#) are cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS614](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 10:16:51 ngss-1 logman: XTS614 NONE INFO
Application Memory Alarm Cleared Unit Number : 1
UNDETERMINED Description : Memory alarm cleared on application manager
initialization
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd, logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS614	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	NONE	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble recorded
Label	Application Memory Alarm Cleared	Title label for the log

Field	Value	Description
Unit	Unit Number 0, Unit Number 1 (active)	The unit impacted or to which the alarm applies. Also may indicate if the unit is active.
Description	Memory alarm cleared on application manager initialization	Detailed description of the trouble or resolution.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS615

Log report [XTS615](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS315 have been cleared.

Note: When a SwAct occurs, the SIP Gateway application database loses synchronization. An alarm and [SIPM302](#) log are generated, indicating loss of synchronization. After the SwAct has completed, the SIP Gateway application database returns to a synchronized state, and a follow-up SIPM-302 log is generated, indicating that the alarm has cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS615](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 7 09:17:04 sp2k-1 alarmd: XTS615 NONE INFO Duplex Node NCGL=sp2k-1;
Unit=0 State has changed from Standby Disabled to Standby Enabled.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS615	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Duplex Node	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to the originating XTS315 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS616

Log report [XTS616](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS316 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS616](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 7 09:37:32 sp2k-1 logman: XTS616 NONE INFO Application In-Service
Unit Number : 0, UNDETERMINED
Description : The state is Running.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS616	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Application In-service	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS316 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS631

Log report [XTS631](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS331 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS631](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 20 14:27:33 cablab.ss.unit1 logman: XTS631 NONE INFO Mate Connectivity
Restored Unit Number : 1, ACTIVE Description : Link0: INSV, mateCon:
AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
PTP1-SYSB, mateCon: AVAIL;

Sep 20 14:27:34 cablab.ss.unit1 logman: XTS631 NONE INFO Mate Connectivity
Restored Unit Number : 1, ACTIVE Description : Link0: INSV, mateCon:
AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
BOTH_SYSB, mateCon: AVAIL;

Sep 20 14:27:42 cablab.ss.unit1 logman: XTS631 NONE INFO Mate Connectivity
Restored Unit Number : 1, ACTIVE Description : Link0: INSV, mateCon:
AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink:
INSV, mateCon: AVAIL;
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS631	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)

Field	Value	Description
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Mate Connectivity Restored	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS331 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS635

Log report [XTS635](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS335 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS635](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 10:21:53 yang alarmd: XTS635 NONE INFO Link Connectivity Restored
NCGL=yang;Unit=1 Link0: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL;
Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman; alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS635	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Link Connectivity Restored	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS335 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS636

Log report [XTS636](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS336 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS636](#) is as follows:

```
May 11 09:52:00 cablab alarmd: XTS636 NONE INFO Network Connectivity
Restored NCGL=cablab.ss.unit1;Unit=1 Link0: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon:
AVAIL;Link1: INSV, mateCon: AVAIL, netCon: AVAIL; PTPLink: INSV, mateCon:
AVAIL
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS636	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Network Connectivity Restored	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS336 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS651

Log report [XTS651](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS351 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS651](#) is as follows:

```
Sep 21 09:31:02 cablab.ss.unit0 alarmd: XTS651 NONE INFO Mate  
Communication Restored NCGL=cablab.ss.unit0;Unit=0 Mate unit is available.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman; alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS651	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Mate Communication Restored	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS351 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS655

Log report [XTS655](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS355 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS655](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 14:11:38 yang logman: XTS655 NONE INFO Release Jam on Inactive unit
Unit Number : 1, UNDETERMINED
Description : Inactive not JAMMED
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS655	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Release Jam on Inactive unit	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS355 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS670

Log report [XTS670](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when a SwAct of the system has been initiated.

Format

The format for log report [XTS670](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 8 09:19:33 sp2k-1 logman: XTS670 NONE INFO SWACT Failover Started
Unit Number : 0, ACTIVE
Description : SWACT failover has been initiated. Initiator: Manual
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS670	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	SWACT Failover Started	Title label for the log
Description	SWACT failover has been initiated. Initiator: Manual	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS671

Log report [XTS671](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when a SwAct of the system has been completed.

Format

The format for log report [XTS671](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 8 09:19:33 sp2k-1 logman: XTS671 NONE INFO SWACT Failover Finished
Unit Number : 0, INACTIVE
Description : Result: Passed, Initiator: Manual
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS671	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	SWACT Failover Finished	Title label for the log
Description	Result: Passed, Initiator: Manual	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

This log report has no additional information.

XTS691

Log report [XTS691](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS391 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS691](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 10:55:48 yang alarmd: XTS691 NONE INIT Array Rebuilt
NCGL=yang;Unit=1; Array: '/dev/md1' (ntvg) The array has been rebuilt.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS691	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Array Rebuilt	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS391 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS692

Log report [XTS692](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS392 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS692](#) is as follows:

```
Apr 29 10:55:48 yang alarmd: XTS692 NONE INIT Self Test Device Clear
Apr 29 12:36:39 yin alarmd: XTS692 NONE FAIL Chassis OK NCGL=yin;Unit=0;
Power overload detected.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	alarmd	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS692	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Self Test Device Clear	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS392 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

XTS695

Log report [XTS695](#) is written by the NCGL operating system when the conditions which raised alarm XTS395 have been cleared.

Format

The format for log report [XTS695](#) is as follows:

