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Application Notes for Configuring ThinkTel SIP Trunk with Avaya Aura[®] Communication Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] Session Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] Experience Portal 7.2.2 and Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise 8.1.1 – Issue 1.0

Abstract

These Application Notes describe the steps to configure Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) Trunking between ThinkTel and an Avaya SIP-enabled enterprise solution. The Avaya solution consists of Avaya Aura[®] Session Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] Communication Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] Experience Portal 7.2.2, Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise 8.1.1 and various Avaya endpoints.

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

ThinkTel is a member of the Avaya DevConnect Service Provider program. Information in these Application Notes has been obtained through DevConnect compliance testing and additional technical discussions. Testing was conducted via the DevConnect Program at the Avaya Solution and Interoperability Test Lab.

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1. Introduction

These Application Notes describe the steps to configure Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) Trunking between ThinkTel and an Avaya SIP-enabled enterprise solution. The Avaya solution consists of Avaya Aura® Session Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura® Communication Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura® Experience Portal 7.2.2, Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise (Avaya SBCE) 8.1.1 and various Avaya endpoints.

Customers using this Avaya SIP-enabled enterprise solution with ThinkTel SIP Trunk are able to place and receive PSTN calls via a broadband WAN connection and the SIP protocol. This converged network solution is an alternative to traditional PSTN trunks such as ISDN-PRI.

2. General Test Approach and Test Results

The general test approach was to connect a simulated enterprise site to ThinkTel SIP Trunk via the public Internet and exercise the features and functionality listed in **Section 2.1**. The simulated enterprise site was comprised of Communication Manager, Session Manager, Experience Portal and the Avaya SBCE with various types of Avaya phones.

DevConnect Compliance Testing is conducted jointly by Avaya and DevConnect members. The jointly-defined test plan focuses on exercising APIs and/or standards-based interfaces pertinent to the interoperability of the tested products and their functionalities. DevConnect Compliance Testing is not intended to substitute full product performance or feature testing performed by DevConnect members, nor is it to be construed as an endorsement by Avaya of the suitability or completeness of a DevConnect member's solution.

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

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

For the testing associated with this Application Note, the interface between Avaya systems and the ThinkTel SIP Trunk Service did not include use of any specific encryption features as requested by ThinkTel.

Encryption (TLS/SRTP) was used internal to the enterprise between Avaya products.

2.1. Interoperability Compliance Testing

To verify SIP trunking interoperability, the following features and functionality were covered during the interoperability compliance test:

- Response to SIP OPTIONS queries
- Incoming PSTN calls to various Avaya deskphone types including H.323, SIP, digital, and analog at the enterprise. All inbound PSTN calls were routed to the enterprise across the SIP trunk from the service provider
- Outgoing PSTN calls from various Avaya deskphone types including H.323, SIP, digital, and analog at the enterprise. All outbound PSTN calls were routed from the enterprise across the SIP trunk to the service provider
- Inbound and outbound PSTN calls to/from softphones. Two Avaya soft phones were used in testing: Avaya one-X[®] Communicator (1XC) and Avaya Workplace Client for Windows. 1XC supports two work modes (Computer and Other Phone). Each supported mode was tested. 1XC also supports two Voice over IP (VoIP) protocols: H.323 and SIP. Both protocols were tested. Avaya Workplace Client for Windows was used in testing as a simple SIP endpoint for basic inbound and outbound calls
- SIP transport using UDP, port 5060, between the Avaya enterprise and ThinkTel
- Direct IP-to-IP Media (also known as “Shuffling”) over a SIP Trunk. Direct IP-to-IP Media allows Communication Manager to reconfigure the RTP path after call establishment directly between the Avaya phones and the Avaya SBCE releasing media processing resources on the Avaya Media Gateway or Avaya Media Server
- Codec G.711MU
- SIP Authentication
- Caller ID presentation and Caller ID restriction
- Response to incomplete call attempts and trunk errors
- Voicemail navigation for inbound and outbound calls
- User features such as hold and resume, internal call forwarding, transfer, and conference
- Off-net call transfer, conference, off-net call forwarding, forwarding to Avaya Aura[®] Messaging and EC500 mobility (extension to cellular)
- SIP re-Invite / REFER in off-net call transfer
- Call Center scenarios
- T.38 fax
- DTMF - RFC2833
- Remote Worker (Use Avaya Agent for Desktop).
Note: Remote Worker was tested as part of this solution. The configuration necessary to support remote worker is beyond the scope of these Application Notes and are not included in these Application Notes. For these configuration details, see **Reference [10] in Section 12**
- Inbound caller interaction with Experience Portal applications, including prompting, caller DTMF input, wait treatment (e.g., announcements and/or music on hold)

Items not supported include the following:

- ThinkTel does not support TLS/SRTP
- ThinkTel does not support Registration
- ThinkTel does not support the outbound operator assisted call
- ThinkTel does not support Diversion Header in off-net call redirection

2.2. Test Results

Interoperability testing of ThinkTel was completed with successful results for all test cases.

2.3. Support

For technical support on the Avaya products described in these Application Notes visit:

<http://support.avaya.com>

For technical support on ThinkTel SIP Trunking, contact ThinkTel at website:

<http://www.thinktel.ca>

3. Reference Configuration

Figure 1 illustrates a sample Avaya SIP-enabled enterprise solution connected to ThinkTel SIP Trunk. This is the configuration used for compliance testing.

For confidentiality and privacy purposes, actual public IP Addresses used in this testing have been masked out and replaced with fictitious IP Addresses throughout the document.

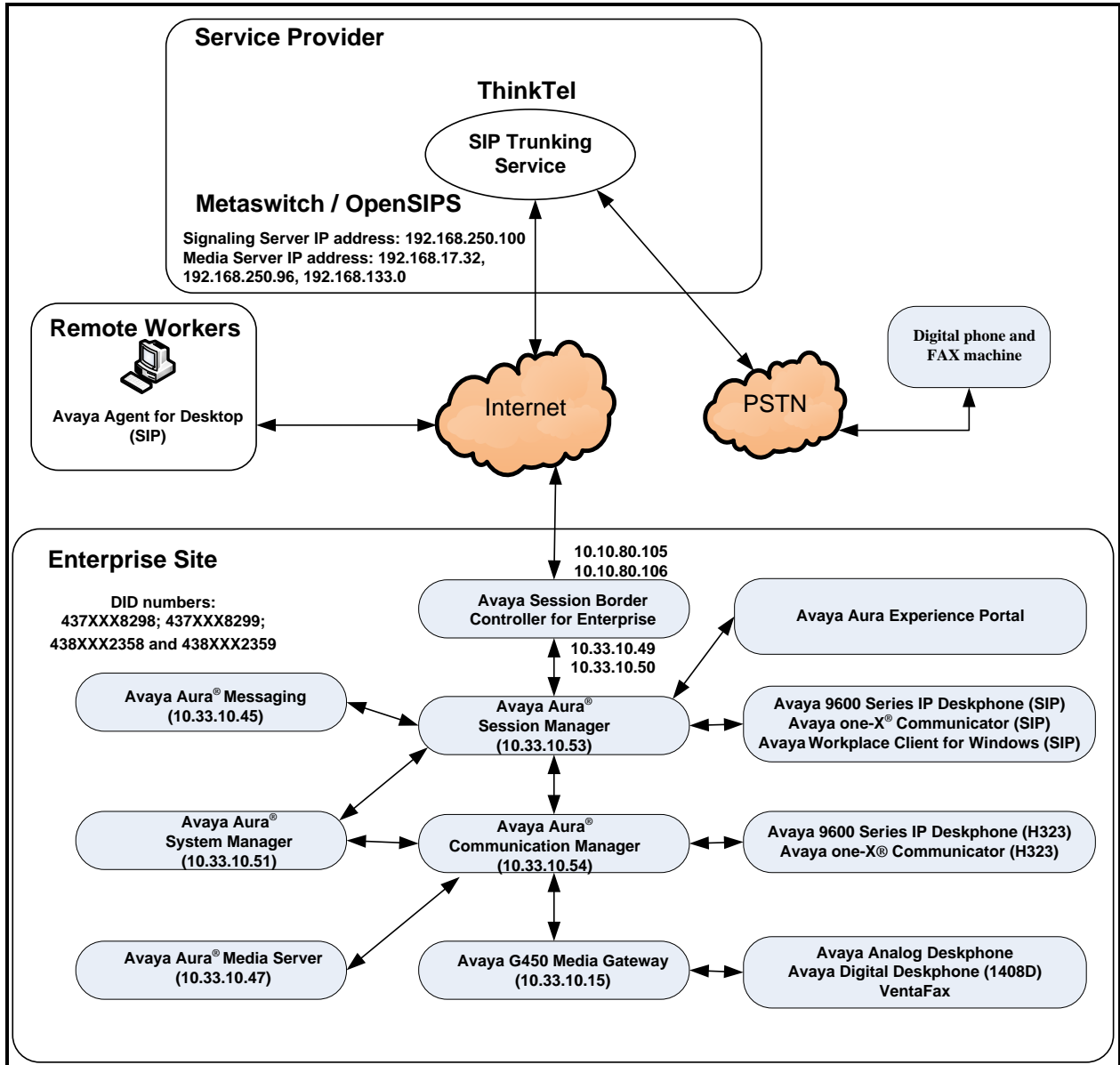


Figure 1: Avaya IP Telephony Network and ThinkTel SIP Trunk

Note: The compliance testing was done over the internet, but ThinkTel only provide SIP trunking service over private ThinkTel access network services.

4. Equipment and Software Validated

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

Avaya IP Telephony Solution Components	
Equipment/Software	Release/Version
Avaya Aura® Communication Manager running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	8.1.2.0.0.890.26095
Avaya G450 Media Gateway <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – MM711AP Analog – MM712AP Digital – MM710AP 	HW2 FW41.16 HW46 FW096 HW10 FW014 HW5 FW020
Avaya Aura® Session Manager running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	8.1.2.0.812033
Avaya Aura® System Manager running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	8.1.2.0 Build 8.1.0.0.733078 Revision 8.1.2.0.0611097 FP 2
Avaya Aura® Messaging running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	7.1.0.1.532.002.0 (SP2)
Avaya Aura® Media Server running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	8.0.2.43
Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	8.1.1.0-26-19214
Avaya Aura® Experience Portal running on VMware®-based Avaya appliance	7.2.2.0.2118
Avaya 9621G IP Deskphone (SIP)	Avaya® Deskphone SIP 7.1.7.0.11
Avaya 9621G IP Deskphone (H.323)	Avaya® IP Deskphone 6.8.304
Avaya 9641 IP Deskphone (H.323)	Avaya® IP Deskphone 6.8.304
Avaya Digital Deskphone (1408D)	R48
Avaya Workplace Client for Windows (SIP)	3.14.0.53.10
Avaya one-X® Communicator (H.323 & SIP)	6.2.14.11-SP14P4
Avaya Agent for Desktop (SIP)	2.0.6.5.3003
Avaya Analog Deskphone	N/A
VentaFAX	7.10.258.664
THINKTEL SIP Trunk Components	
Equipment/Software	Release/Version
Metaswitch	8.3.11 Patch B
OpenSIPS	2.4.8

Table 1: Equipment and Software Tested

The specific configuration above was used for the compliance testing. Note that this solution will be compatible with other Avaya Server and Media Gateway platforms running similar versions of Communication Manager and Session Manager.

Note: It is assumed the general installation of VMware®- based Avaya Appliance Virtualization Platform, Avaya Aura® Communication Manager, Avaya Aura® System Manager, Avaya Aura® Session Manager, Avaya Aura® Experience Portal, Avaya Aura® Messaging, Avaya Aura® Media Server and Avaya Media Gateway has been previously completed and is not discussed in this document.

5. Configure Avaya Aura® Communication Manager

This section describes the procedure for configuring Communication Manager for ThinkTel SIP Trunk.

The Communication Manager configuration was performed using the System Access Terminal (SAT). Some screens in this section have been abridged and highlighted for brevity and clarity in presentation.

5.1. Licensing and Capacity

Use the **display system-parameters customer-options** command to verify that the **Maximum Administered SIP Trunks** value on **Page 2** is sufficient to support the desired number of simultaneous SIP calls across all SIP trunks at the enterprise including any trunks to the service provider. The example shows that 4000 SIP trunks are available and 100 are in use. The license file installed on the system controls the maximum values for these attributes. If a required feature is not enabled or there is insufficient capacity, contact an authorized Avaya sales representative to add additional capacity.

display system-parameters customer-options		Page 2 of 12
OPTIONAL FEATURES		
IP PORT CAPACITIES		USED
Maximum Administered H.323 Trunks:	4000	0
Maximum Concurrently Registered IP Stations:	1000	1
Maximum Administered Remote Office Trunks:	4000	0
Maximum Concurrently Registered Remote Office Stations:	1000	0
Maximum Concurrently Registered IP eCons:	68	0
Max Concur Registered Unauthenticated H.323 Stations:	100	0
Maximum Video Capable Stations:	2400	0
Maximum Video Capable IP Softphones:	1000	5
Maximum Administered SIP Trunks:	4000	100
Maximum Administered Ad-hoc Video Conferencing Ports:	4000	0
Maximum Number of DS1 Boards with Echo Cancellation:	80	0

Figure 2: System-Parameters Customer-Options Form – Page 2

On **Page 4**, verify that **ARS** is set to **y**.

```
display system-parameters customer-options                               Page 4 of 12
                                OPTIONAL FEATURES

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

Figure 3: System-Parameters Customer-Options Form – Page 4

On **Page 6**, verify that **Private Networking** and **Processor Ethernet** are set to **y**.

```
display system-parameters customer-options                               Page 6 of 12
                                OPTIONAL FEATURES

Multinational Locations? n                Station and Trunk MSP? y
Multiple Level Precedence & Preemption? n  Station as Virtual Extension? y
Multiple Locations? n                      System Management Data Transfer? n
Personal Station Access (PSA)? y           Tenant Partitioning? y
PNC Duplication? n                        Terminal Trans. Init. (TTI)? y
Port Network Support? n                   Time of Day Routing? y
Posted Messages? y                        TN2501 VAL Maximum Capacity? y
Private Networking? y                    Uniform Dialing Plan? y
Processor and System MSP? y               Usage Allocation Enhancements? y
Processor Ethernet? y                    Wideband Switching? y
Remote Office? y                          Wireless? n
Restrict Call Forward Off Net? y
Secondary Data Module? y
```

Figure 4: System-Parameters Customer-Options Form – Page 6

5.2. System Features

Use the **change system-parameters features** command to set the **Trunk-to-Trunk Transfer** field to **all** for allowing inbound calls from the PSTN to be transferred to another PSTN endpoint. If for security reasons, incoming calls should not be allowed to be transferred back to the PSTN then leave the field set to **none**.

```
change system-parameters features                               Page 1 of 19
      FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS
      Self Station Display Enabled? n
      Trunk-to-Trunk Transfer: all
      Automatic Callback with Called Party Queuing? n
      Automatic Callback - No Answer Timeout Interval (rings): 3
      Call Park Timeout Interval (minutes): 10
      Off-Premises Tone Detect Timeout Interval (seconds): 20
      AAR/ARS Dial Tone Required? y
```

Figure 5: System-Parameters Features Form – Page 1

On **Page 9**, verify that a text string has been defined to replace the Calling Party Number (CPN) for restricted or unavailable calls. This text string is entered in the two fields highlighted below. The compliance test used the value of **anonymous** for both. The value of **anonymous** is replaced for restricted numbers and unavailable numbers (refer to **Section 5.8**).

```
change system-parameters features                             Page 9 of 19
      FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS

      CPN/ANI/ICLID PARAMETERS
      CPN/ANI/ICLID Replacement for Restricted Calls: anonymous
      CPN/ANI/ICLID Replacement for Unavailable Calls: anonymous

      DISPLAY TEXT
      Identity When Bridging: principal
      User Guidance Display? n
      Extension only label for Team button on 96xx H.323 terminals? n

      INTERNATIONAL CALL ROUTING PARAMETERS
      Local Country Code:
      International Access Code:

      SCCAN PARAMETERS
      Enable Enbloc Dialing without ARS FAC? n

      CALLER ID ON CALL WAITING PARAMETERS
      Caller ID on Call Waiting Delay Timer (msec): 200
```

Figure 6: System-Parameters Features Form – Page 9

5.3. IP Node Names

Use the **change node-names ip** command to verify that node names have been previously defined for the IP Addresses as below:

- Media Server: **Name: AMS, IP Address: 10.33.10.47**
- Session Manager: **Name: bvwasm2, IP Address: 10.33.10.53**
- Communication Manager: **Name: procr, IP Address: 10.33.10.54**

These node names will be needed for defining the service provider signaling group in **Section 5.7**.

```
change node-names ip                                     Page 1 of 2
                                                    IP NODE NAMES
Name           IP Address
AMS            10.33.10.47
bvwasm2        10.33.10.53
default        0.0.0.0
procr          10.33.10.54
procr6         ::
```

Figure 7: Node-Names IP Form

5.4. Codecs

Use the **change ip-codec-set** command to define a list of codecs to use for calls between the enterprise and the service provider. In the compliance test, **ip-codec-set 1** was used for this purpose. ThinkTel supports the **G.711MU** codec. The **Media Encryption** was set as **1-srtp-aescm128-hmac80** as the first priority. Default values can be used for all other fields.

```
change ip-codec-set 1                                   Page 1 of 2
                                                    IP CODEC SET

Codec Set: 1

Audio          Silence      Frames      Packet
Codec          Suppression Per Pkt     Size(ms)
1: G.711MU     n             2           20

Media Encryption          SRCTP: enfore-unenc-srtpc
1: 1-srtp-aescm128-hmac80
2: none
```

Figure 8: IP-Codec-Set Form – Page 1

On **Page 2**, set the **FAX Mode** to **t.38-standard**. Note: ThinkTel supports T38 fax.

```
change ip-codec-set 1 Page 2 of 2
      IP CODEC SET
      Allow Direct-IP Multimedia? n

      Mode          Redundancy          Packet Size(ms)
FAX             t.38-standard          0          ECM: y
Modem              off                0
TDD/TTY           US                3
H.323 Clear-channel n                0
SIP 64K Data     n                0          20
```

Figure 9: IP-Codec-Set Form – Page 2

5.5. IP Network Region for Media Gateway, Media Server

Network region provide a means to logically group resources. In the shared Communication Manager configuration used for the testing, both Avaya G450 Media Gateway and Avaya Media Server were tested and used region 1. For the compliance test, IP network region **1** was chosen for the service provider trunk.

Use the **change ip-network-region 1** command to configure region 1 with the following parameters:

- Set the **Authoritative Domain** field to match the SIP domain of the enterprise. In this configuration, the domain name is **bvwdev.com**. This name appears in the From header of SIP messages originating from this IP region
- Enter a descriptive name in the **Name** field
- Enable IP-IP Direct Audio (shuffling) to allow audio traffic to be sent directly between IP endpoints without using media resources in the Avaya G450 Media Gateway or Avaya Media Server. Set both **Intra-region IP-IP Direct Audio** and **Inter-region IP-IP Direct Audio** to **yes**. Shuffling can be further restricted at the trunk level on the Signaling Group form in **Section 5.7**
- Set the **Codec Set** field to the IP codec set defined in **Section 5.4**
- Default values can be used for all other fields

```
change ip-network-region 1                                     Page 1 of 20
                                                              IP NETWORK REGION
Region: 1
Location: 1          Authoritative Domain: bvwdev.com
Name: procr          Stub Network Region: n
MEDIA PARAMETERS    Intra-region IP-IP Direct Audio: yes
                   Codec Set: 1          Inter-region IP-IP Direct Audio: yes
                   UDP Port Min: 2048    IP Audio Hairpinning? n
                   UDP Port Max: 3329
DIFFSERV/TOS PARAMETERS
Call Control PHB Value: 46
Audio PHB Value: 46
Video PHB Value: 26
802.1P/Q PARAMETERS
Call Control 802.1p Priority: 6
Audio 802.1p Priority: 6
Video 802.1p Priority: 5      AUDIO RESOURCE RESERVATION PARAMETERS
H.323 IP ENDPOINTS    RSVP Enabled? n
H.323 Link Bounce Recovery? y
Idle Traffic Interval (sec): 20
Keep-Alive Interval (sec): 5
Keep-Alive Count: 5
```

Figure 10: IP-Network-Region Form

The following display command shows that **media-gateway 1** is an Avaya G450 Media Gateway configured for **Network Region 1**. It can also be observed that the **Controller IP Address** is the Avaya Processor Ethernet (**10.33.10.54**), and that the gateway **MGP IPv4 Address** is **10.33.10.15**. These fields are not configured in this screen, but just display the current information for the Media Gateway.