```
May 11 09:56:39 yin alarmd: XTS695 NONE THR Threshold exceeded
or Filesystem Error
NCGL=yin;Unit=0; Status: Alarm cleared.
Filesystem is < /tmp >. Used filesystem percentage is 0.50.
```

Selected field descriptions

The following table explains selected fields in the log report:

Field	Value	Description
Time and Date Stamp	Alphanumeric	The time and date the log was generated
Hostname or Host ID	Alphanumeric	The hostname or host id of the unit that generated the log
Process Name	logman	Identifies the NGCL or application process unit that generates the report
Log Number	XTS695	The component prefix and number of the log
Severity	None	The log severity (may be related to alarm severity)
Event Type	Info	The type of trouble or info recorded
Label	Memory Alarm Cleared	Title label for the log
Description	Refer to originating XTS395 alarm for details	Detailed description of the trouble or activity.

Action

This log report requires no action.

Associated OM registers

This log report has no associated OM registers.

Additional information

Refer to the originating alarm/log for description details.

View the operational status of a Policy Controller NCGL platform

Purpose of this procedure

Use the following procedure to view the service status of the Policy Controller platform hardware and NCGL operating system using the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager. This procedure may be used as a standalone task or as part of a high-level activity.

Limitations and restrictions

Although some activities described in this procedure can be accomplished using the Policy Controller GUI, they are described instead using the more complete CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager.

This procedure does not describe how to change platform or NCGL settings such as changing BIOS settings or platform provisioning. Refer to the appropriate procedures in the Policy Controller Configuration Management NTP, NN10432-511, for changing these settings.

This procedure does not describe how to view customer logs, alarms or how to change the root password. For detailed instructions on viewing customer logs or alarms, refer to [View Policy Controller logs on page 31](#) and [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#). For instructions on how to change the platform root password, refer to the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Prerequisites

None

Action

At the Policy Controller Launch Point

- 1 Select **Succession Communication Server 2000 NCGL Platform Manager** from the launch point menu.

Service providers use this web interface to perform administrative tasks such as provisioning application data, performing platform or application maintenance, and monitoring logs and alarms.

Please select one of the following management interfaces:

[Succession Communication Server 2000 NCGL Platform Manager](#)

[Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager](#)

The Platform Main Page menu is displayed.



2 Use the following table to determine your next step:

If	Do
you want to review the version of the platform software load, boot statistics and platform IP address	Click the System Information link and go to step 3 .
you want to review existing platform alarms	Skip to step 17 and go to procedure View Policy Controller alarms on page 29 .
you want to review node maintenance status	Click the Node Maintenance link and go to step 5 .
you want to review the status of system processes, CPU load and memory or related alarm thresholds	Click the System Status link and go to step 7 .
you want to review the connectivity status of the network links. To perform link management activities, refer to the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611	Click the Network Connectivity link and go to step 9 .
you want to review storage related information including array status, disk capacity and disk alarm thresholds	Click the Disk Services link and go to step 10 .
you want to review details about platform services including the network time protocol servers	Click the Services link and go to step 12 .
you want to review platform version information only	Click the Administration link and go to step 14 .
you want to review customer logs	Skip to step 17 and go to procedure View Policy Controller logs on page 31 .
you want to change root passwords	Skip to step 17 and go to procedure "Manage user passwords with the Policy Controller GUI" in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
you are done reviewing information and want to logout from the GUI	step 16 .

- 3 Review the system information page and use the following table to review the description of the various fields of the Platform (System) Information page:

Note: The Platform (System) Information panel does not update automatically. Click the **System Information** link again to update it.

Unit	Activity	Jam	State	Connectivity	Host Name	Last Update Time
0	Active	no	simplex SM	MatCon M	SPC2	10:15:36

The Platform Information panel does not update automatically!
Datestamp of last update: Tuesday February 01st 2005 10:15:40 PM CST

Platform Information	
Date:	Tuesday February 01st 2005 10:15:40 PM CST
Time since last reboot:	6 days, 11 hours, 31 minutes, 48 seconds
System Power-On Time:	0 years 179 days 15 hours
System booted from:	Hard disk drive
Last restart cause:	Last restart due to soft reset
Last power event cause:	Last power down caused by loss of power feed.
Current version:	7.03.1.0.0501190225
Platform IP Address:	47.153.178.176
Platform EM Client IP Address:	47.102.69.136
Server Location:	SUPLAB
Host Name:	SPC2

Field	Description
Unit	The Unit number of the Policy Controller in the node that is active. This is the unit you are logged into using your GUI.
Activity	Indicates the activity of the unit (either active or standby).
Jam	Indicates if an activity Jam has occurred on the active Policy Controller unit. This prevents the standby unit from becoming active, regardless of any failures on the active unit.
State	Indicates if the Policy Controller node is operating in a duplex (fault-tolerant) mode or a simplex mode (the standby unit is off-line).

Field	Description
Connectivity	Indicates the state of the network links on the node.
Host Name	Indicates the name of the Policy Controller unit (not node).
Date	Indicates the system date as maintained by the network time protocol (NTP) server.
Time since last reboot:	Indicates the amount of time that has elapsed since the Policy Controller was last rebooted for any reason.
System Power-On Time:	Indicates the recorded system time that the Policy Controller was powered up.
System booted from:	Indicates whether the Policy Controller is currently booted from the hard drive, or DVD-ROM drive.
Last restart cause:	Indicates any event that forced a platform reboot (manual or system generated).
Last power event cause:	Indicates any event that affected the power supply subsystem of the unit chassis.
Current version:	Indicates the installed version of the Policy Controller platform software. (Does not include the SIP Gateway application or other co-resident applications.) Refer to the Policy Controller Upgrades NTP, NN10431-461, for more procedures on acquiring version information.
Platform IP Address:	Indicates the IP address of the Policy Controller platform.
Platform EM Client IP Address:	Indicates the IP address of the Policy Controller client web interface. This is the IP address of the PC or Unix client from which the GUI was launched. When a web proxy is used, IP address is prefixed with the SSPFS proxy IP address.
Server Location:	Indicates the physical location of the Policy Controller.
Host Name:	Indicates the hostname of the Policy Controller node.

- 4** When you have completed reviewing System Information page, return to [step 2](#).

- 5 Review the Node Maintenance page and use the following table to review the description of the various fields of the Node Maintenance page:

Note: The Node Maintenance panel is refreshed every 45 seconds.

Unit 0		
Operation State	Activity	Jam State
Enabled	Inactive	no
Unit 1		
Operation State	Activity	Jam State
Enabled	Active	no
Maintenance Actions		
<input type="button" value="SWACT"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Force		<input type="button" value="Jam"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Force

Field	Description
Operation State (unit 0 or 1)	Indicates the operational state of the platform software.
Activity (unit 0 or 1)	Indicates the activity state of the platform software.
Jam State (active unit only)	Indicates whether or not an activity jam has been requested.
Maintenance Actions (active unit only)	Maintenance panel for performing node SwAct activity and to unjam node activity. Refer to the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611, for procedures on performing a SwAct or Jam/unJam of the active unit.

- 6 When you have completed reviewing the Node Maintenance page, return to [step 2](#).

- 7 Review the System Status page and use the following table to review the descriptions of the various fields of the System Status page:

Note: The Chassis Information panel is not automatically refreshed.

Chassis Information					
Self Test			Chassis Subsystems		
Self tests passed.			Chassis subsystems OK.		

CPU Load					
1 min. load average	5 mins. load average	15 mins. load average	Minor alarm threshold 1 min.	Major alarm threshold 1 min.	Critical alarm threshold 1 min.
0.02	0.01	0.00	10.00	20.00	40.00

CPU Utilization					
5 mins. Utilization average	20 mins. Utilization average	30 mins. Utilization average	Minor alarm threshold 5 min.	Major alarm threshold 20 min.	Critical alarm threshold 30 min.
0.77	0.62	0.62	95.00%	99.00%	99.00%

Process Information				
Number of processes	Number of zombie process(es)	Zombie		
		Minor alarm threshold value	Major alarm threshold value	Critical alarm threshold value
165	0	5	10	15

Memory Information					
Total memory (MB)	Free memory (MB)	Available memory (MB)	Minor alarm threshold value (MB)	Major alarm threshold value (MB)	Critical alarm threshold value (MB)
3,787.31	2,951.86	3,539.29	500.00	250.00	100.00

Field	Description
Chassis information: Self Test	Indicates the status of the self test performed on the platform at boot up.