```

display media-gateway 1                                     Page 1 of 2
                                MEDIA GATEWAY 1

                                Type: g450
                                Name: g450
                                Serial No: 12TGXXX00244
Link Encryption Type: any-ptls/tls                        Enable CF? n
Network Region: 1                                       Location: 1
                                                                Site Data:

Recovery Rule: none

Registered? y
FW Version/HW Vintage: 41 .16 .0 /2
MGP IPV4 Address: 10.33.10.15
MGP IPV6 Address:
Controller IP Address: 10.33.10.54
MAC Address: 3c:4a:73:6b:c5:a8

Mutual Authentication? optional
  
```

Figure 11: Media Gateway – Page 1

The following screen shows Page 2 for Media Gateway 1. The gateway has an **MM712** media module supporting Avaya digital phones in slot **V1**, an **MM711** supporting analog phones on slot **V2**, and the capability to provide announcements and music on hold via “**gateway-announcements**” in logical slot **V9**.

```

display media-gateway 1                                     Page 2 of 2
                                MEDIA GATEWAY 1

                                Type: g450

Slot  Module Type      Name           DSP Type  FW/HW version
V1:  MM712           DCP MM       MP80       170 7
V2:  MM711           ANA MM
V3:
V4:
V5:
V6:
V7:
V8:
V9:  gateway-announcements ANN VMM

Max Survivable IP Ext: 8
  
```

Figure 12: Media Gateway – Page 2

The following display command shows that **media-server 1** is an Avaya Media Server configured for **Network Region 1**. It can also be observed that the **Node Name: AMS** (Defined in **Section 5.3**) and the **Signaling Group: 11** (Defined in **Section 5.7**) have been used. These fields are not configured in this screen, but just display the current information for the Media Server.

```
display media-server 1
                                MEDIA SERVER

                                Media Server ID: 1

                                Signaling Group: 11
                                Voip Channel License Limit: 10
                                Dedicated Voip Channel Licenses: 10

                                Node Name: AMS
                                Network Region: 1
                                Location: 1
                                Announcement Storage Area:
```

Figure 13: Media Server

5.6. Configure IP Interface for procr

Use the **change ip-interface procr** command to change the Processor Ethernet (procr) parameters. The following screen shows the parameters used in the sample configuration. While the focus here is the use of the procr for SIP Trunk signaling, observe that the Processor Ethernet will also be used for registrations from H.323 IP Telephones. Ensure **Enable Interface** is **y** and **Network Region** is **1**.

```
change ip-interface procr
                                IP INTERFACES

                                Type: PROCR
                                Target socket load: 4800

Enable Interface? y           Allow H.323 Endpoints? y
                                Allow H.248 Gateways? y
Network Region: 1           Gatekeeper Priority: 5

                                IPV4 PARAMETERS
                                Node Name: procr           IP Address: 10.33.10.54
                                Subnet Mask: /24
```

Figure 14: IP-Interface Form

5.7. Signaling Group

Use the **add signaling-group** command to create signaling groups.

For the compliance test, signaling group **20** was used for the signaling group between Communication Manager and Session Manager. It was used for outbound and inbound calls between the service provider and the enterprise. It was configured using the parameters highlighted below. Note: The signaling group between Communication Manager and Session Manager used for SIP phones, Messaging are not mentioned in these Application Notes.

- Set the **Group Type** field to **sip**
- Set the **IMS Enabled** field to **n**. This specifies the Communication Manager will serve as an Evolution Server for Session Manager
- Set the **Transport Method** to the value of **tls** (Transport Layer Security). The transport method specified here is used between Communication Manager and Session Manager
- Set the **Peer Detection Enabled** field to **y**. The **Peer-Server** field will initially be set to **Others** and cannot be changed via administration. Later, the **Peer-Server** field will automatically change to **SM** once Communication Manager detects its peer as a Session Manager
- Set the **Near-end Node Name** to **procr**. This node name maps to the IP Address of Communication Manager as defined in **Section 5.3**
- Set the **Far-end Node Name** to **bwasm2**. This node name maps to the IP Address of Session Manager as defined in **Section 5.3**
- Set the **Near-end Listen Port** and **Far-end Listen Port** to a valid unused port for TLS, such as **5061**
- Set the **Far-end Network Region** to the IP network region defined for the service provider in **Section 5.5**

- Set the **Far-end Domain** to **bvwdev.com**, the enterprise domain
- Set **Direct IP-IP Audio Connections** to **y**. This setting will enable media shuffling on the SIP trunk so that Communication Manager will re-route media traffic directly between the SIP trunk and the enterprise endpoint. Note that the Avaya G450 Media Gateway or Avaya Media Server will not remain in the media path of all calls between the SIP trunk and the endpoint
- Set the **Alternate Route Timer (sec)** to **6**. This defines the number of seconds Communication Manager will wait for a response (other than 100 Trying) to an outbound INVITE before selecting another route. If an alternate route is not defined, then the call is cancelled after this interval
- Default values may be used for all other fields

```

add signaling-group 20                                     Page 1 of 2
                                                    SIGNALING GROUP

Group Number: 20                Group Type: sip
  IMS Enabled? n                Transport Method: tls
    Q-SIP? n
    IP Video? n                Enforce SIPS URI for SRTP? y
  Peer Detection Enabled? y    Peer Server: SM
  Prepend '+' to Outgoing Calling/Alerting/Diverting/connected Public Numbers? y
  Remove '+' from Incoming Called/Calling/Alerting/Diverting/connected Numbers? n

  Near-end Node Name: procr                Far-end Node Name: bvwas2
  Near-end Listen Port: 5061                Far-end Listen Port: 5061
                                          Far-end Network Region: 1
                                          Far-end Secondary Node Name:

Far-end Domain: bvwdev.com

                                          Bypass If IP Threshold Exceeded? n
Incoming Dialog Loopbacks: eliminate                RFC 3389 Comfort Noise? n
  DTMF over IP: rtp-payload                Direct IP-IP Audio Connections? y
Session Establishment Timer(min): 3                IP Audio Hairpinning? n
  Enable Layer 3 Test? y                Initial IP-IP Direct Media? n
H.323 Station Outgoing Direct Media? n                Alternate Route Timer(sec): 6

```

Figure 15: Signaling-Group 20

For the compliance test, signaling group **11** was used for the signaling group between Communication Manager and Media Server. It was configured using the parameters highlighted below.

- Set the **Group Type** field to **sip**
- Set the **Transport Method** to the value of **tls** (Transport Layer Protocol). The transport method specified here is used between Communication Manager and Media Server
- Set the **Peer Detection Enabled** field to **n** and **Peer Server** to **AMS**
- Set the **Near-end Node Name** to **procr**. This node name maps to the IP Address of Communication Manager as defined in **Section 5.3**
- Set the **Far-end Node Name** to **AMS**. This node name maps to the IP Address of Media Server as defined in **Section 5.3**

- Set the **Near-end Listen Port** to **9061** and **Far-end Listen Port** to a valid unused port for TLS, such as **5071**
- Set the **Far-end Network Region** to the IP network region defined for the service provider in **Section 5.5**
- Set the **Far-end Domain** to **10.33.10.47** (This is Media Server IP Address)

```

change signaling-group 11                                     Page 1 of 2
                                                           SIGNALING GROUP

Group Number: 11          Group Type: sip
                          Transport Method: tls

Peer Detection Enabled? n Peer Server: AMS

Near-end Node Name: procr          Far-end Node Name: AMS
Near-end Listen Port: 9061        Far-end Listen Port: 5071
                                  Far-end Network Region: 1

Far-end Domain: 10.33.10.47

```

Figure 16: Signaling-Group 11

5.8. Trunk Group

Use the **add trunk-group** command to create a trunk group for the signaling group for Session Manager created in **Section 5.7**.

For the compliance test, trunk group **20** was used for both outbound and inbound calls to the service provider. It was configured using the parameters highlighted below.

- Set the **Group Type** field to **sip**
- Enter a descriptive name for the **Group Name**
- Enter an available trunk access code (TAC) that is consistent with the existing dial plan in the **TAC** field. (e.g., ***020**). Note: Refer to **Section 5.10** for adding ***** in dialing plan
- Set Class of Restriction (**COR**) to **1**
- Set **Direction** to **two-way** for trunk group **20**
- Set the **Service Type** field to **public-ntwrk**
- Set **Member Assignment Method** to **auto**
- Set the **Signaling Group** to the signaling group configured in **Section 5.7**. Trunk group **20** was associated to signaling group **20**
- Set the **Number of Members** field to the number of trunk members in the SIP trunk group. This value determines how many simultaneous SIP calls can be supported by this trunk
- Default values were used for all other fields

```

add trunk-group 20                                     Page 1 of 4
                                                    TRUNK GROUP
Group Number: 20                                     Group Type: sip          CDR Reports: y
  Group Name: SIP Trunks                            COR: 1                  TN: 1          TAC: *020
  Direction: two-way                               Outgoing Display? n
Dial Access? n                                       Night Service:
Queue Length: 0
Service Type: public-ntwrk                          Auth Code? n
                                                    Member Assignment Method: auto
                                                    Signaling Group: 20
                                                    Number of Members: 50

```

Figure 17: Trunk-Group – Page 1

On **Page 2**, verify that the **Preferred Minimum Session Refresh Interval (sec)** is set to a value acceptable to the service provider. This value defines the interval that UPDATES must be sent to keep the active session alive. For the compliance test, the value of **600** seconds was used.

```

add trunk-group 20                                     Page 2 of 4
  Group Type: sip
TRUNK PARAMETERS
  Unicode Name: auto
                                                    Redirect On OPTIM Failure: 5000
  SCCAN? n                                           Digital Loss Group: 18
  Preferred Minimum Session Refresh Interval (sec): 600
Disconnect Supervision - In? y Out? y
  XOIP Treatment: auto                               Delay Call Setup When Accessed Via IGAR? n

```

Figure 18: Trunk-Group – Page 2

On **Page 3**, set the **Numbering Format** field to **public**. This field specifies the format of the calling party number (CPN) sent to the far-end (refer to **Section 5.9** for the public-unknown-numbering format). The compliance test used 10-digit numbering format. Thus, **Numbering Format** was set to **public** and the **Numbering Format** field in the route pattern was set to **public** (see **Section 5.10**).

Set the **Replace Restricted Numbers** and **Replace Unavailable Numbers** fields to **y**. This will allow the CPN displayed on local endpoints to be replaced with the value set in **Section 5.2** if the inbound call enabled CPN block. For outbound calls, these same settings request that CPN block be activated on the far-end destination if an enterprise user requests CPN block on a particular call routed out this trunk. Default values were used for all other fields.

```
add trunk-group 20                                     Page 3 of 4
TRUNK FEATURES
  ACA Assignment? n                                   Measured: none
                                                    Maintenance Tests? y

  Suppress # Outpulsing? n   Numbering Format: public
                                                    UI Treatment: service-provider

                                                    Replace Restricted Numbers? y
                                                    Replace Unavailable Numbers? y

                                                    Hold/Unhold Notifications? y
  Modify Tandem Calling Number: no

  Show ANSWERED BY on Display? y
```

Figure 19: Trunk-Group – Page 3

On **Page 4**, the **Network Call Redirection** field should be set to **y** so that Communication Manager will send SIP REFER, ThinkTel supports both SIP REFER and re-INVITE in off-net call redirection.

Set the **Send Diversion Header** field to **n** and the **Support Request History** field to **y**. Note: For voice mail purposes, Communication Manager sends SIP Invite with History Info to Avaya Aura Messaging.

```
add trunk-group 20 Page 4 of 4
                                PROTOCOL VARIATIONS
                                Mark Users as Phone? n
Prepend '+' to Calling/Alerting/Diverting/Connected Number? n
                                Send Transferring Party Information? n
                                Network Call Redirection? y
Build Refer-To URI of REFER From Contact For NCR? n
                                Send Diversion Header? n
                                Support Request History? y
                                Telephone Event Payload Type: 101
                                Convert 180 to 183 for Early Media? n
                                Always Use re-INVITE for Display Updates? n
                                Identity for Calling Party Display: P-Asserted-Identity
Block Sending Calling Party Location in INVITE? n
                                Accept Redirect to Blank User Destination? n
                                Enable Q-SIP? n
Interworking of ISDN Clearing with In-Band Tones: keep-channel-active
```

Figure 20: Trunk-Group – Page 4

5.9. Calling Party Information

The calling party number is sent in the SIP “From”, “Contact” and “P-Asserted-Identity” headers. Since public numbering was selected to define the format of this number (**Section 5.8**), use the **change public-unknown-numbering** command to create an entry for each extension which has a DID assigned. The DID numbers are provided by the service provider. Each DID number is assigned to one enterprise internal extension or Vector Directory Numbers (VDNs), and it is used to authenticate the caller.

In a real customer environment, normally the DID number is comprised of the local extension plus a prefix. If this is true, then a single public-unknown-numbering entry can be applied for all extensions. In the compliance test, stations with a 4-digit extension beginning with **23** or **82** will send the calling party number as the **CPN Prefix** plus the extension number.

Note: The entry applies to SIP connection to Session Manager, therefore the resulting number must be a complete E.164 number. Communication Manager automatically inserts a ‘+’ in front of user number in From, P-Asserted-Identity, Contact, and Diversion headers.

change public-unknown-numbering 0					Page 1 of 2	
NUMBERING - PUBLIC/UNKNOWN FORMAT						
Ext	Trk	CPN	Total			
Len	Code	Grp (s)	Prefix	CPN	Len	
4	23	20	437XXX	10		
4	82	20	438XXX	10		

Figure 21: Public-Unknown-Numbering Form

5.10.Outbound Routing

In these Application Notes, the Automatic Route Selection (ARS) feature is used to route outbound calls via the SIP trunk to the service provider. In the sample configuration, the single digit **9** is used as the ARS access code. Enterprise callers will dial **9** to reach an “outside line”. This configuration is illustrated below. Use the **change dialplan analysis** command to define the **Dialed String** as following:

- **Dialed String** beginning with **23** for extension (**ext**)
- **Dialed String** beginning with **82** for extension (**ext**)
- **Dialed String** beginning with **48** for extension (**udp**)
- **Dialed String** beginning with **9** for feature access code (**fac**)
- **Dialed String** beginning with ***** for dial access code (**dac**). It is used for Trunk Access Code (TAC) defined on Trunk Group 20 in **Section 5.8**

```

change dialplan analysis                                     Page 1 of 12
                                                           DIAL PLAN ANALYSIS TABLE
                                                           Location: all                                     Percent Full: 2

```

Dialed String	Total Length	Call Type	Dialed String	Total Length	Call Type	Dialed String	Total Length	Call Type
181	4	ext						
189	4	ext						
23	4	ext						
3	4	ext						
48	4	udp						
800	4	ext						
82	4	ext						
9	1	fac						
*	4	dac						

Figure 22: Dialplan–Analysis Form

Use the **change feature-access-codes** command to configure **9** as the **Auto Route Selection (ARS) – Access Code 1**.

```
change feature-access-codes                                     Page 1 of 11
                                FEATURE ACCESS CODE (FAC)
Abbreviated Dialing List1 Access Code:
Abbreviated Dialin3g List2 Access Code:
Abbreviated Dialing List3 Access Code:
Abbreviated Dial - Prgm Group List Access Code:
Announcement Access Code: *111
Answer Back Access Code:
Attendant Access code:
Auto Alternate Routing (AAR) Access Code:
Auto Route Selection (ARS) - Access Code 1: 9      Access Code 2:
Automatic Callback Activation:      Deactivation:
Call Forwarding Activation Busy/DA:  All:      Deactivation:
Call Forwarding Enhanced Status:    Act:      Deactivation:
Call Park Access Code:
Call Pickup Access Code:
CAS Remote Hold/Answer Hold-Unhold Access Code:
CDR Account Code Access Code:
Change COR Access Code:
Change Coverage Access Code:
Conditional Call Extend Activation:  Deactivation:
Contact Closure Open Code:          Close Code:
```

Figure 23: Feature–Access-Codes Form

Use the **change ars analysis** command to configure the routing of dialed digits following the first digit **9**. The example below shows a subset of the dialed strings tested as part of the compliance test. See **Section 2.1** for the complete list of call types tested. All dialed strings are mapped to **Route Pattern 20** which contains the SIP trunk group to the service provider (as defined next).

change ars analysis 0							Page 1 of 2	
ARS DIGIT ANALYSIS TABLE							Location: all	
							Percent Full: 1	
Dialed String	Total		Route Pattern	Call Type	Node Num	ANI Reqd		
011	10	18	20	intl		n		
1613	11	11	20	pubu		n		
1800	11	11	20	pubu		n		
411	3	3	20	pubu		n		
911	3	3	20	pubu		n		

Figure 24: ARS–Analysis Form

The route pattern defines which trunk group will be used for the call and performs any necessary digit manipulation. Use the **change route-pattern** command to configure the parameters for the service provider trunk route pattern in the following manner. The example below shows the values used in route pattern **20** for the compliance test.

- **Pattern Name:** Enter a descriptive name
- **Grp No:** Enter the outbound trunk group for the SIP service provider. For the compliance test, trunk group **20** was used
- **FRL:** Set the Facility Restriction Level (**FRL**) field to a level that allows access to this trunk for all users that require it. The value of **0** is the least restrictive level
- **Numbering Format:** Set this field to **pub-unk** since public-unknown-numbering format should be used for this route (see **Section 5.8**)

```

change route-pattern 20                                     Page 1 of 3
                Pattern Number: 5   Pattern Name: SP
                SCCAN? n           Secure SIP? n
  Grp FRL NPA Pfx Hop Toll No.  Inserted          DCS/ IXC
  No           Mrk Lmt List Del  Digits          QSIG
                Dgts                          Intw
1: 20      0
2:
3:
4:
5:
6:
                n user
                n user
                n user
                n user
                n user
                n user

  BCC VALUE TSC CA-TSC      ITC BCIE Service/Feature PARM No. Numbering LAR
  0 1 2 M 4 W      Request      Dgts Format
                Subaddress
1: y y y y y n n          rest          pub-unk none
2: y y y y y n n          rest          none
3: y y y y y n n          rest          none
4: y y y y y n n          rest          none
5: y y y y y n n          rest          none
6: y y y y y n n          rest          none

```

Figure 25: Route–Pattern Form

Use the **change cor 1** command to change the Class of Restriction (COR) for the outbound call over SIP trunk. Set **Calling Party Restriction: none**. This setting allows the outbound call using feature access code (fac) 9 over SIP trunks.

```

change cor 1                                             Page 1 of 23
                CLASS OF RESTRICTION

                COR Number: 1
                COR Description:

                FRL: 0
                Can Be Service Observed? n
                Can Be A Service Observer? n
                Time of Day Chart: 1
                Priority Queuing? n
                Restriction Override: none
                Restricted Call List? n

                APLT? y
                Calling Party Restriction: none
                Called Party Restriction: none
                Forced Entry of Account Codes? n
                Direct Agent Calling? n
                Facility Access Trunk Test? n
                Can Change Coverage? n

                Access to MCT? y
                Group II Category For MFC: 7
                Send ANI for MFE? n
                MF ANI Prefix:
                Hear System Music on Hold? y
                PASTE (Display PBX Data on Phone)? n
                Can Be Picked Up By Directed Call Pickup? n
                Can Use Directed Call Pickup? n
                Group Controlled Restriction: inactive
                Fully Restricted Service? n
                Hear VDN of Origin Annc.? n
                Add/Remove Agent Skills? n
                Automatic Charge Display? n

```

Figure 26: Class of Restriction Form

5.11.Incoming Call Handling Treatment

In general, the incoming call handling treatment for a trunk group can be used to manipulate the digits received for an incoming call if necessary. Since Session Manager is present, Session Manager can be used to perform digit conversion, and digit manipulation via the Communication Manager incoming call handling table may not be necessary. If the DID number sent by the service provider is unchanged by Session Manager, then the DID number can be mapped to an extension using the incoming call handling treatment of the receiving trunk-group **20**. Use the **change inc-call-handling-trmt trunk-group 20** to convert incoming DID numbers as follows:

- The incoming DID number **438XXX2358** to **1810** by deleting **10** of the incoming digits for voicemail testing purpose. (1810 is voice mail pilot number)
- The incoming DID number **438XXX2359** to **4800** by deleting **10** of the incoming digits for Experience Portal testing purpose
- The incoming DID number **437XXX** to 4-digit extension by deleting **6** of the incoming digits for inbound call testing purpose
- The incoming DID number **438XXX** to 4-digit extension by deleting **6** of the incoming digits for inbound call testing purpose

change inc-call-handling-trmt trunk-group 20				Page 1 of 3	
INCOMING CALL HANDLING TREATMENT					
Service/ Feature	Number Len	Number Digits	Del	Insert	
public-ntwrk	10	438XXX2358	10	1810	
public-ntwrk	10	438XXX2359	10	4800	
public-ntwrk	10	437XXX	6		
public-ntwrk	10	438XXX	6		

Figure 27: Inc-Call-Handling-Trmt Form

5.12. Contact Center Configuration

This section describes the basic commands used to configure Announcements, Hunt-Groups, Vector Directory Numbers (VDNs) and corresponding vectors. These vectors contain steps that invoke Communication Manager to perform various call-related functions.

5.12.1. Announcements

Various announcements will be used within the vectors. In the sample configuration, these announcements were sourced by the Avaya G450 Media Gateway. The following abridged list command summarizes the announcements used in conjunction with the vectors in this section. To add an announcement extension, use the command “add announcement <extension>”. The extension is an unused extension number.

```
list announcement
```

ANNOUNCEMENTS/AUDIO SOURCES				
Announcement Extension	Type	Name	Source	Num of Files
1898	integrated	SP2	001V9	1
1899	integrated	SP1	001V9	1

Figure 28: Announcement Configuration

5.12.2. ACD Configuration for Call Queued for Handling by Agent

This section provides a simple example configuration for VDN, vector, hunt-group, and agent-loginID used to queue inbound calls for handling by an agent. The following screens show an example ACD hunt group. On page 1, note the bolded values.

```
display hunt-group 13
```

HUNT GROUP		Page 1 of 3
GROUP NUMBER: 13		ACD? y
Group Name: SP		Queue? y
GROUP EXTENSION: 3211		Vector? y
GROUP TYPE: UCD-MIA		
TN: 1		
COR: 1		MM Early Answer? n
SECURITY CODE: 1234	Local Agent Preference? n	
ISDN/SIP Caller Display:		
Queue Limit: unlimited		
Calls Warning Threshold:	Port:	
Time Warning Threshold:	Port:	

Figure 29: Hunt Group Configuration – Page 1

The following screens show an example ACD hunt group. On the abbreviated page 2 shown below, note that **Skill** is set to **y**.

```
display hunt-group 13                                     Page 2 of 3
                                                         HUNT GROUP
Skill? y          Expected Call Handling Time (sec): 180
AAS? n           Service Level Target (% in sec): 80 in 20
```

Figure 30: Hunt Group Configuration – Page 2

VDN 8299, shown below, is associated with vector 3

```
display vdn 8299                                         Page 1 of 3
                                                         VECTOR DIRECTORY NUMBER
EXTENSION: 8299
Name*: Contact Center
DESTINATION: VECTOR NUMBER          3
Attendant Vectoring? n
Meet-me Conferencing? n
Allow VDN Override? n
COR: 1
TN*: 1
Measured: none
```

Figure 31: VDN Configuration

In this simple example, vector 3 briefly plays ring back, then plays announcement 1899 (Step 02). This is an announcement heard when the call is first answered before the call is queued to the skill 13 (Step 03). If an agent is immediately available to handle the call, the call will be delivered to the agent. If an agent is not immediately available, the call will be queued, and the caller will hear announcement 1898 (Step 05). Once an agent becomes available, the call will be delivered to the agent.

```

display vector 3                                     Page 1 of 6
                                           CALL VECTOR
Number: 3                                           Name: Contact Center
Multimedia? n      Attendant Vectoring? n      Meet-me Conf? n      Lock? n
Basic? y   EAS? y   G3V4 Enhanced? y   ANI/II-Digits? y   ASAI Routing? y
Prompting? y   LAI? y   G3V4 Adv Route? y   CINFO? y   BSR? y   Holidays? y
Variables? y   3.0 Enhanced? y

01 wait-time      2      secs hearing ringback
02 announcement  1899
03 queue-to      skill 13  pri m
04 wait-time      2      secs hearing silence
05 announcement  1898
06 goto step      3              if unconditionally

```

Figure 32: Vector 3 Configuration

The following screen illustrates an example agent-loginID 3311. In the sample configuration, an Avaya IP Deskphone logged in using agent-loginID 3311 and the configured password to staff and take a call for skill 13.

```

add agent-loginID 3311                             Page 1 of 2
                                           AGENT LOGINID

Login ID: 3311                                     AAS? n
Name: SP                                           AUDIX? n
TN: 1                                             LWC Reception: spe
COR: 1                                           LWC Log External Calls? n
Coverage Path:                                    AUDIX Name for Messaging:
Security Code: 1234

LoginID for ISDN/SIP Display? n
Password: 1234
Password (enter again): 1234
Auto Answer: station
MIA Across Skills: system
ACW Agent Considered Idle: system
Aux Work Reason Code Type: system
Logout Reason Code Type: system
Maximum time agent in ACW before logout (sec): system
Forced Agent Logout Time:      :

```

Figure 33: Agent-loginID Configuration – Page 1

The following abridged screen shows Page 2 for agent-loginID 3311. Note that the Skill Number (SN) has been set to **13**.


```
Display agent-loginID 3311                                     Page 2 of 2
                                AGENT LOGINID
Direct Agent Skill:                                           Service Objective? n
Call Handling Preference: skill-level                          Local Call Preference? n

      SN   RL SL           SN   RL SL
1:  13     1             16:
2:                               17:
```

Figure 34: Agent LoginID Configuration – Page 2

To enable a telephone or one-X[®] Agent client to log in with the agent-loginID shown above, ensure that **Expert Agent Selection (EAS) Enabled** is set to **y** as shown in the screen below.

```
change system-parameters features                             Page 11 of 19
                                FEATURE-RELATED SYSTEM PARAMETERS
CALL CENTER SYSTEM PARAMETERS
EAS

Expert Agent Selection (EAS) Enabled? y
Minimum Agent-LoginID Password Length: 4
```

Figure 35: Enable Expert Agent Selection

5.13. Avaya Aura® Communication Manager Stations

In the sample configuration, a 4-digit station extension was used with the format 8298. Use the **add station 8298** command to add an Avaya H.323 IP Deskphone.

- Enter **Type: 9621**, **Name: H323-8298**, **Security Code: 1234**, **Coverage Path 1: 1**, **IP SoftPhone: y** (if using this extension as a Softphone such as Avaya one-X® Communicator)
- Leave other values as default