Chassis information: Chassis Subsystems	Indicates the status of the platform hardware subsystems including the memory, CPU, all drives, network connection, power supplies, cooling and other I/O connections.
CPU Information: load average	Indicates the 1, 5 and 15 minute load averages for the CPU utilization.
CPU information: load average threshold values	Indicates the 1 minute CPU load average utilization threshold value. When the set threshold value is exceeded, the appropriate minor, major or critical alarm is raised.
Chassis Utilization: Utilization average	Indicates the 5, 20 and 30 minute CPU utilization average. When the threshold value is exceeded, an alarm is raised.
Chassis Utilization: alarm threshold values	Indicates the 5, 20 and 30 minute CPU utilization average threshold value. When the set threshold value is exceeded, an alarm is raised.
Process Information: Number of Processes	Indicates the total number of processes (non-threaded) that are running on the Policy Controller Platform.
Process Information: Number of zombie processes	Indicates the number of defunct or terminated NCGL zombie processes. Note: A zombie process is a process that has terminated either because it has been killed by a signal or because it has called an exit() and whose parent process has not yet received notification of its termination. A zombie process exists solely as a process table entry and consumes no other resources.
Process Information-zombie: minor alarm threshold value	Indicates the maximum number of zombie processes allowed to be run by the CPU before a minor alarm is raised indicating that the set threshold has been exceeded.

Field	Description
Process Information-zombie: major alarm threshold value	Indicates the maximum number of zombie processes allowed to be run by the CPU before a major alarm is raised indicating that the set threshold has been exceeded.
Process Information-zombie: critical alarm threshold value	Indicates the maximum number of zombie processes allowed to be run by the CPU before a critical alarm is raised indicating that the set threshold has been exceeded.
Memory Information: Total Memory (MB)	The total amount of RAM installed on the motherboard of each Policy Controller unit. Both units must have the same amount.
Memory Information: Free Memory (MB)	The amount of memory available unallocated for use.
Memory Information: Available memory (MB)	The amount of memory available for programs.
Memory Information: minor alarm threshold value	Indicates the threshold amount of available memory (in Mbytes) that the system must drop below before a minor alarm is raised.
Memory Information: major alarm threshold value	Indicates the threshold amount of available memory (in Mbytes) that the system must drop below before a major alarm is raised.
Memory Information: critical alarm threshold value	Indicates the threshold amount of available memory (in Mbytes) that the system must drop below before a critical alarm is raised.

- 8** When you have completed reviewing the System Status, return to [step 2](#).

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ATTENTION

Do not perform link management activities such as Lock, Suspend or Swlink using this procedure. Refer to the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611, to perform these activities.

Review the Network Connectivity page and use the following table to review the description of the various fields of the Network Connectivity page:

Note: The Network Connectivity panel is refreshed every 45 seconds.

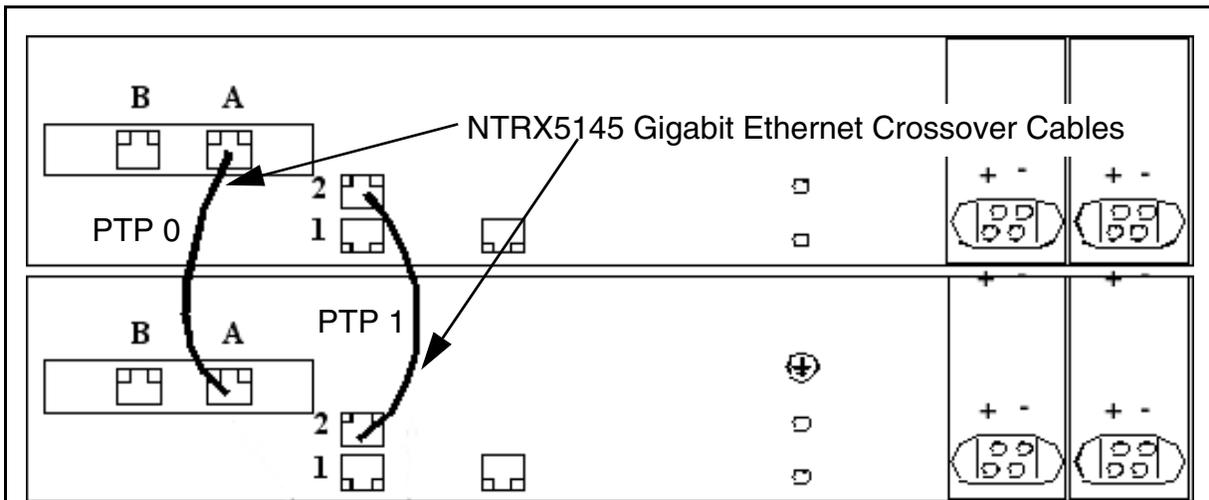
Unit 0 Links				
Unit IP	Active IP	Port 0 IP	Port 1 IP	PTP IP
10.67.99.67	10.67.99.72	10.67.99.65	10.67.99.66	192.168.1.1
Links	Status	Activity	Maintenance	
Link 0	.	Active	Lock 0	Swlink
Link 1	.	Inactive	Lock 1	
PTP Links	.			

Unit 1 Links				
Unit IP	Inactive IP	Port 0 IP	Port 1 IP	PTP IP
10.67.99.70	10.67.99.71	10.67.99.68	10.67.99.69	192.168.1.2
Links	Status	Activity		
Link 0	.	Active		
Link 1	.	Inactive		
PTP Links	.			

Field	Description
Unit 0,1 Links	Indicates which ethernet IP links are installed on the Policy Controller units (each unit has two links).
Unit 0,1 Status	Indicates the status of the ethernet links.

Field	Description
Unit 0,1 Activity	Indicates the activity status of the ethernet links; either active or inactive.
Unit 0,1 Maintenance	Indicates the maintenance actions that can be performed on the ethernet links; either Lock, Unlock or Swlink. Refer to the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611, to perform link management.
Unit 0,1 PTP Links status	Indicates the status of the PTP links between both units in the node.
Unit IP	The network IP address of the Policy Controller unit.
Active IP	The IP address of the local (active) Policy Controller unit.
Inactive IP	The IP address of the mate (inactive) Policy Controller unit.
Port 0 IP	The IP address of the active or inactive ethernet port 0.
Port 1 IP	The IP address of the active or inactive ethernet port 1.
PTP IP	The IP address of the active or inactive PTP link.

Crossover and LAN ethernet cable connections for Policy Controller units



Ethernet Ports:

Ports 1 and B (both sets) go to CS-LAN Switch

Ports 2 (PTP1) and A (PTP0) are point-to-point connections between Session Server units

10 Review the Disk Services page and use the following table to review the description of the various fields of the Disk Storage page:

Note 1: The Disk Services panel does not update automatically. Click the **Disk Services** link again to update it.

Note 2: To create and remove file systems, refer to applicable procedures in the Policy Controller Configuration Management NTP, NN10432-511.

RAID Array Status					
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status
/boot	0.10	.	.	.	Array is operating normally
ntvg	68.26	.	.	.	Array is operating normally

Disk Maintenance			
Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action
0	68.37	.	Remove
1	68.37	.	Remove

Filesystem Information										
Monitored	Filesystem Name	Test Results	Total Space (MB)	Total Space Used (MB)	Total Space Used (%)	Total Space Available (MB)	Total Space Available (%)	Minor Alarm Threshold (%)	Major Alarm Threshold (%)	Critical Alarm Threshold (%)
	/	.	61.47	58.29	100.00	0.00	0.00	85.00	90.00	95.00
No	/boot	.	98.65	19.08	21.00	74.48	79.00	-	-	-
Yes	/opt/base	.	699.31	0.46	1.00	698.85	99.00	85.00	90.00	95.00
No	/opt/apps	.	507.31	314.31	62.00	193.00	38.00	-	-	-
Yes	/tmp	.	123.31	0.31	1.00	123.00	99.00	85.00	90.00	95.00
Yes	/var/log	.	507.31	9.61	2.00	497.71	98.00	85.00	90.00	95.00
No	/opt/swd	.	507.31	0.25	1.00	507.06	99.00	-	-	-
No	/opt/apps/webint	.	1,494.00	209.78	15.00	1,284.22	85.00	-	-	-
No	/opt/apps/database	.	10,006.00	48.19	1.00	9,957.81	99.00	-	-	-
No	/opt/apps/logs	.	507.31	206.34	41.00	300.98	59.00	-	-	-
No	/opt/apps/ngssbilling	.	10,006.00	2.50	1.00	10,003.50	99.00	-	-	-

Create/Remove Filesystem		
Create New Filesystem	<input type="text"/>	Remove Filesystem

Volume Group Information					
Volume Group Name	Volume Group Size (GB)	Total Space Allocated (GB)	Total Space Allocated (%)	Total Space Available (GB)	Total Space Available (%)
ntvg	68.22	23.84	34.95	44.38	65.05

Field	Description
RAID Array Status: Name	Indicates the name of each RAID-1 array in the system.
RAID Array Status: Size (GB)	Indicates the size of the partition in gigabytes.
RAID Array Status: State	Indicates a high level state for the array: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ".": indicates the array is functioning normally. - Missing: a disk was removed from the array. - Failed: a disk in the array has failed and needs to be replaced. -Rebuilding: the array is in the process of rebuilding to a fault-tolerant mode.
RAID Array Status: Disk 0	Indicates the service status of disk 0.
RAID Array Status: Disk 1	Indicates the service status of disk 1.
RAID Array Status: Status	Indicates the status of the array. Values are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The array is operating normally - Missing - Failed - Rebuild.
Disk Maintenance: Disk Number	Indicates the disk number in the array; 0 or 1.
Disk Maintenance: Disk Size (GB)	Indicates the total capacity of the disk drive in gigabytes.
Disk Maintenance: Disk State	Indicates the installation state of the disk.
Disk Maintenance: Disk Action	Indicates whether a hard disk can be inserted into the operating system. For more information about the Remove and Insert commands, refer to <i>Upgrading the Policy Controller</i> , NN10431-461.
Filesystem Information: Monitor	Indicates the status of individual filesystems on the disk array. For more information about the Monitor command, refer to procedures in the <i>Policy Controller Configuration Management</i> , NN10432-511.
Filesystem Information: Filesystem Name	Indicates the name of the filesystem on the disk array. Some filesystem names are reserved.

Field	Description
Filesystem Information: Test Results	Indicates the results of any tests run on the filesystems. Tests are run approximately every 10 minutes to verify that all of the basic filesystem operations are working on each of the filesystems.
Filesystem Information: Total Space (MB)	Indicates the total amount of disk space (in MB) allocated for this filesystem.
Filesystem Information: Total Space Used (MB)	Indicates the total amount of disk space (in MB) in use on this file system.
Filesystem Information: Total Space Used (%)	Indicates the total amount of disk space (in %) in use on this file system.
Filesystem Information: Total Space Available (MB)	Indicates the percent of total disk space (in MB) free for use on this filesystem.
Filesystem Information: Total Space Available (%)	Indicates the amount of disk space (in %) available for use by platform processes and applications.
Filesystem Information: Minor Alarm Threshold (%)	Indicates the maximum amount of disk space (in percent) that can be utilized before a minor alarm is raised indicating that the set threshold has been exceeded.
Filesystem Information: Major Alarm Threshold (%)	Indicates the maximum amount of disk space (in percent) that can be utilized before a major alarm is raised indicating that the set threshold has been exceeded.
Filesystem Information: Critical Alarm Threshold (%)	Indicates the maximum amount of disk space (in percent) that can be utilized before a critical alarm is raised indicating that the set threshold has been exceeded.