```
add station 8298                                     Page 1 of 5
                                                    STATION
Extension: 8298                                     Lock Messages? n                               BCC: 0
Type: 9621                                         Security Code: *                             TN: 1
Port: S000055                                       Coverage Path 1: 1                         COR: 1
Name: H323-8298                                   Coverage Path 2:                               COS: 1
                                                    Hunt-to Station:                             Tests? y
STATION OPTIONS
Loss Group: 19                                       Time of Day Lock Table:
Speakerphone: 2-way                                   Personalized Ringing Pattern: 1
Display Language: English                             Message Lamp Ext: 8298
Survivable GK Node Name:                             Mute Button Enabled? y
Survivable COR: internal                             Button Modules: 0
Survivable Trunk Dest? y                             Media Complex Ext:
                                                    IP SoftPhone? y
                                                    IP Video softphone? n
Short/Prefixed Registration Allowed: default
                                                    Customizable Labels? y
```

Figure 36: Add-Station Form

5.14. Save Avaya Aura® Communication Manager Configuration Changes

Use the **save translation** command to save the configuration.

6. Configure Avaya Aura® Session Manager

This section provides the procedures for configuring Session Manager. The procedures include configuring the following items:

- SIP Domain
- Logical/physical Location that can be occupied by SIP Entities
- SIP Entities corresponding to Communication Manager, Avaya SBCE and Session Manager
- Entity Links, which define the SIP trunk parameters used by Session Manager when routing calls to/from SIP Entities
- Time Ranges, which define the time-based-routing
- Routing Policies, which define route destinations and control call routing between the SIP Entities
- Dial Patterns, which specify dialed digits and govern which Routing Policy is used to service a call

It may not be necessary to create all the items above when configuring a connection to the service provider since some of these items would have already been defined as part of the initial Session Manager installation. This includes items such as certain SIP Domains, Locations, SIP Entities, and Session Manager itself. However, each item should be reviewed to verify the configuration.

6.1. Avaya Aura® System Manager Login and Navigation

Session Manager configuration is accomplished by accessing the browser-based GUI of System Manager, using the URL as <https://<ip-address>/SMGR/#>, where <ip-address> is the IP Address of System Manager. At the **System Manager Log On** screen, enter appropriate **User ID** and **Password** and press the **Log On** button (not shown). The initial screen shown below is then displayed.

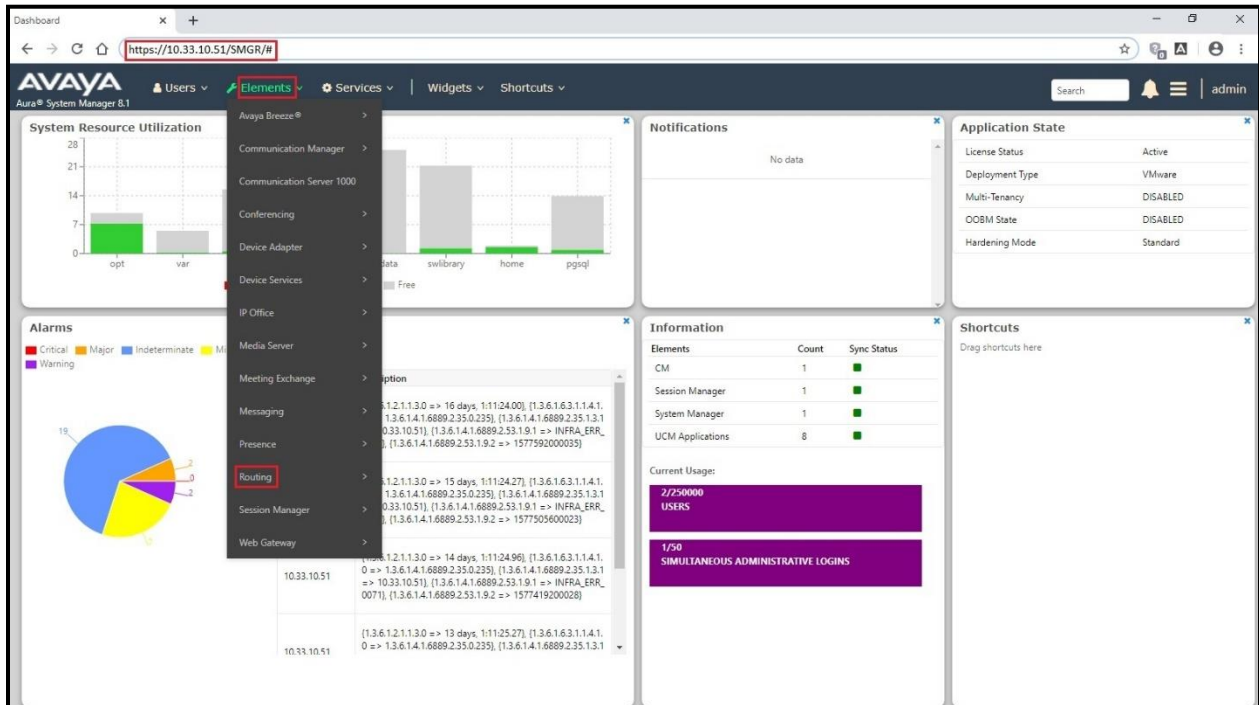


Figure 37: System Manager Home Screen

Most of the configuration items are performed in the Routing Element. Click on **Routing** in the **Elements** column to bring up the **Introduction to Network Routing Policy** screen.

The navigation tree displayed in the left pane will be referenced in subsequent sections to navigate to items requiring configuration.

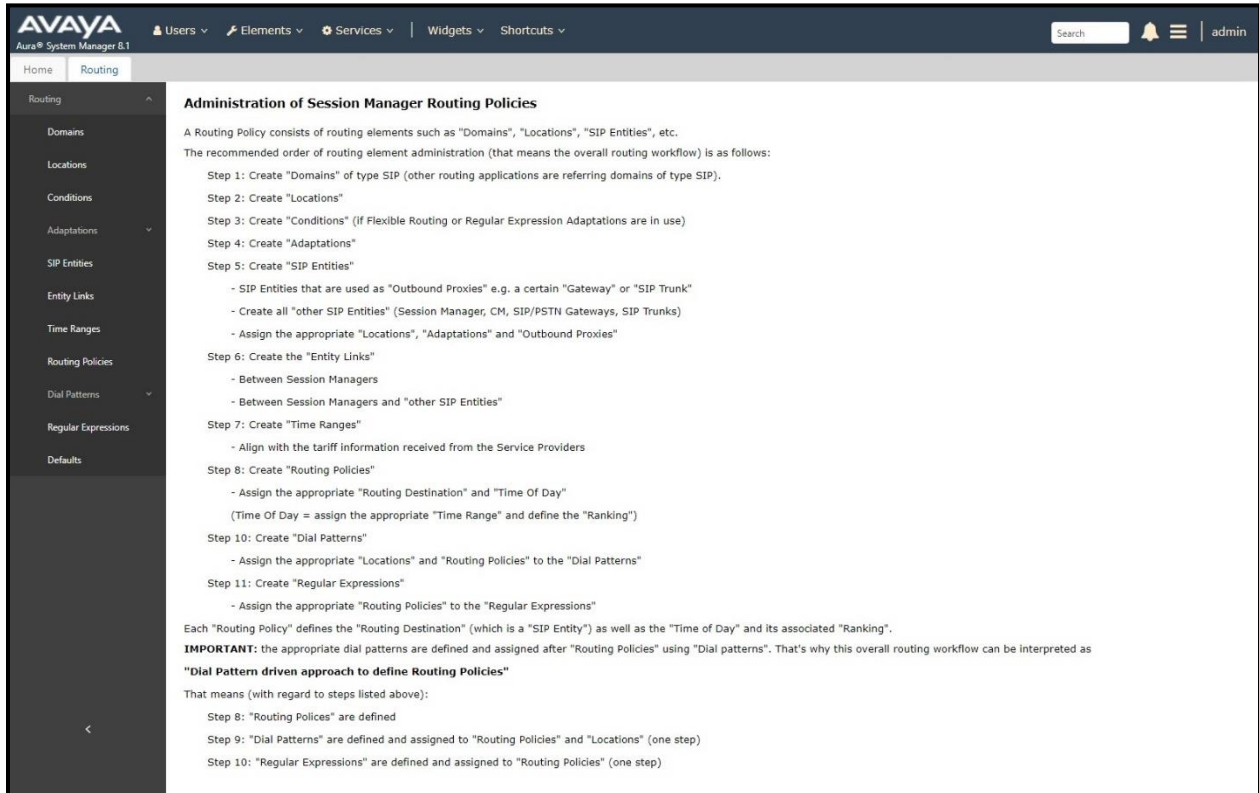


Figure 38: Network Routing Policy

6.2. Specify SIP Domain

Create a SIP Domain for each domain of which Session Manager will need to be aware of in order to route calls. For the compliance test, this includes the enterprise domain **bvwddev.com**.

Navigate to **Routing** → **Domains** in the left-hand navigation pane and click the **New** button in the right pane. In the new right pane that appears (not shown), fill in the following:

- **Name:** Enter the domain name
- **Type:** Select **sip** from the pull-down menu
- **Notes:** Add a brief description (optional)

Click **Commit** (not shown) to save.

The screen below shows the existing entry for the enterprise domain.



Figure 39: Domain Management

6.3. Add Location

Locations can be used to identify logical and/or physical locations where SIP Entities reside for purposes of bandwidth management and call admission control. A single Location was defined for the enterprise even though multiple subnets were used. The screens below show the addition of the Location named **Belleville-GSSCP**, which includes all equipment in the enterprise including Communication Manager, Session Manager and Avaya SBCE.

To add a Location, navigate to **Routing → Locations** in the left-hand navigation pane and click the **New** button in the right pane (not shown). In the new right pane that appears (shown below), fill in the following:

In the **General** section, enter the following values. Use default values for all remaining fields.

- **Name:** Enter a descriptive name for the Location
- **Notes:** Add a brief description (optional)

Click **Commit** to save.

The screenshot displays the Avaya Aura System Manager 8.1 interface. The left-hand navigation pane is open to the 'Locations' section under 'Routing'. The main content area is titled 'Location Details' and shows the 'General' tab. The 'Name' field is populated with 'Belleville-GSSCP'. Below this, there are sections for 'Dial Plan Transparency in Survivable Mode', 'Overall Managed Bandwidth', 'Per-Call Bandwidth Parameters', and 'Alarm Threshold'. The 'Name' field is highlighted with a red box. The 'Commit' button is also highlighted with a red box. The interface includes a search bar, a user profile 'admin', and a 'Help ?' icon in the top right corner.

Figure 40: Location Configuration

In the **Location Pattern** section, click **Add** to enter **IP Address Pattern**. The following patterns were used in testing:

- **IP Address Pattern:** 10.33.1.*, 10.33.10.*, 10.33.100.*
- Click **Commit** to save

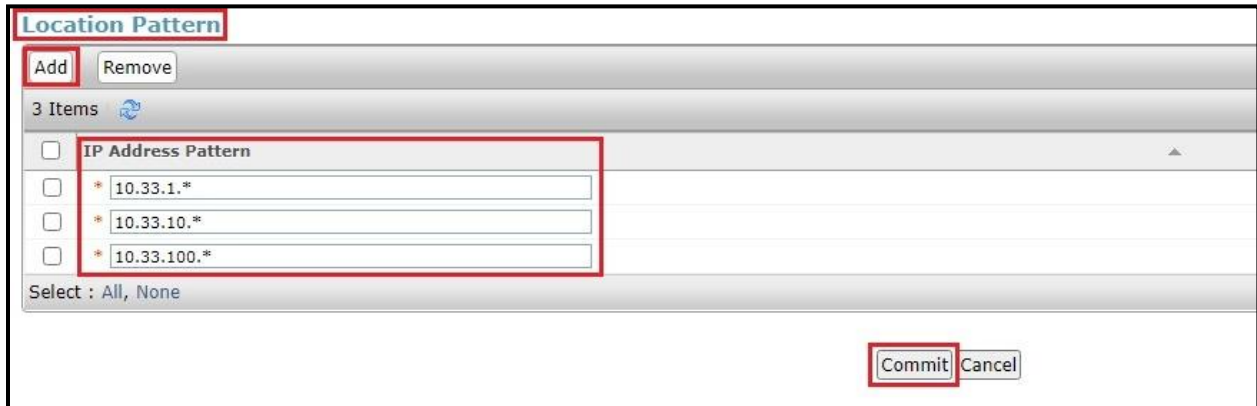


Figure 41: IP Ranges Configuration

Note: Call bandwidth management parameters should be set per customer requirement.

6.4. Add SIP Entities

A SIP Entity must be added for Session Manager and for each SIP telephony system connected to Session Manager, which includes Communication Manager, Experience Portal and Avaya SBCE.

Navigate to **Routing** → **SIP Entities** in the left-hand navigation pane and click on the **New** button in the right pane (not shown). In the new right pane that appears (shown on the next page), fill in the following:

In the **General** section, enter the following values. Use default values for all remaining fields.

- **Name:** Enter a descriptive name
- **FQDN or IP Address:** Enter the FQDN or IP Address of the SIP Entity that is used for SIP signaling
- **Type:** Select **Session Manager** for Session Manager, **CM** for Communication Manager, **Voice Portal** for Experience Portal and **SIP Trunk** for Avaya SBCE configuration
- **Adaptation:** This field is only present if **Type** is not set to **Session Manager**. Adaptation modules were not used in this configuration
- **Location:** Select the Location that applies to the SIP Entity being created. For the compliance test, all components were located in Location **Belleville-GSSCP**
- **Time Zone:** Select the time zone for the Location above

In this configuration, there are four SIP Entities:

- Session Manager SIP Entity
- Communication Manager SIP Entity
- Avaya Session Border Controller SIP Entity
- Experience Portal SIP Entity

6.4.1. Configure Session Manager SIP Entity

The following screen shows the addition of the Session Manager SIP Entity named **bvwasm2**. The IP Address of Session Manager's signaling interface is entered for **FQDN or IP Address 10.33.10.53**. The user will need to select the specific values for the **Location** and **Time Zone**.

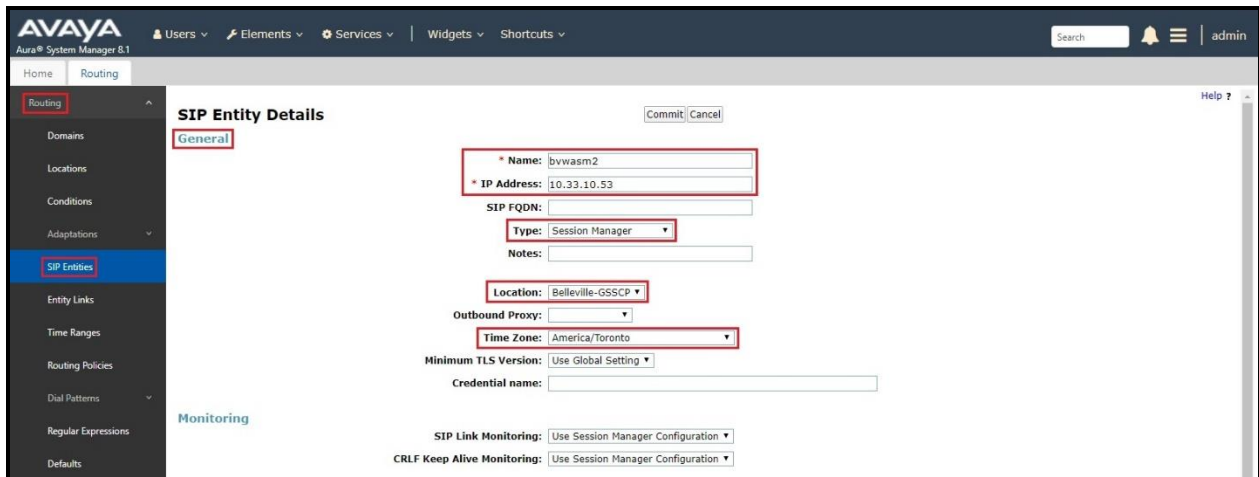


Figure 42: Session Manager SIP Entity

To define the ports used by Session Manager, scroll down to the **Listen Ports** section of the **SIP Entity Details** screen. This section is only present for the **Session Manager** SIP Entity.

In the **Listen Ports** section, click **Add** and enter the following values. Use default values for all remaining fields:

- **Port:** Port number on which Session Manager listens for SIP requests
- **Protocol:** Transport protocol to be used with this port
- **Default Domain:** The default domain associated with this port. For the compliance test, this was the enterprise SIP Domain

Defaults can be used for the remaining fields. Click **Commit** (not shown) to save.

The compliance test used port **5061** with **TLS** for connecting to Communication Manager, to Avaya SBCE and to Experience Portal.

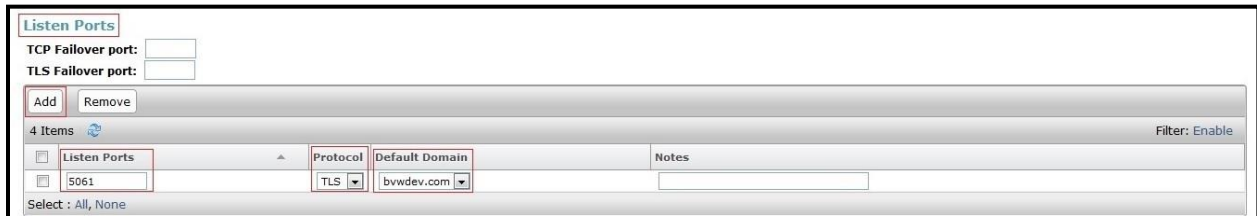


Figure 43: Session Manager SIP Entity Port

6.4.2. Configure Communication Manager SIP Entity

The following screen shows the addition of the Communication Manager SIP Entity named **CM8**. In order for Session Manager to send SIP service provider traffic on a separate Entity Link to Communication Manager, it is necessary to create a separate SIP Entity for Communication Manager in addition to the one created during Session Manager installation. The original SIP entity is used with all other SIP traffic within the enterprise. The **FQDN or IP Address** field is set to the IP Address of Communication Manager **10.33.10.54**. Note that **CM** was selected for **Type**. The user will need to select the specific values for the **Location** and **Time Zone**.

The screenshot displays the Avaya Aura System Manager 6.1 interface. The left sidebar shows the navigation menu with 'SIP Entities' selected. The main content area is titled 'SIP Entity Details' and includes a 'General' tab. The configuration fields are as follows:

- Name:** CM8
- FQDN or IP Address:** 10.33.10.54
- Type:** CM
- Notes:** (empty)
- Adaptation:** (dropdown menu)
- Location:** Belleville-GSSCP
- Time Zone:** America/Toronto
- SIP Timer B/F (in seconds):** 4
- Minimum TLS Version:** Use Global Setting
- Credential name:** (empty)
- Securable:** (checkbox, unchecked)
- Call Detail Recording:** none
- Loop Detection Mode:** On
- Loop Count Threshold:** 5
- Loop Detection Interval (in msec):** 200
- SIP Link Monitoring:** Link Monitoring Enabled
- Proactive Monitoring Interval (in seconds):** 900
- Reactive Monitoring Interval (in seconds):** 120
- Number of Tries:** 1
- Number of Successes:** 1
- CRLF Keep Alive Monitoring:** Use Session Manager Configuration

Figure 44: Communication Manager SIP Entity

6.4.3. Configure Avaya Session Border Controller SIP Entity

The following screen shows the addition of Avaya SBCE SIP entity named **SBCE**. The **FQDN** or **IP Address** field is set to the IP Address of the SBCE's private network interface **10.33.10.49**. Note that **SIP Trunk** was selected for **Type**. The user will need to select the specific values for the **Location** and **Time Zone**.

The screenshot displays the Avaya Aura System Manager 8.1 interface for configuring a SIP Entity. The left-hand navigation pane shows the 'SIP Entities' section selected. The main content area is titled 'SIP Entity Details' and features a 'General' tab. The configuration fields are as follows:

- Name:** SBCE
- FQDN or IP Address:** 10.33.10.49
- Type:** SIP Trunk
- Location:** Belleville-GSSCP
- Time Zone:** America/Toronto
- SIP Timer B/F (in seconds):** 4
- Minimum TLS Version:** Use Global Setting
- Credential name:** [Empty field]
- Securable:** [Unchecked checkbox]
- Call Detail Recording:** egress
- Loop Detection Mode:** On
- Loop Count Threshold:** 5
- Loop Detection Interval (in msec):** 200
- SIP Link Monitoring:** Link Monitoring Enabled
- Proactive Monitoring Interval (in seconds):** 900
- Reactive Monitoring Interval (in seconds):** 120
- Number of Tries:** 1
- Number of Successes:** 1
- CRLF Keep Alive Monitoring:** Use Session Manager Configuration

Figure 45: Avaya SBCE SIP Entity

6.4.4. Configure Avaya Aura® Experience Portal SIP Entity

The following screen shows the addition of the Avaya Experience Portal SIP entity named **Experience Portal**. The **FQDN or IP Address** field is set to the IP Address of the Experience Portal interface **10.33.1.3**. Note that **Voice Portal** was selected for **Type**. The user will need to select the specific values for the **Location** and **Time Zone**.

The screenshot displays the Avaya Aura System Manager 8.1 interface. The left sidebar shows the navigation menu with 'SIP Entities' selected. The main content area is titled 'SIP Entity Details' and has a 'General' tab selected. The configuration fields are as follows:

- Name:** Experience Portal
- FQDN or IP Address:** 10.33.1.3
- Type:** Voice Portal
- Notes:** (empty)
- Adaptation:** (dropdown menu)
- Location:** Belleville-GSSCP
- Time Zone:** America/Toronto
- * SIP Timer B/F (in seconds):** 4
- Minimum TLS Version:** Use Global Setting
- Credential name:** (empty)
- Securable:**
- Call Detail Recording:** none
- Loop Detection Mode:** On
- Loop Count Threshold:** 5
- Loop Detection Interval (in msec):** 200
- SIP Link Monitoring:** Use Session Manager Configuration
- CRLF Keep Alive Monitoring:** Use Session Manager Configuration
- Supports Call Admission Control:**
- Shared Bandwidth Manager:**
- Primary Session Manager Bandwidth Association:** (dropdown menu)
- Backup Session Manager Bandwidth Association:** (dropdown menu)
- Override Port & Transport with DNS SRV:**

Figure 46: Experience Portal SIP Entity

6.5. Add Entity Links

A SIP trunk between Session Manager and a telephony system is described by an Entity Link. Three Entity Links were created: one to Communication Manager for use only by the service provider traffic, one to the Avaya SBCE and one to the Experience Portal.

To add an Entity Link, navigate to **Routing → Entity Links** in the left-hand navigation pane and click on the **New** button in the right pane (not shown). In the new right pane that appears (shown on the next page), fill in the following:

- **Name:** Enter a descriptive name
- **SIP Entity 1:** Select the Session Manager being used
- **Protocol:** Select the transport protocol used for this link
- **Port:** Port number on which Session Manager will receive SIP requests from the far-end
- **SIP Entity 2:** Select the name of the other system as defined in **Section 6.4**
- **Port:** Port number on which the other system receives SIP requests from the Session Manager
- **Connection Policy:** Select **trusted**. **Note:** If **trusted** is not selected, calls from the associated SIP Entity specified in **Section 6.4** will be denied

Click **Commit** to save.

The following screen illustrates the Entity Link to Communication Manager. The protocol and ports defined here must match the values used on the Communication Manager signaling group form in **Section 5.7**.

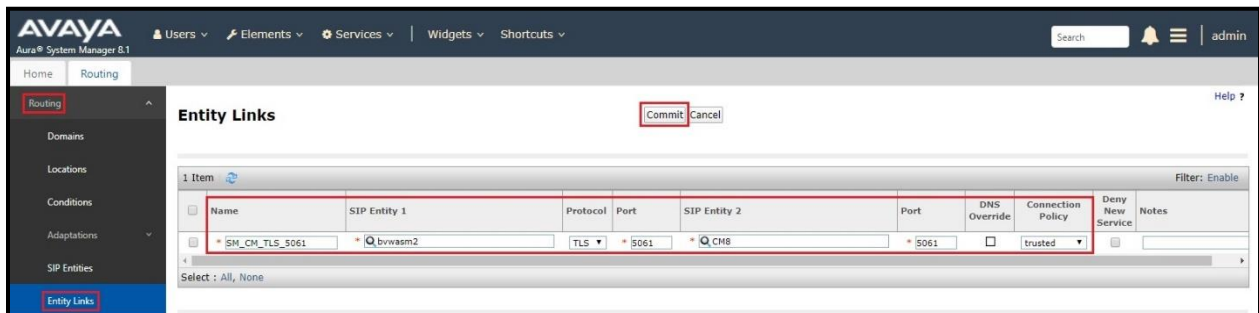


Figure 47: Communication Manager Entity Link

The following screen illustrates the Entity Links to Avaya SBCE. The protocol and ports defined here must match the values used on the Avaya SBCE mentioned in **Section 7.4.1, 7.5.1 and 7.8.3.**

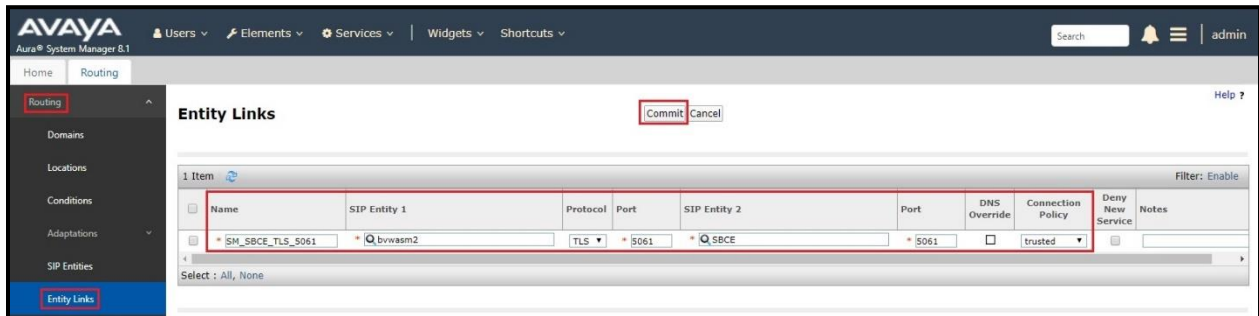


Figure 48: Avaya SBCE Entity Link

The following screen illustrates the Entity Links to Experience Portal. The protocol and ports defined here must match the values used on the Avaya SBCE mentioned in **Section 8.3.**

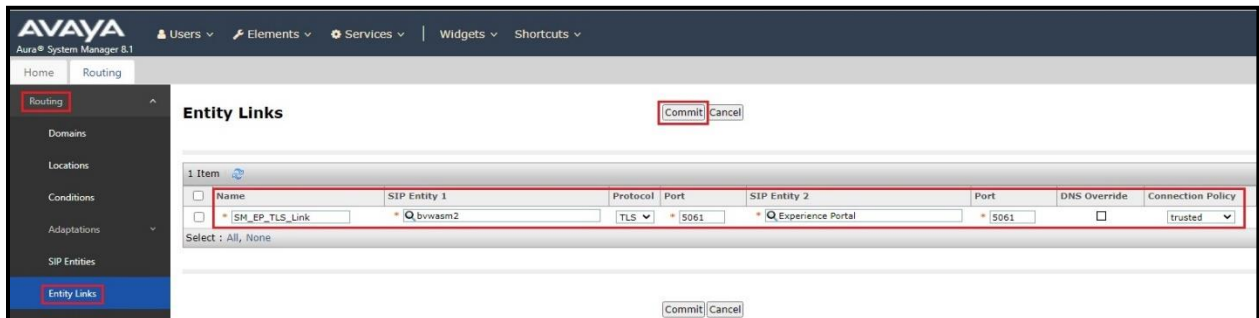


Figure 49: Experience Portal Entity Link

6.6. Configure Time Ranges

Time Ranges are configured for time-based-routing. In order to add a Time Range, select **Routing → Time Ranges** and then click **New** button. The Routing Policies shown subsequently will use the 24/7 range since time-based routing was not the focus of these Application Notes.

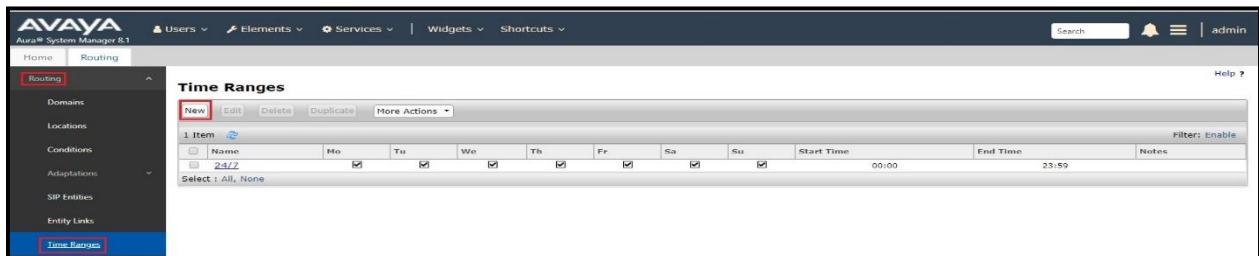


Figure 50: Time Ranges

6.7. Add Routing Policies

Routing Policies describe the conditions under which calls will be routed to the SIP Entities specified in **Section 6.4**. Three Routing Policies must be added; one for Communication Manager, one for Experience Portal and one for Avaya SBCE.

To add a Routing Policy, navigate to **Routing → Routing Policies** in the left-hand navigation pane and click on the **New** button in the right pane (not shown). In the new right pane that appears (shown on the next page), fill in the following:

In the **General** section, enter the following values. Use default values for all remaining fields.

- **Name:** Enter a descriptive name
- **Notes:** Add a brief description (optional)

In the **SIP Entity as Destination** section, click **Select**. The **SIP Entity List** page opens (not shown). Select the appropriate SIP Entity to which this Routing Policy applies and click **Select**. The selected SIP Entity displays on the Routing Policy Details page as shown below. Use default values for remaining fields.

Click **Commit** to save.

The following screen shows the **Routing Policy Details** for the policy named **SP Inbound Calls** associated with incoming PSTN calls from ThinkTel to Communication Manager. Observe the **SIP Entity as Destination** is the entity named **CM8**.

The screenshot displays the Avaya Aura System Manager 8.1 interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Users', 'Elements', 'Services', 'Widgets', and 'Shortcuts'. The left-hand navigation pane shows 'Routing' selected, with sub-items like Domains, Locations, Conditions, Adaptations, SIP Entities, Entity Links, and Time Ranges. The main content area is titled 'Routing Policy Details' and contains a 'Commit' button and a 'Cancel' button. The 'General' section has a 'Name' field with the value 'SP Inbound Calls', a 'Disabled' checkbox, a 'Retries' field with the value '0', and a 'Notes' field. The 'SIP Entity as Destination' section features a 'Select' button and a table with the following data:

Name	FQDN or IP Address
CM8	10.33.10.54

The 'Time of Day' section is partially visible at the bottom of the page.

Figure 51: Routing to Communication Manager

The following screen shows the **Routing Policy Details** for the policy named **SP Outbound Calls** associated with outgoing calls from Communication Manager to the PSTN via ThinkTel SIP Trunk through the Avaya SBCE. Observe the **SIP Entity as Destination** is the entity named **SBCE**.

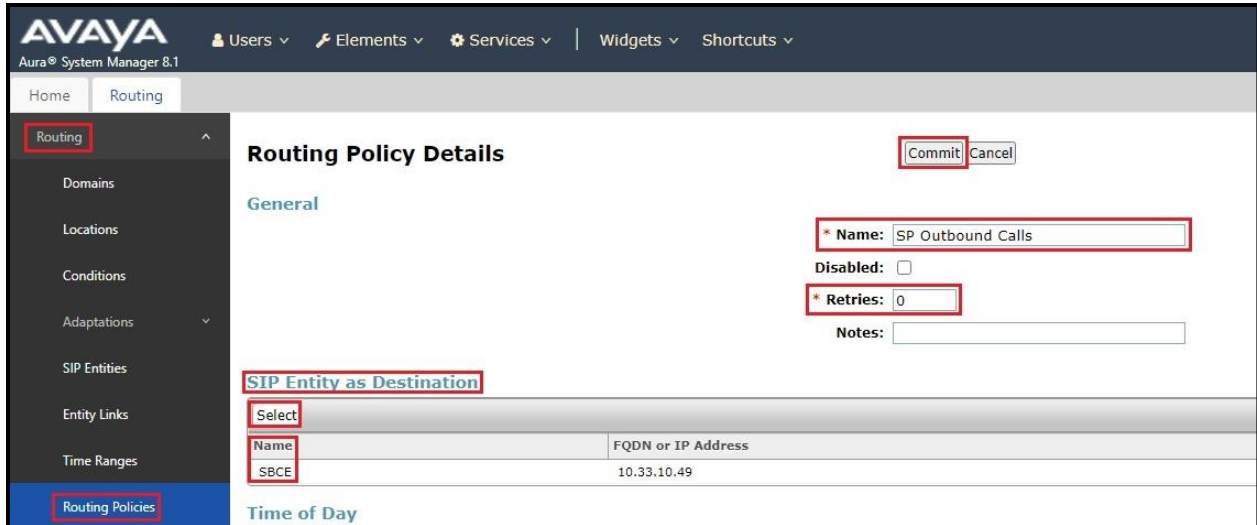


Figure 52: Routing to ThinkTel SIP Trunk

The following screen shows the **Routing Policy Details** for the policy named **To-ExperiencePortal** associated with outgoing calls to Experience Portal. Observe the **SIP Entity as Destination** is the entity named **Experience Portal**.

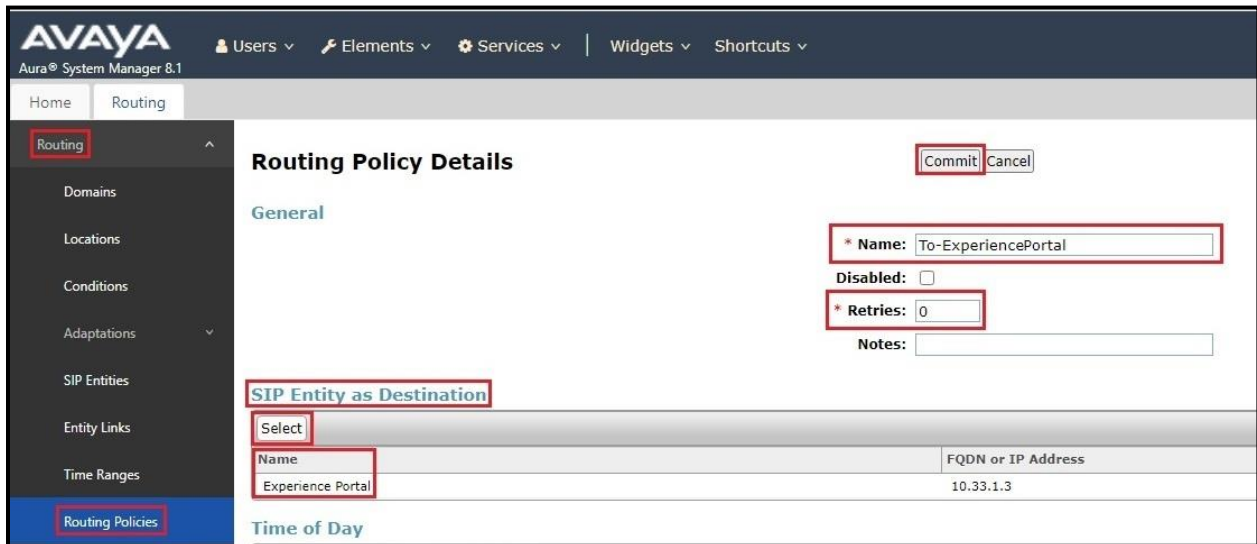


Figure 53: Routing to Experience Portal

6.8. Add Dial Patterns

Dial Patterns are needed to route calls through Session Manager. For the compliance test, Dial Patterns were configured to route calls from Communication Manager to ThinkTel SIP Trunk through the Avaya SBCE and vice versa. Dial Patterns define which Route Policy will be selected as route destination for a particular call based on the dialed digits, destination Domain and originating Location.

To add a Dial Pattern, navigate to **Routing → Dial Patterns** in the left-hand navigation pane and click on the **New** button in the right pane (not shown). In the new right pane that appears (shown on the next page), fill in the following:

In the **General** section, enter the following values. Use default values for all remaining fields.

- **Pattern:** Enter a dial string that will be matched against the Request-URI of the call
- **Min:** Enter a minimum length used in the match criteria
- **Max:** Enter a maximum length used in the match criteria
- **SIP Domain:** Enter the destination domain used in the match criteria
- **Notes:** Add a brief description (optional)

In the **Originating Locations and Routing Policies** section, click **Add**. From the **Originating Locations and Routing Policy List** that appears (not shown), select the appropriate originating Location for use in the match criteria. Lastly, select the Routing Policy from the list that will be used to route all calls that match the specified criteria. Click **Select**.

Default values can be used for the remaining fields. Click **Commit** to save.

Three examples of the Dial Patterns used for the compliance test are shown below, one for outbound calls from the enterprise to the PSTN, one for inbound calls from the PSTN to the enterprise and one for calls to Experience Portal. Other Dial Patterns were similarly defined.

The first example shows that outbound 11-digit dialed numbers that begin with **1613** and have a destination **SIP Domain** of **bvwdev.com** uses **Routing Policy Name** as **SP Outbound Calls** which is defined in **Section 6.7**.

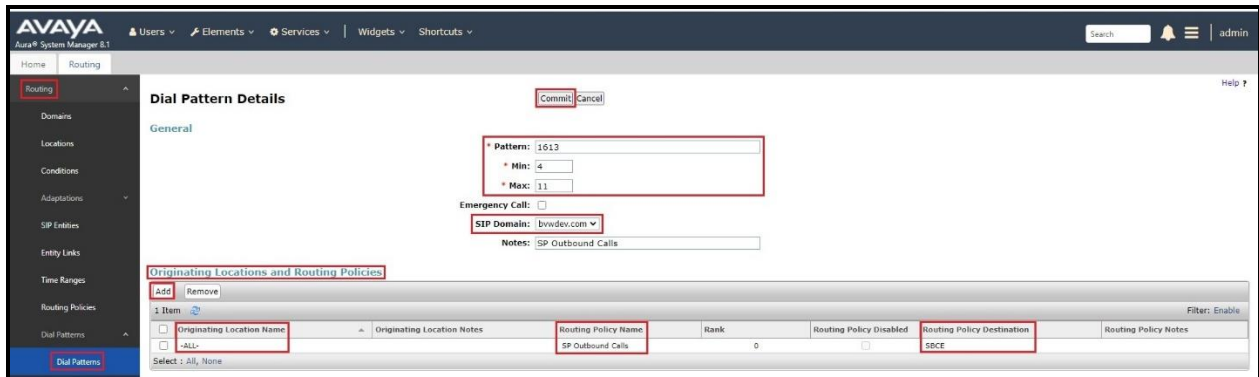


Figure 54: Dial Pattern_1613

Note that in real deployments, appropriate restriction can be exercised per customer business policies.

Also note that **-ALL-** was selected for **Originating Location Name**. This selection was chosen to accommodate certain off-net call forward scenarios where the inbound call was re-directed back to the PSTN.

The second example shows that inbound 10-digit numbers that start with **437** use **Routing Policy Name** as **SP Inbound Calls** which is defined in **Section 6.7**. This Dial Pattern matches the DID numbers assigned to the enterprise by ThinkTel.

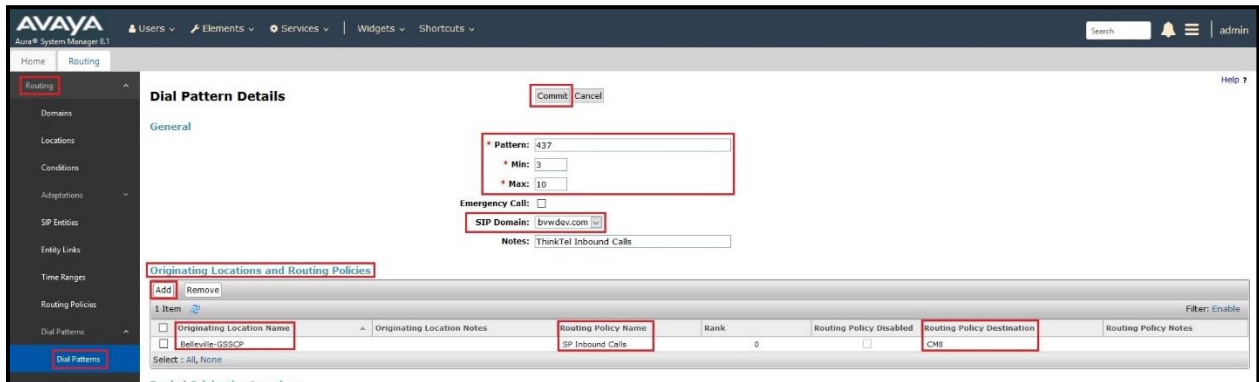


Figure 55: Dial Pattern_437

The third example shows that the inbound PSTN calls to Experience Portal use **Routing Policy Name** as **To-ExperiencePortal** which is defined in **Section 6.7**.

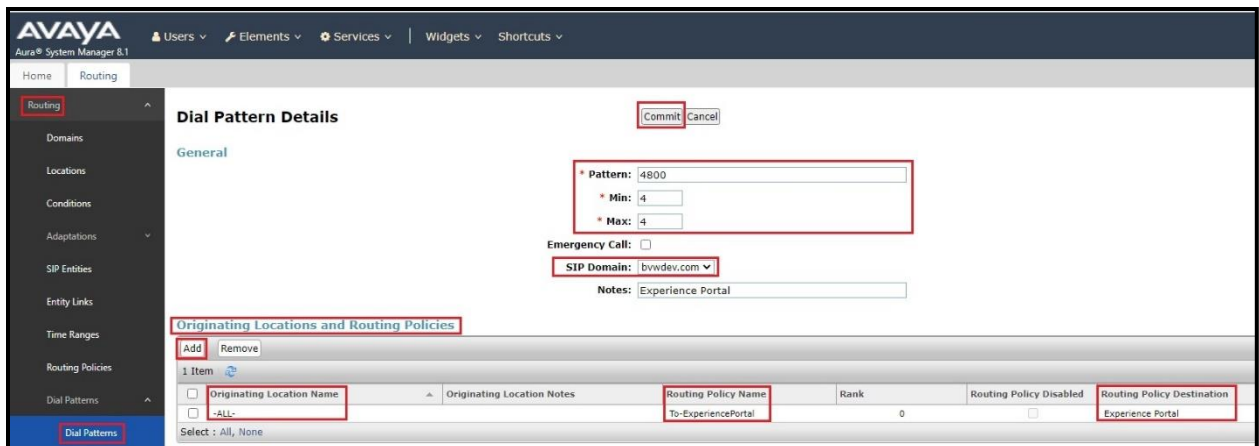


Figure 56: Dial Pattern_4800

The following screen illustrates a list of dial patterns used for inbound and outbound calls between the enterprise and the PSTN.

The screenshot shows a web interface titled "Dial Patterns" with a "Help ?" link in the top right. Below the title is a toolbar with buttons for "New", "Edit", "Delete", "Duplicate", and "More Actions". The main content area displays a table with 43 items. The table has the following columns: "Pattern", "Min", "Max", "Emergency Call", "Emergency Type", "Emergency Priority", "SIP Domain", and "Notes". The "Emergency Call" column contains checkboxes, and the "SIP Domain" column contains the value "bvdev.com" for all entries. The "Notes" column contains various call-related descriptions.

Pattern	Min	Max	Emergency Call	Emergency Type	Emergency Priority	SIP Domain	Notes
<input type="checkbox"/> 0	1	11	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Outbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 011852	13	13	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Outbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 1613	4	11	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	SP Outbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 1800	11	11	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Outbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 181	3	36	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	AAMM
<input type="checkbox"/> 23	2	4	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel SIP Phones
<input type="checkbox"/> 411	3	3	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Outbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 432	3	10	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Inbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 438	3	10	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Inbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 4900	4	4	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	Experience Portal
<input type="checkbox"/> 82	2	4	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel SIP Phones
<input type="checkbox"/> 866	3	10	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Toll-free Inbound Calls
<input type="checkbox"/> 211	3	3	<input type="checkbox"/>			bvdev.com	ThinkTel Outbound Calls

At the bottom left, it says "Select: All, None". At the bottom right, there is a pagination control showing "Page 1 of 3".

Figure 57: Dial Pattern List

7. Configure Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise

This section describes the configuration of the Avaya SBCE necessary for interoperability with the Session Manager and the ThinkTel.

In this testing, according to the configuration reference **Figure 1**, the Avaya elements reside on the Private side and the ThinkTel system resides on the Public side of the network.

Note: The following section assumes that Avaya SBCE has been installed and that network connectivity exists between the systems. For more information on Avaya SBCE, refer to the documentation listed in **Section 12** of these Application Notes.

7.1. Log in to Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise

Access the web interface by typing “<https://x.x.x.x/sbc/>” (where x.x.x.x is the management IP of the Avaya SBCE).

Enter the **Username** and **Password** and click on **Log In** button.



Figure 58: Avaya SBCE Login

Select **Device SBCE** and the **Dashboard** main page will appear as shown below.

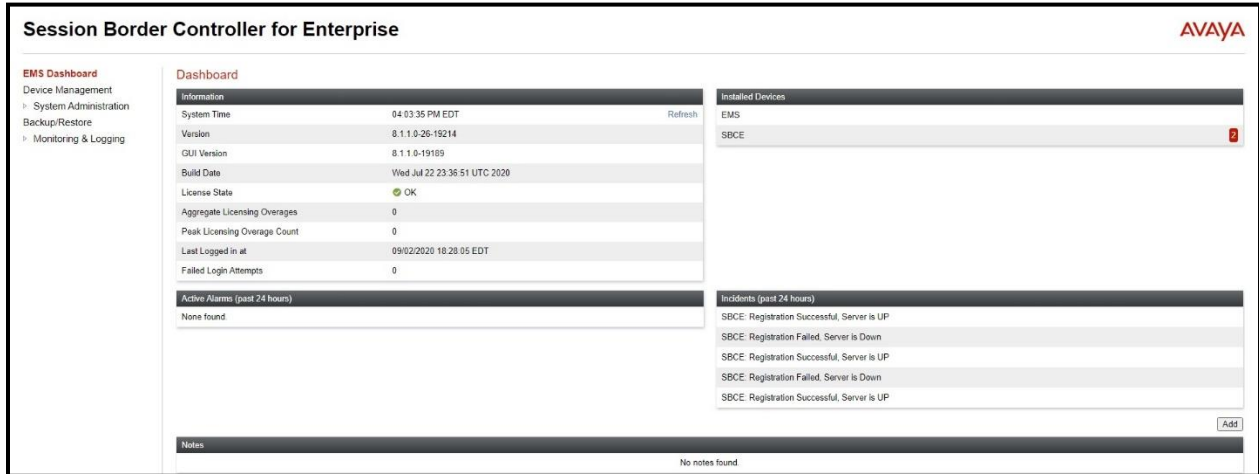


Figure 59: Avaya SBCE Dashboard

To view system information that has been configured during installation, navigate to **Device Management**. A list of installed devices is shown in the right pane. In the compliance testing, a single Device Name **SBCE** was already added. To view the configuration of this device, click **View** as shown in the screenshot below.



Figure 60: Avaya SBCE Device Management

The **System Information** screen shows **General Configuration**, **Device Configuration**, **Network Configuration**, **DNS Configuration** and **Management IP(s)** information provided during installation and corresponds to **Figure 1**.

System Information: SBCE
X

General Configuration

Appliance Name	SBCE
Box Type	SIP
Deployment Mode	Proxy

Device Configuration

HA Mode	No
Two Bypass Mode	No

License Allocation

Standard Sessions	512
Requested: 0	
Advanced Sessions	512
Requested: 0	
Scopia Video Sessions	512
Requested: 0	
CES Sessions	512
Requested: 0	
Transcoding Sessions	512
Requested: 0	
CLID	---
Encryption	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Available: Yes	

Network Configuration

IP	Public IP	Network Prefix or Subnet Mask	Gateway	Interface
10.33.10.49	10.33.10.49	255.255.255.0	10.33.10.1	A1
10.33.10.50	10.33.10.50	255.255.255.0	10.33.10.1	A1
10.10.80.105	10.10.80.105	255.255.255.128	10.10.80.1	B1
10.10.80.106	10.10.80.106	255.255.255.128	10.10.80.1	B1

DNS Configuration

Primary DNS	10.33.100.60
Secondary DNS	
DNS Location	DMZ
DNS Client IP	10.10.80.106

Management IP(s)

IP #1 (IPv4)	10.33.10.29
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Figure 61: Avaya SBCE System Information

7.2. Server Interworking

Interworking Profile features are configured to facilitate the interoperability between the enterprise SIP-enabled solution (Call Server) and the SIP trunk service provider (Trunk Server).

7.2.1. Configure Server Interworking Profile - Avaya Site

Server Interworking profile allows administrator to configure and manage various SIP call server specific capabilities such as call hold, 180 handling, etc.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Server Interworking**

- Select **avaya-ru** in **Interworking Profiles**
- Click **Clone**
- Enter **Clone Name: SMVM** and click **Finish** (not shown)
- Select **SMVM** in **Interworking Profiles**
- Select **General** tab and click **Edit** button
- Check **T.38 Support** option and click **Finish** (not shown)

The following screen shows that Session Manager server interworking profile (named: **SMVM**) was added.

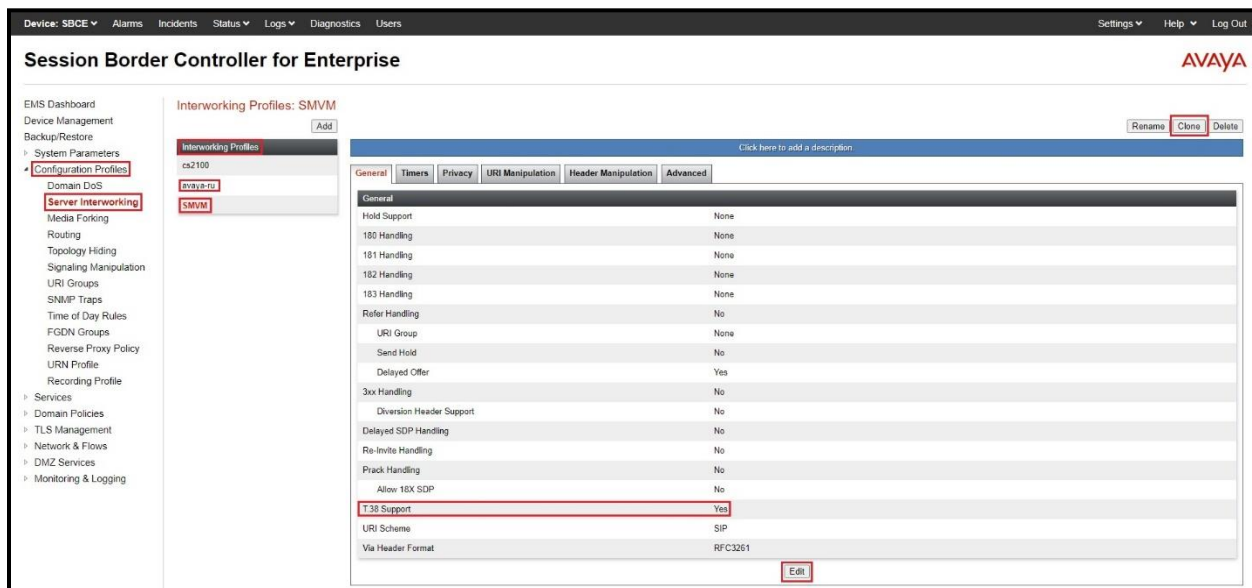


Figure 62: Server Interworking – Avaya site

7.2.2. Configure Server Interworking Profile – ThinkTel SIP Trunk Site

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Server Interworking** → **Add**

- Enter **Profile Name: SP4** (not shown)
- Click **Next** button to leave all options at default
- Click **Finish** (not shown)
- Select **SP4** in **Interworking Profiles**
- Select **General** tab and click **Edit** button
- Check **T.38 Support** option and click **Finish** (not shown)

The following screen shows that ThinkTel server interworking profile (named: **SP4**) was added.

The screenshot displays the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise configuration interface. The left-hand navigation menu shows the path: Configuration Profiles → Server Interworking. The main content area is titled 'Interworking Profiles: SP4' and features an 'Add' button. Below this, a list of profiles includes 'SP4'. The 'General' tab is active, showing a table of configuration options. The 'T.38 Support' option is checked, while all other options are set to 'None' or 'No'. An 'Edit' button is visible at the bottom right of the configuration table.

Option	Value
Hold Support	None
100 Handling	None
181 Handling	None
182 Handling	None
183 Handling	None
Refer Handling	No
URI Group	None
Send Hold	No
Delayed Offer	Yes
3xx Handling	No
Diversion Header Support	No
Delayed SDP Handling	No
Re-Invite Handling	No
Prack Handling	No
Allow 18X SDP	No
T.38 Support	Yes
URI Scheme	SIP
Via Header Format	RFC3261

Figure 63: Server Interworking – ThinkTel SIP Trunk site

7.3. Configure Signaling Manipulation

The SIP signaling header manipulation feature adds the ability to add, change and delete any of the headers and other information in a SIP message.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Signaling Manipulation** → **Add**

- Enter script **Title: SP4**. In the script editing window, enter the text exactly as shown in the below screenshot to perform the following:
 - Manipulate the SIP headers for outbound calls by removing the “+” sign in front of user number in From, P-Asserted-Identity, Contact and Diversion headers.
Note: Communication Manager automatically sends user number as E.164 format.
 - Remove un-wanted headers by ThinkTel
 - Modify user of SIP URI in SIP OPTION coming from ThinkTel so that Avaya accepts the SIP OPTION and responds 200 OK
 - Click **Save** (not shown)

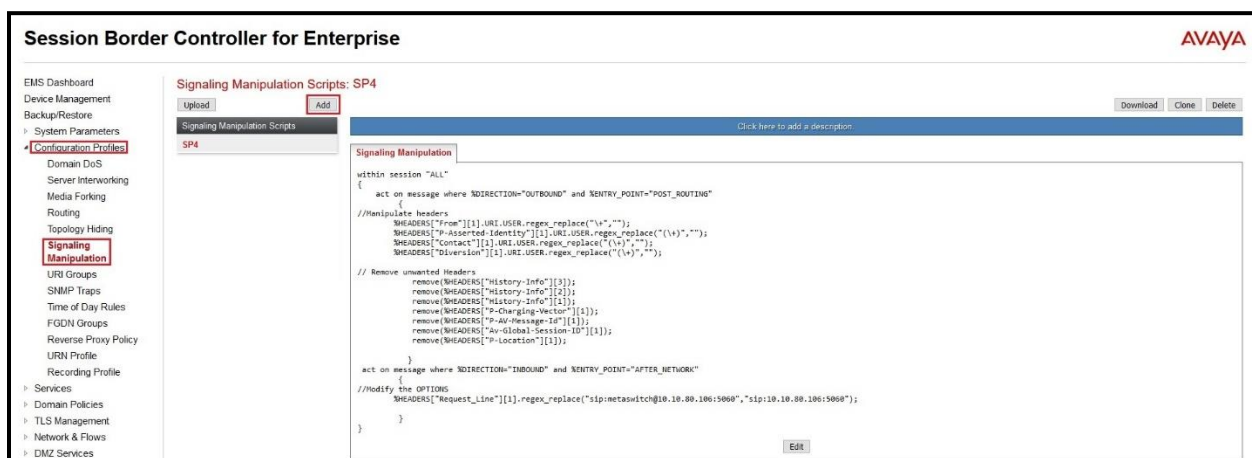


Figure 64: Signaling Manipulation

Note: See **Appendix A** in **Section 13** for the reference of this signaling manipulation (SigMa) script.

7.4. Configure Services

7.4.1. Configure SIP Server – Avaya Site

The **SIP Servers** screen contains six tabs: **General**, **Authentication**, **Heartbeat**, **Registration**, **Ping** and **Advanced**. Together, these tabs allow one to configure and manage various SIP call server specific parameters such as port assignment, IP Server type, heartbeat signaling parameters and some advanced options.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Services** → **SIP Servers** → **Add**

Enter **Profile Name: SMVM**

On **General** tab, enter the following:

- **Server Type:** Select **Call Server**
- **TLS Client Profile:** Select **AvayaSBCClient**. Note: During the compliance test in the lab environment, demo certificates are used on Session Manager, and are not recommended for production use.
- **IP Address/FQDN:** **10.33.10.53** (Session Manager IP Address)
- **Port:** **5061**
- **Transport:** **TLS**
- Click **Finish** (not shown)

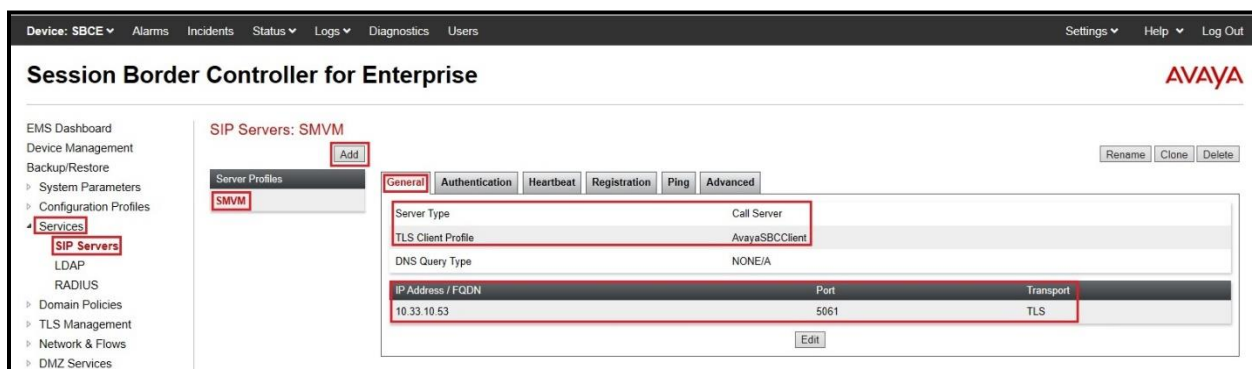


Figure 65: SIP Server – General - Avaya site

On the **Advanced** tab:

- **Enable Grooming** box is checked
- Select **SMVM** for **Interworking Profile** (see **Section 7.2.1**)
- Click **Finish** (not shown)

General	Authentication	Heartbeat	Registration	Ping	Advanced
Enable DoS Protection					<input type="checkbox"/>
Enable Grooming					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Interworking Profile					SMVM
Signaling Manipulation Script					None
Securable					<input type="checkbox"/>
Enable FGDN					<input type="checkbox"/>
Tolerant					<input type="checkbox"/>
URI Group					None

Figure 66: SIP Server – Advanced - Avaya site

7.4.2. Configure SIP Server – ThinkTel SIP Trunk

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Services** → **SIP Servers** → **Add**
The signaling server IP addresses is 192.168.250.100 (ThinkTel signaling server)

Enter **Profile Name: SP4**

On **General** tab, enter the following:

- **Server Type:** Select **Trunk Server**
- **IP Address/FQDN:** **192.168.250.100** (ThinkTel signaling server IP address)
- **Port:** **5060**
- **Transport:** **UDP**
- Click **Finish** (not shown)



Figure 67: SIP Server – General – ThinkTel

On **Heartbeat** tab, enter the following:

- Check **Enable Heartbeat**
- Select **Method: OPTIONS**
- Set **Frequency: 60 seconds**
- Input **From URI: ping@10.10.80.106**
- Input **To URI: ping@192.168.250.100**

General	Authentication	Heartbeat	Registration	Ping	Advanced
Enable Heartbeat <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>					
Method OPTIONS					
Frequency 60 seconds					
From URI ping@10.10.80.106					