Volume Group Information: Volume Group Name	Indicates the name of the volume group in the array.
Volume Group Information: Volume Group Size (GB)	Indicates the total size of the volume group in the array.
Volume Group Information: Total Space Allocated (GB)	Indicates the amount of volume group space, in gigabytes, currently allocated to filesystems.
Volume Group Information: Total Space Allocated (%)	Indicates the amount of volume group space (in %) currently allocated to filesystems.

Field	Description
Volume Group Information: Total Space Available (GB)	Indicates the amount of unallocated volume group space, in gigabytes, available for filesystems.
Volume Group Information: Total Space Available (%)	Indicates the amount of unallocated volume group space (in %) available for filesystems.

- 11 When you have completed reviewing the Disk Services page, return to [step 2](#).
- 12 Review the Services page and use the following table to review the description of the various fields of the Platform Services page:

Note: The Services panel does not update automatically. Click the **Services** link again to update it.

Network Services					
Number of Active Command Line Sessions			Number of Clients with Active Web Sessions		
3			2		

NTP Information					
Server 1	Server 2	Server 3	Total Number of Servers	Accessible Servers	Synchronized Servers
47.140.162.68 in sync	undefined	undefined	1	1	1

Field	Description
Network Services: Number of Active Command Line Sessions	Indicates the number of command line interface (CLI) sessions (both remote and local) on the Policy Controller.
Network Services: Number of Clients with Active Web Sessions	Indicates the number of clients running one or more web GUI sessions.
NTP Information: Server1 - Server 3	Indicates the IP address of up to 3 Network Time Protocol (NTP) servers in the network, along with the status of the connection.

Field	Description
NTP Information: Total Number of Servers	Indicates the number of NTP servers registered with the CS-LAN network.
NTP Information: Accessible Servers	Indicates the number of NTP servers accessible to the Policy Controller.
NTP Information: Synchronized Servers	Indicates the number of NTP servers to which the Policy Controller is synchronized.

13 When you have completed reviewing Platform Services status, return to [step 2](#).

14

ATTENTION
 To perform software upgrades to the NCGL platform, refer to *Upgrading the Policy Controller*, NN10431-461.

Review the Administration page and use the following table to review the description of the various fields of the Platform Admin page:

Bootload Management					
Bootload			Maintenance		
5.20.1.0.0405122209			Default Bootload		
Software Upgrade					
Protocol	Login ID	Password	IP address	File	Action
▼					Upgrade
Server Maintenance					
Unit 0 - Active					
<input type="button" value="Reboot"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Force			<input type="button" value="Halt"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Force		
Unit 1 - Inactive					
<input type="button" value="RebootMate"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Force			<input type="button" value="HaltMate"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Force		

Field	Description
Bootload Setting: Bootload	Indicates the load ID for the NCGL platform software load.
Bootload Setting: Maintenance	Indicates whether the Bootload is the default. May also allow choosing a new default bootload if there is more than one load available. Additional loads can come from maintenance releases.
Software Upgrade: Protocol	Indicates the file transfer protocol or source location for the platform software upgrade: FTP, Anonymous FTP, HTTP, HTTPS, Local File, Local CDROM.
Software Upgrade: Login ID	If a login ID is required to access the upgrade platform load from another server in the network, a login ID can be entered here.
Software Upgrade: Password	If a password is required to access the upgrade platform load from another server in the network, a password can be entered here.
Software Upgrade: IP Address	If it is required to access the upgrade platform load from another server in the network, an IP address can be entered here.
Software Upgrade: File	The target upgrade load path and filename is entered here.
Software Upgrade: Action Upgrade button	The Upgrade button initiates a platform NCGL upgrade. Refer to <i>Upgrading the Policy Controller</i> , NN10431-461, for instructions on using this function.
Server Maintenance (active and inactive units)	To execute the Reboot , Halt , Rebootmate and Haltmate functions, refer to the applicable procedures in <i>Policy Controller Security and Administration</i> , NN10434-611.

Note: The Administration panel does not update automatically. Click the link again to update it.

- 15 When you have completed reviewing Platform Admin page, return to [step 2](#), or continue with [step 16](#).

- 16** If you want to logout from platform GUI, click the **Logout** button.
You are returned to the login page



- 17** The procedure is complete.

View the operational status of the Policy Controller application

Purpose of this procedure

Use the following procedure to view the service status of the Policy Controller application. This procedure may be used as a standalone task or as part of a high-level activity.

Limitations and restrictions

This procedure provides instructions for determining the service status of the Policy Controller application software only. For instructions on determining the status of the Policy Controller platform, refer to procedure [View the operational status of a Policy Controller NCGL platform on page 169](#).

Prerequisites

There are no prerequisites for this procedure.

Action

At the Policy Controller Launch Point

- 1 Select **Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager** from the launch point menu.

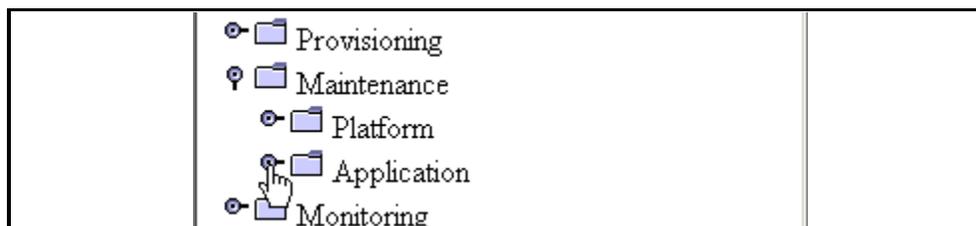
Service providers use this web interface to perform administrative tasks such as provisioning application data, performing platform or application maintenance, and monitoring logs and alarms.

Please select one of the following management interfaces:

[Succession Communication Server 2000 NCGL Platform Manager](#)

[Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager](#)

- 2 At the Policy Controller folder, click the **Maintenance folder**, then click the **Application** folder.



- 3 Click on the **Session Policy Controller** folder to open it.

- 4 Monitor the status of the Policy Controller application on the active Policy Controller node from this view.

Session Policy Controller Status			
Administrative State	Operational State	Procedural Status	Control Status
UnLocked	Enabled	-	-

Session Policy Controller Maintenance	
Administrative	Control
<input type="button" value="Lock"/> <input type="button" value="UnLock"/> <input type="button" value="Shut Down"/>	<input type="button" value="Suspend"/> <input type="button" value="UnSuspend"/>
<input type="button" value="Refresh"/> <input type="button" value="QueryInfo"/>	

Last Performed Operation: Refresh
Result: Passed

Session Policy Controller Cold SwAct

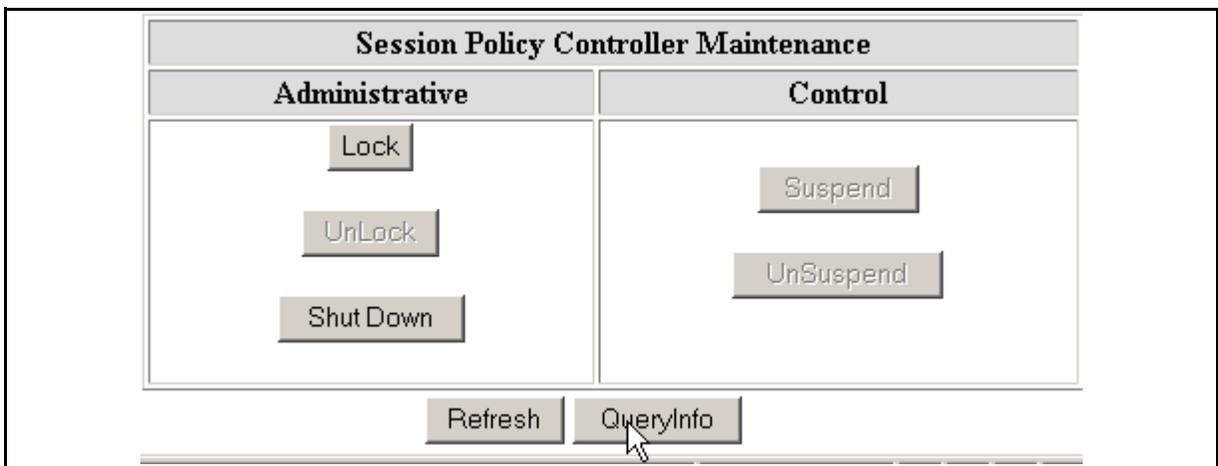
This page updates automatically every 10 seconds!
 Last update: Tue Feb 22 00:11:12 CST 2005

Note: This view is refreshed according to the value shown in the drop down box at the bottom of the status panel. To increase or decrease the refresh rate, select a different value from the drop down menu and click the **Refresh Rate** button or manually refresh the page by clicking the **Refresh** button.

- 5 Refer to section [Interpreting Policy Controller application status and maintenance fields on page 191](#) to review the description of the various fields of this view.

Note: For more detailed information about Policy Controller application services states and administrative functions, refer to *Policy Controller Security and Administration*, NN10434-611.

- 6 To perform available Policy Controller application maintenance activities, refer to the following procedures found in *Policy Controller Security and Administration*, NN10434-611:
- Lock the Policy Controller application
 - Unlock the Policy Controller application
 - Suspend the Policy Controller application
 - Unsuspend the Policy Controller application
 - Shutdown the Policy Controller application
 - Cold SwAct the Policy Controller application
- 7 To view the number of active calls currently being handled by the application and the sync status of the Policy Controller units, click the **QueryInfo** button.



- 8 The procedure is complete.

Interpreting Policy Controller application status and maintenance fields

Use the following table to assist you in interpreting the Policy Controller Status area.

Policy Controller node status field descriptions

Field	Description
Unit Connection Status Bar	Indicates which Policy Controller unit in the node the CS 2000 Policy Controller Manager is connected to.
Unit Number	indicates the units in the Policy Controller node, (labeled 0 and 1) and a maximum of one node on the Call Server-LAN
Activity State	indicates which unit is Active and which is Inactive (standby), also an indirect indicator of fault-tolerant status, assuming both units are operational.
Operational State	indicates the service status of each Policy Controller unit (either Enabled or Disabled).

Use the following table to assist you in interpreting the Policy Controller status area.

Policy Controller application Status field descriptions

Field	indication
Administrative State	Locked, Unlocked, ShuttingDown
Operational State	Enabled or Disabled
Procedural Status	Terminating or -
Control Status	Suspended or -

Use the following table to assist you in interpreting the Policy Controller area's CCITT X.731-style and related DMS-style status indicators:

Policy Controller Maintenance field descriptions and interpretation of service states

Administrative State	Operational State	Procedural Status	Control Status	DMS style Service States
Locked	Disabled	-	Suspended	Offline (OFFL)
Locked	Enabled	-	-	Manual Busy (MANB)
Locked	Enabled	Terminating	-	Manual Busy Transitioning (MANBP)
Unlocked	Enabled	-	-	In Service (INSV)
Unlocked	Disabled	-	-	System Busy (SYSB)
Shutting Down	Enabled	-	-	Going out of service (INSVD)