To URI ping@192.168.250.100					
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>					

Figure 68: SIP Server – Heartbeat – ThinkTel

On the **Advanced** tab, enter the following:

- **Interworking Profile: SP4** (see **Section 7.2.2**)
- **Signaling Manipulation Script: SP4** (see **Section 7.3**)
- Click **Finish** (not shown)

General	Authentication	Heartbeat	Registration	Ping	Advanced
Enable DoS Protection <input type="checkbox"/>					
Enable Grooming <input type="checkbox"/>					
Interworking Profile SP4					
Signaling Manipulation Script SP4					
Securable <input type="checkbox"/>					
Enable FGDN <input type="checkbox"/>					
Tolerant <input type="checkbox"/>					
URI Group None					
<input type="button" value="Edit"/>					

Figure 69: SIP Server – Advanced – ThinkTel

On the **Authentication** tab, enter the following:

- Check **Enable Authentication** option
- Input **User Name** (ThinkTel provides the user name)
- Leave **Realm** as blank
- Enter **Password** (ThinkTel provides the password)
- Enter **Confirm Password** (ThinkTel provides the password)
- Click **Finish**

The screenshot shows the 'Edit SIP Server Profile - Authentication' window. The 'Authentication' tab is active. The 'Enable Authentication' checkbox is checked. The 'User Name' field is filled with '613XXX9894'. The 'Password' and 'Confirm Password' fields are masked with dots. A 'Finish' button is located at the bottom of the form.

Figure 70: SIP Server – Authentication – ThinkTel

7.5. Routing

Routing profiles define a specific set of routing criteria that is used, in addition to other types of domain policies, to determine the path that the SIP traffic will follow as it flows through the Avaya SBCE interfaces. Two Routing Profiles were created in the test configuration, one for inbound calls, with Session Manager as the destination, and the second one for outbound calls, which are routed to the service provider

7.5.1. Configure Routing – Avaya Site

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Routing** and click **Add** as highlighted below.

Enter **Profile Name: SP4_To_SMVM** and click **Next** button (Not Shown)

- Select **Load Balancing: Priority**
- Check **Next Hop Priority**
- Click **Add** button to add a Next-Hop Address
- **Priority/Weight: 1**
- **SIP Server Profile: SMVM** (see Section 7.4.1)
- **Next Hop Address: 10.33.10.53:5061 (TLS)** (Session Manager IP address)
- Click **Finish**

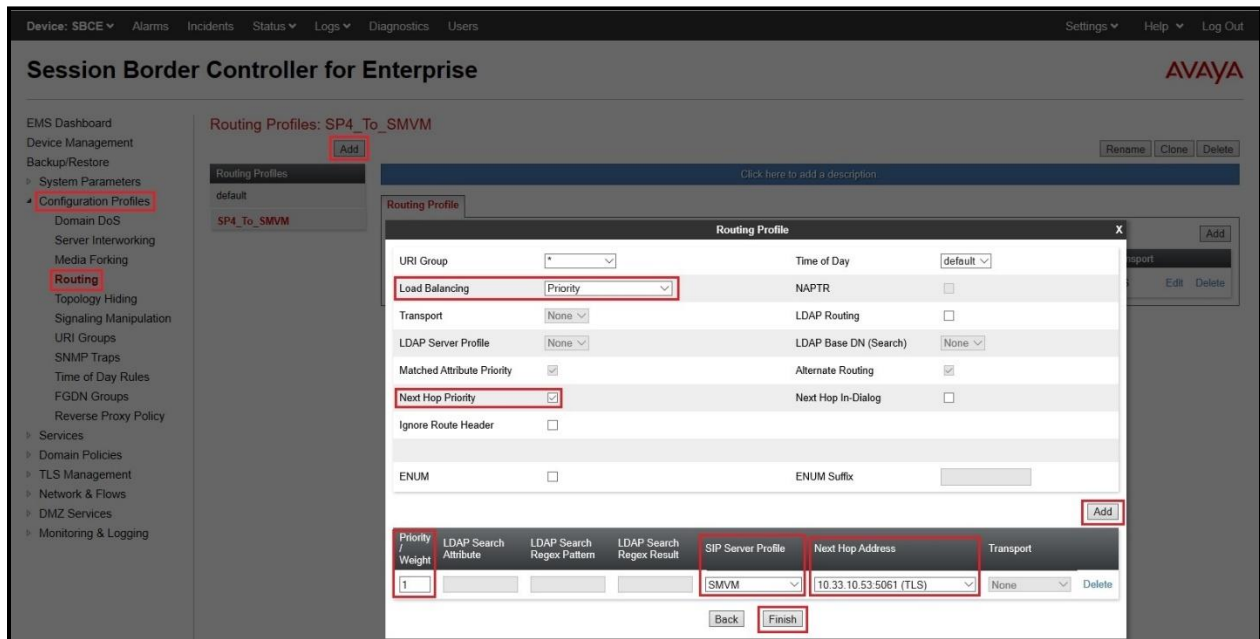


Figure 71: Routing to Session Manager

7.5.2. Configure Routing – ThinkTel SIP Trunk Site

The Routing Profile allows one to manage parameters related to routing SIP signaling messages.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Routing** and click **Add** as highlighted below.

Enter **Profile Name: SMVM_To_SP4** and click **Next** button (not shown)

- **Load Balancing: Priority**
- Check **Next Hop Priority**
- Click **Add** button to add a Next-Hop Address
- **Priority/Weight: 1; Server Configuration: SP4** (see Section 7.4.2); **Next Hop Address: 192.168.250.100:5060 (UDP)** (ThinkTel signaling server IP address)
- Click **Finish**

The screenshot shows the configuration interface for a Session Border Controller. The left sidebar contains a navigation menu with 'Configuration Profiles' and 'Routing' highlighted. The main area displays the 'Routing Profiles: SMVM_To_SP4' configuration. A modal window titled 'Routing Profile' is open, showing various settings. The 'Load Balancing' dropdown is set to 'Priority', and the 'Next Hop Priority' checkbox is checked. The 'SIP Server Profile' is set to 'SP4' and the 'Next Hop Address' is '192.168.250.100:5060 (UDP)'. The 'Priority / Weight' table at the bottom shows a single entry with a priority of 1. The 'Finish' button is highlighted.

Priority / Weight	LDAP Search Attribute	LDAP Search Regex Pattern	LDAP Search Regex Result	SIP Server Profile	Next Hop Address	Transport
1				SP4	192.168.250.100:5060 (UDP)	None

Figure 72: Routing to ThinkTel SIP Trunk

7.6. Topology Hiding

The Topology Hiding screen allows an administrator to manage how various source, destination and routing information in SIP and SDP message headers are substituted or changed to maintain the integrity of the network. It hides the topology of the enterprise network from external networks.

7.6.1. Configure Topology Hiding – Avaya Site

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Topology Hiding**

- Select **default** in **Topology Hiding Profiles**
- Click **Clone**
- Enter **Clone Name: SP4_To_SMVM** and click **Finish** (not shown)
- Select **SP4_To_SMVM** in **Topology Hiding Profiles** and click **Edit** button to enter as below:
- For the Header **From**,
 - In the **Criteria** column select **IP/Domain**
 - In the **Replace Action** column select: **Overwrite**
 - In the **Overwrite Value** column: **bwvdev.com**
- For the Header **To**,
 - In the **Criteria** column select **IP/Domain**
 - In the **Replace Action** column select: **Overwrite**
 - In the **Overwrite Value** column: **bwvdev.com**
- For the Header **Request-Line**,
 - In the **Criteria** column select **IP/Domain**
 - In the **Replace Action** column select: **Overwrite**
 - In the **Overwrite Value** column: **bwvdev.com**

Note: bwvdev.com is SIP domain of enterprise

Click **Finish** (not shown)

The screenshot shows the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise web interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Device: SBCE', 'Alarms', 'Incidents', 'Status', 'Logs', 'Diagnostics', 'Users', 'Settings', 'Help', and 'Log Out'. The main header displays 'Session Border Controller for Enterprise' and the Avaya logo. On the left, a navigation menu lists various system parameters, with 'Configuration Profiles' and 'Topology Hiding' highlighted. The main content area is titled 'Topology Hiding Profiles: SP4_To_SMVM' and features an 'Add' button and 'Rename', 'Clone', and 'Delete' buttons. A table titled 'Topology Hiding' lists various headers and their configurations:

Header	Criteria	Replace Action	Overwrite Value
Record-Route	IP/Domain	Auto	---
SDP	IP/Domain	Auto	---
Refer-To	IP/Domain	Auto	---
From	IP/Domain	Overwrite	bwvdev.com
To	IP/Domain	Overwrite	bwvdev.com
Referred-By	IP/Domain	Auto	---
Request-Line	IP/Domain	Overwrite	bwvdev.com
Via	IP/Domain	Auto	---

Figure 73: Topology Hiding To Session Manager

7.6.2. Configure Topology Hiding Profile – ThinkTel SIP Trunk site

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Configuration Profiles** → **Topology Hiding**

- Select **default** in **Topology Hiding Profiles**
- Click **Clone**
- Enter **Clone Name: SMVM_To_SP4** and click **Finish** (not shown)

The screenshot shows the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise configuration interface. The left-hand side menu is expanded to 'Configuration Profiles' and then 'Topology Hiding'. The main area displays 'Topology Hiding Profiles: SMVM_To_SP4'. A list of profiles is shown, with 'default' selected. The 'SMVM_To_SP4' profile is highlighted. The 'Topology Hiding' table is visible, showing headers and criteria for various SIP headers.

Header	Criteria	Replace Action	Override Value
Referred-By	IP/Domain	Auto	---
Via	IP/Domain	Auto	---
From	IP/Domain	Auto	---
To	IP/Domain	Auto	---
Refer-To	IP/Domain	Auto	---
Request-Line	IP/Domain	Auto	---
SDP	IP/Domain	Auto	---
Record-Route	IP/Domain	Auto	---

Figure 74: Topology Hiding To ThinkTel

7.7. Domain Policies

The Domain Policies feature allows administrator to configure, apply, and manage various rule sets (policies) to control unified communications based upon various criteria of communication sessions originating from or terminating in the enterprise. These criteria can be used to trigger different policies which will apply on call flows, change the behavior of the call, and make sure the call does not violate any of the policies. There are default policies available to use, or an administrator can create a custom domain policy.

7.7.1. Create Application Rules

Application rules define the type of SBC-based Unified Communication (UC) applications Avaya SBCE protects. You can also determine the maximum number of concurrent voice and video sessions that your network can process before resource exhaustion.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Domain Policies** → **Application Rules**

- Select **default** from **Application Rules** and click **Clone** button:
- Enter **Clone Name** (e.g., **SIP-Trunk**) and click **Finish** (not shown)
- Click on **SIP-Trunk** from **Application Rules**, then click **Edit** button:
- In the **Audio** field:
 - Check **In** and **Out**
 - Enter an appropriate value in the **Maximum Concurrent Sessions** field (e.g., **2000**), and the same value in the **Maximum Session Per Endpoint** field
 - Leave the **CDR Support** field at **Off** and the **RTCP Keep-Alive** field unchecked (**No**)
 - Click on **Finish** (not shown)

The screenshot displays the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise web interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Device: SBCE', 'Alarms', 'Incidents', 'Status', 'Logs', 'Diagnostics', 'Users', 'Settings', 'Help', and 'Log Out'. The main header shows 'Session Border Controller for Enterprise' and the 'AVAYA' logo. On the left, a navigation menu lists various configuration areas, with 'Domain Policies' and 'Application Rules' highlighted. The main content area is titled 'Application Rules: SIP-Trunk' and features an 'Add' button, a 'Click here to add a description.' link, and 'Rename', 'Clone', and 'Delete' buttons. A table lists application rules, with 'SIP-Trunk' selected. The 'SIP-Trunk' rule is configured with 'Audio' checked for both 'In' and 'Out', 'Maximum Concurrent Sessions' set to 2000, and 'Maximum Sessions Per Endpoint' set to 2000. Under the 'Miscellaneous' section, 'CDR Support' is set to 'Off' and 'RTCP Keep-Alive' is set to 'No'. An 'Edit' button is visible at the bottom right of the rule configuration area.

Application Type	In	Out	Maximum Concurrent Sessions	Maximum Sessions Per Endpoint
Audio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2000	2000
Video	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Miscellaneous	
CDR Support	Off
RTCP Keep-Alive	No

Figure 75: Application Rule

7.7.2. Create Endpoint Policy Groups

The End Point Policy Group feature allows one to create Policy Sets and Policy Groups. A Policy Set is an association of individual, SIP signaling-specific security policies (rule sets): Application, Border, Media, Signaling, Security, Charging and RTCP Monitoring Report Generation, each of which was created using the procedures contained in the previous sections. A Policy Group is comprised of one or more Policy Sets. The purpose of Policy Sets and Policy Groups is to increasingly aggregate and simplify the application of Avaya SBCE security features to very specific types of SIP signaling messages traversing through the enterprise.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Domain Policies** → **End Point Policy Groups**

- Select **Add**.
- Enter **Group Name: SIP-Trunk**
 - **Application Rule: SIP-Trunk** (See in Section 7.7.1)
 - **Border Rule: default**
 - **Media Rule: default-low-med**
 - **Security Rule: default-low**
 - **Signaling Rule: default**
- Select **Finish** (not shown)



Figure 76: Endpoint Policy

7.8. Network & Flows

The Network & Flows feature for SIP allows one to view aggregate system information and manage various device-specific parameters which determine how a particular device will function when deployed in the network.

7.8.1. Manage Network Settings

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows** → **Network Management**.

- Select **Networks** tab and click the **Add** button to add a network for the inside interface as follows:
 - **Name: Network_A1**
 - **Default Gateway: 10.33.10.1**
 - **Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.0**
 - **Interface: A1** (This is the Avaya SBCE inside interface)
 - Click the **Add** button to add the **IP Address** for inside interface: **10.33.10.49**
 - Click the **Finish** button to save the changes

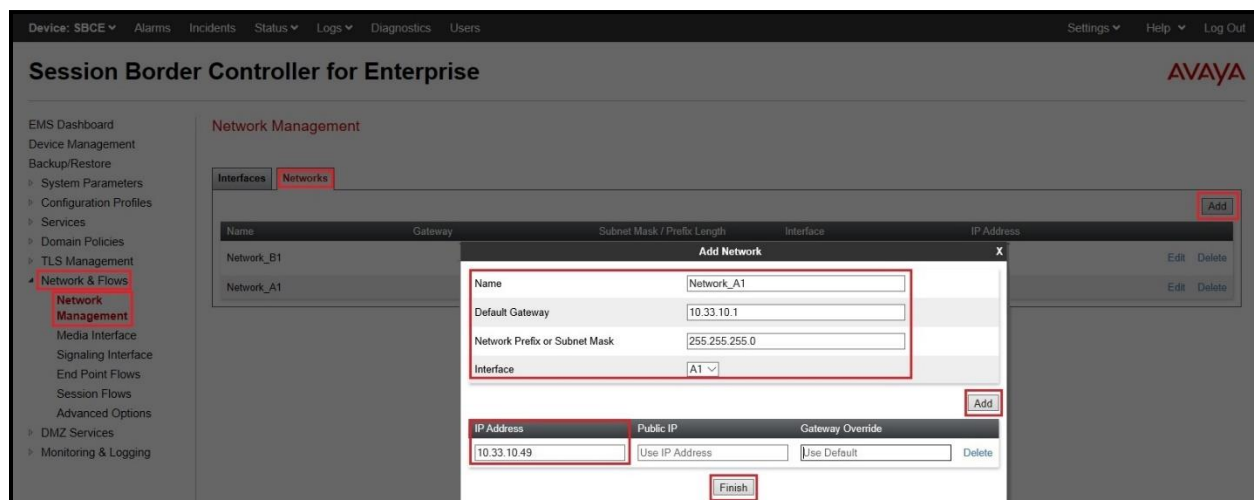


Figure 77: Network Management – Inside Interface

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows** → **Network Management**.

- Select **Networks** tab and click **Add** button to add a network for the outside interface as follows:
 - **Name: Network_B1**
 - **Default Gateway: 10.10.80.1**
 - **Subnet Mask: 255.255.255.128**
 - **Interface: B1** (This is the Avaya SBCE outside interface)
 - Click the **Add** button to add the **IP Address** for outside interface: **10.10.80.106**
 - Click the **Finish** button to save the changes

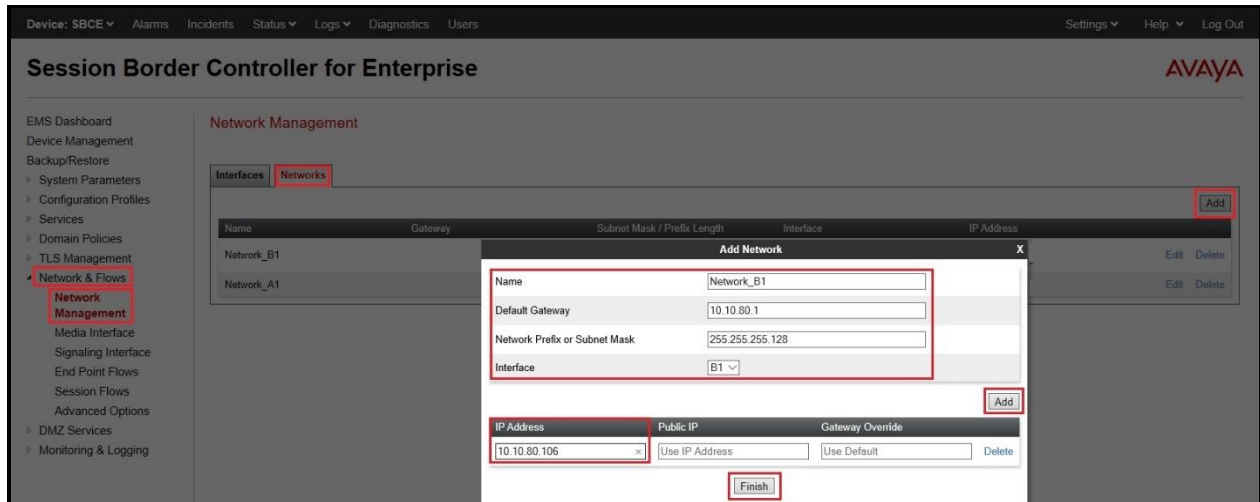
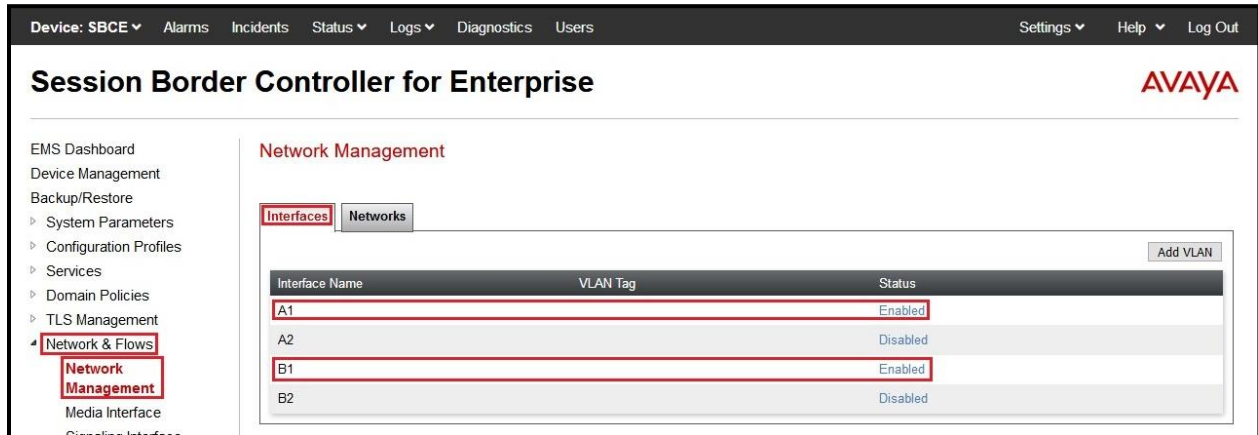


Figure 78: Network Management – Outside Interface

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows** → **Network Management**

- Select the **Interfaces** tab
- Click on the **Status** of the physical interfaces being used and change them to **Enabled** state



The screenshot shows the Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise web interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Device: SBCE', 'Alarms', 'Incidents', 'Status', 'Logs', 'Diagnostics', 'Users', 'Settings', 'Help', and 'Log Out'. The main header reads 'Session Border Controller for Enterprise' with the AVAYA logo. On the left, a navigation menu lists various management options, with 'Network & Flows' and 'Network Management' highlighted. The main content area is titled 'Network Management' and contains two tabs: 'Interfaces' (selected) and 'Networks'. Below the tabs is a table with columns for 'Interface Name', 'VLAN Tag', and 'Status'. The table lists four interfaces: A1 (Enabled), A2 (Disabled), B1 (Enabled), and B2 (Disabled). A red box highlights the 'Interfaces' tab and the 'Status' column. Another red box highlights the 'Status' cell for interface A1. An 'Add VLAN' button is located in the top right corner of the table area.

Interface Name	VLAN Tag	Status
A1		Enabled
A2		Disabled
B1		Enabled
B2		Disabled

Figure 79: Network Management – Interface Status

7.8.2. Create Media Interfaces

Media Interfaces define the IP Addresses and port ranges in which the Avaya SBCE will accept media streams on each interface. The default media port range on the Avaya SBCE can be used for both inside and outside ports.

From the menu on the left-hand side, **Device Specific Settings** → **Media Interface**

- Select the **Add** button and enter the following:
 - **Name: OutsideMedia**
 - **IP Address:** Select **Network_B1 (B1, VLAN 0)** and **10.10.80.106** (External IP address toward ThinkTel)
 - **Port Range: 35000 – 40000**
 - Click **Finish** (not shown)
- Select the **Add** button and enter the following:
 - **Name: InsideMedia**
 - **IP Address:** Select **Network_A1 (A1, VLAN 0)** and **10.33.10.49** (Internal IP address toward Session Manager)
 - **Port Range: 35000 – 40000**
 - Click **Finish** (not shown)

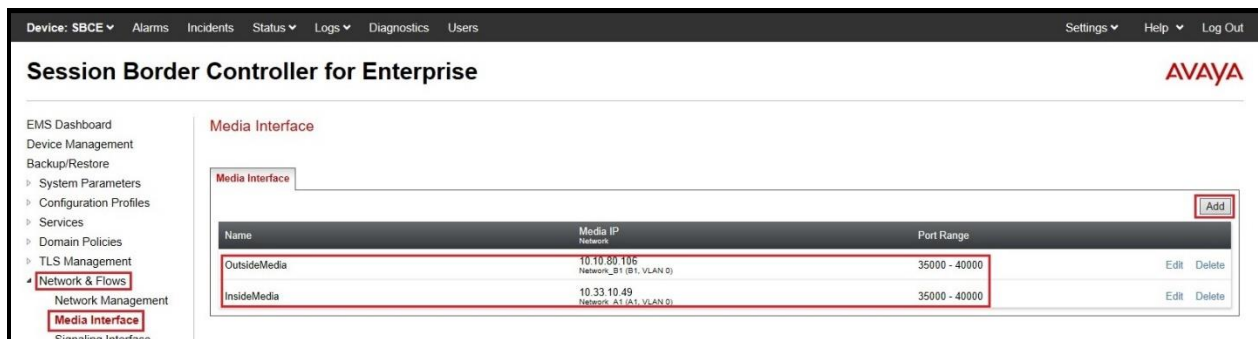


Figure 80: Media Interface

7.8.3. Create Signaling Interfaces

Signaling Interfaces define the type of signaling on the ports.

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows** → **Signaling Interface**

- Select the **Add** button and enter the following:
 - **Name: OutsideUDP**
 - **IP Address:** Select **Network_B1 (B1, VLAN 0)** and **10.10.80.106** (External IP address toward ThinkTel)
 - **UDP Port: 5060**
 - Click **Finish** (not shown)

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows** → **Signaling Interface**

- Select the **Add** button and enter the following:
 - **Name: InsideTLS**
 - **IP Address:** Select **Network_A1 (A1, VLAN 0)** and **10.33.10.49** (Internal IP address toward Session Manager)
 - **TLS Port: 5061**
 - **TLS Profile: AvayaSBCServer.** Note: During the compliance test in the lab environment, demo certificates are used on Session Manager, and are not recommended for production use.
 - Click **Finish** (not shown)

Note: For the external interface, the Avaya SBCE was configured to listen for UDP on port 5060 the same as ThinkTel used. For the internal interface, the Avaya SBCE was configured to listen for TLS on port 5061.

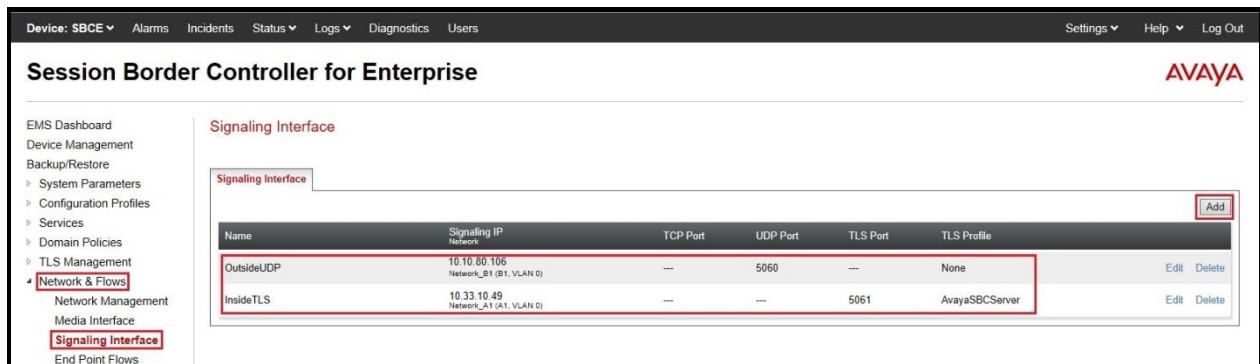


Figure 81: Signaling Interface

7.8.4. Configuration Server Flows

Server Flows allow an administrator to categorize trunk-side signaling and apply a policy.

7.8.4.1 Create End Point Flows – SMVM Flow

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows → End Point Flows**

- Select the **Server Flows** tab
- Select **Add**, enter **Flow Name: SMVM Flow**
 - **Server Configuration: SMVM** (see Section 7.4.1)
 - **URI Group: ***
 - **Transport: ***
 - **Remote Subnet: ***
 - **Received Interface: OutsideUDP** (see Section 7.8.3)
 - **Signaling Interface: InsideTLS** (see Section 7.8.3)
 - **Media Interface: InsideMedia** (see Section 7.8.2)
 - **Secondary Media Interface: None**
 - **End Point Policy Group: SIP-Trunk** (see Section 7.7.2)
 - **Routing Profile: SMVM_To_SP4** (see Section 7.5.2)
 - **Topology Hiding Profile: SP4_To_SMVM** (see Section 7.6.1)
 - Leave other parameters as default
 - Click **Finish**

Session Border Controller for Enterprise

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 - Advanced Options
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- Monitoring & Logging

End Point Flows

Subscriber Flows
Server Flows
Add

Modifications made to a Server Flow will only take effect on new sessions.

[Click here to add a row description.](#)

Add Flow
X

Flow Name	SMVM Flow
SIP Server Profile	SMVM
URI Group	*
Transport	*
Remote Subnet	*
Received Interface	OutsideUDP
Signaling Interface	InsideTLS
Media Interface	InsideMedia
Secondary Media Interface	None
End Point Policy Group	SIP-Trunk
Routing Profile	SMVM_To_SP4
Topology Hiding Profile	SP4_To_SMVM
Signaling Manipulation Script	None
Remote Branch Office	Any
Link Monitoring from Peer	<input type="checkbox"/>

Finish

Figure 82: End Point Flow 1

7.8.4.2 Create End Point Flows – ThinkTel SIP Trunk Flow

From the menu on the left-hand side, select **Network & Flows** → **End Point Flows**

There is a Server Flows associated to ThinkTel signaling server.

- Select the **Server Flows** tab
- Select **Add**, enter **Flow Name: SP4 Flow**
 - **Server Configuration: SP4** (see **Section 7.4.2**)
 - **URI Group: ***
 - **Transport: ***
 - **Remote Subnet: ***
 - **Received Interface: InsideTLS** (see **Section 7.8.3**)
 - **Signaling Interface: OutsideUDP** (see **Section 7.8.3**)
 - **Media Interface: OutsideMedia** (see **Section 7.8.2**)
 - **Secondary Media Interface: None**
 - **End Point Policy Group: SIP-Trunk** (see **Section 7.7.2**)
 - **Routing Profile: SP4_To_SMVM** (see **Section 7.5.1**)
 - **Topology Hiding Profile: SMVM_To_SP4** (see **Section 7.6.2**)
 - Leave other parameters as default
 - Click **Finish**

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End Point Flows

Subscriber Flows | **Server Flows**

Add

Modifications made to a Server Flow will only take effect on new sessions.

Add Flow X

Flow Name	SP4 Flow
SIP Server Profile	SP4
URI Group	*
Transport	*
Remote Subnet	*
Received Interface	InsideTLS
Signaling Interface	OutsideUDP
Media Interface	OutsideMedia
Secondary Media Interface	None
End Point Policy Group	SIP-Trunk
Routing Profile	SP4_To_SMVM
Topology Hiding Profile	SMVM_To_SP4
Signaling Manipulation Script	None
Remote Branch Office	Any
Link Monitoring from Peer	<input type="checkbox"/>

Finish

Figure 83: End Point Flow 2

8. Configure Avaya Aura® Experience Portal

These Application Notes assume that the necessary Experience Portal licenses have been installed and basic Experience Portal administration has already been performed. Consult in the **References [5]- Section 12** for further details if necessary.

8.1. Background

Experience Portal consists of one or more Media Processing Platform (MPP) servers and an Experience Portal Manager (EPM) server. A single “server configuration” was used in the reference configuration. This consisted of a single MPP and EPM, running on a VMware environment, including an Apache Tomcat Application Server (hosting the Voice XML (VXML) and/or Call Control XML (CCXML) application scripts), that provide the directives to Experience Portal for handling the inbound calls.

References to the Voice XML and/or Call Control XML applications are administered on Experience Portal, along with one or more called numbers for each application reference. When an inbound call arrives at Experience Portal, the called party DID number is matched against those administered called numbers. If a match is found, then the corresponding application is accessed to handle the call. If no match is found, Experience Portal informs the caller that the call cannot be handled and disconnects the call¹.

For the sample configuration described in these Application Notes, a simple VXML test application was used to exercise various SIP call flow scenarios with SIP Trunking service. In production, enterprises can develop their own VXML and/or CCXML applications to meet specific customer self-service needs or consult Avaya Professional Services and/or authorized Avaya Business Partners. The development and deployment of VXML and CCXML applications is beyond the scope of these Application Notes.

¹ An application may be configured with “inbound default” as the called number, to process all inbound calls that do not match any other application references.

8.2. Logging in and Licensing

This section describes the steps on Experience Portal for administering a SIP connection to the Session Manager.

Step 1 - Launch a web browser, enter `http://<IP address of the Avaya EPM server>/` in the URL, log in with the appropriate credentials and the following screen is displayed.

Note – All page navigation described in the following sections will utilize the menu shown on the left pane of the screenshot below.

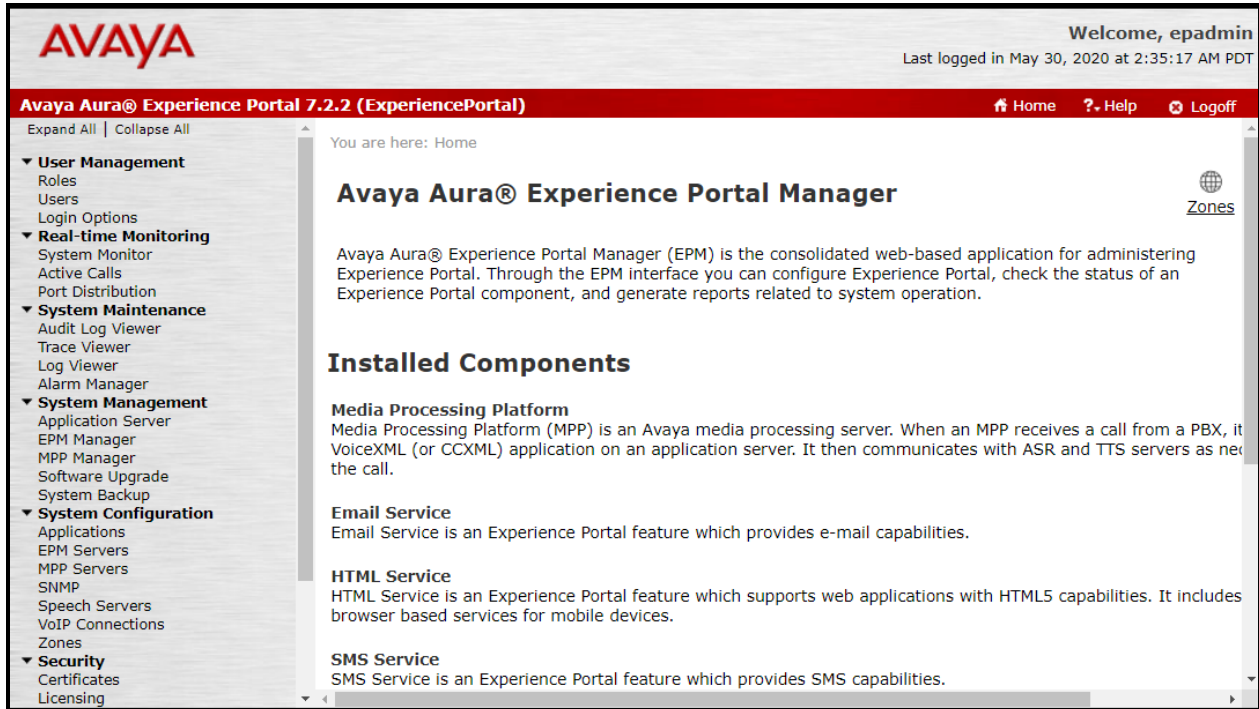


Figure 84: Experience Portal – Home page

Step 2 - In the left pane, navigate to **Security**→**Licensing**. On the **Licensing** page, verify that Experience Portal is properly licensed. If required licenses are not enabled, contact an authorized Avaya account representative to obtain the licenses.

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Expand All | Collapse All

- ▼ **User Management**
 - Roles
 - Users
 - Login Options
- ▼ **Real-time Monitoring**
 - System Monitor
 - Active Calls
 - Port Distribution
- ▼ **System Maintenance**
 - Audit Log Viewer
 - Trace Viewer
 - Log Viewer
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- ▼ **System Management**
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Licensing

This page displays the Experience Portal license information that is currently in effect. Experience Portal uses are used.

License Server Information ▼

License Server URL:	https://10.33.1.10:52233/WebLM/LicenseServer	
Last Updated:	Jul 26, 2019 4:11:07 AM PDT	
Last Successful Poll:	Sep 15, 2020 9:19:14 PM PDT	

Licensed Products ▼

Experience Portal		
Announcement Ports:	100	
ASR Connections:	250	
Email Units:	50	
Enable Media Encryption:	250	
Enhanced Call Classification:	250	
Google ASR Connections:	10	
HTML Units:	100	
SIP Signaling Connections:	100	
SMS Units:	100	
Telephony Ports:	100	
TTS Connections:	250	
Video Server Connections:	250	
Zones:	10	
Version:	8	
Last Successful Poll:	Sep 15, 2020 9:19:14 PM PDT	
Last Changed:	Aug 14, 2019 4:25:43 AM PDT	

Allocations **Help**

Figure 85: Experience Portal – License

8.3. VoIP Connection

This section defines a SIP trunk between Experience Portal and Session Manager.

Step 1 - In the left pane, navigate to **System Configuration**→**VoIP Connections**. On the **VoIP Connections** page, select the **SIP** tab and click **Add** to add a SIP trunk.

Note – Only *one* SIP trunk can be active at any given time on Experience Portal.

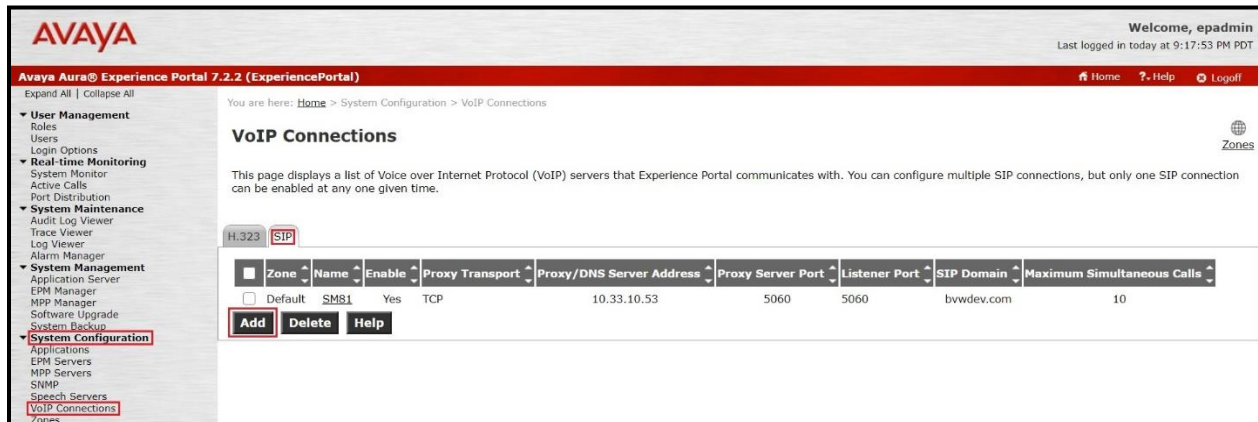


Figure 86: Experience Portal – VoIP Connection 1

Step 2 - Configure a SIP connection as follows:

- **Name** – Set to a descriptive name (e.g., **SM81**)
- **Enable** – Set to **Yes**
- **Proxy Transport** – Set to **TLS**
- Select **Proxy Servers**, and enter:
 - **Proxy Server Address** = **10.33.10.53** (The IP address of the Session Manager)
 - **Port** = **5061**
 - **Priority** = **0** (default)
 - **Weight** = **0** (default)
- **Listener Port** – Set to **5061**
- **SIP Domain** – Set to **bvwddev.com**
- **Consultative Transfer** – Select **INVITE with REPLACES**
- **SIP Reject Response Code** – Select **ASM (503)**
- **Maximum Simultaneous Calls** – Set to a number in accordance with licensed capacity. In the reference configuration a value of **100** was used.
- Select **All Calls can be either inbound or outbound**
- **SRTP Enable** = **Yes**
- **Encryption Algorithm** = **AES_CM_128**
- **Authentication Algorithm** = **HMAC_SHA1_80**
- **RTCP Encryption Enabled** = **No**
- **RTP Authentication Enabled** = **Yes**

- Click on **Add** to add SRTP settings to the **Configured SRTP List**
- Use default values for all other fields
- Click **Save** (Not shown)

You are here: [Home](#) > [System Configuration](#) > [VoIP Connections](#) > [Change SIP Connection](#)

Change SIP Connection

Use this page to change the configuration of a SIP connection.

Zone: ▼

Name:

Enable: Yes No

Proxy Transport: ▼

Proxy Servers DNS SRV Domain

Address	Port	Priority	Weight	
10.33.10.53	5061	0	0	Remove

Additional Proxy Server

Listener Port:

SIP Domain:

P-Asserted-Identity:

Maximum Redirection Attempts:

Consultative Transfer: INVITE with REPLACES REFER

SIP Reject Response Code: ASM (503) SES (480) Custom

SIP Timers

T1: milliseconds

T2: milliseconds

B and F: milliseconds

Call Capacity

Maximum Simultaneous Calls:

All Calls can be either inbound or outbound

Configure number of inbound and outbound calls allowed

SRTP

Enable: Yes No

Encryption Algorithm: AES_CM_128 NONE

Authentication Algorithm: HMAC_SHA1_80 HMAC_SHA1_32

RTCP Encryption Enabled: Yes No

RTP Authentication Enabled: Yes No

Configured SRTP List

SRTP-Yes,AES_CM_128,HMAC_SHA1_80,RTCP Encryption-No,RTP Authentication-Yes

Figure 87: Experience Portal – VoIP Connection 2

8.4. Speech Servers

The installation and administration of the ASR and TTS Speech Servers are beyond the scope of this document. Some of the values shown below were defined during the Speech Server installations. Note that in the reference configuration the ASR and TTS servers used the same IP address.

ASR speech server:

The screenshot shows the Avaya Aura Experience Portal 7.2.2 (ExperiencePortal) interface. The user is logged in as 'epadmin' and is viewing the 'Speech Servers' configuration page. The page title is 'Speech Servers' and it includes a breadcrumb trail: 'Home > System Configuration > Speech Servers'. Below the title, there is a description: 'This page displays the list of Automated Speech Recognition (ASR) and Text-to-Speech (TTS) servers that Experience Portal communicates with.' There are two tabs: 'ASR' (selected) and 'TTS'. A table lists the ASR servers with the following columns: Zone, Name, Enable, Network Address, Engine Type, MRCP, Base Port, Total Number of Licensed ASR Resources, and Languages. One server is listed with the following details: Zone (checkbox), Name (Nuance), Enable (Yes), Network Address (10.33.1.61), Engine Type (Nuance), MRCP (V2 TCP), Base Port (5060), Total Number of Licensed ASR Resources (4), and Languages (English(USA) en-US). Below the table are four buttons: 'Add', 'Delete', 'Customize', and 'Help'.

Zone	Name	Enable	Network Address	Engine Type	MRCP	Base Port	Total Number of Licensed ASR Resources	Languages
<input type="checkbox"/>	Default Nuance	Yes	10.33.1.61	Nuance	MRCP V2 TCP	5060	4	English(USA) en-US

Figure 88: Experience Portal – ASR Speech Server

TTS speech server:

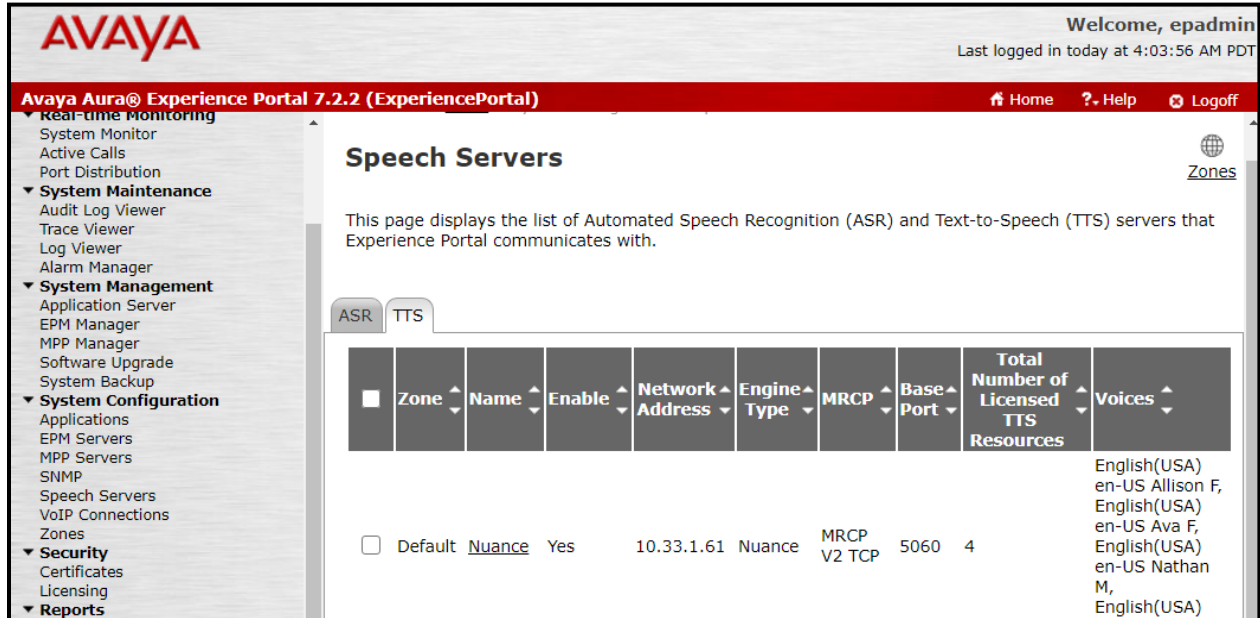


Figure 89: Experience Portal – TTS Speech Server

8.5. Application

This section describes the steps for administering a reference to the VXML and/or CCXML applications residing on the application server. In the sample configuration, the applications were co-resident on one Experience Portal server, with IP Address 10.33.1.3.

Step 1 - In the left pane, navigate to **System Configuration** → **Applications**. On the **Applications** page (not shown), click **Add** to add an application and configure as follows:

- **Name** – Set to a descriptive name (e.g., **Test_VoiceXML**)
- **Enable** – Set to **Yes**. This field determines which application(s) will be executed based on their defined criteria
- **Type** – Select **VoiceXML**, **CCXML**, or **CCXML/VoiceXML** according to the application type
- **VoiceXML** and/or **CCXML URL** – Enter the necessary URL(s) to access the VXML and/or CCXML application(s) on the application server. In the sample screen below, the Experience Portal test application on a single server is referenced
- **Speech Servers ASR and TTS** – Select the appropriate ASR and/or TTS servers as necessary
- **Application Launch** – Set to **Inbound**
- **Called Number** – Enter the number to match against an inbound SIP INVITE message and click **Add**. In the sample configuration illustrated in these Application Notes, the dialed DID number 4800 was used. Repeat to define additional called party numbers as

needed. Inbound calls with these called party numbers will be handled by the application defined in this section.

You are here: [Home](#) > [System Configuration](#) > [Applications](#) > [Change Application](#)

Change Application

Use this page to change the configuration of an application.

Zone: Default
 Name: Test_VoiceXML
 Enable: Yes No
 Type:
 Reserved SIP Calls: None Minimum Maximum
 Requested:

URI
 Single Fail Over Load Balance
 VoiceXML URL:

Mutual Certificate Authentication: Yes No
 Basic Authentication: Yes No

ASR Speech Servers

Engine Types:
 Selected Engine Types:

Nuance
 Languages:
 Selected Languages:

Resources:
 N Best List Length:
 Speech Complete Timeout: milliseconds
 Speech Incomplete Timeout: milliseconds
 Vendor Parameters:

TTS Speech Servers

Voices:
 Selected Voices:

Application Launch

Inbound Inbound Default Outbound
 Number Number Range URI
 Called Number:

Speech Parameters
Reporting Parameters
Advanced Parameters

Figure 90: Experience Portal – Application

8.6. MPP Servers and VoIP Settings

This section illustrates the procedure for viewing or changing the MPP Settings. In the sample configuration, the MPP Server is co-resident on a single server with the Experience Portal Management server (EPM).

Step 1 - In the left pane, navigate to **System Configuration**→**MPP Servers** and the following screen is displayed. Click **Add**.

The screenshot shows the Avaya Aura Experience Portal 7.2.2 interface. The left navigation pane is expanded to 'System Configuration' > 'MPP Servers'. The main content area displays the 'MPP Servers' configuration page. It includes a breadcrumb trail: 'Home > System Configuration > MPP Servers'. Below the title, there is a descriptive paragraph: 'This page displays the list of Media Processing Platform (MPP) servers in the Experience Portal system. When an MPP receives a call from a PBX, it invokes a VoiceXML application on an application server and communicates with ASR and TTS servers as necessary to process the call.' A table lists the MPP servers with the following columns: Zone, Name, Host Address, Network Address (VoIP), Network Address (MRCP), Network Address (AppSvr), and Max Simultaneous. One server is listed with the following values: Zone: Default, Name: aep72, Host Address: 10.33.1.3, Network Address (VoIP): <Default>, Network Address (MRCP): <Default>, Network Address (AppSvr): <Default>, and Max Simultaneous: 15. Below the table are 'Add' and 'Delete' buttons. At the bottom of the page are buttons for 'MPP Settings', 'Browser Settings', 'Video Settings', 'VoIP Settings', and 'Help'.

Figure 91: Experience Portal – MPP Server 1

Step 2 - Enter any descriptive name in the **Name** field (e.g., **aep72**) and the IP address of the MPP server in the **Host Address** field and click **Continue** (not shown). Note that the Host Address used is the same IP address assigned to Experience Portal.

Step 3 - The certificate page will open. Check the **Trust this certificate** box (not shown). Once complete, click **Save**.

You are here: [Home](#) > System Configuration > [MPP Servers](#) > Change MPP Server

Change MPP Server

Use this page to change the configuration of an MPP. Take care when changing the MPP Trace Logging Thresholds. Do not set Trace Levels to Finest if your Experience Portal system has heavy call traffic. The system might experience performance issues if Trace Levels are set to Finest. Set Trace Levels to Finest only when you are troubleshooting the system.

Zone: Default
 Name: aep72
 Host Address: 10.33.1.3
 Network Address (VoIP):
 Network Address (MRCP):
 Network Address (AppSvr):
 Maximum Simultaneous Calls:
 Restart Automatically: Yes No

MPP Certificate