Note: (-) indicates a status of in-service				

Verify synchronization status of Policy Controller units

Purpose of this procedure

Use this procedure to determine the synchronization status of the Policy Controller units. This procedure may be used as a standalone task or as part of a higher level activity.

Limitations and restrictions

There are no restrictions for performing this procedure.

Prerequisites

None

Action

At the Policy Controller Launch Point

- 1 Select **Succession Communication Server 2000 Policy Controller Manager** from the launch point menu.

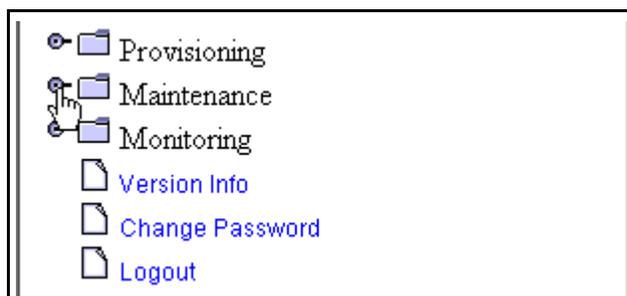
Service providers use this web interface to perform administrative tasks such as provisioning application data, performing platform or application maintenance, and monitoring logs and alarms.

Please select one of the following management interfaces:

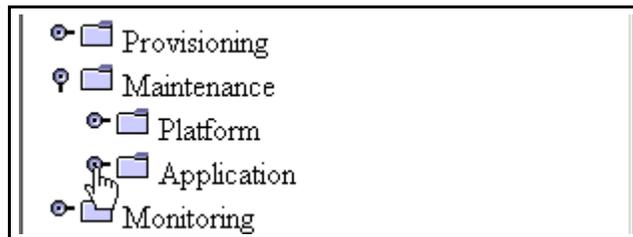
[Succession Communication Server 2000 NCGL Platform Manager](#)

[Succession Communication Server 2000 Session Server Manager](#)

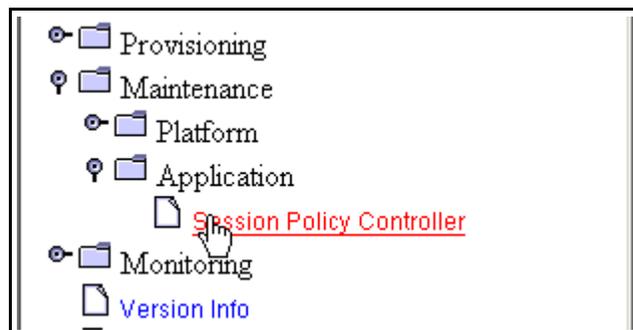
- 2 At the Policy Controller folder, click the **Maintenance** folder.



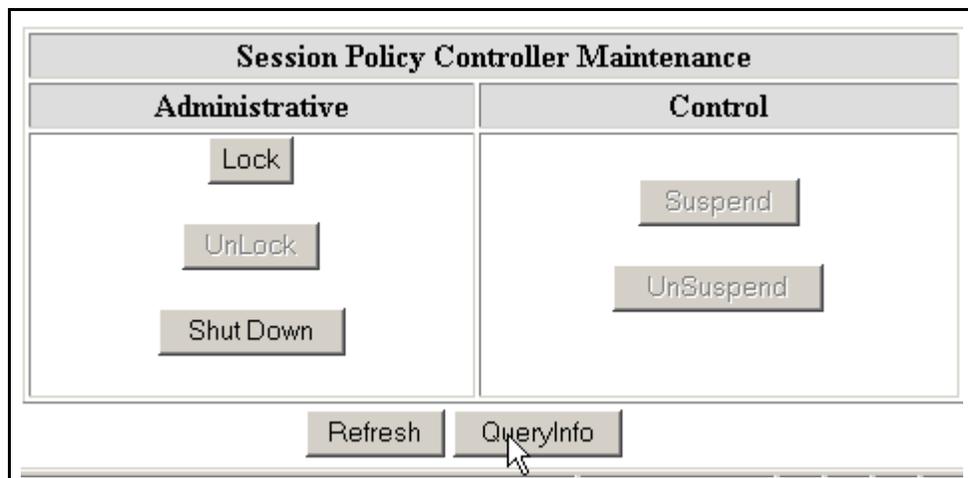
- 3 Next click the **Application** folder.



- 4 Click on the **Session Policy Controller** folder to open it.



- 5 At the bottom of the Session Policy Controller Maintenance panel, locate and click the **QueryInfo** button.



- 6 The synchronization status of the units is displayed at the bottom of the query results panel.

If the units are not in sync, execute procedure [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#), and check for alarm conditions.

Session Policy Controller Maintenance	
Administrative	Control
<p>Lock</p> <p>UnLock</p> <p>Shut Down</p>	<p>Suspend</p> <p>UnSuspend</p>
<p>Refresh QueryInfo</p>	
<p>Last Performed Operation: Query Number of Calls</p>	
<p>Result: Passed</p>	
<p>Number Of Active Calls: 0</p>	
<p>Session Policy Controller is: Not InSync</p>	
<p>Session Policy Controller Cold SwAct</p>	

7 The procedure is complete.

Replace a Policy Controller server unit

Purpose of this procedure

This procedure provides the steps for removing and replacing a faulty Policy Controller unit with a spare. It is intended to facilitate unit replacement so that the Policy Controller node can be returned to fault-tolerant service capability as soon as is possible.

Limitations and restrictions

ATTENTION

This procedure should only be used on an inactive Policy Controller unit. If the unit you want to replace is the active unit, a system SwAct must be performed. Refer to procedure *Invoke a maintenance SwAct of the Policy Controller platform* in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

This procedure does not instruct you how to install additional Policy Controller nodes into your network. Refer to your Nortel installation support representative for support in adding new Policy Controller nodes to your network.

Prerequisites

**CAUTION**

Observe the general safety precautions against personal injury and equipment damage outlined by your site safety guidelines at all times.

This procedure assumes that you have fully operational Policy Controller node made up of both active and inactive units, and that you are able to SwAct service and callp activity.

Action

At the CS 2000 Policy Controller Manager

- 1 Execute procedure "Inhibit a system SwAct (Jam)" found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

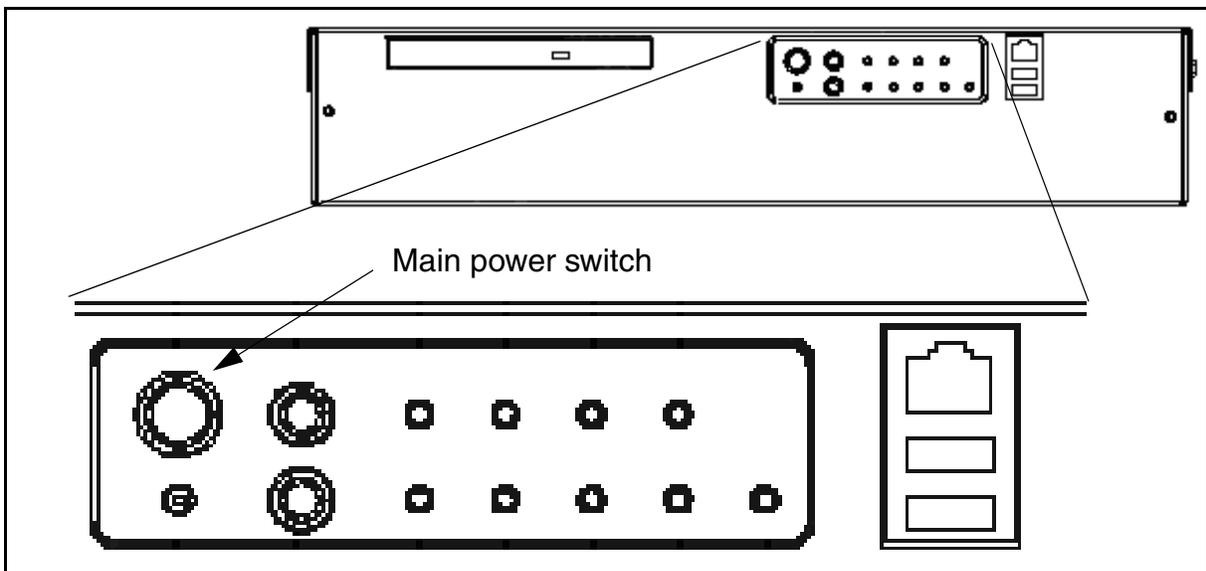
Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm/log [XTS355](#).

- 2 Determine if the Policy Controller unit to be replaced is still in service by executing procedure [View the operational status of a Policy Controller NCGL platform on page 163](#).
- 3 Use the following table to determine your next step:

If	Do
the Policy Controller unit to be replaced is still in service,	Refer to procedure "Halt (shutdown) a Policy Controller unit" found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
the Policy Controller unit to be replaced is not in service,	continue with the next step

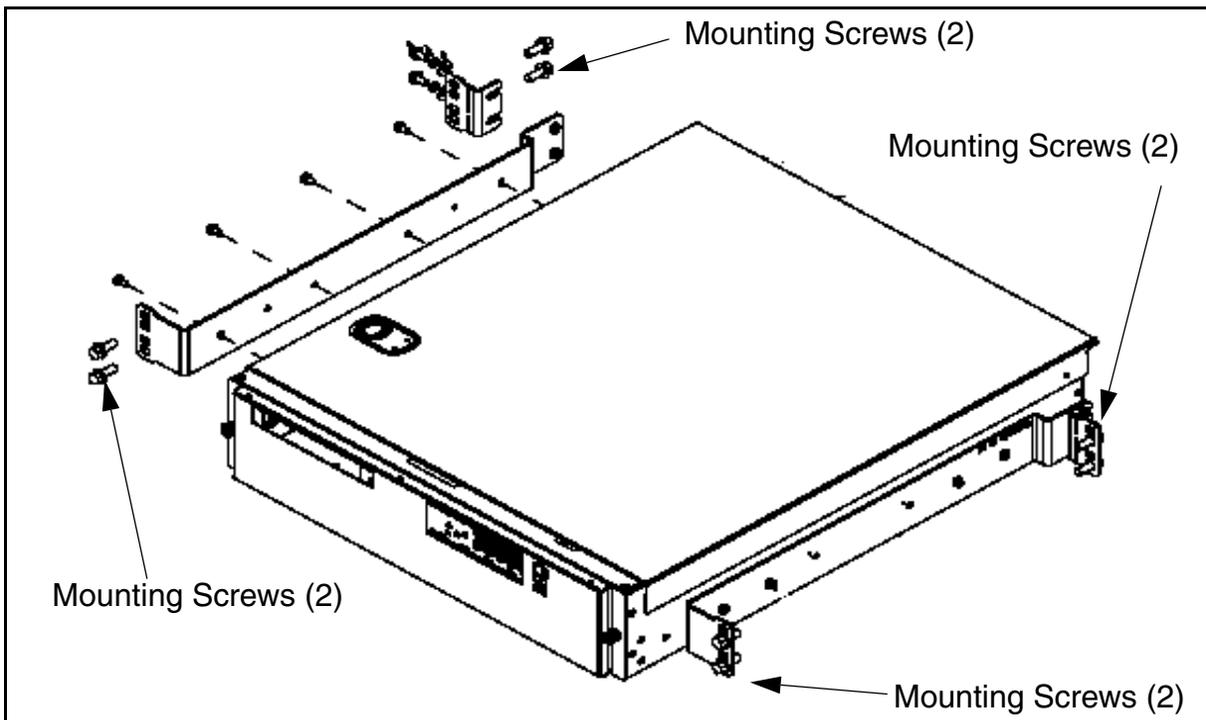
At the front panel of the Policy Controller chassis

- 4 Turn off the power to the Policy Controller unit being replaced at the main power switch located on the front panel of the Policy Controller chassis as shown below.

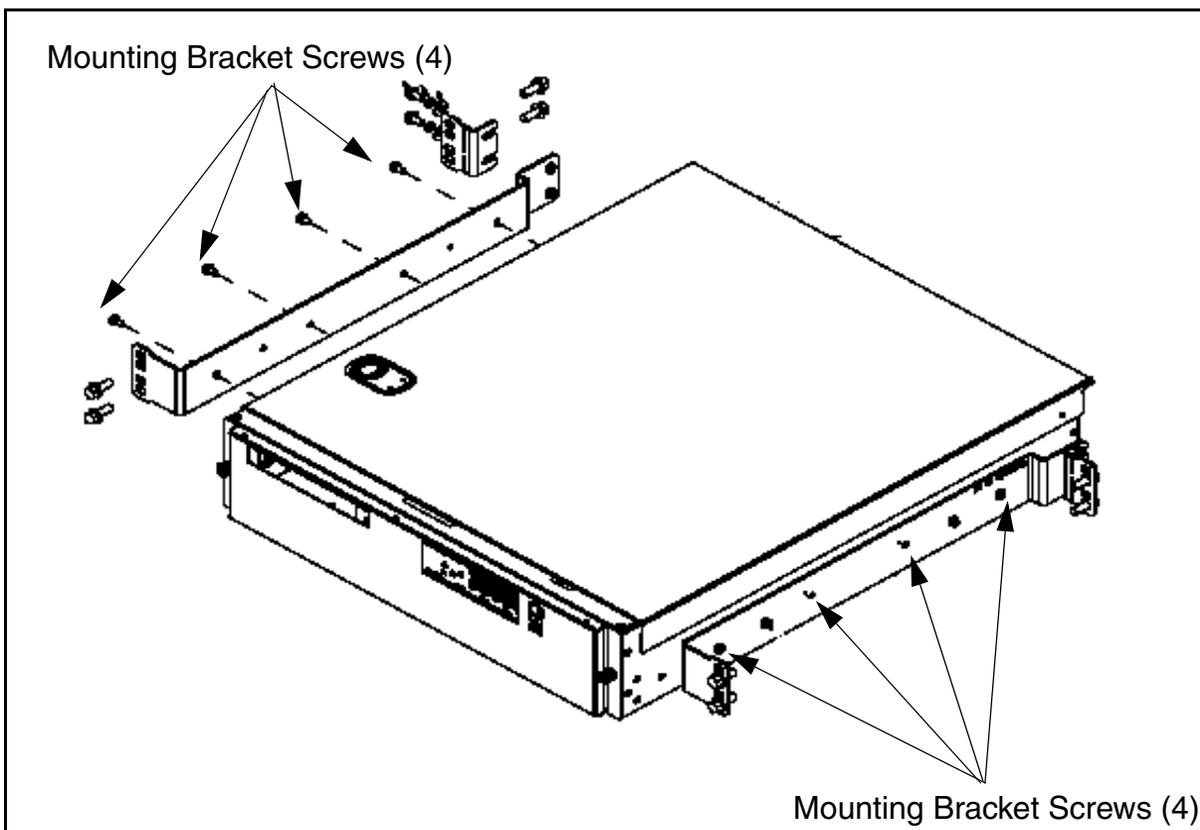


At the rear of the Policy Controller chassis and SAM-F frame

- 5** Label and remove the ethernet cables from the rear of the chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 6** Label and remove the 2 ethernet crossover cables (NTRX5145) from the rear of the chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 7** Remove the power supply cables (NTRX5199 or NTRX5146) from the rear of the Policy Controller chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#).
- 8** Remove the ground cable (NTRX5198) from the rear of the Policy Controller chassis as shown in figure [Policy Controller unit rear view of ports and ground connection on page 200](#).
- 9** If the Policy Controller chassis is connected to the alarm system, disconnect the alarm cable (NTRX5179) from the DB15 connector, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 10** Unscrew and remove the chassis mounting screws that hold the Policy Controller chassis in the SAM-F frame and remove the Policy Controller unit from the frame. There are 4 screws at the front of the chassis and 4 screws at the back of the chassis (8 screws total), as shown in the following figure.

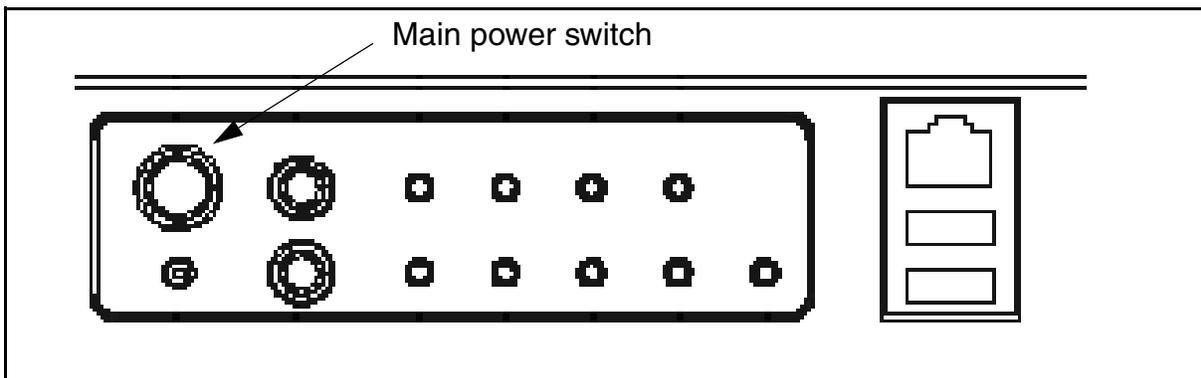


- 11** If necessary, remove the mounting brackets from the old unit and mount them on the replacement unit. There are four screws that hold each mounting bracket to the sides of the Policy Controller unit chassis (8 screws total), as shown in the following figure.



- 12** Insert the replacement Policy Controller unit into the same slot (either mounting position 68 or 72) in the SAM-F frame and secure using the mountings screws that you removed in [step 10](#).
- 13** If the Policy Controller chassis is connected to the alarm system, connect the alarm cable (NTRX5179) to the DB15 connector, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 14** Connect the ground cable (NTRX5198) to the rear of the Policy Controller chassis at its connect point as shown in figure [Policy Controller unit rear view of ports and ground connection on page 200](#).
- 15** Attach and secure the power cables (NTRX5199 or NTRX5146) to the rear of the replacement Policy Controller chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 16** At the power supply panel, reapply power to the replacement Policy Controller chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.

- 17 Connect the 2 ethernet crossover cables (NTRX5145) to the replacement Policy Controller chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 18 Connect the ethernet cables to the replacement Policy Controller chassis, referring to the table of [Additional installation and removal information on page 200](#) as needed.
- 19 Power up the replacement Policy Controller unit by pushing the power button on the front panel, then go to the Policy Controller console.

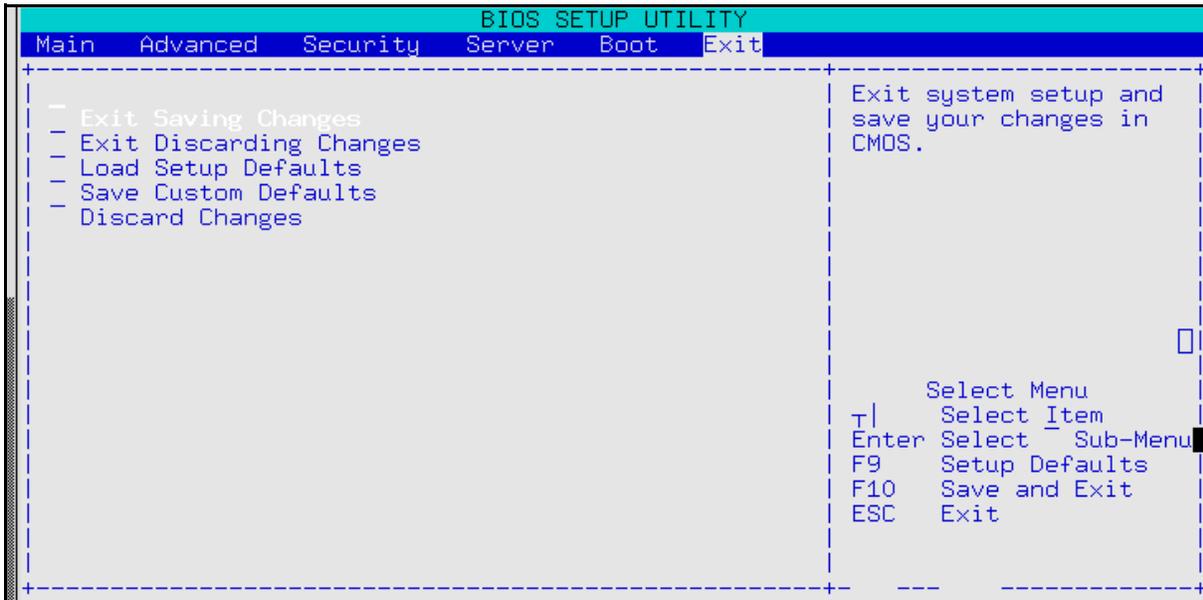


The green power LED lights and the Policy Controller unit boots attempts to boot from disk.

At the Policy Controller console

- 20** At the BIOS information screen, press the <F2> key to abort booting from disk and to enter the BIOS setup.

The main BIOS setup screen appears.



- 21** Verify that the BIOS on the new unit is configured properly by completing procedure "Reconfigure the Policy Controller BIOS" found in the Policy Controller Configuration Management NTP, NN10432-511.

After this procedure is completed, the unit automatically reboots.

- 22** Complete procedure "Reprovision the Policy Controller NCGL platform software", found in the Policy Controller Configuration Management NTP, NN10432-511.

- 23** Verify the correct configuration of the NCGL platform by using procedure "Modify NCGL platform provisioning" found in the Policy Controller Configuration Management NTP, NN10432-511.

After this procedure is completed, the unit automatically reboots. Allow the unit to boot normally.

- 24** Complete procedure "Reinstall and reprovision the Policy Controller SIP Gateway application", found in the Policy Controller Configuration Management NTP, NN10432-511.

At the Policy Controller Launch Point

- 25 Access the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager GUI. The Policy Controller GUI should be launched from the Integrated EMS client. Refer to .
- 26 Go to the Disk Services page using procedure [View the operational status of a Policy Controller NCGL platform on page 163](#) and confirm that the newly replaced unit is rebuilding the disk drive array.

The RAID Array Status screen indicates that the array is rebuilding.

The screenshot shows the RAID Array Status screen. The main table lists the RAID array 'stormvg' with a size of 68.26 GB and a state of 'Rebuilding'. The 'Disk 0' column shows 'disk0-p2 : Rebuild'. A 'Time Remaining (min)' field is circled, showing 14.53. Below this is a 'Disk Maintenance' table with columns 'Disk Number', 'Disk Size (GB)', 'Disk State', and 'Disk Action'. The 'Disk State' for disk 0 is 'Rebuild', which is also circled. An arrow points from this 'Rebuild' state to the 'Remove' button in the 'Disk Action' column of the same row in the second screenshot.

RAID Array Status					
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status
/boot	0.10	.	.	.	Array is operating normally
stormvg	68.26	Rebuilding	disk0-p2 : Rebuild	.	Complete (%)
					Rebuilt/Total (GB)
		Speed (MB/sec)	Time Remaining (min)		
		0.34	0.23/68.26	79.85	14.53

Disk Maintenance			
Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action
0	68.37	Rebuild	None
1	68.37	.	None

RAID Array Status					
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status
/boot	0.10	.	.	.	Array is operating normally
ntvg	68.26	.	.	.	Array is operating normally

Disk Maintenance			
Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action
0	68.37		Remove
1	68.37		Remove

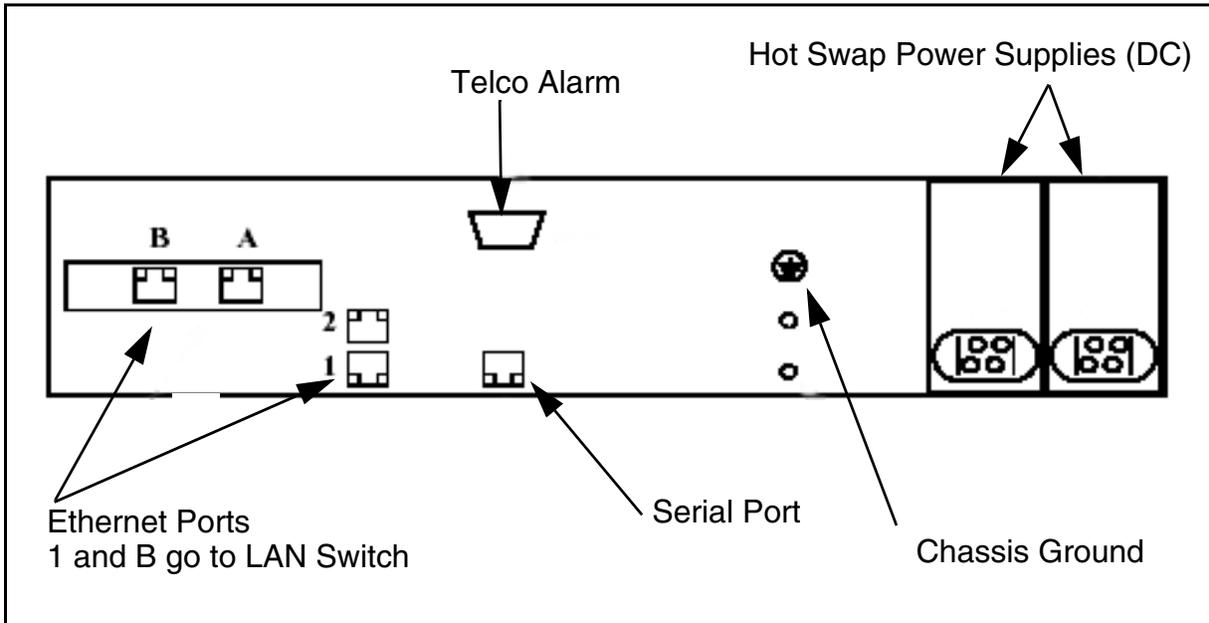