```

Owner: C=US,O=AVAYA,OU=SDP,CN=aep72
Issuer: O=AVAYA,OU=MGMT,CN=SystemManager CA
Serial Number: 352dbbbde22c8aa8
Signature Algorithm: SHA256withRSA
Valid from: June 28, 2019 4:38:19 AM PDT until September 26, 2022 4:38:19 AM PDT
Certificate Fingerprints
  MD5: f1:f8:92:8d:de:20:c0:df:df:66:7d:a1:cf:fa:7a:8a
  SHA: 07:10:e8:86:15:3d:07:28:09:c1:24:71:de:f0:bb:3a:4e:c6:5b:74
  SHA-256: f7:f0:92:25:18:eb:9c:65:58:7e:95:53:27:e9:4b:37:25:63:d7:18:22:6e:5e:4d:59:d8:5e:28:1a:4b:b2:bd
Subject Alternative Names
  DNS Name: aep72
  DNS Name: aep72.bvwddev.com
  IP Address: 10.33.1.3
  
```

Categories and Trace Levels ▶

Figure 92: Experience Portal – MPP Server 2

Step 4 - Click VoIP Settings tab on the screen displayed in Step 1.

- In the Port Ranges section, default ports were used.
- In the Codecs section set:
 - Set **Packet Time** to **20**
 - Verify Codecs **G711uLaw**, **G711aLaw** and **G729** are enabled (check marks) in **Offer Codec** and **Answer Codec**. Set the **Offer Order** and **Answer Order** as shown. In the sample configuration **G711uLaw** is the preferred codec, with **Order 1**, followed by **G711aLaw** with **Order 2** and **G729** with **Order 3**. On the codec Offer, set **G729 Discontinuous Transmission** to **No** (for G.729A)
- Use default values for all other fields

Step 5 - Click on Save (not shown)

You are here: [Home](#) > System Configuration > [MPP Servers](#) > VoIP Settings

VoIP Settings

Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) is the process of sending voice data through a network using one or more standard protocols such as H.323 and Real-time Transfer Protocol (RTP). Use this page to configure parameters that affect how voice data is transferred through the network. Note that if you make any changes to this page, you must restart all MPPs.

Port Ranges ▾

	Low	High
UDP:	11000	30999
TCP:	31000	33499
MRCP:	34000	36499
H.323 Station:	37000	39499

RTCP Monitor Settings ▾

Host Address:

Port:

VoIP Audio Formats ▾

MPP Native Format:

Codecs ▾

Offer

Enable	Codec	Order
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G711uLaw	1
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G711aLaw	2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G729	3

Packet Time: milliseconds

G729 Discontinuous Transmission: Yes No

Answer

Enable	Codec	Order
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G711uLaw	1
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G711aLaw	2
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	G729	3

G729 Discontinuous Transmission: Yes No Either

G729 Reduced Complexity Encoder: Yes No

QoS Parameters ▸

Out of Service Threshold (% of VoIP Resources) ▸

Call Progress ▸

Miscellaneous ▸

Figure 93: Experience Portal – MPP Server - VoIP

8.7. Configuring RFC2833 Event Value Offered by Experience Portal

The configuration change example noted in this section was not required for any of the call flows illustrated in these Application Notes. For incoming calls from Service Provider (SP) to Experience Portal, SP specifies the value 101 for the RFC2833 telephone-events that signal DTMF digits entered by the user. When Experience Portal answers, the SDP from Experience Portal matches this SP offered value.

When Experience Portal sends an INVITE with SDP as part of an INVITE-based transfer (e.g., bridged transfer), Experience Portal offers the SDP. By default, Experience Portal specifies the value 127 for the RFC2833 telephone-events. Optionally, the value that is offered by Experience Portal can be changed, and this section outlines the procedure that can be performed by an Avaya authorized representative.

- Access Experience Portal via the command line interface.
- Navigate to the following directory: /opt/Avaya/ ExperiencePortal/MPP/config
- Edit the file mppconfig.xml.
- Search for the parameter “mpp.sip.rfc2833.payload”. If there is no such parameter specified add a line such as the following to the file, where the value 101 is the value to be used for the RFC2833 events. If the parameter is already specified in the file, simply edit the value assigned to the parameter.
<parameter name="mpp.sip.rfc2833.payload">101</parameter>
- In the verification of these Application Notes, the line was added directly above the line where the sip.session.expires parameter is configured.

After saving the file with the change, restart the MPP server for the change to take effect. As shown below, the MPP may be restarted using the **Restart** button available via the Experience Portal GUI at **System Management → MPP Manager**.

Note that the **State** column shows when the MPP is running after the restart.

Avaya Aura® Experience Portal 7.2.2 (ExperiencePortal) Home Help Logoff

You are here: [Home](#) > System Management > MPP Manager

MPP Manager (Jul 20, 2020 4:17:42 AM PDT)

Refresh Zones

This page displays the current state of each MPP in the Experience Portal system. To enable the state and mode commands, select one or more MPPs. To enable the mode commands, the selected MPPs must also be stopped.

Last Poll: Jul 20, 2020 4:17:27 AM PDT

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Zone	Server Name	Mode	State	Config	Auto Restart	Restart Schedule		Active Calls	
							Today	Recurring	In	Out
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Default	aep72	Online	Running	OK	Yes	No	None	0	0

State Commands

Start Stop Restart Reboot Halt Cancel

Restart/Reboot Options

One server at a time
 All servers

Mode Commands

Offline Test Online

Figure 94: Experience Portal – MPP Manager

9. ThinkTel SIP Trunk Configuration

ThinkTel is responsible for the configuration of ThinkTel SIP Trunk Service. Customer must provide the IP Address used to reach the Avaya SBCE public interface at the enterprise. ThinkTel will provide the customer necessary information to configure the SIP connection between Avaya SBCE and ThinkTel. ThinkTel also provides the ThinkTel SIP Specification document for reference. This information is used to complete configurations for Communication Manager, Session Manager, and the Avaya SBCE discussed in the previous sections.

The configuration between ThinkTel SIP Trunk and the enterprise is a static IP Address configuration.

10. Verification Steps

This section provides verification steps that may be performed in the field to verify that the solution is configured properly. This section also provides a list of useful troubleshooting commands that can be used to troubleshoot the solution.

Verification Steps:

1. Verify that endpoints at the enterprise site can place calls to the PSTN and that the call remains active for more than 35 seconds. This time period is included to verify that proper routing of the SIP messaging has satisfied SIP protocol timers.
2. Verify that endpoints at the enterprise site can receive calls from the PSTN and that the call can remain active for more than 35 seconds.
3. Verify that the user on the PSTN can end an active call by hanging up.
4. Verify that an endpoint at the enterprise site can end an active call by hanging up.

Troubleshooting:

1. Communication Manager: Enter the following commands using the Communication Manager System Access Terminal (SAT) interface.
 - **list trace station** <extension number> - Traces calls to and from a specific station.
 - **list trace tac** <trunk access code number> - Trace calls over a specific trunk group.
 - **status station** <extension number> - Displays signaling and media information for an active call on a specific station.
 - **status trunk-group** <trunk-group number> - Displays trunk-group state information.
 - **status signaling-group** <signaling-group number> - Displays signaling-group state information.
2. Session Manager:
 - **Call Routing Test** - The Call Routing Test verifies the routing for a particular source and destination. To run the routing test, navigate to **Elements → Session Manager → System Tools → Call Routing Test**. Enter the requested data to run the test.
 - **traceSM** – Session Manager command line tool for traffic analysis. Log into the Session Manager management interface to run this command.
3. Avaya SBCE: Debug logging can be started in two different ways:
 - **GUI of the SBC: Monitoring & Logging → Debugging**. Check on **Debug** option
 - SIP only: enable LOG_SUB_SIPCC subsystem under SSYNDI process.
 - CALL PROCESSING: enable all subsystems under SSYNDI process.The log files are stored at: /usr/local/ipcs/log/ss/logfiles/elog/SSYNDI.
 - **Command Line Interface**: Login with root user and enter the command: **#traceSBC**. The tool updates the database directly based on which trace mode is selected.

11. Conclusion

These Application Notes describe the configuration necessary to connect Avaya Aura[®] Communication Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] System Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] Session Manager 8.1.2, Avaya Aura[®] Experience Portal 7.2.2 and Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise 8.1.1 to ThinkTel. This solution successfully passed compliance testing via the Avaya DevConnect Program.

12. References

This section references the documentation relevant to these Application Notes.

Product documentation for Avaya, including the following, is available at:
<http://support.avaya.com/>

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Remote Worker

- [10] *Configuring Remote Workers with Avaya Session Border Controller for Enterprise Rel. 7.0, Avaya Aura® Communication Manager Rel. 7.0 and Avaya Aura® Session Managers Rel. 7.0 - Issue 1.0*

IETF (Internet Engineering Task Force) SIP Standard Specifications

- [11] *RFC 3261 SIP: Session Initiation Protocol*, <http://www.ietf.org>

Product documentation for ThinkTel SIP Trunking may be found at: <http://www.thinktel.ca>

13. Appendix A - SigMa Script

The following is the Signaling Manipulation script used in the configuration of the SBCE, **Section 7.3**.

```
within session "ALL"
{
  act on message where %DIRECTION="OUTBOUND" and
  %ENTRY_POINT="POST_ROUTING"
  {
//Manipulate headers
    %HEADERS["From"][1].URI.USER.regex_replace("\+", "");
    %HEADERS["P-Asserted-Identity"][1].URI.USER.regex_replace("\+", "");
    %HEADERS["Contact"][1].URI.USER.regex_replace("\+", "");
    %HEADERS["Diversion"][1].URI.USER.regex_replace("\+", "");

// Remove unwanted Headers
    remove(%HEADERS["History-Info"][3]);
    remove(%HEADERS["History-Info"][2]);
    remove(%HEADERS["History-Info"][1]);
    remove(%HEADERS["P-Charging-Vector"][1]);
    remove(%HEADERS["P-AV-Message-Id"][1]);
    remove(%HEADERS["Av-Global-Session-ID"][1]);
    remove(%HEADERS["P-Location"][1]);

  }
  act on message where %DIRECTION="INBOUND" and
  %ENTRY_POINT="AFTER_NETWORK"
  {
//Modify the OPTIONS

    %HEADERS["Request_Line"][1].regex_replace("sip:metaswitch@10.10.80.106:5060", "sip:10.1
0.80.106:5060");

  }
}
```

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