Wait the suggested time indicated in the Time Remaining field for the rebuild to complete, then continue with this procedure.

- 27 Execute procedure [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#) and ensure that all alarms raised related to this remove and replace activity are addressed and cleared.
- 28 After the drive array has been fully rebuilt (the array status reports that the array is operating normally) and all alarms related to the disk drive failure have been cleared, execute procedure [Verify synchronization status of Policy Controller units on page 188](#) to verify that both units are back in sync.
- 29 Execute procedure "Enable a system SwAct (Unjam)" found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm clearing log [XTS655](#).
- 30 This procedure is complete.

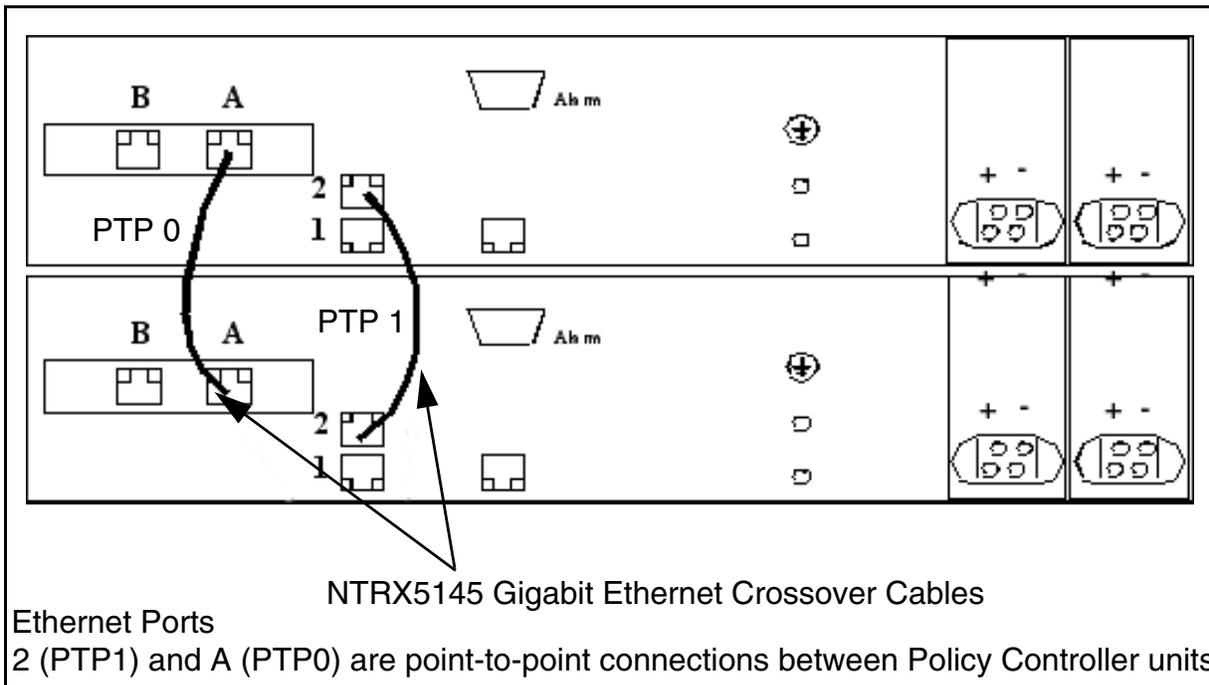
Additional installation and removal information

Use the following figures and table to assist you with removing and replacing a Policy Controller unit.

Policy Controller unit rear view of ports and ground connection



Crossover Cable connections between Policy Controller units



Policy Controller - SAM-F frame Cable Connections

Cable Part No.	Function	Connection From	Connection To
NTRX5198	Ground Cable	Frame Gnd at top of the frame	Policy Controller unit 00 Gnd
NTRX5198	Ground Cable	Frame Gnd at top of the frame	Policy Controller unit 01 Gnd
NTRX5146	Power Cable	BIP P17	Policy Controller unit 01 Input A (top screws) SAM16 Feed A
NTRX5146	Power Cable	BIP P20	Policy Controller unit 01 Input B (top screws) SAM16 Feed B
NTRX5199	Power Cable	BIP P16	Policy Controller unit 00 Input A (top screws)
NTRX5199	Power Cable	BIP P19	Policy Controller unit 00 Input B (top screws)
NTRX5179	Alarm Cable	BIP P10	Policy Controller unit 00 Alarm Policy Controller unit 01 Alarm
NTRX5132	Ethernet Cable	PP8600	Policy Controller unit 00 Ethernet Port 1
NTRX5132	Ethernet Cable	PP8600	Policy Controller unit 00 Ethernet Port B
NTRX5132	Ethernet Cable	PP8600	Policy Controller unit 01 Ethernet Port 1
NTRX5132	Ethernet Cable	PP8600	Policy Controller unit 01 Ethernet Port B
NTRX5145	Ethernet Crossover Cable	Policy Controller 00 Ethernet Port 2	Policy Controller unit 01 Ethernet Port 2
NTRX5145	Ethernet Crossover Cable	Policy Controller 00 Ethernet Port A	Policy Controller unit 01 Ethernet Port A

Replace a Policy Controller hard drive

Purpose of this procedure

Perform this activity in the event of a disk failure in the RAID 1-type disk array of a standby Policy Controller unit.

Limitations and restrictions

It is recommended that you schedule this procedure during periods of low traffic conditions.

Prerequisites

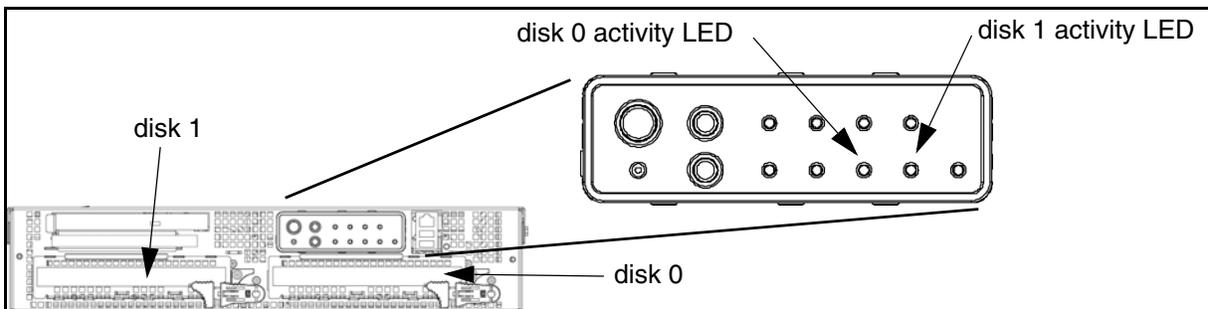
If applicable, ensure continued call processing by perform this procedure only on the standby unit. If the disk drive failure is on the active unit, perform a SwAct of the units using procedure “Invoke a maintenance SwAct of the Policy Controller platform” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Verify that a disk failure is reported by any of the following indicators:

- an [XTS391](#) log report that indicates a physical disk has been removed from the array or a disk failure has occurred
- a major alarm raised
- the disk activity LED on the front panel of the Policy Controller chassis for a drive is red as shown in the following diagram

Disk activity LED	Disk condition
off	no disk activity
green	disk is operating normally and is active
blinking green and red	disk is rebuilding
red	disk failure or disk is missing

Disk activity LEDs on Policy Controller front panel



Materials

This procedure requires one NTRX51GT — 72 Gigabyte disk drive installed in its drive tray and one ESD wrist strap.

Action

At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager on the active unit

- 1 Execute procedure “Inhibit a system SwAct (Jam)” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm/log [XTS355](#).

At the Policy Controller unit chassis

- 2 Determine which drive (either 0 or 1) failed in the unit. Refer to section [Alarms and LED fault indicators on the front panel on page 14](#) and look for a lit red LED on the Policy Controller chassis front panel that would indicate the ID of the failed drive.
- 3 Complete procedure [Remove a hard drive from the NCGL operating system on page 209](#).

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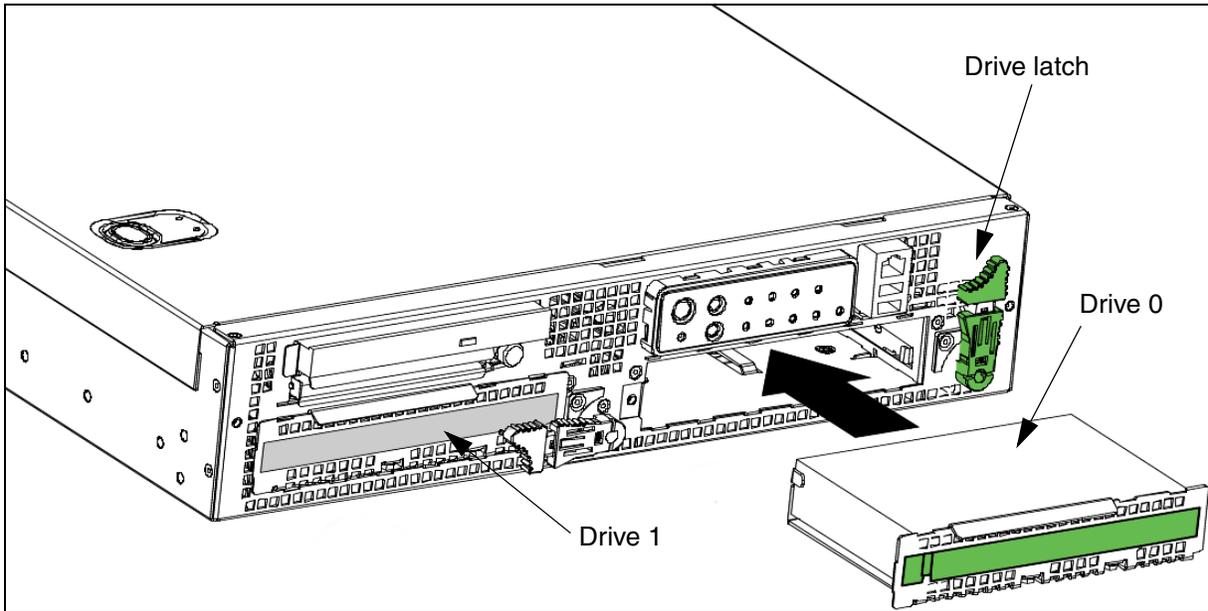
	<p>WARNING Electrostatic discharge (ESD) damage Provide some ESD protection by wearing an antistatic wrist strap attached to chassis ground (any unpainted metal surface) on your server or frame when handling parts.</p>
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Put on an ESD wrist strap and fasten to a frame ground point.

- 5 Remove the bezel on the face of the Policy Controller unit to access the disk drives.
- 6 Unlatch the failed disk from the chassis by turning the green latch 90 degrees, clockwise, from the horizontal position to the vertical position. Remove the failed disk from the chassis.

- 7 Insert the replacement drive into the chassis slot and secure the drive by engaging the green latch.

Refer to [Insert a hard drive into the NCGL operating system on page 211](#).



At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager on the active unit

- 8 Referring to procedure [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#), verify that all alarms related to this activity and the original disk failure condition have been cleared.
- 9 After the drive array has been fully rebuilt (the array status reports that the array is operating normally, as shown below) and all alarms related to the disk drive failure have been cleared, execute procedure [Verify synchronization status of Policy Controller units on page 188](#) to verify that the database for both units is synchronized.

RAID Array Status					
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status
/boot	0.10	.	.	.	Array is operating normally
ntvg	68.26	.	.	.	Array is operating normally
Disk Maintenance					
	Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action	
	0	68.37		Remove	

- 10 Execute procedure “Enable a system SwAct (Unjam)” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm clearing log [XTS655](#).
- 11 This procedure is complete.

Remove a hard drive from the NCGL operating system

Purpose of this procedure

Perform this procedure to remove an instance of a hard disk drive from the NCGL operating system and the RAID array. This procedure should only be used as part of the high level activity [Replace a Policy Controller hard drive on page 203](#).

Limitations and restrictions

It is recommended that you schedule this procedure during periods of low traffic conditions.

Prerequisites

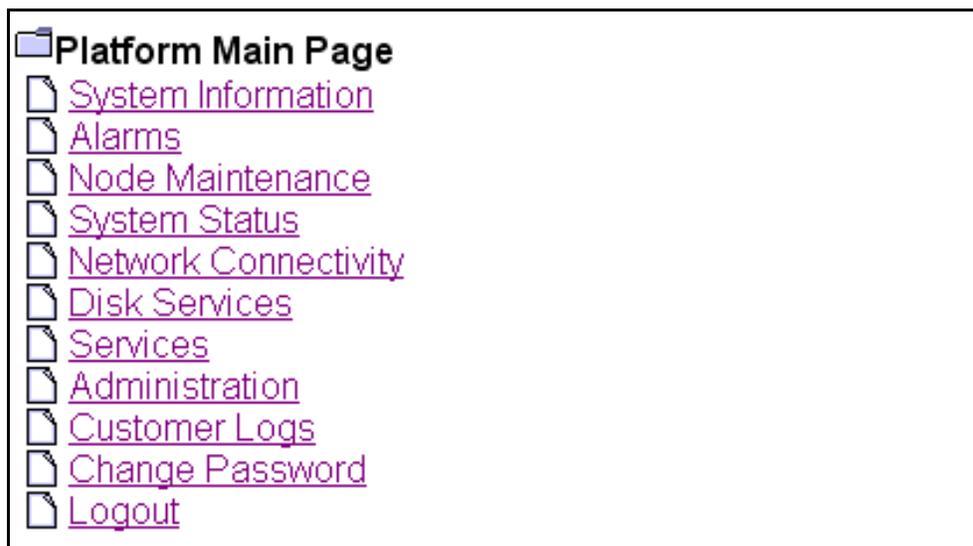
If applicable, ensure continued call processing by performing this procedure only on the standby unit, unless otherwise specified.

Action

At an Integrated EMS or client workstation

- 1 Log onto the inactive unit CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager.
- 2 Click the **Disk Services** link.

The Platform Main Page menu is displayed.



- 3 Determine which drive to remove from the array at the Disk Maintenance panel and click the applicable **Remove** button.

RAID Array Status					
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status
/boot	0.10	.	.	.	Array is operating normally
ntvg	68.26	.	.	.	Array is operating normally

Disk Maintenance			
Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action
0	68.37	.	Remove
1	68.37	.	Remove

- 4 Click the **OK** button to verify removing the disk from the operating system.

The drive LED on the front panel changes to solid red and the operating system prepares for the disk to be removed.

A window appears indicating that the drive is being removed from the array.

Once the window disappears, the array status and disk maintenance areas are updated to reflect the removal of the disk.

The disk is now ready to be removed from the chassis.

- 5 Return to procedure [Replace a Policy Controller hard drive on page 203](#) to physically remove the hard drive from the unit.
- 6 You have completed this procedure

Insert a hard drive into the NCGL operating system

Purpose of this procedure

Perform this procedure to insert an instance of a hard disk drive into the NCGL operating system and the RAID array. This procedure should only be used as part of the high level activity [Replace a Policy Controller hard drive on page 203](#).

Limitations and restrictions

It is recommended that you schedule this procedure during periods of low traffic conditions.

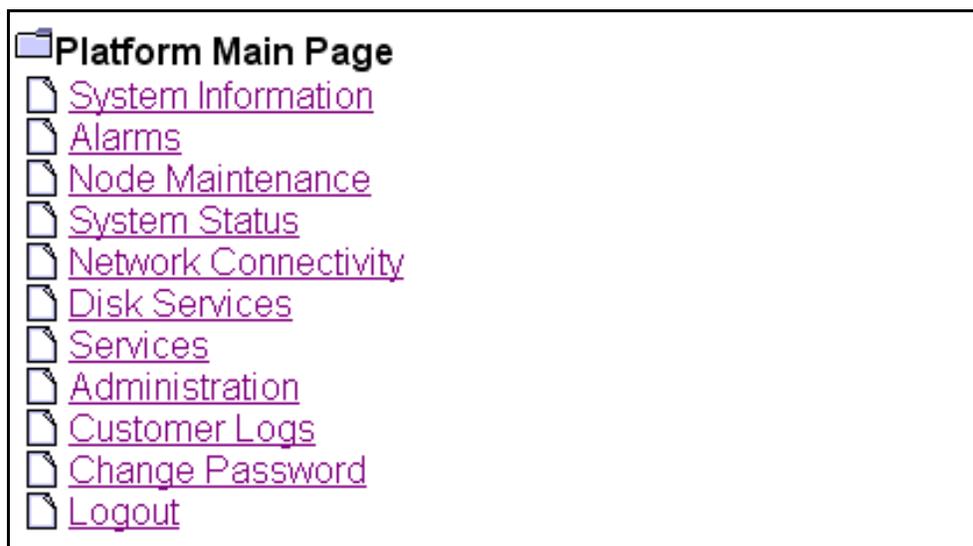
Prerequisites

If applicable, ensure continued call processing by performing this procedure only on the standby unit, unless otherwise specified.

Action

At the Session Server unit chassis

- 1 If applicable, log onto the inactive unit CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager.
- 2 Click the **Disk Services** link.
The Platform Main Page menu is displayed.



- 3 Select the disk to be inserted and click the **Insert** button to add the disk drive to the array and to begin rebuilding the array.

RAID Array Status					
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status
/boot	0.10	Disk Missing	.	Missing	Array is faulty
ntvg	68.37	Disk Missing	.	Missing	Array is faulty

Disk Maintenance			
Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action
0	68.37	.	None
1	Unknown	Missing	<input type="button" value="Insert"/>

A window appears indicating that the insertion of the drive into the array is being performed.

- 4 After the disk insertion window disappears, use your browser refresh button and update the Disk Services page and the RAID Array Status panel.

RAID Array Status													
Name	Size (GB)	State	Disk 0	Disk 1	Status								
/boot	0.10	.	.	.	Array is operating normally								
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Disk Maintenance			
Disk Number	Disk Size (GB)	Disk State	Disk Action
0	68.37	Rebuild	None
1	68.37	.	None

The RAID Array Status screen indicates that the array is rebuilding. Additional [XTS391](#) log reports indicate that a disk has been inserted to the array and the array is being rebuilt.

Wait the suggested time indicated in the Time Remaining field for the rebuild to complete, then continue with this procedure.

- 5 Return to procedure [Replace a Policy Controller hard drive on page 203](#) to physically remove the hard drive from the unit.
- 6 This procedure is complete.

Replace a Policy Controller power supply

Purpose of this procedure

Use this procedure to replace an AC or DC power supply unit in a Policy Controller chassis. Each Policy Controller unit uses a redundant power supply system.

Limitations and restrictions

If the power supply failure is on the active unit, perform a SwAct of the units using procedure “Invoke a maintenance SwAct of the Policy Controller platform” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

It is recommended that you schedule this procedure during periods of low traffic conditions.

Prerequisites

Verify that a power supply failure is indicated by:

- the power LED on the front panel indicates a fault condition in the power system. Refer to section [Alarms and LED fault indicators on the front panel on page 14](#) and
- the power supply LED at the rear of the power supply unit indicates a failure:

Rear power supply LED indicators

Power supply LED	Power supply condition
off	no power to any power supply units
amber	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> — no power to this power supply unit — power supply failure: over temperature (OTP), over voltage (OVP), over current (OCP), and under voltage (UV). — current limit — applies to DC power supplies only
blinking green	power is applied to this power supply unit; only the standby power DC outputs are on

Rear power supply LED indicators

Power supply LED	Power supply condition
green	power is applied to this power supply and DC outputs are okay and on
blinking amber	power supply in alert condition - applies to AC power supplies only

Materials

This procedure requires one power supply, NTRX51GS for DC power or NTRX51NE for AC power, an ESD wrist strap, a small flat-bladed screwdriver, and a #2 Phillips screwdriver.

Action

ATTENTION

To maintain hot-plug capability, ensure that an active AC or DC power supply module is in the adjacent slot before replacing a power supply module.



DANGER

Risk of electrocution

Use caution when disconnecting power from the chassis.



WARNING

Electrostatic discharge (ESD) damage

Use caution when handling the power supplies. Attach an ESD wrist strap to a chassis or frame grounding point.

Replacing a DC power supply

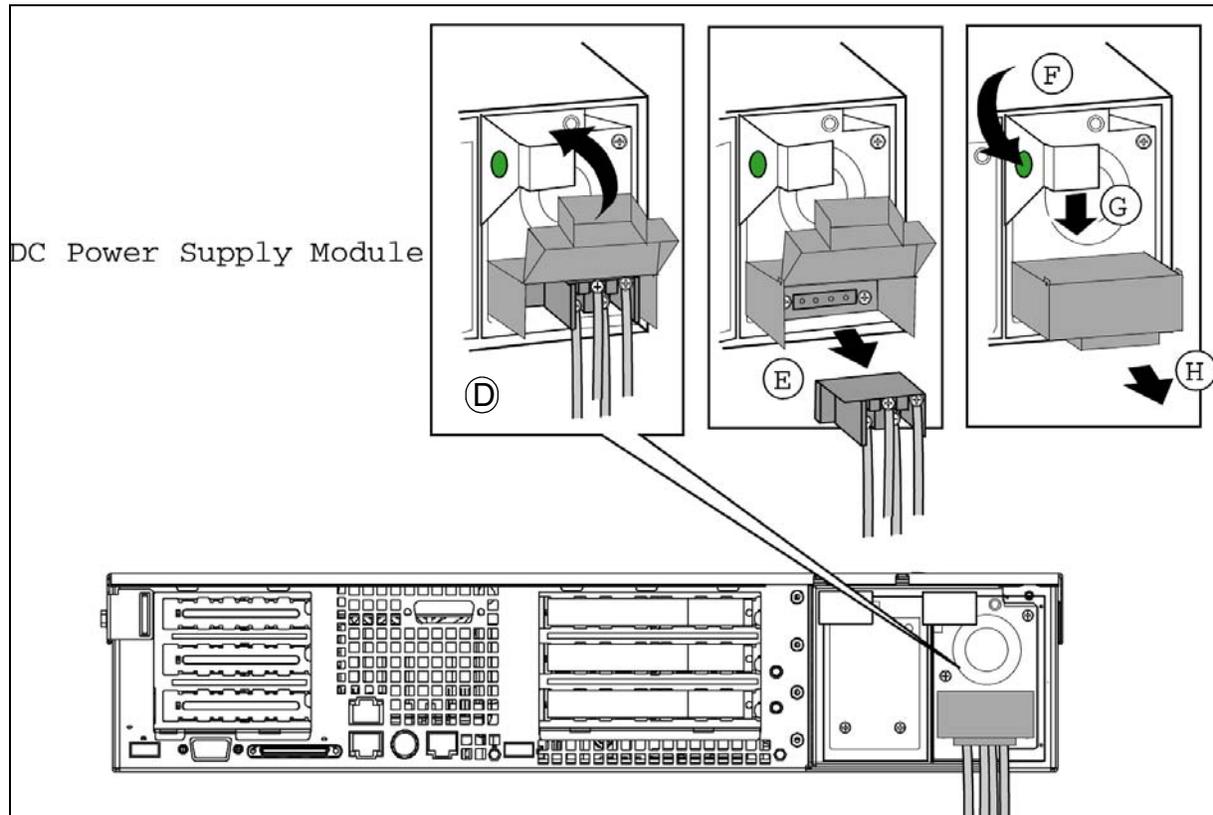
At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager

- 1 Execute procedure "Inhibit a system SwAct (Jam)" found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm/log [XTS355](#).

At the Policy Controller chassis

- 2 Disconnect the power cord/cable from the DC source to remove power from the power supply.
- 3 Using a small flat-bladed screwdriver, unlatch the black connector cover from the connector base and flip connector cover up (refer to view D of the following illustration).

DC power supply replacement

- 4 Disconnect the DC power plug from power supply module by pulling the DC power plug rearward, as shown in view E of the previous illustration. Flip black connector cover down and re-latch connector cover to connector base.

- 5 Using a #2 Phillips screwdriver, remove the two screws that secure the terminal block to the DC power supply module.
- 6 Press in green button on the handle and pull the handle downward. At the same time, pull the DC power supply module out of DC power supply cage (views F, G, and H of the previous illustration).
- 7 When reinserting a DC power supply module, make sure the handle is in the downward position before sliding the DC power supply module into the power supply cage.
- 8 Secure the terminal block to the replacement power supply using two Phillips head screws.
- 9 For safety, ensure that the DC power supply cabling is properly and securely attached to its mount point(s).

At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager

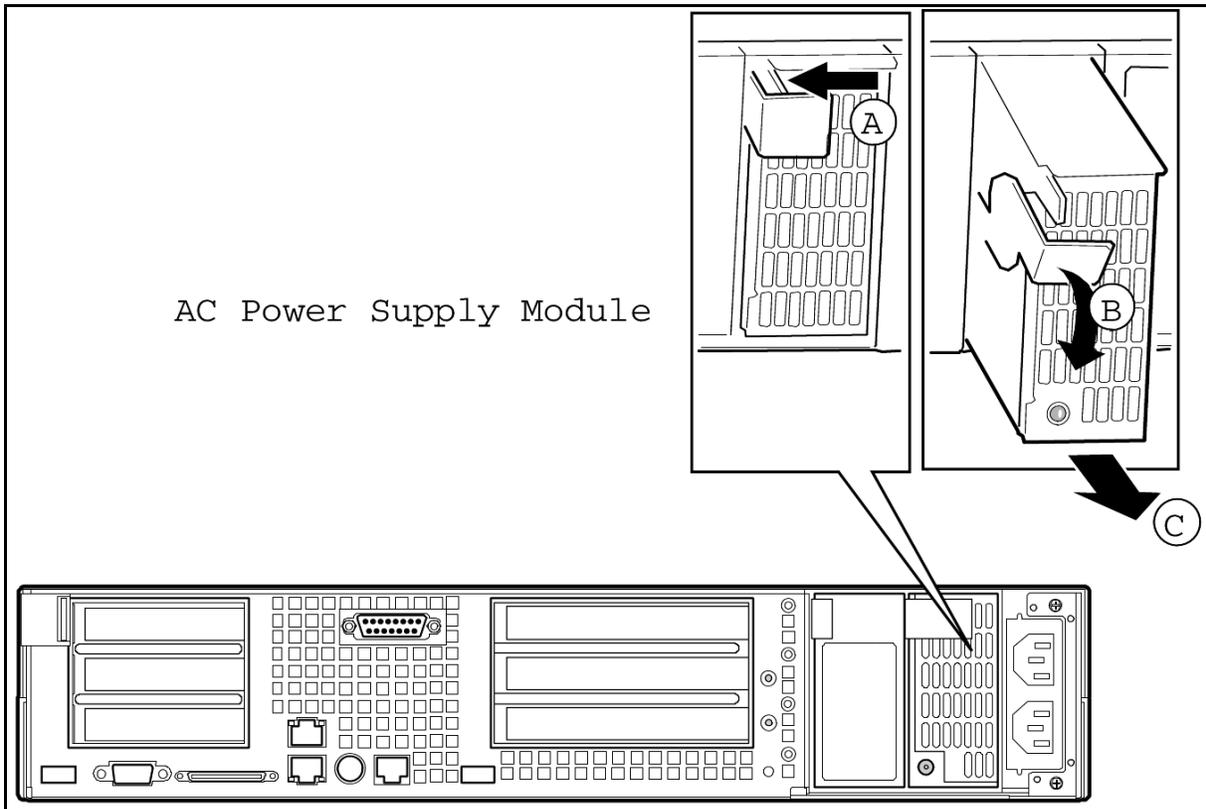
- 10 Referring to procedure [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#), verify that all alarms related to this failure condition have been cleared.
- 11 After all alarms related to the power supply failure have been cleared, execute procedure “Enable a system SwAct (Unjam)” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm clearing log [XTS655](#).
- 12 This procedure is complete.

Replacing an AC power supply

At the Policy Controller chassis

- 1 Press the locking tab inside of green handle inward as shown in view A of the following figure.

AC power supply replacement



- 2 Pull green handle slightly downward and rearward (as shown in view B), sliding the AC power supply module out of the AC power supply cage (as shown in view C).
- 3 When reinserting an AC power supply module, make sure the green handle (view B) is in the downward position before sliding AC power supply module into power supply cage.
- 4 For safety, ensure that the AC power supply cabling is properly and securely attached to its mount point(s).

At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager

- 5 Referring to procedure [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#), verify that all alarms related to this failure condition have been cleared.

- 6 After all alarms related to the power supply failure have been cleared, execute procedure “Enable a system SwAct (Unjam)” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm clearing log [XTS655](#).
- 7 This procedure is complete.

Replace a Policy Controller CDRW/DVD-ROM drive

Purpose of this procedure

Use this procedure to replace a damaged or failed CD+RW/DVD drive in a standby Policy Controller unit.

Limitations and restrictions

Perform this procedure after physical damage to the CD+RW/DVD drive tray or a failure of the drive. A failure of the drive may be indicated by a failure to boot the unit from DVD-ROM, or if the Policy Controller unit fails to read a CDRW or DVD-ROM during an upgrade.

Prerequisites

To ensure continued call processing, perform this procedure only on the standby unit. If the drive failure is on the active unit, perform a SwAct of the units using procedure “Invoke a maintenance SwAct of the Policy Controller platform” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Materials

This procedure requires one NTRX51GQ — CD+RW/DVD drive installed in its drive tray and one ESD wrist strap.

Action

At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager

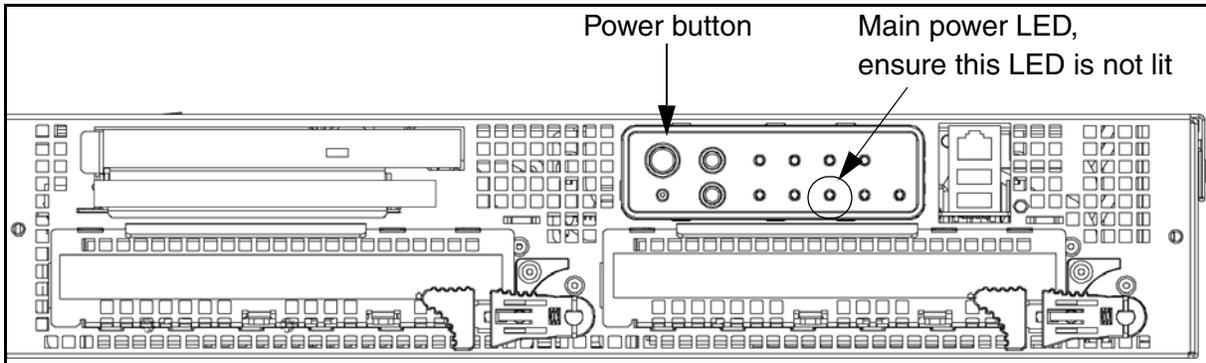
- 1 Execute procedure “Inhibit a system SwAct (Jam)” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm/log [XTS355](#).

- 2 Shut down the standby Policy Controller unit by completing procedure “Halt (shutdown) a Policy Controller unit” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.

At the front panel of the Policy Controller chassis

- 3 Ensure that the chassis is powered down by examining the main power LED. Verify that the main power LED is not lit.

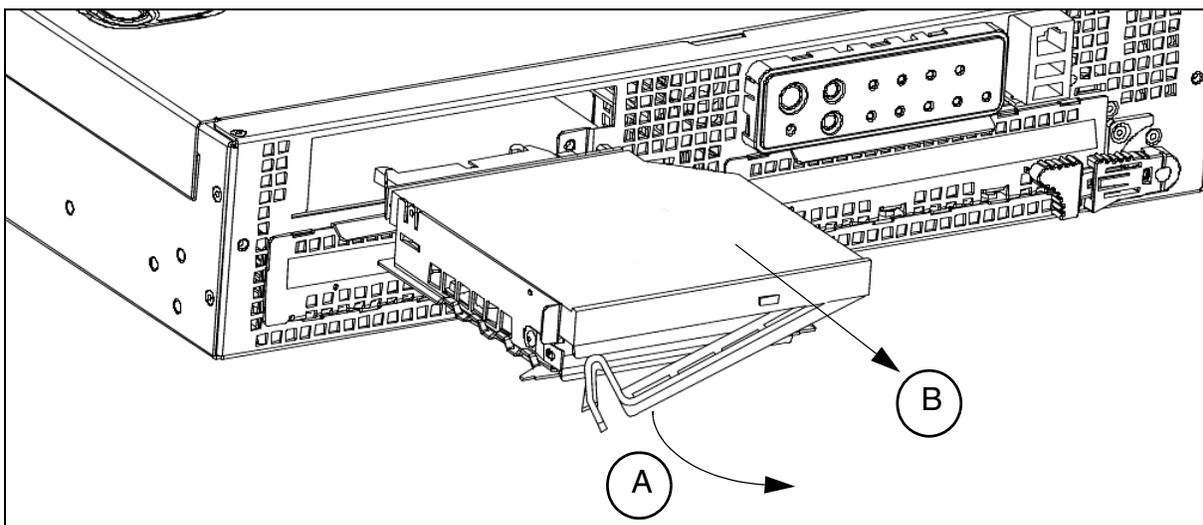


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**WARNING****Electrostatic discharge (ESD) damage**

Use caution when handling the power supplies. Attach an ESD wrist strap to a chassis or frame grounding point.

- Put on an ESD wrist strap and fasten to a frame ground point.
- 5 Unseat the drive by pulling the blue horizontal lever on the front of the drive, as shown in view A. The lever is pulled from the left side of the drive and pivots on the right side of the drive. Refer to the figure below.
 - 6 Slide the drive from the chassis, as shown in view B.



- 7 Pull the blue horizontal lever on the front of the replacement drive then slide the replacement drive into the chassis.
- 8 Press the blue horizontal lever on the front of the drive. The drive is fully seated when the horizontal lever is fully secured.
- 9 Press the power button to restore power to the chassis. Allow the unit to boot normally.

At the CS 2000 NCGL Platform Manager

- 10 After the unit has completed rebooting, refer to procedure [View Policy Controller alarms on page 29](#), and verify that all alarms related to the drive failure condition and drive replacement have been cleared.
- 11 Execute procedure [Verify synchronization status of Policy Controller units on page 188](#) to verify that both units are back in sync.
- 12 Execute procedure “Enable a system SwAct (Unjam)” found in the Policy Controller Security and Administration NTP, NN10434-611.
Note: Executing this procedure generates an alarm clearing log [XTS655](#).
- 13 You have completed this procedure.

Prepare for a database restore on a Policy Controller unit

Purpose of this procedure

Use this procedure to prepare for a restoration of the Policy Controller application database from a backup copy.

This procedure should only be used as part of a high-level fault management activity for restoring a backup copy over a corrupted version of the database, or as part of the high level upgrade activity “Perform an emergency maintenance release rollback activity” found in *Upgrading the Policy Controller*, NN10431-461.

Limitations and Restrictions



CAUTION

Performing a restore of the Policy Controller application database is a service affecting activity and can cause data mismatches at the Communication Server 2000.

ATTENTION

For security reasons, you can only copy the database file from a remote server to the /users/mtc directory on the unit and you must use the secure copy command **scp** to perform this activity.

Automatic backup of the Policy Controller application database occurs at 1:00 AM each day on both Policy Controller units. This configuration setting cannot be modified and does not impact the use of this procedure.

The name of the backup database file is *solid.db*. Do not modify this name.

Prerequisites

You must have secure copy (scp) access to the Policy Controller unit from the remote system or other server location from where the database backup file *solid.db* is copied.

Action

From the remote server where the backup database file is located

- 1 Log onto the remote server, locate and navigate to the directory where the backup copy of the database file is stored.
- 2 Secure copy the database file to the Policy Controller unit you are restoring a backup copy of the database to by typing

```
$ scp solid.db mtc@<PC_IP_address>:
```

and pressing the Enter key.

where

PC_IP_address

is the IP address of the Policy Controller unit

The database file is copied to the /user/mtc directory on the target Policy Controller unit. This is the only Policy Controller directory that files can be copied into from an external server.

At a Policy Controller command line interface

- 3 Open a secure shell to the Policy Controller unit you are restoring a backup copy of the database to by typing

```
> ssh -l <userid> <PC_IP_address>
```

and pressing the Enter key.

where

userid

is a valid userid (like mtc) on the Policy Controller

PC_IP_address

is the IP address of the Policy Controller

Example

```
ssh -l mtc 45.128.54.12
```

- 4 Change to the root user by typing

```
$ su - root
```

and pressing the Enter key.

- 5 When prompted, enter the root password.

- 6 Move the `solid.db` file you copied in [step 2](#) from the `/user/mtc` directory to the `/opt/apps/database/solid/backup` directory by typing

```
$ mv /users/mtc/solid.db
/opt/apps/database/solid/backup
```

and pressing the Enter key.
- 7 Change directory to the backup database directory by typing

```
$ cd/opt/apps/database/solid/backup
```

and pressing the Enter key.
- 8 Verify that the correct version (based on the file date) of the `solid.db` database file that you want to restore is located in the directory by typing

```
$ ls -l /opt/apps/database/solid/backup
```

and pressing the Enter key.
- 9

ATTENTION

The `restorebackup.sh` script does not run if you do not have the `solid.ini` and `solmsg.out` files located in the correct directory.

- Verify that the presence of files `solid.ini` and `solmsg.out` files are also in the `/opt/apps/database/solid/backup` directory.
- 10 If the `solid.ini` file is not present, copy it into the backup directory by typing

```
$ cp /opt/apps/database/solid/dbfiles/solid.ini
/opt/apps/database/solid/backup/solid.ini
```

and pressing the Enter key
 - 11 If the `solmsg.out` file is not present, copy it into the backup directory by typing

```
$ cp
/opt/apps/database/solid/dbfiles/solmsg.out
/opt/apps/database/solid/backup/solmsg.out
```

and pressing the Enter key
 - 12 Change the ownership of all files in the backup directory by typing

```
$ chown soliddb *
```

and pressing the Enter key.

- 13 Change the group of all files in the backup directory by typing
`$ chgrp adm *`
and pressing the Enter key.
- 14 Change the access permissions for all files in the backup directory by typing
`$ chmod 600 *`
and pressing the Enter key.
- 15 The database is now ready to be restored. You have completed this procedure. Return to the high-level activity.

Additional information

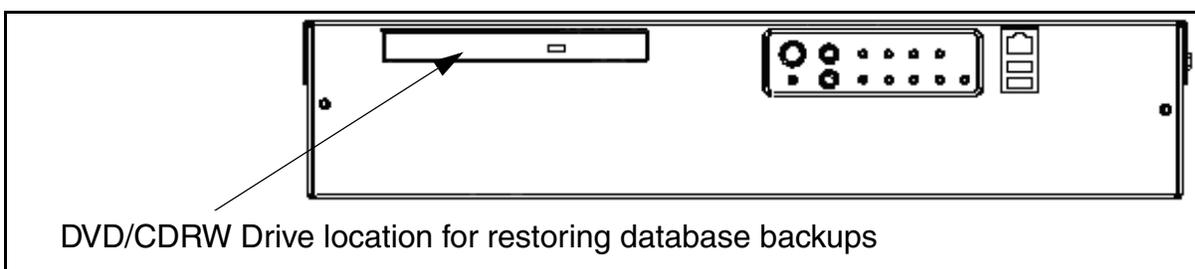
This section provides additional information regarding database restore activities.

To restore a backup database saved to a CD.

If you must restore a database backup that has been saved to a CD, you must first copy the database file from the CD to the default backup directory on the active Policy Controller unit. The selected backup database file must be restored to the following location:

/opt/apps/database/solid/backup/solid.db

To restore a backup of the database file to the backup directory, you must use a Policy Controller command line interface to copy the database file from a CD or CD-RW disk containing a copy of the backup database file to the `opt/apps/database/solid/backup` directory.



Ensure that you remove the CD disk from the DVD/CDRW drive, and store it in a safe place when you are done.

To restore a database backup save to another system

If you must restore a database backup that has been saved to another system, you must first copy the database file from the remote system back to the default backup directory on the active Policy Controller unit.

The selected backup database file must be restored to the following location:

/opt/apps/database/solid/backup

To restore a backup of the database to the backup directory you must use a Policy Controller command line interface to copy the database file `solid.db` from the remote system to the `opt/apps/database/solid/backup` directory. You may also be able to remote copy the backup database file from the remote system to the Policy Controller `opt/apps/database/solid/backup` directory. However, for security reasons, you may need to consult your site network administrator for instructions and permission to perform a remote copy.

Perform a database restore to a Policy Controller unit

Purpose of this procedure

Use this service impacting procedure to restore a Policy Controller application database from a backup copy to either the active or inactive Policy Controller units.

This procedure should only be used as part of a high-level fault management activity for restoring a backup copy over a corrupted version of the database, or as part of the high level upgrade activity “Perform an emergency maintenance release rollback activity” found in the Policy Controller Upgrades NTP, NN10431-461.

Limitations and Restrictions



CAUTION

Performing a restore of the Policy Controller application database is a service affecting activity and can cause data mismatches at the Communication Server 2000.

Prerequisites

You must first have completed procedure [Prepare for a database restore on a Policy Controller unit on page 224](#).

Action

At a Policy Controller command line interface

- 1 Open a secure shell to the Policy Controller unit you are restoring a backup copy of the database to by typing

```
> ssh -l <userid> <PC_IP_address>
```

and pressing the Enter key.

where

userid

is a valid userid (like mtc) on the Policy Controller

PC_IP_address

is the IP address of either Policy Controller unit

Example

```
ssh -l mtc 45.128.54.12
```

- 2** Change to the root user by typing
\$ su - root
and pressing the Enter key.
- 3** When prompted, enter the root password.
- 4** Change directories by typing
\$ /opt/apps/database/solid_install
and pressing the Enter key.
- 5** Run the database restore script by typing
\$./restorebackup.sh
and pressing the Enter key.
- 6** You have completed this procedure. Return to the high-level activity.

